

Problem 2397: Maximum Rows Covered by Columns

Problem Information

Difficulty: Medium

Acceptance Rate: 57.45%

Paid Only: No

Tags: Array, Backtracking, Bit Manipulation, Matrix, Enumeration

Problem Description

You are given an `m x n` binary matrix `matrix` and an integer `numSelect`.

Your goal is to select exactly `numSelect` **distinct** columns from `matrix` such that you cover as many rows as possible.

A row is considered **covered** if all the `1`'s in that row are also part of a column that you have selected. If a row does not have any `1`'s, it is also considered covered.

More formally, let us consider `selected = {c1, c2, ..., cnumSelect}` as the set of columns selected by you. A row `i` is **covered** by `selected` if:

* For each cell where `matrix[i][j] == 1`, the column `j` is in `selected`. * Or, no cell in row `i` has a value of `1`.

Return the **maximum** number of rows that can be **covered** by a set of `numSelect` columns.

Example 1:

Input: matrix = [[0,0,0],[1,0,1],[0,1,1],[0,0,1]], numSelect = 2

Output: 3

****Explanation:****

One possible way to cover 3 rows is shown in the diagram above. We choose $s = \{0, 2\}$.
Row 0 is covered because it has no occurrences of 1. |- Row 1 is covered because the columns with value 1, i.e. 0 and 2 are present in s. |- Row 2 is not covered because $\text{matrix}[2][1] == 1$ but 1 is not present in s. |- Row 3 is covered because $\text{matrix}[2][2] == 1$ and 2 is present in s. Thus, we can cover three rows. Note that $s = \{1, 2\}$ will also cover 3 rows, but it can be shown that no more than three rows can be covered.

****Example 2:****

****Input:**** matrix = [[1],[0]], numSelect = 1

****Output:**** 2

****Explanation:****

Selecting the only column will result in both rows being covered since the entire matrix is selected.

****Constraints:****

`* `m == matrix.length` * `n == matrix[i].length` * `1 <= m, n <= 12` * `matrix[i][j]` is either `0` or `1`. * `1 <= numSelect <= n``

Code Snippets

C++:

```
class Solution {
public:
    int maximumRows(vector<vector<int>>& matrix, int numSelect) {
        ...
    }
};
```

Java:

```
class Solution {  
public int maximumRows(int[][] matrix, int numSelect) {  
}  
}  
}
```

Python3:

```
class Solution:  
def maximumRows(self, matrix: List[List[int]], numSelect: int) -> int:
```