

Que Distinct Subsequences

ex $S1 = "babgbag"$ $S2 = "bag"$ $\xrightarrow{ans, 5}$

Que-1:- Why do we apply recursion & why not simple matching or simple comparing?

$\Rightarrow S1 = "babgbag"$ $S2 = "bag"$

suppose $"babggg"$ \rightarrow first matching

$ba\ bggg \rightarrow$ 2nd "

\rightarrow In these two matching we can take two different 'g' also we can take two or more different 'b's

so we have Different methodologies of comparing

and This is type of Trying All Ways

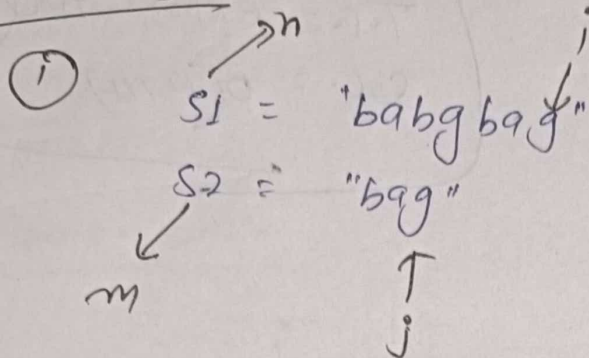
so we apply recursion

Que-2:- How to write Recurrence

Rules

- ① express everything in terms of index (i, j)
- ② explore all possibilities
- ③ Return the submission of all possibilities
- ④ Base case

