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	Question Description	Time Taken	Score	Status
Q1	Given the following problem, https://leetcode.com/problems/letter-combinations-of-a-string/ > Multiple Choice	3 min 2 sec	5/ 5	✔
Q2	Given a sequence of numbers, i.e., [2, 5, 1, 6, 3, 7], which problem would be > Multiple Choice	28 sec	5/ 5	✔
Q3	How many combinations will be returned by combinationSum3(3,7)with the below imp > Multiple Choice	1 min	0/ 5	✘
Q4	Permutations II without getCandidates > Coding	8 min 23 sec	0/ 60	✘
Q5	Coin Change > Multiple Choice	1 min 31 sec	5/ 5	✔
Q6	Beautiful Arrangement > Coding	3 min 28 sec	40/ 110	✔



QUESTION 1



Correct Answer

Score 5

Multiple Choice

QUESTION DESCRIPTION

Given the following problem, <https://leetcode.com/problems/letter-combinations-of-a-phone-number>, what is the maximum total number of elements in the result if N is the number of characters in the input string? (~2 minutes)

CANDIDATE ANSWER

Options: (Expected answer indicated with a tick)

- ☒ ☐ 4^N
- ☐ N!
- ☐ N^2
- ☐ 4N^2

No Comments

QUESTION 2



Correct Answer

Score 5

Multiple Choice

QUESTION DESCRIPTION

Given a sequence of numbers, i.e., [2, 5, 1, 6, 3, 7], which problem would be best solved by a dynamic programming algorithm? (~2 minutes)

CANDIDATE ANSWER

Options: (Expected answer indicated with a tick)

- ☐ Find kth largest element
- ☐ Find where a sub-sequence, e.g., [6, 3], exists in the sequence
- ☒ Partition the sequence into n or fewer bins to minimize the difference between sums of partitions
- ☐ Shuffle the sequence to guarantee uniform probability

No Comments

QUESTION 3



Wrong Answer

Score 0

Multiple Choice

QUESTION DESCRIPTION

How many combinations will be returned by `combinationSum3(3, 7)` with the below implementation?

Python:

```
def is_valid(s, k, n):  
    return len(s) == k and sum(s) == n
```

```

def is_bad(s, k, n):
    sum_s = sum(s)
    len_s = len(s)
    return len_s > k or sum_s > n or (len_s == k and sum_s != n)

def search(solutions, digits, s, k, n):
    if is_valid(s, k, n):
        solutions.append(s.copy())

    for d in digits:
        s.append(d)
        if not is_bad(s, k, n):
            search(solutions, set(digits) - set([d]), s, k, n)
        s.pop()

class Solution:
    def combinationSum3(self, k, n):
        """
        :type k: int
        :type n: int
        :rtype: List[List[int]]
        """
        solutions = []
        digits = range(1, 10)
        s = []
        search(solutions, digits, s, k, n)
        return solutions

```

Java:

```

class Solution {
    boolean isValid(List<Integer> s, int k, int n) {
        int sum = 0;
        for (int num: s) {
            sum += num;
        }
        return sum == n && s.size() == k;
    }

    boolean isBad(List<Integer> s, int k, int n) {
        int size = s.size(), sum = 0;
        for (int num: s) {
            sum += num;
        }
        return size > k || sum > n || (size == k && sum != n);
    }

    void search(List<List<Integer>> solutions, Set<Integer> digits,
List<Integer> s, int k, int n) {
        if (isValid(s, k, n)) {
            solutions.add(new ArrayList<>(s));
        }
        for (int d: digits) {
            s.add(d);
            if (!isBad(s, k, n)) {
                Set<Integer> newDigits = new HashSet<>(digits);
                newDigits.remove(d);
                search(solutions, newDigits, s, k, n);
            }
            s.remove(s.size()-1);
        }
    }

    public List<List<Integer>> combinationSum3(int k, int n) {
        List<List<Integer>> solutions = new ArrayList<>();
        Set<Integer> digits = new HashSet<>();
        for (int i = 1; i < 10; i++) {
            digits.add(i);

```

```

    }
    List<Integer> s = new ArrayList<>();
    search(solutions, digits, s, k, n);
    return solutions;
}
}

```

CANDIDATE ANSWER

Options: (Expected answer indicated with a tick)

- ☐ 0
☐ 1
☒ 3
☒ 6

No Comments

QUESTION 4



Wrong Answer

Score 0

Permutations II without getCandidates > Coding

QUESTION DESCRIPTION

Given a collection of numbers that might contain duplicates, return all possible unique permutations.

Example:

```

Input: [1,1,2]
Output:
[
  [1,1,2],
  [1,2,1],
  [2,1,1]
]

```

Fill in the missing code (in the getCandidates function) for a correct solution to this problem.

CANDIDATE ANSWER

The candidate did not manually submit any code. The last compiled version has been auto-submitted and the score you see below is for the auto-submitted version.

