

Problem 646: Maximum Length of Pair Chain

Problem Information

Difficulty: **Medium**

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

Problem Description

You are given an array of

n

pairs

pairs

where

$\text{pairs}[i] = [\text{left}$

i

, right

i

]

and

left

i

< right

i

.

A pair

p2 = [c, d]

follows

a pair

p1 = [a, b]

if

b < c

. A

chain

of pairs can be formed in this fashion.

Return

the length longest chain which can be formed

.

You do not need to use up all the given intervals. You can select pairs in any order.

Example 1:

Input:

pairs = [[1,2],[2,3],[3,4]]

Output:

2

Explanation:

The longest chain is [1,2] -> [3,4].

Example 2:

Input:

pairs = [[1,2],[7,8],[4,5]]

Output:

3

Explanation:

The longest chain is [1,2] -> [4,5] -> [7,8].

Constraints:

$n == \text{pairs.length}$

$1 \leq n \leq 1000$

$-1000 \leq \text{left}$

i

$< \text{right}$

i

≤ 1000

Code Snippets

C++:

```
class Solution {
public:
    int findLongestChain(vector<vector<int>>& pairs) {

    }
};
```

Java:

```
class Solution {
    public int findLongestChain(int[][] pairs) {

    }
}
```

Python3:

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

Python:

```
class Solution(object):
    def findLongestChain(self, pairs):
        """
        :type pairs: List[List[int]]
        :rtype: int
        """
```

JavaScript:

```
/**
 * @param {number[][]} pairs
 * @return {number}
 */
var findLongestChain = function(pairs) {

};
```

TypeScript:

```
function findLongestChain(pairs: number[][]): number {  
  
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```

C#:

```
public class Solution {  
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C:

```
int findLongestChain(int** pairs, int pairsSize, int* pairsColSize) {  
  
}
```

Go:

```
func findLongestChain(pairs [][]int) int {  
  
}
```

Kotlin:

```
class Solution {  
    fun findLongestChain(pairs: Array<IntArray>): Int {  
  
    }  
}
```

Swift:

```
class Solution {  
    func findLongestChain(_ pairs: [[Int]]) -> Int {  
  
    }  
}
```

Rust:

```
impl Solution {  
    pub fn find_longest_chain(pairs: Vec<Vec<i32>>) -> i32 {  
  
    }  
}
```

Ruby:

```
# @param {Integer[][]} pairs  
# @return {Integer}  
def find_longest_chain(pairs)  
  
end
```

PHP:

```
class Solution {  
  
    /**  
     * @param Integer[][] $pairs  
     * @return Integer  
     */  
    function findLongestChain($pairs) {  
  
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```

Dart:

```
class Solution {  
    int findLongestChain(List<List<int>> pairs) {  
  
    }  
}
```

Scala:

```
object Solution {  
    def findLongestChain(pairs: Array[Array[Int]]): Int = {  
  
    }  
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Elixir:

```
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Solutions

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        pass
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