

Problem Link:

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Problem statement

You are given an array/list 'ARR' of 'N' positive integers and an integer 'K'. Your task is to check if there exists a subset in 'ARR' with a sum equal to 'K'.

Note: Return true if there exists a subset with sum equal to 'K'. Otherwise, return false.

For Example :

If 'ARR' is {1,2,3,4} and 'K' = 4, then there exists 2 subsets with sum = 4. These are {1,3} and {4}. Hence, return true.

Detailed explanation (Input/output format, Notes, Images)

Constraints:

$1 \leq T \leq 5$

$1 \leq N \leq 10^3$

$0 \leq \text{ARR}[i] \leq 10^9$

$0 \leq K \leq 10^3$

Time Limit: 1 sec

Sample Input 1:

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2
4 5
4 3 2 1
5 4
2 5 1 6 7
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Sample Output 1:

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true
false
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Explanation For Sample Input 1:

In example 1, 'ARR' is {4,3,2,1} and 'K' = 5. There exist 2 subsets with sum = 5. These are {4,1} and {3,2}. Hence, return true.

In example 2, 'ARR' is {2,5,1,6,7} and 'K' = 4. There are no subsets with sum = 4. Hence, return false.

Sample Input 2:

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2
4 4
6 1 2 1
5 6
1 7 2 9 10
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Sample Output 2:

true

false

Explanation For Sample Input 2:

In example 1, 'ARR' is {6,1,2,1} and 'K' = 4. There exist 1 subset with sum = 4. That is {1,2,1}.

Hence, return true.

In example 2, 'ARR' is {1,7,2,9,10} and 'K' = 6. There are no subsets with sum = 6. Hence, return false.

Hints:

1. Can you find every possible subset of 'ARR' and check if its sum is equal to 'K'?
2. Can you use dynamic programming and use the previously calculated result to calculate the new result?
3. Try to use a recursive approach followed by memoization by including both index and sum we can form.