

# Problem 2768: Number of Black Blocks

## Problem Information

**Difficulty:** Medium

**Acceptance Rate:** 0.00%

**Paid Only:** No

## Problem Description

You are given two integers

$m$

and

$n$

representing the dimensions of a

0-indexed

$m \times n$

grid.

You are also given a

0-indexed

2D integer matrix

coordinates

, where

`coordinates[i] = [x, y]`

indicates that the cell with coordinates

`[x, y]`

is colored

black

. All cells in the grid that do not appear in

coordinates

are

white

.

A block is defined as a

$2 \times 2$

submatrix of the grid. More formally, a block with cell

`[x, y]`

as its top-left corner where

$0 \leq x < m - 1$

and

$0 \leq y < n - 1$

contains the coordinates

`[x, y]`

,

[ $x + 1$ ,  $y$ ]

,

[ $x$ ,  $y + 1$ ]

, and

[ $x + 1$ ,  $y + 1$ ]

.

Return

a

0-indexed

integer array

arr

of size

5

such that

arr[i]

is the number of blocks that contains exactly

i

black

cells

Example 1:

Input:

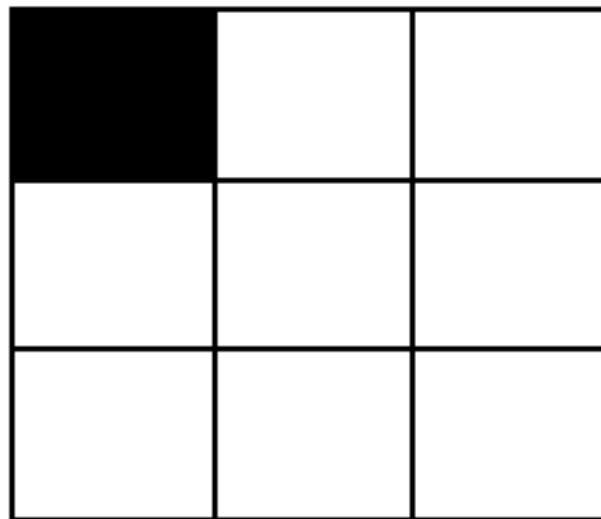
$m = 3, n = 3$ , coordinates =  $[[0,0]]$

Output:

[3,1,0,0,0]

Explanation:

The grid looks like this:



There is only 1 block with one black cell, and it is the block starting with cell [0,0]. The other 3 blocks start with cells [0,1], [1,0] and [1,1]. They all have zero black cells. Thus, we return [3,1,0,0,0].

Example 2:

Input:

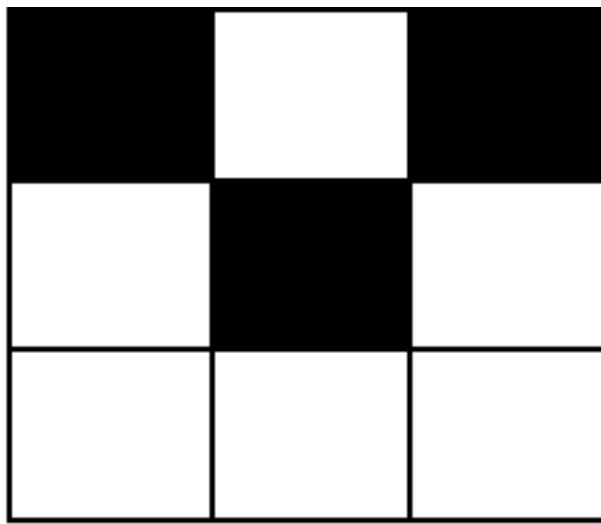
$m = 3, n = 3$ , coordinates =  $[[0,0],[1,1],[0,2]]$

Output:

[0,2,2,0,0]

Explanation:

The grid looks like this:



There are 2 blocks with two black cells (the ones starting with cell coordinates [0,0] and [0,1]). The other 2 blocks have starting cell coordinates of [1,0] and [1,1]. They both have 1 black cell. Therefore, we return [0,2,2,0,0].

Constraints:

$2 \leq m \leq 10$

5

$2 \leq n \leq 10$

5

$0 \leq \text{coordinates.length} \leq 10$

4

$\text{coordinates}[i].length == 2$

```
0 <= coordinates[i][0] < m
```

```
0 <= coordinates[i][1] < n
```

It is guaranteed that

coordinates

contains pairwise distinct coordinates.

