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17. Letter Combinations of a Phone Number

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Given a string containing digits from 2-9 inclusive, return all possible letter combinations that the number could represent. Return the answer in **any order**.

A mapping of digit to letters (just like on the telephone buttons) is given below. Note that 1 does not map to any letters.



Example 1:

Input: digits = "23"

Output: ["ad", "ae", "af", "bd", "be", "bf", "cd", "ce", "cf"]

Example 2:

Input: digits = ""

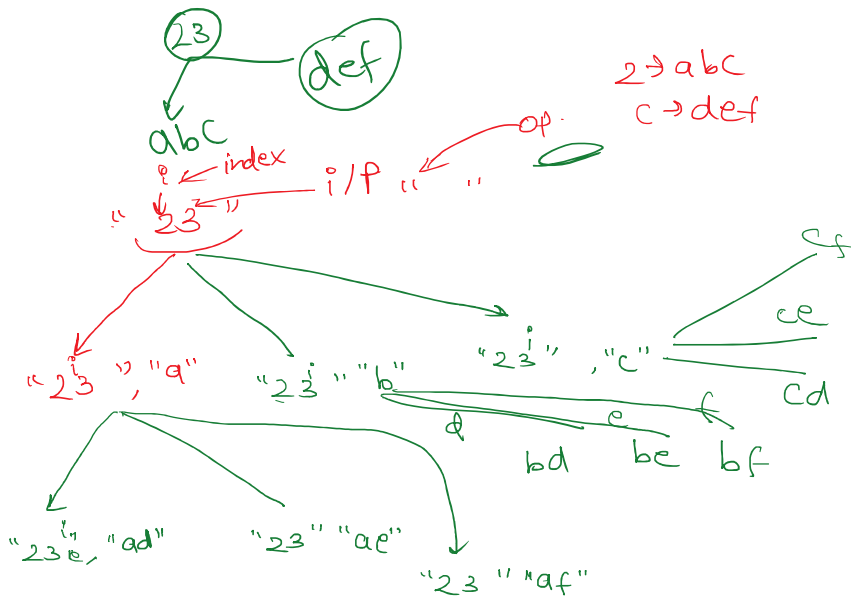
Output: []

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1 class Solution {
2 public:
3     vector<string> letterCombinations(string digits) {
4
5     }
6 };
```

3 → def → Bana sakta
4 → ghi → Bana sakta.

3 → def
4 → ghi
→ dh, di, dg, eh, ei, fi

fg, fh, fi



9 Answer getting :-

```
vector<string> letterCombinations(
    string digits) {
    vector<string> ans;
    int index = 0;
    string mapping[10] = {"", "", "abc", "def", "ghi", "jkl", "mno", "pqrs", "tuv", "wxyz"};
    if (digits.length() == 0) return ans;
    // ...
```

String mapping U10J

solveC digit, output, index,

3 return ans;

void solve (string digit, string o/p, int index)

```

{ //base case. jab index digit se bahar
  if (index >= digit.length())
  { ans.push-back (output);
    return;
  }
}

```

Is bhi index ko no. point kar raha hai uske
sath kuch kuch karna hai exact no.

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int number = digit[index] - '0';
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string value = mapping [number] ^{char} → iski string value

for(int i=0; i<value.length(); i++)

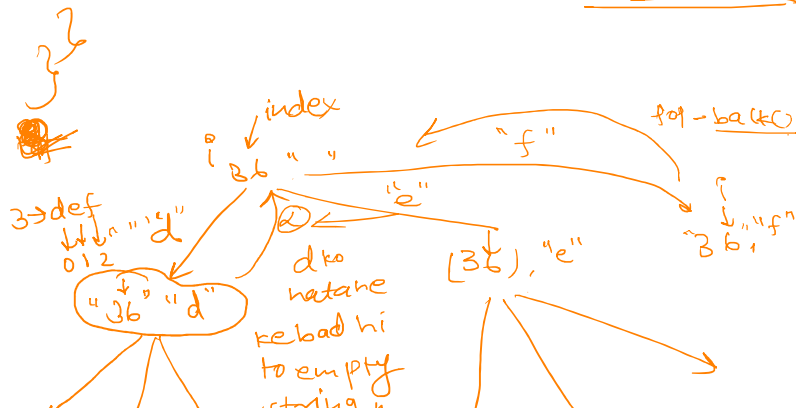
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{ output.push-back(value[i]);
  solve (digit, output, index + 1, ans,
        mapping);
}

```

Ab ya se a hotana bhi padega.

```
output.pop-back(); // backtracking
```





Dynamic Memory Allocation :-

`int i = 5;` → static Allocation.

