

Recursion - 2

- Few Problems
- Space & Time Complexity in Rec.

Warm
up

Q

Rec Fn to multiply (a,b) without using '*'

a > 0
b > 0

```
int multiply (int a, int b) {  
    Base [ if (b == 0)  
           return 0  
    Rec  [ return a + multiply(a, b-1)  
    }
```

a = 8
b = 5

out = 40

8 x 5
= 8 + 8 x 4
↑

$$f(a, b) = a + f(a, b-1)$$

```
int multiply (int a, int b) {
```

Base [if (b==0)
 return 0

Rec \Rightarrow [return a + multiply(a, b-1)
 }

if (a > b)

multiply(a, b) a = 8
 b = 5

else

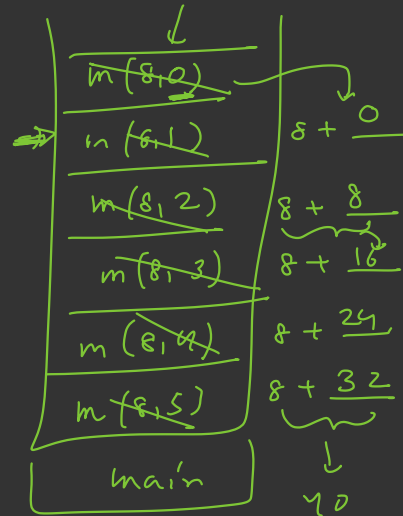
multiply(b, a)

Space $O(b)$

Time $O(b)$

Time $O(\min(a, b))$

Space $O(\min(a, b))$



Power
Fn

given two numbers a, n compute a^n

$$a = 3 \quad n = 5$$

```
int f(a, n) {
```

```
    if (n == 0)
        return 1
```

```
    return a * f(a, n-1)
```

```
}
```

time: $O(n)$

space: $O(n)$

$$3^5 = 3 \times \underbrace{3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3}_{} ,$$

$$= 3 \cdot \underbrace{3^4}_{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{sub}}}$$

$$f(a, n) = a \times f(a, n-1)$$

$$a^n = a \times a^{n-1}$$

$$a^0 = 1$$

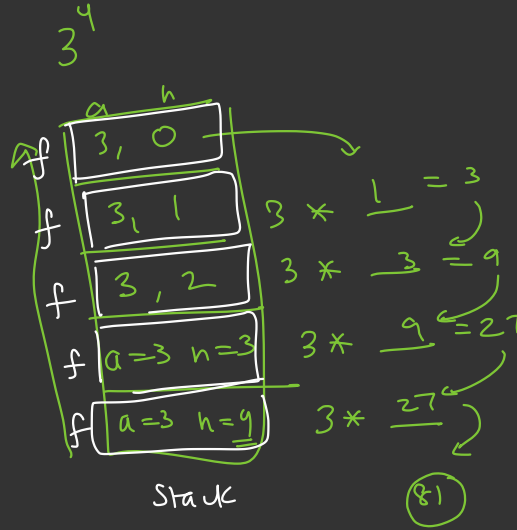
```
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```

