--- Day 9: Disk Fragmenter ---

Another push of the button leaves you in the familiar hallways of some
friendly amphipods! Good thing you each somehow got your own personal mini
submarine. The Historians jet away in search of the Chief, mostly by
driving directly into walls.

While The Historians quickly figure out how to pilot these things, you
notice an amphipod in the corner struggling with his computer. He's trying
to make more contiguous free space by compacting all of the files, but his
program isn't working; you offer to help.

He shows you the disk map (your puzzle input) he's already generated. For
example:

2333133121414131402

The disk map uses a dense format to represent the layout of files and free
space on the disk. The digits alternate between indicating the length of a
file and the length of free space.

So, a disk map like 12345 would represent a one-block file, two blocks of
free space, a three-block file, four blocks of free space, and then a five-
block file. A disk map like 90909 would represent three nine-block files in
a row (with no free space between them).

Each file on disk also has an ID number based on the order of the files as
they appear before they are rearranged, starting with ID 0. So, the disk
map 12345 has three files: a one-block file with ID 0, a three-block file
with ID 1, and a five-block file with ID 2. Using one character for each
block where digits are the file ID and . is free space, the disk map 12345
represents these individual blocks:

0..111....22222

The first example above, 2333133121414131402, represents these individual
blocks:

00...111...2...333.44.5555.6666.777.888899

The amphipod would like to move file blocks one at a time from the end of
the disk to the leftmost free space block (until there are no gaps
remaining between file blocks). For the disk map 12345, the process looks
like this:

0..111....22222
02.111....2222.
022111....222..
0221112...22...
02211122..2....
022111222......

The first example requires a few more steps:

00...111...2...333.44.5555.6666.777.888899
009..111...2...333.44.5555.6666.777.88889.
0099.111...2...333.44.5555.6666.777.8888..
00998111...2...333.44.5555.6666.777.888...
009981118..2...333.44.5555.6666.777.88....
0099811188.2...333.44.5555.6666.777.8.....
009981118882...333.44.5555.6666.777.......
0099811188827..333.44.5555.6666.77........
00998111888277.333.44.5555.6666.7.........
009981118882777333.44.5555.6666...........
00998111888277733364.4.5555.666...........
0099811188827773336446.5555.66............
00998111888277733364465555.66.............
0099811188827773336446555566..............

The final step of this file-compacting process is to update the filesystem
checksum. To calculate the checksum, add up the result of multiplying each
of these blocks' position with the file ID number it contains. The leftmost
block is in position 0. If a block contains free space, skip it instead.

Continuing the first example, the first few blocks' position multiplied by
its file ID number are 0 * 0 = 0, 1 * 0 = 0, 2 * 9 = 18, 3 * 9 = 27,
4 * 8 = 32, and so on. In this example, the checksum is the sum of these,
1928.

Compact the amphipod's hard drive using the process he requested. What is
the resulting filesystem checksum? (Be careful copy/pasting the input for
this puzzle; it is a single, very long line.)

Your puzzle answer was 6288599492129.

--- Part Two ---

Upon completion, two things immediately become clear. First, the disk
definitely has a lot more contiguous free space, just like the amphipod
hoped. Second, the computer is running much more slowly! Maybe introducing
all of that file system fragmentation was a bad idea?

The eager amphipod already has a new plan: rather than move individual
blocks, he'd like to try compacting the files on his disk by moving whole
files instead.

This time, attempt to move whole files to the leftmost span of free space
blocks that could fit the file. Attempt to move each file exactly once in
order of decreasing file ID number starting with the file with the highest
file ID number. If there is no span of free space to the left of a file
that is large enough to fit the file, the file does not move.

The first example from above now proceeds differently:

00...111...2...333.44.5555.6666.777.888899
0099.111...2...333.44.5555.6666.777.8888..
0099.1117772...333.44.5555.6666.....8888..
0099.111777244.333....5555.6666.....8888..
00992111777.44.333....5555.6666.....8888..

The process of updating the filesystem checksum is the same; now, this
example's checksum would be 2858.

Start over, now compacting the amphipod's hard drive using this new method
instead. What is the resulting filesystem checksum?

Your puzzle answer was 6321896265143.

Both parts of this puzzle are complete! They provide two gold stars: **

At this point, you should return to your Advent calendar and try another puzzle.

If you still want to see it, you can get your puzzle input.

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