

1. $dp[i]$ represents whether we can make change for i

Base case is $dp[0] = \text{true}$, can make 0 with no coins

Recurrence is for each value j from 1 to V , check if using our coin denomination x_j

$\rightarrow dp[i] = \text{true}$ if there exists any coin x_j where $dp[i - x_j] = \text{true}$

Time is $O(nV)$ where n is the number of coin denominations and V is target value

2. Let $dp[i] = \text{min total points to reach hotel } i$, 0 is the starting point of mile 0

Base case is $dp[0] = 0$

Recurrence is for each hotel i , we consider all previous hotels $j < i$ where we could've stopped

$dp[i] = \min(dp[j] + (dist[j] - dist[i])^2)$ for all valid j

In order to construct a path it is necessary to keep track of which hotel we came from for each hotel

Time is $O(n^2)$ where n is the # of stops

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