Language used: **Java 8**

```







1 static class Tuple {
2     int c;
3     List<Integer> otherNums;
4
5     Tuple(int c, List<Integer> otherNums) {
6         this.c = c;
7         this.otherNums = otherNums;
8     }
9 }
10

```

```

11 static List<Tuple> getCandidates(List<Integer> nums) {
12     Tuple tuple = new Tuple(1, nums);
13     List<Tuple> result = new ArrayList<>();
14     result.add(tuple);
15     return result;
16 }
17
18 static void search(List<List<Integer>> solutions, List<Integer> nums,
19 List<Integer> s) {
20     if (nums == null || nums.isEmpty()) {
21         solutions.add(new ArrayList<Integer>(s));
22     } else {
23         for (Tuple t: getCandidates(nums)) {
24             s.add(t.c);
25             search(solutions, t.otherNums, s);
26             s.remove(s.size()-1);
27         }
28     }
29 }
30
31 static public List<List<Integer>> permuteUnique(int[] nums) {
32     List<List<Integer>> solutions = new ArrayList<>();
33     List<Integer> numsList = new ArrayList<Integer>();
34     for (int num: nums) {
35         numsList.add(num);
36     }
37     search(solutions, numsList, new ArrayList<Integer>());
38     return solutions;
39 }

```

TESTCASE	DIFFICULTY	TYPE	STATUS	SCORE	TIME TAKEN	MEMORY USED
Testcase 0	Easy	Sample case	 Runtime Error	0	0.1463 sec	28.7 KB
Testcase 1	Easy	Hidden case	 Runtime Error	0	0.1223 sec	28.4 KB
Testcase 2	Easy	Hidden case	 Runtime Error	0	0.1264 sec	29.2 KB
Testcase 3	Easy	Hidden case	 Runtime Error	0	0.1435 sec	28.8 KB
Testcase 4	Easy	Hidden case	 Runtime Error	0	0.1359 sec	28.1 KB
Testcase 5	Easy	Hidden case	 Runtime Error	0	0.1249 sec	28.9 KB

No Comments

QUESTION 5



Correct Answer

Score 5

Coin Change > Multiple Choice

QUESTION DESCRIPTION

Given the coin change solution below, add protections against edge cases:

Python:

```

def coin_change(coins, amount):
    """
    :type coins: List[int]
    :param coins: int
    :param amount:
    :return: int
    """
    min_c = min(coins)
    h = {0: 0}

```

```

for i in range(1, min_c):
    h[i] = -1
for i in range(min_c, amount + 1):
    t = [h[i-c] for c in coins if c <= i and h[i - c] > -1]
    if not t:
        h[i] = -1
    else:
        h[i] = -1
return h[amount]

```

Java:

```

int coinChange(int[] coins, int amount) {
    int minC = Integer.MAX_VALUE;
    for (int c : coins) {
        minC = Math.min(c, minC);
    }
    HashMap<Integer, Integer> h = new HashMap<>();
    h.put(0, 0);
    for (int i = 1; i < minC; i++) {
        h.put(i, -1);
    }
    for (int i = minC; i < amount + 1; i++) {
        List<Integer> t = new ArrayList<>();
        int min = Integer.MAX_VALUE;
        for (int c : coins) {
            if (c <= i && h.get(i - c) > -1) {
                min = Math.min(min, h.get(i - c));
                t.add(h.get(i - c));
            }
        }
        if (t.isEmpty()) {
            h.put(i, -1);
        } else {
            h.put(i, min);
        }
    }
    return h.get(amount);
}

```

CANDIDATE ANSWER

Options: (Expected answer indicated with a tick)

- ☐ coins = []
- ☐ Amount < 0
- ☐ Amount > 2^64
- ☐ Coins = None
- ☒ All of the above
- ☐ Some of the above

No Comments

QUESTION 6



Correct Answer

Beautiful Arrangement > Coding

QUESTION DESCRIPTION

Suppose you have N integers from 1 to N. We define a beautiful arrangement as an array that is constructed by these N numbers successfully if one of the following is true for the i_{th} position ($1 \leq i \leq N$) in this array:

1. The number at the i_{th} position is divisible by i.
2. i is divisible by the number at the i_{th} position.

Now given N, how many beautiful arrangements can you construct?

Example 1:

Input: 2
Output: 2
Explanation:

The first beautiful arrangement is [1, 2]:

Number at the 1st position (i=1) is 1, and 1 is divisible by i (i=1).

Number at the 2nd position (i=2) is 2, and 2 is divisible by i (i=2).

The second beautiful arrangement is [2, 1]:

Number at the 1st position (i=1) is 2, and 2 is divisible by i (i=1).

Number at the 2nd position (i=2) is 1, and i (i=2) is divisible by 1.