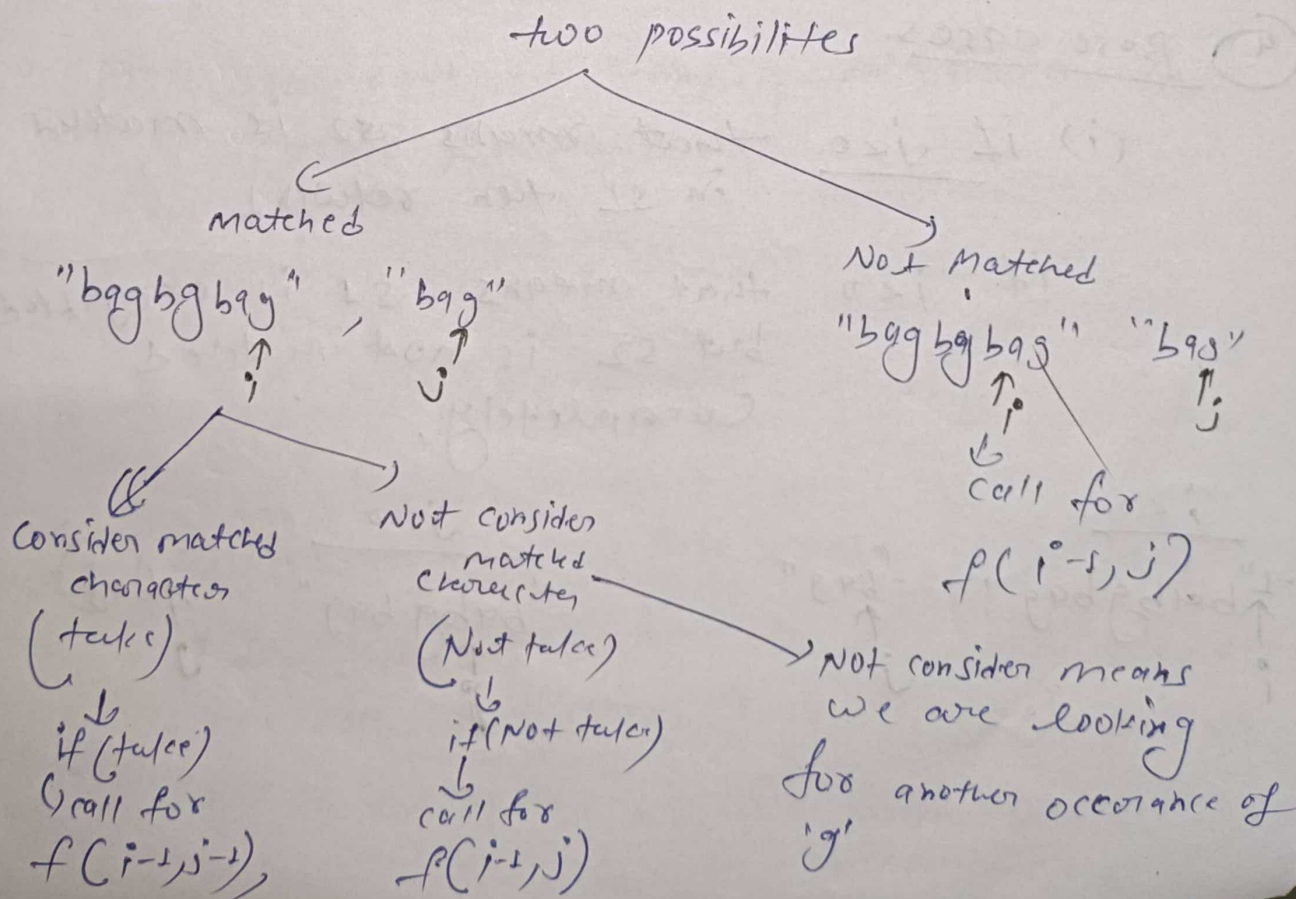
expand rules



$f(n-1, m-1) \rightarrow$ No. of distinct subsequence of $S_2[0 \dots j]$ in $S_1[0 \dots i]$

Arrows point from $n-1$ to i and from $m-1$ to j .

② All possibilities



$f(i, j)$

1 Base case

if ($j < 0$) return 1;

if ($i < 0$) return 0;

11 all possibilities

if ($s1[i] == s2[j]$)

return $f(i-1, j-1) + f(i-1, j)$

else

return $f(i-1, j)$

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4 Base cases.

(i) if $j < 0$ that means $s2$ is matched in $s1$ then return 1

if $i < 0$ that means $s1$ is exhausted but $s2$ is not matched completely.

$i < 0$

"babg bag" "bag"

$j < 0$

"babg bag" "bag"

Overlapping subproblem. so draw recursion
Tree

Memoization

$$\begin{array}{cc} i & j \\ \downarrow & \downarrow \\ N & M \\ \hline dp[N][M] \end{array}$$

Tabulation

- ① Write down the Base case
- ② write down the changing parameters in opposite direction

$$\begin{array}{l} i = \\ j = \end{array}$$

- ③ Copy paste recurrence

- ① write down the Base case

⊗ In memoization base case for $i = -1$ // $j = -1$
i.e. call for $f(-1, j)$ or $f(i, -1)$ possible
but in tabulation we can't write base case
for -1 index so we shift index by 1

1 based indexing

$f(i, j)$

{ if ($j == 0$) return 1;
if ($i == 0$) return 0;

i j
0 0
↓ ↓
-1 -1

if ($dp[i][j] \neq -1$) return $dp[i][j]$

if ($s1[i-1] == s2[j-1]$)

return $dp[i][j] = f(i-1, j-1) + f(i-1, j)$

else return $dp[i][j] = f(i-1, j)$

}

Base case in tabulation

$dp[n+1][m+1]$

for ($i = 0$ to n) $dp[i][0] = 0$

for ($j = 0$ to m) $dp[0][j] = 1$

s1
n
1

s2
m
j

② Write down the changing parameters

$i = 1$ to n

$j = 1$ to m

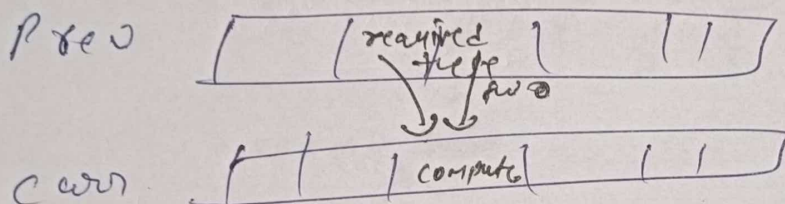
③ Copy paste the recurrence

1-D Space Optimization

$i = 1$ to n

$j = m$ to 1 to 1 to m

if (matched) $curr[j] = prev[j-1] + prev[j]$
else $curr[j] = prev[j]$



Now change \rightarrow Knapsack 1-D array space optimization

$i = 1$ to n

$j = m$ to 1

if (matched) $prev[j] = prev[j-1] + prev[j]$
else $prev[j] = prev[j]$

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