

Computer Science & IT

C Programming



String & structure

Lecture No. 01



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Recap of Previous Lecture



Topic

practice problem . (1-D array)

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Topics to be Covered



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String

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declaration of string

Topic

strlen() function

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* string is array of character

* end marker , Last character '\0'

char ch[] = { 's', 't', 'r', 'i', 'n', 'g', '\0' },

Char ch[] = "string";



String

```
#include <stdio.h>
int main(void) {
```

```
char ch[10] = "string";
char *ch1 = "string";
```

} two ways

```
// printf the character
printf("%c ", ch[4]);
printf("%c\n", ch1[3]);
```

→ n
→ i

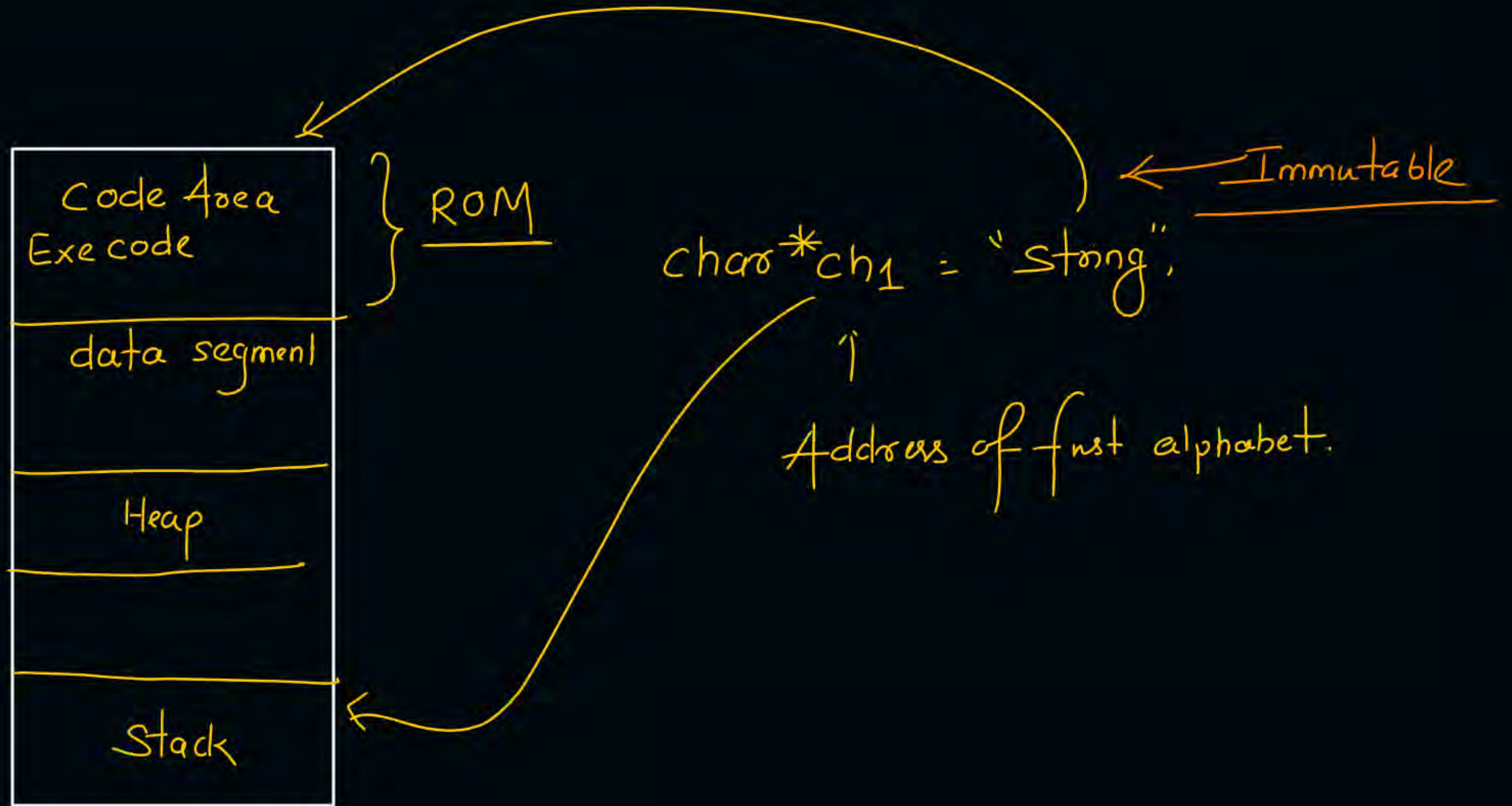
```
// print the string format specifier %s, starting address
// name of the array is address of first element
```

```
printf("%s ", ch);
printf("%s\n", ch1);
```

