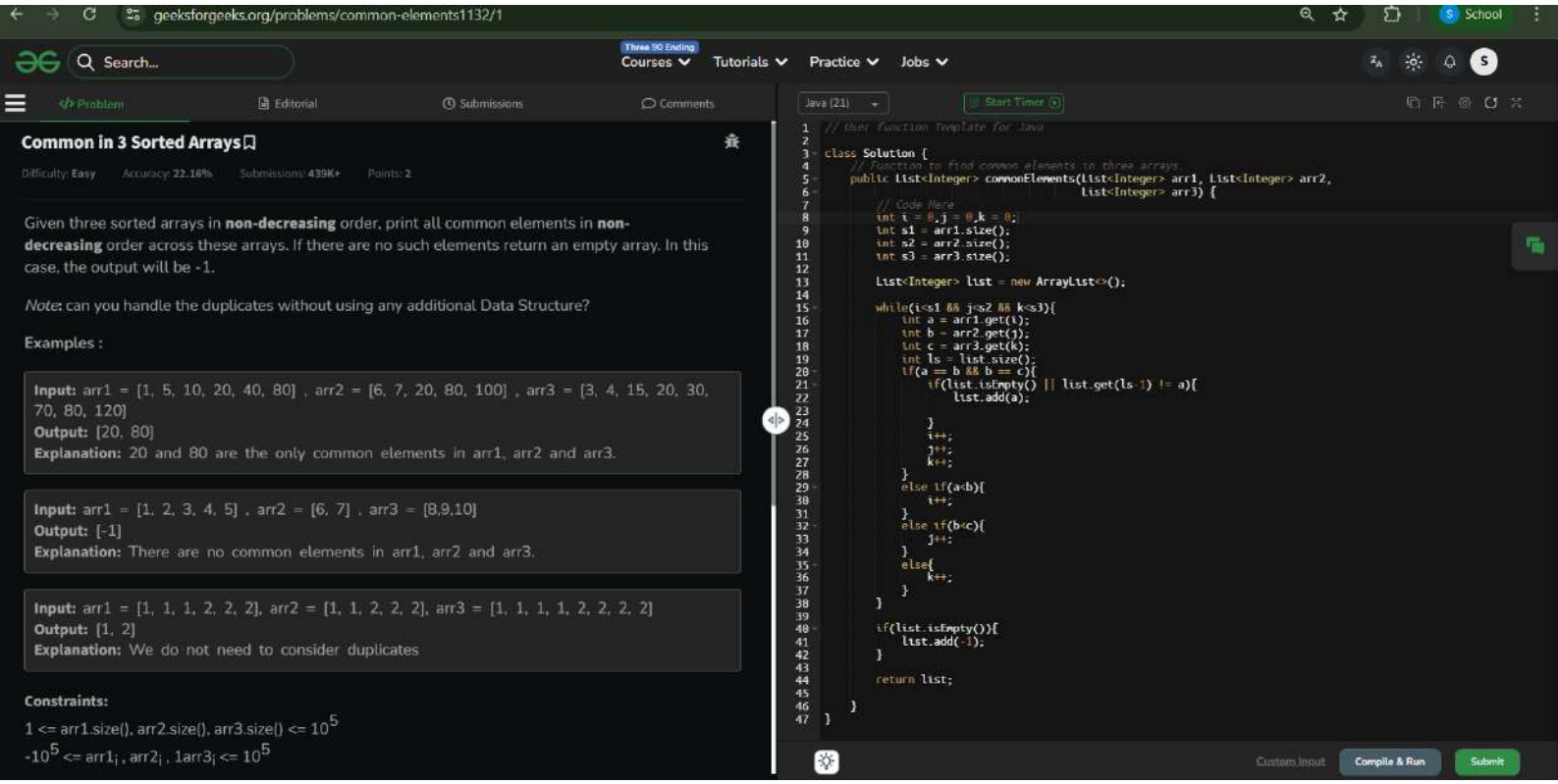
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Common in 3 Sorted Arrays
Difficulty: Easy
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Given three sorted arrays in non-decreasing order, print all common elements in non-decreasing order across these arrays. If there are no such elements return an empty array. In this case, the output will be -1.
