

#45DAYSDSA #DAY1

1. Time & Space Complexity

- Time complexity of an algorithm quantifies the amount of time taken by a program to run as a function of length of the input. (Checks the running time of a program)
- Space Complexity of an algorithm quantifying the amount of space taken by a program to run as a function of a length of the input. It is directly proportional to the largest - memory your program acquires at any instance during run time. (Check's the space/memory occupied) \rightarrow linear of n
- If the program has less running time (Time complexity) and less space occupied (space complexity) than that program is said to be efficient, fast, & reliable.

Big 'O' Notation.

- Any program can have the 3 possibilities

- ① Worst Case [O (big oh) notation]
- ② Best Case [Ω (big omega)]
- ③ Average Case [Θ (big theta)]

For example: Search

↑ 1 1 1 1 1 ↓
 20, 10, 5, 100, 300, 17, 238
 find 20 → $\Omega(1)$ ↗ Avg Case → $\Theta(n)$
 find 238 → $O(n)$

Comparison of Functions

$$n \quad n^2 \quad n^3$$

$n=1$	1 unit	1 unit	1 unit	$O(n) \rightarrow F$
$n=2$	2 unit	4 unit	8 unit	$O(n^3) \rightarrow S$
$n=3$	3 unit	9 unit	27	

$$O(n) < O(n^2) < O(n^3)$$

Fast Avg Slow

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n	$\log n$	$[0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8]$
$n=1$	1	0
$n=2$	2	$\log_2^2 = 1$
\vdots		
$n=1024$	10	$\log_2(2)^{10} = 10$

$$O(\log n) < O(n)$$

$$\text{low} = 0 \\ \text{high} = 9$$

\sqrt{n}	$\log n$	$m \mid d$	$4 \rightarrow 21$
$n=1$	1	0	high $\rightarrow = 4+1$
$n=2$	$\sqrt{2}$	1	high $= 3$
\vdots			low $= 4+1$
\sqrt{n}	$\log n$		5
$\log n^{\frac{1}{2}}$	$\log(\log n)$		$\geq i = \log$
$\frac{1}{2} \log n$	$\log(\log n)$		

$$O(\log n) < O(\sqrt{n})$$

Day 2

2.1 Arrays (with searching) Sorting

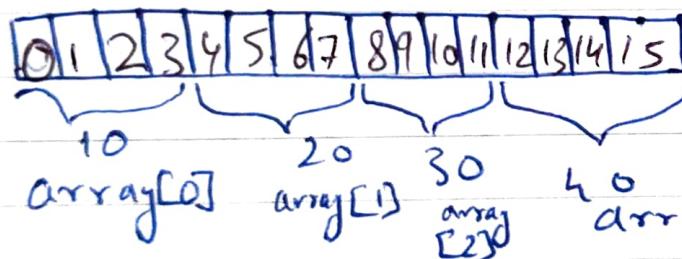
Arrays: It is a list of similar type

Example: {1, 2, 3, 4}, {'c', 'E', 'h', 'i'}

datatype arrayName [size];

int array[4] = {10, 20, 30, 40};

int \rightarrow 4 bytes, array[4] $\rightarrow 4 \times 4 = 16$



An array of 4 size
will take 16 bytes
of memory

1. Linear Search

{12, 18, 20, 42, 8, 10}
Key = 8

linear search will find the key
in a linear manner

```
import numpy as np
```

```
li = []
```

```
size = int(input("Enter Size:"))
```

```
for i in range(size):
```

```
    x = int(input("Element:"))
```

```
    li.append(x)
```

} Creates
a numpy
array
with custom
size by
user.

```
arr = np.array(li)
```

```
key = int(input("Enter the key to search"))
```

Binary Search and Linear Search

1. Linear Search

```
def Linear_Search(arr, size, key):
```

```
    for i in range(size):
```

```
        if arr[i] == key:
```

```
            return i
```

```
    return -1
```

Calling linearSearch

```
Linear_Search(arr, size, key)
```

2. Binary_Search

Def Binary_Search (arr, size, key):

low = 0

high = size - 1

for i in range (size):

while mid low <= high:

mid = int (low + high) / 2

if arr [mid] == key:

return mid

elif arr [mid] > key:

high = mid - 1

else:

low = mid + 1

return -1

Binary_Search (arr, size, key)

Day 3

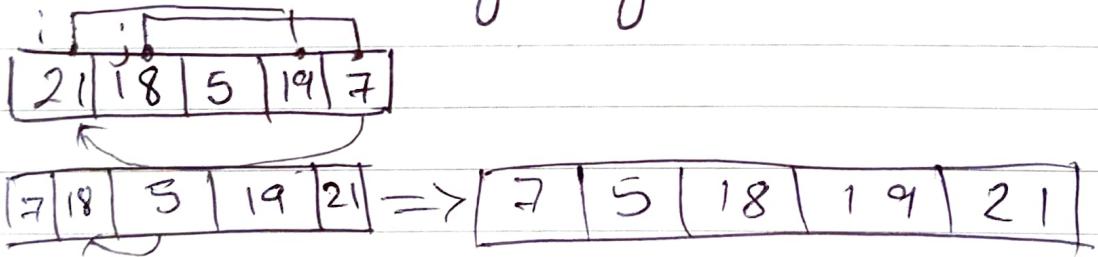
3. Sorting in Arrays

(Selection, Bubble, Insertion)

- Sorting means ordering the element in ascending / descending order.

* Sorting Techniques

1. Selection Sort: Find the minimum element in unsorted array and swap it with element-in the beginning.



2. Bubble Sort: Repeatedly swap two adjacent elements if they are in wrong order.

12, 45, 23, 51, 19, 8
 no yes no yes yes

12, 45, 23, 51, 19, 8

12, 23, 45, 51, 19, 8

12, 23, 45, 19, 51, 8

12, 23, 19, 45, 51, 8

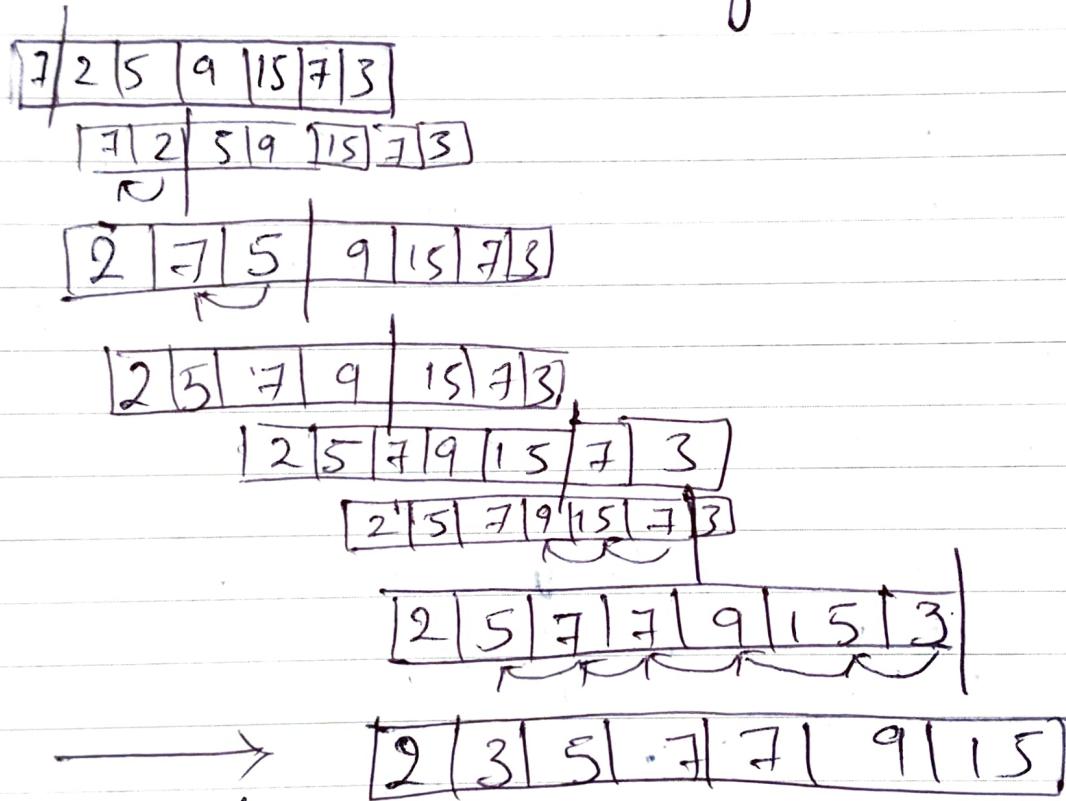
12, 19, 23, 45, 51, 8

12, 19, 23, 45, 8, 51

12, 19, 23, 45, 8, 51

8, 12, 19, 23, 45, 51

3. Insertion Sort : Insert an element from unsorted array to its correct position in sorted array.



The sorted array

Day 4: Array Challenges

(i) Max till i:

1	0	5	4	6	8
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(0)(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)

1 1 5 5 6 8

— Approach: 1. Keep a variable mx which stores the maximum till i^{th} element. 2. Iterate over the array and update, i.e. $mx = \max(mx, a[i])$

(ii) Subarray vs Subsequence

— Subarray: Continuous part of the array

1 2 1 0 1 7 1 2 0 1 2 · Array

→ 2 0 1 7 1 2 Subarray

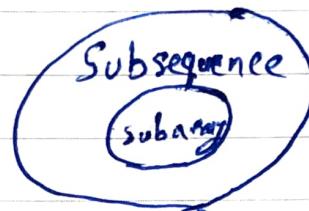
* Number of subarrays of an array with n elements = $nC_2 + n = n*(n+1)/2$

(iii)- Subsequence: A subsequence that can be derived from an array by selecting zero or more elements, without changing the order of the remaining elements.

