

Problem 2975: Maximum Square Area by Removing Fences From a Field

Problem Information

Difficulty: **Medium**

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

Problem Description

There is a large

$(m - 1) \times (n - 1)$

rectangular field with corners at

$(1, 1)$

and

(m, n)

containing some horizontal and vertical fences given in arrays

`hFences`

and

`vFences`

respectively.

Horizontal fences are from the coordinates

$(hFences[i], 1)$

to

(hFences[i], n)

and vertical fences are from the coordinates

(1, vFences[i])

to

(m, vFences[i])

.

Return

the

maximum

area of a

square

field that can be formed by

removing

some fences (

possibly none

) or

-1

if it is impossible to make a square field

.

Since the answer may be large, return it

modulo

10

9

+ 7

.

Note:

The field is surrounded by two horizontal fences from the coordinates

(1, 1)

to

(1, n)

and

(m, 1)

to

(m, n)

and two vertical fences from the coordinates

(1, 1)

to

(m, 1)

and

$(1, n)$

to

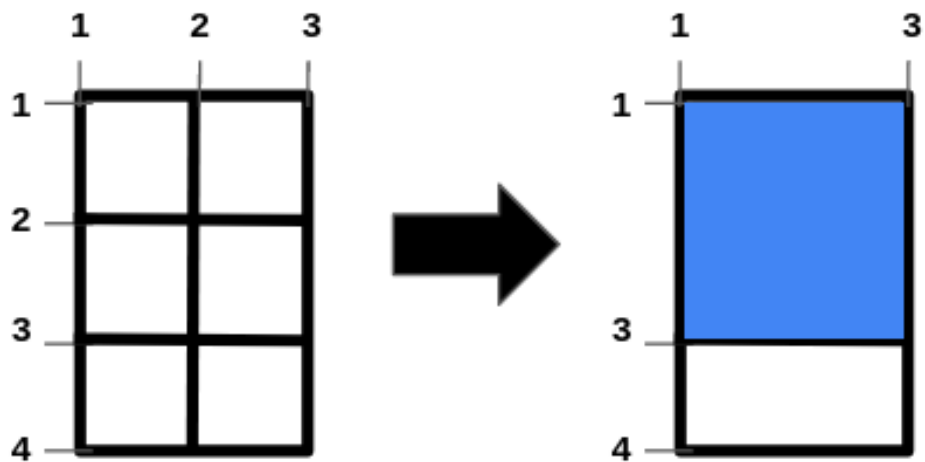
(m, n)

. These fences

cannot

be removed.

Example 1:



Input:

$m = 4, n = 3, \text{hFences} = [2,3], \text{vFences} = [2]$

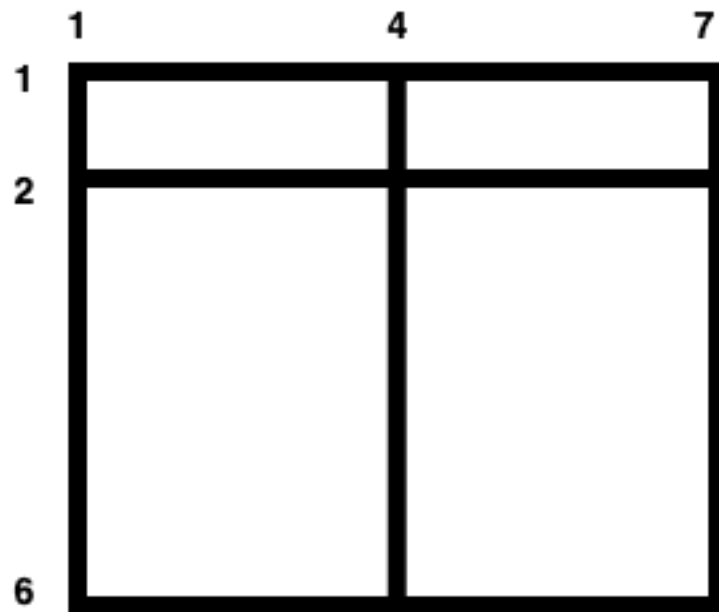
Output:

4

Explanation:

Removing the horizontal fence at 2 and the vertical fence at 2 will give a square field of area 4.

