1. Two Sum

# nums.sort()

```
Example 1:
   3. Input: nums = [2,7,11,15], target = 9
   4. Output: [0,1]
   5. Explanation: Because nums[0] + nums[1] == 9, we return [0, 1].
   6. class Solution:
   7.
           def twoSum(self, nums, target):
   8.
   9.
               # for i in range(len(nums)):
   10.
                      for j in range(1, (len(nums) - i)):
   11.
                           if nums[i] + nums[i + j] == target:
   12.
                               return i, i+j
   13.
   14.
               # for i in range(len(nums)):
   15.
                      if i + 1 < len(nums):
               #
                           if nums[i] + nums[i + 1] == target:
   16.
   17.
                               return i, i + 1
               # won't work as we have to check all the numbers not just
   18.
       corresponding
   19.
   20.
               test = {}
   21.
               # for i in range(len(nums)):
   22.
                      if nums[i] in test:
   23.
               #
                           return test[nums[i]], i
   24.
   25.
               #
                      else:
   26.
                           test[target - nums[i]] = i
   27.
   28.
               for i in range(len(nums)):
   29.
                    if nums[i] not in test:
   30.
                         test[target - nums[i]] = i
   31.
                    else:
   32.
                         return test[nums[i]], i
   33.
   34.
15. 3Sum (Medium)
Input: nums = [-1,0,1,2,-1,-4]
Output: [[-1,-1,2],[-1,0,1]]
Explanation:
nums[0] + nums[1] + nums[2] = (-1) + 0 + 1 = 0.
nums[1] + nums[2] + nums[4] = 0 + 1 + (-1) = 0.
nums[0] + nums[3] + nums[4] = (-1) + 2 + (-1) = 0.
The distinct triplets are [-1,0,1] and [-1,-1,2].
Notice that the order of the output and the order of the triplets does not matter.
class Solution:
    def threeSum(self, nums: List[int]) -> List[List[int]]:
        # res = []
```

```
# for i, a in enumerate(nums):
      if i > 0 and a == nums[i - 1]:
          continue
      1, r = i + 1, len(nums) - 1
      while l < r:
          s = a + nums[1] + nums[r]
          if s > 0:
              r -= 1
          elif s < 0:
              1 += 0
          else:
              res.append([a, nums[1], nums[r]])
              1 += 1
              while nums[1] == nums[1-1] and 1 < r:
                  1 += 1
# return res
res = []
nums.sort()
for i, a in enumerate(nums):
    if i > 0 and a == nums[i-1]:
        continue
   1, r = i+1, len(nums)-1
   while 1 < r:
        s = a + nums[1] + nums[r]
        if s < 0:
            1 +=1
        elif s > 0:
            r -= 1
        else:
            res.append([a, nums[1], nums[r]])
            while 1 < r and nums[1] == nums[1-1]:</pre>
                1 += 1
```

26. Remove Duplicates from Sorted Array

return res

```
Example 1:

Input: nums = [1,1,2]

Output: 2, nums = [1,2,_]
```

**Explanation:** Your function should return k = 2, with the first two elements of nums being 1 and 2 respectively.

It does not matter what you leave beyond the returned k (hence they are underscores).

```
Example 2:
```

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

Output: 5, nums = [0,1,2,3,4,__,_,_,_]
```

**Explanation:** Your function should return k = 5, with the first five elements of nums being 0, 1, 2, 3, and 4 respectively.

It does not matter what you leave beyond the returned k (hence they are underscores).

### 242. Valid Anagram

```
Example 1:
Input: s = "anagram", t = "nagaram"
Output: true
Example 2:
Input: s = "rat", t = "car"
Output: false
class Solution:
    def isAnagram(self, s: str, t: str) -> bool:
        #return sorted(s) == sorted(t)
        if len(s) != len(t):
            return False
        else:
            test = {}
            for char in s:
                 if char not in test:
                     test[char] = 1
                 else:
                     test[char] += 1
            for char in t:
                 if char not in test:
                     return False
                 else:
```

```
test[char] -= 1
for v in test.values():
    if v != 0:
        return False
return True
```

```
# print(stack)
\# a = len(s)
\# b = len(t)
\# mx = a
# if b > a:
     mx = b
# #j = -1
# if a != b:
      return False
# else:
      for i in range(a):
          found = False
          for j in range(b):
              if t[j] == stack[j]:
                  stack.pop()
#
                  found = True
#
                  print(char)
                  print(stack)
                  break
          if found == False:
              j -= 1
```

### 66. Plus One

