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Swap Adjacent Bits



DESCRIPTION

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You're given an arbitrary 32-bit integer $\,n\,$. Take its binary representation, split bits into it in pairs (bit number $\,0\,$ and $\,1\,$, bit number $\,2\,$ and $\,3\,$, etc.) and swap bits in each pair. Then return the result as a decimal number.

Example

• For n = 13 , the output should be swapAdjacentBits(n) = 14 . 13₁₀ = 1101₂ ~> {11}{01}₂ ~> 1110₂ = 14₁₀ .

• For n = 74, the output should be

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swapAdjacentBits(n) = 133.
```

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74_{10} = 01001010_2 \sim \{01\}\{00\}\{10\}\{10\}_2 \sim 10000101_2 = 133_{10}.
```

Note the preceding zero written in front of the initial number: since both numbers are 32-bit integers, they have 32 bits in their binary representation. The preceding zeros in other cases don't matter, so they are omitted. Here, however, it does make a difference.

Input/Output

- [execution time limit] 4 seconds (js)
- [input] integer n

Guaranteed constraints:

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0 \le n < 2^{30}.
```

• [output] integer

[JavaScript (ES6)] Syntax Tips

```
// Prints help message to the console
// Returns a string
function helloWorld(name) {
    console.log("This prints to the console when you Run Tests");
    return "Hello, " + name;
}
```

