

# Bitwise Operators



## Objective

This challenge will let you learn about bitwise operators in C.

Inside the CPU, mathematical operations like addition, subtraction, multiplication and division are done in bit-level. To perform bit-level operations in C programming, bitwise operators are used which are explained below.

- **Bitwise AND operator &** The output of bitwise AND is  $1$  if the corresponding bits of two operands is  $1$ . If either bit of an operand is  $0$ , the result of corresponding bit is evaluated to  $0$ . It is denoted by  $\&$ .
- **Bitwise OR operator |** The output of bitwise OR is  $1$  if at least one corresponding bit of two operands is  $1$ . It is denoted by  $|$ .
- **Bitwise XOR (exclusive OR) operator ^** The result of bitwise XOR operator is  $1$  if the corresponding bits of two operands are opposite. It is denoted by  $\oplus$ .

For example, for integers 3 and 5,

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3 = 00000011 (In Binary)
5 = 00000101 (In Binary)

AND operation      OR operation      XOR operation
00000011          00000011          00000011
& 00000101        | 00000101        ^ 00000101
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00000001 = 1      00000111 = 7      00000110 = 6
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## Task

Given set  $S = \{1, 2, 3, \dots, n\}$ , find:

- the maximum value of  $a \& b$  which is less than a given integer  $k$ , where  $a$  and  $b$  (where  $a < b$ ) are two integers from set  $S$ .
- the maximum value of  $a | b$  which is less than a given integer  $k$ , where  $a$  and  $b$  (where  $a < b$ ) are two integers from set  $S$ .
- the maximum value of  $a \oplus b$  which is less than a given integer  $k$ , where  $a$  and  $b$  (where  $a < b$ ) are two integers from set  $S$ .

## Input Format

The only line contains 2 space-separated integers,  $n$  and  $k$ , respectively.

## Constraints

- $2 \leq n \leq 10^3$
- $2 \leq k \leq n$

## Output Format

- The first line of output contains the maximum possible value of  $a \& b$ .
- The second line of output contains the maximum possible value of  $a | b$ .
- The second line of output contains the maximum possible value of  $a \oplus b$ .

## Sample Input 0

**Sample Output 0**

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2
3
3
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**Explanation 0**

$$n = 5, k = 4$$

$$S = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$$

All possible values of  $a$  and  $b$  are:

1.  $a = 1, b = 2; a \& b = 0; a | b = 3; a \oplus b = 3;$
2.  $a = 1, b = 3; a \& b = 1; a | b = 3; a \oplus b = 2;$
3.  $a = 1, b = 4; a \& b = 0; a | b = 5; a \oplus b = 5;$
4.  $a = 1, b = 5; a \& b = 1; a | b = 5; a \oplus b = 4;$
5.  $a = 2, b = 3; a \& b = 2; a | b = 3; a \oplus b = 1;$
6.  $a = 2, b = 4; a \& b = 0; a | b = 6; a \oplus b = 6;$
7.  $a = 2, b = 5; a \& b = 0; a | b = 7; a \oplus b = 7;$
8.  $a = 3, b = 4; a \& b = 0; a | b = 7; a \oplus b = 7;$
9.  $a = 3, b = 5; a \& b = 1; a | b = 7; a \oplus b = 6;$
10.  $a = 4, b = 5; a \& b = 4; a | b = 5; a \oplus b = 1;$ 
  - The maximum possible value of  $a \& b$  that is also  $< (k = 4)$  is **2**, so we print **2** on first line.
  - The maximum possible value of  $a | b$  that is also  $< (k = 4)$  is **3**, so we print **3** on second line.
  - The maximum possible value of  $a \oplus b$  that is also  $< (k = 4)$  is **3**, so we print **3** on third line.