`int *ptr = new int;`
 ↑
 dynamic Allocation
 address

Recursion :- When a fn calls itself :-

mandatory

→ Base case → rukna kaha hai terminating condition.
 → Recursive call / Recursive Relation.

factorial

$$5! = 5 \times 4 \times 3 \times 2 \times 1$$

$$4! = 4 \times 3 \times 2 \times 1$$

$$3! = 3 \times 2 \times 1$$

$$2! = 2 \times 1$$

$$1! = 1 \times 0!$$

$$\text{if } (n == 1 \text{ or } n == 0)$$

return 1;

int smaller part = fact(n-1)
 int bigger problem = n * smaller
 return bigger problem;

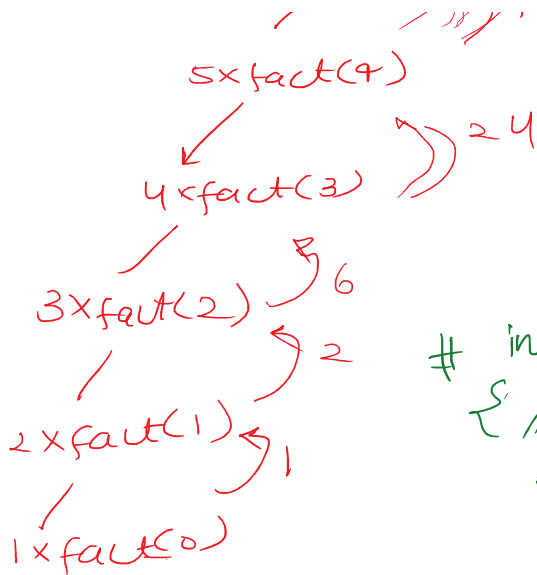
Recursive Tree :-

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5 * fact(4)

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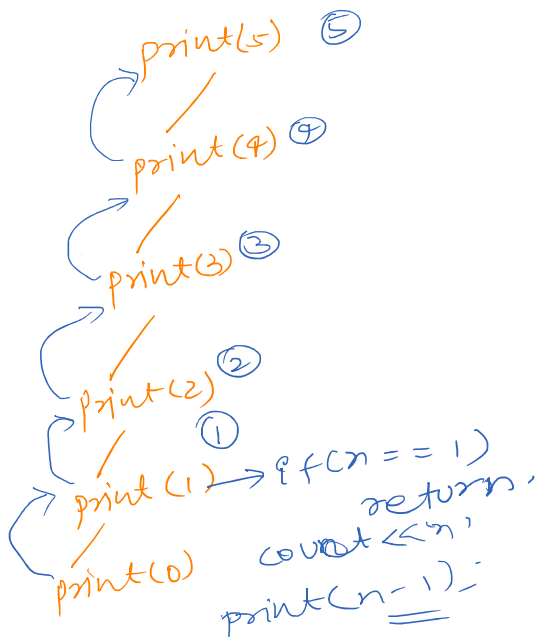
Counting

1	2	3	4	5
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if
# int count(int n)
{
  //base case-
  if (n < 1)
    return
    count(n-1)
}
cout << n << " ";

```



Que:- fast exponential:-

Let's say:- $2^n \rightarrow 2^{n/2} * 2^{n/2}$ (if n is even)
 if n is odd then $2^n \rightarrow 2 * 2^{n/2} * 2^{n/2}$

Base case:- int exp(int n)
 if (n == 0)
 return 1;

int cphhot problem = exp(n/2)

✓

```
if (n & 1)
{
    2 * cp * cp;
}
else
{
    cp * cp;
}
```

question - coin change problem

DS Sudoku Solver

⑧ A sudoku solution must satisfy all of the following rules:

- 1 Each of the digits 1-9 must occur exactly once in each row.
- 2 Each of the digits 1-9 must occur exactly once in each column.
- 3 Each of the digits 1-9 must occur exactly once in each of the 9 3x3 sub-boxes of the grid.

②

{ if (possible)
 { call Recursive;

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