

Problem 4: Median of Two Sorted Arrays

Problem Information

Difficulty: **Hard**

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

Problem Description

Given two sorted arrays

nums1

and

nums2

of size

m

and

n

respectively, return

the median

of the two sorted arrays.

The overall run time complexity should be

$O(\log(m+n))$

.

Example 1:

Input:

nums1 = [1,3], nums2 = [2]

Output:

2.00000

Explanation:

merged array = [1,2,3] and median is 2.

Example 2:

Input:

nums1 = [1,2], nums2 = [3,4]

Output:

2.50000

Explanation:

merged array = [1,2,3,4] and median is $(2 + 3) / 2 = 2.5$.

Constraints:

nums1.length == m

nums2.length == n

$0 \leq m \leq 1000$

$0 \leq n \leq 1000$

1 <= m + n <= 2000

-10

6

<= nums1[i], nums2[i] <= 10

6

Code Snippets

C++:

```
class Solution {  
public:  
    double findMedianSortedArrays(vector<int>& nums1, vector<int>& nums2) {  
  
    }  
};
```

Java:

```
class Solution {  
    public double findMedianSortedArrays(int[] nums1, int[] nums2) {  
  
    }  
}
```

Python3:

```
class Solution:  
    def findMedianSortedArrays(self, nums1: List[int], nums2: List[int]) ->  
        float:
```

Python:

```
class Solution(object):  
    def findMedianSortedArrays(self, nums1, nums2):  
        """
```

```

:type nums1: List[int]
:type nums2: List[int]
:rtype: float
"""

```

JavaScript:

```

/**
 * @param {number[]} nums1
 * @param {number[]} nums2
 * @return {number}
 */
var findMedianSortedArrays = function(nums1, nums2) {

};

```

TypeScript:

```

function findMedianSortedArrays(nums1: number[], nums2: number[]): number {

};

```

C#:

```

public class Solution {
    public double FindMedianSortedArrays(int[] nums1, int[] nums2) {

    }
}

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C:

```

double findMedianSortedArrays(int* nums1, int nums1Size, int* nums2, int
nums2Size) {

}

```

Go:

```

func findMedianSortedArrays(nums1 []int, nums2 []int) float64 {

}

```

Kotlin:

```
class Solution {  
    fun findMedianSortedArrays(nums1: IntArray, nums2: IntArray): Double {  
  
    }  
}
```

Swift:

```
class Solution {  
    func findMedianSortedArrays(_ nums1: [Int], _ nums2: [Int]) -> Double {  
  
    }  
}
```

Rust:

```
impl Solution {  
    pub fn find_median_sorted_arrays(nums1: Vec<i32>, nums2: Vec<i32>) -> f64 {  
  
    }  
}
```

Ruby:

```
# @param {Integer[]} nums1  
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PHP:

```
class Solution {  
  
    /**  
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Dart:

```
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}
```

Scala:

```
object Solution {  
  def findMedianSortedArrays(nums1: Array[Int], nums2: Array[Int]): Double = {  
  
  }  
}
```

Elixir:

```
defmodule Solution do  
  @spec find_median_sorted_arrays(nums1 :: [integer], nums2 :: [integer]) ::  
    float  
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Solutions

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