

# 0-1 Knapsack Problem | DP-10

Given weights and values of  $n$  items and a knapsack capacity  $W$  to get the maximum total value in the knapsack. In other words, given the integer arrays  $val[0..n-1]$  and  $wt[0..n-1]$  which represent values and weights associated with  $n$  items respectively. Also given an integer  $W$  which represents knapsack capacity, find out the maximum value subset of  $val[]$  such that sum of the weights of this subset is smaller than or equal to  $W$ . You cannot break an item, either pick the complete item, or don't pick it (0-1 property).

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## 0-1 Knapsack Problem

`value[] = {60, 100, 120};`  
`weight[] = {10, 20, 30};`  
`W = 50;`

Solution: 220

Weight = 10; Value = 60;  
Weight = 20; Value = 100;  
Weight = 30; Value = 120;  
Weight = (20+10); Value = (100+60);  
Weight = (30+10); Value = (120+60);  
Weight = (30+20); Value = (120+100);  
Weight = (30+20+10) > 50

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A simple solution is to consider all subsets of items and calculate the total weight and value of all subsets. Consider the only subsets whose total weight is smaller than  $W$ . From all such subsets, pick the maximum value subset.

### 1) Optimal Substructure:

To consider all subsets of items, there can be two cases for every item: (1) the item is included in the optimal subset, (2) not included in the optimal set.

Therefore, the maximum value that can be obtained from  $n$  items is max of following two values.

1) Maximum value obtained by  $n-1$  items and  $W$  weight (excluding  $n$ th item).

2) Value of nth item plus maximum value obtained by n-1 items and W minus weight of the nth item (including nth item).

If weight of nth item is greater than W, then the nth item cannot be included and case 1 is the only possibility.

## 2) Overlapping Subproblems

Following is recursive implementation that simply follows the recursive structure mentioned above.

### C++

```
/* A Naive recursive implementation of 0-1 Knapsack problem */
#include <bits/stdc++.h>
using namespace std;

// A utility function that returns maximum of two integers
int max(int a, int b) { return (a > b)? a : b; }

// Returns the maximum value that
// can be put in a knapsack of capacity W
int knapSack(int W, int wt[], int val[], int n)
{
    // Base Case
    if (n == 0 || W == 0)
        return 0;

    // If weight of the nth item is more
    // than Knapsack capacity W, then
    // this item cannot be included
    // in the optimal solution
    if (wt[n-1] > W)
        return knapSack(W, wt, val, n-1);

    // Return the maximum of two cases:
    // (1) nth item included
    // (2) not included
    else return max( val[n-1] + knapSack(W-wt[n-1], wt, val, n-1),
                    knapSack(W, wt, val, n-1) );
}

// Driver code
int main()
{
    int val[] = {60, 100, 120};
    int wt[] = {10, 20, 30};
    int W = 50;
    int n = sizeof(val)/sizeof(val[0]);
    cout<<knapSack(W, wt, val, n);
    return 0;
}

// This code is contributed by rathbhupendra
```

### C

```
/* A Naive recursive implementation of 0-1 Knapsack problem */
#include<stdio.h>

// A utility function that returns maximum of two integers
int max(int a, int b) { return (a > b)? a : b; }
```

```

// Returns the maximum value that can be put in a knapsack of capacity W
int knapSack(int W, int wt[], int val[], int n)
{
    // Base Case
    if (n == 0 || W == 0)
        return 0;

    // If weight of the nth item is more than Knapsack capacity W, then
    // this item cannot be included in the optimal solution
    if (wt[n-1] > W)
        return knapSack(W, wt, val, n-1);

    // Return the maximum of two cases:
    // (1) nth item included
    // (2) not included
    else return max( val[n-1] + knapSack(W-wt[n-1], wt, val, n-1),
                    knapSack(W, wt, val, n-1)
                    );
}

// Driver program to test above function
int main()
{
    int val[] = {60, 100, 120};
    int wt[] = {10, 20, 30};
    int W = 50;
    int n = sizeof(val)/sizeof(val[0]);
    printf("%d", knapSack(W, wt, val, n));
    return 0;
}

