Example of restricted bin packing.

Let t = 5 and all items be 2 or 3 so k = 2. An instance of *restricted bin packing* is $I = (i_1, i_2)$ where i_1 is the number of 2's and i_2 is the number of 3s. The only possible ways to pack *one* bin are using 2, 3, 22, 23, 223 so $\mathcal{Q} = \{(1, 0), (0, 1), (2, 0), (1, 1)\}$. We start by setting BINS(q) = 1 for all $q \in Q$ and

$$BINS(i_1, i_2) = 1 + \min_{(q_1, q_2) \in Q} BINS(i_1 - q_1, i_2 - q_2).$$

i	1	i_2	$BINS(i_1, i_2)$
()	1	1
()	2	2
()	3	3
1	L	0	1
1	L	1	1
1	-	2	2
1	-	3	3
	2	0	1
	2	0 1	1 2
	2	0 1 2	1 2 2
	2	0 1 2 3	1 2 2 3
	2 2 2 2 3	 0 1 2 3 0 	1 2 2 3 2
		0 1 2 3 0 1	1 2 2 3 2 2
		 1 2 3 0 1 2 	1 2 2 3 2 2 3