

DAY-1 PROGRAMS

1. Given an array of strings words, return the first palindromic string in the array. If there is no such string, return an empty string "". A string is palindromic if it reads the same forward and backward.

Example 1: Input: words = ["abc","car","ada","racecar","cool"] Output: "ada" Explanation: The first string that is palindromic is "ada". Note that "racecar" is also palindromic, but it is not the first.

Example 2: Input: words = ["notapalindrome","racecar"] Output: "racecar" Explanation: The first and only string that is palindromic is "racecar"

| main.py | Output |
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| <pre>1 def first_palindromic_string(words): 2 for word in words: 3 if word == word[::-1]: 4 return word 5 return "" 6 words1 = ["abc", "car", "ada", "racecar", "cool"] 7 words2 = ["notapalindrome", "racecar"] 8 9 print(first_palindromic_string(words1)) 10 print(first_palindromic_string(words2)) 11</pre> | <pre>ada racecar === Code Execution Successful ===</pre> |

2. You are given two integer arrays nums1 and nums2 of sizes n and m, respectively. Calculate the following values: answer1 : the number of indices i such that nums1[i] exists in nums2. answer2 : the number of indices i such that nums2[i] exists in nums1 Return [answer1,answer2].

Example 1: Input: nums1 = [2,3,2], nums2 = [1,2] Output: [2,1] Explanation:

Example 2: Input: nums1 = [4,3,2,3,1], nums2 = [2,2,5,2,3,6] Output: [3,4] Explanation: The elements at indices 1, 2, and 3 in nums1 exist in nums2 as well. So answer1 is 3. The elements at indices 0, 1, 3, and 4 in nums2 exist in nums1. So answer2 is 4.

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| <pre>1 def find_common_indices(nums1, nums2): 2 answer1 = sum(1 for num in nums1 if num in nums2) 3 answer2 = sum(1 for num in nums2 if num in nums1) 4 return [answer1, answer2] 5 6 7 nums1 = [2, 3, 2] 8 nums2 = [1, 2] 9 print(find_common_indices(nums1, nums2)) 10 11 nums1 = [4, 3, 2, 3, 1] 12 nums2 = [2, 2, 5, 2, 3, 6] 13 print(find_common_indices(nums1, nums2)) 14</pre> | <pre>[2, 1] [3, 4] === Code Execution Successful ===</pre> |

3. You are given a 0-indexed integer array `nums`. The distinct count of a subarray of `nums` is defined as: Let `nums[i..j]` be a subarray of `nums` consisting of all the indices from `i` to `j` such that $0 \leq i \leq j < \text{nums.length}$. Then the number of distinct values in `nums[i..j]` is called the distinct count of `nums[i..j]`. Return the sum of the squares of distinct counts of all subarrays of `nums`. A subarray is a contiguous non-empty sequence of elements within an array. Example 1: Input: `nums = [1,2,1]` Output: 15

Explanation: Six possible subarrays are: `[1]`: 1 distinct value `[2]`: 1 distinct value `[1]`: 1 distinct value `[1,2]`: 2 distinct values `[2,1]`: 2 distinct values `[1,2,1]`: 2 distinct values The sum of the squares of the distinct counts in all subarrays is equal to $1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2 + 2^2 + 2^2 + 2^2 = 15$.

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| <pre> 1 def sum_of_squares_of_distinct_counts(nums): 2 n = len(nums) 3 result = 0 4 for i in range(n): 5 distinct_elements = set() 6 for j in range(i, n): 7 distinct_elements.add(nums[j]) 8 distinct_count = len(distinct_elements) 9 result += distinct_count ** 2 10 11 return result 12 13 nums = [1, 2, 1] 14 print(sum_of_squares_of_distinct_counts(nums)) 15 </pre> | <pre> 15 === Code Execution Successful === </pre> |

4. Given a 0-indexed integer array `nums` of length `n` and an integer `k`, return the number of pairs `(i, j)` where $0 \leq i < j < n$, such that `nums[i] == nums[j]` and `(i * j)` is divisible by `k`.

