



# Beautiful Triplets

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Erica wrote an increasing sequence of  $n$  numbers  $(a_0, a_1, \dots, a_{n-1})$  in her notebook. She considers a triplet  $(a_i, a_j, a_k)$  to be beautiful if:

- $i < j < k$
- $a[j] - a[i] = a[k] - a[j] = d$

Given the sequence and the value of  $d$ , can you help Erica count the number of beautiful triplets in the sequence?

## Input Format

The first line contains **2** space-separated integers,  $n$  (the length of the sequence) and  $d$  (the beautiful difference), respectively.  
The second line contains  $n$  space-separated integers describing Erica's increasing sequence,  $a_0, a_1, \dots, a_{n-1}$ .

## Constraints

- $1 \leq n \leq 10^4$
- $1 \leq d \leq 20$
- $0 \leq a_i \leq 2 \times 10^4$
- $a_i > a_{i-1}$  for  $0 < i \leq n - 1$

## Output Format

Print a single line denoting the number of beautiful triplets in the sequence.

## Sample Input

```
7 3
1 2 4 5 7 8 10
```

## Sample Output

```
3
```

## Explanation

Our input sequence is **1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 8, 10**, and our beautiful difference  $d = 3$ . There are many possible triplets  $(a_i, a_j, a_k)$ , but our only beautiful triplets are **(1, 4, 7)**, **(4, 7, 10)** and **(2, 5, 8)**. Please see the equations below:

$$\begin{aligned} 7 - 4 &= 4 - 1 = 3 = d \\ 10 - 7 &= 7 - 4 = 3 = d \\ 8 - 5 &= 5 - 2 = 3 = d \end{aligned}$$

Recall that a beautiful triplet satisfies the following equivalence relation:  $a[j] - a[i] = a[k] - a[j] = d$  where  $i < j < k$ .

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Max Score: 20

Difficulty: Easy

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```
1 import java.io.*;
2 import java.util.*;
3 import java.text.*;
4 import java.math.*;
5 import java.util.regex.*;
6
7 public class Solution {
8
9     public static void main(String[] args) {
10         /* Enter your code here. Read input from STDIN. Print output to STDOUT. Your class should be named Solution. */
11     }
12 }
```

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