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Sure! Let’s break down the problem and then I’ll provide a solution in Python.

Fibonacci Series

The Fibonacci series is a sequence of numbers where each number is the sum of the two preceding ones, usually starting with 0 and 1. The sequence goes like this: 0, 1, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 13, 21, and so on.

Problem Breakdown

Given a positive integer (N), we need to calculate the Fibonacci series up to (N). If (N) is part of the series, we include (N) as well.

Steps to Solve the Problem

1. **Initialize the first two Fibonacci numbers**: 0 and 1.
2. **Iterate and calculate the next Fibonacci number** by adding the last two numbers in the series.
3. **Continue the iteration until the next Fibonacci number is greater than (N)**.
4. **If (N) is part of the series, include it**.

Python Code

Here’s a simple Python program to achieve this:

```python
def fibonacci_series(N):
    # Initialize the first two Fibonacci numbers
    fib_series = [0, 1]

    # Continue generating Fibonacci numbers until the next number is greater than N
    while True:
        next_fib = fib_series[-1] + fib_series[-2]
        if next_fib > N:
            break
        fib_series.append(next_fib)

    # If N is part of the series, include it
    if fib_series[-1] != N:
        fib_series.append(N)

    return fib_series

# Example usage
N = 21
print(f"Fibonacci series up to {N}: {fibonacci_series(N)}")
```

Explanation

1. **Initialization**: We start with the list `fib_series` containing the first two Fibonacci numbers, 0 and 1.
2. **Loop**: We use a `while` loop to keep generating the next Fibonacci number by summing the last two numbers in the list (`fib_series[-1]` and `fib_series[-2]`).
3. **Condition to Stop**: The loop stops when the next Fibonacci number is greater than (N).
4. **Include (N)**: After the loop, we check if (N) is already the last number in the series. If not, we add (N) to the list.
5. **Return the Series**: Finally, we return the list of Fibonacci numbers.

Feel free to ask if you have any questions or need further clarification!