

- Input: `list<int>`
- Sum the absolute difference w/ all other elements in list

Ex. $L = [1 \ 3 \ 5]$

Output[0] = $|1-1| + |1-3| + |1-5| = 6$

Output[1] = $|3-1| + |3-3| + |3-5| = 4$

Output[2] = $|5-1| + |5-3| + |5-5| = 6$

Naive:

- Iterate over every element in nums.
- For each element, enumerate over each value, summing the result

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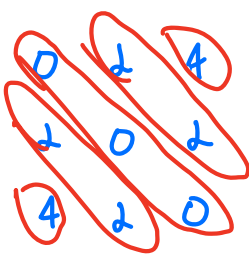
result: [int]
foreach num in nums:
    sum = 0
    for each value in nums
        sum += |value - num|
    result.push-back(sum)

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Improvement:

- Create output array of size n called result, 0 filled

If the above summation were in a matrix



* seems to be a pattern on the diagonal \searrow

input = [1 3 7 16 24 25]

$$\text{Output}[0] = |1-1| + |1-3| + |1-7| + |1-16| + |1-24| + |1-25|$$

$$\text{Output}[1] = |3-1| + |3-3| + |3-7| + |3-16| + |3-24| + |3-25|$$

$$\text{Output}[2] = |7-1| + |7-3| + |7-7| + |7-16| + |7-24| + |7-25|$$

$$\text{Output}[3] = |16-1| + |16-3| + |16-7| + |16-16| + |16-24| + |16-25|$$

$$\text{Output}[4] = |24-1| + |24-3| + |24-7| + |24-16| + |24-24| + |24-25|$$

$$\text{Output}[5] = |25-1| + |25-3| + |25-7| + |25-16| + |25-24| + |25-25|$$

	0	1	2	3	4	5
0	0	2	6	15	23	24
1	2	0	4	13	21	22
2	6	4	0	9	17	18
3	15	13	9	0	8	9
4	23	21	17	8	0	1
5	24	22	18	9	1	0

* Conclusion:



$$|\text{nums}[i] - \text{nums}[j]| == |\text{nums}[j] - \text{nums}[i]|$$

is True

We could pre-calculate a value at $\text{nums}[j]$

map[int,int]

result[int]

for $i = 0 \rightarrow n-1$

map[i+1] += |nums[i] - nums[i+1]|

result = map[i+1]

for $j = i+2 \rightarrow n$

result += |nums[i] - nums[j]|

v.push_back(result)

return v

Close!

Algorithm correct, ordering of code wrong.

Problem: complexity $O(n^2)$!!

nums[int] = [2 3 5]

- Sum the array nums $\text{sum}(\text{nums}) = 10$
- Iterate over all num in nums.
- Track the current sum, for each num, subtract total sum from the current.
This is the r-sum (r-sum = total - current)
- Find the l-sum (l-sum = current; depends on iteration)

nums[int] = [2 3 5]

lsum = 0

rsum = sum(nums) = 10

result[int]

for i = 0 → n

l = nums[i] * (len(nums) - i) + lsum

r = nums[i] * i + rsum

result[i] = r - l

r -= nums[i]

l += nums[i]

→ result.

1.)

i = 0

nums[i] = 2

lsum = 0

rsum = 10

l = 2 * (3 - 0) + 0 = 6

r = 2 * 0 + 10 = 10

res = 10 - 6 = 4

2.)

i = 1

nums[i] = 3

lsum = 2

rsum = 8

l = 3 * (3 - 1) + 2 = 8

r = 3 * 1 + 8 = 11

res = 11 - 8 = 3

3.)

i = 2

nums[i] = 5

lsum = 5

rsum = 5

l = 5 * (3 - 2) + 5 = 10

r = 5 * 2 + 5 = 15

res = 15 - 10 = 5