

Problem 169: Majority Element

Problem Information

Difficulty: [Easy](#)

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

Problem Description

Given an array

nums

of size

n

, return

the majority element

The majority element is the element that appears more than

$\lceil n / 2 \rceil$

times. You may assume that the majority element always exists in the array.

Example 1:

Input:

nums = [3,2,3]

Output:

3

Example 2:

Input:

nums = [2,2,1,1,1,2,2]

Output:

2

Constraints:

$n == \text{nums.length}$

$1 <= n <= 5 * 10$

4

-10

9

$<= \text{nums}[i] <= 10$

9

The input is generated such that a majority element will exist in the array.

Follow-up:

Could you solve the problem in linear time and in

$O(1)$

space?

Code Snippets

C++:

```
class Solution {  
public:  
    int majorityElement(vector<int>& nums) {  
  
    }  
};
```

Java:

```
class Solution {  
public int majorityElement(int[] nums) {  
  
}  
}
```

Python3:

```
class Solution:  
    def majorityElement(self, nums: List[int]) -> int:
```

Python:

```
class Solution(object):  
    def majorityElement(self, nums):  
        """  
        :type nums: List[int]  
        :rtype: int  
        """
```

JavaScript:

```
/**  
 * @param {number[]} nums  
 * @return {number}  
 */  
var majorityElement = function(nums) {
```

```
};
```

TypeScript:

```
function majorityElement(nums: number[]): number {  
}  
};
```

C#:

```
public class Solution {  
    public int MajorityElement(int[] nums) {  
        }  
    }  
}
```

C:

```
int majorityElement(int* nums, int numsSize) {  
  
}
```

Go:

```
func majorityElement(nums []int) int {  
  
}
```

Kotlin:

```
class Solution {  
    fun majorityElement(nums: IntArray): Int {  
        }  
    }  
}
```

Swift:

```
class Solution {  
    func majorityElement(_ nums: [Int]) -> Int {  
        }  
    }
```

```
}
```

Rust:

```
impl Solution {
    pub fn majority_element(nums: Vec<i32>) -> i32 {
        }
}
```

Ruby:

```
# @param {Integer[]} nums
# @return {Integer}
def majority_element(nums)

end
```

PHP:

```
class Solution {

    /**
     * @param Integer[] $nums
     * @return Integer
     */
    function majorityElement($nums) {

    }
}
```

Dart:

```
class Solution {
    int majorityElement(List<int> nums) {
        }
}
```

Scala:

```
object Solution {  
    def majorityElement(nums: Array[Int]): Int = {  
        }  
    }  
}
```

Elixir:

```
defmodule Solution do  
  @spec majority_element(list :: [integer]) :: integer  
  def majority_element(list) do  
  
  end  
end
```

Erlang:

```
-spec majority_element(list :: [integer()]) -> integer().  
majority_element(List) ->  
.
```

Racket:

```
(define/contract (majority-element list)  
  (-> (listof exact-integer?) exact-integer?)  
)
```

Solutions

C++ Solution:

```
/*  
 * Problem: Majority Element  
 * Difficulty: Easy  
 * Tags: array, hash, sort  
 *  
 * Approach: Use two pointers or sliding window technique  
 * Time Complexity: O(n) or O(n log n)  
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public int majorityElement(int[] nums) {  
  
}  
}
```

Python3 Solution:

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"""  
  
class Solution:  
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        # TODO: Implement optimized solution  
        pass
```

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