→ Address String
→ String

```
printf("%s ", ch+2); // ring ✓
printf("%s", ch1+1); // tring ✓
```

% until it gets the
Null character





String

```
#include <stdio.h>
```

```
int main(void) {
```

```
    char ch[10] = "string";
```

```
    char *ch1 = "string";
```

```
    ch[1]='p';
```

```
    ch1[1]= 'p';
```

```
    printf("%s ", ch);
```

```
    printf("%s\n", ch1);
```

```
}
```

"Spring"

exit error code 139

Segmentation fault



String

```
#include <stdio.h>
int main(void) {

    char ch[10] = "string";
    char *ch1 = "string";

    ch++;
    ch1++;
    printf("%s ", ch);
    printf("%s\n", ch1);

}
```

ch++; → Not allowed - Error (Array Base Address can't Increment)

ch1++; → allowed



String

```
#include <stdio.h>
```

```
int main(void) {
```

```
    char ch[10] = "string";
```

```
    char ch1[10] = "string";
```

```
    char *ch2 = "string";
```

```
    char *ch3 = "string";
```

```
    printf("%p ", ch);
```

```
    printf("%p\n", ch1);
```

```
    printf("%p ", ch2);
```

```
    printf("%p\n", ch3);
```

string

s + tring

s + tring \0



String

```
#include <stdio.h>
```

```
int main(void) {
```

```
    char ch[10];
```

```
    ch = "string";
```

```
    char *ch2 = "string";
```

```
    printf("%s ", ch2);
```

```
    ch2 = "structure";
```

```
    printf("%s ", ch2);
```

```
}
```

ch[] = "string", wrong

①

②

③

④

⑤

⑥

→ Not allowed
one after another
(I) *ch[0] = 's';*
ch[1] = 't';

Assignment of Multiple

(II) *strcpy*

strcpy(ch, "string");



String



String Array Declaration

Memory Allocation:

When you declare a character array and initialize it with a string literal, the compiler allocates a contiguous block of memory on the stack (for local arrays) or in the data segment (for global/static arrays)

Pointer Declaration to a String Literal

Memory Allocation:

When you declare a character pointer and initialize it with a string literal, the string literal itself is stored in a read-only memory section (often the .rodata segment). The pointer variable, which stores the address of the first character of this literal, is allocated on the stack



String



String Array Declaration

Modifiability:

The characters within the array are modifiable. You can change individual characters or even the entire string content.

Pointer Declaration to a String Literal

Modifiability:

The string literal pointed to by the pointer is not modifiable. Attempting to modify it results in undefined behavior, often a segmentation fault.



String



String Array Declaration

Flexibility:

The size of the array is fixed at compile time and cannot be changed during runtime.

Pointer Declaration to a String Literal

Flexibility:

Pointers offer greater flexibility as they can be made to point to different memory locations (different strings) during runtime.



Question



Q What does the following fragment of C-program print?

```
#include<stdio.h>
```

```
void display(char *string){
```

```
printf("%s",string);
```

```
}
```

```
int main(){
```

```
char s[]="Hello World";
```

```
display(s+3);
```

```
return 0;
```

(A) Hello World

(B) llo World

✓ (C) lo World

(D) o World

strlen(Address)

strlen("string") * length of string

output

* unsigned value

* \0 character Not
counted



Question

Q What does the following fragment of C-program print?

```
#include<stdio.h>
```

```
#include<string.h>
```

```
void display(char *s){
```

```
    for(int i =0;i<strlen(s);i++)
```

```
        s[i] = s[i]+1;} ✓
```

```
int main(){
```

```
    char s[]="Hello";
```

```
    display(s+1);
```

```
    printf("%s", s);
```

```
    return 0;
```

```
}
```

```
};
```

Slide

s [1]