Note: can you handle the duplicates without using any additional Data Structure?
Examples :
Input: arr1 = [1, 5, 10, 20, 40, 80] , arr2 = [6, 7, 20, 80, 100] , arr3 = [3, 4, 15, 20, 30, 70, 80, 120]
Output: [20, 80]
Explanation: 20 and 80 are the only common elements in arr1, arr2 and arr3.
Input: arr1 = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5] , arr2 = [6, 7] , arr3 = [8,9,10]
Output: [-1]
Explanation: There are no common elements in arr1, arr2 and arr3.
Input: arr1 = [1, 1, 1, 2, 2, 2], arr2 = [1, 1, 2, 2, 2], arr3 = [1, 1, 1, 1, 2, 2, 2, 2]
Output: [1, 2]
Explanation: We do not need to consider duplicates
Constraints:
1 <= arr1.size(), arr2.size(), arr3.size() <= 10^5
-10^5 <= $arr1_i$, $arr2_i$, $1arr3_i$ <= 10^5
Java (21)
Start Timer
// User function Template for Java
class Solution {
// Function to find common elements in three arrays.
public List<Integer> commonElements(List<Integer> arr1, List<Integer> arr2,
List<Integer> arr3) {
// Code Here
int i = 0,j = 0,k = 0;
int s1 = arr1.size();
int s2 = arr2.size();
int s3 = arr3.size();
List<Integer> list = new ArrayList<>();
while(i<s1 && j<s2 && k<s3){
int a = arr1.get(i);
int b = arr2.get(j);
int c = arr3.get(k);
int ls = list.size();
if(a == b && b == c){
if(list.isEmpty() || list.get(ls-1) != a){
list.add(a);
}
i++;
j++;
k++;
}
else if(a<b){
i++;
}
else if(b<c){
j++;
}
else{
k++;
}
}
if(list.isEmpty()){
list.add(-1);
}
return list;
}
}
