

Q Find in row wise & col wise sorted matrix

-5	-2	1	13	13 $\rightarrow$ true
-4	0	3	14	2 $\rightarrow$ true
-3	2	6	18	15 $\rightarrow$ false

Brute: Iterate through the whole matrix  
TC:  $O(NM)$

Idea: Start from top right

-5	-2	1	13	$k = 2$
-4	0	3	14	
-3	2 $\leftarrow$	6	18	

Code

$i = 0$

$j = m - 1$

```
while (i < N && j >= 0) {  
    if (a[i][j] == k)  
        return true  
    else if (a[i][j] < k)  
        i++  
    else  
        j--  
}
```

return false

TC:  $O(N)$

linear

Q2 Binary matrix - each row sorted. Find row with max number of 1's. If multiple rows are answer, return smallest row no.

0	0	1	1
1	0	0	1
2	0	1	1

→ 0

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

→ 3

Brute: Count the 1's in each row &  
find which row has max  
 $O(N^2)$

Idea Since rows are sorted, we can use that

# left movement till you have 1's.

Code

```
i = 0
j = n-1
while (i < N && j >= 0) {
    while (j >= 0 && arr[i][j] == -1) {
        j--
        ans = i
    }
    i++
}
return ans
```

TC:

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

ans = 1

TC: same as above

0, 3
0, 2
0, 1
1, 1
1, 0
1, -1
2, 1
3, -1

Q3 Boundary elements Print  $N \times N$  matrix

1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25

ans → 1 2 3 4 5 10 15 20 25  
24 23 22 21 16 11 6

- Idea:
- 1) Print  $N-1$  of first row
  - 2) Print  $N-1$  of last col
  - 3) Print  $N-1$  of last row
  - 4) Print  $N-1$  of first col

1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25

$i=0$   $j=0$   
0, 4

1 2 3 4

Code

$i = 0$

$j = 0$

```
// N-1 of first row
for (k = 0 ; k < n-1 ; k++) d
|   print (a[i][j])
|   j++
}
```

$i = 0$

$j = n-1$

```
// N-1 of last col
for (k = 0 ; k < n-1 ; k++) d
|   print (a[i][j])
|   i++
}
```

$i = n-1$

$j = n-1$

```
// N-1 of last row
for (k = 0 ; k < n-1 ; k++) d
|   print (a[i][j])
|   j--
}
```

$i = n-1$

$j = 0$

```
// N-1 of first col
for (k = 0 ; k < n-1 ; k++) d
|   print (a[i][j])
|   i--
}
```

$i = 0$

$j = 0$

Q4 Spiral print  $N \times N$

1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25

$N=5$   
 $N=3$

ans →

1	2	3	4	5	10	15	20	25
24	23	22	21	16	11	6		
7	8	9	14	19	18	17	12	13

Idea: Is this not equivalent to border printing multiple times? Yes

$i$	$j$	$N$
0	0	5
1	1	3
2	2	1

0,0	$N$	⇒ border
1,1	$N-2$	border
2,2	$N-4$	border
		⋮
		⋮

$N=0$

or  $N=1$

Code

$i = 0$

$j = 0$

while ( $N > 1$ ) {

// N-1 of first row

for ( $k = 0$  ;  $k < n-1$  ;  $k++$ ) {

print ( $a[i][j]$ )

$j++$

}

// N-1 of last col

for ( $k = 0$  ;  $k < n-1$  ;  $k++$ ) {

print ( $a[i][j]$ )

$i++$

}

// N-1 of last row

for ( $k = 0$  ;  $k < n-1$  ;  $k++$ ) {

print ( $a[i][j]$ )

$j--$

}

// N-1 of first col

for ( $k = 0$  ;  $k < n-1$  ;  $k++$ ) {

print ( $a[i][j]$ )

$i--$

}



$N = N - 2$

$i++$

$j++$

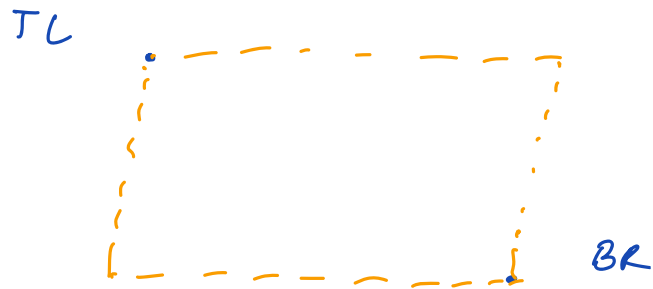
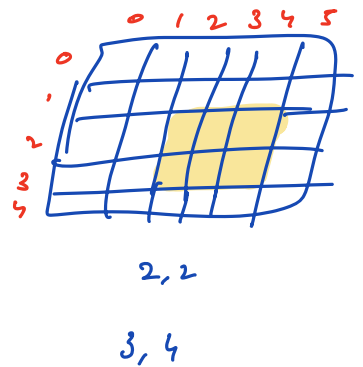
}

if (  $N == 1$  )    print (arr[i][j])

Q5 All submatrix sum

Submatrix like subarray

subarray  $\rightarrow$  s, e  
submatrix  $\rightarrow$  TL, BR

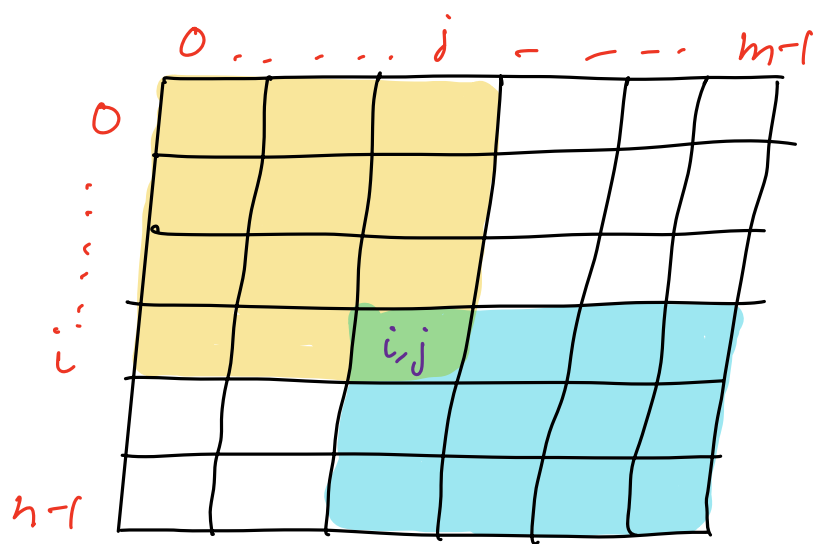


			1	2	3	4
			(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1	2	$\Rightarrow$	(1 2) 3	(1 4) 7		
3	4		$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$	
			= 4	6	10	
				40		

Idea: Have you solved this ques for subarray? yes

How  $\rightarrow$  Contribution Technique

Use same idea



$[i, n-1]$

$$TL \rightarrow (i+1)(j+1)$$

$$BR \rightarrow (n-i)(m-j)$$

Like in subarray  $\Rightarrow$  contribution =  $\overset{s}{(i+1)} \times \overset{e}{n-i}$

submatrix

$$TL \times BR$$

$$(i+1)(j+1)(n-i)(m-j)$$

1 2

$$N=2$$

3 4

$$N=0$$

Code

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

$$TL = (i+1)(j+1)$$

$$BR = (n-i)(m-j)$$

$$contri = TL \times BR$$

$$ans += ar[i][j] \times contri$$

$$TC: O(NM)$$

$$SC: O(1)$$