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E. Alternating Array

time limit per test: 1 second memory limit per test: 256 megabytes input: standard input output: standard output

An array of integers is said to be alternating if each element has a different sign than the one next to it.

 $i.\,e.$ for each element in the array such that $(0 \leq i < n)$, **only one** of these conditions must be met:-

- 1. if $a_i < 0$ then $a_{i+1} > 0$.
- 2. if $a_i > 0$ then $a_{i+1} < 0$.

For example, [1, -3, 2] and [3] are alternating arrays, while [1,-3, -2] and [1, 2] are not.

You are given an array a of n integers, in one operation, you are allowed to choose a number and multiply it by -1 (change its sign). what is the minimum number of operations required to convert the given array into an alternating array.

Input

The first line contains an integer $n(1 \le n \le 10^5)$ the number of elements in the array a

The second line contains n integers $a_i(-50 \le a_i \le 50, a_i \ne 0)$ the elements of the array a.

Output

Output the minimum number of operations needs to convert the given array into an alternative one.

Examples



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Contest #3.1 Finished Practice



This contest uses time limits scaling policy (depending on a programming language). The system automatically adjusts time limits by the following multipliers for some languages. Despite scaling (adjustment), the time limit cannot be more than 30 seconds. Read the details by the link.