* Number of subsequences of an array with n elements = 2^n

Every Subarray is a Subsequence but
Every subsequence is not a Subarray

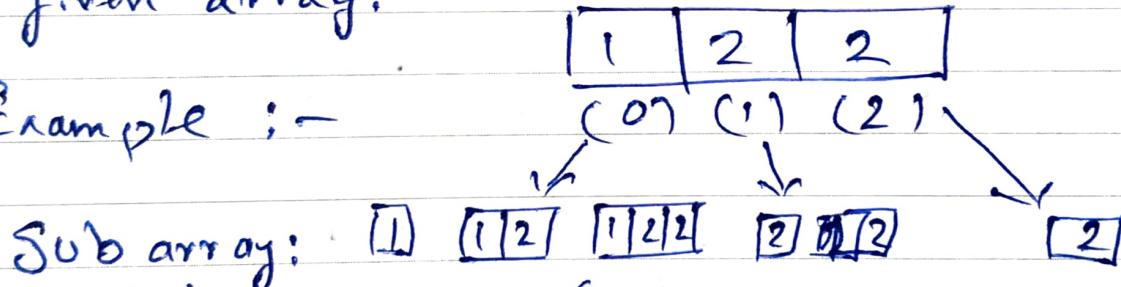
Venn diagram.



(iii) Sum of all Sub Arrays.

Problem: Given an array $a[\cdot]$ of size n ,
Output sum of each subarray of the
given array.

Example :-



Subarray: [] [1|2] [1|2|2] [2|2|2] [2]

Total subarrays = 6

Sum of subarrays = 1, 3, 5, 4, 2

Approach: Iterate over all the subarrays.
Using Nested loop

```
for i in range(n)
    for j in range(i, n)
```

(iv) Longest Arithmetic Subarray
- Asked in Google kick start.

Problem: Array that contains at least two integers and the differences between consecutive integers are equal.

For example : (i) [9, 10] $\rightarrow 10 - 9 = 1$

(ii) [3, 3, 3] $\rightarrow 3 - 3 = 0, 3 - 3 = 0, 3 - 3 = 0$

(iii) [9, 7, 5, 3] $\rightarrow 9 - 7 = 2, 7 - 5 = 2, 5 - 3 = 2$

Constraints : (i) Time limit: 20 seconds per test

(ii) Memory limit: 1 GB.

$$1 \leq T \leq 100, 0 \leq A_i \leq 10^9$$

1 sec = 10^8 operations (approx)

20 sec = 20×10^8 operations (approx)

Time Complexity is generally calculated by number of times n is iterated

* We have to find the maximum length of Arithmetic subarray of an Array

Sample Test Case

10	7	4	6	8	10	11
-3	-3	2	2	2	1	

maximum arithmetic subarrays
are of 2 differences.

1	9	6	1	8	10
---	---	---	---	---	----

So length = 4

Approach and Intuition:

* Loop over the array and find the answer.

Maintain the following variables:

1. Previous Common Difference (pd)
2. Current Arithmetic Subarray length (curr)
3. Max arithmetic subarray length (ans)

$pd = A[i] - A[i-1]$ $pd \leftarrow A[i] - A[i-1]$
 Current ans Update current
 increases by 1 ans & curr
 ans = max(ans, curr)

(V) Record Breaker - (Google Kickstart)

N Consecutive days. \rightarrow No. of visitors on the i^{th} day is V_i . A day is Record breaking if it satisfies 2 conditions

1. The number of visitors on the day is strictly larger than the number of visitors on each of the previous days
 2. Either it is the last day, or the no. of visitors on the day is strictly larger than the no. of visitors on following day
- Note:- The very first day could be a record breaker

2 Cases

Strictly greater than all the previous values Strictly greater than following value.

(1)

(2)

Sample Test Case								
1	2	0	1	7	2	10	2	2
↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑
x	v	x		x	x	x	x	x
(2)	(1)	(1)		(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
					(2)	(2)	(2)	

Brute force: 1. Iterate over all the elements and check if it is record breaking day or not. To check if $a[i]$ is a record breaking day, we have to iterate over $a[0], a[1], \dots, a[i-1]$.

Time Complexity for this operation: $O(n)$
 Overall Time Complexity: $O(n^2)$

Optimised Approach:

If we can optimise step 1, then we can optimise overall solution.

For step(1) we need to check if $a[i] > \{a[i-1], a[i-2], \dots, a[0]\}$, which is same as ' $a[i] > \max(a[i-1], a[i-2], \dots, a[0])$ '

for this, we can keep a variable mx , which will store the maximum value till $a[i]$. Then we can just need a check,

$$a[i] > mx,$$

$$a[i] > a[i+1], \{ \text{if } i+1 < n \}$$

and update mx ; $mx = \max(mx, a[i])$
 So step(1) time complexity reduces to $O(1)$
 Overall time complexity: $O(n)$

Day 5 Arrays - Q's asked by Top MNC's

Q1. First Repeating Elements

Problem: Given an array $arr[]$ of size N.

The task is to find the first repeating element in the array of integers, i.e., an element that occurs more than once and whose index of first occurrence is smallest.

Given Array: $\boxed{1 \mid 5 \mid 3 \mid 4 \mid 3 \mid 5 \mid 6}$

In above array 5 and 3 are repeating but 5's index is the smallest so ans = 1

Q2. Subarray with given sum:

Problem: Given an ~~sorted~~ array A of size N of non-negative integers, find a continuous subarray which adds to a given number S.

Example: Input $\rightarrow N=5, S=12$

$$A[] = \{1, 2, 3, \underbrace{7}, 5\}$$

Output: 2 4 because the sum of elements from 2nd position to 4th position is 12 i.e $\boxed{2, 3, 7}$

Note: index starts from 1 in this q's

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Brute force: Find sum of all possible subarrays.
If any of the sum equals to S, output the starting and ending index of the subarray.

Time Complexity: $O(n^2)$

Optimized: 2 Pointer Approach

(i) Keep 2 points st and en, and a variable currSum = sum from st to en.

currSum = $\boxed{1 \ 1 \ 2 \ 3 \ 8}$

where, given $S=5$, currsum = 1 ↑↑

(ii) increment en till currSum + a[en] $> S$

now, currSum = 6 $\boxed{1 \ 1 \ 2 \ 3 \ 8}$
st ↑ en ↑

(iii) Start increasing st until currSum $\leq S$

$\boxed{1 \ 1 \ 2 \ 3 \ 8}$ now, currsum = 5 = S.
st ↑ en ↑ Time Complexity: $O(n)$

Q.3. Smallest Positive Number.

problem: You are given an array $A[]$ of N integers including 0. The task is to find the smallest positive number missing from the array.

Example: $\boxed{0 \ -9 \ 1 \ 3 \ 4 \ 5}$

Here first positive missing number is 2

Base Idea: Build a boolean check $L[]$ array that will depict the element x is present in the array or not. $\boxed{F \ F \ F \ A \ F \ F}$

Iterate over the array and mark non-negative $A[i]$ as True.

Day 6

Subarray Challenges.

1. Max Sum of Subarray: $\boxed{-1 \ 4 \ 7 \ 2}$

* Possible Subarrays: $[-1]$, $[-1, 4]$, $[-1, 4, 7]$,
 $[-1, 4, 7, 2]$, $[4]$, $[4, 7]$, $[4, 7, 2]$,
 $[7]$, $[7, 2]$, $[2]$

* Max sum of Subarray is $[4, 7, 2] = 13$

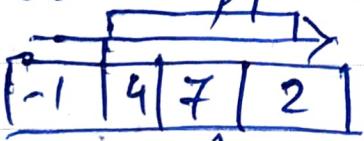
* Brute Force Approach: To create 3 nested loop and add the sum of subarray elements and return the max sum subarray but this way the time complexity will be $O(n^3)$.

* Optimized Approach:

~~Brute force~~ $O(n^2)$

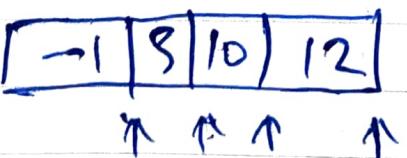
Cumulative sum approach

Array \rightarrow



max sum

Cumulative
Sum Array



More Optimized: Kadane's algorithm

Array	$[-1, 4, -6, 7, -4]$
Corr sum	$[-1, 4, -2, 7, -3]$
	$\downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow$
	0 4 0 7 6

2. Maximum Circular Subarray Sums

Case 1 $\{-1, 4, -6, 7, 5, -4\}$

No need to wrap 12

Case 2 $\{4, -4, 6, -6, 10, -11, 12\}$

We need to wrap 2 2

Max subarray sum = Total sum of array - Sum of non-contributing elements.

apply
Kadane's
Algo on
Reverse Array %

\max
Now remove the max from old arr

3. Pair Sum Problem : Check if there exists two elements in an array such that their sum is equal to given k

0	1	2	3	4
5	7	9	12	15

$$R = 28$$

Pair $\rightarrow 1, 3$

Brute force : Using two nested loop to create a pair.