↓
Hello
0 1 2 3 4
↑

i=0;

i=1

i=2

i=3

H e l l o

H f m m p

✓ (A) Hfmmp

(B) Hello ✗

(C) Hlmmp

(D) Hfmmp

Q What does the following fragment of C-program print?

```
#include <stdio.h>
```

```
int main(void){
```

```
    int k;
```

```
    char c[] = "ABCDEFGH";
```

```
    char * cp;
```

```
    for(cp = c+6; cp >= c+1;)
```

```
        printf("%c", * cp--);
```

```
    return 0;
```

```
}
```

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	\0
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

(A) GFEDCB

(B) FEDCBA

(C) bcdefghi

(D) bcdffghi

G F E D C B

↑

cp = 6

6 >= 1

G

cp = 5

5 >= 1

F

cp = 4

4 >= 1

cp = 3

3 >= 1

cp = 2

2 >= 1

1 >= 1

Q What does the following fragment of C-program print?

```
#include <stdio.h>
```

```
int main(void){
```

```
    int k;
```

```
    char c[] = "ABCDEFGH";
```

```
    char * cp;
```

```
    for(k = 0; c[k] != '\0'; k++)
```

```
        c[k] += 'b' - 'A';
```

```
    printf("%s\n", c);
```

```
    return 0;
```

```
}
```

b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k
A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9

(A) GFEDCB

(B) FEDCBA

(C) bcdefghi

(D) bcdffghi

$$C[0]: \cancel{65} + \underline{98} - \cancel{65}$$

$$66 + 98 - 65$$

b



Question

#Q Consider the following C program segment:

```
char p [20];  
  
char *s = "string";  
  
int length = strlen(s);  
  
for (i=0 ; i<length; i++)  
  
    p[i] = s[length - i];  
  
printf("%s",p);
```

S

s	t	r	i	n	g	\0
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

length = 6

i=0 , i<6, i++

p[0] = s[6-0] = s[6]

s[6-5]
= s[1]

\0	g	n	i	r	t				...
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Question =



Q What does the following fragment of C-program print?

```
char c[]="GATE2011";  
char *p =c;  
printf("%s", p+p[3]-p[1]);
```

G	A	T	E	2	0	1	1	\0
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

(A) GATE2011

(B) E2011

✓ (C) 2011

(D) 011

p [0]

$$p + p[3] - p[1] + 4$$

↓ output??

$$p + p[3] - p[1]$$

$$0 + 'E' - 'A'$$

$$0 + 69 - 65$$

$$= \underline{\underline{4}}$$

A 65

B 66

C 67

D 68

E 69



Question

#Q Consider the following C Program.

```
#include <stdio.h>
```

```
#include <string.h>
```

```
int main () {
```

```
    char* c = "GATECSIT2017";
```

```
    char* p = c;
```

```
    printf("%d", (int) strlen (c+2[p]-6[p]-1));
```

```
    return 0;
```

```
}
```

The output of the program is _____.

G	A	T	E	C	S	I	T	2	0	1	7	0
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12

17 (length)

$$(0 + 'T' - 'I' - 1) = (0 + 84 - 73 - 1)$$

$$= \underline{10}$$



Question

#Q. Consider the following C program:

```
#include <stdio.h>
```

```
void strcpy(char *, char *);
```

```
int main(){
```

```
    char a[30] = "@#Hello World!";
```

```
    strcpy(a, a + 2);
```

```
    printf("%s\n", a);
```

```
    return 0;
```

```
}
```

```
void strcpy(char *s, char *t)    {
```

```
    while(*t)
```

```
        *s++ = *t++;
```

```
} Which ONE of the following will be the output of the program?
```

A @#Hello World!

B Hello World!

C ello World!

D Hello World!d! ✓



Question

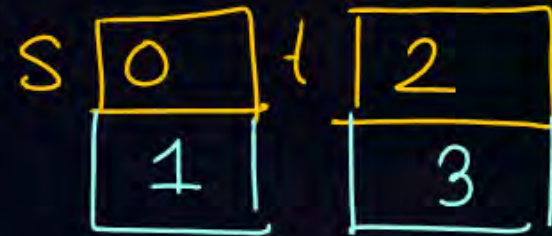
#Q. Consider the following C program:

```
#include <stdio.h>
void stringcopy(char *, char *);
int main(){
    char a[30] = "@#Hello World!";
    stringcopy(a, a + 2);
    printf("%s\n", a);
    return 0;
}

void stringcopy(char *s, char *t)
{
    while(*t)
        *s++ = *t++;
}
```

String copy (Source Memory
destination Memory)

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14		
@	#	H	e	l	l	o		w	o	r	l	d	!	\0		
H	e	l	l	o		w	o	r	l	d	!	d	!	\0		



Which ONE of the following will be the output of the program?

