

Problem 2547: Minimum Cost to Split an Array

Problem Information

Difficulty: **Hard**

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

Problem Description

You are given an integer array

`nums`

and an integer

`k`

.

Split the array into some number of non-empty subarrays. The

cost

of a split is the sum of the

importance value

of each subarray in the split.

Let

`trimmed(subarray)`

be the version of the subarray where all numbers which appear only once are removed.

For example,

$\text{trimmed}([3,1,2,4,3,4]) = [3,4,3,4]$.

The

importance value

of a subarray is

$k + \text{trimmed}(\text{subarray}).\text{length}$

.

For example, if a subarray is

$[1,2,3,3,3,4,4]$

, then

$\text{trimmed}([1,2,3,3,3,4,4]) = [3,3,3,4,4]$.

The importance value of this subarray will be

$k + 5$

.

Return

the minimum possible cost of a split of

nums

.

A

subarray

is a contiguous

non-empty

sequence of elements within an array.

Example 1:

Input:

nums = [1,2,1,2,1,3,3], k = 2

Output:

8

Explanation:

We split nums to have two subarrays: [1,2], [1,2,1,3,3]. The importance value of [1,2] is $2 + (0) = 2$. The importance value of [1,2,1,3,3] is $2 + (2 + 2) = 6$. The cost of the split is $2 + 6 = 8$. It can be shown that this is the minimum possible cost among all the possible splits.

Example 2:

Input:

nums = [1,2,1,2,1], k = 2

Output:

6

Explanation:

We split nums to have two subarrays: [1,2], [1,2,1]. The importance value of [1,2] is $2 + (0) = 2$. The importance value of [1,2,1] is $2 + (2) = 4$. The cost of the split is $2 + 4 = 6$. It can be shown that this is the minimum possible cost among all the possible splits.

Example 3:

Input:

nums = [1,2,1,2,1], k = 5

Output:

10

Explanation:

We split nums to have one subarray: [1,2,1,2,1]. The importance value of [1,2,1,2,1] is $5 + (3 + 2) = 10$. The cost of the split is 10. It can be shown that this is the minimum possible cost among all the possible splits.

Constraints:

$1 \leq \text{nums.length} \leq 1000$

$0 \leq \text{nums}[i] < \text{nums.length}$

$1 \leq k \leq 10$

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Code Snippets

C++:

```
class Solution {
public:
    int minCost(vector<int>& nums, int k) {

    }
};
```

Java:

```

class Solution {
public int minCost(int[] nums, int k) {

}

}

```

Python3:

```

class Solution:
def minCost(self, nums: List[int], k: int) -> int:

```

Python:

```

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

```

JavaScript:

```

/**
 * @param {number[]} nums
 * @param {number} k
 * @return {number}
 */
var minCost = function(nums, k) {

};

```

TypeScript:

```

function minCost(nums: number[], k: number): number {

};

```

C#:

```

public class Solution {
public int MinCost(int[] nums, int k) {

```

```
}  
}
```

C:

```
int minCost(int* nums, int numsSize, int k) {  
  
}
```

Go:

```
func minCost(nums []int, k int) int {  
  
}
```

Kotlin:

```
class Solution {  
    fun minCost(nums: IntArray, k: Int): Int {  
  
    }  
}
```

Swift:

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

Rust:

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

Ruby:

```

# @param {Integer[]} nums
# @param {Integer} k
# @return {Integer}
def min_cost(nums, k)

end

```

PHP:

```

class Solution {

    /**
     * @param Integer[] $nums
     * @param Integer $k
     * @return Integer
     */
    function minCost($nums, $k) {

    }

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Dart:

```

class Solution {
  int minCost(List<int> nums, int k) {

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}

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Scala:

```

object Solution {
  def minCost(nums: Array[Int], k: Int): Int = {

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Elixir:

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defmodule Solution do
  @spec min_cost(nums :: [integer], k :: integer) :: integer
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end
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Erlang:

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-spec min_cost(Nums :: [integer()], K :: integer()) -> integer().
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Racket:

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(define/contract (min-cost nums k)
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Solutions

C++ Solution:

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 * Difficulty: Hard
 * Tags: array, dp, hash
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 * Approach: Use two pointers or sliding window technique
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class Solution {
public:
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Java Solution:

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

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