Optimized:

2 Pointer

Approach

while $low < high$:

if $a[low] + a[high] == K$

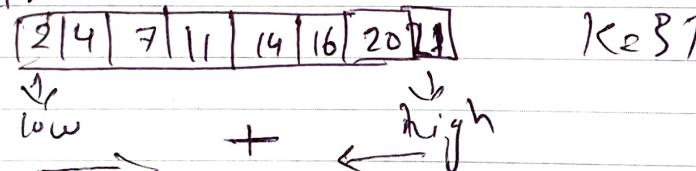
True

elif $a[low] + a[high] > K$

 high -= 1

else:

 low += 1



Day 7

1D Arra

2 D Arra

arr^{3x3}

Creating

arr =

for i :

for

an

Printing

for i :

do

Prin

Output:

n=3,

1

m=3

4

7

Day 7 Two-Dimensional Array

1D Array → $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ $[1, 2, 3]$

2D Array → $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 7 & 8 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$ or $\begin{bmatrix} [1, 2, 3] \\ [4, 5, 6] \\ [7, 8, 9] \end{bmatrix}$

Creating 2D Array in Python using user

```
arr = []
n = int(input())
m = int(input())
for i in range(n):
    for j in range(m):
        a = []
        num = int(input("Enter number:"))
        a.append(num) # [n][m]
    arr.append(a) # row 0, 1, 2,
```

Printing the 2D array

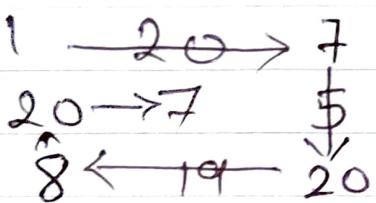
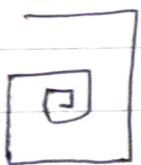
```
for i in range(n)
    for j in range(m)
        print(arr[i][j], end=" ")
    print()
```

Output:

n=3,	1	2	3
m=3	4	5	6
	7	8	9

★Spiral Order Matrix Traversal

What is spiral order matrix?

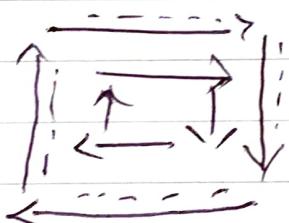


- (i) It will print in a spiral form
- (ii) The spiral will repeat

How to print Spiral Matrix?

$n \times m$ size Matrix (4 variables needed)

- (i) row_start + 1
- (ii) column_end - 1
- (iii) row_end - 1
- (iv) column_start + 1



while ($\text{row_start} \leq \text{row_end}$) and ($\text{col_start} \leq \text{col_end}$)

→ loop through col_start to col_end
 row_start incremented

↓ loop through row_start to row_end
 col_end decremented

← loop through col_end to col_start
 row_end decremented

↑ loop through row_end to row_start
 col_start incremented

Day 9: Character Arrays

Arrays of Character [R|A|H|U|L]

Character array ends with '\0' Null
So that the compiler understands that
the array is complete and the end is
that null element, for example [R|A|H|U|L|\0]

Declaration: Char arr[100] = "apple" \uparrow Null

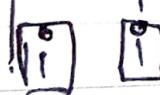
But in python its dynamic
for e.g: arr = "apple", no need
to define the size.

① Check palindrome:



② Largest word in a sentence.

'Do, or die



ans = maxlen

Day 1

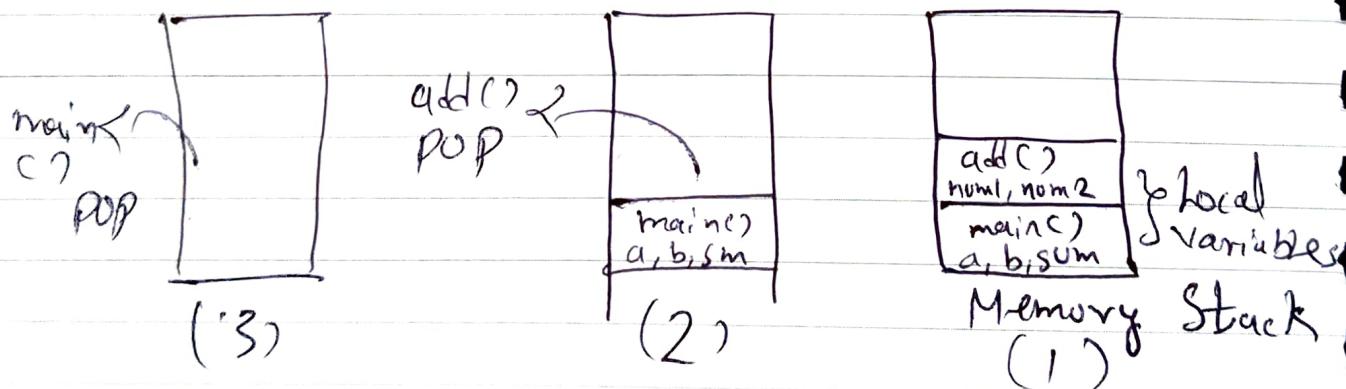
Stack & Heap

Fixed

Dynamic

* Stack: A stack is an abstract data type that serves as a collection of elements, with two main principal operations: Push, which adds an element to collection, and Pop, which removes the most recently added element that was not yet removed.

Stack in memory is a memory usage mechanism that allows the system memory to be used as temporary data storage that behaves as a first-in-last out buffer.



Stack Overflow: A stack overflow is an undesirable condition in which a particular computer program tries to use more memory space than the call stack has available.



The size of stack frame is fixed that's why if function call is greater than the stack size it's overflow.

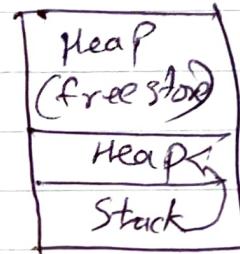
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* **Heap:** A heap is an area of pre-reserved computer main storage (memory) that a program process can use to store data in some variable amount that won't be known until the program is running.

- Heap is a dynamic memory and it is called only when called
- Size is not fixed methods
- In python functions and object variables are created in stack memory. whereas Objects and instance variables in Heap memory.



Day 10 Strings (Basics)

Strings are the collection of characters we can say string are array of characters. In python strings are defined easily by keeping everything inside quotes " ". For example: str = "Rahul"

String operations.

① Concatenation of strings

str1 = "fam", str2 = "ily"
 str1.append(str2) \rightarrow Only for C & C++
 print(str1) # Output: family
 or .join() for python.

$\text{print(str1 + str2)}$

② Clearing the string using clear()

but again clear() only works on C & C++
 for python we have to reassign empty string Example: str1 = "".

③ Comparison of strings.

str1 == str2 # False

str1 is str2 # False

④ Removing something from string

use slicing example str = "nincompoop"
 $\text{print(str[3:] + str[6:])}$ # nin Poop

Or replace()

for example: print(str.replace("com", "x"))

⑤ find(): It finds the index.value of a string which is first encountered in it
Example: str.find("com") # 3.

⑥ Insert: In Python the strings are immutable
So we will have to create new string in which we will insert one new word or string. We use slicing to accomplish this
for example: line1 = "Kung Panda"
line2 = "Fu"

index = line1.find("Panda")

line3 = line1[:index] + line2 + [index:]

print(line3) # Kung fu Panda

⑦ Sorting a string: Use sorted() to sort the string:

for example: a = "x y z f d g h"

a1 = sorted(a) # [d, d, f, g, h, x, y]

a2 = ''.join(a1) # converts list to str

print(a2) # ddfghxyz

Day 11 Questions on Strings.

1. Convert lowercase string to uppercase and vice versa.

Solution: ASCII value of characters can be used to convert them -

Step 1. Find the ASCII difference between smaller and uppercase

Step 2. Subtracting or adding the value from the character depending on the result.

This way at the end we get the converted string.

2. Form the biggest number from the numeric string.

- Using sort method to sort them in descending

3. Maximum number occurring in string

- Use dictionary and max

- We have to find the maximum occurring of a string.

Day 12 Recursion

Def: When a function call itself to make the problem smaller.

For e.g. Sum till n.

traditionalSum till n = $n + n-1 + n-2 + n-3 \dots + 1$

Recursion sum till n-1 = $n-1 + \text{sum till } n-2$

sum till n-2 = $n-2 + \text{sum till } n-3$

:

:

:

Q.1 sum till 0 = 0

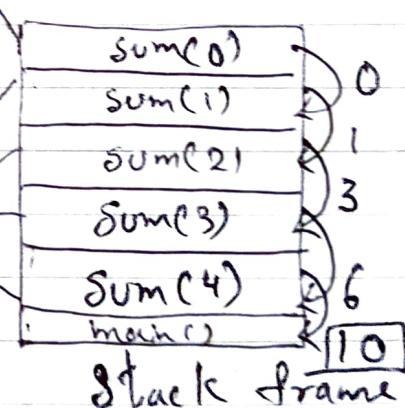
def sum(n):

if $n == 0$:

return 0

prev_sum = sum($n-1$)

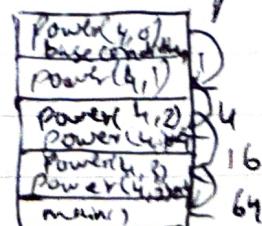
return $n + \text{prev_sum}$



Q.2. Calculate n raised to power of p

$$n^p = n + n * n \dots p \text{ times}$$

$$\text{also } n^p = n * n^{p-1}$$

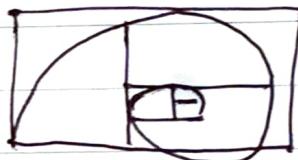


Q.3. Factorial of number (Recursion)

$$n! = n * n-1 * n-2 * \dots * 1$$

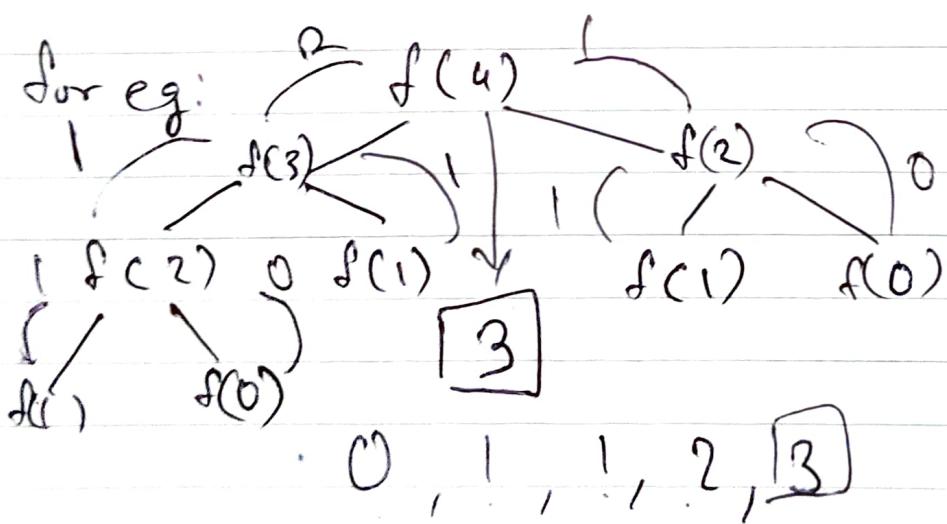
$$n! = n * (n-1)!$$

Q.4. Fibonacci number.



