Collection Data Types

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line #	a	i
1	[]	
2	[]	0
3	[0.0]	0
2	[0.0]	1
3	[0.0, 0.0]	1
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line #	total	i
1	0.0	
2	0.0	0
3	4.0	0
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2	14.0	2
3	32.0	2

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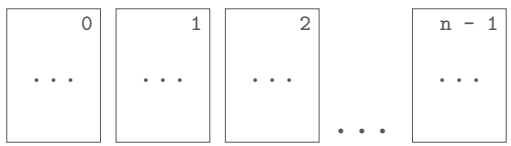

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line #	a	n	i
1	[1, 2, 3, 4, 5]	5	
2	[1, 2, 3, 4, 5]	5	0
5	[5, 2, 3, 4, 1]	5	0
2	[5, 2, 3, 4, 1]	5	1
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The `stdarray` library provides functions for creating lists

stdarray	
`create1D(n, value = None)`	creates and returns a 1D list of size `n`, with each element initialized to `value`
`create2D(m, n, value = None)`	creates and returns a 2D list of size `m x n`, with each element initialized to `value`

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x = [1, 3, 7]
y = x
x[1] = 42
stdio.writeln(x)
stdio.writeln(y)
```

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In general, `x[i:j]` returns a sublist `[x[i], ..., x[j - 1]]`, with `i = 0` and `j = len(x)` if either is unspecified

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# Draw a random card from the deck and write it to standard output.
rank = stdrandom.uniformInt(0, len(RANKS))
suit = stdrandom.uniformInt(0, len(SUITS))
stdio.writeln(RANKS[rank] + ' of ' + SUITS[suit])
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import stdarray
import stdio
import stdrandom
import sys

m = int(sys.argv[1])
n = int(sys.argv[2])
perm = stdarray.create1D(n, 0)
for i in range(n):
    perm[i] = i
for i in range(m):
    r = stdrandom.uniformInt(i, n)
    temp = perm[r]
    perm[r] = perm[i]
    perm[i] = temp
for i in range(m):
    stdio.write(str(perm[i]) + ' ')
stdio.writeln()
```

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13401736
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import stdio
import stdrandom
import sys

n = int(sys.argv[1])
count = 0
collectedCount = 0
isCollected = stdarray.create1D(n, False)
while collectedCount < n:
    value = stdrandom.uniformInt(0, n)
    count += 1
    if not isCollected[value]:
        collectedCount += 1
        isCollected[value] = True
stdio.writeln(count)
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import stdio
import sys

n = int(sys.argv[1])
isPrime = stdarray.create1D(n + 1, True)
for i in range(2, n):
    if isPrime[i]:
        for j in range(2, n // i + 1):
            isPrime[i * j] = False
count = 0
for i in range(2, n + 1):
    if isPrime[i]:
        count += 1
stdio.writeln(count)
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     [ 5,  6,  7,  8],
     [ 9, 10, 11, 12]]
i = [[1, 0, 0],
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3	[]	0	[0.0, 0.0, 0.0]
4	[[0.0, 0.0, 0.0]]	0	[0.0, 0.0, 0.0]
2	[[0.0, 0.0, 0.0]]	1	[0.0, 0.0, 0.0]
3	[[0.0, 0.0, 0.0]]	1	[0.0, 0.0, 0.0]
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line #	c	i	j
1	[[0.0, 0.0], [0.0, 0.0]]		
2	[[0.0, 0.0], [0.0, 0.0]]	0	
3	[[0.0, 0.0], [0.0, 0.0]]	0	0
4	[[3.0, 0.0], [0.0, 0.0]]	0	0
3	[[0.0, 0.0], [0.0, 0.0]]	0	1
4	[[3.0, 5.0], [0.0, 0.0]]	0	1
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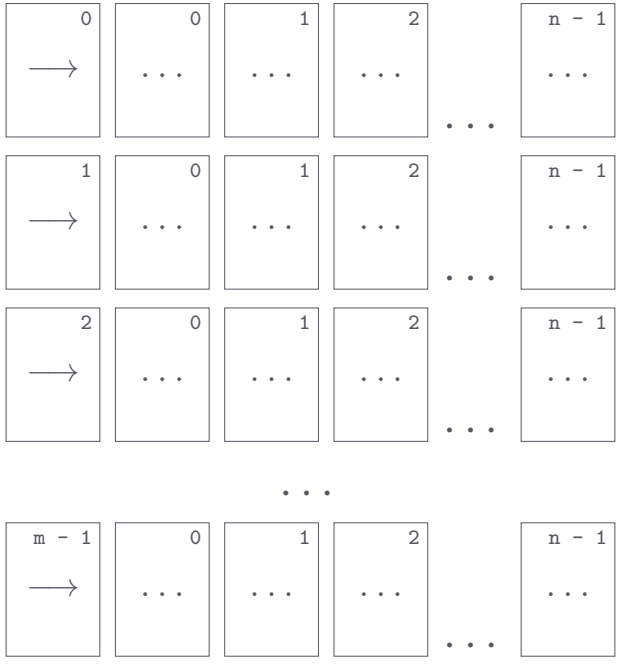

