

Algorithms

DP Homework 1

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Problem #1: [LeetCode 518](#) - Coin Change 2

You are given an integer array `coins` representing coins of different denominations and an integer `amount` representing a total amount of money.

Return *the number of combinations that make up that amount*. If that amount of money cannot be made up by any combination of the coins, return `0`.

You may assume that you have an **infinite number** of each kind of coin.

The answer is **guaranteed** to fit into a signed **32-bit** integer.

- All the values of coins are unique. 300 max coins with values [1, 5000]
- Note, this problem is similar to subset sum with following changes
 - We can take the same items 0 or many times
 - We want to count possible cases NOT just if possible to make a sum
 - [Coin Change](#) 1 is about boolean possibility

Example 1:

Input: amount = 5, coins = [1,2,5]

Output: 4

Explanation: there are four ways to make up the amount:

5=5

5=2+2+1

5=2+1+1+1

5=1+1+1+1+1

Example 2:

Input: amount = 3, coins = [2]

Output: 0

Explanation: the amount of 3 cannot be made up just with coins of 2.

Example 3:

Input: amount = 10, coins = [10]

Output: 1

Problem #2: [LeetCode 377](#) - Combination Sum IV

Given an array of **distinct** integers `nums` and a target integer `target`, return the number of **possible combinations** that add up to `target`.

The test cases are generated so that the answer can fit in a **32-bit** integer.

- The difference between this problem and previous one is the permutations matter
 - Now $[1+1+2]$, $[2+1+1]$, $[1+2+1]$ are 3 possible ways not just one

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1 <= nums.length <= 200
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1 <= nums[i] <= 1000
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All the elements of `nums` are **unique**.

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1 <= target <= 1000
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Example 1:

Input: nums = [1,2,3], target = 4

Output: 7

Explanation:

The possible combination ways are:

(1, 1, 1, 1)

(1, 1, 2)

(1, 2, 1)

(1, 3)

(2, 1, 1)

(2, 2)

(3, 1)

Note that different sequences are counted as different combinations.

Example 2:

Input: nums = [9], target = 3

Output: 0

Problem #3: [LeetCode 1155](#) - Number of Dice Rolls With Target Sum

You have n dice and each die has k faces numbered from 1 to k .

Given three integers n , k , and $target$, return *the number of possible ways (out of the k^n total ways) to roll the dice so the sum of the face-up numbers equals $target$* . Since the answer may be too large, return it **modulo** $10^9 + 7$.

$1 \leq n, k \leq 30$

$1 \leq target \leq 1000$

Example 1:

Input: $n = 1$, $k = 6$, $\text{target} = 3$

Output: 1

Explanation: You throw one die with 6 faces.
There is only one way to get a sum of 3.

Example 2:

Input: $n = 2$, $k = 6$, $\text{target} = 7$

Output: 6

Explanation: You throw two dice, each with 6 faces.
There are 6 ways to get a sum of 7: 1+6, 2+5, 3+4, 4+3, 5+2, 6+1.

Example 3:

Input: $n = 30$, $k = 30$, $\text{target} = 500$

Output: 222616187

Explanation: The answer must be returned modulo $10^9 + 7$.

Problem #4: [LeetCode 823](#) - Binary Trees With Factors

Given an array of unique integers, `arr`, where each integer `arr[i]` is strictly greater than 1.

We make a binary tree using these integers, and each number may be used for any number of times. Each non-leaf node's value should be equal to the product of the values of its children.

Return *the number of binary trees we can make*. The answer may be too large so return the answer **modulo** $10^9 + 7$.

- Hint: define `cnt_trees(x)`: Return how many trees that has `x` as a **root**
- Carefully handle overflows (for languages like C++, Java)

Input: `arr = [2,4]`

Output: 3

Explanation: We can make these trees: [2], [4], [4, 2, 2]

Example 2:

Input: `arr = [2,4,5,10]`

Output: 7

Explanation: We can make these trees: [2], [4], [5], [10], [4, 2, 2], [10, 2, 5], [10, 5, 2].

Constraints:

- `1 <= arr.length <= 1000`
- `2 <= arr[i] <= 109`
- All the values of `arr` are **unique**.

“Acquire knowledge and impart it to the people.”

“Seek knowledge from the Cradle to the Grave.”