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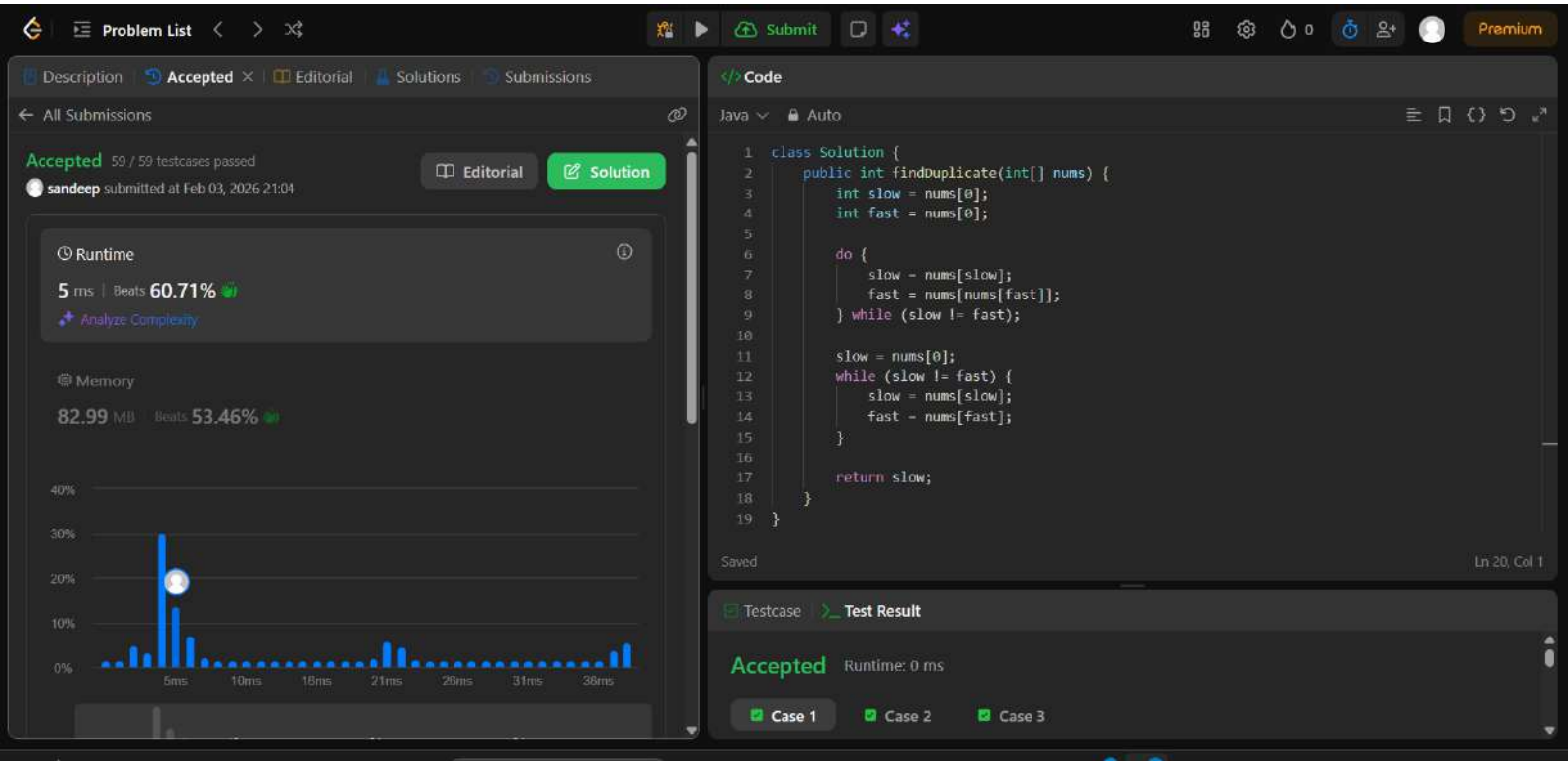
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Analyze Complexity
Memory
82.99 MB Beats 53.46%
40%
30%
20%
10%
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5ms
10ms
18ms
21ms
26ms
31ms
38ms
Code
Java
Auto
class Solution {
public int findDuplicate(int[] nums) {
int slow = nums[0];
int fast = nums[0];
do {
slow = nums[slow];
fast = nums[nums[fast]];
} while (slow != fast);
slow = nums[0];
while (slow != fast) {
slow = nums[slow];
fast = nums[fast];
}
return slow;
}
}
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Case 1
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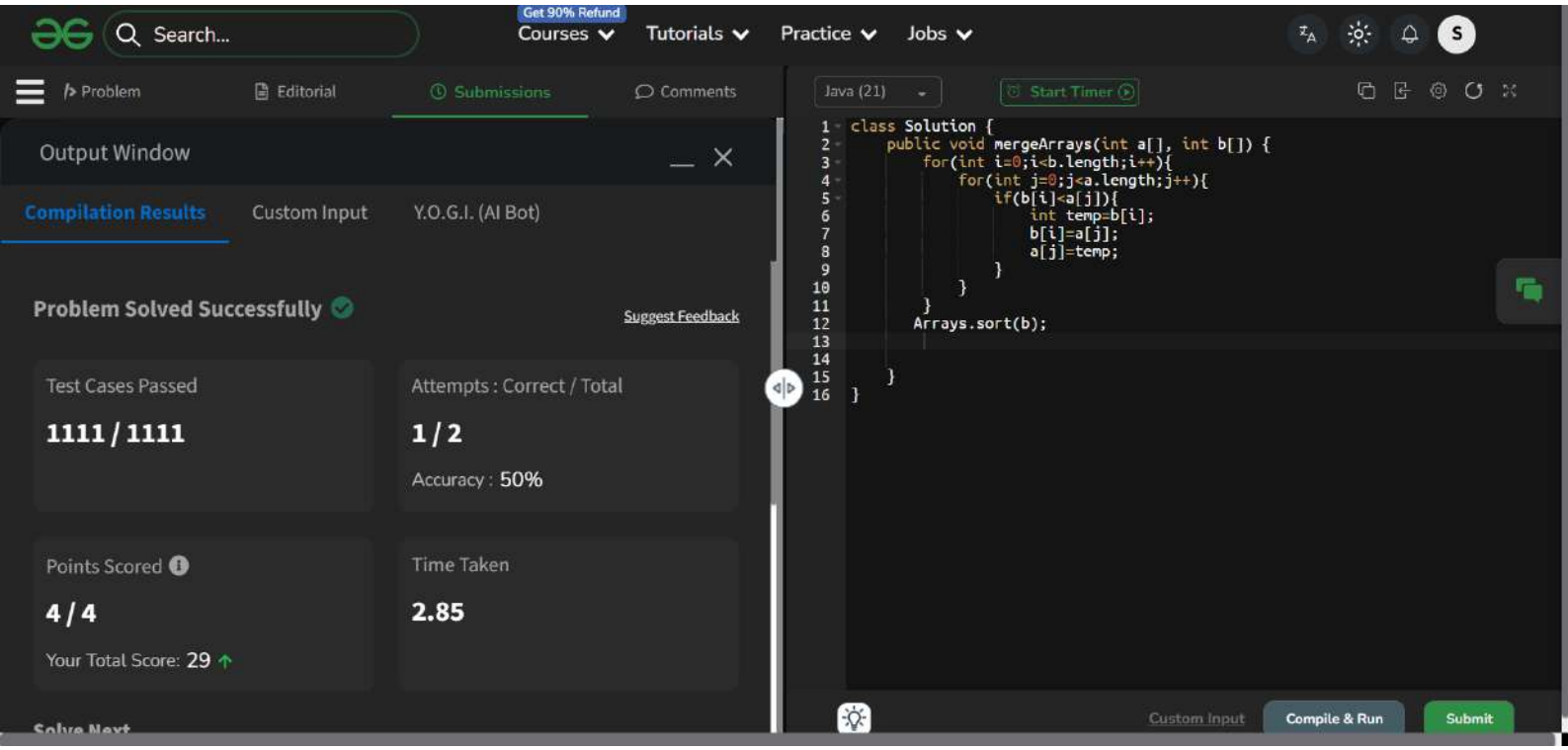
