

Problem 3084: Count Substrings Starting and Ending with Given Character

Problem Information

Difficulty: **Medium**

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

Problem Description

You are given a string

`s`

and a character

`c`

. Return

the total number of

substrings

of

`s`

that start and end with

`c`

.

Example 1:

Input:

s = "abada", c = "a"

Output:

6

Explanation:

Substrings starting and ending with

"a"

are:

"

a

bada"

,

"

aba

da"

,

"

abada

"

,

"ab

a

da"

,

"ab

ada

"

,

"abad

a

"

.

Example 2:

Input:

s = "zzz", c = "z"

Output:

6

Explanation:

There are a total of

6

substrings in

s

and all start and end with

"z"

.

Constraints:

$1 \leq s.length \leq 10$

5

s

and

c

consist only of lowercase English letters.

Code Snippets

C++:

```
class Solution {  
public:  
    long long countSubstrings(string s, char c) {  
  
    }  
};
```

Java:

```

class Solution {
public long countSubstrings(String s, char c) {

}

}

```

Python3:

```

class Solution:
def countSubstrings(self, s: str, c: str) -> int:

```

Python:

```

class Solution(object):
def countSubstrings(self, s, c):
"""
:type s: str
:type c: str
:rtype: int
"""

```

JavaScript:

```

/**
 * @param {string} s
 * @param {character} c
 * @return {number}
 */
var countSubstrings = function(s, c) {

};

```

TypeScript:

```

function countSubstrings(s: string, c: string): number {

};

```

C#:

```

public class Solution {
public long CountSubstrings(string s, char c) {

```

```
}  
}
```

C:

```
long long countSubstrings(char* s, char c) {  
  
}
```

Go:

```
func countSubstrings(s string, c byte) int64 {  
  
}
```

Kotlin:

```
class Solution {  
    fun countSubstrings(s: String, c: Char): Long {  
  
    }  
}
```

Swift:

```
class Solution {  
    func countSubstrings(_ s: String, _ c: Character) -> Int {  
  
    }  
}
```

Rust:

```
impl Solution {  
    pub fn count_substrings(s: String, c: char) -> i64 {  
  
    }  
}
```

Ruby:

```

# @param {String} s
# @param {Character} c
# @return {Integer}
def count_substrings(s, c)

end

```

PHP:

```

class Solution {

    /**
     * @param String $s
     * @param String $c
     * @return Integer
     */
    function countSubstrings($s, $c) {

    }

}

```

Dart:

```

class Solution {
  int countSubstrings(String s, String c) {

  }

}

```

Scala:

```

object Solution {
  def countSubstrings(s: String, c: Char): Long = {

  }

}

```

Elixir:

```

defmodule Solution do
  @spec count_substrings(s :: String.t, c :: char) :: integer
  def count_substrings(s, c) do

```

```
end  
end
```

Erlang:

```
-spec count_substrings(S :: unicode:unicode_binary(), C :: char()) ->  
integer().  
count_substrings(S, C) ->  
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```

Racket:

```
(define/contract (count-substrings s c)  
  (-> string? char? exact-integer?)  
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Solutions

C++ Solution:

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 * Tags: string, tree, math  
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 * Approach: String manipulation with hash map or two pointers  
 * Time Complexity: O(n) or O(n log n)  
 * Space Complexity: O(h) for recursion stack where h is height  
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class Solution {  
public:  
    long long countSubstrings(string s, char c) {  
  
    }  
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```

Java Solution:


```

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```

Python3 Solution:

```

"""
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def countSubstrings(self, s: str, c: str) -> int:
# TODO: Implement optimized solution
pass

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