

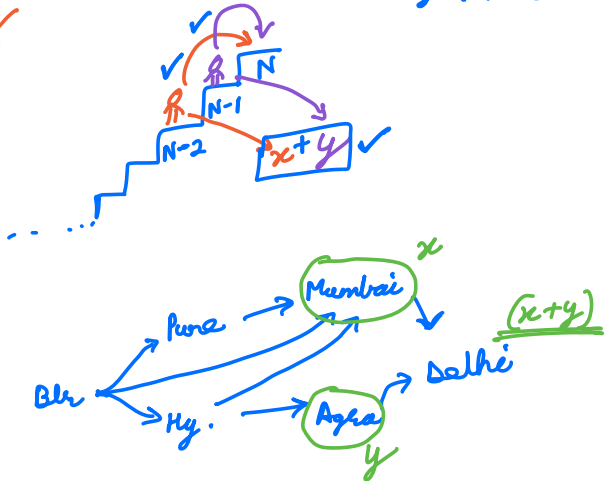
$3 + 2 + 1 + 3 + 5 = 14$  ✓  
 $3 + 2 + 1 + 3 + 5 + 2 = 16$   
 $14 + 2 = 16$   
 using previous computed value ✓✓  
 $16 + 4 = 20$   
 $P[i] = A[i] + P[i-1]$  ✓  
 $TC = O(N) \rightarrow O(1)$  ✓

A → 3 2 1 3 5 2 4  
 Prefix Sum → 3 5 6 9 14 16 20

Q → one step → climb 1 or 2 stairs.  
 In how many ways can we climb N stairs.

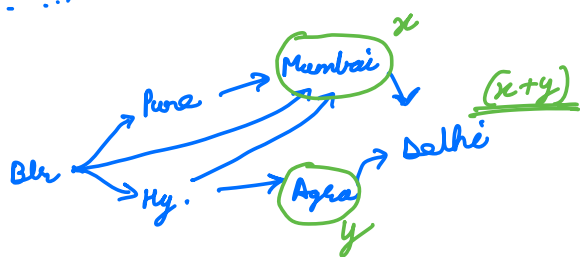
$N=1$  ways(1) = 1 ✓  
 $N=2$  ways(2) = 2  
 (1,1) (2)  
 $N=3$  ways(3) = 3 ✓  
 (1,1,1) (2,1) (1,2)  
 $N=5$  3 + 5 = 8 ✓

$N=4$   
 (1,1,1,1)  
 (2,1,1)  
 (1,2,1)  
 (1,1,2)  
 (2,2)  
 ways(4) = 5 ✓



look 1 state back from final position. ✓

$ways(N) = ways(N-1) + ways(N-2)$  ✓  
 $\begin{cases} ways(1) = 1 \\ ways(0) = 1 \end{cases}$  (person do not move)



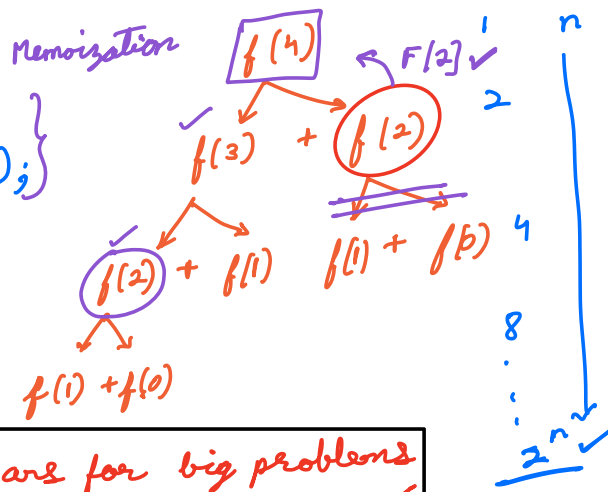
Fibonacci Numbers →  $F[N] = F[N-1] + F[N-2]$  for  $N > 1$   
 $F[N] = 1$  for  $N \leq 1$

1	1	2	3	5	8	13	...
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	

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int fib(n) {
    if (n <= 1) return 1;
    if (F[N] > 0) return F[N];
    F[N] = return fib(n-1) + fib(n-2);
    return F[N];
}
```

3  
 $TC \leq O(2^N)$

$SC = O(N)$  → Height of recursion tree.



Optimal substructure → calculate ans for big problems using smaller subproblems. ✓

Overlapping subproblems → some subproblem is computed multiple times. ✓ → Use DP ✓

→ Store subproblem to avoid recalculation. ✓✓

$TC = O(N)$  → every value is calculated only once.

$SC = O(N)$  → recursion  
 F[1] ✓

✓ Top Down DP / Recursive DP → start from big problem → smaller problem for which we know the answer.  
 (Recursion + Memoization)

✓ Bottom Up DP / Iterative DP → start with smallest problem → big problem.  
 for which we know the answer

↓  
 Sometimes can be solved in  $SC = O(1)$  ✓

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F[0] = 1; F[1] = 1;
for (i = 2; i <= n; i++) {
    F[i] = F[i-1] + F[i-2];
}
return F[n];
```