Case 3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Accuracy : 50%
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2.85
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Java (21)
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class Solution {
public void mergeArrays(int a[], int b[]) {
for(int i=0;i<b.length;i++){
for(int j=0;j<a.length;j++){
if(b[i]<a[j]){
int temp=b[i];
b[i]=a[j];
a[j]=temp;
}
}
}
Arrays.sort(b);
}
}
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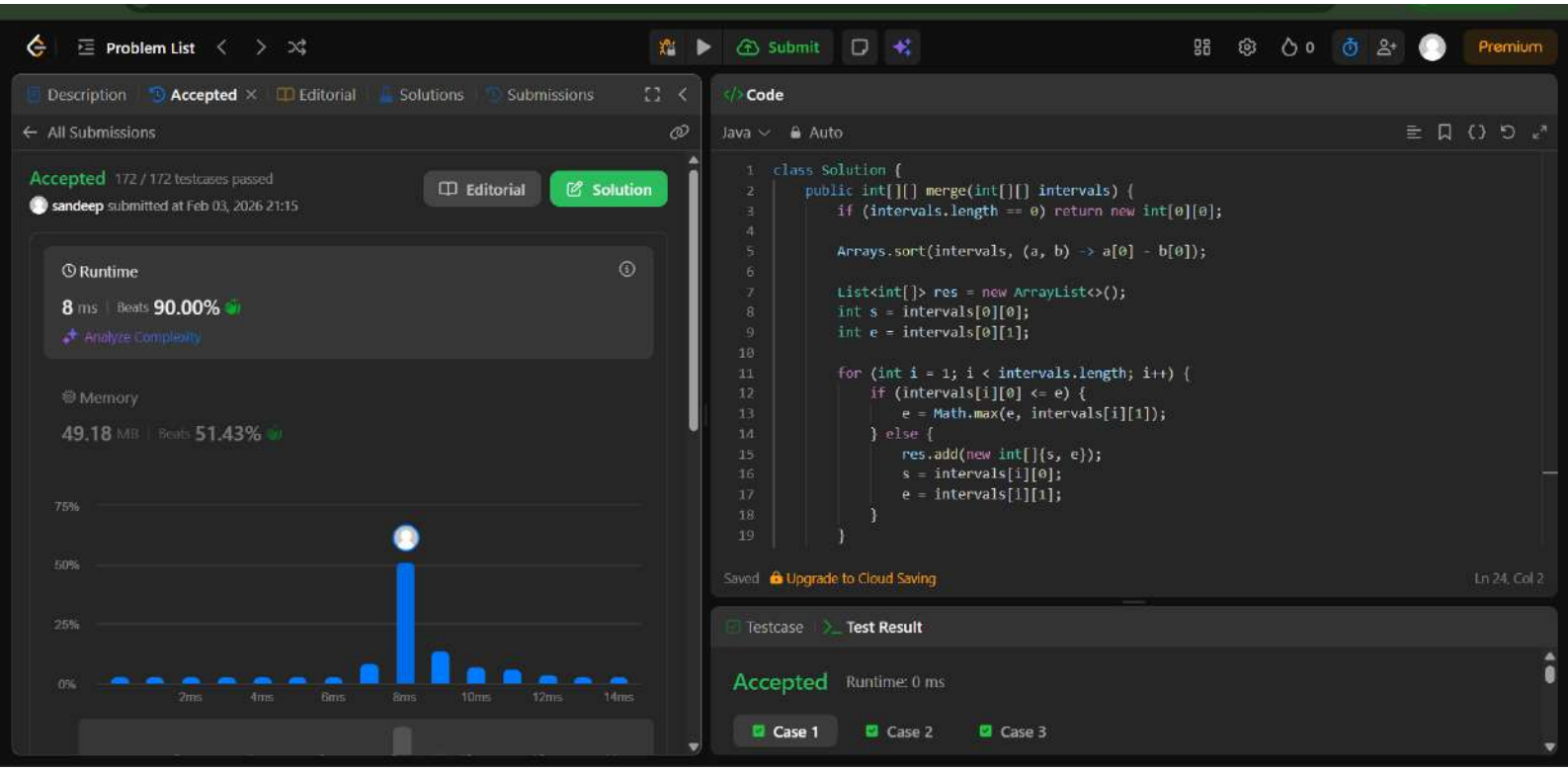
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Analyze Complexity
Memory
49.18 MB | Beats 51.43%
75%
50%
25%
0%
2ms
4ms
6ms
8ms
10ms
12ms
14ms
Code
Java
Auto
class Solution {
public int[][] merge(int[][] intervals) {