```
Example 1:
Input: digits = [1,2,3]
Output: [1,2,4]
Explanation: The array represents the integer 123.
Incrementing by one gives 123 + 1 = 124.
Thus, the result should be [1,2,4].
class Solution:
    def plusOne(self, digits: List[int]) -> List[int]:
        # if len(digits) == 1:
        #
               if digits[0] == 9:
                   digits[0] = 1
                   \#digits[1] = 0
                   digits.append(0)
               else:
                   digits[0] += 1
        #
               return digits
        # else:
        #
               sum = digits[0]
        #
               for i in range(len(digits) - 1):
                   sum = ((sum * 10) + digits[i + 1])
        #
               digits.clear()
        #
        #
               sum += 1
               while sum != 0:
                   x = sum \% 10
                   digits.append(x)
        #
                   sum //= 10
               digits.reverse()
               return digits
        \# sum = 0
        # for i in range(len(digits)):
```

```
sum += digits[i] * pow(10, (len(digits) - 1 - i))
\#sum += 1
#digits.clear()
\#x = str(sum)
# for char in x:
      digits.append(int(char))
# return digits
# for i in range(len(x)):
      digits.append(int(x[i]))
# return digits
#-----
#one liner
# return [int(char) for char in str(sum + 1)]
s = ""
for char in digits:
    s += str(char)
sum = int(s) + 1
digits.clear()
for char in str(sum):
    digits.append(int(char))
return digits
```

# 202. Happy Number

```
Input: n = 19
Output: true
Explanation:
1^{2} + 9^{2} = 82
8^2 + 2^2 = 68
6^2 + 8^2 = 100
1^{2} + 0^{2} + 0^{2} = 1
class Solution:
    def isHappy(self, n: int) -> bool:
         # if n== 1:
                return True
         \# s = str(n)
         # store = {}
         \# x = 0
         # for char in s:
                x += pow(int(char), 2)
```

```
# store[s] = x
# while s in store.keys():
      s = str(store[s])
      if s in store:
          return False
     x = 0
     for char in s:
         x += pow(int(char), 2)
      if x == 1:
          return True
      store[s] = x
if n == 1:
    return True
s = set()
while n != 1:
    x = 0
    # num = str(n)
    # for i in range(len(num)):
    # x += int(num[i]) ** 2
    # for i in range(len(str(n))):
          x += (int(str(n)[i])) ** 2
    for char in (str(n)):
        x += (int(char)) ** 2
    n = x
    if n == 1:
        return True
    if n in s:
        return False
    else:
        s.add(n)
```

### 118. Pascal's Triangle

```
class Solution:
    def generate(self, numRows: int) -> List[List[int]]:
        res = [[1]]
        for i in range(numRows - 1):
            temp = [0] + res[-1] + [0]
            row = []
            for j in range(len(res[-1]) + 1):
                row.append(temp[j] + temp[j + 1])
            res.append(row)
        return res
```

### 88. Merge Sorted Array

```
Example 1:
Input: nums1 = [1,2,3,0,0,0], m = 3, nums2 = [2,5,6], n = 3
Output: [1,2,2,3,5,6]
Explanation: The arrays we are merging are [1,2,3] and [2,5,6].
The result of the merge is [1,2,2,3,5,6] with the underlined elements coming from nums1.
class Solution:
    def merge(self, nums1: List[int], m: int, nums2: List[int], n: int) -> None:
        Do not return anything, modify nums1 in-place instead.
        while m > 0 and n > 0:
             if nums1[m - 1] >= nums2[n - 1]:
                 nums1[m + n - 1] = nums1[m - 1]
                 m -= 1
             else:
                 nums1[m + n -1] = nums2[n - 1]
                 n -= 1
        if n > 0:
             nums1[:n] = nums2[:n]
```

# 169. Majority Element

```
Example 1:

Input: nums = [3,2,3]

Output: 3
```

```
Example 2:
Input: nums = [2,2,1,1,1,2,2]
Output: 2
class Solution:
    def majorityElement(self, nums: List[int]) -> int:
        # test = {}
        # for char in nums:
              if char not in test:
                  test[char] = 1
              else:
                  test[char] += 1
        \# mx = 0
        # for v in test.values():
              if v > (len(nums) / 2) and v > mx:
                  mx = v
        # for key in test.keys():
              if test[key] == mx:
        #
                  return key
        # test = {}
        # mx, res = 0, 0
        # for char in nums:
              if char not in test:
                  test[char] = 1
        #
              else:
                  test[char] += 1
        #
              if test[char] > mx:
                  mx = test[char]
                  res = char
        # return res
        res, count = 0, 0
        for n in nums:
            if count == 0:
                res = n
            if n == res:
                count += 1
            else:
                count -= 1
        return res
        # count = {}
```

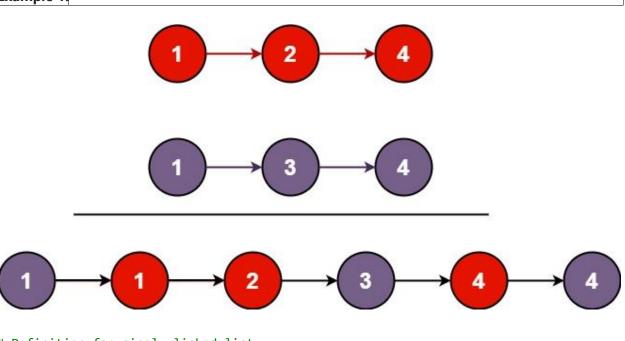
# res, maxCount = 0, 0

# for n in nums:

