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Larry's Array

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Larry has a permutation of N numbers, A , whose unique elements range from 1 to N (i.e.: $A = \{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_{N-1}, a_N\}$). He wants A to be sorted, so he delegates the task of doing so to his robot. The robot can perform the following operation as many times as it wants:

- Choose any **3** consecutive indices and rotate their elements in such a way that ABC rotates to BCA , which rotates to CAB , which rotates back to ABC .

For example: if $A = \{1, 6, 5, 2, 4, 3\}$ and the robot rotates $(6, 5, 2)$, A becomes $\{1, 5, 2, 6, 4, 3\}$.

On a new line for each test case, print **YES** if the robot can fully sort A ; otherwise, print **NO**.

Input Format

The first line contains an integer, T , the number of test cases.
The $2T$ subsequent lines each describe a test case over **2** lines:

- An integer, N , denoting the size of A .
- N space-separated integers describing A , where the i^{th} value describes element a_i .

Constraints

- $1 \leq T \leq 10$
- $3 \leq N \leq 1000$
- $1 \leq a_i \leq N$, where every element a_i is unique.

Output Format

On a new line for each test case, print **YES** if the robot can fully sort A ; otherwise, print **NO**.

Sample Input

```
3
3
3 1 2
4
1 3 4 2
5
1 2 3 5 4
```

Sample Output

```
YES
YES
NO
```

Explanation

In the explanation below, the subscript of A denotes the number of operations performed.

Test Case 0:

$A_0 = \{3, 1, 2\} \rightarrow \text{rotate}(3, 1, 2) \rightarrow A_1 = \{1, 2, 3\}$

A is now sorted, so we print **yes** on a new line.

Test Case 1:

$A_0 = \{1, 3, 4, 2\} \rightarrow \text{rotate}(3, 4, 2) \rightarrow A_1 = \{1, 4, 2, 3\}$.

$A_1 = \{1, 4, 2, 3\} \rightarrow \text{rotate}(4, 2, 3) \rightarrow A_2 = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$.

A is now sorted, so we print **yes** on a new line.

Test Case 2:

No sequence of rotations will result in a sorted A . Thus, we print **no** on a new line.

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```
1 /** Explanation
2 12 1 10 2 7 11 4 14 5 X 9 15 8 13 6 3
3 An inversion is when a tile precedes another tile with a lower number on it. The solution state has zero
  inversions. For example, if, in a 4 x 4 grid, number 12 is top left, then there will be 11 inversions from this
  tile, as numbers 1-11 come after it. To explain it another way, an inversion is a pair of tiles (a,b) such that a
  appears before b, but a>b. Count the number of inversions in the grid. For example, on the grid
4
5 the 12 gives us 11 inversions
6 the 1 gives us none
7 the 10 gives us 8 inversions
8 the 2 gives us none
9 the 7 gives us 4 inversions
10 the 11 gives us 6 inversions
11 the 4 gives us one inversion
12 the 14 gives us 6
13 the 5 gives us one
14 the 9 gives us 3
15 the 15 gives us 4
16 the 8 gives us 2
17 2 from the 13
18 one from the 6
19
20 So there are 49 inversions in this example.
21
22 The formula says:
23 1. If the grid width is odd, then the number of inversions in a solvable situation is even.
24 2. If the grid width is even, and the blank is on an even row counting from the bottom (second-last, fourth-last
   etc), then the number of inversions in a solvable situation is odd.
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```
25 3. If the grid width is even, and the blank is on an odd row counting from the bottom (last, third-last, fifth-
26 last etc) then the number of inversions in a solvable situation is even.
27 ( (grid width odd) && (#inversions even) ) || ( (grid width even) && ((blank on odd row from bottom) ==
28 (#inversions even)) )
29 */
30 #include <iostream>
31 #include <vector>
32 #include <algorithm>
33
34 int main()
35 {
36     int T=0; std::cin >> T;
37     while(T-->0)
38     {
39         int N; std::cin >> N;
40
41         std::vector<int> vec(N);
42         for(auto &it: vec) std::cin >> it;
43
44         int inversions = 0;
45         for(int i = 0; i < N-1; ++i)
46             for(int j = i+1; j < N; ++j)
47                 if(vec[i] > vec[j])
48                     ++inversions;
49
50         (inversions & 1) ?
51             std::cout << "NO" << "\n":
52             std::cout << "YES" << "\n";
53     }
54     return 0;
55 }
56
```

Line: 56 Col: 1

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✓ Test Case #6
✓ Test Case #9
✓ Test Case #12
✓ Test Case #15
✓ Test Case #18

✓ Test Case #1
✓ Test Case #4
✓ Test Case #7
✓ Test Case #10
✓ Test Case #13
✓ Test Case #16
✓ Test Case #19

✓ Test Case #2
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✓ Test Case #8
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