if (intervals.length == 0) return new int[0][0];
Arrays.sort(intervals, (a, b) -> a[0] - b[0]);
List<int[]> res = new ArrayList<>();
int s = intervals[0][0];
int e = intervals[0][1];
for (int i = 1; i < intervals.length; i++) {
if (intervals[i][0] <= e) {
e = Math.max(e, intervals[i][1]);
} else {
res.add(new int[]{s, e});
s = intervals[i][0];
e = intervals[i][1];
}
}
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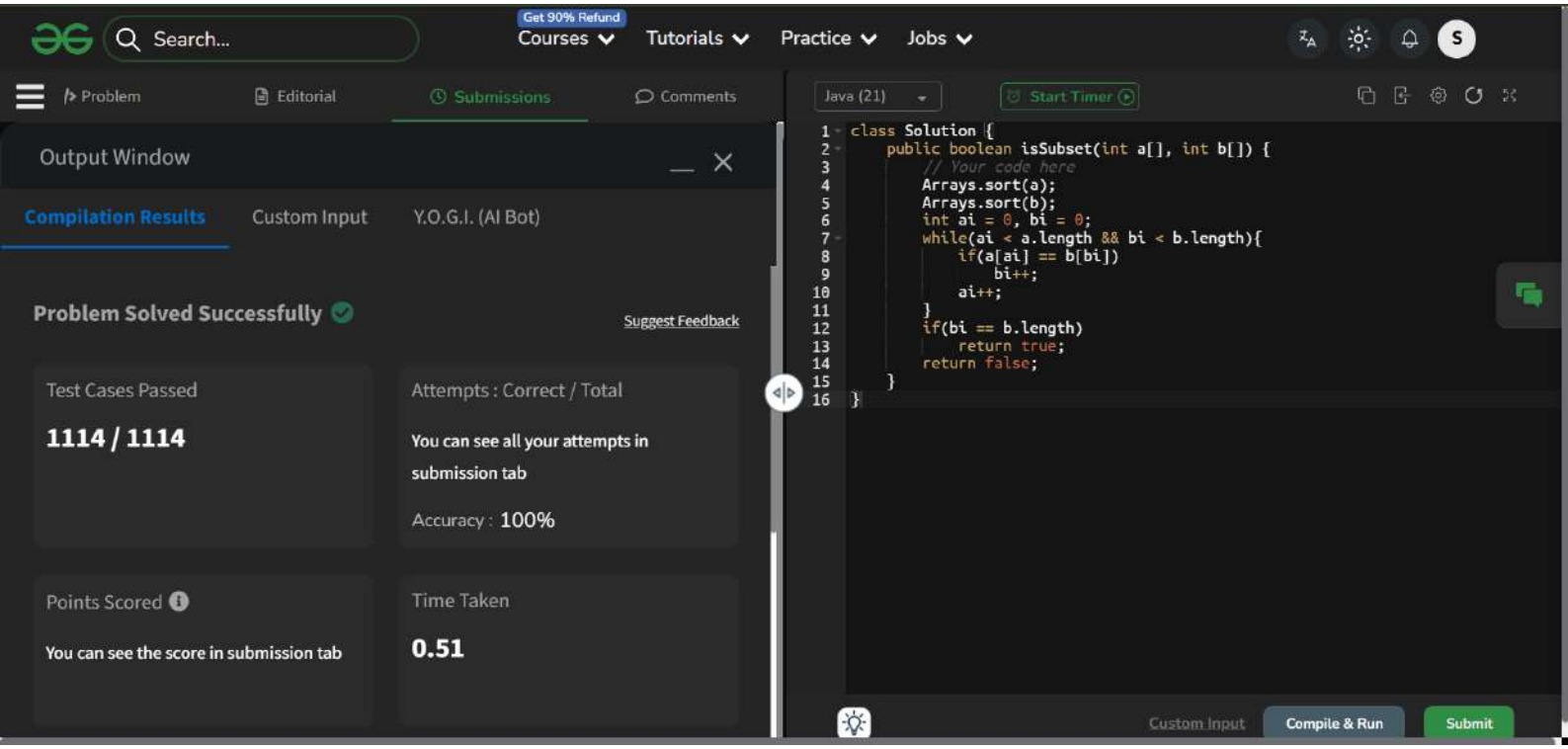
Case 1
Case 2
Case 3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Time Taken
0.51
Java (21)
Start Timer
class Solution {
public boolean isSubset(int a[], int b[]) {
// Your code here
Arrays.sort(a);
Arrays.sort(b);
int ai = 0, bi = 0;
