

274. H-Index

Given an array of integers `citations` where `citations[i]` is the number of citations a researcher received for their i^{th} paper, return the researcher's *h-index*.

According to the [definition of h-index on Wikipedia](#): The h-index is defined as the maximum value of h such that the given researcher has published at least h papers that have each been cited at least h times.

Example 1:

Input: `citations = [3,0,6,1,5]`

Output: 3

Explanation: `[3,0,6,1,5]` means the researcher has 5 papers in total and each of them had received 3, 0, 6, 1, 5 citations respectively.

Since the researcher has 3 papers with at least 3 citations each and the remaining two with no more than 3 citations each, their h-index is 3.

Example 2:

Input: `citations = [1,3,1]`

Output: 1

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2. Took some time to understand what H-index is.
3. H-Index explained : <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=W6-PetKaCcA&t=258s>

Solution using sort()

```
f hIndex(self, citations):
    # [3,0,6,1,5]
    # [0,1,3,5,6]
    # 5 4 3 2 1 | }
```

- 1.
2. Here at index 0..we have 5 papers that have more than citations..similarly at index 1 ..we have 4 papers with more than 1 citation...and at index 2 ...we have 3 papers with more than 3 citations...

3. Python code

```
class Solution:
    def hIndex(self, citations: List[int]) -> int:
        # [3,0,6,1,5]
        # [0,1,3,5,6]
        # 5 4 3 2 1
        N = len(citations)
        citations.sort()
        for i,v in enumerate(citations):
            if N-i <= v:
                return N-i
        return 0
```

Counting Sort()

1. We can solve this problem using counting sort in $O(n)$
2. Lets learn counting sort
- 3.