Note: `m` can be obtained as `len(<name>)` and `n` as `len(<name>[0])`

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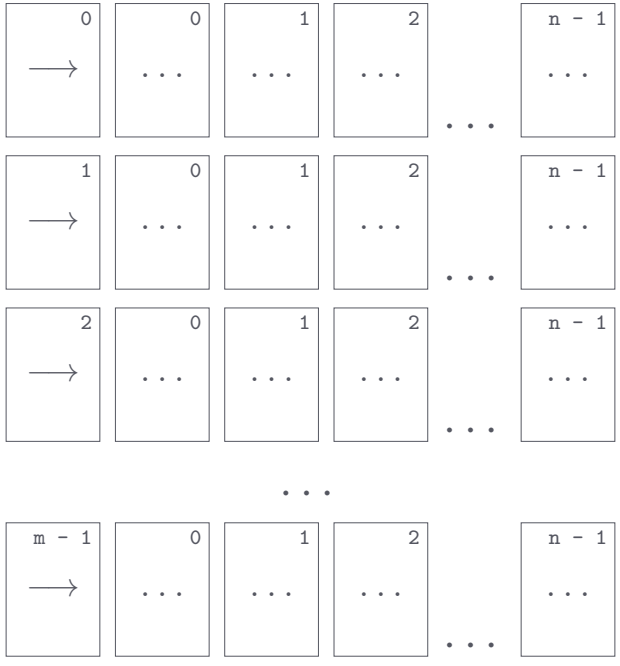

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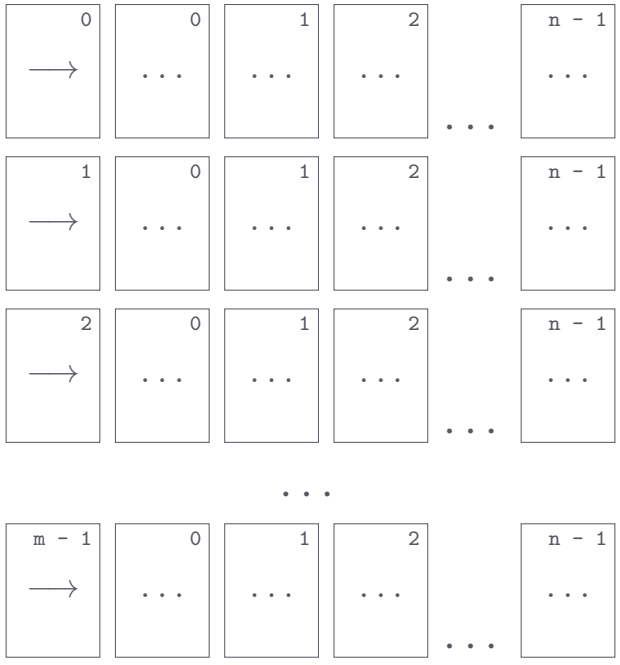