```
    if (n == 0)
        return 1
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}
```

Space $\rightarrow O(n)$

Time $\rightarrow O(n)$



$$3^4 = 81$$

$$a^{16}$$

$$= a \times a^9$$

$$\downarrow$$
$$a \times a^8$$

$$\downarrow$$
$$a \times a^7$$

$$\downarrow$$
$$a \times a^6$$

\vdots

$$a \times a^0$$

~ 16
steps.

$$a^{10} = (a^5)^2$$



$$a \cdot (a^2)^2$$



$$(a)^2$$

3
steps

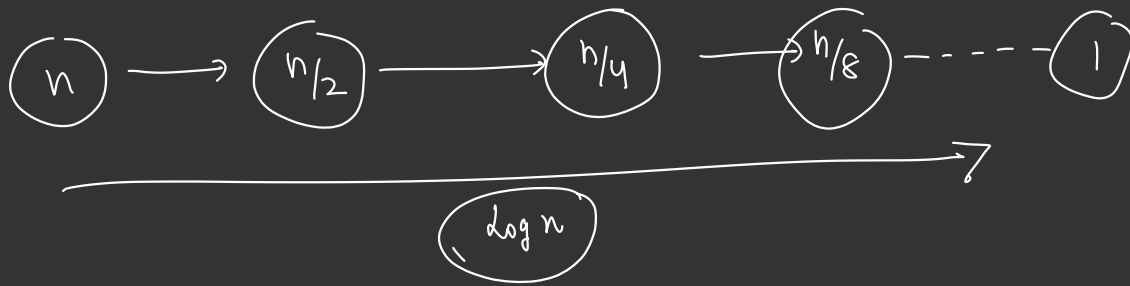
$$a^5 \times a^5$$



$$a^{10}$$

$$a^n = \left(a^{n/2}\right)^2 \quad \text{if } n \text{ is even}$$

$$a^n = a \left(a^{n/2}\right)^2 \quad n \text{ is odd}$$



rec

$$f(a, n) = \begin{cases} f(a, n/2)^2 & \text{if } n \text{ is even} \\ a \cdot f(a, n/2)^2 & \text{if } n \text{ is odd} \end{cases}$$

Base

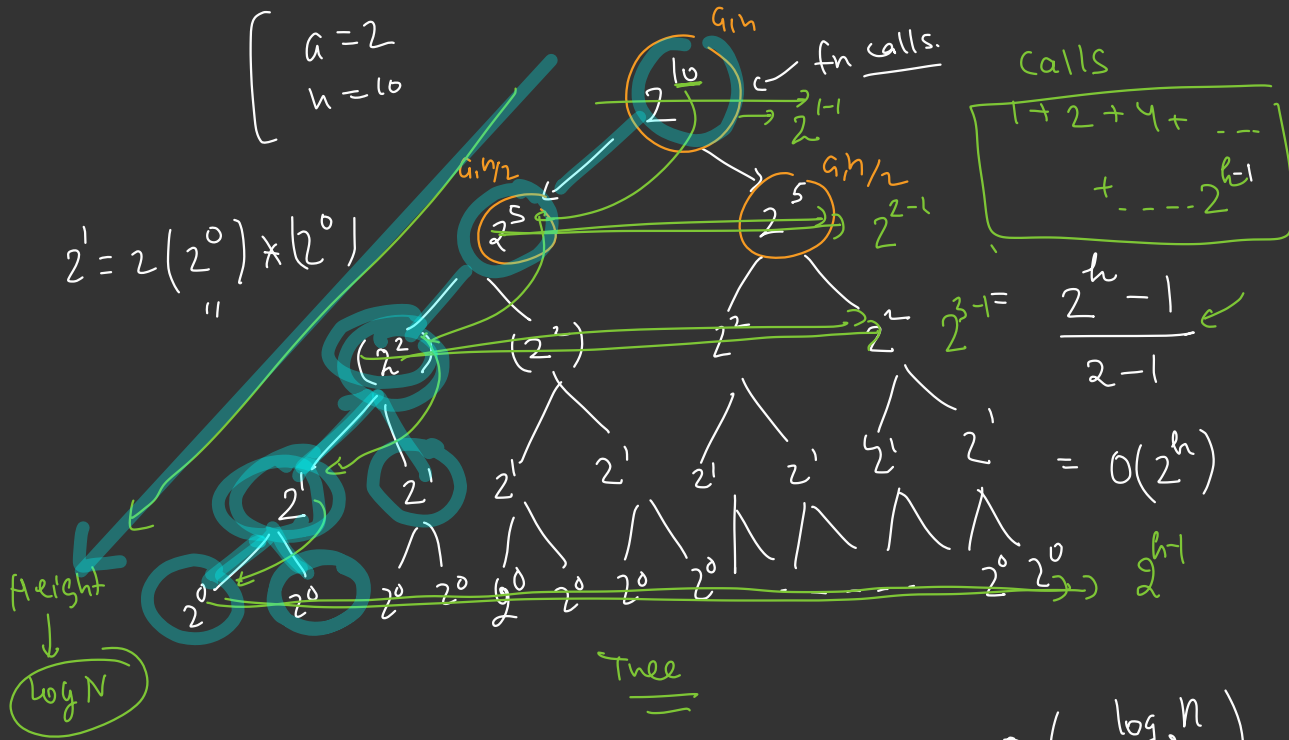
$$f(a, 0) = 1$$

