

Problem Solving on 2D Array

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Problem - 1

Given a 2D array A, return a boolean value indicating that the given matrix is a diagonal matrix or not. A matrix is said to be diagonal if all the elements of the array other than the diagonal is 0

- If there will be zero in the diagonal then also, we will print output as true if all remaining cells have zero. Having zeros in diagonal does not affect our output

Input:

```
A=[ [1,0,0,0],  
    [0,2,0,0],  
    [0,0,3,0],  
    [0,0,0,4] ]
```

Output:

true

Explanation:

Since all the elements of the array other than the diagonal element are 0, it can be considered as a diagonal matrix

Solution-

Code Link - <https://jsfiddle.net/4juazeph/>

JavaScript + No-Library (pure JS) ▼

```
1 //Logic function to verify the cells other then diagonal
2 function checkMatrixDiagonal(A)
3 {
4     //Iterate through the 2D Array
5     for (let i = 0; i < A.length; i++)
6         for (let j = 0; j < A.length; j++)
7             if ((i !== j) && (A[i][j] !== 0)) // Check if current cell is not diagonal one and its value is not 0 - if yes return false
8                 return false;
9
10    return true;
11 }
12
13 //Taking Input
14 let A=[    [0,1,0,0],
15    [0,0,0,0],
16    [0,0,0,0],
17    [0,0,0,0] ]
18
19
20 //Execute the logic
21 console.log(checkMatrixDiagonal(A));
```

Problem - 2

Given a 2D array of size $M \times N$, you need to display N integers which denotes the column wise addition of the 2D array

Input:

$M=4, N=3$

3	4	5
3	4	2
2	3	4
4	4	4

Output:

12,15,15

Explanation:

Sum of column-1 : $3+3+2+4=12$

Sum of column-2 : $4+4+3+4=15$

Sum of column-3 : $2+3+4+4=15$

Solution-

Code Link - <https://jsfiddle.net/2mgetfps/>

JavaScript + No-Library (pure JS) ▼

```
1  //M = Rows, N = Columns
2  let M=4, N=3
3  //A = 2DArray
4  const A = [[3,4,5],[3,4,2],[2,3,4],[4,4,4]]
5  let col_sum=[]
6
7  //Iterate through columns first
8  for(let idx = 0; idx<N; idx++){
9      let sum_=0
10     //Iterate through rows
11     for(let idx2 = 0; idx2<M; idx2++){
12         sum_+=A[idx2][idx]; //Add values from the column cells
13     }
14     col_sum.push(sum_);
15 }
16
17 //print the solution
18 console.log(col_sum); //12,15,15
```

Approach - 2

Intuition:

We can reduce it by applying column wise addition on two rows at a time. I.e.

3	4	5
3	4	2

On using reduce, we will apply same logic with the next row

[6,8,7]

+ [2,3,4]

[8,11,11]

Again using reduce we add this with next row

[8,11,11]

+ [4,4,4]

[12,15,15]

Solution - 2

Code Link - <https://jsfiddle.net/yapc5v2d/>

JavaScript + No-Library (pure JS) ▼

```
1 //M = Rows, N = Columns
2 let M=4, N=3
3
4 //A = 2DArray
5 const A = [[3,4,5],[3,4,2],[2,3,4],[4,4,4]]
6
7
8 var col_sum = A.reduce((A, B) => A.map((X, idx) => X + B[idx])); // Logic to fetch the sum
9
10 //print the solution
11 console.log(col_sum); //12,15,15
```

Problem - 3

Problem Statement - Given a 2D array. Our task is to find the sum of lower and upper triangles in the array.

Lower triangle sum = sum of diagonal + lower triangle elements

Upper triangle sum = sum of diagonal + upper triangle elements

Input -

Input : {2, 15, 4}

{1, 2, 15}

{2, 10, 7}

Output :

Upper sum is 45

Lower sum is 24

Approach -

Intuition - Since we need to find the sum of the upper and lower triangle, we will use loops and conditionals here. We will use row and column index comparison to check the position of the element

Let's have a look step by step -

- 1) To check upper triangle element we will use - $(i \leq j)$
- 2) To check lower triangle element we will use - $(j \leq i)$

Where i and j are row and column index respectively

Code link - <https://jsfiddle.net/juf5szb7/>

Solution:

Code link - <https://jsfiddle.net/juf5szb7/>

```
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1
2 function sum(mat, r, c)
3 {
4     let i, j;
5     let upper_sum = 0;
6     let lower_sum = 0;
7
8     //Calculate sum of upper triangle
9     for (i = 0; i < r; i++)
10     {
11         for (j = 0; j < c; j++) {
12             if (i <= j) {
13                 upper_sum += mat[i][j];
14             }
15         }
16     }
17     console.log("Upper traingle sum is "+ upper_sum);
18
19     //Calculate sum of lower triangle
20     for (i = 0; i < r; i++)
21     {
22         for (j = 0; j < c; j++) {
23             if (j <= i) {
24                 lower_sum += mat[i][j];
25             }
26         }
27     }
28     console.log("Lower traingle sum is "+lower_sum);
29 }
30
31 let r = 3;
32 let c = 3;
33
34
35 //Input array
36 let mat = [[ 16, 15, 4 ],
37            [ 1, 12, 5 ],
38            [ 17, 19, 7 ]];
39
40
41 sum(mat, r, c);
42
43
```

Problem - 4

Given a 2D array where the value of any row element is greater than the previous row. Our task is to find if element x is present in the array.

