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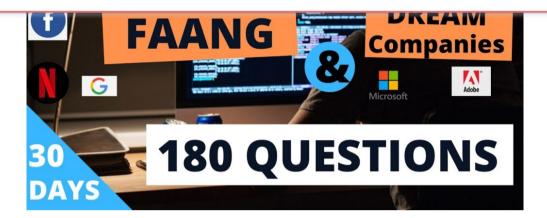
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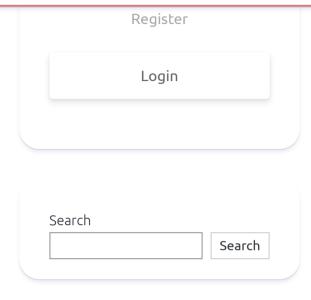
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SDE Sheet contains very handily crafted and picked top coding interview questions from different topics of Data Structures & Algorithms. These questions are one of the most asked coding interview questions in coding interviews of companies like Amazon, Microsoft, Media.net, Flipkart, etc, and cover almost all of the concepts related to Data Structure & Algorithms.

Why trust the Striver SDE sheet?

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the help of this sheet. What are you waiting for?

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Q.No	Problem Name	Detailed Solution	Problem Link	Video Solution	C++ Code	Java Code
1	Set Matrix Zeros	Coming Soon	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
2	Pascal Triangle	Solution	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
3.	Next Permutation	Solution	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
4.	Kadane's Algorithm	Coming Soon	Click	YouTube	Code	Code

5.	Sort an array of 0's 1's 2's	Solution	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
6.	Stock Buy and Sell	Coming Soon	Click	YouTube	Code	Code

Q.No	Problem Name	Detailed Solution	Problem Link	Video Solution	C++ Code	Java Code
1	Rotate Matrix	Coming Soon	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
2	Merge Overlapping Subintervals	Coming Soon	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
3.	Merge two sorted Arrays without extra space	Coming Soon	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
4.	Find the duplicate in an array of N+1 integers.	Coming Soon	Click	YouTube	Code	Code

5.	Repeat and Missing Number	Solution	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
6.	Inversion of Array (Pre-req: Merge Sort)	Solution	Click	YouTube	Code	Code

Q.No	Problem Name	Detailed Solution	Problem Link	Video Solution	C++ Code	Java Code
1	Search in a 2d Matrix	Solution	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
2	Pow(X,n)	Coming Soon	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
3.	Majority Element (>N/2 times)	Solution	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
4.	Majority Element (>N/3 times)	Solution	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
5.	Grid Unique Paths	Solution	Click	YouTube	Code	Code

6	Reverse Pairs	Coming	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
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1	2-Sum-Problem	Solution	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
2	4-sum-Problem	Solution	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
3.	Longest Consecutive Sequence	Coming Soon	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
4.	Largest Subarray with 0 sum	Solution	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
5.	Count number of subarrays with given Xor K	Solution	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
6.	Longest Substring without repeat	Coming Soon	Click	YouTube	Code	Code

		Solution	Link	Solution	Code	Code
1	Reverse a LinkedList	Solution	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
2	Find the middle of LinkedList	Solution	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
3.	Merge two sorted Linked List (use method used in mergeSort)	Solution	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
4.	Remove N-th node from back of LinkedList	Solution	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
5.	Add two numbers as LinkedList	Solution	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
6.	Delete a given Node when a node is given. (0(1) solution)	Coming Soon	Click	YouTube	Code	Code

1	Find intersection point of Y LinkedList	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
2	Detect a cycle in Linked List	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
3.	Reverse a LinkedList in groups of size k.	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
4.	Check if a LinkedList is palindrome or not.	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
5.	Find the starting point of the Loop of LinkedList	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
6.	Flattening of a LinkedList	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
7.	Rotate a LinkedList	Click	YouTube	Code	Code

