

6133. Maximum Number of Groups Entering a Competition

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You are given a positive integer array `grades` which represents the grades of students in a university. You would like to enter **all** these students into a competition in **ordered** non-empty groups, such that the ordering meets the following conditions:

- The sum of the grades of students in the  $i^{\text{th}}$  group is **less than** the sum of the grades of students in the  $(i + 1)^{\text{th}}$  group, for all groups (except the last).
- The total number of students in the  $i^{\text{th}}$  group is **less than** the total number of students in the  $(i + 1)^{\text{th}}$  group, for all groups (except the last).

Return the **maximum** number of groups that can be formed.

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Difficulty:	Medium

Example 1:

**Input:** `grades = [10,6,12,7,3,5]`  
**Output:** 3  
**Explanation:** The following is a possible way to form 3 groups of students:  
– 1<sup>st</sup> group has the students with grades = [12]. Sum of grades: 12. Student count: 1  
– 2<sup>nd</sup> group has the students with grades = [6,7]. Sum of grades: 6 + 7 = 13. Student count: 2  
– 3<sup>rd</sup> group has the students with grades = [10,3,5]. Sum of grades: 10 + 3 + 5 = 18. Student count: 3  
It can be shown that it is not possible to form more than 3 groups.

Example 2:

**Input:** `grades = [8,8]`  
**Output:** 1  
**Explanation:** We can only form 1 group, since forming 2 groups would lead to an equal number of students in both groups.

Constraints:

- $1 \leq \text{grades.length} \leq 10^5$
- $1 \leq \text{grades}[i] \leq 10^5$

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1 const maximumGroups = (a) => {
2   a.sort((x, y) => x - y);
3   let n = a.length, g = [], sum = 0, cur = [];
4   g.push([a[0]], a[0]);
5   for (let i = 1; i < n; i++) {
6     let [preGroup, preSum] = g[g.length - 1];
7     sum += a[i];
8     cur.push(a[i]);
9     if (sum > preSum && cur.length > preGroup.length) {
10      g.push([cur, sum]);
11      sum = 0;
12      cur = [];
13    }
14  }
15  return g.length;
16 };
```


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