Count Strings

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A regular expression is used to describe a set of strings. For this problem the alphabet is limited to 'a' and 'b'.

We define R to be a valid regular expression if:
1) R is "a" or "b".
2) R is of the form "(R_1R_2)", where R_1 and R_2 are regular expressions.
3) R is of the form "$(R_1|R_2)$" where R_1 and R_2 are regular expressions.
4) R is of the form "(R_1*)" where R_1 is a regular expression.

Regular expressions can be nested and will always have have two elements in the parentheses. ('$*$' is an element, '$|$' is not; basically, there will always be pairwise evaluation) Additionally, '$*$' will always be the second element; '$(*a)$' is invalid.

The set of strings recognized by R are as follows:
1) If R is "a", then the set of strings recognized $= a$.
2) If R is "b", then the set of strings recognized $= b$.
3) If R is of the form "(R_1R_2)" then the set of strings recognized = all strings which can be obtained by a concatenation of strings s_1 and s_2, where s_1 is recognized by R_1 and s_2 by R_2.
4) If R is of the form "$(R1|R2)$" then the set of strings recognized = union of the set of strings recognized by R_1 and R_2.
5) If R is of the form "(R_1*)" then the the strings recognized are the empty string and the concatenation of an arbitrary number of copies of any string recognized by R_1.

Task
Given a regular expression and an integer, L, count how many strings of length L are recognized by it.

Input Format

The first line contains the number of test cases T. T test cases follow.
Each test case contains a regular expression, R, and an integer, L.

Constraints

- $1 \leq T \leq 50$
- $1 \leq |R| \leq 100$
- $1 \leq L \leq 10^9$
- It is guaranteed that R will conform to the definition provided above.

Output Format

Print T lines, one corresponding to each test case containing the required answer for the corresponding test case. As the answers can be very big, output them modulo $10^9 + 7$.

Sample Input

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3
((ab)|(ba)) 2
((a|b)*) 5
((a*)(b(a*))) 100
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Sample Output

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2
32
100
```

Explanation

For the first case, the only strings recognized are "ab" and "ba". Of the 4 possible strings of length 2, 2 of them fit that expression.
For the second case, the RegEx recognizes any string of any length containing only a's and b's. The number of strings of length 5 recognized by this expression is $2^5 = 32$.
For the third case, the RegEx recognizes any string having one b, preceeded and followed by any number of a's. There are 100 strings of length 100 which have a single b in them.

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Difficulty: Hard

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import java.io.*;
import java.util.*;
import java.text.*;
import java.math.*;
import java.util.regex.*;

public class Solution {

    public static void main(String[] args) {
        /* Enter your code here. Read input from STDIN. Print output to STDOUT. Your class should be named Solution. */
    }
}
```

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