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(Complexity)

Time Complexity: $TC \neq$ Time taken

↳ Rate at which the time taken increases with respect to the I/P Size.

Big-oh Notation $\Rightarrow O(\uparrow)$
time taken

↳ Points to be taken -

- TC, worst case scenario
- avoid constraints
- avoid lower values

Big-oh (O)

↓
worst case

[Upper bound]

Theta (Θ)

↓

[Average Complexity]

Omega (Ω)

↓

[Lower Bound]

Space Complexity: → Memory space

→ Big-oh Notation



Auxilliary space

→ space that you take to solve the problem

+

Input Space

→ space that you take to store the input

Note:-

code → Server

↓

[$16 \geq 10^8$ operations]

(C++ STL)

- Algorithms
- Containers
- Functions
- Iterators

STL → Standard Template Library

* STL → STL is basically compilation of containers, algorithms, iterators, fcn's in a minimized version.

* Pairs :-

```
void explainPairs() {
```

```
    pair<int, int> p = {1, 3};
```

```
    cout << p.first << " " << p.second;
```

```
    pair<int, pair<int, int>> p = {1, {3, 4}};
```

```
    cout << p.first << " " << p.second.second << " " << p.second.first;
```

```
    pair<int, int> arr[] = {{1, 2}, {2, 5}, {5, 1}};
```

```
    cout << arr[1].second;
```

```
}
```

⇒ Containers & Iterator :-

1) Vector :- vector is a container which stores elements in a similar fashion as the array does.

Declaration :- vector<int> v;

vector<int> v(5); ^{↗ size}

vector<int> v(5, 20); → {20, 20, 20, 20, 20}

vector<pair<int, int>> vec;

method - (To insert element)

`v.push_back(value);` and `v.emplace_back(value);`

method - (To access element)

↓

with the help of iterator

`vector<int>::iterator it = v.begin();`

" " = `v.end();`

" " = `v.rend();`

" " = `v.rbegin();`

Note:-

`end()` points to the memory location that is ~~at~~ right after the last element.

`v.back()` → last element

Iterator:- points to the memory where the element is ^{lying} ~~is~~

Auto variable name automatically takes data type

method - (To delete element)

`v.erase(iterator)` → e.g : `v.erase(v.begin()+1);`

`v.erase(start, end)`

Insert function:-

`v.insert(v.begin(), 300)` // {300, 100, 100}

`v.insert(v.begin()+1, 2, 10);` // {300, 10, 10, 100, 100}

Other ~~are~~ functions:-

`v.size();`

`v.pop_back();` In {10, 20} returns {10}

`v.swap(v2);`

`v.clear();`

`v.empty();`

2) List :- container \rightarrow dynamic size

Declaration :- `List<int> l8;`

\Rightarrow functions :-

`l8.push_back(2);` // {2}

`l8.emplace_back(4);` // {2, 4}

`l8.push_front(5);` // {5, 2, 4}

`l8.emplace_front(6);` // {6, 5, 2, 4}

\hookrightarrow rest fn same as vector

3) Deque :- Similar to list & vector

Declaration :- `deque<int> dq;`

\Rightarrow functions :-

`dq.push_back(1);` // {1}

`dq.emplace_back(2);` // {1, 2}

`dq.push_front(4);` // {4, 1, 2}

`dq.emplace_front(3);` // {3, 4, 1, 2}

`dq.pop_back();` // {3, 4, 1}

`dq.pop_front();` // {4, 1}

`dq.back();`

`dq.front();`

\hookrightarrow rest function's same as vector

4) Stack :- (LIFO)

Declaration :- `Stack<int> st;`

functions :-

`st.push(1);`

`st.emplace(5);`

`st.top();`

`st.pop();`

`st.size();`

`st.empty();`

`st.swap(st2);`



Complexity of stack oprⁿ: $O(1)$

3

5) Queue:- (FIFO)

Declaration:- `queue<int> q;`

functions:-

`q.push(1);`

`q.emplace(4);`

`q.back();`

`q.front();`

`q.pop();` → deletes front end element

→ Complexity of queue oprⁿ: $O(1)$

6) Priority queue:-

// Max Heap -

Declaration:- `priority_queue<int> pq;`

functions:-

`pq.push(5);`

`pq.pop();`

`pq.top();`

// Min Heap -

Declaration:- `priority_queue<int, vector<int>, greater<int>> pq;`

functions:-

`pq.push(5);`

`pq.top();`

`pq.pop();`

→ complexity of - push - $O(\log n)$

pop - $O(\log n)$

top - $O(1)$

7) Set :- Sorted & unique

Declaration : `set<int> st;`

functions :-

`st.insert(1);`

`st.find(3);`

`st.erase(5);`

`st.upper_bound(2);`

`st.count(2);`

`st.erase(start, end)`

`st.lower_bound(4);`

→ rest fn same as vector

→ complexity of each fn = $O(\log n)$

but `st.erase(5)` → takes $O(\log n)$

while `auto it = st.find(3);`

`st.erase(it)` → takes constant time

↳ address

8) Multiset :- sorted

Declaration : `multiset<int> ms;`

functions :-

`ms.insert(1);`

`ms.erase(1);` → all 1's erased

`ms.find(1);`

→ rest functions same as set

9) Uset :- unique

Declaration :- `unordered_set<int> st;`

→ lower bound & upper bound fn doesn't work, rest fn are same as above, it does not store in any particular order it has a better complexity than set most cases, except some when collision happens.

