

# Problem 1719: Number Of Ways To Reconstruct A Tree

## Problem Information

**Difficulty:** Hard

**Acceptance Rate:** 44.44%

**Paid Only:** No

**Tags:** Tree, Graph

## Problem Description

You are given an array `pairs`, where `pairs[i] = [xi, yi]`, and:

\* There are no duplicates. \* `xi < yi`

Let `ways` be the number of rooted trees that satisfy the following conditions:

\* The tree consists of nodes whose values appeared in `pairs`. \* A pair `[xi, yi]` exists in `pairs` \*\*if and only if\*\* `xi` is an ancestor of `yi` or `yi` is an ancestor of `xi`. \* \*\*Note:\*\* the tree does not have to be a binary tree.

Two ways are considered to be different if there is at least one node that has different parents in both ways.

Return:

\* `0` if `ways == 0` \* `1` if `ways == 1` \* `2` if `ways > 1`

A \*\*rooted tree\*\* is a tree that has a single root node, and all edges are oriented to be outgoing from the root.

An \*\*ancestor\*\* of a node is any node on the path from the root to that node (excluding the node itself). The root has no ancestors.

\*\*Example 1:\*\*



**Input:** pairs = [[1,2],[2,3]] **Output:** 1 **Explanation:** There is exactly one valid rooted tree, which is shown in the above figure.

**Example 2:**



**Input:** pairs = [[1,2],[2,3],[1,3]] **Output:** 2 **Explanation:** There are multiple valid rooted trees. Three of them are shown in the above figures.

**Example 3:**

**Input:** pairs = [[1,2],[2,3],[2,4],[1,5]] **Output:** 0 **Explanation:** There are no valid rooted trees.

**Constraints:**

\* `1 <= pairs.length <= 105` \* `1 <= xi < yi <= 500` \* The elements in `pairs` are unique.

## Code Snippets

**C++:**

```
class Solution {
public:
    int checkWays(vector<vector<int>>& pairs) {
        }
    };
}
```

**Java:**

```
class Solution {
public int checkWays(int[][] pairs) {
        }
    }
}
```

**Python3:**

```
class Solution:  
    def checkWays(self, pairs: List[List[int]]) -> int:
```