

# **Red-black Tree**

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# Chapter 1: Introduction

Red-black Tree is a special kind of binary tree which possesses the following properties:

1. Every node is either BLACK or RED;
2. The root is BLACK;
3. ALL the leaves are NULL and BLACK;
4. Each RED node must has 2 BLACK children;
5. All simple path from node X to a descendant leaf have the same number of BLACK nodes.

We can define the Black-Height as the number of BLACK node in any path from the current node to descendant leaves.

Here comes the question: given a positive number N, how can we determine the number of distinct red-black trees owning exactly N internal nodes?

We solve it by applying Dynamic Programming: by dividing the sub-problems by the color of root node (RED or BLACK), the number of internal node and the black-height of the tree, we can construct the table and solve the problem.

## Chapter 2: Data Structure / Algorithm Specification

### Data Structure : 2D Array

Array `resultB[][]` and `resultR[][]` store the number of distinct BLACK root / Red root read-black tree.

The first index denotes the number of internal node, and the second one denotes the black-height of the tree.

### Algorithm Specification :

As a red-black tree with black-height H has at least  $2^H - 1$  internal nodes, it is easily to denote that the maximum & minimum black-height of a red-black tree possessing N internal nodes are:

$$\begin{cases} \min BH = \log_2(N + 1) / 2 - 1 \\ \max BH = \log_2(N + 1) \end{cases}$$

To solve the problem, we now define a RED ROOT red-black tree. We can easily derive from the properties of red-black tree that both the left and right subtree of the root are also red-black tree.

- Case 1: subtrees of BLACK ROOT red-black tree
  - 2 \* BLACK ROOT red-black tree of the same black-height
  - 2 \* RED ROOT red-black tree of the same black-height
  - 1 \* BLACK ROOT red-black tree + 1 \* RED ROOT red-black tree of the same black-height

Combining all three sub-cases, we would have:

$i$  is the total number of internal nodes,

$j$  is the black – height

$$\begin{aligned} resultB[i][j] = & resultB[i][j] + \\ & (resultB[k][j-1] + resultR[k][j]) \times \\ & (resultB[i-1-k][j-1] + resultR[i-1-k][j]) \\ & k \in [0, i-1] \end{aligned}$$

But in this problem, we only need to give the remainder of the result divided by 1000000007, therefore we can modify it into:

$$\begin{aligned} resultB[i][j] = & resultB[i][j] + \\ & (resultB[k][j-1] + resultR[k][j]) \mod 1000000007 \times \\ & (resultB[i-1-k][j-1] + resultR[i-1-k][j]) \mod 1000000007 \\ & , k \in [0, i-1] \end{aligned}$$

- Case 2: subtrees of RED ROOT red-black tree
  - 2 \* BLACK ROOT red-black tree of the same black-height

Thus:

$$resultR[i][j] = resultR[i][j] + (resultB[k][j-1] \times resultB[i-1-k][j-1]), k \in [minBh, maxBH]$$

Similarly, we modify it into:

$$\begin{aligned} resultR[i][j] = & resultR[i][j] + (resultB[k][j-1] \times resultB[i-1-k][j-1]) \mod 1000000007, \\ & k \in [minBh, maxBH] \end{aligned}$$

- Final result:

By calculating resultB and resultR with n = 3, 4, ..., N, the total number of red-black tree possessing exactly N internal nodes would be:

$$result = \sum_{i=N}^0 resultB[N][i]$$

For this problem, we modify it into:

$$result = \sum_{i=0}^N resultB[N][i] \mod 1000000007$$

## Pseudo Code:

```
long long int DP(int n)//n is the number of internal nodes
{
    long long int resultB[501][501], resultR[501][501];
    long long int result = 0;
    //we have no need to deal with the cases which those subtrees have
    no node
    resultB[1][1] = result[1][1] = 1;
    resultB[2][1] = 2;

    for(int i = 3; i <= n; i++)//i is the current total number of
    internal nodes
    {
        //as n >= 2^bh -1:
        int minBh = log2(total+1)/2 - 1;
        int maxBh = log2(total+1);
```

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for(int bh = minBh; bh <= maxBh; bh++)
{
    if(!bh) continue; //avod index crossing the border
    for(j = 1; j < total-1; j++)
        //j is the number of the nodes in the left subtree
        {
            resultB[total][bh] += ((resultB[j][bh-1] + resultR[j]
[resultB[total][bh]) % 1000000007) *
((resultB[total-j-1][bh-1] +
resultR[total-j-1][bh]) % 1000000007);
            resultR[total][bh] += ( resultB[j][bh-1] *
resultB[total-j-1][bh-1]) % 1000000007;
            resultB[total][bh] %= 1000000007;
            resultR[total][bh] %= 1000000007;
        }
    }
}