```
# count[n] = 1 + count.get(n, 0)
# res = n if count[n] > maxCount else res
# maxCount = max(count[n], maxCount)
# return res
```

# 21. Merge Two Sorted Lists

## Example 1:



```
# Definition for singly-linked list.
# class ListNode:
      def __init__(self, val=0, next=None):
#
          self.val = val
          self.next = next
class Solution:
    def mergeTwoLists(self, list1: Optional[ListNode], list2: Optional[ListNode]) ->
Optional[ListNode]:
        temp = current = ListNode(0)
        while list1 and list2:
            if list1.val < list2.val:</pre>
                current.next = list1
                list1 = list1.next
            else:
                current.next = list2
                list2 = list2.next
            current = current.next
        current.next = list1 or list2
```

## 70. Climbing Stairs

```
Example 1:
Input: n = 2
Output: 2
Explanation: There are two ways to climb to the top.
1. 1 step + 1 step
2. 2 steps
Example 2:
Input: n = 3
Output: 3
Explanation: There are three ways to climb to the top.
1. 1 step + 1 step + 1 step
2. 1 step + 2 steps
3. 2 steps + 1 step
class Solution:
    def climbStairs(self, n: int) -> int:
         prev1 = 1
         prev2 = 2
         current = 0
         if n <= 2:
             return n
         else:
             for i in range(2, n):
                 current = prev1 + prev2
                 prev1 = prev2
                 prev2 = current
             return current
```

# 350. Intersection of Two Arrays II

```
Example 1:

Input: nums1 = [1,2,2,1], nums2 = [2,2]

Output: [2,2]

Example 2:

Input: nums1 = [4,9,5], nums2 = [9,4,9,8,4]

Output: [4,9]
```

```
class Solution:
    def intersect(self, nums1: List[int], nums2: List[int]) -> List[int]:
        \#space - O(\min(len(nums1), len(nums2)), Time - <math>O(n + m)
        intersect = []
        test = {}
        #find the length of the shortest array and use that for
        #dictionary for least memory.
        for char in nums1:
            if char not in test:
                 test[char] = 1
            else:
                test[char] += 1
        for n in nums2:
            if n in test:
                if test[n] > 0:
                     intersect.append(n)
                     test[n] -= 1
        return intersect
        \#Time - nlogn + n = nlogn from sorting, space - O(1)
        # intersect = []
        # nums1.sort()
        # nums2.sort()
        #i,j=0,0
        # while i < len(nums1) and j < len(nums2):</pre>
              if nums1[i] < nums2[j]:</pre>
                   i += 1
              elif nums2[j < nums1[i]]:</pre>
        #
                  j += 1
        #
              else:
                  intersect.append(nums1[i])
                   i += 1
                   j += 1
        # return intersect
```

# Since nums2 is too big, it's stored on disc. We can still use the first algo and build our hash map / dict and after that we can break nums2 into as small chunks as possible and check if that belongs in hash map and append to our intersect array/.

#### 412 Fizz Buzz

```
answer[i] == "FizzBuzz" if i is divisible by 3 and 5.
answer[i] == "Fizz" if i is divisible by 3.
answer[i] == "Buzz" if i is divisible by 5.
answer[i] == i (as a string) if none of the above conditions are true.
```

```
Example 1:
Input: n = 3
Output: ["1","2","Fizz"]
Example 2:
Input: n = 5
Output: ["1","2","Fizz","4","Buzz"]
class Solution:
    def fizzBuzz(self, n: int) -> List[str]:
        for i in range(1, n + 1):
            if i % 3 == 0 and i % 5 == 0:
                 s.append("FizzBuzz")
            elif i % 3 == 0:
                 s.append("Fizz")
            elif i % 5 == 0:
                 s.append("Buzz")
            else:
                 s.append(str(i))
        return s
```

### 326. Power of Three

```
Example 1:

Input: n = 27
Output: true
Explanation: 27 = 38

Example 2:

Input: n = 0
Output: false
Explanation: There is no x where 38 = 0.

