

Problem 1916: Count Ways to Build Rooms in an Ant Colony

Problem Information

Difficulty: Hard

Acceptance Rate: 49.63%

Paid Only: No

Tags: Math, Dynamic Programming, Tree, Graph, Topological Sort, Combinatorics

Problem Description

You are an ant tasked with adding n new rooms numbered 0 to $n-1$ to your colony. You are given the expansion plan as a **0-indexed** integer array of length n , `prevRoom`, where `prevRoom[i]` indicates that you must build room `prevRoom[i]` before building room `i`, and these two rooms must be connected **directly**. Room 0 is already built, so `prevRoom[0] = -1`. The expansion plan is given such that once all the rooms are built, every room will be reachable from room 0 .

You can only build **one room** at a time, and you can travel freely between rooms you have **already built** only if they are **connected**. You can choose to build **any room** as long as its **previous room** is already built.

Return the number of different orders you can build all the rooms in. Since the answer may be large, return it **modulo** $10^9 + 7$.

Example 1:



Input: `prevRoom = [-1,0,1]` **Output:** `1` **Explanation:** There is only one way to build the additional rooms: $0 \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow 2$

Example 2:



****Input:**** prevRoom = [-1,0,0,1,2] ****Output:**** 6 ****Explanation:**** The 6 ways are: 0 -> 1 -> 3 -> 2 -> 4 0 -> 2 -> 4 -> 1 -> 3 0 -> 1 -> 2 -> 3 -> 4 0 -> 1 -> 2 -> 4 -> 3 0 -> 2 -> 1 -> 3 -> 4 0 -> 2 -> 1 -> 4 -> 3

****Constraints:****

* `n == prevRoom.length` * `2 <= n <= 105` * `prevRoom[0] == -1` * `0 <= prevRoom[i] < n` for all `1 <= i < n` * Every room is reachable from room `0` once all the rooms are built.

Code Snippets

C++:

```
class Solution {
public:
    int waysToBuildRooms(vector<int>& prevRoom) {

    }
};
```

Java:

```
class Solution {
    public int waysToBuildRooms(int[] prevRoom) {

    }
}
```

Python3:

```
class Solution:
    def waysToBuildRooms(self, prevRoom: List[int]) -> int:
```