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## **AOA Experiment 6**

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Aim:

To implement & analyze Longest Common Subsequence algorithm:

## Implementation:

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#include <bits/stdc++.h>
using namespace std;

int max(int a, int b);

int lcs(char *X, char *Y, int m, int n) {
    if (m == 0 || n == 0)
        return 0;
    if (X[m-1] == Y[n-1])
        return 1 + lcs(X, Y, m-1, n-1);
    else
        return max(lcs(X, Y, m, n-1), lcs(X, Y, m-1, n));
}

int max(int a, int b) {
    return (a > b)? a : b;
}

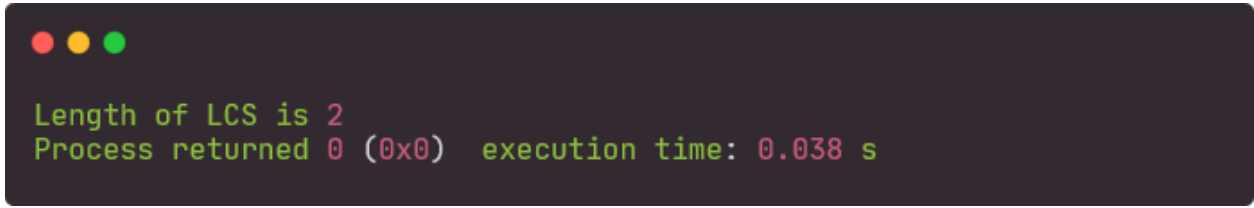
int main() {
    char X[] = "BCTDS";
    char Y[] = "BESNDT";

    int m = strlen(X);
    int n = strlen(Y);

    cout<< "Length of LCS is "<< lcs(X, Y, m, n);

    return 0;
}
```

Output:

A terminal window with a dark background and three colored window control buttons (red, yellow, green) in the top-left corner. The terminal displays two lines of text: "Length of LCS is 2" and "Process returned 0 (0x0) execution time: 0.038 s".

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#### Theory:

- It is the problem of finding the largest subsequence common to all sequences in a set of sequences.
- It differs from the longest common substring problem unlike substrings, subsequences are not required to occupy consecutive positions within the original sequence.
- It starts comparing strings in reverse order one character at a time.  
Now, we have 2 cases:

Case 1: If both characters are same then add to the result & remove the last character from both the strings and make recursive call to the modified strings.

Case 2: If both characters different then remove the last character of string 1 & make a recursive call & remove the last character from string 2 & make a recursive call then return the max of both recursive calls.

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$X = ABCBDAB$   
 $Y = BDCABA$

i \ j	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
↓	$y_j$	B	D	C	A	B	A
0 $x_i$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1 A	0	0↑	0↑	0↑	1↖	1←	1↑
2 B	0	1↖	1←	1←	1↑	2↖	2←
3 C	0	1↑	1↑	2↖	2←	2↑	2↑
4 B	0	1↑	1↑	2↑	2↑	3↖	3←
5 D	0	1↑	2↖	2↑	2↑	3↑	3↑
6 A	0	1↑	2↑	2↑	3↖	3↑	4↖
7 B	0	1↑	2↑	2↑	3↑	4↖	4↑

The LCS is BCBA

### LCS Complexity:

- In brute force, we need to perform checks on every subsequence of  $P[1 \dots m]$  to see if it is also a subsequence of  $Q[1 \dots n]$ .  
Checking membership of one subsequence  $P[1 \dots m]$  into  $Q[1 \dots n]$  takes  $O(n)$  time.

Thus worst case time complexity is  $\Theta(n^2)$  or  $O(2^n)$ .

- In dynamic programming, the only table of size  $m \times n$  is filled up using nested for loops. So running time of dynamic approach would take  $O(m, n)$ .



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Conclusion:

We implemented & analyzed the Longest Common subsequence algorithm.