

# Time & space complexity

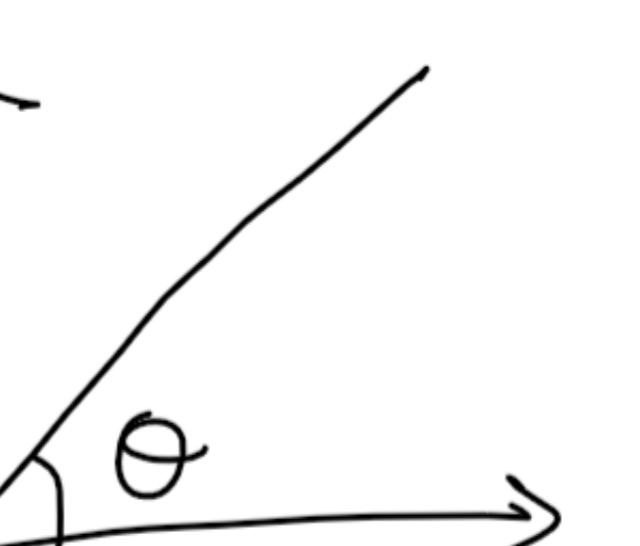
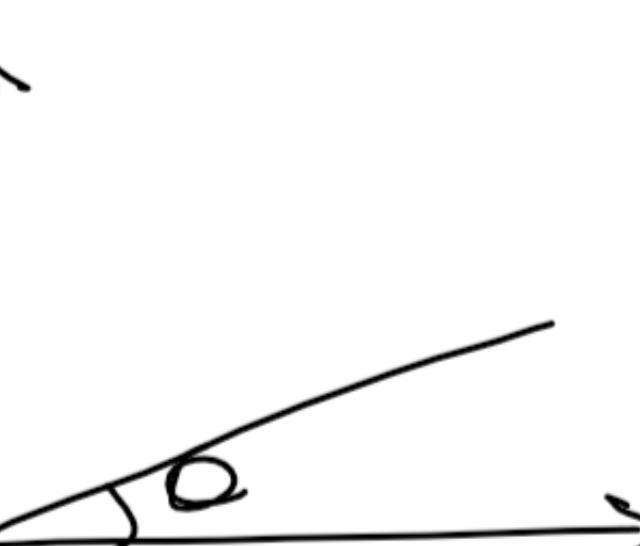
- $TC$  != time taken
  - It depends on system.

Then what is time complexity  
 ↳ Rate at which the time taken increases with respect to the input size

$TC \rightarrow$  Big-Oh notation -  $O(\uparrow)$

time taken

Ex:

$O$ 	$O$ 
---	---

old Window

New Macbook

•  $TC$ , worst case scenario  
 avoid constants  
 avoid lower values

Ex:

```
for(int i=0; i<N; i++)
  {
    for(int j=0; j<W; j++)
      {
        // code
      }
  }
```

• Best Case: Omega notation ( $\Omega$ )

Average case: Theta notation ( $\Theta$ )

Worst case: Big-oh ( $O$ ) (upper bound)

# Space complexity

- ↳ memory space
  - ↳ Big-O notation
  - ↳ auxiliary space + input space

~~the~~ space that we take to solve the problem

If space that we take to store the input

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$$\begin{aligned}
 i=0 & \quad (j=0) \\
 i=1 & \quad (j=0, 1) \\
 i=2 & \quad (j=0, 1, 2)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\vdots \\ i=n-1 \quad (j=0, 1, 2, \dots, n-1)$$

$$\therefore 1+2+3+\dots+n = \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \sim O(n^2)$$

# Build-up Logical Thinking

⇒ Learning important Pattern Problem

## Pattern - 1

```

*****
no of row = 4
no of column = 4
for(i=0; i<4; i++) {
    for(j=0; j<4; j++) {
        cout << "*" <<
        cout << endl; // move to new
        cout << endl; // move to new
    }
}

```

## Pattern - 2

no. of row = 5  
no. of column = 5  
connection b/w row and column is

```

R0 → 1
R1 → 2
R2 → 3
R3 → 4
R4 → 5

for(i=0; i<n; i++) {
    for(int j=0; j<=i; j++) {
        cout << "*" << ;
    }
    cout << endl;
}

```

## Pattern - 3

```

1
1 2
1 2 3
1 2 3 4
1 2 3 4 5

R1 → 1
R2 → 1 2
R3 → 1 2 3
R4 → 1 2 3 4
R5 → 1 2 3 4 5

for every row,
column is going to
row itself

```

## Pattern - 4

```

1
2 2
3 3 3
4 4 4 4
5 5 5 5 5

R1 → 1
R2 → 2 2
R3 → 3 3 3
R4 → 4 4 4 4
R5 → 5 5 5 5 5

```

same as Pattern - 3  
But, we are  
printing the row  
numbers

⇒ Trick for solving any Pattern

### • nested loops



### Rule:

- (1) for the outer loop, count the no. of row
- (2) for the inner loop, focus on the columns & connect them somehow to the row
- (3) print them '\*' inside the inner for loop
- (4) observe symmetry (optional)

## Pattern - 5

```

* * * * *
* * * *
* * *
* *
*

R1 → 5 ←
R2 → 4
R3 → 3
R4 → 2
R5 → 1

n - row no. + 1

```

## Pattern - 6

```

1 2 3 4 5
1 2 3 4
1 2 3
1 2
1

R1 → 5 ←
R2 → 4
R3 → 3
R4 → 2
R5 → 1

for(i=1; i<=n; i++) {
    for(int j=1; j<=n-i+1; j++) {
        cout << " ";
    }
    cout << endl;
}

```

## Pattern - 7

```

* *
* * *
* * * *
* * * * *
* * * * * *

R0 → [ 4 - 1 , 4 ]
R1 → [ 3 , 3 , 3 ]
R2 → [ 2 , 5 , 2 ]
R3 → [ 1 , 7 , 1 ]
R4 → [ 0 , 9 , 0 ]

n-i-1           2i+1
                ↑   ↑

```

we are printing space, star, space

```

for(int i=0; i<n; i++) {
    for(int j=0; j<=n-i-1; j++) {
        cout << " ";
    }
    cout << endl;
}

for(int j=0; j<2i+1; j++) {
    cout << "*";
}

for(int j=0; j<=n-i-1; j++) {
    cout << " ";
}

cout << endl;

```

## Pattern-8

\*\*\*\*\*  
\*\*\*\*\*  
\*\*\*\*  
\*\*\*  
\*  
  
[space, star, space]  
 $R_0 \rightarrow 0, \star, 0$   
 $R_1 \rightarrow 1, \star, 1$   
 $R_2 \rightarrow 2, \star, 2$   
 $R_3 \rightarrow 3, \star, 3$   
 $R_4 \rightarrow 4, \star, 4$   
 $i \quad \uparrow \quad \uparrow \quad \uparrow$   
 $i = 2n - (2i+1)$

```
for(int i=0; i<n; i++) {
    for(int j=0; j<i; j++) {
        cout << " ";
    }
    for(int j=0; j<2n-(2i+1); j++) {
        cout << "*";
    }
    for(int j=0; j<i; j++) {
        cout << " ";
    }
    cout << endl;
}
3
3
3
```

## Pattern-9

\*\*\*\*\*  
\*\*\*\*\*  
\*\*\*\*\*  
\*\*\*\*\*  
\*\*\*\*\*  
\*\*\*\*\*  
\*\*\*\*\*  
\*\*\*\*\*  
\*\*\*\*\*

Here, we observe symmetry in the Pattern.

This Pattern is just a mixture of the first two Pattern (erect Pyramid) and inverted Pyramid. So, firstly we will print the erect Pyramid and then an inverted Pyramid below it

## # Pattern-10

```
for(int i=1; i<=2n-1; i++) {
    int star=1;
    if(i>n) star=2n-i;
    for(int j=1; j<=star; j++) {
        cout << "*";
    }
    cout << endl;
}
3
3
3
3
3
3
3
3
```

no. of row = 9 (odd)  
= (2n-1) times  
∴ outer loop runs (2n-1) times

$R_1 \rightarrow 1$   
 $R_2 \rightarrow 2$   
 $R_3 \rightarrow 3$   
 $R_4 \rightarrow 4$   
 $R_5 \rightarrow 5$   
 $R_6 \rightarrow 4$   
 $R_7 \rightarrow 3$   
 $R_8 \rightarrow 2$   
 $R_9 \rightarrow 1$

till here no. of stars = no. of row  
 $(2n-i) \rightarrow \text{row}$

## Pattern-11

$1 \rightarrow R_0$   
 $0\ 1 \rightarrow R_1$   
 $1\ 0\ 1 \rightarrow R_2$   
 $0\ 1\ 0\ 1 \rightarrow R_3$   
 $1\ 0\ 1\ 0\ 1 \rightarrow R_4$

no. of row = 5  
for all the even row  
start with 1 otherwise  
0.

```
int start = 1;
for(int i=0; i<n; i++) {
    if(i%2==0) start=1;
    else start=0;
    for(int j=0; j<=i; j++) {
        cout << start;
        start = 1-start;
    }
    cout << endl;
}
3
3
```

## # Pattern-12

no. of row = 4, outer loop runs 4 times  
number, space, number.  
 $1 \quad 1$   
 $12 \quad 21$   
 $123 \quad 321$   
 $12344321$   
 $R_1 \rightarrow 1, 6-2, 1$   
 $R_2 \rightarrow 2, 4-2, 2$   
 $R_3 \rightarrow 3, 2-2, 3$   
 $R_4 \rightarrow 4, 0, 4$   
same as row  
no. This is even number and reduce by 2 .. we can say it is  $2n-2$  This is our 1st number  
But we have to print it reverse ( $j-1$ )

```
int space=2n-2
for(int i=1; i<=n; i++) {
    // numbers
    for(int j=1; j<=i; j++) {
        cout << j;
    }
    // space
    for(int j=1; j<=space; j++) {
        cout << " ";
    }
    // number
    for(int j=i; j>=1; j--) {
        cout << j;
    }
    cout << endl;
    space -= 2;
}
3
3
```

## # Pattern-13

no. of row = 5  
1  
2 3  
4 5 6  
7 8 9 10  
11 12 13 14 15

```
int num=1
for(int i=1; i<=n; i++) {
    for(int j=1; j<=i; j++) {
        cout << num << " ";
        num = num + 1;
    }
    cout << endl;
}
3
3
```

## Pattern-15:

```

for (int i=1; i<=n; i++) {
    for (char ch='A'; ch<='A'+i; ch++) {
        cout << ch << " ";
    }
    cout << endl;
}

```

## Pattern-15:

```

A B C D E
A B C D
A B C
A B
A
NOTE:
A+B+C+D+E
A+L

```

```

for (int i=1; i<=n; i++) {
    for (char ch='A'; ch<='A'+(n-i); ch++) {
        cout << ch << " ";
    }
    cout << endl;
}

```

## Pattern-16:

```

A
B B
C C C
D D D D
E E E E E
for (int i=1; i<=n; i++) {
    char ch='A'+i;
    for (int j=1; j<=i; j++) {
        cout << ch << " ";
    }
    cout << endl;
}

```

## Pattern-17:

Observing symmetry

Break it from middle  
∴  $(2i+1)/2$

[spaces, Alpha, spaces]

$n-i-1$        $(2i+1)$        $n-i-1$

// space

```

for (int i=0; i<n; i++) {
    cout << " ";
}

```

// character

char ch='A';  
int breakpoint=(2i+1)/2

```

for (int j=1; j<=2i+1; j++) {
    cout << ch;
    if (j<=breakpoint) ch++;
    else ch--;
}

```

// space

```

for (int j=0; j<n-i-1; j++) {
    cout << " ";
}

```

cout << endl;

3

3

## # Pattern-18

```

E
D E
C D E
B C D E
A B C D E
for (int i=1; i<=n; i++) {
    for (char ch='E'-i; ch<='E'; ch++) {
        cout << ch << " ";
    }
    cout << endl;
}

```

NOTE:  
The letter will be printed from 'E'-i to E where i = row index

## # Pattern-19

∴ There is a symmetry.  
∴ First solve up side pattern

\*\*\*\*\*  
\*\*\*\* \*\*\*\*  
\*\*\* \*\*\*  
\*\* \*\*  
\* \* stars, space, stars  
R<sub>0</sub> → 5      0 ↗ 2      5  
R<sub>1</sub> → 4      2 ↗ 2      4  
R<sub>2</sub> → 3      4 ↗ 2      3  
R<sub>3</sub> → 2      6      2  
R<sub>4</sub> → 1      8      1  
n-i      2n      n-i

int space=0  
for (int i=0; i<n; i++) {  
 // star  
 for (int j=1; j<=n-i; j++) {  
 cout << "\*";  
 }  
 // space  
 for (int j=0; j<space; j++) {  
 cout << " ";  
 }  
 // star  
 for (int j=1; j<n-i; j++) {  
 cout << "\*";  
 }  
 space+=2;  
 cout << endl;  
}

// solving down pattern

int space=2n-2  
for (int i=1; i<=n; i++) {  
 // star  
 for (int j=1; j<=i; j++) {  
 cout << "\*";  
 }  
 // space  
 for (int j=1; j<space; j++) {  
 cout << " ";  
 }  
 // star  
 for (int j=1; j<=i; j++) {  
 cout << "\*";  
 }  
 space-=2;  
 cout << endl;  
}

	star	space	star	
R <sub>0</sub>	1	,	8-2	1
R <sub>1</sub>	2	,	6-2	2
R <sub>2</sub>	3	,	4-2	3
R <sub>3</sub>	4	,	2	4
R <sub>4</sub>	5	,	0	5
i			↑	i
			2n-2	

## # Pattern-20

```

    *   *   star, space, star
    *   *   R1 1   , 8   , 1
    ***   R2 2   , 6   , 2
    ****   R3 3   , 4   , 3
    ***   R4 4   , 2   , 4
    *   *   R5 5   , 0   , 5
    R6 4   , 2   , 7 } no. of star = 2n-i
    R7 3   , 4   , 3
    R8 2   , 6   , 2
    R9 1   , 8   , 1
  
```

Before 5<sup>th</sup> row, space is decreasing  
and after 5<sup>th</sup> row space is increasing.

no. of row = 9 (odd)  
 $\therefore (2n-1)$  times it will run

```

int space = 2n-2;
for(int i=1; i<=2n-1; i++) {
    // stars
    int stars = i;
    if(i>n) stars = 2n-i;
    for(int j=1; j<=stars; j++) {
        cout << "*";
    }
    // spaces:
    for(int j=1; j<=space; j++) {
        cout << " ";
    }
    // stars
    for(int j=1; j<=stars; j++) {
        cout << "*";
    }
    cout << endl;
    if(i<n) space -= 2;
    else space += 2;
}
  
```

## # Pattern-21

0	*	*	*	*
1	*	*	*	
2	*	*	*	
3	*	*	*	

```

for(int i=0; i<n; i++) {
    for(int j=0; j<n; j++) {
        if(i==0 || j==0 || i==n-1 || j==n-1) {
            cout << "*";
        }
        else cout << " ";
    }
    cout << endl;
}
  
```

## # Pattern-22

```

4 4 4 4 4 4
4 3 3 3 3 4
4 3 2 2 2 3 4
4 3 2 1 2 3 4
4 3 2 2 2 3 4
4 3 3 3 3 3 4
4 4 4 4 4 4
  
```

Logic:  
 We observe that on the Perimeter of the square, an integer  $N$ , which decreases by 1 as we are moving inside the square.  
 Subtract the whole pattern by  $N$ .

