

Problem 2188: Minimum Time to Finish the Race

Problem Information

Difficulty: Hard

Acceptance Rate: 42.84%

Paid Only: No

Tags: Array, Dynamic Programming

Problem Description

You are given a **0-indexed** 2D integer array `tires` where `tires[i] = [fi, ri]` indicates that the `i`th tire can finish its `x`th successive lap in `fi * ri(x-1)` seconds.

* For example, if `fi = 3` and `ri = 2`, then the tire would finish its 1st lap in 3 seconds, its 2nd lap in $3 * 2 = 6$ seconds, its 3rd lap in $3 * 2^2 = 12$ seconds, etc.

You are also given an integer `changeTime` and an integer `numLaps`.

The race consists of `numLaps` laps and you may start the race with **any** tire. You have an **unlimited** supply of each tire and after every lap, you may **change** to any given tire (including the current tire type) if you wait `changeTime` seconds.

Return the minimum time to finish the race.

Example 1:

Input: `tires = [[2,3],[3,4]]`, `changeTime = 5`, `numLaps = 4` **Output:** 21 **Explanation:**

Lap 1: Start with tire 0 and finish the lap in 2 seconds. Lap 2: Continue with tire 0 and finish the lap in $2 * 3 = 6$ seconds. Lap 3: Change tires to a new tire 1 for 5 seconds and then finish the lap in another 3 seconds. Lap 4: Continue with tire 1 and finish the lap in $3 * 3 = 9$ seconds. Total time = $2 + 6 + 5 + 9 = 22$ seconds. The minimum time to complete the race is 21 seconds.

Example 2:

****Input:**** tires = [[1,10],[2,2],[3,4]], changeTime = 6, numLaps = 5 ****Output:**** 25

****Explanation:**** Lap 1: Start with tire 1 and finish the lap in 2 seconds. Lap 2: Continue with tire 1 and finish the lap in $2 * 2 = 4$ seconds. Lap 3: Change tires to a new tire 1 for 6 seconds and then finish the lap in another 2 seconds. Lap 4: Continue with tire 1 and finish the lap in $2 * 2 = 4$ seconds. Lap 5: Change tires to tire 0 for 6 seconds then finish the lap in another 1 second. Total time = $2 + 4 + 6 + 2 + 4 + 6 + 1 = 25$ seconds. The minimum time to complete the race is 25 seconds.

****Constraints:****

$1 \leq \text{tires.length} \leq 105$ $\text{tires}[i].\text{length} == 2$ $1 \leq \text{changeTime} \leq 105$ $2 \leq \text{ri} \leq 105$ $1 \leq \text{numLaps} \leq 1000$

Code Snippets

C++:

```
class Solution {
public:
    int minimumFinishTime(vector<vector<int>>& tires, int changeTime, int numLaps) {

    }
};
```

Java:

```
class Solution {
    public int minimumFinishTime(int[][] tires, int changeTime, int numLaps) {

    }
}
```

Python3:

```
class Solution:
    def minimumFinishTime(self, tires: List[List[int]], changeTime: int, numLaps: int) -> int:
```