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Please start writing from below :

STRING MATCHING

Naive String matching

→ Basic algo

String a b c d e f g h

Pattern d e f g h

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

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① a b c d e f g h

d e f g h

if pattern is not

matching shift the

the pattern by one

unit

② a b c d e f g h

d e f g h

Shift it till we

get hit

once we find the hit

check the front character

once found then done

③ a b c d e f g h

d e f g h

eg 2

	i	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
string	a	b	c	d	a	b	c	a	b	c	d	f	
pattern	a	b	c	d	f								
		1	2	3	4	5							

pass 1.

	i	j
a	b	c
d	a	b
c	a	b
d	c	d
f		

matching move i and j

a	b	c	d	a	b	c	a	b	c	d	f
a	b	c	d	f							

matching move i & j

a	b	c	d	a	b	c	a	b	c	d	f
a	b	c	d	f							

matching move i & j

uptill here it is matching

a	b	c	d	a	b	c	a	b	c	d	f
a	b	c	d	f							

X not matching → move i to 2nd position

pass 2

a	b	c	d	a	b	c	a	b	c	d	f
a	b	c	d	f							

again starting matching

when i is shifted to 2nd position it is the waste of time. (moved to 5 and shifted back to 1)

a b c d a b c d f
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

a b c d f

j

a b c d a b c a b c d f

a b c d f

j j

a b c d a b c a b c d f

a b c d f

j

a b c d a b c a b c d f

a b c d f

j

a b c d a b c a b c d f

a b c d f

i

j

a b c d a b c a b c d f

a b c d f

j

a b c d a b c a b c d f

a b c d f

i

j

a b c d a b c a b c d f

a b c d f

Similarly d f it will check.

So at the position at which the string where pattern is matched is 8 9 10 11 12

Worst case

n string a a a a a a a b
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

m pattern a a a b
1 2 3 4

does study the pattern only shifting the pattern by one if not matching

If size of string n and pattern is m
 $O(m \times n)$ complexity (Naive).

⇒ Knuth-Morris-Pratt (KMP algo)

Pattern a b c d a b c

prefix ⇒ a, ab, abc, abcd.

Suffix ⇒ c, bc, abc, dabc

Is there any same prefix same as Suffix. (idea of KMP)

Eg π or LPS

P1: a¹b²c³d⁴abeabf
 0 0 0 0 1 2 0 1 2 0

P2: abcdeabfabc
 0 0 0 0 0 1 2 0 1 2 3

P3: aabcadaabe
 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 2 3 0
 0 1 0 0 1 0 1 2 0 0

P4: aaaabaacd
 0 0 1 2 0 1 2 0 0

String: a b a b c a b c a b a b a b
 pattern:

a	b	a	b	d
0	0	1	2	0

string $a \ b \ a \ b \ c \ a \ b \ c \ a \ b \ a \ b \ d$

Complexity $O(m+n)$ $O(m+n)$

π table Search

0	1	2	3	4	5
a	b	a	b	d	
0	0	1	2	0	

$i=1$ $i=a$ } matched then move $i=2$
 $j+1=1$ $j+1=a$ } $j+1=2$
 $j=0$ $j=1$

$i=2=b$ } matched then move $i=3$
 $j=1$ $j+1=2=b$ } $j+1=3$
 $j=2$

$i=3=a$ } matched then move $i=4$
 $j=2$ $j+1=3=a$ } $j+1=4$

$i=4=b$ } matched then move $i=5$
 $j=3$ $j+1=4=b$ } $j+1=5$

$i=5=d$ } not matched
 $j=4$ $j+1=5=c$

0	1	2	3	4	5
a	b	a	b	d	
0	0	1	2	0	

Visit the index (2)

0	1	2	3	4	5
a	b	a	b	d	
0	0	1	2	0	

$j=2$ $i=5$
 $j+1=3$
 $=b$ compare c } not matched

$$\begin{array}{c} \downarrow j \\ \begin{array}{cccccc} & 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 \\ a & b & a & b & d \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 \end{array} \end{array}$$

$j=0=a$ } not matched but can't move j
 $i=5=c$ } beyond zero so move $i=6$

$i=6=a$ } matched move $i=7$ and $j=j+1=2$
 $j+1=0=a$

$i=7=b$ } matched move $i=8$ and $j=j+1=3$
 $j=1=b$

$i=8=c$ } not matched
 $j=2=a$

$$\begin{array}{c} \downarrow j \quad \downarrow i \\ \begin{array}{cccccc} & 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 \\ a & b & a & b & d & a & b & a & b & d \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 \end{array} \end{array}$$

$i=8?$ } not matched
 $j=0$ } a

$i=9a$ move $i=10b$ move $i=11a$ $i=12b$
 $j=1a$ $j=2b$ $j=3a$ $j=4b$

move $i=13a$ } not matched
 $j=1d$

$$\begin{array}{c} \downarrow j \\ \begin{array}{cccc} a & b & a & b & d \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 0 \end{array} \end{array}$$

a	b	a	b	d
0	0	1	2	0

$j=2$ a } match more $j=4$ b }
 $i=13$ a } $i=14$ b }

match move $j=5$ $d=2$ matches = 1
 $i=15$ $d=1$

a b a b d

Complexity String n pattern m ~~$n \times m$~~

$$O(n+m)$$

π table search

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10