Example 3:
```

```
Input: n = -1
Output: false
Explanation: There is no x where 3\% = (-1).
class Solution:
    def isPowerOfThree(self, n: int) -> bool:
        # if n == 0:
              return False
        \# res = 0
        \# x = 0
        # while res < n:
              res = pow(3, x)
              if n == res:
                  return True
              x += 1
        # return False
        while n >= 3:
            if n % 3 != 0:
                return False
            n /= 3
        return n == 1
        \# x = 0
        # if n > 0:
        \# x = math.log3(n)
        \# x = int(x)
        # print(isinstance(x, int))
        # return isinstance(x, int) and n > 0
        #return isinstance(math.log10(n) / math.log10(3), int) and n > 0
        if n > 0:
            return (math.log10(n) / math.log10(3)) % 1 == 0
```

#### 171. Excel Sheet Column Number

```
For example:

A -> 1
B -> 2
C -> 3
...
```

```
Z -> 26
AA -> 27
AB -> 28
Example 1:
Input: columnTitle = "A"
Output: 1
Example 2:
Input: columnTitle = "AB"
Output: 28
class Solution:
    def titleToNumber(self, columnTitle: str) -> int:
        column = 0
        for i in range(len(columnTitle)):
            value = ord(columnTitle[i]) - ord('A') + 1
            column += value * pow(26, len(columnTitle) - 1 - i)
        return column
        \# column = 0
        # test = {'A' : 1, 'B' : 2, 'C' : 3,
                   'D': 4,
        #
                   'E' : 5,
                   'F' : 6,
                   'G' : 7,
                   'H' : 8,
                   'I': 9,
                   'J' : 10,
                   'K' : 11,
                   'L' : 12,
        #
                   'M' : 13,
                   'N' : 14,
        #
                   '0': 15,
                   'P' : 16,
                   'Q' : 17,
        #
                   'R' : 18,
                   'S': 19,
```

'T' : 20,

```
# 'U' : 21,
# 'V' : 22,
# 'W' : 23,
# 'X' : 24,
# 'Y' : 25,
# 'Z' : 26

# }
# for i in range(len(columnTitle)):
# column += test[columnTitle[i]] * pow(26, len(columnTitle) - i -1)
# return column
```

### 344. Reverse String

```
Example 1:
Input: s = ["h","e","l","l","o"]
Output: ["o","I","I","e","h"]
class Solution:
    def reverseString(self, s: List[str]) -> None:
        Do not return anything, modify s in-place instead.
        1, r = 0, len(s) - 1
        while 1 < r:
            s[1], s[r] = s[r], s[1]
            1 += 1
            r -= 1
        #recursion requires extra memory though cause of the call stack
        # def reverse(1, r):
              if 1 < r:
                  s[1], s[r] = s[r], s[1]
                  reverse(l + 1, r - 1)
        # reverse(0, len(s) - 1)
        #using stack, requires extra memory
        # stack = []
        # for char in s:
              stack.append(char)
        # for i in range(len(stack)):
              s[i] = stack.pop()
        \# nums = []
```

```
# for i in s[::-1]:
#    nums.append(i)
# s.clear()
# #s = nums
# for i in range(len(nums)):
#    s.append(nums[i])
```

### 283. Move Zeroes

```
def moveZeroes(self, nums: List[int]) -> None:
    """
    Do not return anything, modify nums in-place instead.
    """
    1 = 0
    for i in range(len(nums)):
        if nums[i] != 0:
            # temp = nums[i]
            # nums[i] = nums[l]
            # nums[l] = temp
            nums[l], nums[i] = nums[l]
            1 += 1
```

# 387. First Unique Character in a String

```
Example 1:
Input: s = "leetcode"
Output: 0

Example 2:
Input: s = "loveleetcode"
Output: 2
```

```
Example 3:
Input: s = "aabb"
Output: -1
class Solution:
    def firstUniqChar(self, s: str) -> int:
        test = {}
        for char in s:
            if char not in test:
                test[char] = 1
            else:
                test[char] += 1
        for i in range(len(s)):
            if test[s[i]] == 1:
                return i
        return -1
        # test = {}
        # for char in s:
              if char not in test: #{'a' = 2, 'b' = 2}
                  test[char] = 1
              else:
                  test[char] += 1
        # found = False
        # for x, y in test.items():
              if y == 1:
                  found = True
                  z = x
                  break
        # if found == False:
              return -1
        # for i in range(len(s)):
              if s[i] == z:
                  return i
```

### 13. Roman to Integer

- I can be placed before V (5) and X (10) to make 4 and 9.
- X can be placed before L (50) and C (100) to make 40 and 90.
- C can be placed before D (500) and M (1000) to make 400 and 900.

