

Tricks

1. Memory optimization of bitset solutions.
2. Square root optimization of knapsack/"3k trick": Assume you have n rocks with nonnegative integer weights a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n such that $a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_n = m$. You want to find out if there is a way to choose some rocks such that their total weight is w . Suppose there are three rocks with equal weights a, a, a . Notice that it doesn't make any difference if we replace these three rocks with two rocks with weights $a, 2a$. We can repeat this process of replacing until there are at most two rocks of each weight. The sum of weights is still m , so there can be only \sqrt{m} rocks (see next point).
3. Number of unique elements in a partition: Assume there are n nonnegative integers $a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_n = m$. Then there are only $O(\sqrt{m})$ distinct values.
4. Removing elements from a knapsack:

Adding a new item is classical:

```
1 # we go from large to small so that the already updated dp values won't affect any calculations
2 for (int i = dp.size() - 1; i >= weight; i--) {
3     dp[i] += dp[i - weight];
4 }
```

To undo what we just did, we can simply do everything backwards:

```
1 # this moves the array back to the state as it was before the item was added
2 for (int i = weight; i < dp.size(); i++) {
3     dp[i] -= dp[i - weight];
4 }
```

5. $O(n^2)$ complexity of certain tree DPs:

```
1 function calc_dp (u):
2     for each child v of u:
3         calc_dp(v)
4     for each child v of u:
5         for each child w of u other than v:
6             for i in 0..length(dp[v])-1:
7                 for j in 0..length(dp[w])-1:
8                     # calculate something
9                     # typically based on dp[v][i] and dp[w][j]
10                    # commonly assign to dp[u][i + j]
11
12 calc_dp(root)
```

6. $O(n \times k)$ complexity of certain tree DPs: Suppose instead of the vector being the length of the subtree of u , it is the minimum of k and the length of the subtree of u .

```
1 function calc_dp (u):
2     for each child v of u:
3         calc_dp(v)
```

```

4   dp[u]=[0]
5   for each child v of u:
6       temp=[0,0,...,0]
7       for i in 0..length(dp[u])-1:
8           for j in 0..length(dp[v])-1:
9               if i+j<K:
10                  # calculate something
11                  # typically based on dp[u][i] and dp[v][j]
12                  # commonly assign to temp[i + j]
13            pop elements from temp until length(temp)<=K
14            dp[u]=temp
15
16 calc_dp(root)

```

7. $O(n)$ complexity for some tree DPs: If you merge two subtrees in $O(\min(\text{depth}_1, \text{depth}_2))$, you get exactly $n - \text{treeDepth}$ operations in total. This is because every node is merged exactly once! We can imagine that when states in a are merged into b , they just disappear.

