

Problem 1

1.

To calculate C_m^n , we can use Pascal's triangle. For the n -th item, we can choose it (C_{m-1}^{n-1}) or don't choose it (C_m^{n-1}), so $C_m^n = C_{m-1}^{n-1} + C_m^{n-1}$. Build a two dimensional array to store all C_m^n by this equation. To build the array, for $n = 0 \sim N$, find the value of C_m^n for all $m \leq n$ by C_{m-1}^{n-1} and C_m^{n-1} , notice for $m = 0$ and $m = n$, the value should be set to 1.

2.

$n > m$

$$f(n, m) = f(n, m-1) + f(n-1, m)$$

$n = m$

$$f(n, m) = f(n, m-1)$$

$n < m$

$$f(n, m) = 0$$

Use the recurrence relation to build a two dimensional array to store all $f(n, m)$, and $f(n, n)$ is the C_n we want. To build the array, for $n = 0 \sim N$, find the value of $f(n, m)$ for all $m \leq n$ by $f(n, m-1)$ and $f(n-1, m)$ (since value for $n < m$ is not used, we need not to deal with them), notice for $m = 0$, the value should be set to 1, and for $m = n$, the value should be set to $f(n, m-1)$

3.

$$f(n, m) = \sum_{k=0}^{k_{\max}} f(n - k * m, m - 1) \text{ where } k_{\max} \text{ is the max } k$$

satisfying $n - k * m \geq 0$. For $f(n, m)$, there can be $0 \sim k_{\max}$ group of size m , we can get different partitions by increasing the number of size m group and partition $n - k * m$ into groups of size at most $m - 1$.

To build up a two dimensional array to store $f(n, m)$, initialize all $f(0, x)$ with 1 ($x \leq N$), then for $n = 1 \sim N$, set $f(n, 0)$ to 0, choose m from 1 to N , get $f(n, m)$ by the above equation. $f(n, n)$ is the P_n we want.

Time complexity:

To get every value in the table, we need to find at most k_{\max} values to sum up, while $k_{\max} \leq n_{\max} / m_{\min} = N$

$$\text{So } T(N) \leq (N * N) * N = O(N^3)$$

Problem 2

1. The same as 2.2. ($O(n)$ is also $O(n^2)$)

2. To calculate the number, I use two variables **end_0** and **end_1** to record the distinct subsequences number end with 0 and 1. Set end_0 and end_1 to 0 initially. Run a for loop to increase length from 1 to N. Each time a new character is added, for example a new character 1 is added to 101 and new string is 1011. **end_0** will not be adjust since the new added character is '1', **end_1** will be adjust to **end_0 + end_1 + 1**. The meaning of end_0 + end_1 is to add new '1' to every subsequence, since sequences in end_0 and end_1 are distinct, after adding '1', they will be distinct, too. The meaning of 1 is '1'. We need not to consider subsequences end with 1 and do not add the new '1' because if S'1' is a subsequence, S is also a subsequence, we can add the new '1' to let it become S'1', so actually it is already counted in case adding '1'. (101 is a subsequence of 101, we can also form it by adding '1' to 10, which is also a subsequence of 101) The only exception is '1' (single character), since empty is not a subsequence, '1' is not counted in case adding new '1'.

end_0 = 0

end_1 = 0

for i = 0 ~ (N - 1)

 If string[i] = '1'

end_1 = end_0 + end_1 + 1

 else

end_0 = end_0 + end_1 + 1

ans = end_0 + end_1

Time complexity : **$O(n)$**

3. Use two array end_0[K + 1] and end_1[K + 1] to record number of distinct subsequence end with 0 and 1 of length 1 ~ K. Like 2.2, if a new '1' is added, we can get end_1[length + 1] by add the new '1' to end_0[length] and end_1[length] (end_1[length + 1] = end_0[length] + end_1[length]), and don't need to adjust end_0 array. '1' is also a special case, so end_1[1] should be set to 1. Similarly, if '0' is added, we can get end_0[length + 1] by add the new '0' to end_0[length] and end_1[length], and don't need to adjust end_1 array. end_0[1] should be set to 1. By running through the string from 0 to (N - 1), we can find out end_0[K] and end_1[K], the sum of them is the final answer.

