

# Problem 2049: Count Nodes With the Highest Score

## Problem Information

Difficulty: **Medium**

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

## Problem Description

There is a

binary

tree rooted at

0

consisting of

$n$

nodes. The nodes are labeled from

0

to

$n - 1$

. You are given a

0-indexed

integer array

parents

representing the tree, where

parents[i]

is the parent of node

i

. Since node

0

is the root,

parents[0] == -1

.

Each node has a

score

. To find the score of a node, consider if the node and the edges connected to it were

removed

. The tree would become one or more

non-empty

subtrees. The

size

of a subtree is the number of the nodes in it. The

score

of the node is the

product of the sizes

of all those subtrees.

Return

the

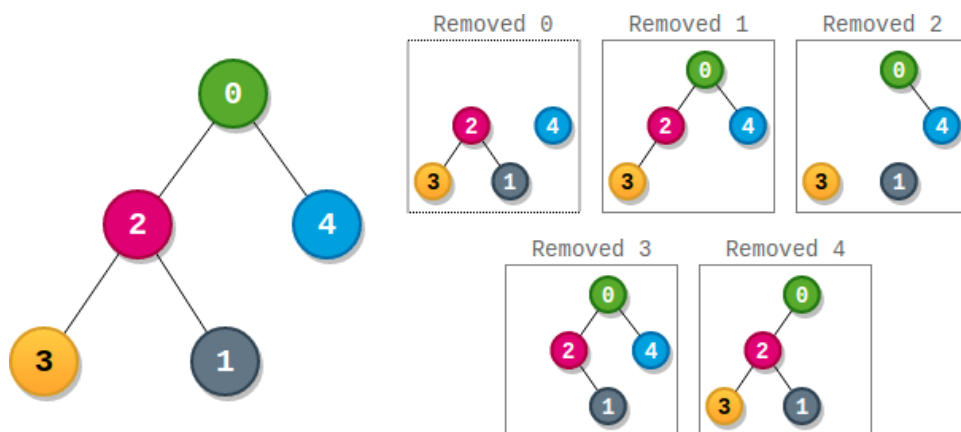
number

of nodes that have the

highest score

.

Example 1:



Input:

parents = [-1,2,0,2,0]

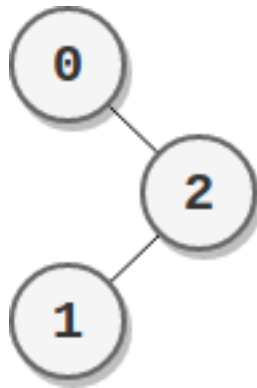
Output:

3

Explanation:

- The score of node 0 is:  $3 * 1 = 3$  - The score of node 1 is:  $4 = 4$  - The score of node 2 is:  $1 * 1 * 2 = 2$  - The score of node 3 is:  $4 = 4$  - The score of node 4 is:  $4 = 4$  The highest score is 4, and three nodes (node 1, node 3, and node 4) have the highest score.

Example 2:



Input:

parents = [-1,2,0]

Output:

2

Explanation:

- The score of node 0 is:  $2 = 2$  - The score of node 1 is:  $2 = 2$  - The score of node 2 is:  $1 * 1 = 1$  The highest score is 2, and two nodes (node 0 and node 1) have the highest score.

Constraints:

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

$2 \leq n \leq 10$

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$\text{parents}[0] == -1$

$0 \leq \text{parents}[i] \leq n - 1$

for

$i \neq 0$

parents

represents a valid binary tree.

## Code Snippets

### C++:

```
class Solution {  
public:  
    int countHighestScoreNodes(vector<int>& parents) {  
  
    }  
};
```

### Java:

```
class Solution {  
    public int countHighestScoreNodes(int[] parents) {  
  
    }  
}
```

### Python3:

```
class Solution:  
    def countHighestScoreNodes(self, parents: List[int]) -> int:
```

### Python:

```
class Solution(object):  
    def countHighestScoreNodes(self, parents):  
        """  
        :type parents: List[int]
```

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

### JavaScript:

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

};
```

### TypeScript:

```
function countHighestScoreNodes(parents: number[]): number {

};
```

### C#:

```
public class Solution {
    public int CountHighestScoreNodes(int[] parents) {

    }
}
```

### C:

```
int countHighestScoreNodes(int* parents, int parentsSize) {

}
```

### Go:

```
func countHighestScoreNodes(parents []int) int {

}
```

### Kotlin:

```

class Solution {
    fun countHighestScoreNodes(parents: IntArray): Int {

    }
}

```

### Swift:

```

class Solution {
    func countHighestScoreNodes(_ parents: [Int]) -> Int {

    }
}

```

### Rust:

```

impl Solution {
    pub fn count_highest_score_nodes(parents: Vec<i32>) -> i32 {

    }
}

```

### Ruby:

```

# @param {Integer[]} parents
# @return {Integer}
def count_highest_score_nodes(parents)

end

```

### PHP:

```

class Solution {

    /**
     * @param Integer[] $parents
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    function countHighestScoreNodes($parents) {

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### Dart:

```
class Solution {  
  int countHighestScoreNodes(List<int> parents) {  
  
  }  
}
```

### Scala:

```
object Solution {  
  def countHighestScoreNodes(parents: Array[Int]): Int = {  
  
  }  
}
```

### Elixir:

```
defmodule Solution do  
  @spec count_highest_score_nodes(parents :: [integer]) :: integer  
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### Erlang:

```
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### Racket:

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(define/contract (count-highest-score-nodes parents)  
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## Solutions

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        # TODO: Implement optimized solution
        pass

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