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## Datenstrukturen & Algorithmen

Blatt P9

**HS 17** 

**Hand-in:** Bis Sonntag, 3. Dezember 2017, 23:59 Uhr via Online Judge (nur Source Code). Fragen zur Aufgabenstellung oder Übersetzung werden wie üblich im Forum beantwortet.

## **Exercise P9.1** *Dyno.*

Dyno, the dinosaur of Figure 1, wants to cross a perfectly straight desert. The desert is L meters long and it is split into L segments, indexed from 0 to L-1. Each segment can either be empty or it can contain one of the C cacti that inhabit the desert. When Dyno is in a generic segment i it can either walk or jump forward. Walking allows it to move from segment i to segment i+1, provided that segment i+1 is empty. Jumping allows it to move from segment i to segment i+D, provided that segment i+D is empty (Dyno can jump even if there are cacti between segment i+1 and segment i+D-1. Dyno starts at segment 0, which is always empty, and your job is to help Dyno reach the farthest possible segment in the desert (i.e., the one with the largest possible index).

**Input** The input consists of a set of instances, or test-cases, of the previous problem. The first line of the input contains the number T of test-cases. The first line of each test case contains integers L, D and C, separated by spaces. The second line of each test case contains the locations of the C cacti as n integers separated by spaces. The segment numbers of the cacti locations appear in increasing order.

The inputs satisfy  $10 \le L \le 1\,000\,000$ ,  $0 \le C \le 1\,000\,000$ , and  $2 \le D \le 10$ .

**Output** The output consists of T lines, each containing a single integer. The i-th line is the answer to the i-th test-case, i.e., it contains the the largest index reachable by Dyno.

**Grading** You get 3 bonus points if your program works for all inputs. Your program should run in time  $O(L \log(C + D))$ . Submit your Main.java at https://judge.inf.ethz.ch/team/websubmit.php?cid=18997&problem=DA17P4.5. The enrollment password is "asymptotic".

## **Example**

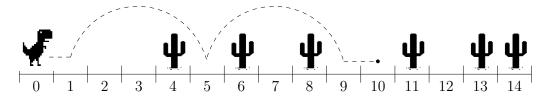


Figure 1: Example input. The dashed line represents the unique optimal solution.<sup>1</sup>

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Input (corresponding to Figure 1):

1
15 4 6
4 6 8 11 13 14

Output:

10
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**Notes** For this exercise we provide an archive on the lecture website containing a program template that will load the input and write the output for you. The archive also contains additional test cases (which differ from the ones used for grading). Importing or using classes that are not in <code>java.lang.\*</code> is **not allowed** (with the exception of the already imported <code>java.util.Scanner</code> class).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Dyno is not to scale.