Problem 3

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1. To calculate A^n , we can use divide and conquer to divide A^n into $A^{n/2} * A^{n/2}$, $T(n) = T(n/2) + m^3$ (matrix multiplying), so $T(n) = O(m^3 \log_2 n)$

By mathematical induction, we can find that if $M = \begin{bmatrix} A & I \\ 0 & I \end{bmatrix}$

$M^n = \begin{bmatrix} A^n & \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} A^i \\ 0 & I \end{bmatrix}$, to calculate $\sum_{i=0}^n A^i$, we only need to calculate

M^{n+1} and can use divide and conquer, too. $T(n) = T(n/2) + 8m^3$

$T(n) = O(m^3 \log_2 n)$

2.

Set a $K * K$ matrix A and initialize it value with 1, for Q pairs can not

appear consecutively, set both $A(\beta_{i1}, \beta_{i2})$ and $A(\beta_{i2}, \beta_{i1})$ to 0. **dp_r(L)**

represents number of permutation of length L end with **n_r**.

$$\begin{bmatrix} dp_1(L) \\ dp_2(L) \\ \vdots \\ dp_{n-1}(L) \\ dp_n(L) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \dots & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & \dots & 0 & 1 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 1 & 0 & \dots & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} dp_1(L-1) \\ dp_2(L-1) \\ \vdots \\ dp_{n-1}(L-1) \\ dp_n(L-1) \end{bmatrix}$$

For **dp₁(L)**, if n_1 can not appear consecutively with n_2 , we can add n_1 to $dp_1(L-1) dp_3(L-1) \dots dp_n(L-1)$ to get it,

so $dp_1(L) = dp_1(L-1) + dp_3(L-1) + \dots + dp_n(L-1)$

Sort a_j and swap b_j simultaneously, then we can divide the DNA sequence to $P + 1$ subsequences with the P fixed position, notice that the last sequence length may vary from $L - a_p$ to $R - a_p$

Fill the P subsequence by the order. For the first subsequence, set $dp_1(0) dp_2(0) \dots$ to 1, and multiply dp column matrix with A^{a_1} to get $dp_1(a_1) dp_2(a_1) \dots$. Since a_1 is set to b_1 , only $dp(a_1)$ end with b_1 is remained, other impossible $dp(a_1)$ should be set to 0. For other subsequence, multiply dp column matrix with $A^{a_n - a_{(n-1)}}$ to get $dp(a_n)$, only keep $dp(a_n)$ which end with b_n and set other impossible $dp(a_n)$ to 0.

Finally, the sequence's length may vary from L to R , so we need to multiply dp column matrix with $(A^{L-a_p} + A^{L-a_p+1} + \dots + A^{R-a_p})$, the final answer is $dp_1(R) + dp_2(R) + \dots + dp_n(R)$

Time complexity:

Set matrix : $O(Q)$

Sort a : $O(P \log P)$

Fill all subsequence to get ans:

$(O(K^3 \log_2 R) + O(K)) * P$ ($a_n - a_{n-1} < R$) (The last matrix sum can also be get in $O(K^3 \log_2 R)$ by 3.1.1) ($O(K)$ is the time need to set impossible dp to 0)

Total:

$O(K^3 P \log_2 R)$

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1. $x(j, k)$ is the intersect point of $f_j(x)$ and $f_k(x)$, so $x(j, k) = \frac{b_k - b_j}{a_j - a_k}$

2. At first, α_0 is set to $-\infty$ and α_1 is set to ∞ , j_1 is set to 0, $dp(1) = f_0(x_0)$. Each time when adding a new line f_n , move ∞ to the rightmost α , find the intersect point of f_n and f_{j_n} , α_n , and j_{n+1} is set to n , push_back them into the deque. If α_n is smaller than α_{n-1} , we need not to keep $f_{j_{n-1}}$ anymore, so we can swap $\alpha_n \alpha_{n-1}$, $j_n j_{n-1}$, and then pop_back out $\alpha_n j_n$ (∞ should be kept carefully), update α_{n-1} to be intersect point of f_n and $f_{j_{n-1}}$. If α_{n-1} is still smaller than α_{n-2} , repeat the process to pop_back out unused line until α become the biggest number. We can find $dp(n+1)$ by the maintained deque and a variable recording choosing position of $dp(n)$, if $x_{n+1} > \alpha$, $f_n(x_{n+1})$ is the best answer, else the position should be equal or become bigger, find $\alpha_{p-1} \leq x_{n+1} \leq \alpha_p$ and $dp(n+1) = f_p(x_{n+1})$

Time complexity :

Build deque :

A line will be insert and delete at most one time, so the time complexity is $O(n)$

Find $dp(i)$:

α and j will be pop out and traverse at most one time, so the time complexity is $O(n)$

Total :

$O(n)$

3.

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