1	Clone a Linked List with random and next pointer	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
2	3 sum	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
3.	Trapping rainwater	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
4.	Remove Duplicate from Sorted array	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
5.	Max consecutive ones	Click	YouTube	Code	Code

Q.No	Problem Name	Detailed Solution	Problem Link	Video Solution	C++ Code	Java Code
1	N meeting in one room		Click	Youtube	Code	Code
2	Minimum number of platforms required for a railway	Solution	Click	YouTube	Code	Code

3.	Job sequencing Problem	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
4.	Fractional Knapsack Problem	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
5.	Greedy algorithm to find minimum number of coins	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
6.	Activity Selection (it is the same as N meeting in one room)	Click	Youtube	Code	Code

Day-9: Recursion

Q.No	Problem Name	Problem Link	Video Solution	C++ Code	Java Code
1	Subset Sums	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
2	Subset-II	Click	YouTube	Code	Code

3.	Combination sum-1	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
4.	Combination sum-2	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
5.	Palindrome Partitioning	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
6.	K-th permutation Sequence	Click	YouTube	Code	Code

Day-10: Recursion & Backtracking

Q.No	Problem Name	Problem Link	Video Solution	C++ Code	Java Code
1	Print all permutations of a string/array	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
2	N queens Problem	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
3.	Sudoku Solver	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
4.	M coloring Problem	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
5.	Rat in a Maze	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
6.	Word Break (print all ways)	Click	Youtube	Code	Code

Q.No	Problem Name	Detailed	Problem	Video	C++	Java
		Solution	Link	Solution	Code	Code
1	The N-th root of an integer	Solution	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
2	Matrix Median		Click	Youtube	Code	Code
3.	Find the element that appears once in a sorted array, and the rest element appears twice (Binary search)	Solution	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
4.	Search element in a sorted and rotated array/ find pivot where it is rotated	Solution	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
5.	Median of 2 sorted arrays		Click	Youtube	Code	Code
6.	K-th element of two sorted arrays	Solution	Click	Youtube	Code	Code

7.	Allocate Minimum Number of Pages	Click	Youtube	Code	Code	
8.	Aggressive Cows	Click	Youtube	Code	Code	

Day-12: BITS (Optional)

Q.No	Problem Name	Problem Link	Video Solution	C++ Code	Java Code
1	Check if a number if a power of 2 or not in O(1)	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
2	Count total set bits	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
3.	Divide Integers without / operator	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
4.	Power Set (this is very important)	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
5.	Find MSB in o(1)	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
6.	Find the square of a number without using multiplication or division operators.	Click	Youtube	Code	Code

Q.No	Problem Name	Solution	Problem	Video	C++	Java
			Link	Solution	Code	Code
1	Implement Stack Using Arrays	Solution	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
2	Implement Queue Using Arrays		Click	Youtube	Code	Code
3.	Implement Stack using Queue (using single queue)		Click	Youtube	Code	Code
4.	Implement Queue using Stack (0(1) amortized method)		Click	Youtube	Code	Code
5.	Check for balanced parentheses	Solution	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
6.	Next Greater Element		Click	Youtube	Code	Code
7.	Sort a Stack		Click	Youtube	Code	Code

Day-14:

1	Next Smaller Element	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
2	LRU cache (IMPORTANT)	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
3.	LFU Cache	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
4.	Largest rectangle in a histogram	Click	Two-Pass: Youtube One Pass: Youtube	Code	Code
5.	Sliding Window maximum	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
6.	Implement Min Stack	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
7.	Rotten Orange (Using BFS)	Click			
8.	Stock Span Problem	Click			
9.	Find the maximum of minimums of every window size	Click			
10.	The Celebrity Problem	Click			

Day-15: String

1	Reverse Words in a String	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
2	Longest Palindrome in a string	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
3.	Roman Number to Integer and vice versa	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
4.	Implement ATOI/STRSTR	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
5.	Longest Common Prefix	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
6.	Rabin Karp	Click	Youtube	Code	Code

