

1. Given a sorted array of positive and negative numbers. You have to Square it and sort it.

Constraint : Time complexity  $O(n)$

Example:

Input: [-12, -8, -7, -5, 2, 4, 5, 11, 15]

Output : [4, 16, 25, 25, 49, 56, 121, 144, 225]

```
def square_and_sorted_arr(arr):
```

```
    squared_arr = []
```

```
    for i in range(len(arr)):
```

```
        squared_arr.append(arr[i]**2)
```

```
    return sorted(squared_arr)
```

```
arr = [-12, -8, -7, -5, 2, 4, 5, 11, 15]
```

```
print(square_and_sorted_arr(arr))
```

2. Design an immutable class with following attributes

String name;

String Id,

Date dateOfJoining

List<Address> addresses;

```
from dataclasses import dataclass, field
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```
from datetime import date
```

```
from typing import List
```

```
import copy
```

```
@dataclass(frozen=True)
```

```
class Address:
```

```
    street: str
```

```
    city: str
```

```
    state: str
```

```
    zip_code: str
```

```
@dataclass(frozen=True)
```

```
class Employee:
```

```
    name: str
```

```
    Id: str
```

```
    dateOfJoining: date
```

```
    addresses: List[Address] = field(default_factory=list)
```

```
    def __post_init__(self):
```

```
        object.__setattr__(self, "addresses", tuple(copy.deepcopy(self.addresses)))
```

```
address1 = Address("123 Main St", "New York", "NY", "10001")
```

```
address2 = Address("456 Maple Rd", "Los Angeles", "CA", "90001")
```

```
employee = Employee(name="John Doe", Id="E12345", dateOfJoining=date(2020, 5,  
15), addresses=[address1, address2])
```

```
print(employee)
```

3. Given an array of Red Green Blue balls. You have to sort it.

Constraint : Time complexity  $O(n)$

Constraint : Space complexity  $O(1)$

Example:

Input: [R, G, B, G, G, R, B, B, G]

Output : [B,B,B,G,G,G,G,R, R]

```
def sort_balls(arr):
```

```
    low, mid, high = 0, 0, len(arr) - 1
```

```
    while mid <= high:
```

```
        if arr[mid] == 'B':
```

```
            arr[low], arr[mid] = arr[mid], arr[low]
```

```
            low += 1
```

```
            mid += 1
```

```
        elif arr[mid] == 'G':
```

```
            mid += 1
```

```
        else:
```

```
            arr[mid], arr[high] = arr[high], arr[mid]
```

```
            high -= 1
```

```
    return arr
```

```
balls = ['R', 'G', 'B', 'G', 'G', 'R', 'B', 'B', 'G']
```

```
sorted_balls = sort_balls(balls)
```

```
print(sorted_balls)
```

4. We are given two arrays that represent the arrival and departure times of trains, the task is to find the minimum number of platforms required so that no train waits.

Examples:

Input: arr[] = {9:00, 9:40, 9:50, 11:00, 15:00, 18:00}, dep[] = {9:10, 12:00, 11:20, 11:30, 19:00, 20:00}

Output: 3

Explanation: There are at-most three trains at a time (time between 9:40 to 12:00)

Input: arr[] = {9:00, 9:40}, dep[] = {9:10, 12:00}

Output: 1

Explanation: Only one platform is needed.

```
def find_min_platforms(arr, dep):
```

```
    n = len(arr)
```

```
    arr = sorted([int(t.split(":")[0]) * 60 + int(t.split(":")[1]) for t in arr])
```

```
    dep = sorted([int(t.split(":")[0]) * 60 + int(t.split(":")[1]) for t in dep])
```

```
    i, j = 0, 0
```

```
    platforms_needed = 0
```

```
    max_platforms = 0
```

```
    while i < n and j < n:
```

```
        if arr[i] <= dep[j]:
```

```
            platforms_needed += 1
```

```
            max_platforms = max(max_platforms, platforms_needed)
```

```
            i += 1
```

```
        else:
```

```
            platforms_needed -= 1
```

```
j += 1
```

```
return max_platforms
```

```
arr = ["9:00", "9:40", "9:50", "11:00", "15:00", "18:00"]  
dep = ["9:10", "12:00", "11:20", "11:30", "19:00", "20:00"]  
print(find_min_platforms(arr, dep))
```

```
arr2 = ["9:00", "9:40"]  
dep2 = ["9:10", "12:00"]  
print(find_min_platforms(arr2, dep2))
```

5. Sort hashmap by value.

Example:

Input: Map: {101=John Doe, 102=Jane Smith, 103=Peter Johnson}

output: Map: {102=Jane Smith, 101=John Doe, 103=Peter Johnson}

```
def sort_dict_by_value(input_dict):  
    return dict(sorted(input_dict.items(), key=lambda item: item[1]))
```

```
my_map= {101: "John Doe", 102: "Jane Smith", 103: "Peter Johnson"}  
sorted_map = sort_dict_by_value(my_map)  
print(sorted_map)
```