$$0, 1, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 13, \dots$$

$$\text{fib}(n) = \text{fib}(n-1) + \text{fib}(n-2)$$



Q.5 Print number till n
for decreasing order

(i) print(n)

(ii) num-dec(n-1)

and vice versa for increasing

Q.s on Recursion Day 13

Q. Find the first and last occurrence of a number in an array

1. First Occurrence
 for Ex: {4, 2, 1, 2, 5, 2, 7}
 Problem: find 2

Steps: (1) Traverse through array
 (2) If found print the index else
 (3) traverse recursively

{4, 2, 1 2, 5, 2 7}

2. Last Occurrence

Steps (1) Traverse through array
 (2) If found then traverses till end of array
 (3) print the last occurrence.

Most famous Questions of Recursion:

Q.1. Reverse a string using recursion

→ ("binod") Print "b" Step (i) Calling for the rest. of string
 ("inod") Print "i"
 ("nod") Print "n"
 ("od") Print "o"
 ("d") Print "d"
 ("") Return (ii) Print first character of string.

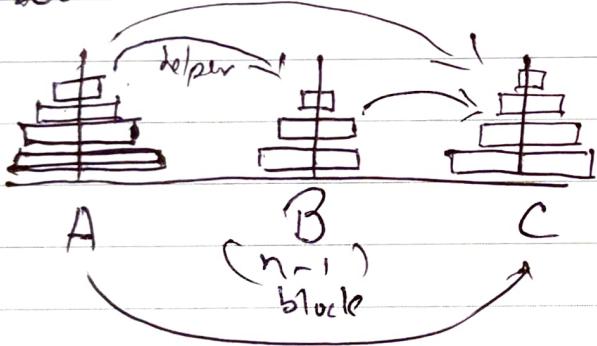
Q.2 Replace Pi with 3.14 in string.

for eg: "pippaxppipiixipi"

→ "3.14ppaxx3.14ixi3.14"

Q3. Tower of Hanoi

Conditions:



- ① Only one block can be placed
- ② smaller block cannot be placed before bigger block

Q.4. Remove all duplicates from the string

for eg: "aⁿa_nb_nb_ne_ne_nc_nd_nd_n"
"abcd"

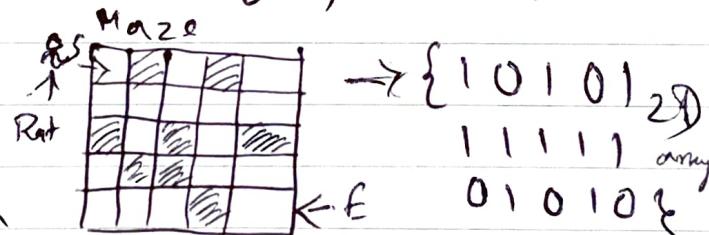
Q5. Move all x to the end of the string

for eg: "aⁿf^mx^kbⁿd^mc^keⁿs^mx^khⁿi^m"
to "aⁿbⁿd^mc^keⁿf^mg^khⁿi^mx^k"

Day 14 Backtracking

Defn: Backtracking is an algorithmic-technique for solving recursive problems by trying to build every possible solution incrementally and remove those solutions that fail to satisfy the constraints of the problem at any point of time.

Q.s Rat in Maze



$\rightarrow \{10101, 11111\}$
any
 $01010\}$

Conditions: (i) Rat can
only move in 2 directions down & right
(ii) find the path of start and end

Input: {1, 0, 1, 0; 1

1, 1, 1, 1, 1

0 1, 0, 1, 0

1, 0, 0, 1, 1

1, 1, 1, 0, 1}

Output: {1, 0, 0, 0, 0

1, 1, 1, 1, 0

0, 0, 0, 1, 0

0, 0, 0, 1, 0

0, 0, 0, 1, 1

0, 0, 0, 0, 1}

1 for the path, 0 for blocks.

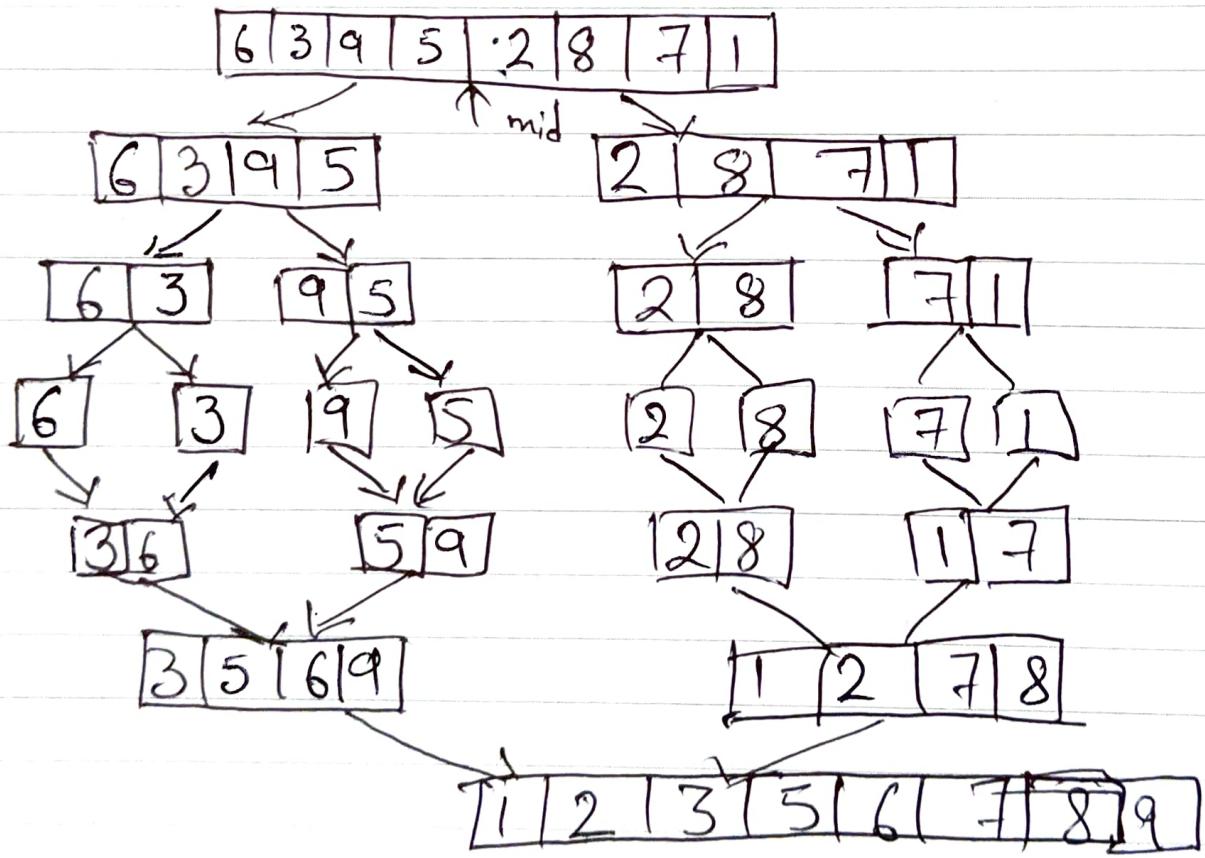


Day 15

Merge Sort

A divide and conquer algorithm.

Divide the ~~unsorted~~ given array into single unit recursively and merge them.



Pivot - Pivot is an element of an array or matrix which is selected ^{DDMMYY} & first by an algorithm.

Day 16

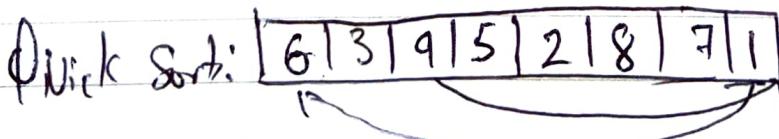
Quick Sort

It also follows the divide and conquer algorithmic technique.

The Quick Sort algorithm works on three conditions.

- (i) (10) 80 90 60 30 20
- (ii) 6 3 5 4 2 1 (9)
- (iii) 4 6 7 (10) 16 12 13

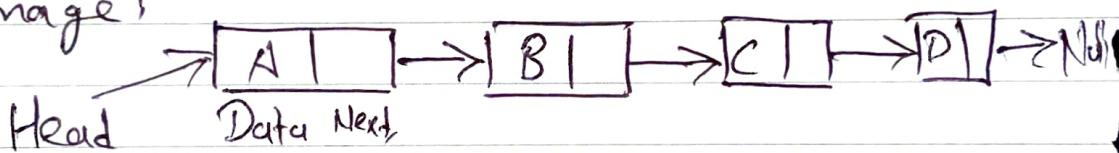
In above example the marked elements are sorted because the first element is the smallest, the second one is the largest and in case of third one it is surely smaller than the left side of array and larger than the left side of array.



