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In [114]:
import math
def minimax (curDepth, nodeIndex,
              maxTurn, scores,
              targetDepth):
    # base case : targetDepth reached
    if (curDepth == targetDepth):
         return scores[nodeIndex]
     if (maxTurn):
         return max(minimax(curDepth + 1, nodeIndex * 2,
                     False, scores, targetDepth),
                    minimax(curDepth + 1, nodeIndex * 2 + 1,
                     False, scores, targetDepth))
    else:
         return min(minimax(curDepth + 1, nodeIndex * 2,
                      True, scores, targetDepth),
                    minimax(curDepth + 1, nodeIndex * 2 + 1,
                      True, scores, targetDepth))
# Driver code
scores = [3, 5, 2, 9, 12, 5, 23, 23]
treeDepth = math.log(len(scores), 2)
print("The optimal value is : ", end = "")
print(minimax(0, 0, True, scores, treeDepth))
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The optimal value is : 12

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