

1930. Unique Length-3 Palindromic Subsequences

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Given a string s, return the number of **unique palindromes of length three** that are a **subsequence** of s.

Note that even if there are multiple ways to obtain the same subsequence, it is still only counted **once**.

A palindrome is a string that reads the same forwards and backwards.

A subsequence of a string is a new string generated from the original string with some characters (can be none) deleted without changing

• For example, "ace" is a subsequence of "abcde".

Example 1:

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Input: s = "aabca"
Output: 3
Explanation: The 3 palindromic subsequences of length 3 are:
    "aba" (subsequence of "aabca")
    "aaa" (subsequence of "aabca")
    "aca" (subsequence of "aabca")
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Example 2:

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Input: s = "adc"
Output: 0
Explanation: There are no palindromic subsequences of length 3 in "adc".
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Example 3:

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Input: s = "bbcbaba"
Output: 4
Explanation: The 4 palindromic subsequences of length 3 are:
    "bbb" (subsequence of "bbcbaba")
    "bcb" (subsequence of "bbcbaba")
    "bab" (subsequence of "bbcbaba")
    "aba" (subsequence of "bbcbaba")
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Constraints:

- 3 <= s.length <= 10⁵
- s consists of only lowercase English letters.

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