```
int f(int a, int n){  
    if (n == 0)  
        return 1  
  
    if (n is even)  
        return f(a, n/2) * f(a, n/2)  
  
    else {  
        return a * f(a, n/2) * f(a, n/2)  
    }  
}
```

correct
but
inefficient

$$\begin{cases} a=2 \\ n=10 \end{cases}$$

$$2^1 = 2(2^0) * (2^0)$$



$$\boxed{GP}$$

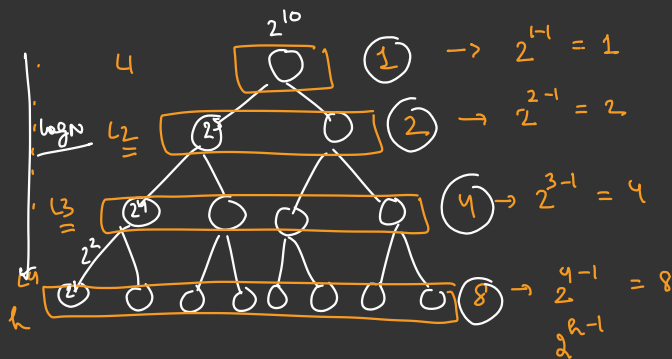
$$\frac{a(r^n - 1)}{(r - 1)}$$

log Property \Rightarrow

$$a^{\log_a b} = b$$

$$= O(2^{\log_2 n})$$

$$= O(n)$$



$$n \frac{(n^n - 1)}{n - 1}$$

$$2^0 + 2^1 + 2^2 + \dots + 2^{h-1} \leftarrow \text{Sum of Series (GP)}$$

$$\frac{1 \cdot (2^h - 1)}{2 - 1} = 2^h - 1$$

$$= O(2^h)$$

$$= O(2^{\log_2 N})$$

$$\text{Time} = O(\underline{N})$$

$$\text{Space} = O(\log N)$$

rec

$$f(a, n) = \begin{cases} f(a, n/2)^2 & \text{if } n \text{ is even} \\ a \cdot f(a, n/2)^2 & \text{if } n \text{ is odd} \end{cases}$$

```
int f(a, n) {
```

```
    if (n == 0)
        return 1
```

```
    temp = f(a, n/2)
```

```
    temp = temp * temp
```

```
    if (n is odd)
        return a * temp
```

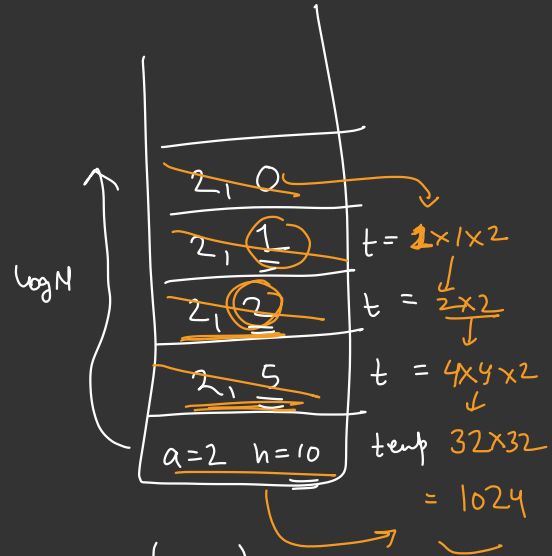
```
    return temp
```

```
}
```

$$2^{10} = (2^5)^2 = 32^2$$

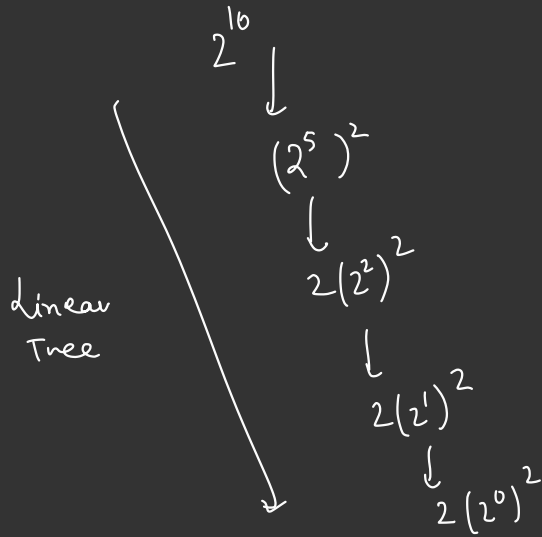
$$2^{10}$$

$$2^1 = 2$$



$O(\log N)$

Time & Space



$$a^n = a \times a \times a \dots a$$

$$ans = 1$$