Example 2:



Input:

$m = 6$, $n = 7$, $hFences = [2]$, $vFences = [4]$

Output:

-1

Explanation:

It can be proved that there is no way to create a square field by removing fences.

Constraints:

$3 \leq m$, $n \leq 10$

9

$1 \leq hF$

ences

.length, vFences.length <= 600

$1 < hFences[i] < m$

$1 < vFences[i] < n$

hFences

and

vFences

are unique.

Code Snippets

C++:

```
class Solution {
public:
    int maximizeSquareArea(int m, int n, vector<int>& hFences, vector<int>&
vFences) {

    }
};
```

Java:

```
class Solution {
    public int maximizeSquareArea(int m, int n, int[] hFences, int[] vFences) {

    }
}
```

Python3:

```
class Solution:
    def maximizeSquareArea(self, m: int, n: int, hFences: List[int], vFences:
List[int]) -> int:
```

Python:

```
class Solution(object):
    def maximizeSquareArea(self, m, n, hFences, vFences):
        """
        :type m: int
        :type n: int
        :type hFences: List[int]
        :type vFences: List[int]
        :rtype: int
        """
```

JavaScript:

```
/**
 * @param {number} m
 * @param {number} n
 * @param {number[]} hFences
 * @param {number[]} vFences
 * @return {number}
 */
var maximizeSquareArea = function(m, n, hFences, vFences) {

};
```

TypeScript:

```
function maximizeSquareArea(m: number, n: number, hFences: number[], vFences:
number[]): number {

};
```

C#:

```
public class Solution {
    public int MaximizeSquareArea(int m, int n, int[] hFences, int[] vFences) {

    }
}
```

C:

```
int maximizeSquareArea(int m, int n, int* hFences, int hFencesSize, int*
vFences, int vFencesSize) {

}
```

Go:

```
func maximizeSquareArea(m int, n int, hFences []int, vFences []int) int {

}
```

Kotlin:

```
class Solution {
fun maximizeSquareArea(m: Int, n: Int, hFences: IntArray, vFences: IntArray):
Int {

}
}
```

Swift:

```
class Solution {
func maximizeSquareArea(_ m: Int, _ n: Int, _ hFences: [Int], _ vFences:
[Int]) -> Int {

}
}
```

Rust:

```
impl Solution {
pub fn maximize_square_area(m: i32, n: i32, h_fences: Vec<i32>, v_fences:
Vec<i32>) -> i32 {

}
}
```

Ruby:


```

# @param {Integer} m
# @param {Integer} n
# @param {Integer[]} h_fences
# @param {Integer[]} v_fences
# @return {Integer}
def maximize_square_area(m, n, h_fences, v_fences)

end

```

PHP:

```

class Solution {

    /**
     * @param Integer $m
     * @param Integer $n
     * @param Integer[] $hFences
     * @param Integer[] $vFences
     * @return Integer
     */
    function maximizeSquareArea($m, $n, $hFences, $vFences) {

    }

}

```

Dart:

```

class Solution {
  int maximizeSquareArea(int m, int n, List<int> hFences, List<int> vFences) {

  }

}

```

Scala:

```

object Solution {
  def maximizeSquareArea(m: Int, n: Int, hFences: Array[Int], vFences:
    Array[Int]): Int = {

  }

}

```

Elixir:

```

defmodule Solution do
  @spec maximize_square_area(m :: integer, n :: integer, h_fences :: [integer],
    v_fences :: [integer]) :: integer
  def maximize_square_area(m, n, h_fences, v_fences) do

  end
end

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Erlang:

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-spec maximize_square_area(M :: integer(), N :: integer(), HFences ::
  [integer()], VFences :: [integer()]) -> integer().
maximize_square_area(M, N, HFences, VFences) ->
.

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Racket:

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(define/contract (maximize-square-area m n hFences vFences)
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Solutions

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 * Tags: array, hash
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 * Approach: Use two pointers or sliding window technique
 * Time Complexity: O(n) or O(n log n)
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class Solution:  
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    # TODO: Implement optimized solution  
    pass
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