Example 1:

Input: `nums = [3,1,2,2,2,1,3]`, `k = 2` Output: 4

Explanation: There are 4 pairs that meet all the requirements:

- `nums[0] == nums[6]`, and $0 * 6 == 0$, which is divisible by 2.
- `nums[2] == nums[3]`, and $2 * 3 == 6$, which is divisible by 2.
- `nums[2] == nums[4]`, and $2 * 4 == 8$, which is divisible by 2.
- `nums[3] == nums[4]`, and $3 * 4 == 12$, which is divisible by 2.

Example 2: Input: `nums = [1,2,3,4]`, `k = 1` Output: 0

Explanation: Since no value in `nums` is repeated, there are no pairs `(i,j)` that meet all the requirements.

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| <pre> 1 def count_pairs(nums, k): 2 count = 0 3 n = len(nums) 4 for i in range(n): 5 for j in range(i + 1, n): 6 if nums[i] == nums[j] and (i * j) % k == 0: 7 count += 1 8 9 return count 10 nums1 = [3, 1, 2, 2, 2, 1, 3] 11 k1 = 2 12 print(count_pairs(nums1, k1)) 13 14 nums2 = [1, 2, 3, 4] 15 k2 = 1 16 print(count_pairs(nums2, k2)) 17 </pre> | <pre> 4 0 === Code Execution Successful === </pre> |

5. Write a program FOR THE BELOW TEST CASES with least time complexity
Test Cases: -

- 1) Input: {1, 2, 3, 4, 5} Expected Output: 5
- 2) Input: {7, 7, 7, 7, 7} Expected Output: 7
- 3) Input: {-10, 2, 3, -4, 5} Expected Output: 5

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| <pre> 1 def find_max(arr): 2 max_value = arr[0] 3 for num in arr[1:]: 4 if num > max_value: 5 max_value = num 6 7 return max_value 8 9 print(find_max([1, 2, 3, 4, 5])) 10 print(find_max([7, 7, 7, 7, 7])) 11 print(find_max([-10, 2, 3, -4, 5])) 12 </pre> | <pre> 5 7 5 === Code Execution Successful === </pre> |

6. You have an algorithm that process a list of numbers. It firsts sorts the list using an efficient sorting algorithm and then finds the maximum element in sorted list. Write the code for the same.

Test Cases

1. Empty List 1. Input: [] 2. Expected Output: None or an appropriate message indicating that the list is empty.
2. Single Element List 1. Input: [5] 2. Expected Output: 5
3. All Elements are the Same 1. Input: [3, 3, 3, 3, 3] 2. Expected Output: 3

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| <pre> 1 def process_list(nums): 2 if not nums: 3 return "The list is empty." 4 nums.sort() 5 return nums[-1] 6 7 print(process_list([])) 8 print(process_list([5])) 9 print(process_list([3, 3, 3, 3, 3])) 10 </pre> | Run | <pre> The list is empty. 5 3 === Code Execution Successful === </pre> |

7. Write a program that takes an input list of n numbers and creates a new list containing only the unique elements from the original list. What is the space complexity of the algorithm?

Test Cases:

Some Duplicate Elements

- Input: [3, 7, 3, 5, 2, 5, 9, 2]
- Expected Output: [3, 7, 5, 2, 9] (Order may vary based on the algorithm used)

Negative and Positive Numbers

- Input: [-1, 2, -1, 3, 2, -2]
- Expected Output: [-1, 2, 3, -2] (Order may vary)

List with Large Numbers

- Input: [1000000, 999999, 1000000]
- Expected Output: [1000000, 999999]

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| <pre> 1 def unique_elements(nums): 2 unique_set = set(nums) 3 unique_list = list(unique_set) 4 return unique_list 5 6 print(unique_elements([3, 7, 3, 5, 2, 5, 9, 2])) 7 print(unique_elements([-1, 2, -1, 3, 2, -2])) 8 print(unique_elements([1000000, 999999, 1000000])) 9 </pre> | Run | <pre> [2, 3, 5, 7, 9] [2, 3, -1, -2] [1000000, 999999] === Code Execution Successful === </pre> |

8. Sort an array of integers using the bubble sort technique. Analyze its time complexity using Big-O notation. Write the code.

