

forming Numbers →Greatest number

To form the greatest number, arrange the digits in descending Order.

Ex → form the greatest number using the digits 9, 3, 1, 7, 5

Arrange the given digits in descending order.

9 7 5 3 1

The greatest number is 97,531.

Ex → Using digits 3, 5, 1, form the greatest 6-digit number by repeating the digits

The greatest 6-digit number

is 5,55,531

(To form the greatest number by repeating digits, repeat the greatest digit.)

Smallest number →

To form the smallest number, arrange the digits in descending order.

Ex → form the smallest number using the digits 2, 1, 9, 5, 3

The smallest number is 12359

Ex → form the smallest 5 digit number using digits 5, 1, 7

The smallest number is 11157.

To form the smallest number by repeating digits, repeat the smallest digit.

Ex → Form the smallest and greatest 5-digit numbers using digits 7, 0, 1, 6, 4

$$\text{Greatest number} = 76410$$

$$\text{Smallest number} = 10467$$

(If one of the given digit is '0', we never write 0 at the extreme left place. We should write 0 at the second place from the left to get the smallest number.)

Ex → Form the greatest and smallest 6-digit number by using digits 3, 8, 1, 0

$$\text{Greatest number} = 888310$$

$$\text{Smallest number} = 100038$$

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(Learn it and Do Exercise-1.4)  
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## Exercise 1.4

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### A. Use the given groups of digits to write the greatest and the smallest numbers.

Digits	Greatest number	Smallest number
1. 4, 2, 7, 6, 3	76,432	23,467
2. 2, 1, 3, 7, 8	87,321	12,378
3. 8, 6, 2, 5, 9	98,652	25,689
4. 5, 3, 9, 8, 0, 1	9,85310	103,589

### B. Use the given digits to write the greatest and the smallest ~~5~~ digit numbers. You may repeat the digits.

Digits	Greatest number	Smallest number
1. 3, <u>7</u> , 1, 4	77,431	11,347
2. 2, 5, 0	55,520	20,005
3. <u>1</u> , <u>9</u> , 6	99,961	11,169
4. <u>3</u> , 9	99993	33,339

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Questions**

Which is the smallest 5-digit number that ends in 9 and reads the same forwards as well as backwards?

9 0 0 0 9

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