

Q. Given an array of n positive integers. Find the k -th largest element in the array and then find the maximum sum of a subsequence such that no two numbers in the subsequence are adjacent in the array, and the subsequence must include the k -th largest element.

For example: $arr[] = \{5, 5, 10, 100, 10, 5\}$ and $k = 2$. Output is 25.

Here, the 2nd largest element is 10. The subsequence $\{5, 10, 10\}$ includes 10 and gives the maximum sum of 25, with no two elements being adjacent.

Another example for more clarification: $arr[] = \{4, 1, 3, 9, 2, 8\}$ and $k = 2$. Output is 21.

The 2nd largest element is 8. The subsequence $\{4, 9, 8\}$ includes 8 and max sum 21 and no two elements are adjacent.

Explanation:

1. **findKthLargest:** It will return the k -th largest element after sorting the array in decreasing order.
2. **maxNonAdjacentSum:** This will return the maximum sum of a subsequence where no two elements are adjacent, and it will certainly include the k -th largest element.
3. **Main Function:** We have declared an array, $arr[]$, and have found the k -th largest element using the function, `findKthLargest`. Then we recursively call the method `maxNonAdjacentSum`, which looks to find the maximum sum of a subsequence including the k -th largest element. Finally, print the result.

Example:

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int arr[] = {5, 5, 10, 100, 10, 5};
int n = sizeof(arr) / sizeof(arr[0]);
int k = 2;

// Step 1: Find the k-th largest element
int kthLargest = findKthLargest(arr, n, k);
printf("The %d-th largest element is: %d\n", k, kthLargest);

// Step 2: Find the maximum sum of a subsequence including the k-th largest element
int maxSum = maxNonAdjacentSum(arr, n, kthLargest);
printf("Maximum sum of subsequence including %d: %d\n", kthLargest, maxSum);
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Output:

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The 2-th largest element is: 10  
Maximum sum of subsequence including 10: 25  
  
...Program finished with exit code 0  
Press ENTER to exit console.
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