```
Given a roman numeral, convert it to an integer.
Example 1:
Input: s = "III"
Output: 3
Explanation: III = 3.
Example 2:
Input: s = "LVIII"
Output: 58
Explanation: L = 50, V = 5, III = 3.
Example 3:
Input: s = "MCMXCIV"
Output: 1994
Explanation: M = 1000, CM = 900, XC = 90 and IV = 4.
class Solution:
    def romanToInt(self, s: str) -> int:
        romans = {
             'I' : 1,
             'V' : 5,
             'X' : 10,
             'L' : 50,
             'C' : 100,
             'D' : 500,
             'M' : 1000
        }
        numerals = 0
        # s = s.replace('IV', 'IIII')
        # s = s.replace('IX', 'VIIII')
        # s = s.replace('XL', 'XXXX')
        # s = s.replace('XC', 'LXXXX').replace('CD', 'CCCC').replace("CM", 'DCCCC')
        # for characters in s:
               numerals += romans[characters]
        # return numerals
        for i in range(len(s)):
             numerals += romans[s[i]]
        #1 = len(s)
        for i in range(len(s) - 1):
             if romans[s[i]] < romans[s[i + 1]]:</pre>
                 numerals -= romans[s[i]]
             else:
                 numerals += romans[s[i]]
```

```
return numerals + romans[s[-1]]
```

## 14. Longest Common Prefix

```
Example 1:
Input: strs = ["flower","flow","flight"]
Output: "fl"
Example 2:
Input: strs = ["dog","racecar","car"]
Output: ""
Explanation: There is no common prefix among the input strings.
class Solution:
    def longestCommonPrefix(self, strs: List[str]) -> str:
        # smax, smin = max(strs), min(strs)
        # i, match = 0, 0
        # while i < len(smin) and smax[i] == smin[i]:</pre>
               i += 1
               match += 1
        # return smin[0:match]
        # I think this is only checking the max and min strings, not optimum solution
        smin = min(strs, key = len)
        if smin == "":
            return ""
        for i in range(len(smin)):
            for others in strs:
                 if others[i] != smin[i]:
                     return smin[:i]
        return smin
```

### 20. Valid Parentheses

```
Example 1:

Input: s = "()"

Output: true

Example 2:
```

```
Input: s = "()[]{}"
Output: true
Example 3:
Input: s = "(]"
Output: false
class Solution:
    def isValid(self, s: str) -> bool:
        stack = []
        for char in s:
            if char == '(':
                stack.append(')')
            elif char == '{':
                stack.append('}')
            elif char == '[':
                stack.append(']')
            elif char == ')' or char == '}' or char == ']':
                if stack == [] or stack.pop() != char:
                     return False
            # elif stack == [] or stack.pop() != char:
                  return False
        return stack == []
        # stack = []
        # characters = {')' : '(', '}' : '{', ']' : '['}
        # for char in s:
              if char in characters.values():
                   stack.append(char)
              elif char in characters.keys():
                  if stack == [] or stack.pop() != characters[char]:
                       return False
        # return stack == []
```

```
# for char in s:
      if char == '(':
         x1 += 1
      elif char == '{':
         y1 += 1
     elif char == '[':
          z1 += 1
     elif char == ')':
         x2 += 1
     elif char == '}':
         y2 += 1
     else:
          z2 += 1
# if x1 == x2:
      if y1 == y2:
         if z1 == z2:
              return True
# else:
      return False
```

### 22. Generate Parentheses (Medium)

```
Given n pairs of parentheses, write a function to generate all combinations of well-formed
parentheses.
Example 1:
Input: n = 3
Output: ["((()))","(()())","(())()","()(())","()()()"]
Example 2:
Input: n = 1
Output: ["()"]
class Solution:
    def generateParenthesis(self, n: int) -> List[str]:
         stack = []
         res = []
         def backtrack(openN, closedN):
              if openN == closedN == n:
                  res.append("".join(stack))
                  return None
             if openN < n:</pre>
                  stack.append("(")
```

```
print("After appending", stack)
  backtrack(openN + 1, closedN)
  stack.pop()
  print("After pop", stack)

if closedN < openN:
    stack.append(")")
  print("After appending", stack)
  backtrack(openN, closedN + 1)
  stack.pop()
  print("After pop", stack)
backtrack(0, 0)
return res</pre>
```