

# Problem 2824: Count Pairs Whose Sum is Less than Target

## Problem Information

Difficulty: **Easy**

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

## Problem Description

Given a

0-indexed

integer array

nums

of length

n

and an integer

target

, return

the number of pairs

(i, j)

where

$0 \leq i < j < n$

and

$\text{nums}[i] + \text{nums}[j] < \text{target}$

.

Example 1:

Input:

$\text{nums} = [-1, 1, 2, 3, 1]$ ,  $\text{target} = 2$

Output:

3

Explanation:

There are 3 pairs of indices that satisfy the conditions in the statement: - (0, 1) since  $0 < 1$  and  $\text{nums}[0] + \text{nums}[1] = 0 < \text{target}$  - (0, 2) since  $0 < 2$  and  $\text{nums}[0] + \text{nums}[2] = 1 < \text{target}$  - (0, 4) since  $0 < 4$  and  $\text{nums}[0] + \text{nums}[4] = 0 < \text{target}$  Note that (0, 3) is not counted since  $\text{nums}[0] + \text{nums}[3]$  is not strictly less than the target.

Example 2:

Input:

$\text{nums} = [-6, 2, 5, -2, -7, -1, 3]$ ,  $\text{target} = -2$

Output:

10

Explanation:

There are 10 pairs of indices that satisfy the conditions in the statement: - (0, 1) since  $0 < 1$  and  $\text{nums}[0] + \text{nums}[1] = -4 < \text{target}$  - (0, 3) since  $0 < 3$  and  $\text{nums}[0] + \text{nums}[3] = -8 < \text{target}$  - (0, 4) since  $0 < 4$  and  $\text{nums}[0] + \text{nums}[4] = -13 < \text{target}$  - (0, 5) since  $0 < 5$  and  $\text{nums}[0] + \text{nums}[5] = -7 < \text{target}$  - (0, 6) since  $0 < 6$  and  $\text{nums}[0] + \text{nums}[6] = -3 < \text{target}$  - (1, 4) since  $1 <$

4 and  $\text{nums}[1] + \text{nums}[4] = -5 < \text{target} - (3, 4)$  since  $3 < 4$  and  $\text{nums}[3] + \text{nums}[4] = -9 < \text{target} - (3, 5)$  since  $3 < 5$  and  $\text{nums}[3] + \text{nums}[5] = -3 < \text{target} - (4, 5)$  since  $4 < 5$  and  $\text{nums}[4] + \text{nums}[5] = -8 < \text{target} - (4, 6)$  since  $4 < 6$  and  $\text{nums}[4] + \text{nums}[6] = -4 < \text{target}$

Constraints:

$1 \leq \text{nums.length} \leq 50$

$-50 \leq \text{nums}[i], \text{target} \leq 50$

## Code Snippets

**C++:**

```
class Solution {  
public:  
    int countPairs(vector<int>& nums, int target) {  
        }  
    };
```

**Java:**

```
class Solution {  
public int countPairs(List<Integer> nums, int target) {  
    }  
}
```

**Python3:**

```
class Solution:  
    def countPairs(self, nums: List[int], target: int) -> int:
```

**Python:**

```
class Solution(object):  
    def countPairs(self, nums, target):  
        """  
        :type nums: List[int]  
        :type target: int
```

```
:rtype: int  
"""
```

### JavaScript:

```
/**  
 * @param {number[]} nums  
 * @param {number} target  
 * @return {number}  
 */  
var countPairs = function(nums, target) {  
  
};
```

### TypeScript:

```
function countPairs(nums: number[], target: number): number {  
  
};
```

### C#:

```
public class Solution {  
    public int CountPairs(IList<int> nums, int target) {  
  
    }  
}
```

### C:

```
int countPairs(int* nums, int numsSize, int target) {  
  
}
```

### Go:

```
func countPairs(nums []int, target int) int {  
  
}
```

### Kotlin:

```
class Solution {  
    fun countPairs(nums: List<Int>, target: Int): Int {  
        }  
        }  
}
```

### Swift:

```
class Solution {  
    func countPairs(_ nums: [Int], _ target: Int) -> Int {  
        }  
        }  
}
```

### Rust:

```
impl Solution {  
    pub fn count_pairs(nums: Vec<i32>, target: i32) -> i32 {  
        }  
        }  
}
```

### Ruby:

```
# @param {Integer[]} nums  
# @param {Integer} target  
# @return {Integer}  
def count_pairs(nums, target)  
  
end
```

### PHP:

```
class Solution {  
  
    /**  
     * @param Integer[] $nums  
     * @param Integer $target  
     * @return Integer  
     */  
    function countPairs($nums, $target) {  
  
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```

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### Dart:

```
class Solution {  
    int countPairs(List<int> nums, int target) {  
        }  
    }
```

### Scala:

```
object Solution {  
    def countPairs(nums: List[Int], target: Int): Int = {  
        }  
    }
```

### Elixir:

```
defmodule Solution do  
  @spec count_pairs([integer], integer) :: integer  
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  end  
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### Erlang:

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### Racket:

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(define/contract (count-pairs nums target)  
  (-> (listof exact-integer?) exact-integer? exact-integer?)  
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## Solutions

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 * Tags: array, sort, search
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        # TODO: Implement optimized solution
        pass
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