Q18. Count pairs with given sum.

i/p → {1, 5, 7, -1}, k = 6

o/p → 2

Brute force

Consider all the possible pairs by running 2 nested loops and if we find a pair having sum equal to the given sum, then simply increase the count of the countPairs. At the end simply return the countPairs.

Time complexity = $O(n^2)$

Space complexity = $O(1)$

Optimal solution + Dry run

1) Create a map in which the frequency of elements will be stored.

1 : 1

5 : 1

7 : 1

-1 : 1

2) Traverse the array now and find whether k - arr[i] is present in the array & this we can get to know about from the map.

✓ index = 0

m[6 - 1] = m[5] = 1 > 0 and hence count ++.

Here count = 1.

✓ index = 1
m [6 - 5] = m [1] = 1 > 0 and hence again count++.
Here count = 2.

✓ index = 2
m [6 - 7] = m [-1] = 1 > 0 and hence again count++.
Here count = 3.

✓ index = 3
m [6 - (-1)] = m [7] = 1 > 0 & hence again count++.
Here count = 4.

But here we have considered the pair twice.
(1, 5) and (5, 1) ⇒ 2 pairs but it should be considered only once.
Hence count/2 will be the answer.

Note → Here we have to make sure that if k - arr[i] == arr[i], then decrement count as we don't have to consider (arr[i], arr[i]) pair.

Code

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int getPairs (int arr[], int n, int k){
        // Create map to store frequency
        unordered_map <int, int> m;
        //Store the frequency of elements in map
        for (int i=0 ; i<n ; i++) {
                m [arr[i]] ++;
    }
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// Initially countPairs = 0
int countPairs = 0;
for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {//Element present
        if (m[k-arr[i]] != 0) {
            countPairs += m[k-arr[i]];
        }
        // arr[i], arr[i] not to be considered
        if (k-arr[i] == arr[i]) {
            countPairs--; //Decrement count pairs
        }
    }
    int ans = countPairs/2; // 2 times pair have been considered
    return ans;
}
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Time complexity = O(n)
Space complexity = O(n)