

## Programming Assignment #3 (due 23:59:59 11/11, 2015)

### Combinational Sum

In this assignment, you need to write a C++ program to pick up all possible combinational numbers whose sum equal to the target number from a given series.

#### Input format:

<Target number> <Limit> <Number of candidates>  
<Candidates.....>  
\*Limit: Times of negative numbers can be used at most in a solution

#### Check file format:

Number of solutions = n  
<# Solution 1 > <Solution 1.....>  
<# Solution 2 > <Solution 2.....>  
.....  
<# Solution n > <Solution n.....>

#### Example:

Input	Input
7 0 4	1 1 4
2 3 6 7	-4 -3 -1 5
<b>Check file</b>	<b>Check file</b>
Number of solutions = 2	Number of solutions = 1
3 2 2 3	2 -4 5
1 7	  <b>3 -3 -1 5 =&gt; wrong answer due to exceeding negative numbers</b>

#### Provided files

(1) main.cpp (2) solve.h (3) solve.cpp (4) Testcase

#### main.cpp

It executes the function **find\_solutions. calculate()**, and compares your answer with the correct answer.

Can be changed if necessary.

#### solve.cpp & solve.h

**solve::calculate(int, int, int, vector<int>, vector<vector<int>>&){}** is the function you need to program which takes **target number**, **limit times**, **# candidates**, **candidate array**, and **vector<vector<int>>&** as inputs, and you should store your answer in the **vector<vector<int>>&**.

### **Testcase**

They are exemplary test cases accompanied with their answers, which can be used to verify your answer.

#### **Constraints:**

Input:

1. Target number will be an integer between  **$\pm 10000$** .
2. Limit will be no more than **2**.
3. Candidates will be integers between  **$\pm 1000$**  excluding 0.
4. The number of candidates will be no more than **300**.

Storage format in **vector<vector<int>>**:

1. Store your solutions of a case in a **vector<vector<int>>**.
2. You **do not** need to sort your answer.
3. We will check your answers by checking your **number of solutions** and comparing the **times all candidates appear** in your case and that in the correct answer.

<b>Input</b>
7 0 4
2 3 6 7
<b>Answer</b>
2 2 3
7
<b>Check</b>
Number of solutions = 2
Times all candidates appear
2 2
3 1
6 0
7 1

#### **Language**

C or C++

#### **Platform**

You may develop your software on UNIX/Linux.

Compile: \$ g++ main.cpp -o hw3

Execution: \$ ./hw3 <input file>

**Submission**

Please update the following materials to E3 website by the deadline.

- (1) solve.h
- (2) solve.cpp