for(int i = 0; i <= n; i++)
    result = (result + resultB[n][i]) % 1000000007;
return result;
}

```

## Chapter 3: Testing Result

### Case 1: The miniest sample

The number of nodes is 1, therefore, the black-red tree will only have 1

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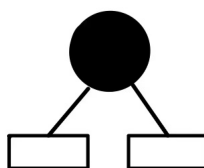
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**Input:**

1

**Output**

1



## Case 2: Normal sample

Status:

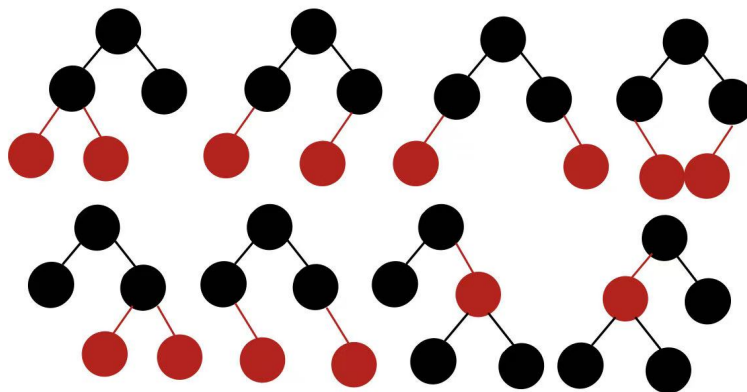
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Input:

5

Output:

8



## Case 3: Sample with larger input

Status:

Pass

Input:

100

Output:

167844408

## Case 4: The maximum of the input

Status:

Pass

**Input:**

500

**Output:**

905984258

The time cost of the maximum sample is 20ms, which is under the time limits of the problem.

## Chapter 4: Analysis and Comments

### Time Complexity:

Reading the input and initialization would take  $O(1)$ .

In the process of dynamic programming:

$$\begin{aligned} T(N) &= \sum_{i=3}^N 4 * (i - 2) * (maxBH - minBH) \\ &= \sum_{i=3}^N 4 * (i - 2) * (log_2(i + 1) - (\frac{log_2(i + 1)}{2} - 1)) \\ &= \sum_{i=3}^N 4 * (i - 2) * (\frac{log_2(i + 1)}{2} + 1) \\ &= 2 * (N + 7) * (N - 2) + 2 * \sum_{k=4}^{N+1} (k - 3) * log_2 k \\ &< 2 * (N + 7) * (N - 2) + 2 * \sum_{k=4}^{N+1} (k - 3) * log_2(N + 1) \\ &= 2N^2 + 10N - 28 + (N - 1) * (N - 4) * log_2(N + 1) \\ &= O(N^2 log_2(N)) \end{aligned}$$

And the process of calculating the sum is of  $O(n)$ .

By combing all the three part, the time complexity is between  $O(n^2 \log(n))$ .

### Space Complexity:

The size of 2D array resultB and resultR are both  $n * \log n$ , which means it takes  $2n * \log n$  in total. Thus, the space complexity of the whole program is  $O(n * \log n)$ .

## Appendix: Source Code

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <math.h>
#define mod 1000000007
long long int resultB[501][501];
```

```

long long int resultR[501][501];

int main()
{
    int n;
    scanf("%d", &n);
    resultB[1][1] = resultR[1][1] = 1;
    resultB[2][1] = 2;
    int i;
    int bh, total, minBh, maxBh;
    //when we start from 3, there's no need to deal with cases when a
    subtree has 0 node
    for(total = 3; total <= n; total++) //total internal nodes
    {
        //we know total >= 2^bh - 1, bh >= h/2, (total <= 2^(h+1)-1),
        log2(total+1)/2 - 1 <= bh <= 2*log2(total+1)
        minBh = log2(total+1)/2 - 1;
        maxBh = log2(total+1);
        for(bh = minBh; bh <= maxBh; bh++)
        {
            if(!bh) continue;
            for(i = 1; i < total-1; i++)    //i is the number of the
            nodes in the left subtree
            {
                resultB[total][bh] += ((resultB[i][bh-1] + resultR[i]
                [bh]) % mod) * ((resultB[total-i-1][bh-1] + resultR[total-i-1][bh]) %
                mod);
                resultR[total][bh] += (resultB[i][bh-1] * resultB[total-
                i-1][bh-1]) % mod;
                resultB[total][bh] %= mod;
                resultR[total][bh] %= mod;
            }
        }
    }
    long long int result = 0;
    for(i = 0; i <= n; i++)
        result = (result + resultB[n][i]) % mod;
    printf("%lld\n", result);

    system("pause");
    return 0;
}

```

## References

[1] Introduction to Algorithms(3<sup>rd</sup> Edition), Thomas H. Cormen, Charles E. Leiserson, Ronald L. Rivest, Clifford Stein, The MIT Press 2009.

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