Note:

1. N is a positive integer and will not exceed 15.

CANDIDATE ANSWER

Language used: **Java 8**

```

1      // Complete the countArrangement function below.
2      static int countArrangement(int N) {
3          return N;
4      }
5
6

```

TESTCASE	DIFFICULTY	TYPE	STATUS	SCORE	TIME TAKEN	MEMORY USED
Sample	Easy	Sample case	✔ Success	10	0.0688 sec	23.7 KB
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Testcase 0	Easy	Hidden case	✔ Success	10	0.0723 sec	23.4 KB
Testcase 3	Easy	Hidden case	✔ Success	10	0.069 sec	23.4 KB
Testcase 4	Easy	Hidden case	✘ Wrong Answer	0	0.0859 sec	23.5 KB
Testcase 5	Easy	Hidden case	✘ Wrong Answer	0	0.0731 sec	23.4 KB
Testcase 6	Easy	Hidden case	✘ Wrong Answer	0	0.0917 sec	23.4 KB
Testcase 7	Easy	Hidden case	✘ Wrong Answer	0	0.0863 sec	23.6 KB
Testcase 8	Easy	Hidden case	✘ Wrong Answer	0	0.0694 sec	23.4 KB
Testcase 9	Easy	Hidden case	✘ Wrong Answer	0	0.0659 sec	23.4 KB
Testcase 10	Easy	Hidden case	✘ Wrong Answer	0	0.0766 sec	23.7 KB

No Comments

QUESTION 7



Wrong Answer

Score 0

Longest increasing subsequence

> Coding

Dynamic Programming

Data Structures

Medium

Algorithms

Problem Solving

Arrays

QUESTION DESCRIPTION

A sub-sequence is a sequence that can be created by deleting zero or more elements from the original sequence while maintaining order.

A sequence S is said to be increasing if every element in the sequence is greater than the previous element in that sequence, i.e for every element $S[i+1]$, $S[i] < S[i+1]$. Mathematically, for the sequence $S = (S[1]...S[n-1])$, $S[i] < S[i+1] \forall i \in [1, n-1]$.

You will be given an array of integers and must determine the length of the longest increasing subsequence.

For example, your array $s = [1, 2, 2, 3, 1, 6]$. Two examples of strictly increasing subsequences of that array are $(1,2)$, $(1, 2, 3)$. Note that the 2 cannot repeat in the second subsequence as $2 \nless 2$. The longest increasing subsequence has a length of 4: $LIS = [1,2,3,6]$.

Function Description

Complete the function *findLIS* in the editor below. The function must return the length of the longest increasing subsequence that can be created from the array.

findLIS has the following parameter(s):

$s[s[0],...s[n-1]]$: an array of integers

Constraints:

- $1 \leq n < 1000$
- $1 \leq s[i] \leq 1000000$

▼ Input Format for Custom Testing

Input from stdin will be processed as follows and passed to the function.

The first line contains an integer n , the size of the array s .

Each of the next n lines contains an integer $s[i]$ where $1 \leq i \leq n$.

▼ Sample Case 0

Sample Input 0

STDIN	Function Parameters
3	$s[]$ Size = 3
1	$s[] = [1,$
4	4,
3	3]

Sample Output 0

2

Explanation 0

Inputs are $s=[1,4,3]$. Increasing subsequences are $[1,4]$ and $[1,3]$.

The longest increasing sub-sequence has 2 elements.

▼ Sample Case 1

Sample Input 1

STDIN	Function Parameters
5	→ s[] Size = 5
1	→ s = [1,4,5,2,6]
4	
5	
2	
6	

Sample Output 1

4

Explanation 1

Inputs are s=[1,4,5,2,6]. Some increasing subsequences are [1,4,5,6], [4,5,6], [5,6] and [2,6]. The longest increasing sub-sequence has 4 elements.

▼ Sample Case 2

Sample Input 2

STDIN	Function Parameters
4	→ s[] Size = 4
2	→ s[] = [2, 3, 3, 5]
3	
3	
5	

Sample Output

3

Explanation

Inputs are s=[2,3,3,5]. Increasing subsequences are [2,3,5], [2,3], [3,5] and [2,5]. The longest increasing sub-sequence has 3 elements.







CANDIDATE ANSWER

Language used: Java 8

```

1  /*
2   * Complete the function below.
3   */
4
5   static int findLIS(int[] s) {
6       return s.length;
7   }

```

TESTCASE	DIFFICULTY	TYPE	STATUS	SCORE	TIME TAKEN	MEMORY USED
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TestCase 1	Easy	Sample case	 Wrong Answer	0	0.0913 sec	25 KB
TestCase 2	Easy	Sample case	 Wrong Answer	0	0.0872 sec	24.8 KB
TestCase 3	Easy	Hidden case	 Wrong Answer	0	0.0843 sec	24.7 KB
TestCase 4	Easy	Hidden case	 Wrong Answer	0	0.0854 sec	25 KB
TestCase 5	Medium	Hidden case	 Wrong Answer	0	0.0864 sec	25.1 KB
TestCase 6	Hard	Hidden case	 Wrong Answer	0	0.1188 sec	26.4 KB
TestCase 7	Hard	Hidden case	 Wrong Answer	0	0.1192 sec	28.8 KB

