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// Optimized from 5.12 solution
void prefixsum(float a[], float p[], long n)
{
      long i;
      /* last val holds p[i - 1], val holds p[i] */
      // need to initialize
      float last val = 0;
      float val = 0;
      // (n - 2) to avoid going out of bounds
      for (i = 0; i < n - 2; i+=2)
      {
            // 1st
            val = last_val + a[i];
            p[i] = val;
            last_val = val;
            // 2nd
            val = last_val + a[i + 1];
            p[i + 1] = val;
            last val = val;
      }
      // Need to deal w/ last numbers if they exist!
      for (; i < n; i++)
      {
            val = last val + a[i];
            p[i] = val;
            last val = val;
      }
}
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