Day-16: String [Continued]

Q.No	Problem Name	Problem Link	Video Solution	C++ Code	Java Code
1	Z-Function	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
2	KMP algo / LPS(pi) array	Click	YouTube	Code	Code

3.	Minimum characters needed to be inserted in the beginning to make it palindromic	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
4.	Check for Anagrams	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
5.	Count and Say	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
6.	Compare version numbers	Click	YouTube	Code	Code

Day-17: Binary Tree (Introduction)

Q.No	Problem	Detailed	Problem	Video	C++ Code	Java Code
	Name	Solution	Link	Solution		

1	Inorder Traversal	Morris Traversal	<u>Click</u>	Youtube (Recursive) Youtube (Iterative) Youtube (Morris Traversal)	Code (Recursive) Code (Iterative)	Code (Recursive) Code (Iterative) Code (Morris)
2	Preorder Traversal	Solution	Click	YouTube Youtube (Morris Traversal)	Code (Morris)	Code
3.	Postorder Traversal		Click	YouTube	Code	Code
4.	LeftView Of Binary Tree	Solution	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
5.	Bottom View of Binary Tree	Solution	Click	YouTube	Code	Code

	Top View					
6.	of Binary	Solution	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
	Tree					

Day-18: **Binary Tree** [Continued]

Q.No	Problem Name	Detailed Solution	Problem Link	Video Solution	C++ Code	Java Code
1	Level order Traversal / Level order traversal in spiral form	Coming Soon	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
2	Height of a Binary Tree	Solution	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
3.	Diameter of Binary Tree	Solution	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
4.	Check if the Binary tree is height- balanced or not	Solution	Click	YouTube	Code	Code

5.	LCA in Binary Tree	Coming Soon	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
6.	Check if two trees are identical or not	Coming Soon	Click	YouTube	Code	Code

Day-19: **Binary Tree** [Continued]

Q.No	Problem Name	Detailed Solution	Problem Link	Video Solution	C++ Code	Java Code
1	Maximum path sum		Click	Youtube	Code	Code
2	Construct Binary Tree from inorder and preorder		Click	YouTube	Code	Code
3.	Construct Binary Tree from Inorder and Postorder		Click	YouTube	Code	Code
4.	Symmetric Binary Tree	Solution	Click	YouTube	Code	Code

5.	Flatten Binary Tree to LinkedList	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
6.	Check if Binary Tree is the mirror of itself or not	Click	YouTube	Code	Code

Day-20: Binary Search Tree

Q.No	Problem Name	Problem Link	Video Solution	C++ Code	Java Code
1	Populate Next Right pointers of Tree	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
2	Search given Key in BST	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
3.	Construct BST from given keys	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
4.	Check is a BT is BST or not	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
5.	Find LCA of two nodes in BST	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
6.	Find the inorder predecessor/successor of a given Key in BST.	Click	YouTube	Code	Code

Q.No	Problem Name	Detailed	Problem	Video	C++	Java
		Solution	Link	Solution	Code	Code
1.	Floor in a BST		Click	Youtube	Code	Code
2.	Ceil in a BST		Click	Youtube	Code	Code
3.	Find K-th smallest element in BST	Solution	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
4.	Find K-th largest element in BST	Solution	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
5.	Find a pair with a given sum in BST		Click	YouTube	Code	Code
6.	BST iterator		Click	YouTube	Code	Code
7.	Size of the largest BST in a Binary Tree		Click	YouTube	Code	Code
8.	Serialize and deserialize Binary Tree		Click	YouTube	Code	Code

Day-22: Trees [Miscellaneous]

1	Binary Tree to Double Linked List	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
2	Find median in a stream of running integers.	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
3.	K-th largest element in a stream.	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
4.	Distinct numbers in Window.	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
5.	K-th largest element in an unsorted array.	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
6.	Flood-fill Algorithm	Click	YouTube	Code	Code

