

# Knapsack DP notes

## Easy.

1. Dice combinations

$$dp_i = \sum_{j=1}^6 dp_{i-j}$$

2. Knapsack I:

define  $dp_{i,j}$  as the maximum cost considering the first  $i$  elements with remaining  $j$  weight.

$$dp_{i,j} = \max(dp_{i-1, j+w_i} + c_i, dp_{i-1, j})$$

base case:  $dp_{0,w}$

ans:  $\max(dp_{n,j})$   
 $0 \leq j \leq W$

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void absher(){
    ll n, W;
    cin >> n >> W;
    for (ll i = 1; i <= n; i++) cin >> w[i] >> c[i];
    ll ans = 0;
    for (ll i = 0; i <= n; i++) for (ll j = 0; j <= W; j++) dp[i][j] = 0;
    for (ll i = 1; i <= n; i++){
        for (ll j = W; j >= 0; j--){
            if (j+w[i] <= W) dp[i][j] = max(dp[i][j], dp[i-1][j+w[i]]+c[i]);
            dp[i][j] = max(dp[i][j], dp[i-1][j]);
            if (i==n) ans=max(ans, dp[i][j]);
        }
    }
    cout << ans << "\n";
}
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4. Frog I

$$dp_i = \min(dp_{i-1} + |h_i - h_{i-1}|, dp_{i-2} + |h_i - h_{i-2}|)$$

\*Minimizing Coins:

$dp_i$  = min coins needed to form sum  $i$

$$dp_i = \min_{c \in C} (dp_{i-c} + 1)$$

## \* Removing digits

$dp_i \rightarrow$  min number of moves to reach number  $i$   
answer is  $dp_0$

$$dp_i \leftarrow \begin{matrix} dp_{i-d_1} \\ dp_{i-d_2} \\ dp_{i-d_3} \\ \vdots \end{matrix}$$

## \* Grid path 1

$dp_{i,j} \rightarrow$  number of ways to reach cell  $(i,j)$

$$dp_{i,j} = dp_{i-1,j} + dp_{i,j-1} \quad / \text{base case } dp_{0,0} = 1$$

$$\text{ans} = dp_{n-1, m-1}$$

## \* Array description:

$dp_{i,j} \rightarrow$  number of arrays of size  $i$  putting integer  $j$  at index  $i$

$$dp_{i,j} = \sum_{k=1}^j dp_{i-1, j+k} = dp_{i-1, j-1} + dp_{i,j} + dp_{i-1, j+1}$$

The problem is that we need both  $dp_{i-1, j-1}$  &  $dp_{i-1, j+1}$   
so how do we loop on the  $j$  dimension.