Space \leftrightarrow Andhera Nahi ASCII
32

'10' - Andhera 0



Question



#Q Consider the following C Program.

```
#include <stdio.h>
```

```
#include< string.h>
```

```
int main () {
```

```
    char* c = "GATECSIT2017";
```

```
    char* p = c;
```

```
    printf("%d", (int) strlen (c+2[p]-6[p]-1));
```

```
    return 0;
```

```
}
```

The output of the program is _____.



Question



#Q Consider the following C Program.

```
#include <stdio.h>
```

```
#include< string.h>
```

```
int main () {
```

```
    char* c = "GATECSIT2017";
```

```
    char* p = c;
```

```
    printf("%d", (int) strlen (c+2[p]-6[p]-1));
```

```
    return 0;
```

```
}
```

The output of the program is _____.



Question

Consider the following C program:

```
void abc(char*s)
{
    if(s[0]=='\0') return;
    abc(s+1);
    abc(s+1);
    printf("%c",s[0]);
}
main()
{
    abc("123")
}
```

$$T(0) = 0$$

(A) n

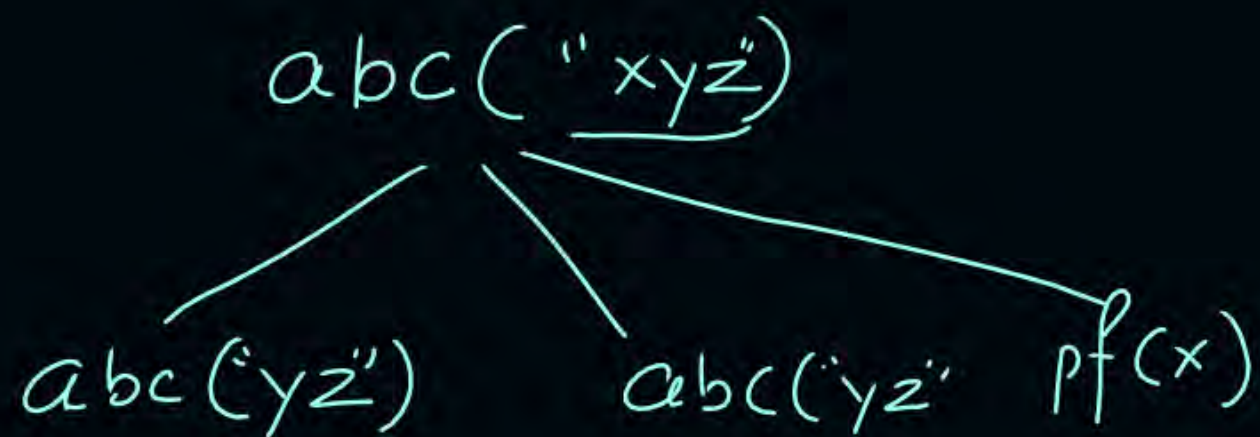
(B) $2n$

☒ (C) $2^n - 1$

(D) 2^n

$$T(n) = \underline{2T(n-1)} + \underline{1}$$

If $abc(s)$ is called with a null-terminated string s of length n characters (not counting the null (' $\backslash 0$ ') character), how many characters will be printed by $abc(s)$?



Reduce to base condition

$$n - k = 0 \Rightarrow n = k$$

$$\underline{2^n T(0) + 2^{n-1} + \dots + 2 + 1}$$

$$= 1 + 2 + 2^2 + \dots + 2^{n-1}$$

$$\frac{1(2^n - 1)}{2 - 1} = 2^n - 1$$

$$T(0) = 0$$

$$T(n) = 2T(n-1) + 1$$

$$= 2(2T(n-2) + 1) + 1$$

$$= 2^2 T(n-2) + 2 + 1$$

$$= 2^2 (2T(n-3) + 1) + 2 + 1$$

$$= 2^3 T(n-3) + 2^2 + 2 + 1$$

k^{th} term

$$= 2^k T(n-k) + 2^{k-1} + \dots + 2 + 1$$



2 mins Summary



Topic

char * string immutable

Topic

char ch[] mutable

Topic

strlen() function, unsigned value

Topic

Topic

THANK - YOU

2-D
Array of
string
+
structure