```

## Java

```

/* A Naive recursive implementation of 0-1 Knapsack problem */
class Knapsack
{
    // A utility function that returns maximum of two integers
    static int max(int a, int b) { return (a > b)? a : b; }

    // Returns the maximum value that can be put in a knapsack of capacity W
    static int knapSack(int W, int wt[], int val[], int n)
    {
        // Base Case
        if (n == 0 || W == 0)
            return 0;

        // If weight of the nth item is more than Knapsack capacity W, then
        // this item cannot be included in the optimal solution
        if (wt[n-1] > W)
            return knapSack(W, wt, val, n-1);

        // Return the maximum of two cases:
        // (1) nth item included
        // (2) not included
        else return max( val[n-1] + knapSack(W-wt[n-1], wt, val, n-1),
                        knapSack(W, wt, val, n-1)
                        );
    }

    // Driver program to test above function
    public static void main(String args[])
    {

```

```

    int val[] = new int[]{60, 100, 120};
    int wt[] = new int[]{10, 20, 30};
    int W = 50;
    int n = val.length;
    System.out.println(knapSack(W, wt, val, n));
}
}
/*This code is contributed by Rajat Mishra */

```

## Python

```

#A naive recursive implementation of 0-1 Knapsack Problem

# Returns the maximum value that can be put in a knapsack of
# capacity W
def knapSack(W , wt , val , n):

    # Base Case
    if n == 0 or W == 0 :
        return 0

    # If weight of the nth item is more than Knapsack of capacity
    # W, then this item cannot be included in the optimal solution
    if (wt[n-1] > W):
        return knapSack(W , wt , val , n-1)

    # return the maximum of two cases:
    # (1) nth item included
    # (2) not included
    else:
        return max(val[n-1] + knapSack(W-wt[n-1] , wt , val , n-1),
                    knapSack(W , wt , val , n-1))

# end of function knapSack

# To test above function
val = [60, 100, 120]
wt = [10, 20, 30]
W = 50
n = len(val)
print knapSack(W , wt , val , n)

# This code is contributed by Nikhil Kumar Singh

```

## C#

```

/* A Naive recursive implementation of
0-1 Knapsack problem */
using System;

class GFG {

    // A utility function that returns
    // maximum of two integers
    static int max(int a, int b)
    {
        return (a > b)? a : b;
    }

    // Returns the maximum value that can
    // be put in a knapsack of capacity W
    static int knapSack(int W, int []wt,

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```

        int [][]val, int n)
    {

        // Base Case
        if (n == 0 || W == 0)
            return 0;

        // If weight of the nth item is
        // more than Knapsack capacity W,
        // then this item cannot be
        // included in the optimal solution
        if (wt[n-1] > W)
            return knapSack(W, wt, val, n-1);

        // Return the maximum of two cases:
        // (1) nth item included
        // (2) not included
        else return max( val[n-1] +
            knapSack(W-wt[n-1], wt, val, n-1),
            knapSack(W, wt, val, n-1));
    }

    // Driver function
    public static void Main()
    {
        int [][]val = new int[] {60, 100, 120};
        int []wt = new int[] {10, 20, 30};
        int W = 50;
        int n = val.Length;

        Console.WriteLine(knapSack(W, wt, val, n));
    }
}

// This code is contributed by Sam007