The outer & inner loop will run for the same number of time i.e  $(2N-1)$  time, since we have to print square



For example let current cell be 1  
 $\therefore$  The distance of current cell from

$\text{top} = i$   
 $\text{left} = j$   
 $\text{right} = (2n-1)-j = (2n-2)-j$   
 $\text{bottom} = (2n-1)-i = (2n-2)-i$

```

for(int i=0; i<2n-1; i++) {
    for(int j=0; j<2n-1; j++) {
        cout << (n-min(min(top, bottom), min(left, right)));
    }
    cout << endl;
}
  
```

```

int top=i
int left=j
int right=(2n-2)-j;
int bottom=(2n-2)-i;
  
```

$\text{cout} << (\text{n}-\min(\min(\text{top}, \text{bottom}), \min(\text{left}, \text{right})))$ ;

3  
 $\text{cout} << \text{endl};$

3  
 3

# STL in C++



⇒ `#include <bits/stdc++.h>`

↳ This header file contains all STL

# Storing info using Pair

# Void explainPair()

`Pair<int, int> p = {1, 3};`

To access

`p.first = 1`

`p.second = 3;`

`cout << p.first << " " << p.second;`

⇒ When more than two variables we use nested Property of Pair

`Pair<int, Pair<int, int>> p = {1, {2, 3, 4}};`

`p.first = 1`

`p.second.first = 2`

`p.second.second = 3`

⇒ Pair Array

`Pair<int, int> arr[] = {{1, 2}, {3, 4}, {5, 6}, {7, 8}};`

`cout << arr[1].second;`

## # Vector

`vector<int> v;`

### Vector

<code>v.push_back(val)</code>	Adds element to end
<code>v.pop_back()</code>	Removes last element
<code>v.front()</code>	Returns first element
<code>v.back()</code>	Returns last element
<code>v.size()</code>	Returns number of elements
<code>v.clear()</code>	Clears the vector
<code>v.empty()</code>	Checks if empty
<code>v[i]</code>	Access element at index
<code>v.begin(), v.end()</code>	Iterators to range
<code>v.insert(pos, val)</code>	Insert at position
<code>v.erase(pos)</code>	Erase at position

### STL Algorithms

<code>sort(start, end)</code>	Sorts range
<code>reverse(start, end)</code>	Reverses range
<code>count(start, end, val)</code>	Count val in range
<code>find(start, end, val)</code>	Finds val
<code>accumulate(start, end, init)</code>	Sum of range
<code>binary_search(start, end, val)</code>	Check if val exists (sorted)
<code>lower_bound(start, end, val)</code>	First position $\geq$ val
<code>upper_bound(start, end, val)</code>	First position $>$ val
<code>next_permutation(start, end)</code>	Next lexicographic permutation
<code>all_of(start, end, cond)</code>	True if all satisfy cond
<code>any_of(start, end, cond)</code>	True if any satisfy cond
<code>none_of(start, end, cond)</code>	True if none satisfy cond

### Queue

<code>q.push(val)</code>	Add to back
<code>q.pop()</code>	Remove front element
<code>q.front()</code>	Access front
<code>q.back()</code>	Access back
<code>q.empty()</code>	Check if empty
<code>q.size()</code>	Number of elements

### Priority Queue

<code>pq.push(val)</code>	Add element
<code>pq.pop()</code>	Remove top element
<code>pq.top()</code>	Top (max by default)
<code>pq.empty()</code>	Check if empty
<code>pq.size()</code>	Number of elements

### Set

<code>s.insert(val)</code>	Insert value
<code>s.erase(val)</code>	Remove value
<code>s.find(val)</code>	Find value
<code>s.count(val)</code>	Return 1 if found
<code>s.begin()</code>	Iterator to begin
<code>s.end()</code>	Iterator to end
<code>s.empty()</code>	Check if empty
<code>s.size()</code>	Number of elements

### Map

<code>mp[key] = val</code>	Assign value to key
<code>mp.at(key)</code>	Access value at key
<code>mp.insert({k, v})</code>	Insert key-value
<code>mp.erase(key)</code>	Remove key
<code>mp.find(key)</code>	Find key
<code>mp.count(key)</code>	Count of key
<code>mp.begin()</code>	Iterator to begin
<code>mp.end()</code>	Iterator to end

## # Deque

<code>dq.push_front(val)</code>	Insert at beginning
<code>dq.push_back(val)</code>	Insert at end
<code>dq.pop_front()</code>	Remove from front
<code>dq.pop_back()</code>	Remove from back
<code>dq.front()</code>	First element
<code>dq.back()</code>	Last element
<code>dq.insert(pos, val)</code>	Insert at position
<code>dq.erase(pos)</code>	Erase from position
<code>dq.clear()</code>	Clear all elements
<code>dq.empty()</code>	Check if empty
<code>dq.size()</code>	Number of elements

### Stack

<code>st.push(val)</code>	Add to top
<code>st.pop()</code>	Remove top element
<code>st.top()</code>	Access top element
<code>st.empty()</code>	Check if empty
<code>st.size()</code>	Number of elements

# Basic Math for DSA

## # Digit Concept / Extraction of Digit

$N = 7789 \cdot 10 = 9$   
 $\frac{N}{10} \rightarrow 7789 \cdot 10 = 8$   
 $\frac{N}{10} \rightarrow 778 \cdot 10 = 7$   
 $\frac{N}{10} \rightarrow 7 \cdot 10 = 7$   
 $0 \cdot 10 = 0$

### Pseudo code:

```
while(N > 0) {
    lastdigit = N % 10
    N = N / 10;
}
```

$T.C = O(\log N)$

(a) Given the number 'n'  
 Find out & return  
 the number of digit  
 Present in a number

```
=> int count = 0
while(n > 0) {
    int lastdigit = n % 10
    count = count + 1;
    n = n / 10;
}
return count
```

## # Reverse Concept

$N = 7789$   
 output = 9877  
 To reverse The number:  
 $Reverse = (Rev\ Num \times 10) + Last\ digit$

$Rev\ Num = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore (0 \times 10) + 9 &= 9 \\ (9 \times 10) + 8 &= 98 \\ (98 \times 10) + 7 &= 987 \\ (987 \times 10) + 7 &= 9877 \end{aligned}$$

## # Palindrome Number

Palindrome number is a number which reads the same both left to right and right to left.

Ex: input = 121 → Palindrome  
 output = 121

input = 123  
 output = 321

### My thinking:

- (1) Given N
- (2) reverseNum
- (3) if ( $N == reverseNum$ )  
 $count << true;$   
 $else false.$

### Edge Cases:

- (1) negative no. like -121 ( $x < 0$ ) are never palindromes
- (2) Number ending with 0 but not 0 itself ( $x \neq 0$ ) are not palindromes (because  $0 \neq 10$ )  
 $\therefore (x < 0 || (x \% 10 == 0 \text{ and } x \neq 0))$   
 $\text{return false.}$

## # Armstrong Number

An armstrong number is a number which is equal to the sum of the digit of the number, raised to the power of the number of digit.

Ex: input n = 153

output = true

Explanation: Number of digit = 3

$$\therefore 1^3 + 5^3 + 3^3 = 1 + 125 + 27 = 153$$

∴ Therefore, it is an Armstrong no.

⇒ My thinking:

- (1) find no. of digit
- (2) sum of digit of no. raised to Power of digit

$$\text{sum} = \text{sum} + \text{power}(\text{digit}, \text{count})$$

use Power(a, b)

## # Print All Divisors

All the divisors between [1 to N]

for (i=1; i<=n; i++) {

if ( $n \% i == 0$ )

Print i;

3

↳  $O(n)$

### 2<sup>nd</sup> APP

for (i=1; i<=sqrt(n); i++) {

if ( $n \% i == 0$ ) {

Print(i)

if ( $(n/i) != 1$ )

Print( $n/i$ );

3

store in vector and sort it.

```
class Solution {
public:
    bool isArmstrong(int n) {
        int original = n;
        int count = 0;
        int temp = n;

        // Count the number of digits
        while (temp > 0) {
            temp /= 10;
            count++;
        }

        temp = n;
        int sum = 0;

        // Sum the digits raised to the power of count
        while (temp > 0) {
            int digit = temp % 10;
            sum += pow(digit, count);
            temp /= 10;
        }

        return sum == original;
    }
};
```

Run Loop [1 to N]  
 ⇒ (1)  $n \% i == 0$   
 (2) Print i

If i is completely divide N  
 i.e.  $N \% i = 0$

Ex: N = 36

1 × 36
2 × 18
3 × 12
4 × 9
6 × 6
9 × 4
12 × 3
18 × 2
36 × 1

Brute force  
 $\Rightarrow O(n)$

## # Prime Number Check

exactly 2 factors 1 & itself

```
=> count = 0
for (i=1; i<=n; i++) {
    if ( $n \% i == 0$ )
        count++;
}
if (count == 2) ✓
else X
```

### Optimized app

```
count = 0
for (i=1; i<=sqrt(n); i++) {
    if ( $n \% i == 0$ )
        count++;
    if ( $(n/i) != i$ )
        count++;
}
if (count == 2) ✓
else X
```

Pseudo code

- (1) for  $i < n$
- (2) Print divisor
- (3) If no. of divisor = 2, then prime, otherwise not.

$\Rightarrow O(\sqrt{n})$  time  
 $O(1)$  space

Edge Case:  
 • Number less than or equal to 1 are not prime  
 $\text{if}(n <= 1) \text{return } 0;$

## #GCD/HCF

- Greatest common divisor
- Highest common factor

Ex:  $N_1 = 9, N_2 = 12$

$$\boxed{1}, \boxed{3}, 9 \quad \boxed{1}, \boxed{2}, \boxed{3}, \boxed{4}, \boxed{6}, \boxed{12}, \boxed{3}, 6$$

Common factors = 1, 3

GCD = 3

Ex:  $N_1 = 11, N_2 = 13$

GCD = 1

Ex: 20, 30

$$\boxed{1}, \boxed{2}, \boxed{4}, \boxed{5}, \boxed{10}, 20 \quad \boxed{1}, \boxed{2}, \boxed{3}, \boxed{5}, \boxed{6}, \boxed{10}, 15, 30$$

$\therefore \text{GCD} = 10$

### Pseudo code / Brute Force

- $N_1, N_2$
- for  $i \leftarrow N_2$
- Find Common Factor ( $n_1 \% i == 0 \& n_2 \% i == 0$ )

```
for(i=1; i<=min(n1,n2); i++)
    if(n1%i==0 & n2%i==0)
        gcd=i;
    3
```

$\Rightarrow \text{TC} = O(\min(n_1, n_2))$

## # Euclidean Algorithm

$n_1, n_2$

$\text{gcd}(n_1, n_2) = \text{gcd}(n_1 - n_2, n_2)$

where,  $n_1 > n_2$

Algorithm:

$\text{gcd}(a, b) \rightarrow \text{gcd}(a-b, b) \dots 0$

But better way is  
 $\boxed{\text{gcd}(a, b) = \text{gcd}(a \% b, b)}$

Logic:  
 $\frac{\text{greater \% smaller}}{\text{smaller}}$  till one of them is zero, then other is gcd

While ( $a > 0 \& b > 0$ ) {  
 if ( $a > b$ )  $a = a \% b;$   
 else  $b = b \% a;$   
 3  
 if ( $a == 0$ ) Gcd( $b$ )  
 else Gcd( $a$ )  
 }  
 $\Leftrightarrow \text{TC} = O(\log(\min(a, b)))$

## Binary Number System

• Two digit (0/1)

• Binary no. (Base-2)

## # Decimal to Binary

• Repeated division with 2

$$\begin{array}{r} 2 | 42 \quad 0 \\ \hline 2 | 21 \quad 1 \\ \hline 2 | 10 \quad 0 \\ \hline 2 | 5 \quad 1 \\ \hline 2 | 2 \quad 0 \\ \hline 2 | 1 \quad \\ \hline 0 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} 101010 \\ (42)_{10} = (101010)_2 \end{array}$$

Another APP

Using string or vector

$\Rightarrow$  logic

- use modulus (% 2) to get binary digit
- store digit in a string or vector
- Reverse the string/vector at the end to get the correct binary.

My thinking:

- keep dividing number by 2
- Record the remainder at each step
- Stop when the number becomes zero (0)
- Reverse the collect remainder  $\rightarrow$  that is our Binary number.

```
ans = 0
Power = 1
while(decNum > 0) {
    rem = decNum % 2
    decNum = decNum / 2
    ans += (rem * pow);
    Pow = Pow * 10;
}
3
```

## Pseudocode:

```
if n == 0 return 0;
binary = empty string/vector
while(n > 0):
    rem = n % 2
    binary = to_string(rem) + binary
    n = n / 2
return binary.
```

## # Binary to decimal:

Ex:  $101010 \leftarrow 2^{\text{pow}}$

$$\begin{array}{r} 101010 \\ \hline 2^5 + 2^4 + 2^3 + 2^2 + 2^1 + 2^0 \end{array}$$

```
binNum = 0
ans = 0
Pow = 1 // 2^0
while(binNum > 0) {
    rem = binNum % 10
    ans += binNum / 10
    binNum = binNum / 10
    Pow = Pow * 2
}
3
```

# Basic Recursions

Recursion: When a function calls itself until a specified condition is met.

## • Base condition:

It is the condition that is written in a recursive function in order for it to get completed and not to run infinitely ( $\infty$ ).

Ex: int count = 0;

→ void f() {

if(count == 3) return;

    Print(count);

    count++;

    f();

}

main()

{

    Print();

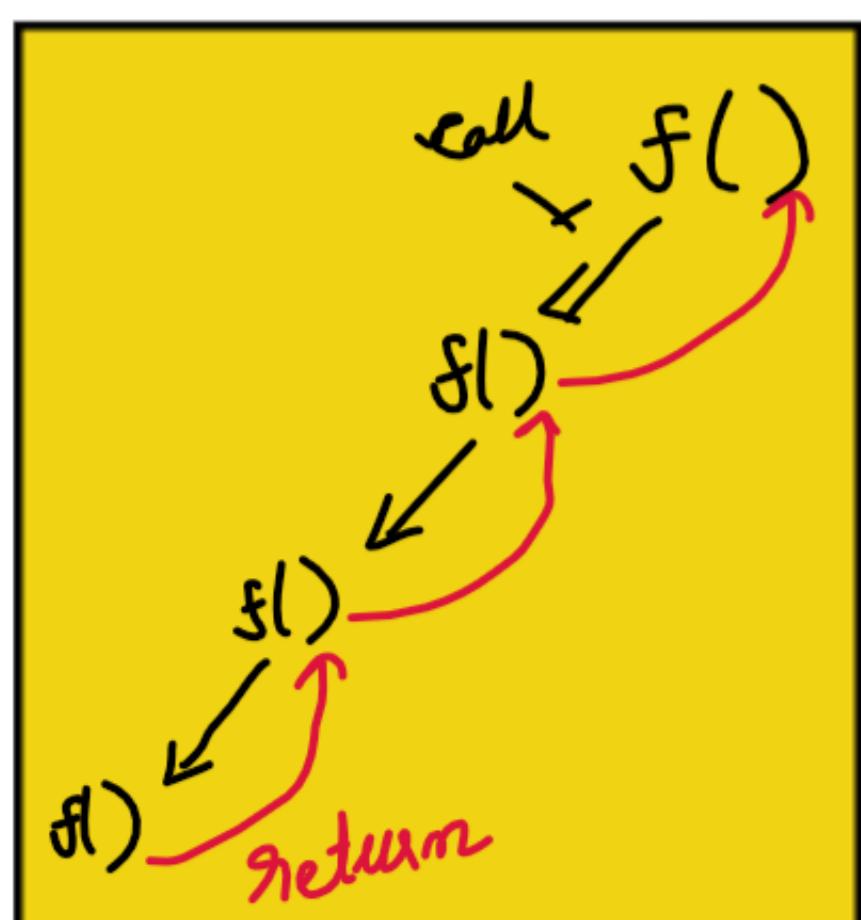
}

Count == 3, then  
function get  
terminated.

$\therefore$  Here, The Base Condition is  $\boxed{\text{Count} = 3}$

## • Recursion Tree

↳ representative form  
of recursion which  
depicts how function  
are called as returned  
as a series of events  
happening consecutively.



