

350. Intersection of Two Arrays II

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Given two arrays, write a function to compute their intersection.

Example:Given *nums1* = [1, 2, 2, 1], *nums2* = [2, 2], return [2, 2].**Note:**

- Each element in the result should appear as many times as it shows in both arrays.
- The result can be in any order.

Follow up:

- What if the given array is already sorted? How would you optimize your algorithm?
- What if *nums1*'s size is small compared to *nums2*'s size? Which algorithm is better?
- What if elements of *nums2* are stored on disk, and the memory is limited such that you cannot load all elements into the memory at once?

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```
1 class Solution(object):
2     def intersect(self, nums1, nums2):
3         """
4         :type nums1: List[int]
5         :type nums2: List[int]
6         :rtype: List[int]
7         """
8         i=0
9         inter=[]
10
11         while i < len(nums1):
12             if nums1[i] in nums2:
13                 inter.append(nums1[i])
14                 nums2.remove(nums1[i])
15             i=i+1
16         return inter
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```

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