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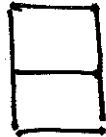
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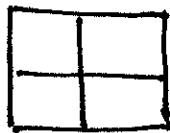
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Ex. Given two types of tiles

$2 \times 1$

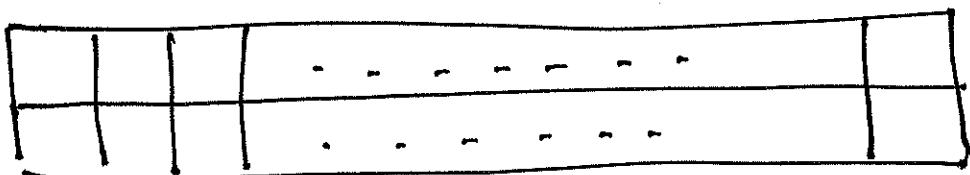


$2 \times 2$



walkway

↑  
2  
↓



← n →

How many tiles are there of  
the walkway.

[2]

Let  $A_n = \# \text{ of tilings}$ .

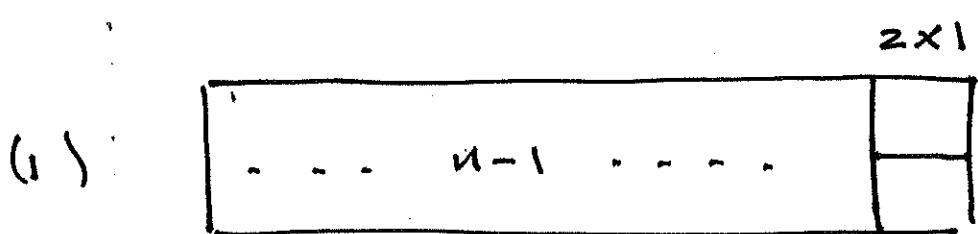
$$A_0 = 1 \quad (\text{empty tiling})$$

$$A_1 = 1 \quad (\boxed{\phantom{0}})$$

$$A_2 = 3 \quad (\begin{array}{c} \boxed{\phantom{00}} \\ \boxed{\phantom{00}} \\ \boxed{\phantom{00}} \end{array}, \begin{array}{c} \boxed{\phantom{00}} \\ \boxed{\phantom{00}} \\ \boxed{\phantom{00}} \end{array}, \begin{array}{c} \boxed{\phantom{00}} \\ \boxed{\phantom{00}} \\ \boxed{\phantom{00}} \end{array})$$

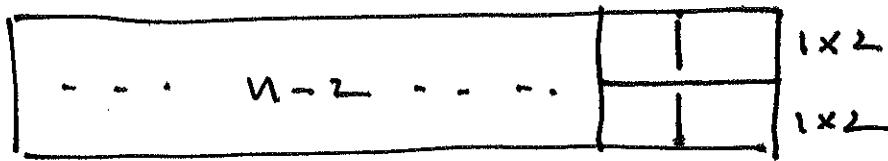
we can construct a tiling by performing exactly one of the following (mutually exclusive, exhaustive) subtasks

#ways



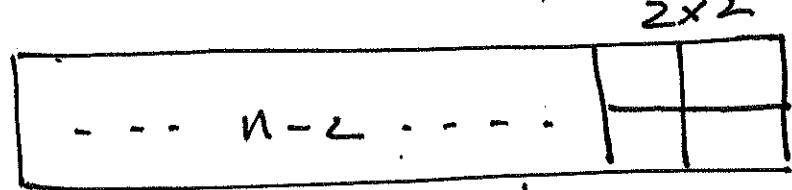
$A_{n-1}$

(2)



$$A_{n-2}$$

(3)



$$A_{n-2}$$

Thus, by the sum rule

$$\begin{cases} A_n = A_{n-1} + 2A_{n-2} \\ A_0 = A_1 = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$A_2 = 1 + 2 \cdot 1 = 3$$

$$A_3 = 3 + 2 \cdot 1 = 5$$

$$A_4 = 5 + 2 \cdot 3 = 11$$

$$A_5 = 11 + 2 \cdot 5 = 21$$

$$A_6 = 21 + 2 \cdot 11 = 43$$

$$A_7 = 43 + 2 \cdot 21 = 85$$

$$A_8 = 85 + 2 \cdot 43 = 171$$

$$A_9 = 171 + 2 \cdot 85 = 341$$

$$A_{10} = 341 + 2 \cdot 171 = 683$$

⋮

- find the Prob. that a tiling of length 10 ends with  $\begin{smallmatrix} & 1 \\ 1 & \end{smallmatrix}$   $2 \times 2$ .