# Basic Recursion Problems

Q(1) Print Name N times using recursion

## Pseudo code:

Void f(i,n) {  
    if(i>n) return;  
    Print('Hk');  
    f(i+1,m);  
}  
main() {  
    int n;  
    cin >> n;  
    f(1,n);  
}

⇒ TC = O(n)  
SC = O(n)

$$\Rightarrow TC = O(n)$$
$$SC = O(n)$$

Let  $n=3$

$f(1,3)$   
 $f(2,3)$   
 $f(3,3)$   
 $f(4,3)$

HK  
 HK  
 HK  
 HK

(i73) getwini

stack space

Q12) Print from 1 to N

$$\text{Ex: } N = 4$$

$P_{\text{out}} = 1, 2, 3, 4$

Pseudo code

```
f(i, n){  
    if (i > n) return  
    print(i)  
    f(i+1, n);  
  
main(){  
    input n  
    f(1, n);  
}
```

$f(i, n) \rightarrow P|i\rangle$   
 $f(1, 4) \rightarrow Pf(1)$   
 $f(2, 4) \rightarrow Pf(2)$   
 $f(3, 4) \rightarrow Pf(3)$   
 $f(4, 4) \rightarrow Pf(4)$   
 $\vdots$   
 $\text{Count} = 1284$

```

graph TD
    f_in[f(i, n)] --> P_in[P|i>]
    f1[f(1, 4)] --> Pf1[Pf(1)]
    f2[f(2, 4)] --> Pf2[Pf(2)]
    f3[f(3, 4)] --> Pf3[Pf(3)]
    f4[f(4, 4)] --> Pf4[Pf(4)]
    f5[f(5, 4)] --> Pf5[Pf(5)]
  
```

Q(3) Print in term of  $N \rightarrow I$

sol<sup>n</sup>: Ex:  $n=4$   
output: 4 3 2 1 ( $n-1$ ) decrease by 1

## Pseudo code:

```
f(i,n) {  
    if (i < 1) return;  
    Print(i);  
    f(i-1,n);  
}  
  
main() {  
    input(n);  
    f(n,n);  
}
```

$f(4,4)$   
 $\downarrow$   
 $f(3,4)$   
 $\downarrow$   
 $f(2,4)$   
 $\downarrow$   
 $f(1,4)$   
 $\downarrow$   
 $f(0,4)$   
**return**

$\rightarrow PF(4)$   
 $\rightarrow PF(3)$   
 $\rightarrow PF(2)$   
 $\rightarrow PF(1)$

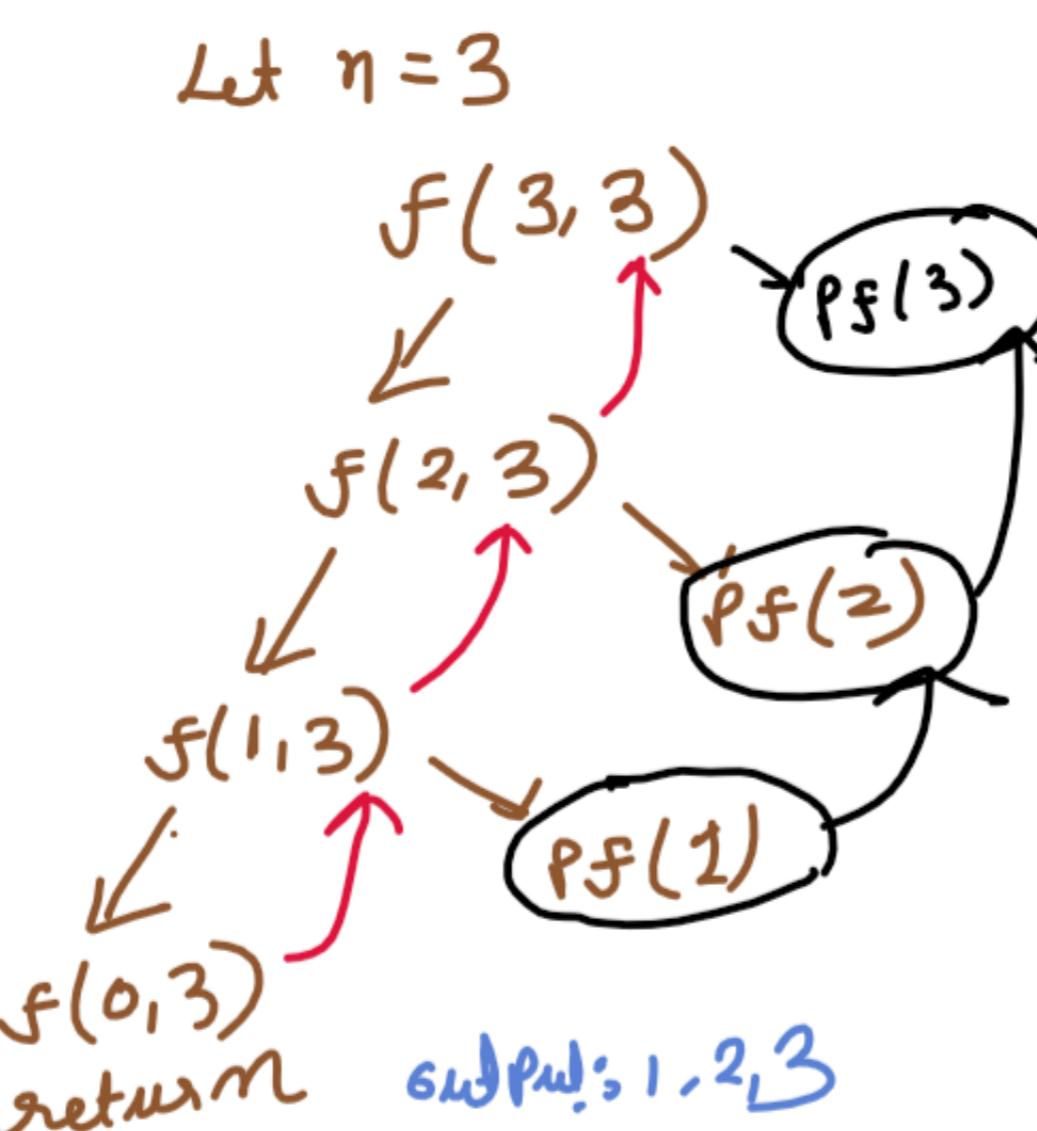
$\therefore \text{output} = 4321$

Q(4) Print from 1 to N. using Backtracking

Pseudo code:

```
f(i, n) {
    if (i < 1) return;
    f(i-1, n); recursive call
    print(i); statement.
}
```

```
main() {
    input(n)
    f(N, N);
}
```



### NOTE:

Statement written after recursive call execute in opposite order of function call

$f(4) \rightarrow f(3) \rightarrow f(2) \rightarrow f(1)$   
 $pf(4) \leftarrow pf(3) \leftarrow pf(2) \leftarrow pf(1)$

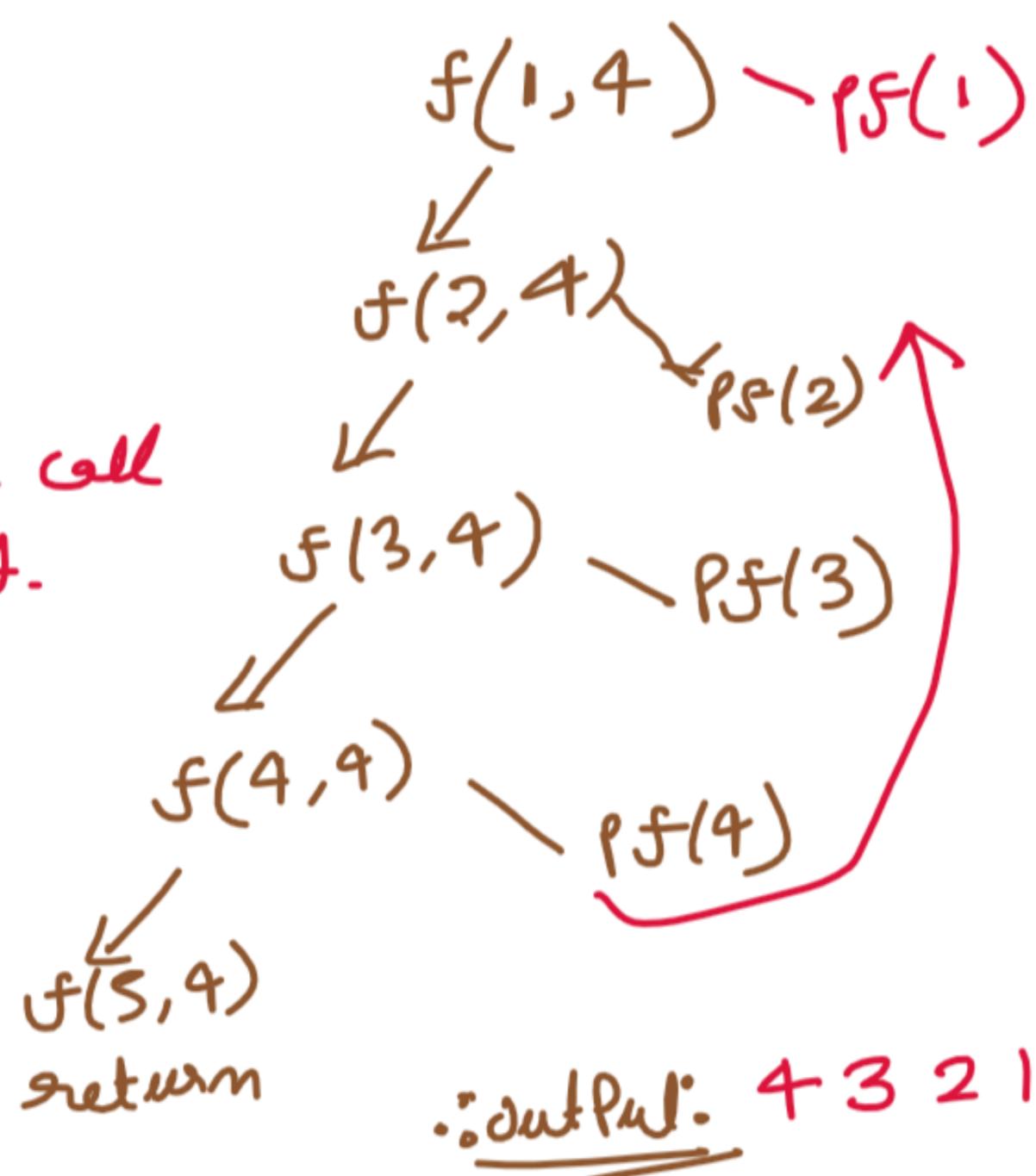
Q(5) Print from  $N \rightarrow 1$ . Using Backtracking

Ex:  $N=4$   
 $output = 4 3 2 1$

Pseudo code:

```
f(i, n) {
    if (i > n) return;
    f(i+1, n); recursive call
    print(i); statement.
}
```

```
main() {
    input(n)
    f(1, N);
}
```



Q6 Sum of First N Number using recursion

### Method-1: Parameterised

Pseudo code:

```
f(i, sum) {
    if (i < 1) {
        print(sum)
        return;
    }
    f(i-1, sum+i)
}
```

```
main() {
    input n
    f(n, 0)
}
```

$Tc = O(N)$   
 $Sc = O(N)$

$N=3 (1, 2, 3)$   
 $output = 1+2+3 = 6$

Recursion Tree

$i, sum$

$f(3, 0)$

$f(2, 3)$

$f(1, 5)$

$f(0, 6)$

return sum i.e 6 Ans

Method-2 Functional recursion

Think like

$n=3 \quad ? 1, 2, 3$

$3 + f(2)$

$\downarrow$

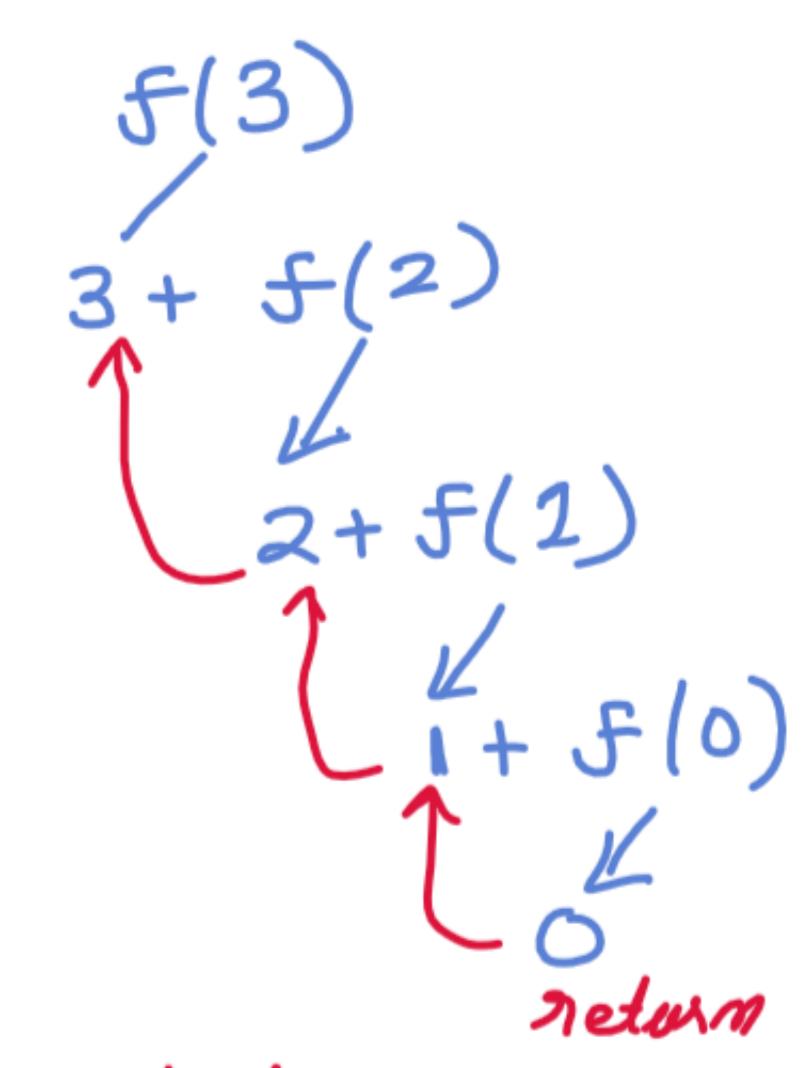
$2 + f(1)$

$\downarrow$

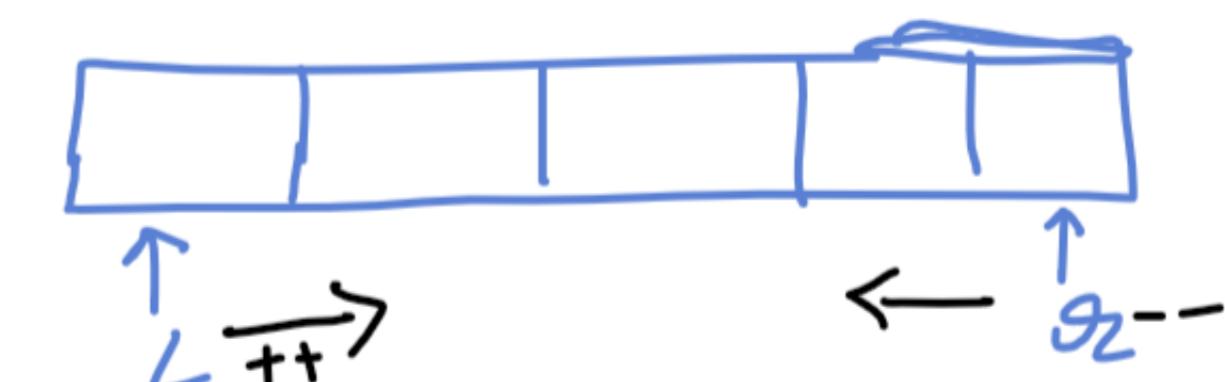
$1 + f(0)$

means:  $n + f(n-1)$

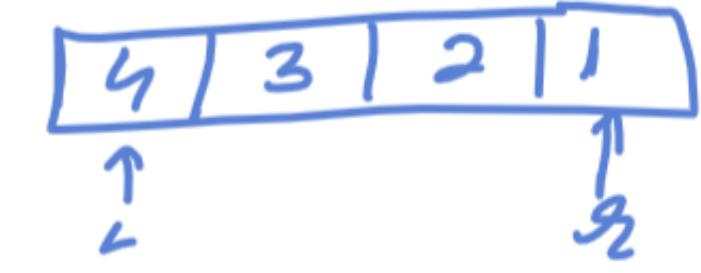
Recursion Tree:



Q7. Reverse an Array, using recursion



Swap L & R, again  
 $\uparrow \downarrow \leftarrow \rightarrow$



$[1 | 2 | 3 | 4]$

reverse array.