```

## PHP

```

<?php
// A Naive recursive implementation
// of 0-1 Knapsack problem

// Returns the maximum value that
// can be put in a knapsack of
// capacity W
function knapSack($W, $wt, $val, $n)
{
    // Base Case
    if ($n == 0 || $W == 0)
        return 0;

    // If weight of the nth item is
    // more than Knapsack capacity
    // W, then this item cannot be
    // included in the optimal solution
    if ($wt[$n - 1] > $W)
        return knapSack($W, $wt, $val, $n - 1);

    // Return the maximum of two cases:
    // (1) nth item included
    // (2) not included
    else
        return max($val[$n - 1] +
            knapSack($W - $wt[$n - 1],

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        $wt, $val, $n - 1),
        knapSack($W, $wt, $val, $n-1));
}

// Driver Code
$val = array(60, 100, 120);
$wt = array(10, 20, 30);
$W = 50;
$n = count($val);
echo knapSack($W, $wt, $val, $n);

// This code is contributed by Sam007
?>

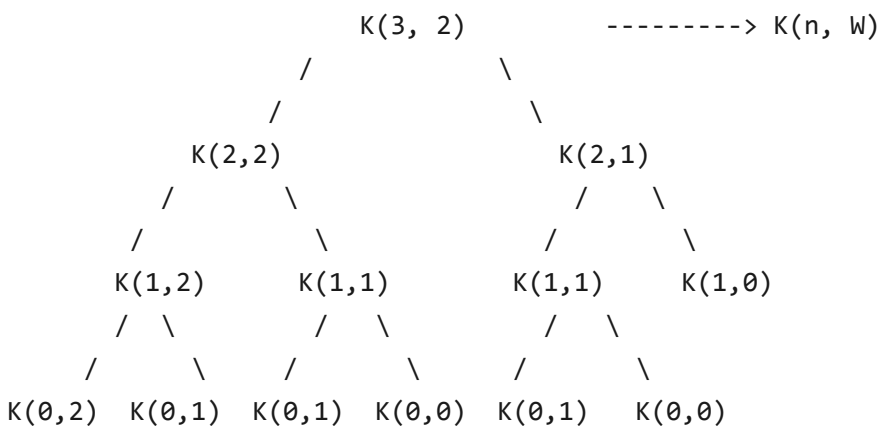
```

Output:

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It should be noted that the above function computes the same subproblems again and again. See the following recursion tree,  $K(1, 1)$  is being evaluated twice. Time complexity of this naive recursive solution is exponential ( $2^n$ ).

In the following recursion tree,  $K()$  refers to  $\text{knapSack}()$ . The two parameters indicated in the following recursion tree are  $n$  and  $W$ . The recursion tree is for following sample inputs.  
 $\text{wt}[] = \{1, 1, 1\}$ ,  $W = 2$ ,  $\text{val}[] = \{10, 20, 30\}$



Recursion tree for Knapsack capacity 2 units and 3 items of 1 unit weight.

Since subproblems are evaluated again, this problem has Overlapping Subproblems property. So the 0-1 Knapsack problem has both properties (see [this](#) and [this](#)) of a dynamic programming problem. Like other typical **Dynamic Programming(DP) problems**, recomputations of same subproblems can be avoided by constructing a temporary array  $K[][]$  in bottom up manner. Following is Dynamic Programming based implementation.

## C++

```

// A Dynamic Programming based solution for 0-1 Knapsack problem
#include<stdio.h>

// A utility function that returns maximum of two integers
int max(int a, int b) { return (a > b)? a : b; }

// Returns the maximum value that can be put in a knapsack of capacity W
int knapSack(int W, int wt[], int val[], int n)

```

```

{
    int i, w;
    int K[n+1][W+1];

    // Build table K[][] in bottom up manner
    for (i = 0; i <= n; i++)
    {
        for (w = 0; w <= W; w++)
        {
            if (i==0 || w==0)
                K[i][w] = 0;
            else if (wt[i-1] <= w)
                K[i][w] = max(val[i-1] + K[i-1][w-wt[i-1]], K[i-1][w]);
            else
                K[i][w] = K[i-1][w];
        }
    }

    return K[n][W];
}

int main()
{
    int val[] = {60, 100, 120};
    int wt[] = {10, 20, 30};
    int W = 50;
    int n = sizeof(val)/sizeof(val[0]);
    printf("%d", knapSack(W, wt, val, n));
    return 0;
}