$$\#\text{(tilings of len. 10)} = 683$$

$$\#\text{(tilings of len. 10 ending } \begin{smallmatrix} & 1 \\ 1 & \end{smallmatrix} \text{)} = 171$$

$$\text{so Prob.} = \frac{171}{683} = \boxed{.2504}.$$

L.S

check solution

$$A_n = \frac{1}{3} (2^{n+1} + (-1)^n)$$

Int. cond. ✓

$$A_0 = \frac{1}{3} (2+1) = 1 \quad \checkmark$$

$$A_1 = \frac{1}{3} (4+(-1)) = 1 \quad \checkmark$$

Recurrence :  $A_n = A_{n-1} + 2A_{n-2}$  ✓

$$\text{RHS} = A_{n-1} + 2A_{n-2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} (2^n + (-1)^{n-1}) + 2 \cdot \frac{1}{3} (2^{n-1} + (-1)^{n-2})$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} (2^n + 2^n + (-1)^{n-1} + (-1)^{n-2} + (-1)^{n-2})$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} (2 \cdot 2^n + (-1)^n)$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} (2^{n+1} + (-1)^n) = A_n = \text{LHS}$$

## Review Problems 8.1

# 9 - 14, 24 - 27

Ex. find a recurrence for the # of bit strings of len.  $n$  that contain '01'

Let  $B_n = \#$  of such bit strings

$$\text{note } B_0 = 0 \quad \emptyset$$

$$B_1 = 0 \quad \emptyset$$

$$B_2 = 1 \quad \{01\}$$

$$B_3 = 4 \quad \{010, 011, 001, 101\}$$

Subtasks

(1)  $\xrightarrow{01}$   $\underbrace{x \dots x}_{n-1} 0$  :  $B_{n-1}$

(2)  $\xrightarrow{\text{any}}$   $\underbrace{x \dots x}_{n-2} \textcircled{01}$  :

(3)  $\xrightarrow{\text{any}}$   $\underbrace{x \dots x}_{n-3} \textcircled{011}$  :

(4)  $\xrightarrow{\text{any}}$   $\underbrace{x \dots x}_{n-4} \textcircled{0111}$  :

:

(n)  $\textcircled{011\dots111} \quad :$   $2^{n-n} = 1$

By the sum rule

$$B_n = B_{n-1} + \sum_{k=0}^{n-2} 2^k$$

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i.e.

$$B_n = B_{n-1} + \left( \frac{2^{n-1}}{n-1} \right)$$

∴

$$\boxed{B_n = B_{n-1} + 2^{n-1} - 1}$$

Incr. cond.  $\boxed{B_0 = 0}$

$$\therefore B_1 = 0 + 2^0 - 1 = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$$B_2 = 0 + 2^1 - 1 = 1 \quad \checkmark$$

$$B_3 = 1 + 2^2 - 1 = 4 \quad \checkmark$$

$$B_4 = 4 + 2^3 - 1 = 11$$

Cheek Solution:

$$\boxed{B_n = 2^n - n - 1}$$

Another way:

Let  $A_n = \#$  of bit strings of length  $n$  that do not contain substring '01'

Observe  $A_n + B_n = 2^n$ , hence

$$B_n = 2^n - A_n.$$

Note: a bit string does not contain '01' if all 1s occur to the left of all 0s.

[10]

i.e.

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & \cdots & 0 \\
 & | & 0 & 0 & \cdots & \cdots & 0 \\
 & | & 1 & 0 & \cdots & \cdots & 0 \\
 & | & 1 & 1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\
 & \vdots & & & & & \\
 & | & 1 & 1 & 1 & \cdots & 1 & 0 \\
 & | & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & \cdots & 1 & 1
 \end{array} \quad \left. \right\} A_n = n+1$$

$n$

Thus

$$B_n = 2^n - A_n = 2^n - (n+1)$$

$$\therefore \boxed{B_n = 2^n - n - 1}$$

Ex. (8.1) #12.a

A kid climbs stairs by taking

- 1 step
- 2 steps
- 3 steps

let  $C_n = \#$  ways he can climb  
a staircase of length  $n$ .

Find a recurrence for  $C_n$ .