## Code Snippets

### C++:

```
class Solution {  
public:  
    vector<long long> countBlackBlocks(int m, int n, vector<vector<int>>&  
coordinates) {  
  
    }  
};
```

### Java:

```
class Solution {  
public long[] countBlackBlocks(int m, int n, int[][] coordinates) {  
  
}  
}
```

### Python3:

```
class Solution:  
    def countBlackBlocks(self, m: int, n: int, coordinates: List[List[int]]) ->  
        List[int]:
```

### Python:

```
class Solution(object):  
    def countBlackBlocks(self, m, n, coordinates):
```

```
"""
:type m: int
:type n: int
:type coordinates: List[List[int]]
:rtype: List[int]
"""
```

### JavaScript:

```
/**
 * @param {number} m
 * @param {number} n
 * @param {number[][]} coordinates
 * @return {number[]}
 */
var countBlackBlocks = function(m, n, coordinates) {

};
```

### TypeScript:

```
function countBlackBlocks(m: number, n: number, coordinates: number[][]): number[] {
}
```

### C#:

```
public class Solution {
    public long[] CountBlackBlocks(int m, int n, int[][] coordinates) {
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```

### C:

```
/**
 * Note: The returned array must be malloced, assume caller calls free().
 */
long long* countBlackBlocks(int m, int n, int** coordinates, int
coordinatesSize, int* coordinatesColSize, int* returnSize) {
```

```
}
```

### Go:

```
func countBlackBlocks(m int, n int, coordinates [][]int) []int64 {  
    }  
}
```

### Kotlin:

```
class Solution {  
    fun countBlackBlocks(m: Int, n: Int, coordinates: Array<IntArray>): LongArray  
    {  
        }  
    }
```

### Swift:

```
class Solution {  
    func countBlackBlocks(_ m: Int, _ n: Int, _ coordinates: [[Int]]) -> [Int] {  
        }  
    }
```

### Rust:

```
impl Solution {  
    pub fn count_black_blocks(m: i32, n: i32, coordinates: Vec<Vec<i32>>) ->  
    Vec<i64> {  
        }  
    }
```

### Ruby:

```
# @param {Integer} m  
# @param {Integer} n  
# @param {Integer[][]} coordinates  
# @return {Integer[]}  
def count_black_blocks(m, n, coordinates)
```

```
end
```

### PHP:

```
class Solution {

    /**
     * @param Integer $m
     * @param Integer $n
     * @param Integer[][] $coordinates
     * @return Integer[]
     */
    function countBlackBlocks($m, $n, $coordinates) {

    }
}
```

### Dart:

```
class Solution {
List<int> countBlackBlocks(int m, int n, List<List<int>> coordinates) {
}
```

### Scala:

```
object Solution {
def countBlackBlocks(m: Int, n: Int, coordinates: Array[Array[Int]]):
  Array[Long] = {
}
```

### Elixir:

```
defmodule Solution do
@spec count_black_blocks(m :: integer, n :: integer, coordinates :: [[integer]]) :: [integer]
def count_black_blocks(m, n, coordinates) do
  end
```

```
end
```

### Erlang:

```
-spec count_black_blocks(M :: integer(), N :: integer(), Coordinates :: [[integer()]]) -> [integer()].  
count_black_blocks(M, N, Coordinates) ->  
.
```

### Racket:

```
(define/contract (count-black-blocks m n coordinates)  
  (-> exact-integer? exact-integer? (listof (listof exact-integer?)) (listof  
    exact-integer?)))  
)
```

## Solutions

### C++ Solution:

```
/*  
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 * Difficulty: Medium  
 * Tags: array, hash  
 *  
 * 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:  
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}  
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class Solution {
    public long[] countBlackBlocks(int m, int n, int[][] coordinates) {
        ...
    }
}

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### Python3 Solution:

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class Solution:
    def countBlackBlocks(self, m: int, n: int, coordinates: List[List[int]]) ->
        List[int]:
        # TODO: Implement optimized solution
        pass

```

### Python Solution:

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class Solution(object):
    def countBlackBlocks(self, m, n, coordinates):
        """
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        :type coordinates: List[List[int]]

```

```
:rtype: List[int]
"""

```

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```

class Solution {
    fun countBlackBlocks(m: Int, n: Int, coordinates: Array<IntArray>): LongArray {
        return IntArray(0)
    }
}

```

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