```

## Java

```

// A Dynamic Programming based solution for 0-1 Knapsack problem
class Knapsack
{
    // A utility function that returns maximum of two integers
    static int max(int a, int b) { return (a > b)? a : b; }

    // Returns the maximum value that can be put in a knapsack of capacity W
    static int knapSack(int W, int wt[], int val[], int n)
    {
        int i, w;
        int K[][] = new int[n+1][W+1];

        // Build table K[][] in bottom up manner
        for (i = 0; i <= n; i++)
        {
            for (w = 0; w <= W; w++)
            {
                if (i==0 || w==0)
                    K[i][w] = 0;
                else if (wt[i-1] <= w)
                    K[i][w] = max(val[i-1] + K[i-1][w-wt[i-1]], K[i-1][w]);
                else
                    K[i][w] = K[i-1][w];
            }
        }

        return K[n][W];
    }
}

```

```

// Driver program to test above function
public static void main(String args[])
{
    int val[] = new int[]{60, 100, 120};
    int wt[] = new int[]{10, 20, 30};
    int W = 50;
    int n = val.length;
    System.out.println(knapSack(W, wt, val, n));
}
}
/*This code is contributed by Rajat Mishra */

```

## Python

```

# A Dynamic Programming based Python Program for 0-1 Knapsack problem
# Returns the maximum value that can be put in a knapsack of capacity W
def knapSack(W, wt, val, n):
    K = [[0 for x in range(W+1)] for x in range(n+1)]

    # Build table K[][] in bottom up manner
    for i in range(n+1):
        for w in range(W+1):
            if i==0 or w==0:
                K[i][w] = 0
            elif wt[i-1] <= w:
                K[i][w] = max(val[i-1] + K[i-1][w-wt[i-1]], K[i-1][w])
            else:
                K[i][w] = K[i-1][w]

    return K[n][W]

# Driver program to test above function
val = [60, 100, 120]
wt = [10, 20, 30]
W = 50
n = len(val)
print(knapSack(W, wt, val, n))

# This code is contributed by Bhavya Jain

```

## C#

```

// A Dynamic Programming based solution for
// 0-1 Knapsack problem
using System;

class GFG {

    // A utility function that returns
    // maximum of two integers
    static int max(int a, int b)
    {
        return (a > b) ? a : b;
    }

    // Returns the maximum value that
    // can be put in a knapsack of
    // capacity W
    static int knapSack(int W, int []wt,
                        int []val, int n)
    {
        int i, w;
    }
}

```



```

int [,]K = new int[n+1,W+1];

// Build table K[][] in bottom
// up manner
for (i = 0; i <= n; i++)
{
    for (w = 0; w <= W; w++)
    {
        if (i == 0 || w == 0)
            K[i,w] = 0;
        else if (wt[i-1] <= w)
            K[i,w] = Math.Max(val[i-1]
                               + K[i-1,w-wt[i-1]],
                               K[i-1,w]);
        else
            K[i,w] = K[i-1,w];
    }
}

return K[n,W];
}

// Driver code
static void Main()
{
    int []val = new int[]{60, 100, 120};
    int []wt = new int[]{10, 20, 30};
    int W = 50;
    int n = val.Length;

    Console.WriteLine(
        knapSack(W, wt, val, n));
}

// This code is contributed by Sam007

```

## PHP

```

<?php
// A Dynamic Programming based solution
// for 0-1 Knapsack problem

// Returns the maximum value that
// can be put in a knapsack of
// capacity W
function knapSack($W, $wt, $val, $n)
{
    $K = array(array());

    // Build table K[][] in
    // bottom up manner
    for ($i = 0; $i <= $n; $i++)
    {
        for ($w = 0; $w <= $W; $w++)
        {
            if ($i == 0 || $w == 0)
                $K[$i][$w] = 0;
            else if ($wt[$i - 1] <= $w)
                $K[$i][$w] = max($val[$i - 1] +
                                $K[$i - 1][$w -
                                $wt[$i - 1]],
                                $K[$i - 1][$w]);

```

```

        else
            $K[$i][$w] = $K[$i - 1][$w];
        }
    }

    return $K[$n][$W];
}

// Driver Code
$val = array(60, 100, 120);
$wt = array(10, 20, 30);
$W = 50;
$n = count($val);
echo knapSack($W, $wt, $val, $n);

// This code is contributed by Sam007.
?>

```

Output:

220

Time Complexity:  $O(nW)$  where  $n$  is the number of items and  $W$  is the capacity of knapsack.

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