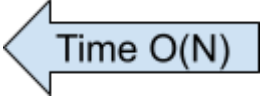


1720. Decode XORed Array

Sol

```
class Solution(object):
    def decode(self, encoded, first):
        list1=[]
        list1.append(first) # First element of list
        element=first
        for i in range(0,len(encoded)):
            element=element ^encoded[i]
            list1.append(element)
        return list1
```



Time $O(N)$

Explanation:

operator	Description	Syntax
&	Bitwise AND	$x \& y$
	Bitwise OR	$x y$
~	Bitwise NOT	$\sim x$
^	Bitwise XOR	$x \wedge y$
>>	Bitwise Right shift	$x \gg$
<<	" Left "	$x \ll$

Inverse of XOR is XOR itself.

encode/decode $[1, 2, 3]$ arr = $[1, x, y, z]$

$$1 = \text{arr}[0] \wedge x = 1 \wedge x$$

$$x = \text{arr}[0] \wedge 1$$

$$y = \text{arr}[1] \wedge z$$

$$z = \text{arr}[2] \wedge y$$

See

$$\text{encode}[i] = \text{arr}[i] \wedge x$$

$$x = \text{encode}[i] \wedge \text{arr}[i]$$

Since inverse of XOR is XOR itself.

$$\text{ie } 7 \wedge 6 = 1$$

and if we do $1 \wedge 6$ gives 7

$$\text{encoded} = [1, 2, 3]$$

$$\text{First arr} = [1, x, y, z]$$

represents
XOR $\rightarrow \wedge$

$$1 = \text{encoded}[0] = 1 \text{ XOR } x = 1 \wedge x$$

$$2 = \text{encoded}[1] = x \text{ XOR } y = x \wedge y$$

$$3 = \text{encoded}[2] = y \text{ XOR } z = y \wedge z$$

Inverse of
Since \wedge XOR is XOR itself.

$$\text{encoded}[0] \wedge 1 = x \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\text{encoded}[1] \wedge x = y \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$\text{encoded}[2] \wedge y = z \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

Take eq (2), put (1) in (2)

element
For the 1st
Time

$$\text{Similarly } y = \text{encoded}[1] \wedge (\text{encoded}[0] \wedge 1)$$

$$z = \text{encoded}[2] \wedge (\text{encoded}[1] \wedge (\text{encoded}[0] \wedge 1))$$

2nd

element