

Problem 1685: Sum of Absolute Differences in a Sorted Array

Problem Information

Difficulty: **Medium**

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

Problem Description

You are given an integer array

`nums`

sorted in

non-decreasing

order.

Build and return

an integer array

`result`

with the same length as

`nums`

such that

`result[i]`

is equal to the

summation of absolute differences

between

`nums[i]`

and all the other elements in the array.

In other words,

`result[i]`

is equal to

$\text{sum}(|\text{nums}[i] - \text{nums}[j]|)$

where

$0 \leq j < \text{nums.length}$

and

$j \neq i$

(

0-indexed

).

Example 1:

Input:

`nums = [2,3,5]`

Output:

[4,3,5]

Explanation:

Assuming the arrays are 0-indexed, then $\text{result}[0] = |2-2| + |2-3| + |2-5| = 0 + 1 + 3 = 4$,
 $\text{result}[1] = |3-2| + |3-3| + |3-5| = 1 + 0 + 2 = 3$, $\text{result}[2] = |5-2| + |5-3| + |5-5| = 3 + 2 + 0 = 5$.

Example 2:

Input:

nums = [1,4,6,8,10]

Output:

[24,15,13,15,21]

Constraints:

$2 \leq \text{nums.length} \leq 10$

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$1 \leq \text{nums}[i] \leq \text{nums}[i + 1] \leq 10$

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Code Snippets

C++:

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

Java:

```

class Solution {
public int[] getSumAbsoluteDifferences(int[] nums) {

}

}

```

Python3:

```

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

```

Python:

```

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

```

JavaScript:

```

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

};

```

TypeScript:

```

function getSumAbsoluteDifferences(nums: number[]): number[] {

};

```

C#:

```

public class Solution {
public int[] GetSumAbsoluteDifferences(int[] nums) {

}

}

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C:

```
/**
 * Note: The returned array must be malloced, assume caller calls free().
 */
int* getSumAbsoluteDifferences(int* nums, int numsSize, int* returnSize){

}
```

Go:

```
func getSumAbsoluteDifferences(nums []int) []int {

}
```

Kotlin:

```
class Solution {
    fun getSumAbsoluteDifferences(nums: IntArray): IntArray {

    }
}
```

Swift:

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

    }
}
```

Rust:

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

    }
}
```

Ruby:

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

end
```

PHP:

```
class Solution {

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

    }

}
```

Scala:

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

    }
}
```

Solutions

C++ Solution:

```
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 * Tags: array, math, sort
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 * Time Complexity: O(n) or O(n log n)
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        # TODO: Implement optimized solution
        pass

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