8. How to precompute inverse:

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for (int i = 1; i < N; ++i) {
    inv[i] = (i == 1) ? 1 : mod - 1LL * inv[mod % i] * (mod / i) % mod;
}

```

9. Formula and tips:

1. there are $O(\frac{n}{\log(n)})$ primes up to n .
2. the n th primes is $O(n \times \log(n))$.
3. $a \equiv b \pmod{p} \iff p \mid b - a$
4. $a \equiv b \pmod{m}, a \equiv b \pmod{n} \rightarrow a \equiv b \pmod{[m, n]}$
5. $(k, m) = d, ka_1 \equiv ka_2 \pmod{m} \rightarrow a_1 \equiv a_2 \pmod{\frac{m}{d}}$
6. $k \times C_n^k = n \times C_{n-1}^{k-1}$
7. $C_k^n \times C_m^k = C_m^n \times C_{m-n}^{m-k} \quad (m - k < m - n)$
8. $\sum_0^n C_n^i = 2^n$
9. $\sum_{k=0}^n (-1)^k \times C_n^k = 0$
10. $C_n^k + C_n^{k+1} = C_{n+1}^{k+1}$
11. $\sum_{k=0}^m C_{n+k}^k = C_{n+m+1}^m$

12. Tolerance :

由三圆图可得公式: $S_1 \cup S_2 \cup S_3 = S_1 + S_2 + S_3 - (S_1 \cap S_2 + S_1 \cap S_3 + S_2 \cap S_3) + S_1 \cap S_2 \cap S_3$.

推广可得:

$$\bigcup_{i=1}^m S_i = \sum_{i=1}^m S_i - (S_1 \cap S_2 + S_1 \cap S_3 + \dots + S_{m-1} \cap S_m) + \dots + (-1)^{m-1} \bigcap_{i=1}^m S_i$$

对于集合 S 的每个元素 x , 有 $x, k(1 \leq k \leq n)$,

$$cnt_x = C_k^1 - C_k^2 + C_k^3 + \dots + (-1)^{k-1} C_k^k = 1.$$

可得容斥原理的正确性, 而根据组合数恒等式推广可知:

$$\sum_{k=0}^n (-1)^k C_n^k = 0$$

将等式 cnt_x 两边同减去 $C_k^0 = 1$ 即可得到上式。

10. Series:

1. $e^x = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \dots$
2. $\ln(1+x) = x - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3} - \frac{x^4}{4} + \dots$
3. $\sqrt{1+x} = 1 + \frac{x}{2} - \frac{x^2}{8} + \frac{2x^3}{32} - \frac{5x^4}{128} + \dots$
4. $\frac{1}{1-x} = \sum_{i \geq 0} x^i$
5. $\frac{1}{1-ax} = \sum_{i \geq 0} a^i x^i$
6. $\frac{1}{(1-x)^k} = \sum_{i \geq 0} \binom{i+k-1}{i} x^i$
7. $(1+x)^k = \sum_{n \geq 0} \binom{k}{n} x^n$
8. $\log(P(x)) = \int \frac{P'(x)}{P(x)}$

11. 欧拉序求LCA:

$$LCA(u, v) = RMQ(first(u), first(v))$$

12. MoTree:

dfs 一棵树, 然后如果 dfs 到 x 点, 就 `push_back(x)`, dfs 完 x 点, 就直接 `push_back(-x)`

新加入的值是 x ---> `add(x)`

新加入的值是 $-x$ ---> `del(x)`

新删除的值是 x ---> `del(x)`

新删除的值是 $-x$ ---> `add(x)`

对于 u 和 v , 假设 $in(u) < in(v)$:

若 $LCA(u, v) == u$, 则为 $in(u)$ 到 $in(v)$ 这段区间。

若 $LCA(u, v) \neq u$, 则为 $out(u)$ 到 $in(v)$, 需要额外加上 $LCA(u, v)$ 的贡献。

!! (括号序 \neq 欧拉序) !!

13. LCS: 将 S_1 中的字符替换为在 S_2 中所有出现的下标(按照降序), 转化为 LIS。

14. LIS: 树状数组/二分优化到 $O(n \log n)$ 。

15. 第一类斯特林数(无符号)

长度为 n 的排列构成 m 个圆(非空轮换)的方案数, 记作 $S_u(n, m)$ 。

递推式: $S_u(n, m) = S_u(n-1, m-1) + S_u(n-1, m) * (n-1)$ 。

边界: $S_u(n, 0) = [n == 0]$ 。

16. 第二类斯特林数

把 n 个不同的数划分为 m 个集合的方案数, 要求不能为空集, 记作 $S(n, m)$ 。

递推式: $S(n, m) = S(n-1, m-1) + S(n-1, m) \times m$ 。

17. 整数划分

一个正整数 n 写成多个大于等于1且小于等于其本身的整数的和, 其中各加数构成的集合为 n 的一个划分。

递推式: $f(n, m) = f(n, m-1) + f(n-m, m)$

18. 卡特兰数

进栈出栈顺序, 对角线, 三角形划分, n 个节点构成不同的二叉树.....

递推式: $H_{n+1} = \sum_{i=0}^n H_i H_{n-i}$

通项: $H_n = \frac{C_{2n}^n}{n+1}$

19. 拉格朗日插值

$$f(x) = \sum_{i=1}^n y_i \prod_{j \neq i} \frac{x-x_j}{x_i-x_j}$$

20. 四边形不等式

区间包含单调性: 若 $l \leq l' \leq r' \leq r$, 则 $w(l', r') \leq w(l, r)$ 。

四边形不等式: 交叉不大于包含, $w(l, r') + w(l', r) \leq w(l, r) + w(l', r')$ 。

由四边形不等式可推导出1D/2D决策单调性。