

$[[1, 2], [3, 10], [12, 16]]$  Sorted based on start time

→ place this interval at its correct position based on start value.

Merge Intervals  
→ Sort  
→ merge

$O(N)$

Insertion Sort

$O(1)$

closest element  
we can transfer to  
is 4.

nums  $\rightarrow [3, 2, 1, 2, 1, 7]$

$[1, 1, 2, 2, 3, 7]$

$\begin{matrix} 1 & 1 & 2 & 2 & 3 & 7 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 \end{matrix}$

sort

count min no. of  
ops

nums  $\rightarrow [a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots, a_{n-1}]$

given array

sorted

we have duplicates

target  $\rightarrow [t_1, t_2, t_3, t_4, t_5, \dots, t_n]$

we want to convert  
given array to target

$a_1 == t_1$

$t_2 \geq t_1 + 1$

$t_2 \geq a_2$

$t_2 = \max(t_1 + 1, a_2)$

$2^2$   
 $(1, 1, 1)$

array  
 $t_i < t_j$

$i < j$

$$t_1 = 1$$
$$t_2 = 2$$

$$[1, 2, 2]$$
$$\downarrow$$
$$[t_1, t_2, t_3]$$

$$t_3 \geq 2$$

$$[1, 1, 2, 2, 3, 7] \rightarrow (3) + (3) \rightarrow \underline{\underline{6}}$$

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$[a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots, a_{n-1}]$   $\swarrow$  given sorted  
 $[t_1, t_2, t_3, \dots, t_{n-1}]$   $\swarrow$  target sorted

$$a_j \rightarrow t_j$$

$$t_j \geq t_{i+1}$$

$$t_j \geq a_j$$

$$t_i < t_j$$

$$i < j$$

$$t_j = \max(t_{i+1}, a_j)$$

$$\text{no. gaps} = (t_j - a_j)$$

→ sort

→ [1, 1, 2, 2, 3, 7] → nums

target → [1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7] → target  
↓  
0 + 1 + 1 + 2 + 2 + 0 → 6

$target[j] = \max(nums[j], target[j-1]+1)$

$O(n)$

$O(n)$  ← Space  $count += target[j] - nums[j]$

prev = nums[0]

[1, 1, 2, 2, 3, 7]  
2 3 4 5 6  
[1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7] xxx  
xxx

$O(n)$

$O(1)$

prev = 1 2 3 4 5 7

count = 0 1 2 3 4 5

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count = max(nums[j], prev + 1)

count += count - nums[j]

prev = count

merge  $\rightarrow \underline{O(n \log n) + O(n)}$

↓

$O(n \log n)$

↪

↪ Sort



$\rightarrow$  sorted  $\rightarrow [a_0 \dots a_i \dots a_j \dots a_{n-1}] \quad (0 < i < j < n-1)$

$(a_0, a_i) \quad (a_j, a_{n-1}) \rightarrow$

$(a_0, a_{n-1}) \quad (a_i, a_j)$

$(a_0, a_j) \quad (a_i, a_{n-1})$

①  $(a_0, a_i) \quad (a_j, a_{n-1}) \Rightarrow (a_j + a_{n-1}) > (a_0 + a_i)$  ✓

$a_j \geq a_0$   
 $a_{n-1} \geq a_i$

$$(a_0 \ a_{n-1}) \ (a_i \ a_j)$$

$$(a_0 + a_{n-1})$$

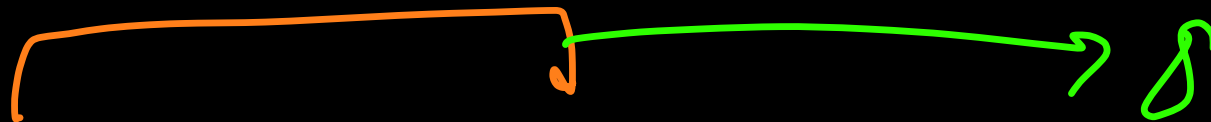
$$(a_i + a_j)$$

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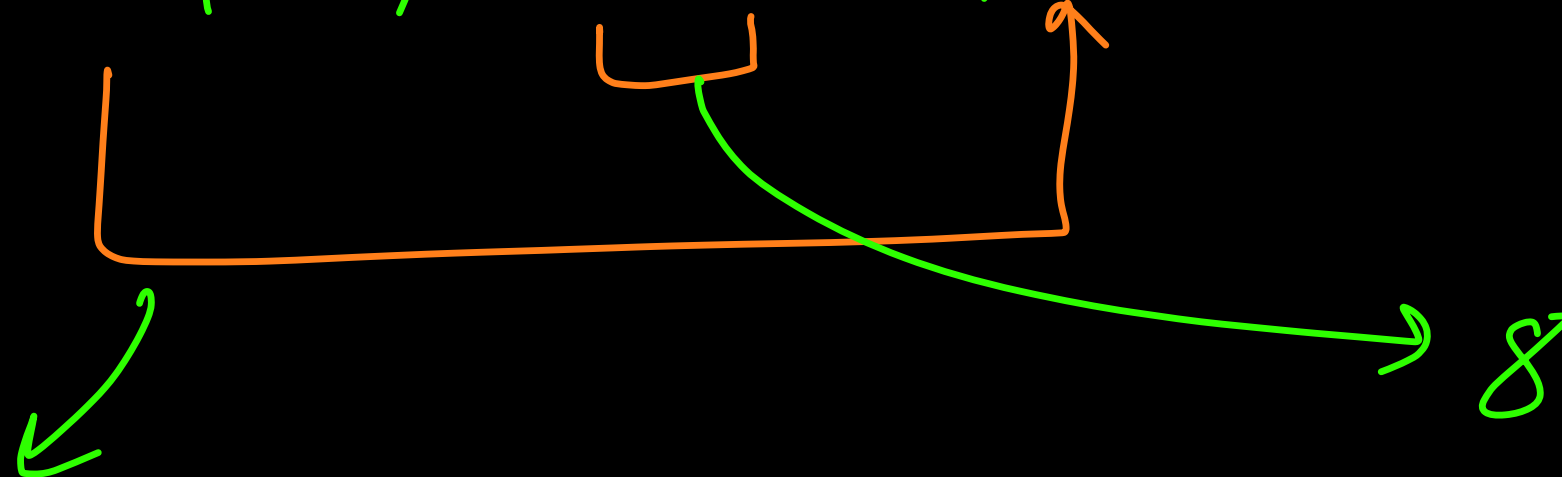
$$(a_j + a_{n-1}) > (a_0 + a_{n-1})$$

$$(a_0) \ (a_i \ a_j) \ (a_{n-1})$$

3, 5, 4, 2, 4, 6



2, 3, 4, 4, 5, 1



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