1. Choose pivot element (usually last or random)
2. Store elements less than pivot in left subarray
store elements greater than pivot in right subarray
3. Call quicksort recursively on left subarray
call quicksort recursively on right subarray

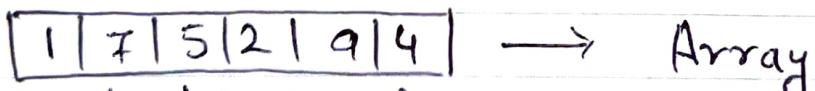
Day 17 Linked List

Linked List is a linear data structure also known as sequential data structure, which are connected together via links. The elements of linked list are not stored at contiguous memory locations. The elements in a linked list are linked using pointers as shown in the below image:



In simple words, a linked list consists of nodes where each node contains a data field and a reference (link) to the next node in the list.

^{list}
linked list is very different from array



Single block of memory with partitions



Multiple blocks of memory linked to each other.

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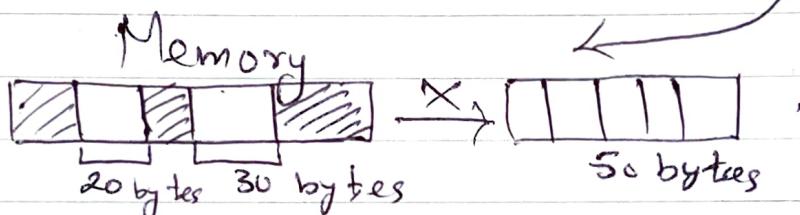
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* Limitations in arrays

> Fixed size

> Contiguous block of memory

> Inserting or deleting is costly.



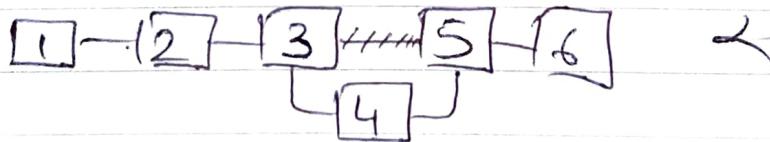
for eg: we cannot assign 50 bytes of memory because in arrays we need contiguous block of memory.

* Properties of Linked List

> Size can be modified

> Non-contiguous memory

> Insertion and deletion at any point is easier.



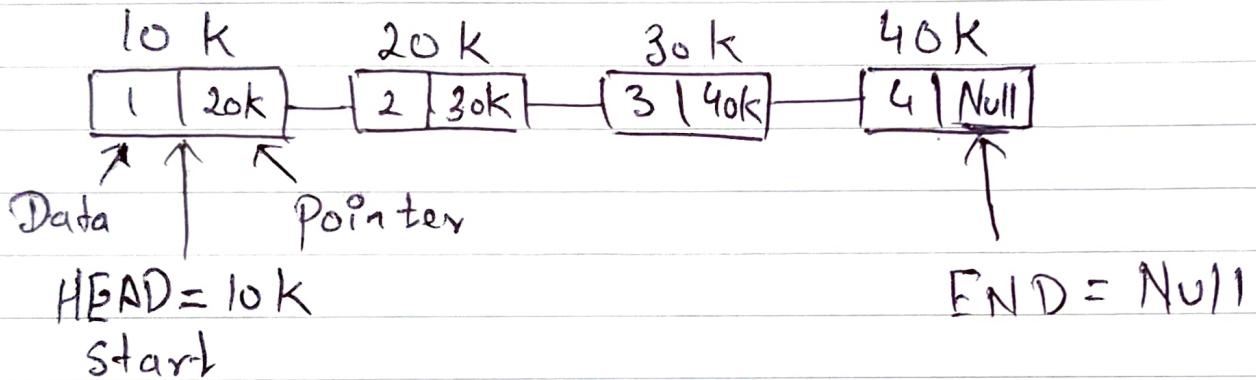
* Structure of Linked list

NODE:	Data	Next
	10	Point

A node is a collection of two - sub elements or parts

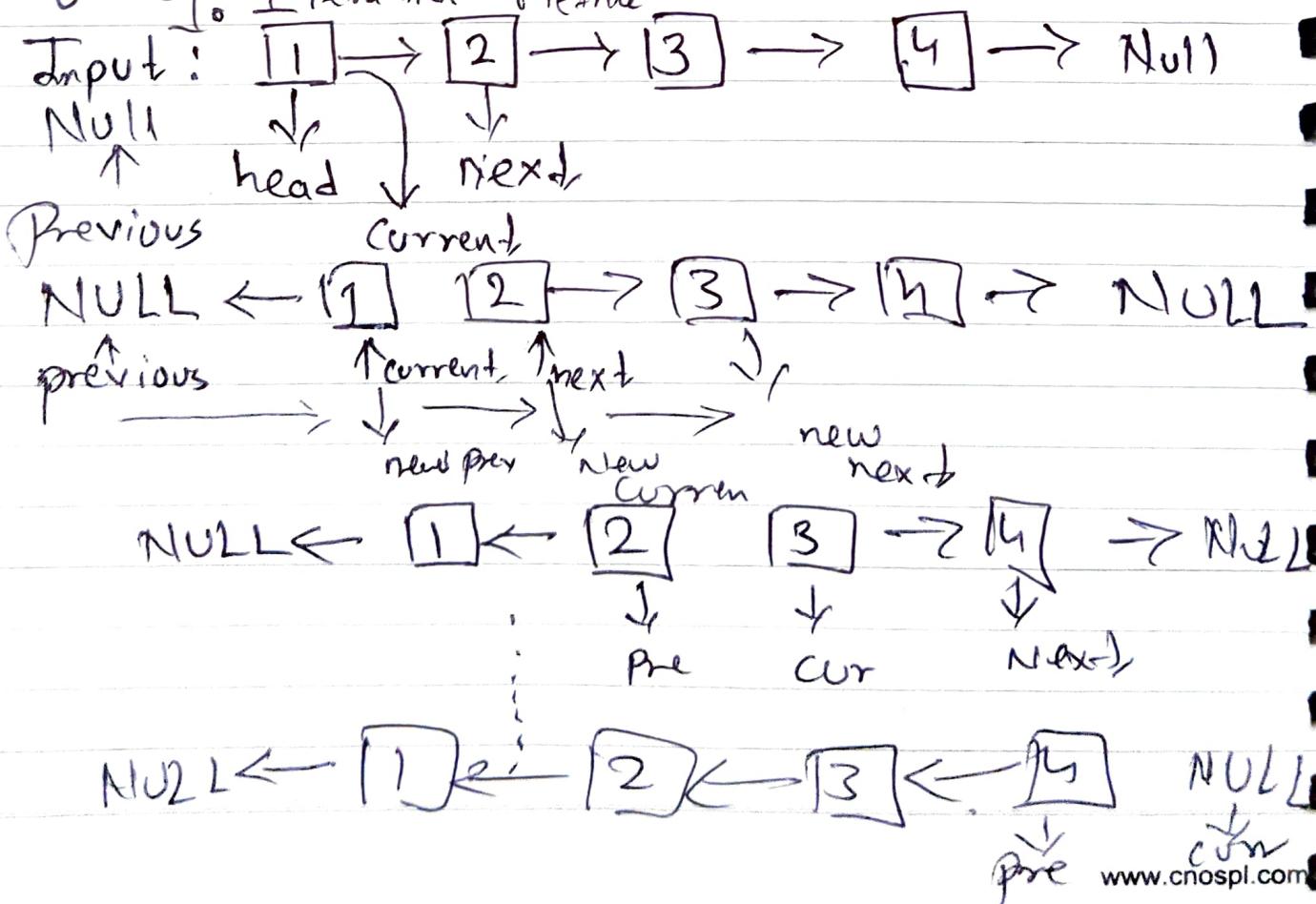
A data part that stores the elements and a next part that stores the link to the next node. A linked list is formed when many such nodes are linked together to form a chain.

Example of a Node [Data | Next]

