

Problem 2656: Maximum Sum With Exactly K Elements

Problem Information

Difficulty: [Easy](#)

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

Problem Description

You are given a

0-indexed

integer array

nums

and an integer

k

. Your task is to perform the following operation

exactly

k

times in order to maximize your score:

Select an element

m

from

nums

.

Remove the selected element

m

from the array.

Add a new element with a value of

$m + 1$

to the array.

Increase your score by

m

.

Return

the maximum score you can achieve after performing the operation exactly

k

times.

Example 1:

Input:

nums = [1,2,3,4,5], k = 3

Output:

18

Explanation:

We need to choose exactly 3 elements from nums to maximize the sum. For the first iteration, we choose 5. Then sum is 5 and nums = [1,2,3,4,6] For the second iteration, we choose 6. Then sum is 5 + 6 and nums = [1,2,3,4,7] For the third iteration, we choose 7. Then sum is 5 + 6 + 7 = 18 and nums = [1,2,3,4,8] So, we will return 18. It can be proven, that 18 is the maximum answer that we can achieve.

Example 2:

Input:

nums = [5,5,5], k = 2

Output:

11

Explanation:

We need to choose exactly 2 elements from nums to maximize the sum. For the first iteration, we choose 5. Then sum is 5 and nums = [5,5,6] For the second iteration, we choose 6. Then sum is 5 + 6 = 11 and nums = [5,5,7] So, we will return 11. It can be proven, that 11 is the maximum answer that we can achieve.

Constraints:

$1 \leq \text{nums.length} \leq 100$

$1 \leq \text{nums}[i] \leq 100$

$1 \leq k \leq 100$

Code Snippets

C++:

```

class Solution {
public:
    int maximizeSum(vector<int>& nums, int k) {

    }
};

```

Java:

```

class Solution {
    public int maximizeSum(int[] nums, int k) {

    }
}

```

Python3:

```

class Solution:
    def maximizeSum(self, nums: List[int], k: int) -> int:

```

Python:

```

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

```

JavaScript:

```

/**
 * @param {number[]} nums
 * @param {number} k
 * @return {number}
 */
var maximizeSum = function(nums, k) {

};

```

TypeScript:

```
function maximizeSum(nums: number[], k: number): number {  
  
};
```

C#:

```
public class Solution {  
    public int MaximizeSum(int[] nums, int k) {  
  
    }  
}
```

C:

```
int maximizeSum(int* nums, int numsSize, int k) {  
  
}
```

Go:

```
func maximizeSum(nums []int, k int) int {  
  
}
```

Kotlin:

```
class Solution {  
    fun maximizeSum(nums: IntArray, k: Int): Int {  
  
    }  
}
```

Swift:

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

Rust:

```

impl Solution {
  pub fn maximize_sum(nums: Vec<i32>, k: i32) -> i32 {

  }
}

```

Ruby:

```

# @param {Integer[]} nums
# @param {Integer} k
# @return {Integer}
def maximize_sum(nums, k)

end

```

PHP:

```

class Solution {

  /**
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Dart:

```

class Solution {
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Scala:

```

object Solution {
  def maximizeSum(nums: Array[Int], k: Int): Int = {

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Elixir:

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defmodule Solution do
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Solutions

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        # TODO: Implement optimized solution  
        pass
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