

Problem 1462: Course Schedule IV

Problem Information

Difficulty: Medium

Acceptance Rate: 59.65%

Paid Only: No

Tags: Depth-First Search, Breadth-First Search, Graph, Topological Sort

Problem Description

There are a total of `numCourses` courses you have to take, labeled from `0` to `numCourses - 1`. You are given an array `prerequisites` where `prerequisites[i] = [ai, bi]` indicates that you **must** take course `ai` first if you want to take course `bi`.

* For example, the pair `[0, 1]` indicates that you have to take course `0` before you can take course `1`.

Prerequisites can also be **indirect**. If course `a` is a prerequisite of course `b`, and course `b` is a prerequisite of course `c`, then course `a` is a prerequisite of course `c`.

You are also given an array `queries` where `queries[j] = [uj, vj]`. For the `j`th query, you should answer whether course `uj` is a prerequisite of course `vj` or not.

Return `a boolean array answer`, where `answer[j]` is the answer to the `j`th query.

Example 1:



Input: `numCourses = 2, prerequisites = [[1,0]], queries = [[0,1],[1,0]]` **Output:** `[false,true]`

Explanation: The pair `[1, 0]` indicates that you have to take course 1 before you can take course 0. Course 0 is not a prerequisite of course 1, but the opposite is true.

Example 2:

Input: numCourses = 2, prerequisites = [], queries = [[1,0],[0,1]] **Output:** [false,false]
Explanation: There are no prerequisites, and each course is independent.

Example 3:

 (https://assets.leetcode.com/uploads/2021/05/01/courses4-3-graph.jpg)

Input: numCourses = 3, prerequisites = [[1,2],[1,0],[2,0]], queries = [[1,0],[1,2]] **Output:** [true,true]

Constraints:

$2 \leq \text{numCourses} \leq 100$ $0 \leq \text{prerequisites.length} \leq (\text{numCourses} * (\text{numCourses} - 1) / 2)$ $\text{prerequisites}[i].\text{length} == 2$ $0 \leq a_i, b_i \leq \text{numCourses} - 1$ $a_i \neq b_i$ All the pairs $[a_i, b_i]$ are **unique**. The prerequisites graph has no cycles. $1 \leq \text{queries.length} \leq 104$ $0 \leq u_i, v_i \leq \text{numCourses} - 1$ $u_i \neq v_i$

Code Snippets

C++:

```
class Solution {
public:
    vector<bool> checkIfPrerequisite(int numCourses, vector<vector<int>>&
prerequisites, vector<vector<int>>& queries) {

    }
};
```

Java:

```
class Solution {
    public List<Boolean> checkIfPrerequisite(int numCourses, int[][]
prerequisites, int[][] queries) {

    }
}
```

Python3:

```
class Solution:
    def checkIfPrerequisite(self, numCourses: int, prerequisites:
List[List[int]], queries: List[List[int]]) -> List[bool]:
```