Ex:  $\begin{matrix} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ \downarrow & & & & \downarrow \\ 4 & 3 & 2 & 1 & 0 \end{matrix}$

Recursion Tree:

Pseudo code:

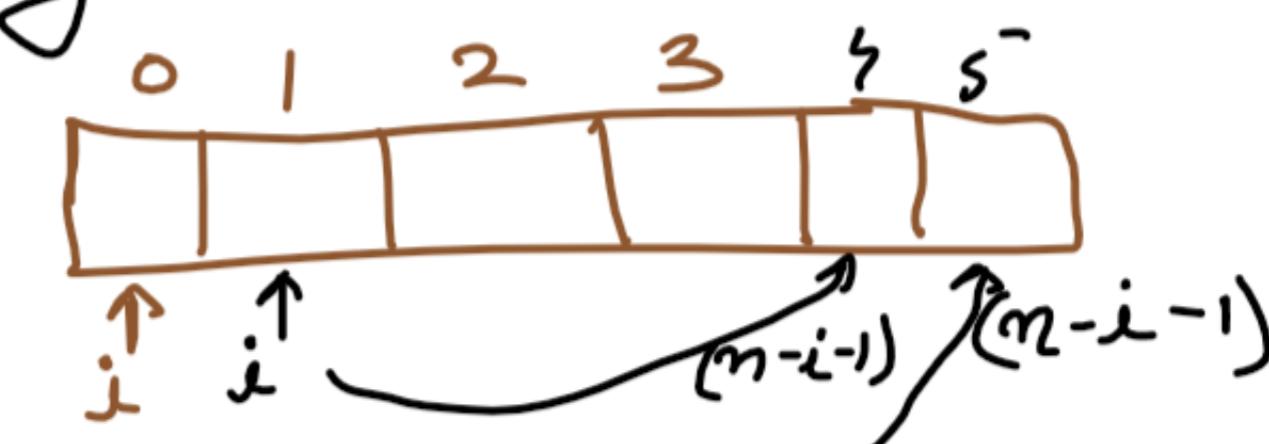
```
f(l, r) {
    if (l >= r) return;
    swap(a[l], a[r]);
    f(l+1, r-1)
}
```

main() {
 input array
}

$f(0, n-1)$

first index last index.

$\Rightarrow$  Using single Variable to reverse



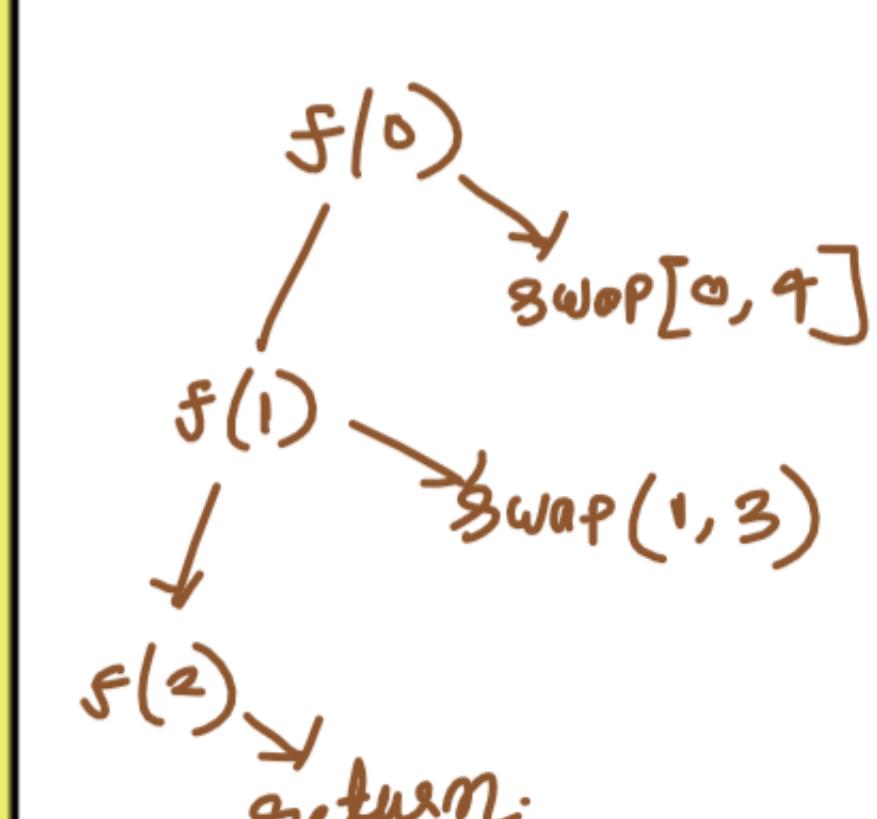
Means, we have to swap  $i \leftrightarrow (m-i-1)$

Ex:  $\begin{matrix} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ \downarrow & & & & \downarrow \\ 4 & 3 & 2 & 1 & 0 \end{matrix}$

$f(i) \{$   
 $\quad \text{if } (i > n/2) \text{return};$   
 $\quad \text{swap}(a[i], a[n-i-1]);$   
 $\quad f(i+1);$   
 $\}$

main() {
 input arr;
}

$f(0)$



Q8 Check if a string is Palindrome.

Palindrome: A string on reversal read the same.

Ex: "MADAM" = MADAM

i ↑  $\frac{n-i}{2}$  n-i-1  
equal, then recursive,  
otherwise false.  
we will compare till  $i \geq \frac{n}{2}$  (middle of string)

```

f(i) {
    if (i == n/2) return true;
    if (s[i] != s[n-i-1]) return false;
    return f(i+1, s);
}

main() {
    input string;
    Print f(0, s);
}

```

n = size of string = s.size.

## # Multiple Recursion calls

Example: Fibonacci Number

0, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 13, 21, ...  
 $f(n) = f(n-1) + f(n-2)$

$$f(n) \Rightarrow f(n-1) + f(n-2)$$

```

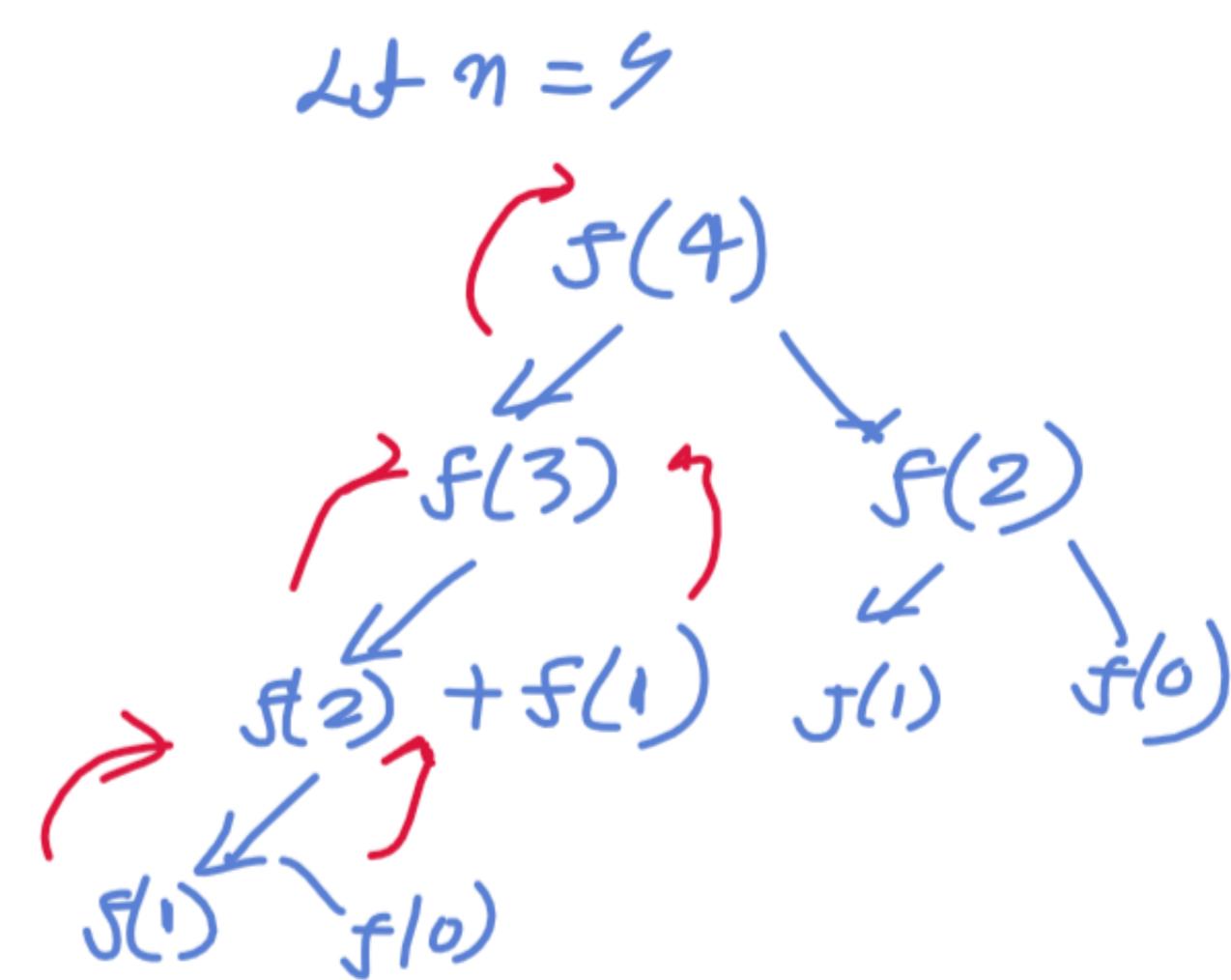
f(n) {
    if (n == 1) return n;
    return f(n-1) + f(n-2);
}

main() {
    input n;
    f(n)
}

```

TC:  $\approx O(2^n)$

Recursion tree



## # Print all Subsequences:

A contiguous/non-contiguous sequence, which follows the order.

Ex: arr[3, 1, 2]  $\Rightarrow$

Subsequence  
 $\begin{matrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{matrix}$   
 $\downarrow$  element.  
 $\downarrow$  null

# Recursive Way

arr [3, 1, 2]  
 $\downarrow \downarrow \downarrow$   $\downarrow$  n

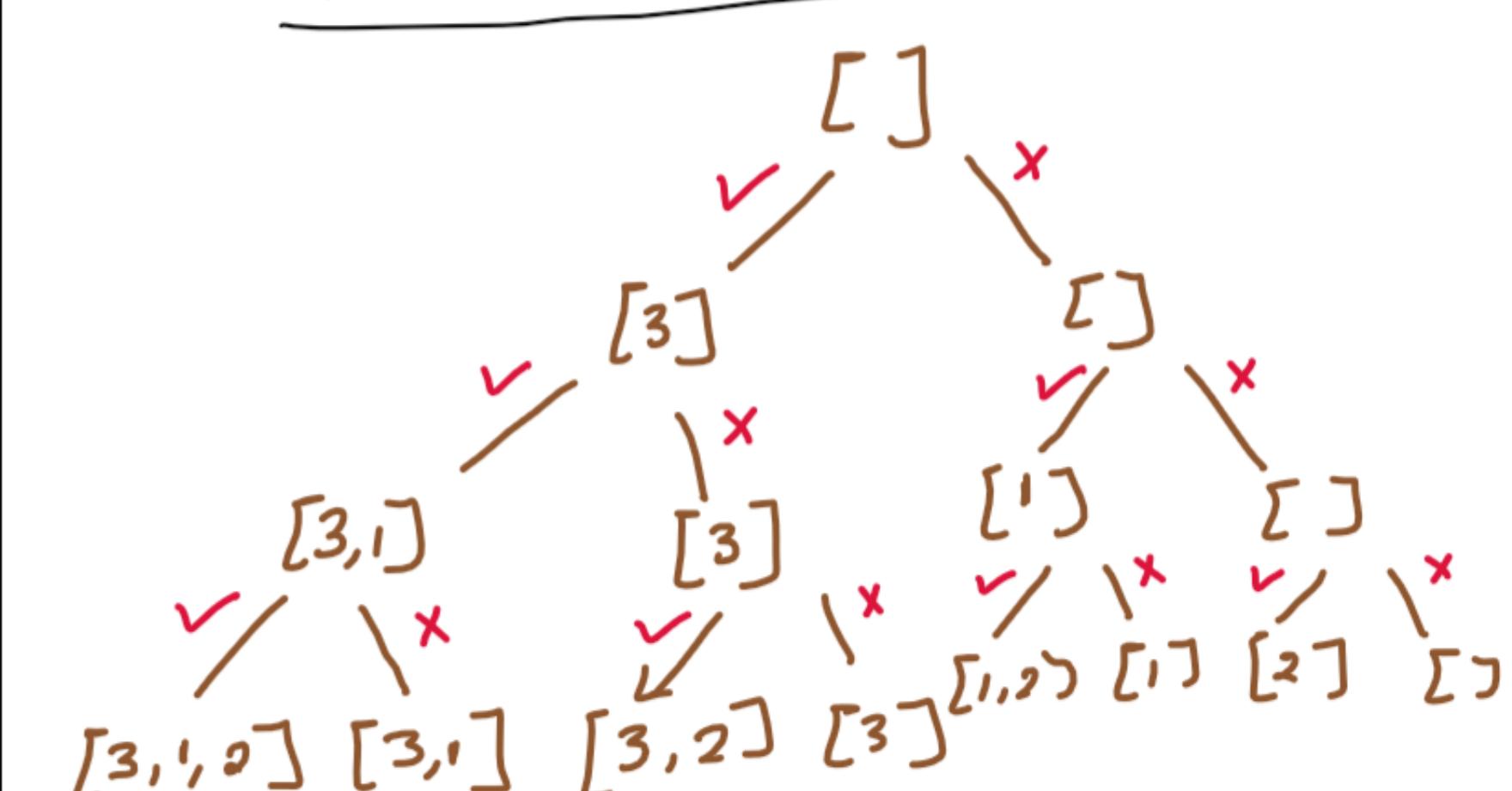
Pattern:

[3, 1, 2]	[3, 2]
✓	✗
✗	✓
✓	✓
✗	✗
✓	✗
✗	✓
✓	✗
✗	✗

take / not take

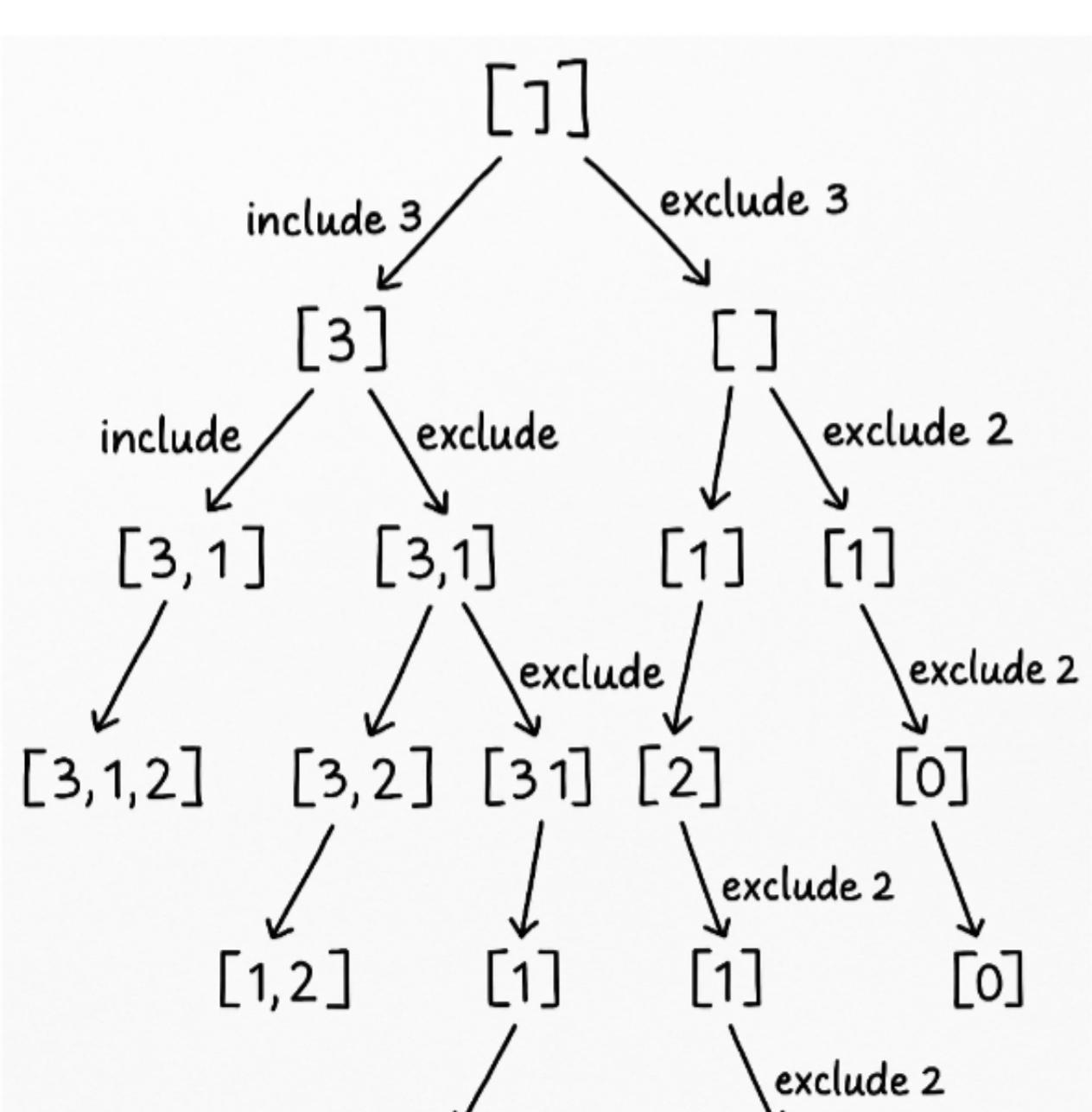
Ex: {3, 1, 2}

Recursion Tree



NOTE: Kaise Yaad Rakhe:

- Har level ek index ko represent karta hai
- Har level per include(✓) ya exclude(✗) do no call jaate hai
- Jab index == arr.size(), Print ya Store karo a[ ].



Pseudo code

```

g(index a[])
empty
if (index >= n)
    print a[]
    return;
// include current element
a[].pushback(a[i]);
g(index+1, a[]);
// taken

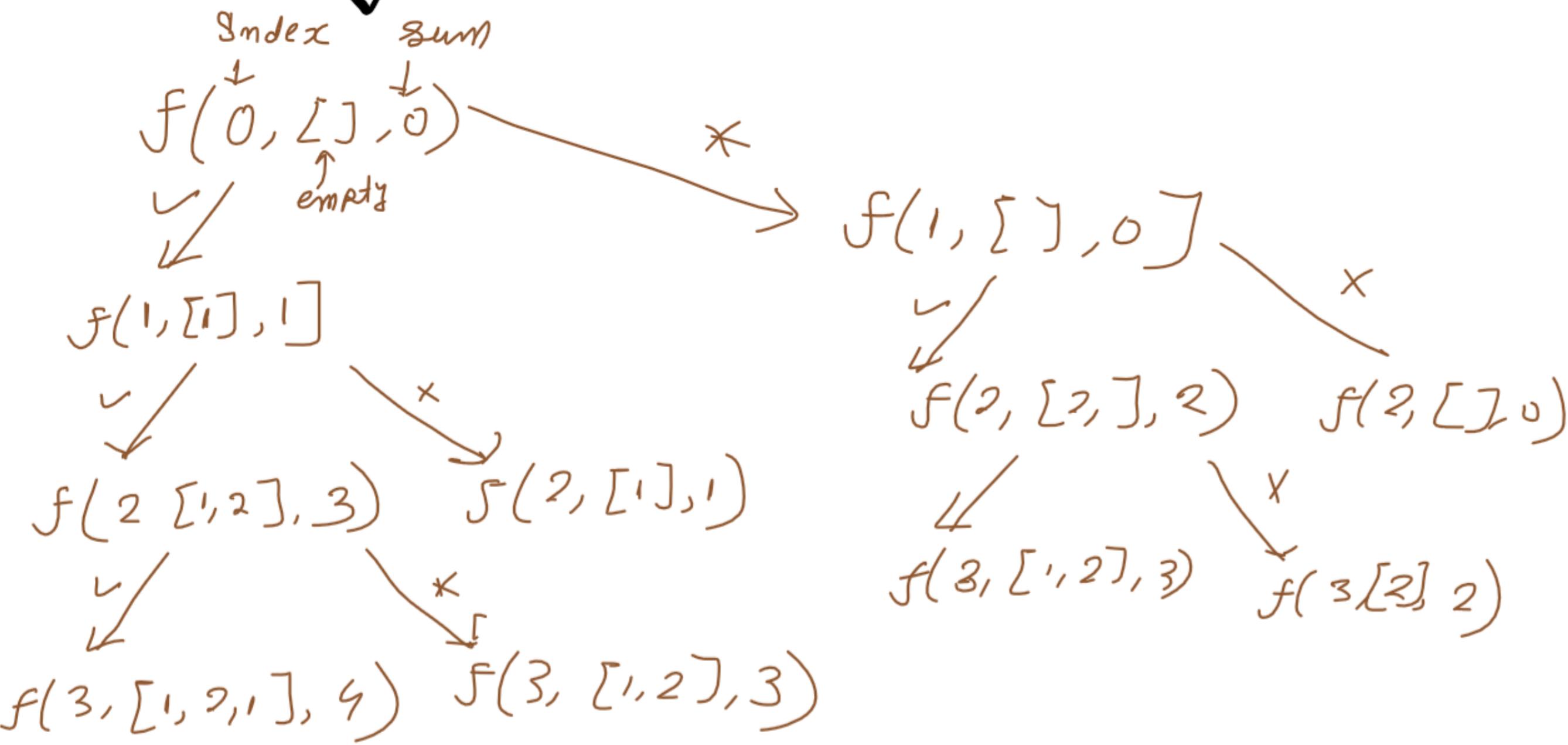
a[].remove(a[i]);
// exclude current element.
g(index+1, a[]);
// not taken

```

3

NOTE: Total Subsequence =  $2^n$ , including empty set

## # Printing Subsequences whose sum is k.



# Print any 1 subsequence whose sum is sum-

→ Technique to print only one answer

logic:

```
f()
{
    base condition satisfied
    return true;
    else false.
    if (f() == true)
        return;
    f()
}
```

```
f(i, [], s)
{
    if (i == n)
        if (s == sum)
            print(ds)
            return;
    ds.add(arr[i]);
    s += arr[i];
    f(i+1, ds, s);
    ds.remove(arr[i]);
    s -= arr[i];
    f(i+1, ds, s) ⇒ not taken;
}
```

Q Count the subsequences with sum = k

```
f()
{
    base case
    return 1 → condition satisfied
    return 0 → condition not sat
    left = f()
    right = f()
    return left + right;
}
```

# Hashing

Ex: 1 1 2 1 1 3 1 2

# Optimized approach Using Hashing.

1 → 2 times  
3 → 1 times  
4 → 0 times  
2 → 2 times  
10 → 0 times

## Brute Force app

- Run for loop to count number

```
f(number, arr[])
    count = 0
    for (i=0; i < n; i++) {
        if (arr[i] == number)
            count += 1;
    }
    return count;
}
```

TC: O(n)

NOTE: We may encounter a problem where the maximum array element is may be very large like 10. The maximum size of an array can be the follows.

Array Data	Max size (int)	Max size (Buckets)
Inside main	$10^6$	$10^7$
Untabally	$10^7$	$10^8$

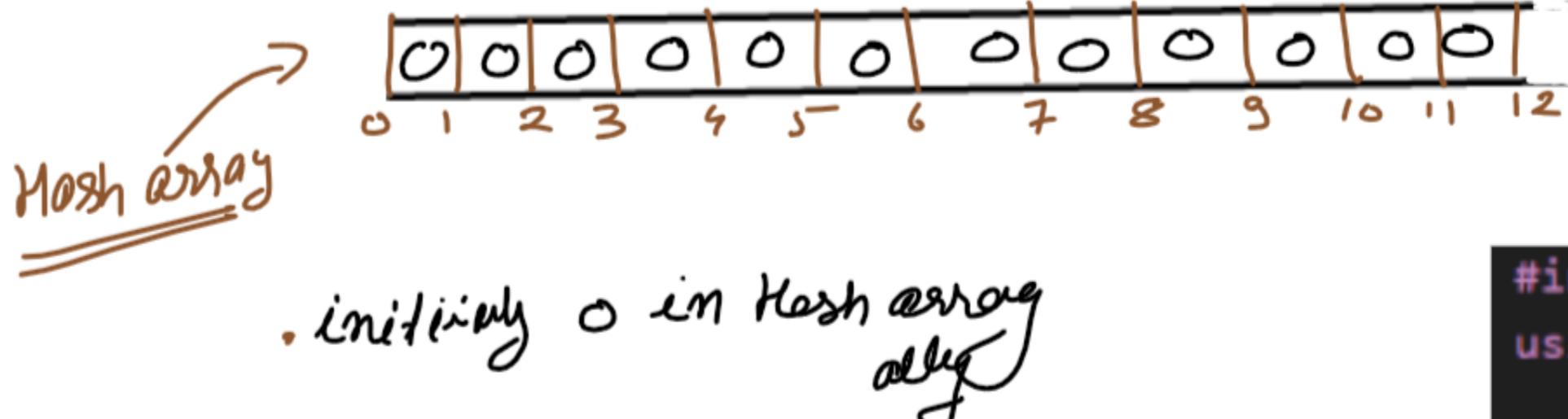
Hashing: Pre-storing/fetching

Example:

Assume: The maximum element in the given array can be 12.

Step-1: Pre-storing: we will create an array (named hash array) of size 13, so that we can get the index 12.

m=13



## Pseudo Code

```
input n //size of array
Declare arr of size n
for i=0 to n-1
    input arr[i]
// Precompute frequency
Declare has[13] & initialize all to 0
for i=0 to n-1
    has[arr[i]] += 1
input q //number of queries
while q>0
    input number
    // fetching
    output has[number]
    q=q-1
```

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

int main() {
    int n;
    cin >> n;
    int arr[n];
    for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {
        cin >> arr[i];
    }

    // precompute:
    int hash[13] = {0};
    for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {
        hash[arr[i]] += 1;
    }

    int q;
    cin >> q;
    while (q--) {
        int number;
        cin >> number;
        // fetching:
        cout << hash[number] << endl;
    }
    return 0;
}
```

## # Char hashing

Ex: s = "abcdabefc"  $\Rightarrow$  Optimized approach Using Hashing:

queries { a → 2  
c → 2  
e → 0 }

Brute Force:

```
f(char c, S) {
    count = 0
    for (i=0; i < n; i++)
        if (S[i] == c)
            count++;
    return count
}
```

TC: O(n)

To map char to integer, we use the ASCII value of respective char.

$$\therefore a = 97 \Rightarrow \text{int } x = 'a'  
A = 65 \Rightarrow \text{int } x = 'A'$$

Case-1: only lower case:

$$\text{Value} = \text{char} - 'a'  
n = 25  
\text{char has has size} = 26  
\text{Pre-storing} = \text{has}[S[i]] - 'a' + 1  
\text{fetching} = \text{has}[\text{char} - 'a']$$

Case-2: only upper case:

same as case 1

The best method is to convert all characters to lower case.

In character hashing limit will not cross 256. so we will always use this method.

Case-3: Both upper case & lower case

$$\text{Total characters} = 256  
\therefore \text{has size} = 256  
\text{we will not subtract anything from the given character.}\\ \Rightarrow \text{Pre-storing} = \text{has}[S[i]] + 1\\ \text{fetching} = \text{has}[\text{character}]$$

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

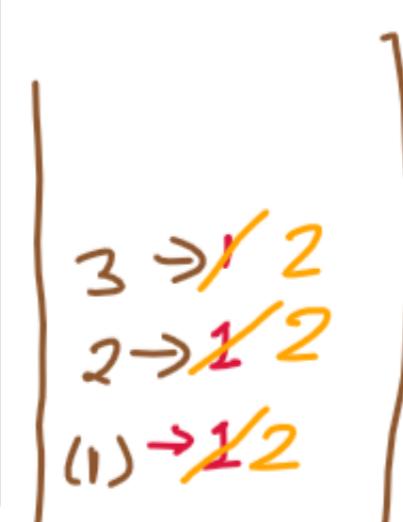
int main() {
    string s;
    cin >> s;

    // precompute:
    int hash[256] = {0};
    for (int i = 0; i < s.size(); i++)
        hash[s[i]]++;

    int q;
    cin >> q;
    while (q--) {
        char c;
        cin >> c;
        // fetch:
        cout << hash[c] << endl;
    }
    return 0;
}
```

## # STL Map & unordered\_map in C++

$arr = [1, 2, 3, 1, 3, 2]$   
number is key  
 $\text{map} < \text{key, value}$   
column frequency



$arr = [1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 2]$

$mpp[i]++$   
 $mpp[arr[i]]++$

∴ Pre-store:

```
map<int, int> mpp;
for(int i=0; i<n; i++) {
    mpp[arr[i]]++;
}
```

fetches:

$mpp[number]$

NOTE:

Map store all the value in sorted order.

/ unordered-map does not follow any specific order

# for char Hashing using map

```
key = char
mapp <char, int>
mpp[S[i]]++
```

NOTE: Most of the time we will use unordered-map, if it show time limit exceed, then we go for map

Collision: Hashing is done using these methods

- (1) Division Method
- (2) Folding Method
- (3) Mid-square method

Not important for interview or coding rounds

### # Division Method

It computes the hash index using formula

$$\text{hash(key)} = \text{key \% m}$$

↑ size of hash table

NOTE: whatever method the map is using - if all the elements go to the same hash index, we will call it a case of collision.