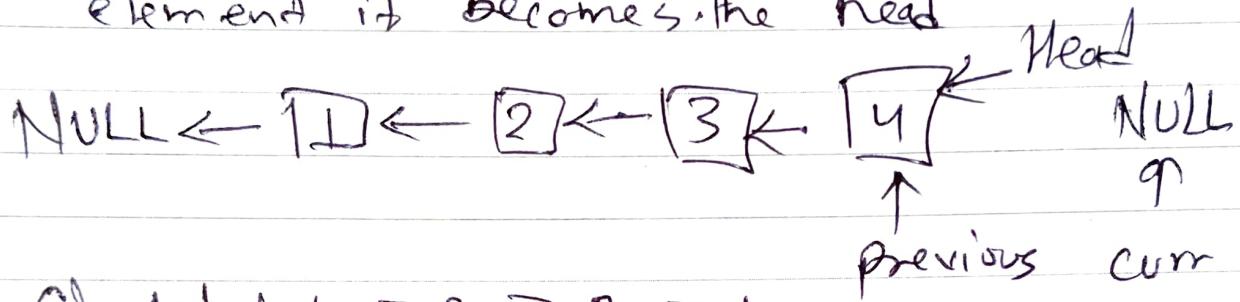


Day 18 Reverse a linked list

1. Iterative Method

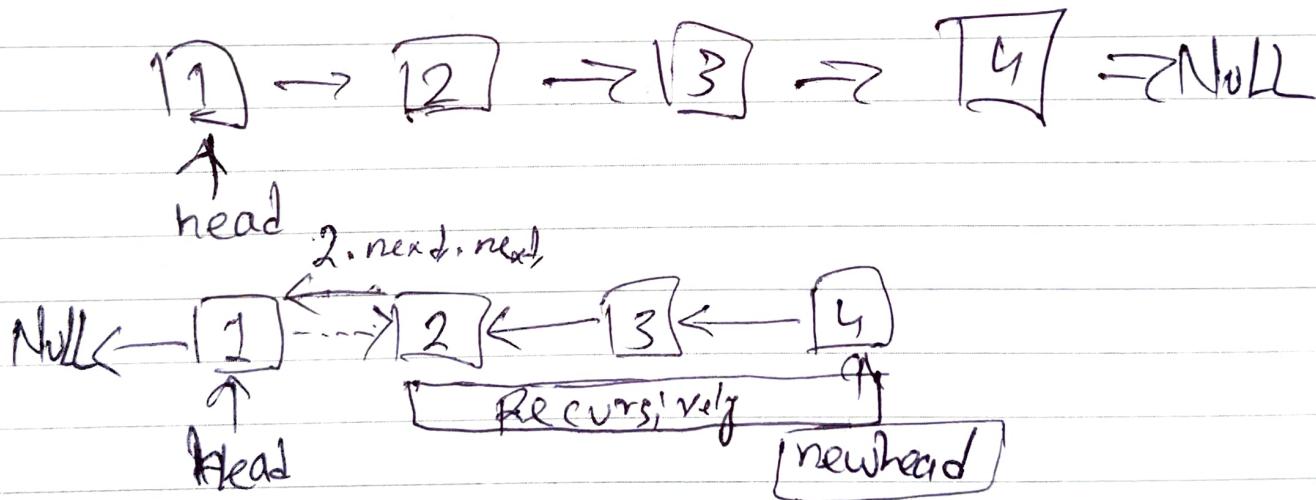


When previous traverse through n-1 element it becomes the head

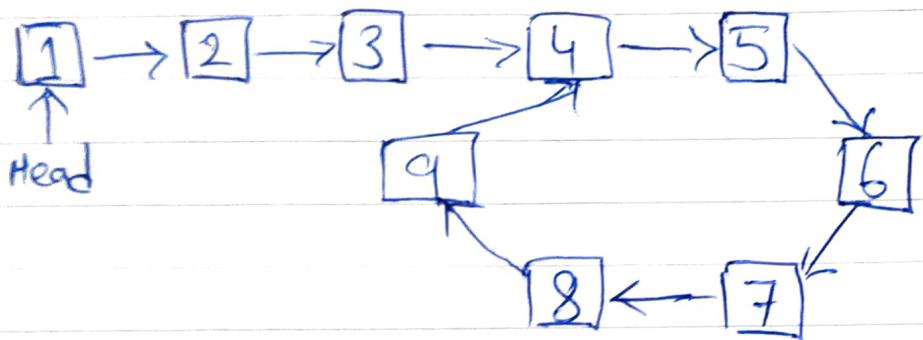


Output: 4 → 3 → 2 → 1

2. Recursive Method



Day 19 Detection and Removal of Cycle in Linked List



How to detect cycle in a linked list?

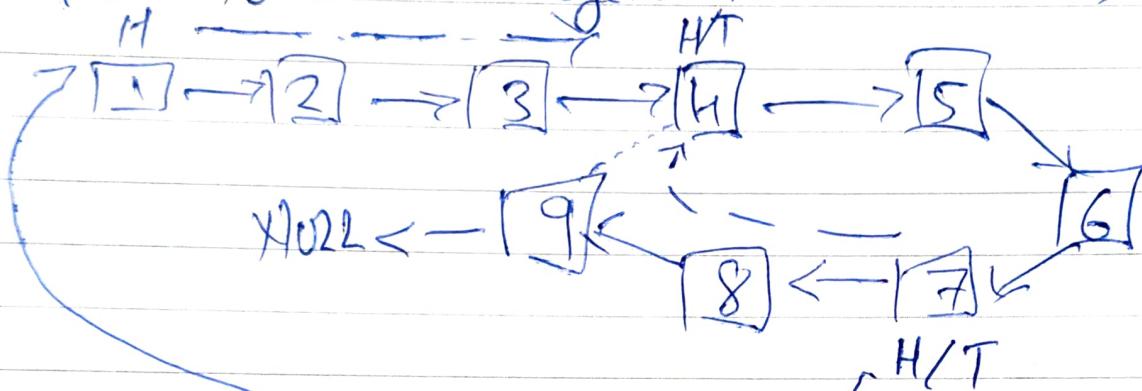
Using Floyd's Algorithm or Hare & Tortoise algorithm



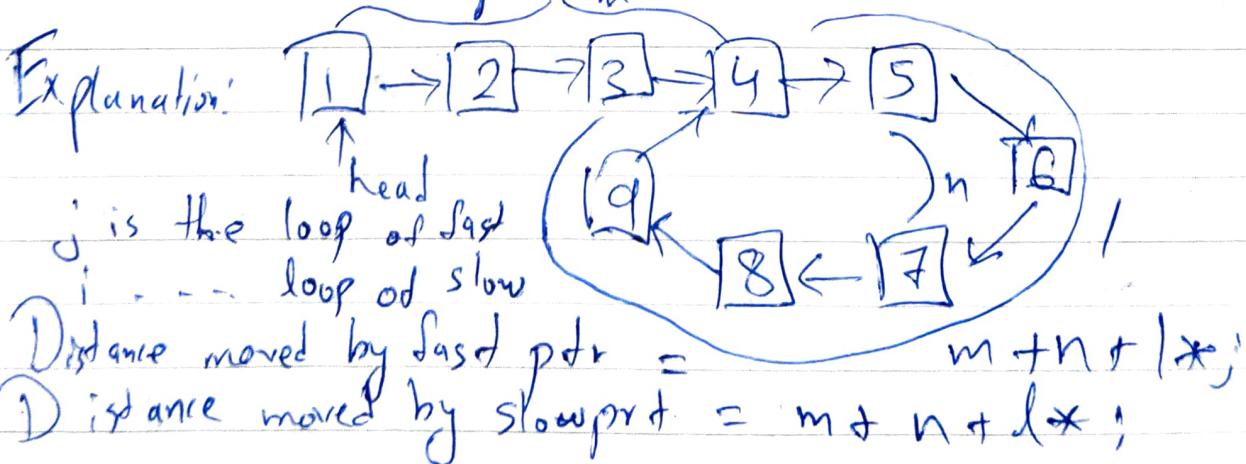
Hare \rightarrow H
& Tortoise \rightarrow T
meet at. Node of 9

So this algorithm Use two pointers
the Tortoise is the slow one using one
step and the hare is the fast one using
two step if the 2 pointers meet at
Same node it will be known as cycle
in linked list is detected

How to remove cycle in a linked list



If found the cycle in the linked list
from the point where two pointers meet
and back one pointer to head and
increment both simultaneously by
1 step and again where they meet
will be our starting point. Then next
pointers meet. The second pointer
will be assigned to null.

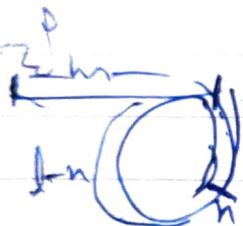


Distance move by last ptr = $2 \times$ Distance moved by slow ptr

$$m + n + l + j = 2 * (m + n + l + i)$$

$$m + n = l + (j - 2 * i)$$

$$m = l + (j - 2 * i) - n$$

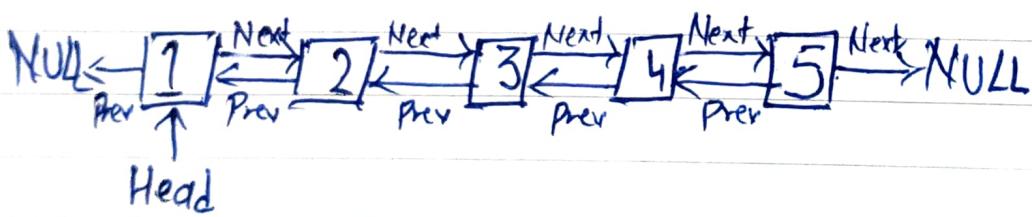


Day 20

Doubly Linked List

Node Structure

Previous	Data	Next
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Invert a
new node $\text{NULL} \leftarrow 1 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow 4 \rightarrow 5 \rightarrow \text{NULL}$

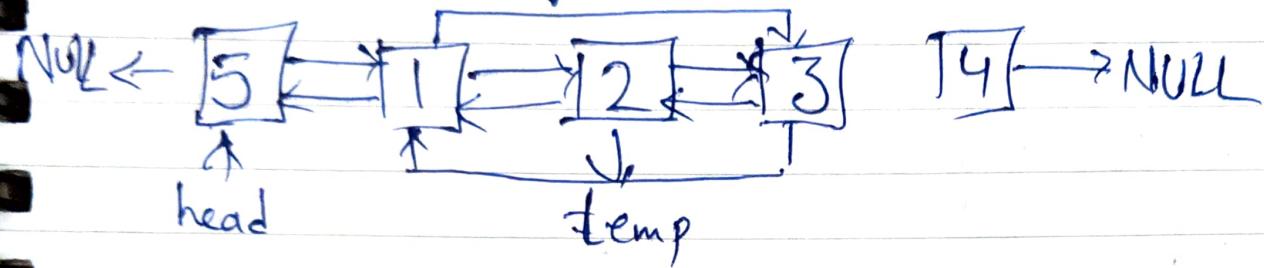
Defn: Doubly Linked list is one in which all nodes are linked together by multiple links which help in accessing both the successor and predecessor node. It contains 3 things Data, next and previous to create a doubly linked list structure.