Input:

2	14	15	16
7	18	20	22
8	21	23	24
10	26	27	28

X= 21

Output:

True

Explanation:

Position of element 15 in the array is 2,1, so it exists hence true

Approach

In the problem statement, it is mentioned that every row element is greater than the previous row element. So we can start from the top right element and can move either left or downward based upon the comparison of the value.

Intuition: Since, we need to start from the top right element, we will initialize our pointers to the index of the top right cell. Then we will continuously check if current cell element is equal to the required element and if not we will move either left or down based on the comparison

Steps -

- 1) Initialize i and j to top right element of matrix i.e. $\rightarrow i=0, j=col-1$
- 2) Iterate through the matrix and check if current element is our target element - if yes print output
- 3) If current element < target element \rightarrow increment the row
- 4) If current element > target element \rightarrow decrement the column

Solution

Code Link - <https://jsfiddle.net/wh8jureg/>

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```
1 + function search(A,x){
2     if (A.length == 0)
3         return false
4     let row = A.length
5     let col = A[0].length
6     let i = 0;
7     let j = col-1;
8 + while (i < row && j >= 0){
9         if (A[i][j] == x) // If current element is our target element -> print output
10            return true
11        else if (A[i][j] < x) // If current element < target element -> increment the row
12            i += 1
13        else if (A[i][j] > x) // If current element > target element -> decrement the column
14            j -= 1
15    }
16    return false
17 }
18
19
20 let x = 6
21 A=[[2,4,5,6],[7,8,10,12],[13,15,16,18],[20,21,22,23]]
22 console.log(search(A,x))
```

Problem - 5

Given a 2D array. Our task is to check if the array is sparse or not.

Sparse Matrix - A matrix is said to be sparse if the number of zeros is more than half of the total elements.

Input:

1	0	15	0
7	0	0	22
0	0	0	0
10	0	0	28

Output:

True

Approach :

Intuition - Since it is mentioned that if half of the elements in a given array are zero, then it will be a sparse matrix. So we need to find the total number of zeros in the array. We will compare it with total elements and if it is greater then we will print *true* else *false*

Steps -

- 1) Let m = number of rows and n = number of columns, counter = 0
- 2) Total elements = $m*n$
- 3) Iterate through the array and increment the counter if element is 0
- 4) Compare counter value with $(\text{total elements}) / 2$

Solution:

Code link - <https://jsfiddle.net/L0the93n/>

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```
1
2   let MAX = 100;
3
4   function isSparse(array, m, n)
5   {
6       let counter = 0;
7
8       // Count number of zeros in the matrix
9       for (let i = 0; i < m; ++i)
10          for (let j = 0; j < n; ++j)
11              if (array[i][j] == 0)
12                  ++counter;
13
14       return (counter > parseInt((m * n) / 2), 10); //compare counter with number of elements
15   }
16
17   let array = [ [ 0, 0, 3 ],
18                 [ 0, 0, 2 ],
19                 [ 16, 0, 0 ] ];
20
21   let m = 3,
22       n = 3;
23   if (isSparse(array, m, n))
24       console.log("true");
25   else
26       console.log("false");
27
28
```

Problem - 6

Given a 2D array. Our task is to find the unique elements. A unique element is an element whose frequency is 1 i.e. it is not repeating in the whole 2D Array.

If there is no any unique element, print message as “No unique element found”

Input:

2	14	15	18
10	18	14	22
8	21	22	15
10	14	21	28

Output:

2
8

Approach :

In the problem statement, it is mentioned that we need to find the unique element. We can use a count array which is storing count of elements. If count = 1, we will print those elements in output

Steps -

- 1) Find maximum element of the given array as max
- 2) Initialize 1D array having size = max
- 3) Iterate through input array and increment value in count array for index = element
- 4) Iterate through count array and print index if value is equal to 1

Solution:

Code link - <https://jsfiddle.net/j38uhwve/>

Practice Question

Problem-1:

Given a 1D array of size 10 , convert it into a 2D array of size 2x5

Input - {1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10}

Output -

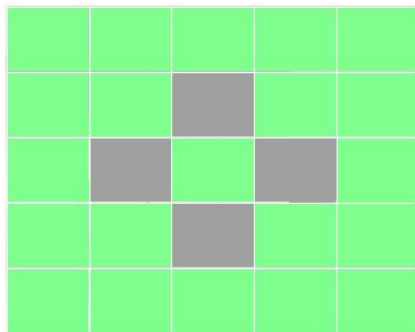
[[1,2,3,4,5],

[6,7,8,9,10]]

Problem-2:

Given a 2D array, find the sum of the diagonal and the boundary elements of it.

In the given matrix of size 5x5 the colored cell marks the diagonal and the boundary elements



Input:

```
A=[ [1,2,3,4,1],  
    [5,6,7,8,2],  
    [9,10,11,12,13],  
    [13,14,15,16,15],  
    [11,12,15,19,15],  
    ]
```

Output

195

Thank You!