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| <pre> 1 def bubble_sort(arr): 2 n = len(arr) 3 for i in range(n): 4 swapped = False 5 for j in range(0, n-i-1): 6 if arr[j] > arr[j+1]: 7 arr[j], arr[j+1] = arr[j+1], arr[j] 8 swapped = True 9 if not swapped: 10 break 11 12 13 arr = [64, 34, 25, 12, 22, 11, 90] 14 bubble_sort(arr) 15 print("Sorted array:", arr) 16 </pre> | <p>Sorted array: [11, 12, 22, 25, 34, 64, 90]</p> <p>=== Code Execution Successful ===</p> |

9. Checks if a given number x exists in a sorted array arr using binary search. Analyze its time complexity using Big-O notation.

Test Case:

Example X={ 3,4,6,-9,10,8,9,30} KEY=10

Output: Element 10 is found at position 5

Example X={ 3,4,6,-9,10,8,9,30} KEY=100

Output : Element 100 is not found

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| <pre> 1 def binary_search(arr, key): 2 arr.sort() 3 def binary_search_helper(arr, key, left, right): 4 if left <= right: 5 mid = (left + right) // 2 6 if arr[mid] == key: 7 return mid 8 elif arr[mid] < key: 9 return binary_search_helper(arr, key, mid + 1, 10 right) 11 else: 12 return binary_search_helper(arr, key, left, mid 13 - 1) 14 return -1 15 index = binary_search_helper(arr, key, 0, len(arr) - 1) 16 if index != -1: 17 return f"Element {key} is found at position {index}" </pre> | <p>Element 10 is found at position 6</p> <p>Element 100 is not found</p> <p>=== Code Execution Successful ===</p> |

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| <pre> 10 right) 11 else: 12 return binary_search_helper(arr, key, left, mid 13 - 1) 14 return -1 15 index = binary_search_helper(arr, key, 0, len(arr) - 1) 16 if index != -1: 17 return f"Element {key} is found at position {index}" 18 else: 19 return f"Element {key} is not found" 20 21 arr1 = [3, 4, 6, -9, 10, 8, 9, 30] 22 key1 = 10 23 print(binary_search(arr1, key1)) 24 arr2 = [3, 4, 6, -9, 10, 8, 9, 30] 25 key2 = 100 26 print(binary_search(arr2, key2)) </pre> | <p>Element 10 is found at position 6</p> <p>Element 100 is not found</p> <p>=== Code Execution Successful ===</p> |

10. Given an array of integers `nums`, sort the array in ascending order and return it. You must solve the problem without using any built-in functions in $O(n \log(n))$ time complexity and with the smallest space complexity possible.

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1 def merge_sort(arr):  
2     if len(arr) <= 1:  
3         return arr  
4     mid = len(arr) // 2  
5     left_half = merge_sort(arr[:mid])  
6     right_half = merge_sort(arr[mid:])  
7     return merge(left_half, right_half)  
8  
9 def merge(left, right):  
10    sorted_arr = []  
11    left_idx, right_idx = 0, 0  
12  
13    while left_idx < len(left) and right_idx < len(right):  
14        if left[left_idx] <= right[right_idx]:  
15            sorted_arr.append(left[left_idx])  
16            left_idx += 1  
17        else:  
18            sorted_arr.append(right[right_idx])  
19            right_idx += 1
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[1, 1, 2, 3, 3, 4, 5, 5, 5, 6, 9]

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11 left_idx, right_idx = 0, 0 [1, 1, 2, 3, 3, 4, 5, 5, 5, 6, 9]  
12  
13 while left_idx < len(left) and right_idx < len(right):  
14     if left[left_idx] <= right[right_idx]:  
15         sorted_arr.append(left[left_idx])  
16         left_idx += 1  
17     else:  
18         sorted_arr.append(right[right_idx])  
19         right_idx += 1  
20  
21 sorted_arr.extend(left[left_idx:])  
22 sorted_arr.extend(right[right_idx:])  
23  
24 return sorted_arr  
25  
26 nums = [3, 1, 4, 1, 5, 9, 2, 6, 5, 3, 5]  
27 sorted_nums = merge_sort(nums)  
28 print(sorted_nums)  
29
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