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DATA STRUCTURE

Deletion in doubly linked list



Day 21

STACK

(Linear Data Structure)

Stores a list of items in which an item can be added to or removed from the list only at one end.

It is based on LIFO mechanism.
i.e Last In First Out.

* Operations O(1)

`push(x)`: It will insert element x on top of stack.

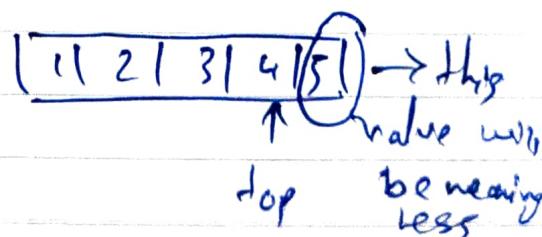
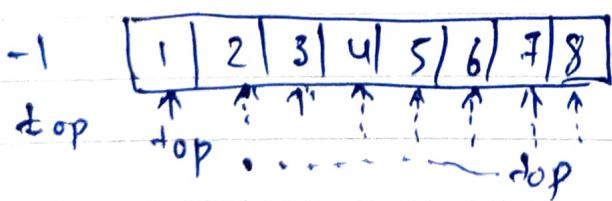
`pop()`: It will remove the top most element.

`top()`: It will return the top most value of the stack.

`empty()`: It will check if the stack is empty or not.

Push

Pop

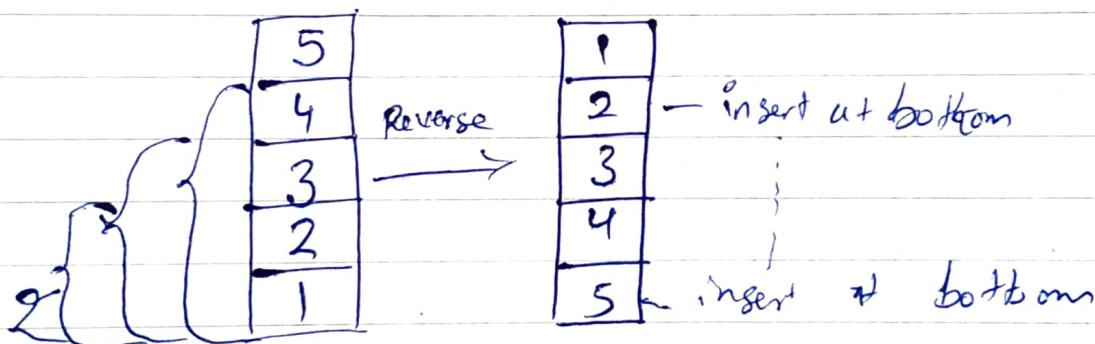


Day 22 Reverse a sentence
using stack.

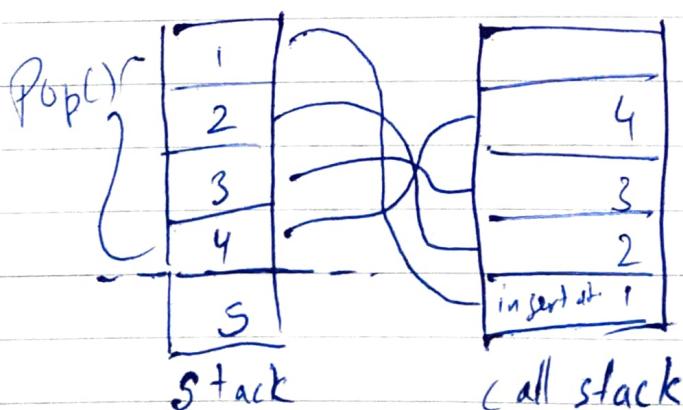
Ex: Hey, how are you. Doing?

Output: doing? you are how, Hey,

Reverse a stack



Insert at Bottom



Day 23 Infix, Prefix, Postfix expressions.

(i) Infix expression $\langle \text{operand} \rangle \langle \text{operator} \rangle \langle \text{operand} \rangle$

$$\begin{array}{c} 2+3 \\ a*c+d \\ (8/2)-5 \end{array} \quad \left. \begin{array}{c} \\ \\ \end{array} \right\} \text{expression}$$

Precedence	
1 ()	$L \rightarrow R$
2 ^	$R \rightarrow L$
3 *, /	$Z \rightarrow R$
4 +, -	

How to evaluate?

$$\begin{array}{c} 4 * 2 + 3 \\ \swarrow \quad \searrow \\ \text{BODMAS} \checkmark (4 * 2) + 3 \quad 4 * (2+3) \end{array}$$

(ii) Prefix expression

Polish notation $\langle \text{operator} \rangle \langle \text{operand} \rangle \langle \text{operator} \rangle \langle \text{operand} \rangle$

$$\begin{array}{c} ((4 * 2) + 3) \\ \text{Infix} \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} + * 4 2 3 \\ \text{Prefix} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} (5 \times (6/3)) \\ \text{Human readable} \end{array}$$

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Computer readable

$\leftarrow \leftarrow \leftarrow \leftarrow$
Right to Left

(iii) Postfix expression $\frac{\text{---}}{\text{---}} \langle \text{operand} \rangle \langle \text{operand} \rangle \langle \text{operator} \rangle$

Reverse polish notation

$$((4 * 2) + 3)$$

$$4 2 * 3 +$$

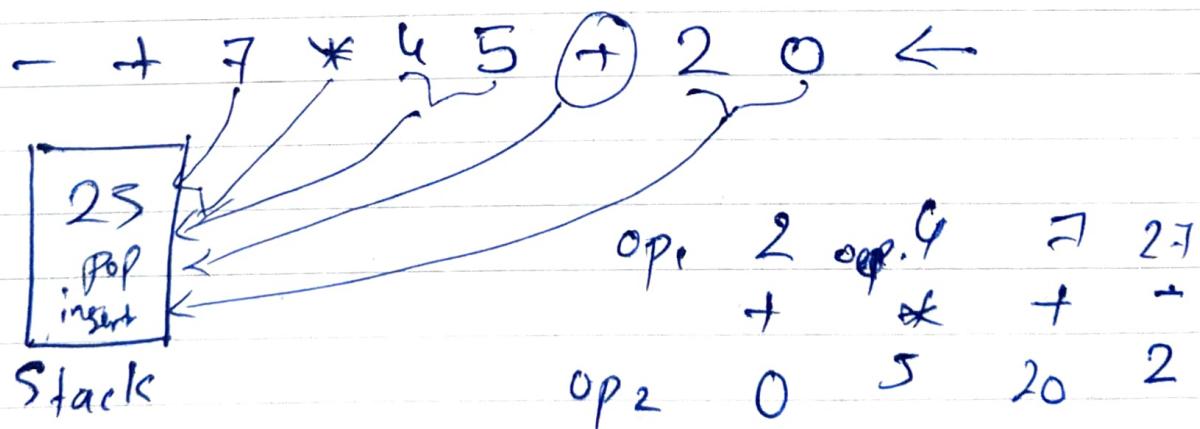
$$(5 - (6 / 3))$$

$$5 6 3 1 -$$

$\rightarrow \rightarrow \rightarrow \rightarrow \rightarrow$

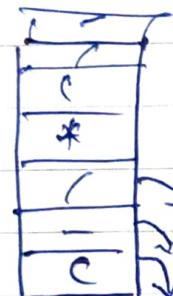
Left to Right

Prefix expression evaluation



Day 24

Infix to Postfix



if operand

print

if '('

push to stack

if ')'

pop from stack and print until
'(' is found.

if operator

pop from stack and print until
an operator with less precedence is found

$(a b c / - a k / f - *$)

A postfix

Infix to Prefix

$(a - b / c) * (a / k - 1)$) reverse

$(1 - k / a) * (c / b - a)$

Then same as Infix to Postfix

$(k a / - c b / a - *)$ reverse
 $* - a / b c - / a k l$

Day 25

Queue (Linear Data Structure)

Stores a list of items in which an item can be inserted at one end and removed from the other end only

It uses FIFO principles to handle data
FIFO - First In First Out.

* Operations in Queue

(i) enqueue (x) :

Similar to push in stack

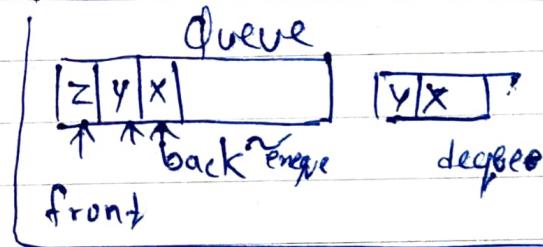
The enqueue operation

insert new element on back.

(ii) dequeue () : Similar to pop and applies on front.