while(ai < a.length && bi < b.length){
if(a[ai] == b[bi])
bi++;
ai++;
}
if(bi == b.length)
return true;
return false;
}
}
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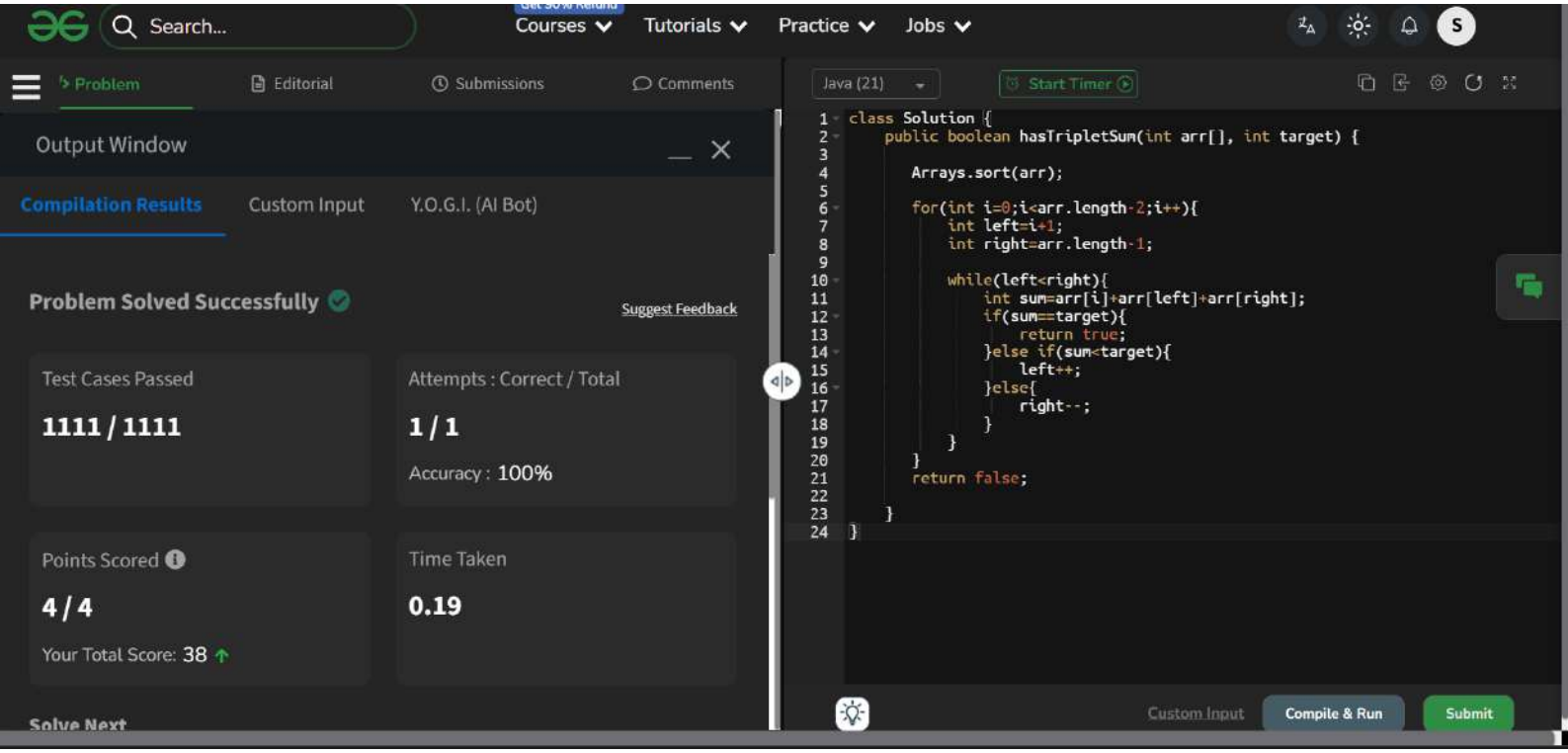
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Accuracy : 100%
Points Scored
4 / 4
Your Total Score: 38
Time Taken
0.19
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Java (21)
Start Timer
class Solution {
public boolean hasTripletSum(int arr[], int target) {
Arrays.sort(arr);
for(int i=0;i<arr.length-2;i++){
int left=i+1;
int right=arr.length-1;
while(left<right){
int sum=arr[i]+arr[left]+arr[right];
if(sum==target){
return true;
}else if(sum<target){
left++;
}else{
right--;
}
}
}
return false;
}
}