Initial terms:

$$C_0 = 1 \quad (\text{stand still})$$

$$C_1 = 1 \quad (1 \text{ step})$$

$$C_2 = 2 \quad \{(1,1), (2)\}$$

$$C_3 = 4 \quad \{(1,1,1), (1,2), (2,1), (3)\}$$

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Subtasks:

#ways

- climb  $n-1$  steps, (1) :  $C_{n-1}$
- "  $n-2$  ", (2) :  $C_{n-2}$
- "  $n-3$  ", (3) :  $C_{n-3}$

By the sum rule

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} C_n = C_{n-1} + C_{n-2} + C_{n-3} \\ C_0 = 1 \\ C_1 = 1 \\ C_2 = 2 \end{array} \right.$$

so

$$C_3 = 2 + 1 + 1 = 4$$

$$C_4 = 4 + 2 + 1 = 7$$

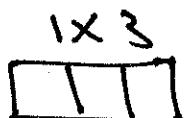
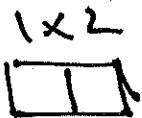
$$C_5 = 7 + 4 + 2 = 13$$

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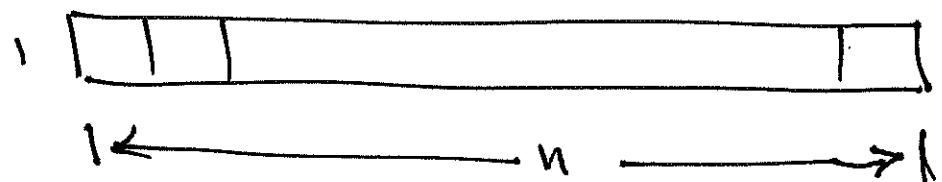
Note

Same Problem as tiling question

tiler



Walkway



how many tilings?

8.1 # 27

tiling :

no two  $\rightarrow$  adjacent

Let  $T_n = \#$  of such tilings

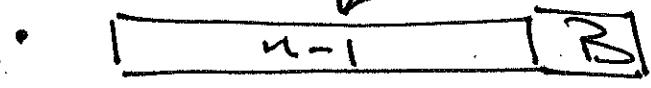
$$T_0 = 1 \quad \text{empty}$$

$$T_1 = 3 \quad \{R, B, G\}$$

$$T_2 = 8 \quad \{RB, RG, BB, BR, BG, GG, GR, GB\}$$

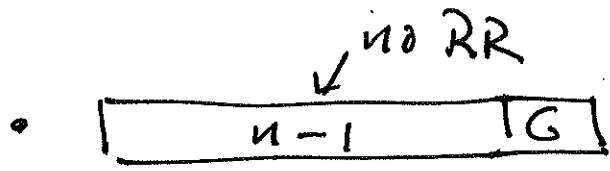
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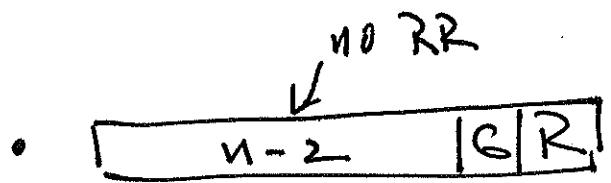


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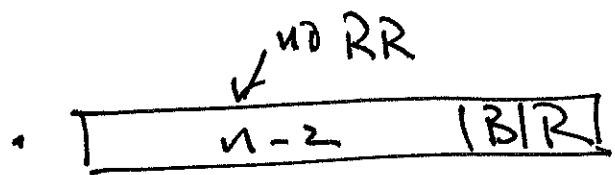
$$\overline{I}_{n-1}$$



$$\overline{I}_{n-1}$$



$$\overline{I}_{n-2}$$



$$\overline{I}_{n-2}$$

By sum rule:

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \overline{I}_n = 2\overline{I}_{n-1} + 2\overline{I}_{n-2} \\ \overline{I}_0 = 1 \\ \overline{I}_1 = 3 \end{array} \right.$$

$$\text{so } \overline{I}_2 = 2 \cdot 3 + 2 \cdot 1 = 8 \quad \checkmark$$

Ex.

What is the Probability that  
 a random int in  $\{1, 2, \dots, 100\}$   
 is divisible by 7 ?

$$S = \{1, \dots, 100\} \quad |S| = 100$$

$$E = \{7, 14, 21, 28, \dots, 98\}$$

$$|E| = \left\lfloor \frac{100}{7} \right\rfloor = \left\lfloor 14.2 \right\rfloor = 14$$

$$\rightarrow P(E) = \frac{14}{100} = \boxed{0.14}$$