

Problem 115: Distinct Subsequences

Problem Information

Difficulty: Hard

Acceptance Rate: 51.06%

Paid Only: No

Tags: String, Dynamic Programming

Problem Description

Given two strings s and t, return the number of distinct ****subsequences**** of s which equals t.

The test cases are generated so that the answer fits on a 32-bit signed integer.

****Example 1:****

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**Input:** s = "rabbbit", t = "rabbit" **Output:** 3 **Explanation:** As shown below, there are 3
ways you can generate "rabbit" from s. **_rabb_** b** _it_** _ra_** b** _bbit_** _rab_** b**
_bit_**

```

****Example 2:****

```

**Input:** s = "babgbag", t = "bag" **Output:** 5 **Explanation:** As shown below, there are 5
ways you can generate "bag" from s. _ba_ b _g_ _bag _ba_ bgba _g_ _b_
abgb _ag_ ba _b_ _gb_ _ag_ _babg_ _bag_

```

****Constraints:****

* `1` <= s.length, t.length <= 1000` * `s` and `t` consist of English letters.

Code Snippets

C++:

```
class Solution {  
public:  
    int numDistinct(string s, string t) {  
  
    }  
};
```

Java:

```
class Solution {  
    public int numDistinct(String s, String t) {  
  
    }  
}
```

Python3:

```
class Solution:  
    def numDistinct(self, s: str, t: str) -> int:
```