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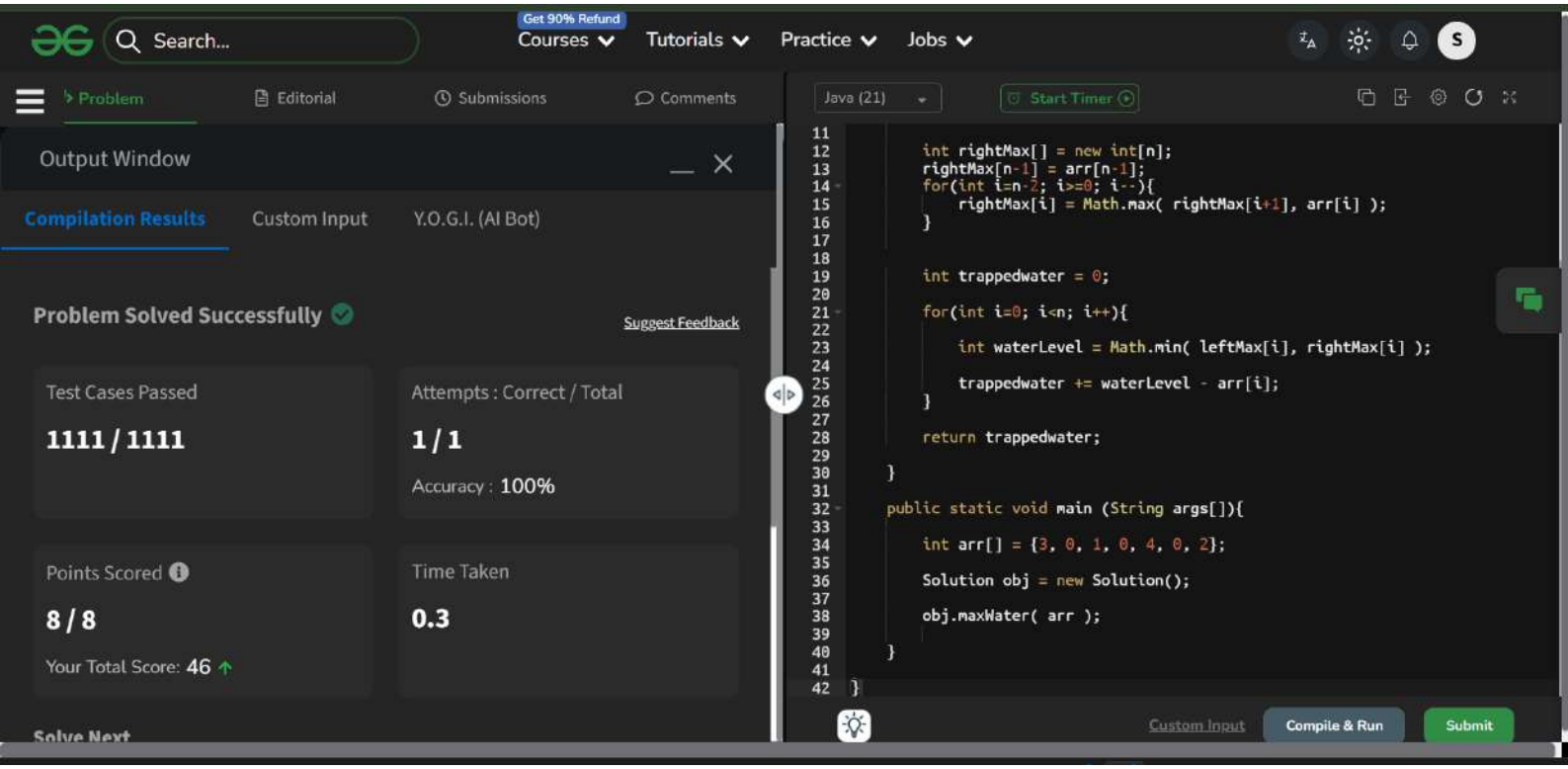
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1 / 1
Accuracy : 100%
Points Scored
8 / 8
Your Total Score: 46
Time Taken
0.3
Solve Next
Java (21)
Start Timer
int rightMax[] = new int[n];
rightMax[n-1] = arr[n-1];
for(int i=n-2; i>=0; i--){
rightMax[i] = Math.max(rightMax[i+1], arr[i]);
}
int trappedwater = 0;
for(int i=0; i<n; i++){
int waterLevel = Math.min(leftMax[i], rightMax[i]);
trappedwater += waterLevel - arr[i];
}
return trappedwater;
}
public static void main (String args[]){
int arr[] = {3, 0, 1, 0, 4, 0, 2};
Solution obj = new Solution();
obj.maxWater(arr);
}
}
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