Hashing Basics

Scenario 1

↳ 1000 rooms labelled as : $[1, 1000]$

↳ occupied / not occupied

bool room[1001] ⇒ room[i] = true [if i^{th} room is occupied]

↙ since rooms are labelled from $[1, 1000]$ NOT $[0, 999]$

⇒ room[i] = false [else]

Scenario 2

↳ 1000 rooms labelled between $[1$ to $10^9]$

bool room $[10^9 + 1]$

↳ Issues : Huge space wastage

↳ Advantage : TC : O(1)

Hashmap stores <key, value> pair

<10015, occupied>

<123, unoccupied>

⋮

⇒ check in 1001s? occupied : O(1)

TC : O(1) to search

SC : O(N) to store

N room entries

Note: Keys are unique

value can be anything

HashMap<int, bool>

Question 1

Store population of every country

Key: country name → string

value: population → int / long

HashMap<string, long> hm ⇒ pseudo syntax

Q2 No. of states of every country

Key → country name : string

value → count of states : int

HashMap<string, int> hm

Q3 Name of all states of every country

Key: country name : string

value: all state names : list<string>

↳ c++: vector

↳ py: list

↳ java: ArrayList

HashMap<String, List<String>>

Q4 population of each state in every country

Key: country name → string

value: population of each state → HashMap<string, long>

state name

population

HashMap<String, HashMap<String, long>> hm

We observe 2 things:

1. Value can be anything
2. Key can only be primitive datatype.

int / long / float / double / string / char

Hashset<Key>

- → it only store keys
- → Keys have to be unique
- → only primitive datatype

Hashmap functionality

size: {# keys present}

insert (key, value)

search(key)

delete (key)

update (key, value)

Hashmap

~~<India, 800>~~

<US, 200>

<India, 900>

override

Hashset functionality

size: {# keys present}

insert(key)

search (key)

delete (key)

All operations here are O(1)

→ Hashing libraries name in diff. languages

Pseudocode	Java	C++	Python	JS	C#
Hashmap	Hashmap	unordered_map	dict	map	dictionary
Hashset	Hashset	unordered_set	set	set	Hashset

Question 1

Given N array elements & Q queries.

for each query find freq. of given element in the array.

a[1] = { 2 6 3 8 2 8 2 3 8 10 6 }

Q: 4 freq

2 : 3

8 : 3

3 : 2

5 : 0

Constraints:

1 <= N <= 10^5 1 <= Q <= 10^5

1 <= a[i] <= 10^9

Idea1: for every query iterate & get count

TC: O(Q×N) SC: O(1)

Idea2: Store data in hashmap

Key → array elements : int

value → freq. of element : int

Hashmap<int, int> hm

{1 6 3 8 2 8 2 3 8 10 6}

<2,3>	<8,3>
<6,2>	<10,1>
<3,2>	

Code

```
Hashmap<int, int> hm

for(i=0; i<n; ++i) {
    if(hm.search(a[i]) == true) {
        // a[i] is already present
        hm[a[i]]++ // update
    }
}
```

TC: O(N)

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    else {
        hm.insert ( {a[i], 1} ) //insert
    }
}

for (i=0; i<Q; ++i) {                                   TC: O(Q)
    if( hm. search ( input[i] ) == true ) {
        print( hm[input[i]])
    }
    else{
        print(0)
    }
}
```

TC: O(N+Q)

SC: O(N)

Question 2

Find the first non-repeating element

a[6] = { 1 2 3 1 2 5 } ans = 3

a[8] = { 4 3 3 2 5 6 4 5 } ans = 2

Idea 1

1. Insert all elements in hashmap
2. Iterate over hashmap to get first key with value 1.

Note: Order of insertion of keys is not maintained in hashmap/hashset.

Idea 2:

1. Insert all elements in hashmap → O(N)
2. Iterate over array & get first element with m[a[i]] == 1 → O(N)

TC: O(N) SC: O(N) ⇒ TODO

Question 3

Given N elements, find no. of distinct elements.

a[5] : { 3 5 6 5 4 } ans = 4

Idea

insert all elements in hashset

a[7] = { 6 3 7 3 8 6 9 }

HashSet<int> hs ⇒ hs.size = 5

6, 3, 7, 8, 9

Note: In hashset, if same key is inserted multiple times, we will store only 1 occurance

Code

```
HashSet<int> hs
for(i=0; i<n; ++i){
    hs.insert(a[i])
}
print(hs.size())
```

TC : O(N)
SC : O(N)

Question:

Given N elements, check if there exists a subarray with sum = 0

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
a[10] =	2	2	1	-3	4	3	1	-2	-3	2

ans = true

Idea: for every subarray, calculate sum

- $O(N^3)$ — nested loops
- $O(N^2)$ — prefix sum
- $O(N^2)$ — carry forward

TC: $O(N^2)$
SC: $O(1)$

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
a[10] =	2	2	1	-3	4	3	1	-2	-3	2
pf[10] =	2	4	5	2	6	9	10	8	5	7

Obs 1: If pf[] , numbers are repeating?

pf[0] = 2 = sum[0,0]

pf[3] = 2 : sum[0,3] = sum[0,0] + sum[1,3]

x = x + sum[1,3]

sum[1,3] = 0

Doubt :

a[4] = { 2 -5 3 6 }

pf[] = { 2 -3 0 6 }

↳ in pf[] no repetition but subarray sum=0

pf[2] = 0 ⇒ sum[0,2] = 0

→ Note : In your pf[] every is single 0 is present, there exist a subarray with sum=0

final obs :

If ele repeat in pf[]
OR
If 0 is present in pf[]
→ there exist subarray with sum = 0

Code

```
bool zeroSum(int a[], n) {
    pf[n]  // construct pf[] → TODO
    HashSet<int> hs
    for(i=0; i<n; ++i) {
        if(pf[i] == 0) { return true; }
        hs.insert(pf[i])
    }
    if(hs.size() < N) {  //repeation in pf[]
        return true
    }
    return false
}
```

TC: O(N)
SC: O(N)

Extra Question

Given N array elements, find count of subarrays with sum=0.

Since ans can be large print result %(10^9+7)

A = [1 -1 -2 2] ⇒ [1 -1]
[-2 2]
[1 -1 -2 2]

ptr = [1 0 -2 0]