### Q Counting Frequencies of Array element

#### Pseudo code:

```
function count(arr)
    create empty map freq
    for each element in arr-
        freq[element] += 1
    for each key in freq:
        Print key → freq[key]
```

### Q Find the highest/lowest frequency element.

#### Pseudo code:

- (1) input array A
- (2) create an empty freq-map (freq-map)
- (3) for each element in A:  
 $\text{freq-map}[element] += 1$

(4) Initialize:

$$\text{max-freq} = 0, \text{min-freq} = n+1$$

$$\text{max-element} = -1, \text{min-element} = -1$$

- (1) for each (element, count) in freq-map
  - if count > max-freq:
  $\text{max-freq} = \text{count}$
  - $\text{max-element} = \text{element}$
- if count < min-freq:
  $\text{min-freq} = \text{count}$
- $\text{min-element} = \text{element}$

(5) Print High/Low Low frequency

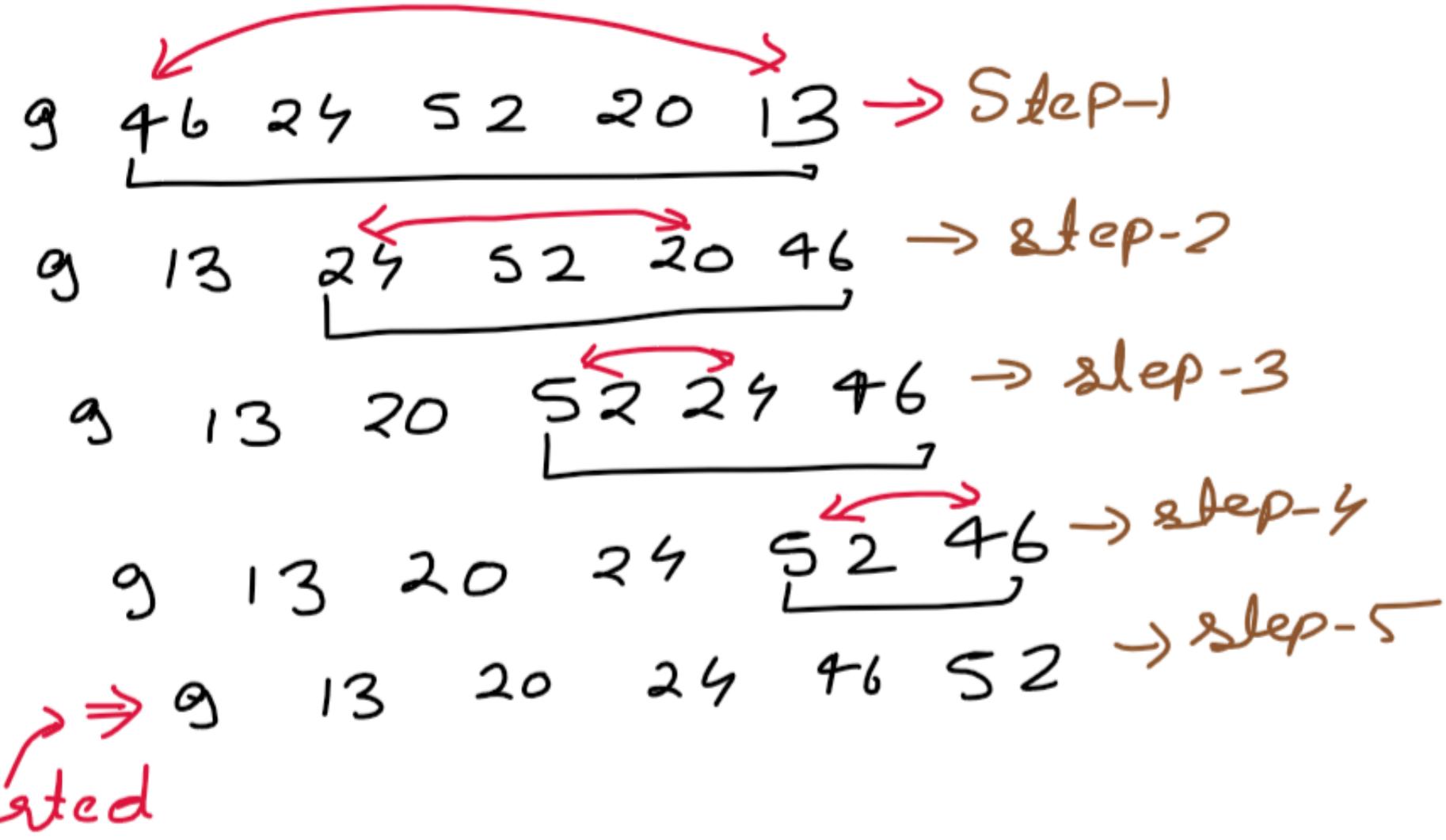
# Important Sorting Technique

## # Selection Sort:-

0	1	2	3	4	5
13	46	24	52	20	9

no. of element = 6

- (1) Select the minimum i.e.g
- (2) Swap



### Observation:

- swap at index 0, 2 min index  $[0 \rightarrow n-1]$
- swap at index 1, 2 min ends  $[1 \rightarrow n-1]$
- swap at index 2, 2 min ends  $[2 \rightarrow n-1]$
- ⋮
- $n-2$ , 2 min ends  $[n-2 \rightarrow n-1]$

### Pseudo code:-

```

for( i=0 ; i<n-2 ; i++ )
{
    min = i
    for( j=i ; j < n-1 ; j++ )
        if( arr[j] < arr[min] ) min = j
    swap( arr[min], arr[i] );
}

```

### Dry Run Example:-

i → 0	1	2	3	4
5	3	6	2	1

$i=0 \rightarrow \text{min} = 4$  (Value 1)  $\rightarrow \text{swap } A[0] \& A[4] \rightarrow [1, 3, 6, 2, 5]$   
 $i=1 \rightarrow \text{min} = 3$  (Value 2)  $\rightarrow \text{swap } A[1] \& A[3] \rightarrow [1, 2, 6, 3, 5]$   
 $i=2 \rightarrow \text{min} = 3$  (Value 3)  $\rightarrow \text{swap } A[2] \& A[3] \rightarrow [1, 2, 3, 6, 5]$   
 $i=3 \rightarrow \text{min} = 4$  (Value 5)  $\rightarrow \text{swap } A[3] \& A[4] \rightarrow [1, 2, 3, 5, 6]$

**Logic**  
 "Fix the smallest element in beginning, one by one".

**Metho:**

- (1) Pehle position (0) Pe sare chhoti value hao.
- (2) Jis doosri position (1) Pe uske baad wali smallest value hao.
- (3) Jaise hi has step per minimum dhoondho aur uss position pe jis ka do.

**Sm one line:** Has step per minimum element dhoondho aur wese sahi jagah per fix krs do.

**# Time Complexity:-**  
 $\hookrightarrow O(N^2)$  for best  
 Worst & average case.

## # Bubble Sort,

- Bigger element at last index.
- adjacent element ko compare karta hai aur agar wo galab order mein hota hai to swap ker data hai

### ⇒ Dry run:-

$$\text{arr}[] = \{5, 3, 2, 4\}$$

Big

$$S-1: [5, 3, 2, 4]$$

$$S-2: [3, 5, 2, 4]$$

$$S-3: [3, 2, 5, 4]$$

$$S-4: [3, 2, 4, 5] \Rightarrow 5 \text{ is at right place}$$

### ⇒ Logic:-

- 2 loop hote hain
  - outer loop:  $(n-1)$  times (kitne passes)
  - inner loop:  $(n-i-1)$  times (compare & swap)
- Har pass ke baad ek bade element right end par jek ho jata hai

### Pseudo code:-

BubbleSort( $\text{arr}, n$ ):

```

for i from n-1 to 0;
    for j from 0 to i-1;
        if arr[j] > arr[j+1]
            swap arr[j] & arr[j+1];
    }
}

```

**⇒ Time Complexity:-**  $O(N^2)$  → worst case

## # Optimized Approach

```

optimizedBubbleSort( $\text{arr}, n$ );
for i from n-1 to 0;
    swapped ← false
    for j from 0 to i-1;
        if (arr[j] > arr[j+1])
            swap arr[j] & arr[j+1]
            swapped ← true
        if swapped = false;
            break;
    }
}

```

$\therefore TC: O(N)$  (Best case)

## # Insertion-Sort

- Takes an element & places it in correct order.

Ex:  $[14, 9, 15, 12, 6, 8, 13]$   
 $[9, 14, 15, 12, 6, 8, 13]$   
 $[9, 14, 15, 12, 6, 8, 13]$   
 $[9, 12, 14, 15, \dots]$

### # Concept Summary:-

- At every index  $i$ , place  $\text{arr}[i]$  in its correct position by swapping it backward until the left element is not greater.

- The while loop help in pushing smaller element to the front.

### Pseudo code:-

```

for i from 0 to n-1
    j = i // start from current element.
    while (j > 0 && arr[j-1] > arr[j]) // Push current element to its right spot
        swap (arr[j-1] > arr[j]) // if left is greater than current
        j--;
}

```

### ⇒ Dry run example:-

$$\text{arr} = [5, 3, 4, 1]$$

$i = 0 \quad 1 \quad 2 \quad 3$

### For $i=0$

$j = i = 0$   
 $j > 0 \rightarrow \text{False}$   
 Nothing happens

$$\text{Arr} = [5, 3, 4, 1]$$

### For $i=1$

$j = 1$   
 $\text{arr}[0] > \text{arr}[1] \rightarrow 5 > 3 \rightarrow \checkmark$   
 $\therefore \text{swap } 5 \& 3 \rightarrow [3, 5, 4, 1]$   
 $j = 0 \rightarrow \text{loop end.}$

$$\text{Array} : [3, 5, 4, 1]$$

### Part 3: $i=2$

$j = 2$   
 $\text{arr}[1] > \text{arr}[2] \rightarrow 5 > 4 \rightarrow \checkmark$   
 $\text{swap } 5 \& 4 \rightarrow [3, 4, 5, 1]$   
 $j = 1$   
 $\text{arr}[0] > \text{arr}[1] \rightarrow 3 > 4 \rightarrow \times$   
 Stop here  
 $\text{Arr} : [3, 4, 5, 1]$

### For $i=3$ :

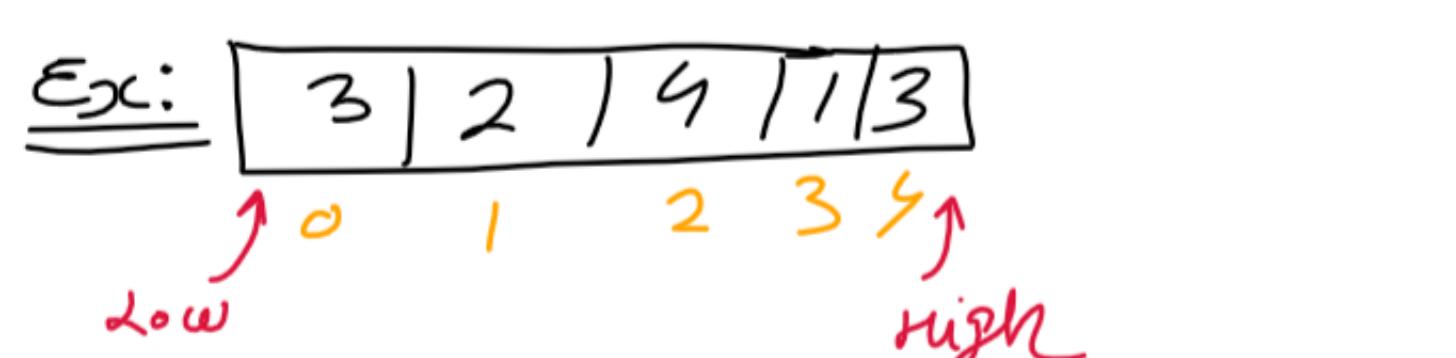
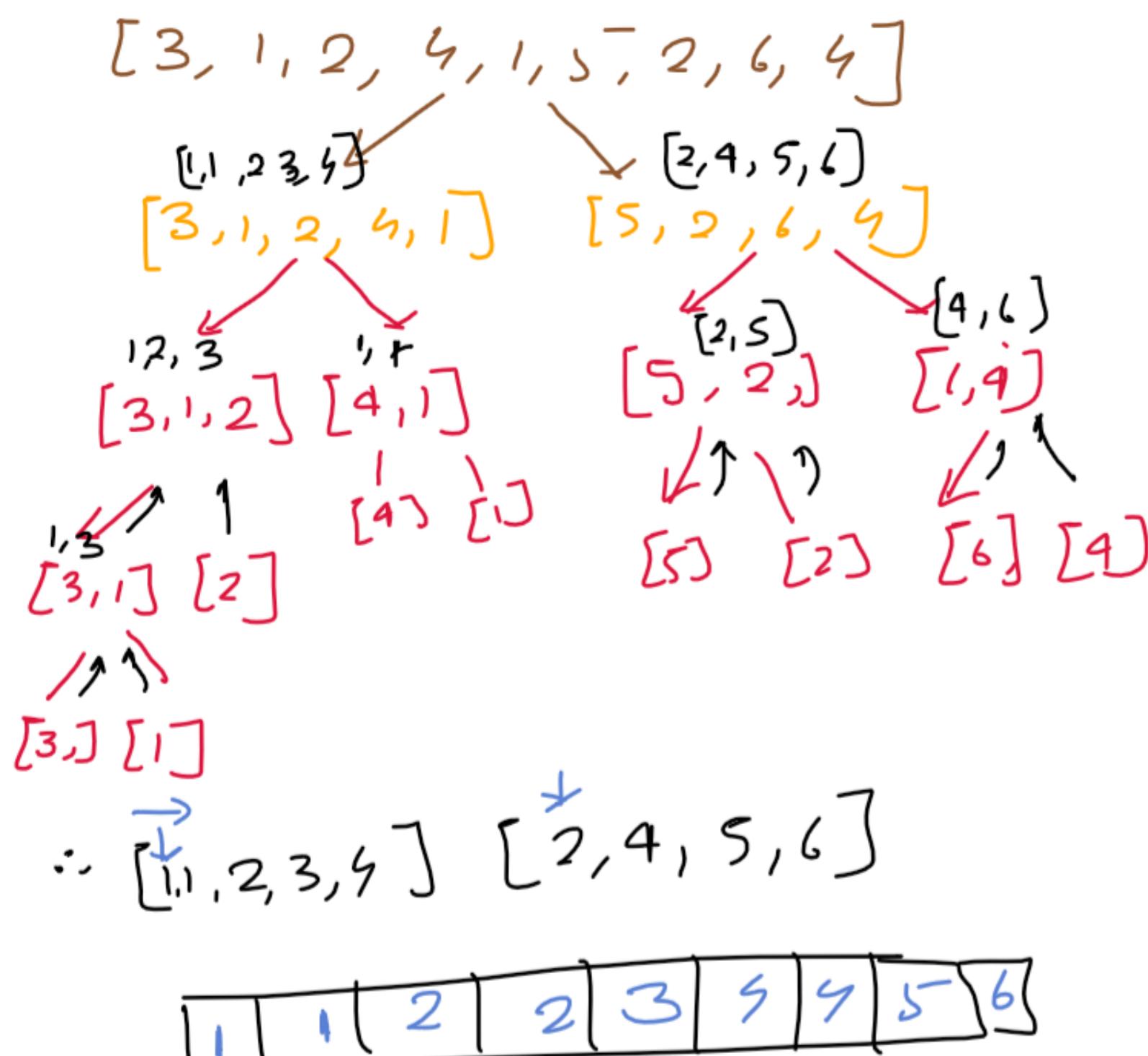
$j = 3$   
 $\text{arr}[2] \rightarrow \checkmark$  swap  $\rightarrow [3, 4, 1, 5]$   
 $j = 2$   
 $\text{arr}[1] \rightarrow \checkmark$  swap  $\rightarrow [3, 1, 4, 5]$   
 $j = 1$   
 $\text{arr}[0] \rightarrow \text{arr}[1] \rightarrow 3 > 1 \rightarrow \times$   
 Stop here  
 $\text{Arr} : [3, 1, 4, 5]$   
 $j = 0$   
 $\text{Arr} : [1, 3, 4, 5] \Rightarrow \text{sorted.}$

## # Time Complexity:-

- worst case:  $O(n^2)$
- best case:  $O(n)$  [sorted arr]

# Merge Sort  $\Rightarrow T.C = O(n \log n)$   
 $S.C = O(n)$

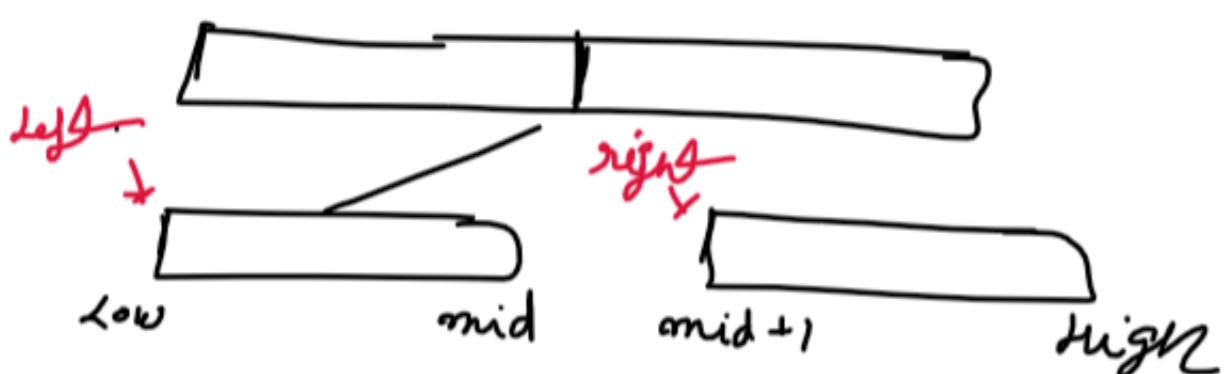
↳ Divide & Merge.



