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Rabbit Hole (Chapter 1)

Level 2

Time limit: 5s

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Note: Chapter 2 is a harder version of this puzzle.

You're having a grand old time clicking through the rabbit hole that is your favorite online encyclopedia.

The encyclopedia consists of N different web pages, numbered from 1 to N . Each page i contains nothing but a single link to a different page L_i .

A session spent on this website involves beginning on one of the N pages, and then navigating around using the links until you decide to stop. That is, while on page i , you may either move to page L_i , or stop your browsing session.

Assuming you can choose which page you begin the session on, what's the maximum number of different pages you can visit in a single session? Note that a page only counts once even if visited multiple times during the session.

Constraints

$$2 \leq N \leq 500,000$$

$$1 \leq L_i \leq N$$

$$L_i \neq i$$

Sample test case #1

$N = 4$
 $L = [4, 1, 2, 1]$

Expected Return Value = 4

Sample test case #2

$N = 5$
 $L = [4, 3, 5, 1, 2]$

Expected Return Value = 3

Sample test case #3

$N = 5$
 $L = [2, 4, 2, 2, 3]$

Expected Return Value = 4

Sample Explanation

In the first case, you can visit all 4 pages in a single browsing session if you begin on page 3. For example, you can visit the sequence of pages $3 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow 4$.

In the second case, you can only visit at most 3 different pages — for example, the sequence of pages $3 \rightarrow 5 \rightarrow 2$.

In the third case, you can only visit at most 4 different pages — for example, the sequence of pages $5 \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 4$.

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