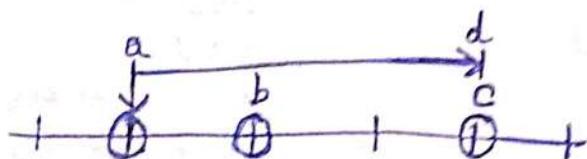


## BINARY SEARCH APPLICATION

1. Points on line



For every starting pt we are trying to find feasible ways.

For ex :-

$$N=4 \\ d=3$$

1 2 3 4

$$\rightarrow 3c_2 = 3 + 2c_2 = 4$$

$$(1, -, -) + (2, -, -)$$

$$5 \quad 19 \\ 1 \quad 10 \quad 20 \quad 30 \quad 50$$

$$1 \quad 10 \quad 20 \Rightarrow 1c_2 = 0$$

~~Case :-~~

No. of pts  $\leq 1$

~~void solve (int i, int n, int sum)~~

$$\& 4 = 2$$

So, for starting pt = 1

we have 3 ways.

For  $i \rightarrow$  farthest point =  $i+d$

We are finding elements from  $i+1 \dots n$  such that  $\text{arr}[x] \leq \text{arr}[i+d]$

$\downarrow$   
check funcn.

```
5
6 void solve(){
7     int n,d;
8     cin>>n>>d;
9     int arr[n];
10    for(int i=0;i<n;i++){
11        cin>>arr[i];
12    }
13    long long ans = 0;
14    for(int i=0;i<n;i++){
15        // i+1.....arr[i]+d-1 | arr[i+1] > arr[i] + d
16        int idx = upper_bound(arr,arr+n,arr[i]+d)-arr;
17        long long cnt = idx - i - 1;
18        ans += cnt*(cnt-1)/2;
19    }
20    cout<<ans<<endl;
21 }
```

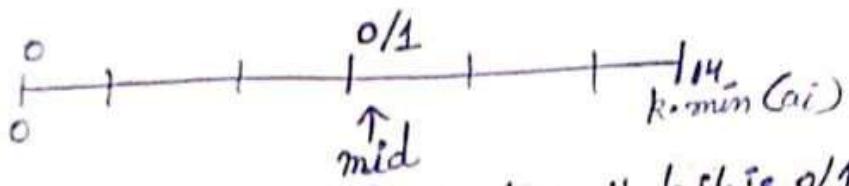
## 2. Factory Machines

\* This is an Ans.

Search space  $\rightarrow$  time

limits low = 0, high =  $k \cdot \min(a_i)$

check [ans] = can we generate k products in x time.



If there is a check function that it is 0/1, we can find starting pt. using binary search.

$M_i \rightarrow a_i \rightarrow \frac{x}{a_i} \rightarrow$  No. of products that machine i will generate in x time.

$$\therefore \sum \left[ \frac{x}{a_i} \right] \geq k \quad \begin{matrix} \nearrow 1 \\ \searrow 0 \end{matrix}$$

Total products

lo = 0

hi =  $10^{18}$

First feasible time  $\rightarrow$  optimal time

We have to check that if this total  $\geq k$ . If yes  $\rightarrow 1$  else 0.

$$\sum \left[ \frac{x}{a_i} \right]$$

## 3. Painter Problem

Search space  $\rightarrow$  time

check func<sup>n</sup> : Can we paint in x time using  $\leq k$  painter

Logic:

$\rightarrow$  If  $k$  painters can finish the job within time mid, ans = mid.

& update high  $\leftarrow$  upper bound = mid - 1.

$\rightarrow$  If more than  $k$  painters needed, lo = mid + 1.

Code:-

```
int check (int n) {
```

```
    int painter = 0;
```

```
    int timelimit = 0;
```

```
    for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {
```

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        if (timelimit >= arr[i]) {
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            timelimit -= arr[i]; }
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        else {
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            painter++;
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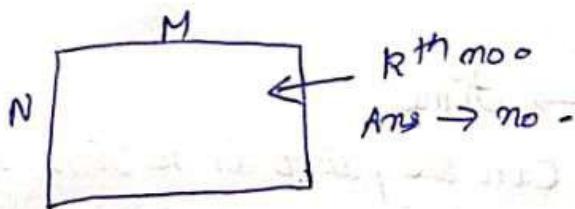
```
            timelimit = n - arr[i]; }
```

```
if (pointer <= k) return 1;  
else return 0;
```

```
3 void solve () {  
    cin >> n >> k;  
    int maxlen = 0;  
    int sum = 0;  
    for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {  
        cin >> arr[i];  
        maxlen = max (maxlen, arr[i]);  
        sum += arr[i];  
    }  
    int lo = maxlen;  
    int hi = sum;  
    int ans = -1;  
    while (lo <= hi) {  
        int mid = (lo + hi) / 2;  
        if (check (mid)) {  
            ans = mid;  
            hi = mid - 1; }  
        else lo = mid + 1;  
    }  
    cout << ans ;
```

#### Multiplication Table

For  $k^{th}$  value



check ( $x$ ) :  $(\text{No. of val} \leq x) \geq x$

For exa: 2 3 ①  $\rightarrow x = 4$

1	2	3
2	4	6

1, 2, 2, ③ 4, 6

↓  
check (2) = 0  
check (3) = 1  
check (4) = 1

If we find the first ①  $\rightarrow$  that is the one.

```
1 #include <bits/stdc++.h>
2 using namespace std;
3 int n, k;
4 int arr[100100];
5 int check(int x) {
6     int product = 0;
7     for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {
8         product += x / arr[i];
9     }
10    if (product >= k) return 1;
11    return 0;
12 }
13
14 void solve() {
15     cin >> n >> k;
16     int minelem = 1e9;
17     for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {
18         cin >> arr[i];
19         minelem = min(minelem, arr[i]);
20     }
21
22     int lo = 0;
23     int hi = minelem * k;
24     int ans = -1;
25     while (lo <= hi) {
26         int mid = (lo + hi) / 2;
27         if (check(mid)) {
28             ans = mid;
29             hi = mid - 1;
30         } else {
31             lo = mid + 1;
32         }
33     }
34
35     cout << ans << "\n";
36 }
```

```
#include <bits/stdc++.h>
using namespace std;
int n,m, k;
int check(int x) {
    int cnt = 0;
    for (int i = 1; i <= n; i++) {
        cnt += min(x/i,m);
    }
    if (cnt >= k) return 1;
    else return 0;
}

void solve() {
    cin >> n >> k;

    int lo = 0;
    int hi = n*m;
    int ans = -1;
    while (lo <= hi) {
        int mid = (lo + hi) / 2;
        if (check(mid)) {
            ans = mid;
            hi = mid - 1;
        } else {
            lo = mid + 1;
        }
    }

    cout << ans << "\n";
}
```