

Problem 3690: Split and Merge Array Transformation

Problem Information

Difficulty: **Medium**

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

Problem Description

You are given two integer arrays

`nums1`

and

`nums2`

, each of length

`n`

. You may perform the following

split-and-merge operation

on

`nums1`

any number of times:

Choose a subarray

`nums1[L..R]`

.

Remove that subarray, leaving the prefix

`nums1[0..L-1]`

(empty if

$L = 0$

) and the suffix

`nums1[R+1..n-1]`

(empty if

$R = n - 1$

).

Re-insert the removed subarray (in its original order) at

any

position in the remaining array (i.e., between any two elements, at the very start, or at the very end).

Return the

minimum

number of

split-and-merge operations

needed to transform

`nums1`

into

nums2

.

Example 1:

Input:

nums1 = [3,1,2], nums2 = [1,2,3]

Output:

1

Explanation:

Split out the subarray

[3]

(

L = 0

,

R = 0

); the remaining array is

[1,2]

.

Insert

[3]

at the end; the array becomes

[1,2,3]

.

Example 2:

Input:

nums1 =

[1,1,2,3,4,5]

, nums2 =

[5,4,3,2,1,1]

Output:

3

Explanation:

Remove

[1,1,2]

at indices

0 - 2

; remaining is

[3,4,5]

; insert

[1,1,2]

at position

2

, resulting in

[3,4,1,1,2,5]

.

Remove

[4,1,1]

at indices

1 - 3

; remaining is

[3,2,5]

; insert

[4,1,1]

at position

3

, resulting in

[3,2,5,4,1,1]

.

Remove

[3,2]

at indices

0 - 1

; remaining is

[5,4,1,1]

; insert

[3,2]

at position

2

, resulting in

[5,4,3,2,1,1]

.

Constraints:

$2 \leq n == \text{nums1.length} == \text{nums2.length} \leq 6$

-10

5

$\leq \text{nums1}[i], \text{nums2}[i] \leq 10$

5

nums2

is a

permutation

of

nums1

.

Code Snippets

C++:

```
class Solution {  
public:  
    int minSplitMerge(vector<int>& nums1, vector<int>& nums2) {  
  
    }  
};
```

Java:

```
class Solution {  
    public int minSplitMerge(int[] nums1, int[] nums2) {  
  
    }  
}
```

Python3:

```
class Solution:  
    def minSplitMerge(self, nums1: List[int], nums2: List[int]) -> int:
```

Python:

```
class Solution(object):  
    def minSplitMerge(self, nums1, nums2):  
        """  
        :type nums1: List[int]
```

```

:type nums2: List[int]
:rtype: int
"""

```

JavaScript:

```

/**
 * @param {number[]} nums1
 * @param {number[]} nums2
 * @return {number}
 */
var minSplitMerge = function(nums1, nums2) {

};

```

TypeScript:

```

function minSplitMerge(nums1: number[], nums2: number[]): number {

};

```

C#:

```

public class Solution {
    public int MinSplitMerge(int[] nums1, int[] nums2) {

    }
}

```

C:

```

int minSplitMerge(int* nums1, int nums1Size, int* nums2, int nums2Size) {

}

```

Go:

```

func minSplitMerge(nums1 []int, nums2 []int) int {

}

```

Kotlin:


```

class Solution {
    fun minSplitMerge(nums1: IntArray, nums2: IntArray): Int {

    }
}

```

Swift:

```

class Solution {
    func minSplitMerge(_ nums1: [Int], _ nums2: [Int]) -> Int {

    }
}

```

Rust:

```

impl Solution {
    pub fn min_split_merge(nums1: Vec<i32>, nums2: Vec<i32>) -> i32 {

    }
}

```

Ruby:

```

# @param {Integer[]} nums1
# @param {Integer[]} nums2
# @return {Integer}
def min_split_merge(nums1, nums2)

end

```

PHP:

```

class Solution {

    /**
     * @param Integer[] $nums1
     * @param Integer[] $nums2
     * @return Integer
     */
    function minSplitMerge($nums1, $nums2) {

    }
}

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Dart:

```
class Solution {  
  int minSplitMerge(List<int> nums1, List<int> nums2) {  
  
  }  
}
```

Scala:

```
object Solution {  
  def minSplitMerge(nums1: Array[Int], nums2: Array[Int]): Int = {  
  
  }  
}
```

Elixir:

```
defmodule Solution do  
  @spec min_split_merge(nums1 :: [integer], nums2 :: [integer]) :: integer  
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Erlang:

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.
```

Racket:

```
(define/contract (min-split-merge nums1 nums2)  
  (-> (listof exact-integer?) (listof exact-integer?) exact-integer?)  
  )
```

Solutions

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 * Tags: array, hash, search
 *
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```
# TODO: Implement optimized solution
```

```
pass
```

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