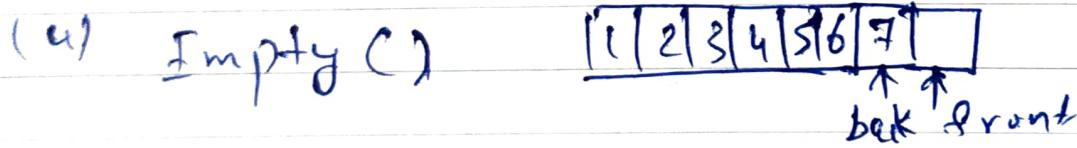
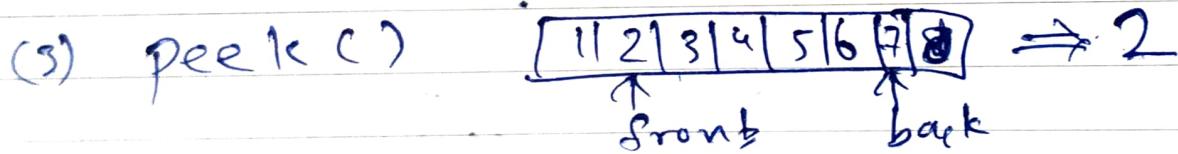
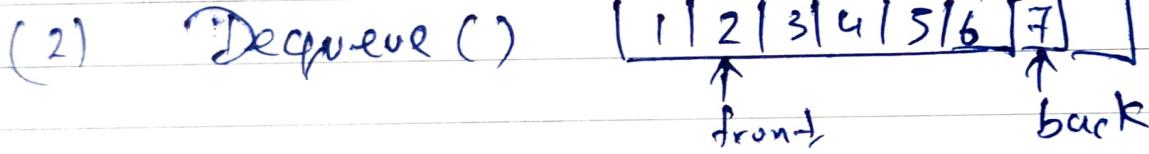
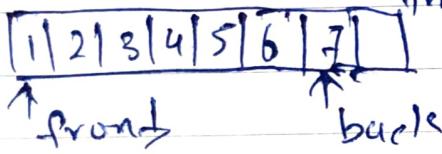
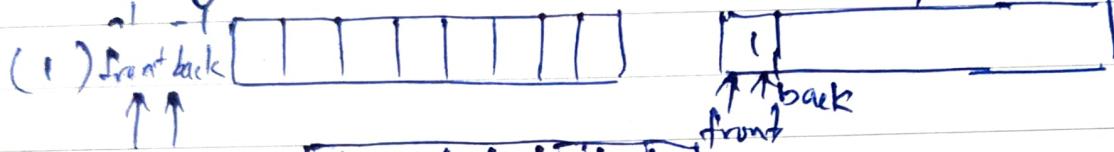
(iii) peek () : It returns the value at front pointer.

(iv) empty () : Returns that the queue is empty or not.



Array Implementation:

enqueue(x)



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Day 26 Linked List Implementation of Queue.



Push() $\text{Front} \rightarrow \text{Back} \rightarrow \text{NULL}$

Pop() $\text{Front} \rightarrow \text{Back} \rightarrow \text{NULL}$
Back

Day 27 Queue Implementation using

2 Stack Approach

Stack1 = [], Stack2 = []

push() Stack1.append(x)

but pop() Stack1.pop() \rightarrow Stack2.append()
Stack1.pop
Stack2.pop()

Recursive Approach \rightarrow Push is same
Stack(C)

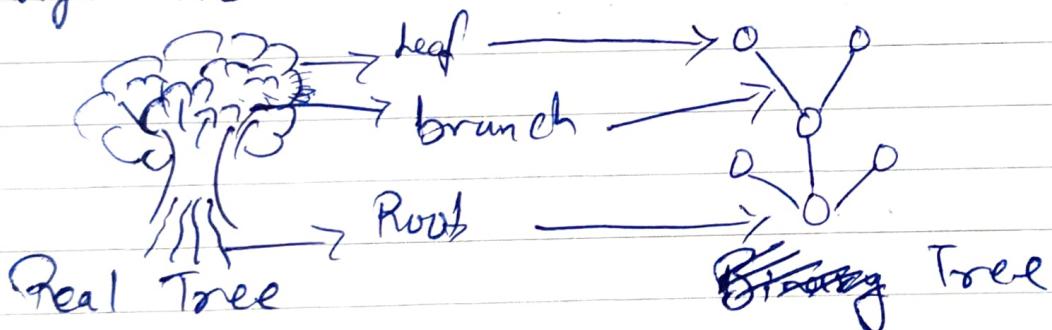
for pop() if stack is not empty

recursively pop the top and store it long term
and then return pop the topmost element

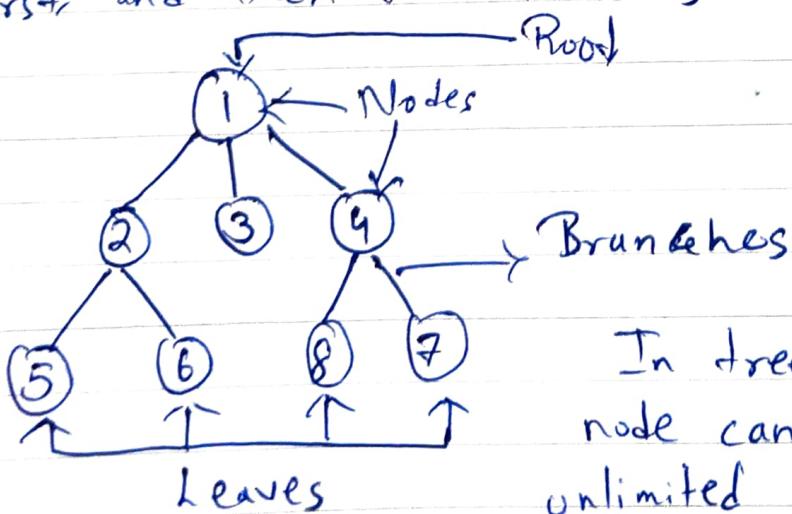
Day 28

Binary Tree (Non-Linear Data Structure)

Defn: A Binary tree is a tree data structure in which each node has at most two children, which are referred to as the left child and the right child.

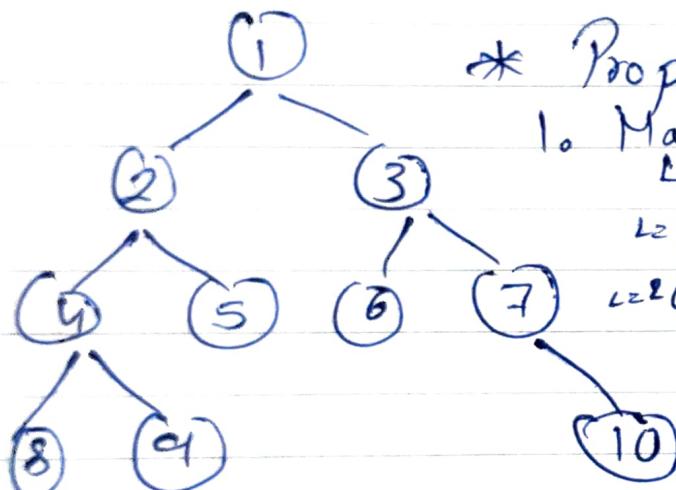


* In computers the tree is represented in opposite direction, i.e. the root is represented first and then the branches.



In trees each node can have unlimited branches or children.

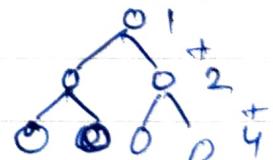
But, in case of Binary Tree the maximum children each node can have is two



Binary Tree

$$\text{Height} = \text{Total no. of Levels}$$

$$H = 2^{H-1} = 2^3 - 1$$



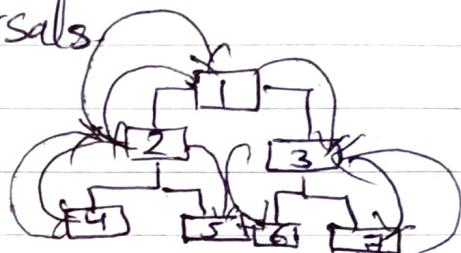
3. For N nodes, minimum possible height or minimum number of levels are $\log_2(N+1)$

4. A binary tree with L leaves has at least $\log_2(N+1) + 1$ number of levels

Day 29 Binary Tree Traversals

1. Preorder Traversal

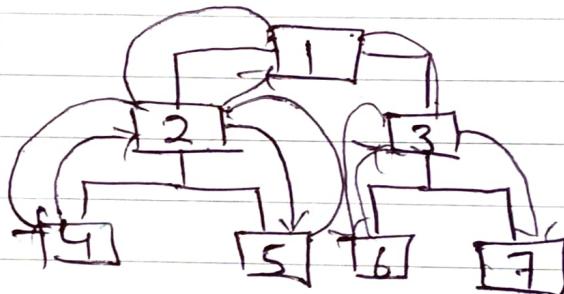
- Read the root
- Read the left subtree
- Read the right subtree



1, 2, 4, 5, 3, 6, 7

2. Inorder Traversal

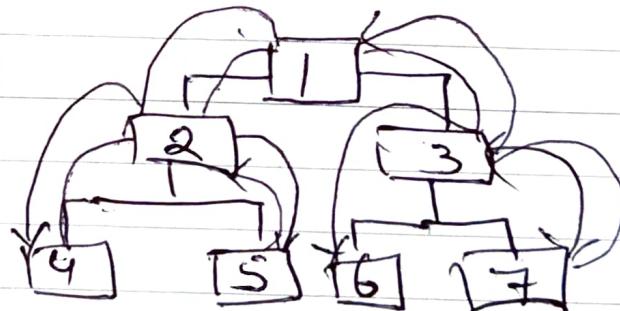
- Left subtree
- Root
- Right subtree



Inorder: 4, 2, 5, 1, 6, 3, 7

3. Postorder Traversal

- Left subtree
- Right subtree
- Root



Postorder: 4, 5, 2, 6, 7, 3, 1

Day 30

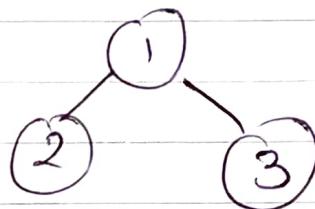
Build tree
from pre order & inorder

Pre order

1 2 3

Inorder

2 1 3
Left ↑ right



Algorithm

1. Pick element from pre order & create a node.
2. Increase pre order's index.
3. Search for picked element's position in inorder.
4. Call to build left subtree from inorder's 0 to pos-1.
5. Call to build right subtree from inorder pos+1 to n.
6. Return the node.