Day-23: Graphs - Part 1

Q.No	Problem Name	Problem Link	Video Solution	C++ Code	Java Code
1	Clone a graph (Not that easy as it looks)	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
2	DFS	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
3.	BFS	Click	YouTube	Code	Code

4.	Detect A cycle in Undirected Graph using BFS	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
5.	Detect A cycle in Undirected Graph using DFS	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
6.	Detect A cycle in a Directed Graph using DFS	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
7.	Detect A cycle in a Directed Graph using BFS	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
8.	Topological Sort	Click	DFS: YouTube BFS: Youtube	Code	Code
9.	Number of islands (Do in Grid and Graph both)	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
10.	Bipartite Check using BFS	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
11.	Bipartite Check using DFS	Click	YouTube	Code	Code

Day-24: Graphs – Part 2

1	Strongly Connected Component(using KosaRaju's algo)	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
2	Dijkstra's Algorithm	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
3.	Bellman-Ford Algo	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
4.	Floyd Warshall Algorithm	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
5.	MST using Prim's Algo	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
6.	MST using Kruskal's Algo	Click	YouTube	Code	Code

Day-25: Dynamic Programming – Part 1

Q.No	Problem Name	Problem Link	Video Solution	C++ Code	Java Code
1	Max Product Subarray	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
2	Longest Increasing Subsequence	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
3.	Longest Common Subsequence	Click	YouTube	Code	Code

4	l.	0-1 Knapsack	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
5).	Edit Distance	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
6).	Maximum sum increasing subsequence	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
7	,	Matrix Chain Multiplication	Click	YouTube	Code	Code

Day-26: Dynamic Programming – Part 2

Q.No	Problem Name	Problem Link	Video Solution	C++ Code	Java Code
1	Maximum sum path in the matrix, (count paths and similar type do, also backtrack to find the maximum path)	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
2	Coin change	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
3.	Subset Sum	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
4.	Rod Cutting	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
5.	Egg Dropping	Click	YouTube	Code	Code

6.	Word Break	Click	YouTube	Code	Code
7.	Palindrome Partitioning (MCM Variation)	Click	Youtube	Code	Code
8.	Maximum profit in Job scheduling	Click	Youtube	Code	Code

Day-27:

- 1. Revise OS notes that you would have made during your sem
- 2. If not made notes, spend 2 or 3 days and make notes from Knowledge Gate.

Day-28:

- 1. Revise DBMS notes that you would have made during your semesters.
- 2. If not made notes, spend 2 or 3 days and make notes from Knowledge Gate.

Day-29:

1. Revise CN notes, that you would have made during your sem.

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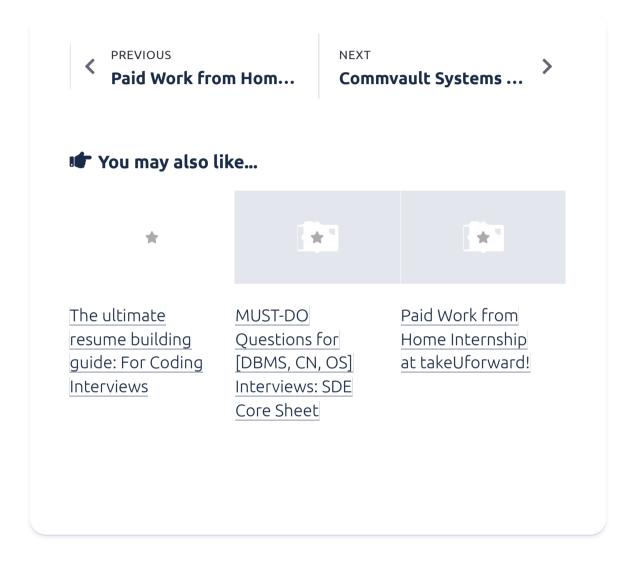
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