1) Map :- {key, value} [map stores unique key in sorted order.]

Declaration :-
map<int, int> mpp;
map<int, pair<int, int>> mpp;
map<pair<int, int>, int> mpp;

[Complexity]
↓
 $O(\log n)$

functions :-
mpp.emplace({3, 13});
mpp.insert({2, 4});
mpp[1] = 2;
mpp[{2, 3}] = 10;

mpp.find(3); ^{key}
mpp.lower_bound(2);
mpp.upper_bound(3);

→ rest fn same as set

1) Multimap :- everything same as map, only it can store multiple keys i.e. [duplicate keys in sorted order]
only mpp[key] cannot be used here

1) unordered Map :- same same as set & unordered set difference i.e. [duplicate keys in unsorted order]

→ complexity :- $O(1)$ but in worst case $O(N)$

2) Algorithms :-

→ sorting :-

sort(start, end) e.g: sort(a, a+n); → In ascending

sort(start, end, greater<int>); → In descending

sort(a, a+n, comp) → In your way

↳ self written comparator (a boolean fn)

↳ Sort in your way:- (Comparator)

Prob: sort it according to second element if second element is same, then sort it according to first element but in descending

```
pair<int, int> a[] = {{1, 2}, {2, 1}, {4, 1}};
```

```
sort(a, a+n, comp);
```

```
bool comp(pair<int, int> p1, pair<int, int> p2) {
```

```
    if (p1.second < p2.second) return true; // Swap them
```

```
    if (p1.second > p2.second) return false;
```

```
    // they are same
```

```
    if (p1.first > p2.first) return true;
```

```
    return false;
```

```
}
```

↳ builtin_popcount:- returns no. of set bits (no. of 1)

Ex:- int num = 7;

```
int cnt = __builtin_popcount(); // return 3
```

```
long long num = 165786578687;
```

```
int cnt = __builtin_popcountLL();
```

↳ next_permutation:- (get all permutations)

Ex:- string s = "123";

```
do {
```

```
    cout << s << endl;
```

```
} while (next_permutation(s.begin(), s.end()));
```

⇒ Prints in dictionary order

↳ max_element:- To get maximum element

Ex:- `int maxi = *max_element(a, a+n);`

⇒ Similarly min_element is also there.

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(Basic
Maths)

Extracting digits of a number:-

⇒ 7789 → $N = N/10 \rightarrow \text{Digits}$
 $N = N/10 \rightarrow \text{remaining digits}$

↳ Complexity: $O(\log_{10}(N))$

* ~~Print~~ To count no. of digits -

`int cnt = (int) [log10(N) + 1];`

Reverse of a number:-

`reverse num = reverse num x 10 + Last num`

Print all factors of a number:-

first method by loop if $(N \% i == 0)$ but time Complexity of this method is $O(n)$.

* another method -

`vector<int> v;`

`for (int i = 1; i < sqrt(n); i++) {` → $O(\sqrt{n})$

`if (n % i == 0) {`

`v.push_back(i);`

```
if((n/i) != i) {
```

```
    v.push_back(n/i);
```

```
}
```

```
}
```

sort(v.begin(), v.end()); $\rightarrow O(n \log n)$ where $n \rightarrow$ no. of factors
for(auto it: v) cout << it << " "; $\rightarrow O(n)$

\Rightarrow v can use sqrt(n) for prime no. also.

GCD / HCF :-

```
for (i = min(n1, n2); i >= 1; i--) { // (optimal code)
```

```
    if (N1 % i == 0 && N2 % i == 0) { // many cases)
```

```
        print(i);
```

```
        break;
```

```
}
```

```
}
```

Euclidean Algorithm :-

$gcd(N_1, N_2) = gcd(N_1 - N_2, N_2)$ if $N_1 > N_2$

$gcd(a, b) = gcd(a - b, b)$ where $a > b$

Ex:- $N_1 = 15, N_2 = 20$

$gcd(20, 15) = gcd(5, 15)$

$gcd(15, 5) = gcd(10, 5)$

$gcd(10, 5) = gcd(5, 5)$

$gcd(5, 5) = gcd(0, 5)$

\downarrow
 gcd

Better way -

$$\text{gcd}(a, b) = \text{gcd}(a \cdot 1 \cdot b, b) \quad \text{where } a > b$$

```
while (a > 0 && b > 0) {
```

```
    if (a > b)    a = a / b
```

```
    else        b = b / a
```

```
}
```

```
if (a == 0) print(b)
```

```
else      print(a)
```

// optimal code for GCD/HCF

Complexity: $O(\log(\min(a, b)))$