### Pseudo code:

```
MergeSort(arr, low, high)
if (low >= high) return;
mid = (low + high) / 2 // find where to split
mergeSort(arr, low, mid) { subproblem
    mergeSort(arr, mid + 1, high) } subproblem
    merge(arr, low, mid, high) // combine.
```

### # Pseudo code of Merge operation



Merge(arr, low, mid, high)

temp  $\rightarrow [ ]$   $\Rightarrow$  auxiliary global array

left = low  
right = mid + 1

while (left <= mid)  $\&$  right <= high)

{  
if arr[left] <= arr[right]  
temp.add(arr[left])  
left++;

else  
temp.add(arr[right])  
right++;

}

if on left {  
while (left <= mid) {

temp.add(arr[left]);

left++

} while (right <= high)

{ temp.add(arr[right])  
right++

}

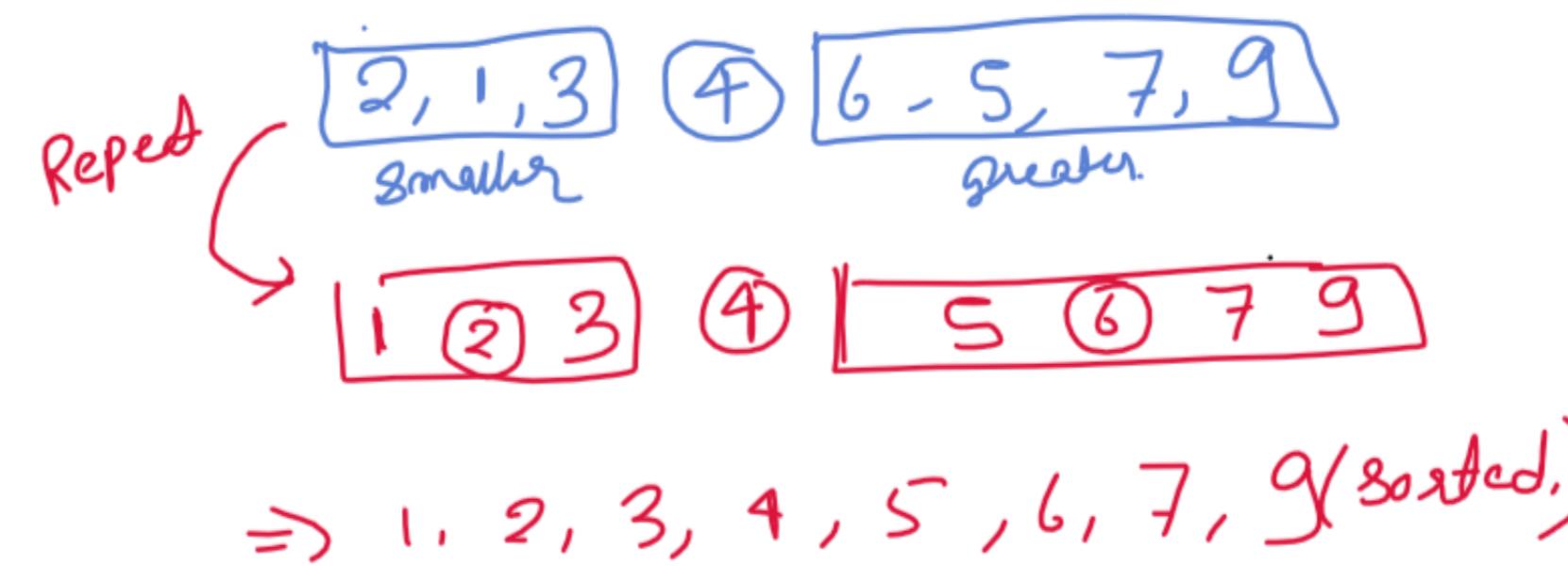
for (i = low  $\rightarrow$  high)  
arr[i] = temp[i - low];

} moving sorted element from temp[] to original array

# Quick Sort:

- Quick Sort is a divide & conquer algorithm like merge sort.
- It does not use any extra array for sorting (through it uses an auxiliary stack space).
- Quick sort is slightly better than Merge sort.

Ex: 4, 6, 2, 5, 7, 9, 1, 3

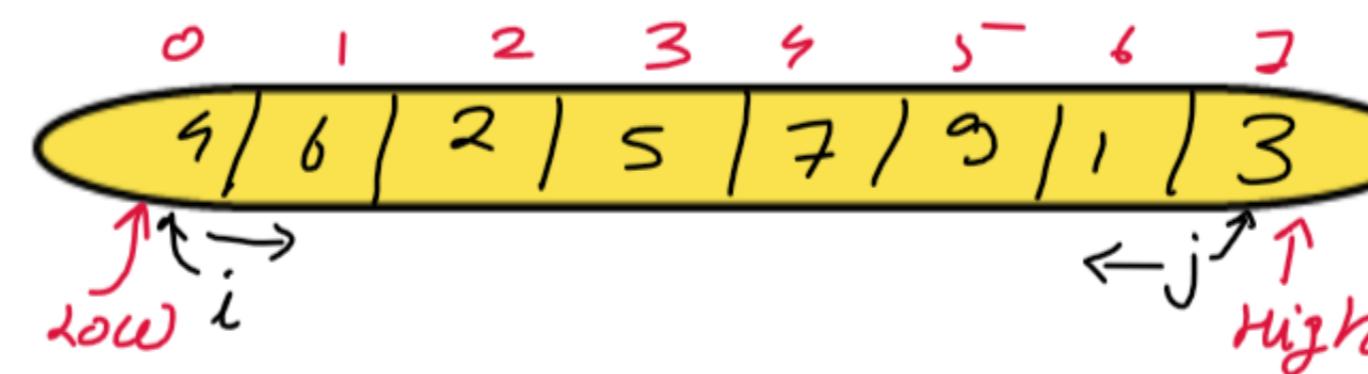


$\Rightarrow 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9$  (sorted.)

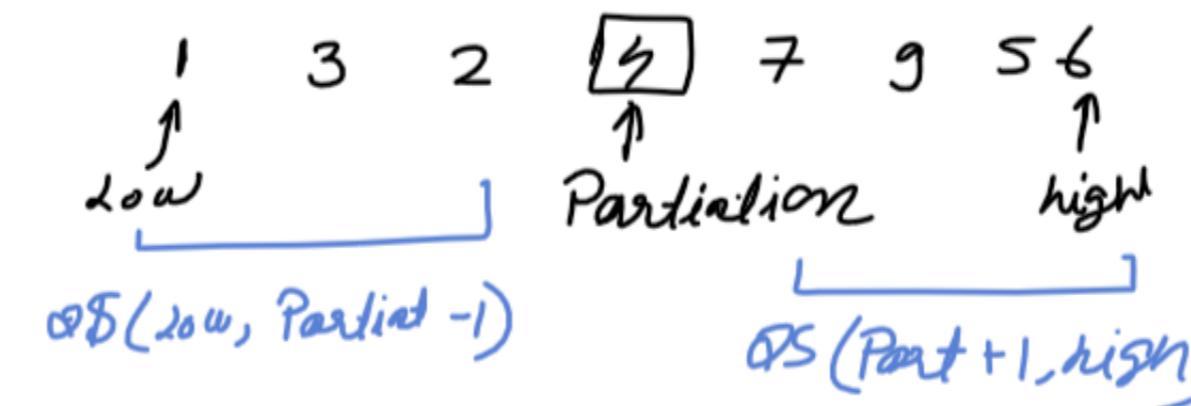
# Two simple steps to follow

(1) Pick a Pivot and Place it in its correct place in the sorted array (generally first element)

(2) Shift smaller element on the left of the Pivot and larger one to the right.



Pivot = arr[low]



### Pseudo Code:

```
QS (arr, low, high) {
    if (low < high) {
        Partition = f (arr, low, high)
        QS (arr, low, Partition - 1);
        QS (arr, Partition + 1, high);
    }
}
```

### Partition f (arr, low, high) {

```
Pivot = arr[low]
i = low;
j = high;
while (i < j) {
    while (arr[i] <= arr[Pivot] && i <= high) {
        i++;
    }
    while (arr[j] > arr[Pivot] && j >= low) {
        j--;
    }
    if (i < j) swap (arr[i], arr[j])
}
swap (arr[low], arr[i])
return i;
```

# Time complexity:  $O(n \log n)$

Space " :  $O(1)$



### Q3 Check if the array is sorted

Ex:  $a[ ] = \{1, 2, 2, 3, 3, 4\} \Rightarrow$  sorted

$a[ ] = \{1, 2, 1, 3, 4\} \Rightarrow$  Not sorted.

#### My approach

$a[ ] = \{1, 2, 2, 3, 3, 4\}$   
 $a[0] < a[1] < a[2] < a[3] \dots a[n]$

```
for (i=1; i<n; i++) {  
    if (a[i] < a[i+1]) {  
        array is sorted  
    } else, not sorted.  
    return true;  
}
```

### \* Remove duplicates in place from sorted array.

$arr[ ] = \{1, 1, 2, 2, 2, 3, 3\}$   
=  $\{1, 2, 3, \dots\}$   
unique element.  
return no. of unique elements

#### #Brute Force:

- we use a Hash set.
- As we know Hashset only store unique element.

#### Pseudo code:

- Declare a Hash set
- Run a for loop from starting to the end
- Put every element of the array in the set.
- store size of set in a variable k.
- Now put all the element of the set in the array from the starting of the array.
- Return k.

$$T.C = O(n \log(n)) + O(n)$$

1  
insertion in  
set take

$$S.C = O(N)$$

#### #Optimal Approach (Two Pointers)

##### Pseudo code:

- Take a variable i as 0;
- Use a loop by using a variable j' from 1 to length of the array
- If  $arr[i] \neq arr[j]$ , increase 'i' and update  $arr[i] = arr[j]$
- After completion of the loop returns  $i+1$ ; size of the array of unique elements.

##### Dry Run:

$i=0$   
 $arr[ ] = \{1, 1, 2, 2, 2, 3, 3\}$

$$arr[i] \neq arr[j]$$

$arr = \{1, 1, 2, 2, 2, 3, 3\}$

$\downarrow$  update and move

$arr = \{1, 2, 2, 2, 3, 3\}$

$\downarrow$   $arr[i] \neq arr[j]$  (update & move)

$arr = \{1, 2, 3, 2, 3, 3\}$

$\downarrow$   $i=1$  ; //  $2+1=3$

$$\therefore T.C = O(N)$$
$$S.C = O(1)$$



## Q7) Move all the zero to the end of array.

$\text{arr}[] = \{1, 0, 2, 3, 2, 0, 0, 4, 5, 1\}$   
 $= \{1, 2, 3, 2, 4, 5, 1, 0, 0, 0\}$

### Brute Force :-

- use of temp array.
- store non-zero element from original array to temp array.
- copy the element from temp array one by one and fill the first  $x$  place of the original array.
- The last remaining place of the original array will be filled with zero.

$\text{arr}[] = \{1, 0, 2, 3, 2, 0, 0, 4, 5, 1\}$   
 ↗  
 ↘  
 ↗  
 $\text{temp}[] = \{1, 2, 3, 2, 4, 5, 1\}$   
 ↗  
 $\text{arr}[] = \{1, 2, 3, 2, 4, 5, 1, 0, 0, 0\}$

### Optimal Approach:-

(1) My first thought process is to sort the arr and then reverse it. But we can't do this, because sorting or reversing will not maintain the relative order of non-zero element.  
 (2) We can use two-pointer approach.

### # Optimal approach (Two Pointer)

$\text{arr}[] = \{1, 0, 2, 3, 2, 0, 0, 4, 5, 1\}$   
 ↑  
 ↑  
 ↓  
 ↓  
 first 0th element  
 if  $\text{arr}[i] = 0$ ,  $\text{arr}[j] \neq 0$ , then  
 swap( $\text{arr}[i]$ ,  $\text{arr}[j]$ ),  $j \leftarrow j + 1$

#### Pseudo code:-

S-1:  $i = -1$   
 $\text{for } (i=0; i < n; i++)$   
 {  
 if ( $\text{arr}[i] == 0$ ) {  
 $j = i;$   
 break;  
 }  
 }  
 S-2:  $\text{for } (i=j+1; i < n; i++)$   
 {  
 if ( $\text{arr}[i] \neq 0$ ) {  
 swap( $\text{arr}[i]$ ,  $\text{arr}[j]$ );  
 $j++;$   
 }  
 }  
 T.C  $\rightarrow O(N)$   
 S.C  $\rightarrow O(1)$

### Pseudo code:-

```
temp = []
S-1: for (i=0 → n)
  { if arr[i] != 0,
    temp.add(arr[i]);
  }
  n = temp.size()      ↗ no. of non-zero
S-2: for (i=0; i < temp.size(); i++)
  { arr[i] = temp[i];
  }
S-3: for (i=temp.size(); i < n; i++)
  { arr[i] = 0;
  }
```

$$T.C = O(N) + O(n) + O(n-x) = O(2N)$$

$$S.C = O(x) \rightarrow O(N)$$

## Q8) Linear Search

$\text{arr}[] = [6, 7, 8, 4, 1]$  num = 4

### Approach:-

- we will traverse the whole array and see if the element is present in the array or not
- if found we will print the index of the element
- otherwise, we will print -1

#### Pseudo code:-

```
for (i=0; i < n; i++)
  if (arr[i] == num)
    return i;
  }
return -1;
```

## Q(9) Union of two sorted array

$\text{arr1}[] = \{1, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$   
 $\text{arr2}[] = \{2, 3, 4, 4, 5, 6\}$   
 $\text{union}[] = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$

Brute Force :-  
Using map

```

set <int> set
for (i=0; i<n1; i++)
    set.insert(arr1[i])
for (i=0 → n2)
    set.insert(arr2[i])
union[set.size()]
for (auto it: set)
    union[it] = 1;
    
```

$T.C = O(n_1 + n_2)$   
 $S.C = O(n_1 + n_2)$

# Optimal approach (2-Pointer)

$\text{arr1}[] = \{1, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$   
 $\text{arr2}[] = \{2, 3, 4, 4, 5, 6\}$

Approach:-

- Pointer i, j pointing 0<sup>th</sup> index of arr1 & arr2

- union[] vector to store union arr1 & arr2

- Traverse through arrays

Case-1:  $\text{arr1}[i] == \text{arr2}[j]$   
 insert arr1[i];  
 i++

Case-2:  $\text{arr1}[i] < \text{arr2}[j]$   
 insert arr1[i];  
 i++

Case-3:  $\text{arr1}[i] > \text{arr2}[j]$   
 insert arr2[j];  
 j++

$T.C = O(n_1 + n_2)$   
 $S.C = O(n_1 + n_2)$

## Q(9.b) Intersection of two sorted array :-

$A[] = \{1, 2, 2, 3, 3, 4, 5, 6\} \rightarrow n_1$   
 $B[] = \{2, 3, 3, 5, 6, 6, 7\} \rightarrow n_2$   
 $ans[] = \{0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0\}$   
 ans → [ ];  
 for (i=0 → n1) {  
 for (j=0 → n2) {  
 if (a[i] == b[j] && ans[i] == 0) {  
 ans.add(a[i])  
 ans[i] = 1;  
 break;  
 }  
 if (b[j] > a[i]) break;  
 }
 }
 T.C = O(n1 \* n2) = O  
 S.C = O(n2)

Dry Run :-

$\text{arr1} = \{1, 2, 4, 5\}$   
 $\text{arr2} = \{2, 3, 4, 3\}$   
 i  
 1st iteration (i=0, j=0):  
 $\text{arr1}[i] = 1, \text{arr2}[j] = 2$   
 $i < 2 \rightarrow i++$   
 2nd iteration (i=1, j=0):  
 $\text{arr1}[i] = 2, \text{arr2}[j] = 2$   
 $2 == 2 \rightarrow result = [2]$   
 $i < 2 \rightarrow i++$   
 3rd iteration (i=2, j=1):  
 $\text{arr1}[i] = 4, \text{arr2}[j] = 3$   
 $4 > 3 \rightarrow move pointer j, j++$   
 4th iteration (i=2, j=2):  
 $\text{arr1}[i] = 4, \text{arr2}[j] = 4$   
 $4 == 4 \rightarrow result = [2, 4]$   
 $i < 2 \rightarrow i++$   
 Move both i, j ⇒ i++, j++

End of loop:

$i = 3, j = 3 \rightarrow$  Both pointer have reached the end of their respective array.  
 • The intersection is [2, 4]

Optimal approach (Two Pointer)

$\text{arr1}[] = \{1, 2, 3, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$   
 $\text{arr2}[] = \{2, 3, 3, 5, 6, 6, 7\}$   
 i  
 j

Pseudo code :-

```

i = 0
j = 0
result ← empty vector
while i < length(arr1) & j < length(arr2):
    if arr1[i] == arr2[j]:
        add arr1[i] to result
        i++
        j++
    else if arr1[i] < arr2[j]:
        i++
    else:
        j++
return result.
    
```

$$T.C = O(n + m)$$

$$S.C = O(\min(n, m))$$

i	arr1[i]	j	arr2[j]	compare	Action	Result
0	1	0	2	1 != 2		
0	1	1	3	1 == 3	idone [ ]	
0	1	2	4	1 != 4		
1	2	0	2	2 == 2	Push 2 [2] break loop	[2]
2	4	0	2	4 != 2		
2	4	1	3	4 != 3		
2	4	2	4	4 == 4	Push 4 [2, 4] break loop	[2, 4]
3	5	0	2	5 != 2		
3	5	1	3	5 != 3		
3	5	2	4	5 != 4	idone [2, 4]	

# Q10 Finding the missing Number in an array.

$\text{arr}[] = \{1, 2, 4, 5\}$   $N=5$

$\text{ans} = 3$ ,

## Brute Force:

• checking each element in array using linear search.

