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function countInversions (arr) {
  const n = arr.length

  if (n === 1) return {sortedArr: arr, inversionCount: 0}

  const mid = Math.floor(n/2)
  const left = arr.slice(0, mid)
  const right = arr.slice(mid)

  const leftInversions = countInversions(left)
  const rightInversions = countInversions(right)
  const mergedInversions = mergeSortedArraysAndCountInversions(leftInversions.sortedArr, rightInversions.sortedArr)

  return {
    sortedArr: mergedInversions.sortedArr,
    inversionCount: leftInversions.inversionCount + rightInversions.inversionCount + mergedInversions.inversionCount
  }
}

function mergeSortedArraysAndCountInversions (leftArr, rightArr) {
  let sortedArr = []
  let i = 0
  let j = 0
  let inversionCount = 0

  while (i < leftArr.length && j < rightArr.length) {
    if (leftArr[i] <= rightArr[j]) {
      sortedArr.push(leftArr[i])
      i++
    }
    else {
      sortedArr.push(rightArr[j])
      j++
      inversionCount += leftArr.length - i
    }
  }

  while (i < leftArr.length) {
    sortedArr.push(leftArr[i])
    i++
  }

  while (j < rightArr.length) {
    sortedArr.push(rightArr[j])
    j++
  }

  return {sortedArr, inversionCount}
}

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const array = [1, 9, 6, 4, 5];  
console.log(countInversions(array));
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