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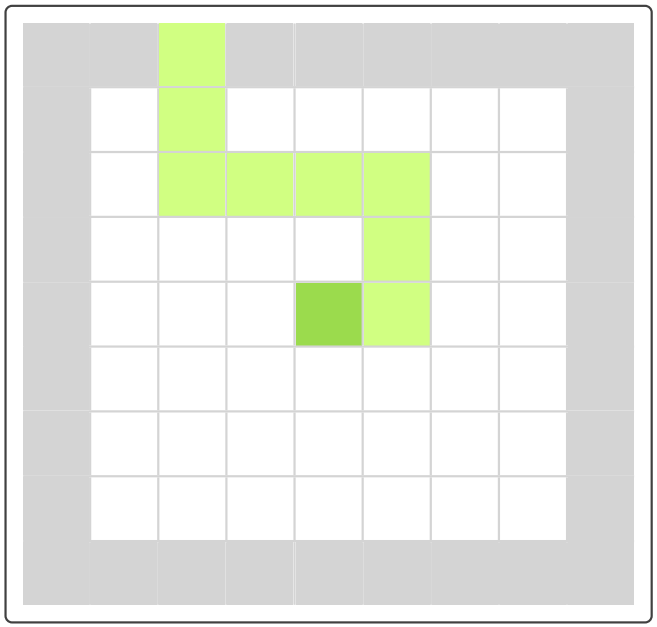

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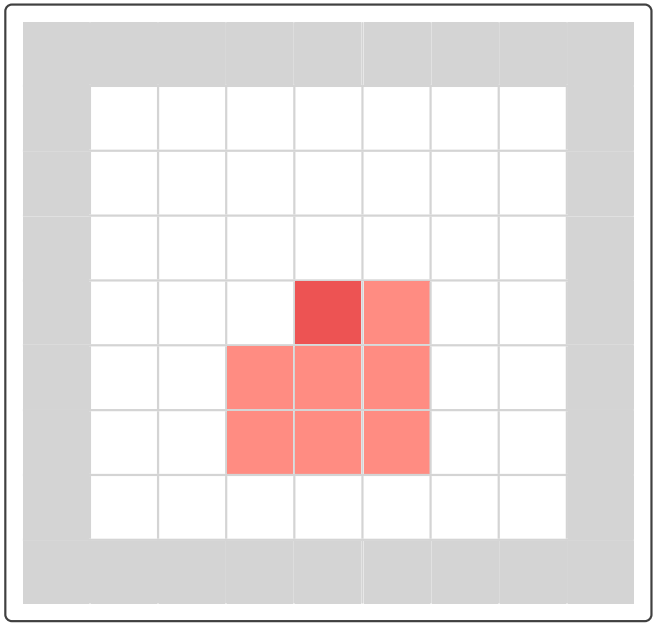

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```
import stdarray
import stdio
import stdrandom
import sys

n = int(sys.argv[1])
trials = int(sys.argv[2])
deadEnds = 0
for t in range(trials):
    a = stdarray.create2D(n, n, False)
    x = n // 2
    y = n // 2
    while x > 0 and x < n - 1 and y > 0 and y < n - 1:
        a[x][y] = True
        if a[x - 1][y] and a[x + 1][y] and a[x][y - 1] and a[x][y + 1]:
            deadEnds += 1
            break
        r = stdrandom.uniformInt(1, 5)
        if r == 1 and not a[x + 1][y]:
            x += 1
        elif r == 2 and not a[x - 1][y]:
            x -= 1
        elif r == 3 and not a[x][y + 1]:
            y += 1
        elif r == 4 and not a[x][y - 1]:
            y -= 1
stdio.writeln(str(100 * deadEnds // trials) + '% dead ends')
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Output when `a = [[1], [1, 1], [1, 2, 1], [1, 3, 3, 1], [1, 4, 6, 4, 1]]`

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1
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1 3 3 1
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