

Q. Climbing stairs: (26/04/2024)

Input: Let's suppose the input is an integer 'n'
 $n \rightarrow$ no. of steps

Base

if $n = 1$
return 1
(only one case)

if $n = 2$
return 2
 $\nearrow \begin{matrix} 1+1 \\ 2 \end{matrix}$ cases

if $n > 2$ then
steps = i
(possibilities)
step 1
step 2] no. of ways to reach that output.

When n is greater than 2 we start a loop to see the no. of ways to climb the staircase

→ make a new variable of data type int to store the no. of ways.

int solution

for (int i = 3; i <= n; i++)

solution = step 1 + step 2

Dry run:

$n = 4$

Iteration 1 (i = 3)

solution = step 1 + step 2

= 1 + 2

= 3

→ ways to reach step 3

Since $n=1$ and $n=2$ already handled

Updating

Step 1 = 2
Step 2 = 3

⇒ Iteration 2: (i=4)

Solution = 2 + 3 → ways to reach
= 5 Step 4

~~Step 1~~ Step 1 = 3, Step 2 = 5

→ Since, n=4 is reached, loop is done.
and the Solution = 5

Step 1 = Step 2 → Updating
since Step 1 will
become the prev.
Step 2.

Step 2 = Solution

(Since it now represents
the no. of ways to reach
the step. Two steps
back.)

After the iteration is complete print
the result through:
return Solution;