## Pseudo code:

```

for i from 1 to N:
    set flag = 0
    for j from 0 to n-1
        if arr[i] == i:
            set flag = 1 // element Present
            Break
        if flag == 0: // if it doesn't exist.
            return i
    Return -1
  
```

T.C =  $O(N^2)$

S.C =  $O(1)$

## Better Solution:

### using hashing

$\text{arr}[] = \{1, 2, 4, 5\}$   $N=5$

$\text{hash} = [0, 0, 0, 0, 0]$  // index from 0 to  $N(N+1)$

$\text{hash} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$\text{hash}[3] = 0$ , ... Missing Number is 3

## Pseudo code:

```

hash[n+1] = {0};
for i=0 to n {
    hash[arr[i]] = 1; // number i present in array
}
for (i=1 to n) {
    if (hash[i] == 0) // number i is missing from array
        return i
}
T.C = O(N) + O(N)
S.C = O(N), hash array.
  
```

## Optimal solution - I:

### summation approach

$\text{arr}[] = \{1, 2, 4, 5\}$   $N=5$

$\therefore \text{sum Total} = \frac{N(N+1)}{2} = \frac{5 \times 6}{2} = 15$

$\text{Sum 2} = 1+2+4+5 = 12$  (for each value in array)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{missing} &= \text{sum} - \text{sum 2} \\ &= 15 - 12 \\ &= 3 \text{ is missing} \end{aligned}$$

## Pseudo code:

```

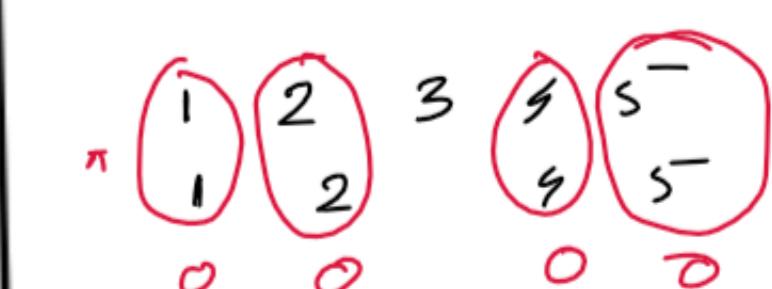
sum = n*(n+1)/2
S2 = 0
for (i=0 to n-1) {
    S2 += arr[i]
}
missing = sum - S2
return missing
  
```

T.C =  $O(N)$

S.C =  $O(1)$

## Optimal solution: 2

Using XOR (^)  $\Rightarrow \begin{cases} a \wedge a = 0 \\ a \wedge 0 = a \end{cases}$



$$\begin{aligned} \text{XOR1} &= 1^2^3^4^5 \\ \text{XOR2} &= \text{iterate through array} \\ &= 1^2^3^4^5 \end{aligned}$$

$\text{XOR1} \wedge \text{XOR2}$

$$\begin{aligned} (1^2) \wedge (2^3) \wedge (3^4) \wedge (4^5) \wedge (5^0) \\ 0^1 0^2 1^3 0^4 0^5 \\ \downarrow \\ 0^1 3^0 = 3 \end{aligned}$$

## Pseudo code:

```

XOR1 = 0
XOR2 = 0
for (i=0, n-1) {
    XOR2 = XOR2 ^ arr[i] // XOR of array elements
    XOR1 = XOR1 ^ (i+1) // XOR up to [i+1 to n-1]
}
XOR1 = XOR1 ^ N; // XOR up to [1 to N]

missing = XOR1 ^ XOR2 // missing number
return missing.
  
```

T.C =  $O(N)$

S.C =  $O(1)$

## NOTE:

Among the optimal approaches, the XOR approach is slightly better than the summation one because term  $(N(N+1))/2$  cannot be stored in an integer if value of  $N$  is big like  $(10^5)$ . In that case, we have to use some bigger data types. But we will face no issue while using XOR approach.

# Q11) Maximum consecutive one's in the array

$\text{arr}[] = \{1, 1, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 1, 1\}$

$\text{ans} = 3$

## approach:

$\text{arr}[] = \{1, 1, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 1, 1\}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{count} &= 0 \\ &\quad \text{if } arr[i] == 1 \\ &\quad \quad \quad \text{count}++ \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore T.C = O(N)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{max} &= 0 \\ &\quad \text{if } count > max \\ &\quad \quad \quad max = count \end{aligned}$$

## Pseudo code:

Count = 0

Max = 0

for each element in array

if element is 1

increase count by 1

else

set count to 0

max = maximum (max, count)

return max

T.C =  $O(N)$

Q12 Find the number that appear once, and the other number twice.

$a[1] = \{1, 1, 2, 3, 3, 4, 4\}$   
every no. will appear twice, but  
one number will appear once,  
so find that number  
ans = 2, appear once.

Approach comes in my mind

- (1) linear search
- (2) hashing
- (3) XOR

Brute Force  $\Rightarrow$

Doing Linear search:

```
for (i=0 to n) {
    num = arr[i]
    count = 0
    for (j=0 to n)
        if (arr[j] == num)
            count++
    if (count == 1) return num;
}
```

T.C =  $O(N^2)$   
S.C =  $O(1)$

Better Solution: 1.

Using array hashing:

0	1	2	3	4
0	1	2	2	2

max\_element = 4  
 $\therefore \text{hash}[ ] \text{ size} = \text{max_element} + 1$

```
max_element = arr[0]
for (i=0; i<n; i++)
    max_element = max(max_element, arr[i])
```

```
has[max_element] = 0
for (i=0, to n)
    has[arr[i]]++;
```

```
for (i=0 to n)
    if (has[arr[i]] == 1)
        return arr[i];
}
```

T.C =  $O(N)$

S.C =  $O(\text{max_element})$

Better Solution: 2  
Using map hashing:

```
for (i=0 to n)
    map(arr[i])++
```

```
for (auto it: map)
    if (it.second == 1)
        return it.first;
}
```

T.C =  $O(N \log N) + O(\frac{N}{2} + 1)$

S.C =  $O(\frac{N}{2} + 1)$

Optimal solution (XOR)

$xor = 0$

$\text{for } (i=0 \rightarrow n)$

$xor = xor \ ^ arr[i];$

return xor;

T.C =  $O(N)$

S.C =  $O(1)$

# Q.13 Longest subarray with given sum k (Positives)

arr[ ] = {1, 2, 3, 1, 1, 1, 1, 4, 2, 3}    k = 3

subarray  $\Rightarrow$  Contiguous part of the array.

# Brute Force:

Generate all sub-array

length = 0

```
for(i=0; i<n; i++) {
    for(j=i; j<n; j++) {
        for(k=i, k<j, k++)
```

sum += arr[k]

if (sum == k) length = max(length, j-i+1)

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Print length;

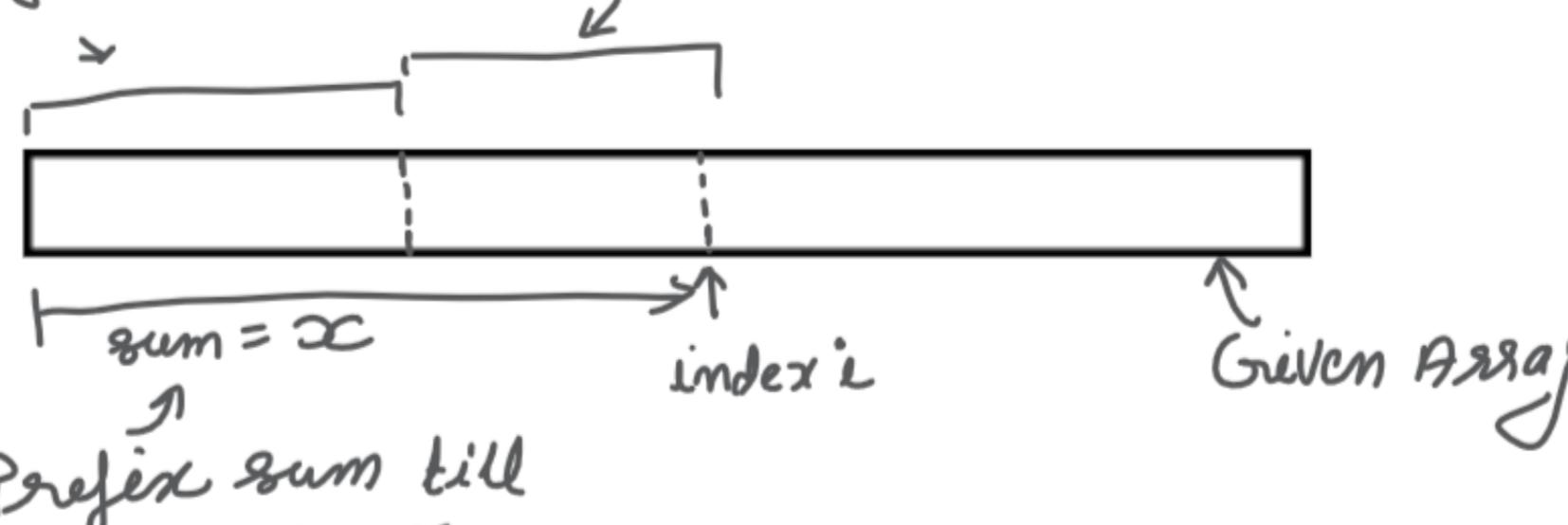
T.C  $\approx$   $O(n^3)$

S.C =  $O(1)$

# Better Solution:

Using hashing (concept of Prefix sum)

sum of this Part =  $x - k$     subarray with sum k, that we are searching

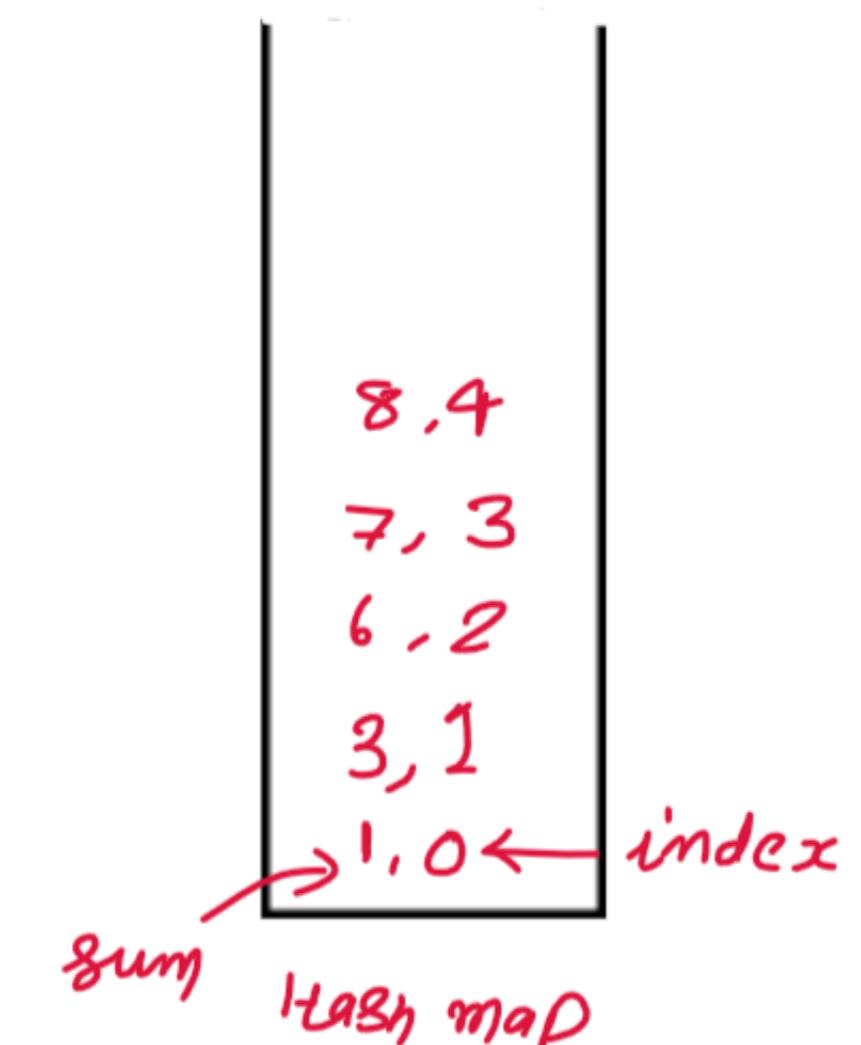


k = 3

Dry Run:

arr[ ] = {1, 2, 3, 1, 1, 1, 1, 4, 2, 3}

sum =  $\emptyset$     Length =  $\emptyset$  23  
1  
3  
8  
7 8 9



# Optimal Solution:

using two pointer approach

arr[ ] = {1, 2, 3, 1, 1, 1, 1, 3, 3}    k = 6

sum = x    Length = 3

Pseudo code.

- (1) initially
 

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left = 0
right = 0
sum = arr[0]
maxLen = 0
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- (2) while (right < n)
  - (a) if (sum > k)
 - shrink window from left:
 while (sum > k && left <= right)
 sum -= arr[left]
 left++;
  - (b) if sum == k;
 maxLen = max(maxLen, right - left + 1);
  - (c) move right forward by 1 (right++)
 if right is still inside array (if right < n)
 add array[right] to sum
 sum += arr[right]
- (3) return maxLen

T.C =  $O(2N)$   
S.C =  $O(1)$

Pseudo code:

• initialize:

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sum = 0 // running total (Prefix sum)
maxLength = 0 // store maximum subarray length
map = empty // store first occurrence of each prefix sum
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• loop through the array using index i  
from 0 to arr.length - 1:

Add arr[i] to sum (sum += arr[i])

if (sum == k)
 maxLength = i + 1 // from index 0 to i, full subarray sum is k
 remaining = sum - k // this is the part we want to find before current i

if map contains 'remaining':

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subarray-length = i - map[remaining]
update maxLength = maximum of (maxLength, subarray-length)
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if sum is not already in map:
 map[sum] = i // store the first time this sum appears

return maxLength

T.C =  $O(n \log n)$  using map,  $O(n^2)$  if using unordered map  
S.C =  $O(n)$

NOTE:

If array contains Positive and negative, then optimal solution is using hashing.