```
loop [ for (i=1 ——— n) {  
        ans = ans * a  
        ?  
}]
```

$$\underline{\text{Time}} : O(n)$$

$$\underline{\text{Space}} : O(1)$$

4 ways

① Iteration - 1 way $O(N), O(1)$ Bitmasking $O(\log N), O(1)$

② Rec - 3 ways $O(N)$ $O(N)$ $O(\log N)$ Time $O(\log N)$ Space

Break

rec

$$f(a, n) = \begin{cases} f(a, n/2)^2 & \text{if } n \text{ is even} \\ a \cdot f(a, n/2)^2 & \text{if } n \text{ is odd} \end{cases}$$

$$a^{13} = a^{8+4+1} = a^8 \cdot a^4 \cdot a^1$$

Diagram illustrating the binary representation of 13 (1101) and the corresponding powers of a:

1101

$a^8 \cdot a^4 \cdot a^2 \cdot a^1$

a^{13}

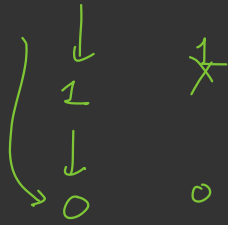
Diagram illustrating the recursive steps for calculating a^{13} :

13 \rightarrow 6 \rightarrow 3

1101 \rightarrow 110 \rightarrow 1

$\log N$

$h = n \gg 1 \rightarrow n/2$

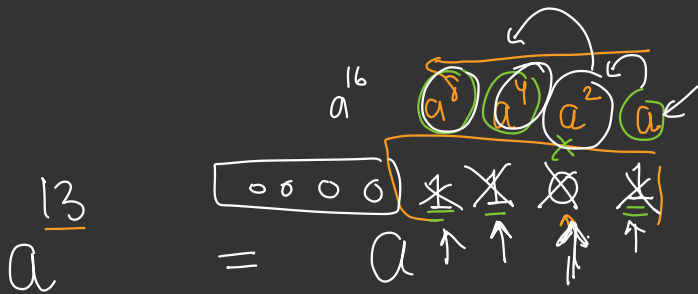


a^n

=

at max 32 bits
 $\boxed{00001101001}$
 ← $\log N$ will be less than ≤ 32

$n \rightarrow \boxed{00000000} \begin{matrix} \times \times \times \times \\ \uparrow \uparrow \uparrow \uparrow \end{matrix}$



$$ans = 1 \times a \times a^4 \times a^8$$

$$= \boxed{a^{13}} \text{ yes :)}$$

Input: (a, n) Out: (a^n)

$a = a$
 $n = 13$

ans = 1

while ($n > 0$) {

\Rightarrow lastBit = ($n \& 1$)

if ($\text{lastBit} == 1$) {

$ans = ans \times a$

}

\Rightarrow $a = a \times a$

\rightarrow $n = n \gg 1$

return ans

TC: $O(\log N)$
SC: $O(1)$

Diagram illustrating the recursive steps for $a=3$ and $n=5$:

$a = 3$ $n = 5$

$3^5 = 3 \times 3^4$

$3^4 = 3^2 \times 3^2$

$3^2 = 3 \times 3$

$ans = 1 \times 3 \times 81$

$= \boxed{243}$

$3^5 = 3^1 \times 3^4$

Introduce $m = \boxed{3^5}$

fast modulo
exponentiation /
Binary

Warm Up
Practice

given a number, find sum of digits using rec

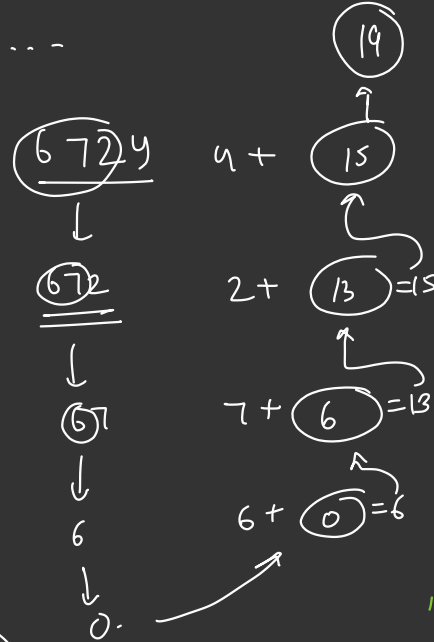
$$N \rightarrow \frac{N}{10} \rightarrow \frac{N}{100} \dots$$

$$N = \underline{6724}$$

```
int sum (int N) {  
    if (N == 0)  
        return 0
```

```
    return  $\frac{N}{10} + \text{sum}(\frac{N}{10})$   
}
```

TC
SC $\rightarrow O(\log_{10} N)$



Last question.

$$a^n \% m$$

$$[m \leq 10^9]$$

```
int powerMod (int a, int n, int m) {
```

```
    if (n == 0)
        return 1
```

Modulo
Exponentiation

```
    long t = powerMod(a, n/2, m)
```

```
    t = (long(t) * t) % m
```

```
    if (n is odd) {
        return (a * t) % m
    }
```

```
    return t.
```

```
}
```

Doubts

Longest Subarray Zero Sum

