

# Problem 3267: Count Almost Equal Pairs II

## Problem Information

**Difficulty:** Hard

**Acceptance Rate:** 0.00%

**Paid Only:** No

## Problem Description

Attention

: In this version, the number of operations that can be performed, has been increased to twice

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You are given an array

nums

consisting of positive integers.

We call two integers

x

and

y

almost equal

if both integers can become equal after performing the following operation

at most

twice

:

Choose

either

x

or

y

and swap any two digits within the chosen number.

Return the number of indices

i

and

j

in

nums

where

$i < j$

such that

`nums[i]`

and

nums[j]

are

almost equal

Note

that it is allowed for an integer to have leading zeros after performing an operation.

Example 1:

Input:

nums = [1023, 2310, 2130, 213]

Output:

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Explanation:

The almost equal pairs of elements are:

1023 and 2310. By swapping the digits 1 and 2, and then the digits 0 and 3 in 1023, you get 2310.

1023 and 213. By swapping the digits 1 and 0, and then the digits 1 and 2 in 1023, you get 0213, which is 213.

2310 and 213. By swapping the digits 2 and 0, and then the digits 3 and 2 in 2310, you get 0213, which is 213.

2310 and 2130. By swapping the digits 3 and 1 in 2310, you get 2130.

Example 2:

Input:

nums = [1,10,100]

Output:

3

Explanation:

The almost equal pairs of elements are:

1 and 10. By swapping the digits 1 and 0 in 10, you get 01 which is 1.

1 and 100. By swapping the second 0 with the digit 1 in 100, you get 001, which is 1.

10 and 100. By swapping the first 0 with the digit 1 in 100, you get 010, which is 10.

Constraints:

$2 \leq \text{nums.length} \leq 5000$

$1 \leq \text{nums}[i] < 10$

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## Code Snippets

C++:

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

Java:

```
class Solution {  
    public int countPairs(int[] nums) {  
  
    }  
}
```

### Python3:

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

### Python:

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

### JavaScript:

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

### TypeScript:

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

### C#:

```
public class Solution {  
    public int CountPairs(int[] nums) {  
  
    }  
}
```

**C:**

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

**Go:**

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

**Kotlin:**

```
class Solution {  
    fun countPairs(nums: IntArray): Int {  
        }  
        }  
}
```

**Swift:**

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

**Rust:**

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

**Ruby:**

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

**PHP:**

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

**Dart:**

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

**Scala:**

```
object Solution {  
    def countPairs(nums: Array[Int]): Int = {  
  
    }  
}
```

**Elixir:**

```
defmodule Solution do  
  @spec count_pairs(list :: [integer]) :: integer  
  def count_pairs(nums) do  
  
  end  
end
```

**Erlang:**

```
-spec count_pairs(list :: [integer()]) -> integer().  
count_pairs(Nums) ->  
.
```

### Racket:

```
(define/contract (count-pairs nums)
  (-> (listof exact-integer?) exact-integer?))
```

## Solutions

### C++ Solution:

```
/*
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 * Difficulty: Hard
 * Tags: array, hash, sort
 *
 * Approach: Use two pointers or sliding window technique
 * Time Complexity: O(n) or O(n log n)
 * Space Complexity: O(n) for hash map
 */

class Solution {
public:
    int countPairs(vector<int>& nums) {

    }
};
```

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class Solution {
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```

```
}
```

```
}
```

### Python3 Solution:

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class Solution:

def countPairs(self, nums: List[int]) -> int:
# TODO: Implement optimized solution
pass
```

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