$TC = O(N)$   
 $SC = O(N)$  ✓

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a = 1; b = 1; c = 1;
for (i = 2; i <= n; i++) {
    c = a + b;
    a = b; b = c;
}
return c;
```

$TC = O(N)$   
 $SC = O(1)$  ✓

Q → Find min no. of perfect sq. to add s.t sum = N.

N=6 →  $1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2$   
 $2^2 + 1^2 + 1^2$  ✓ Ans = 3

N=9 →  $1^2 + 1^2 + \dots + 1^2$  (9 times)  
 $2^2 + 1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2$   
 $2^2 + 2^2 + 1^2$   
 $3^2$  ✓ Ans = 1

N=12 →  $12 - 3^2 = 3 - 1^2 = 2 - 1^2 = 1 - 1^2 = 0$   
 $12 = 2^2 + 2^2 + 2^2$  ⇒ Ans = 3

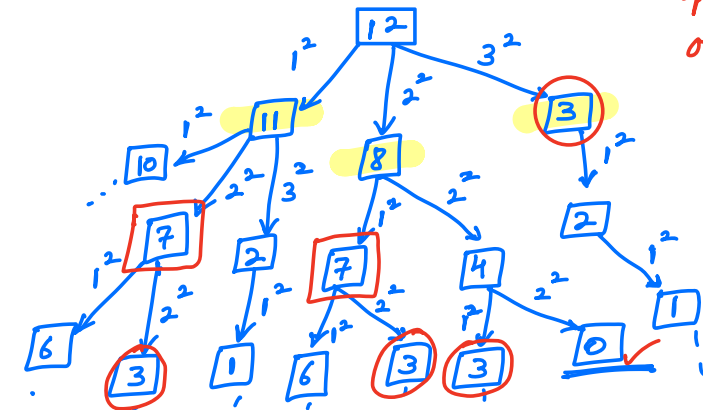
Greedy →  $N - (\text{greatest perfect sq.} \leq N)$   
 do this till the no. = 0

eg →  $N=6 - 2^2 = 2 - 1^2 = 1 - 1^2 = 0$

$N=10 - 3^2 = 1 - 1^2 = 0$  ✓

optimal substructure ✓  
 overlapping subproblems ✓

↓  
DP



$dp[12] = 1 + \min(dp[11], dp[8], dp[3])$  →  $x=1, 2, 3 \quad x^2 \leq 12$

$dp[n] = 1 + \min(dp[n-x^2])$   
 $\forall x \text{ s.t. } x^2 \leq n$

$dp[0] = 0$

↓  
 No perfect sq. is req.  
 to make sum = 0.

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dp[0] = 0; // dp[n+1];
for (i = 1; i <= n; i++) {
    dp[i] = i; // adding 1^2, i times ←
    for (x = 1; x * x <= i; x++) {
        dp[i] = min(dp[i], 1 + dp[i - x^2]);
    }
}
return dp[n];
  
```

TC =  $O(N\sqrt{N})$  ✓ SC =  $O(N)$  ✓

$N=8$   $i=4$   
 $x=x^2$

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

$$dp[4] = \min(dp[4], 1 + dp[4-2^2]) = 1$$

4, 1 + 0

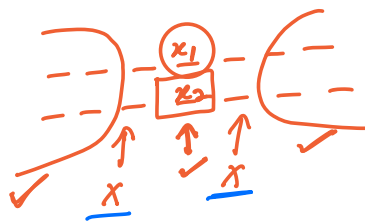
Q → Given a  $2 \times N$  matrix of numbers.  
 Find max sum by selecting same elements s.t  
 elements are not adjacent horizontally, vertically or  
 diagonally.

$\begin{matrix} x & \circ & x \\ x & x & x \end{matrix}$

$M \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 & 8 & 5 & 1 & 6 \\ 4 & 1 & 5 & 2 & 3 & 8 \end{bmatrix}_{2 \times N}$

Ans = 20 ✓

observation ⇒  
 (greedy)



✓ column only one element is  
 selected & its selection will  
 not effect other selections. ✓

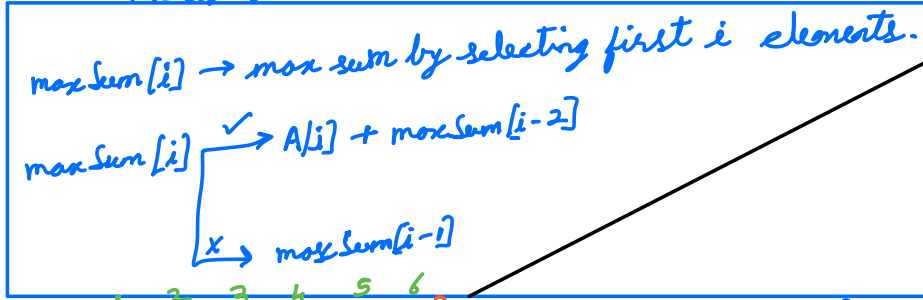
$A[i] = \max(M[0][i], M[1][i]) \quad \forall i$  ✓

$A \rightarrow [4, 1, 8, 5, 3, 8]$

Ans = 20

$\begin{matrix} i \rightarrow [i-1] \times \\ [i+1] \times \end{matrix}$

✓ elements  $\begin{cases} \rightarrow \text{take it} \\ \rightarrow \text{leave it} \end{cases}$



$A \rightarrow [4, 1, 8, 5, 3, 8]$   
 $\text{maxSum} \rightarrow [0, 4, 4, 12, 12, 20]$  → Ans

TC =  $O(N)$   
 SC =  $O(N) \rightarrow O(1)$

only previous 2  
 values are req to  
 get current answer. ✓

$$\text{maxSum}[i] \begin{cases} \rightarrow \max(\text{max}(M[0][i], M[1][i]) + \text{maxSum}[i-2]) \\ \rightarrow \text{maxSum}[i-1] \end{cases}$$

✓