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Q 4. c

$$\min d(a,d) + d(b,d) + d(c,d)$$

Algo:

// First find which string is closest to the other 2

$$\text{dist}a = d(a,b) + d(a,c)$$

$$\text{dist}b = d(b,a) + d(b,c)$$

$$\text{dist}c = d(c,a) + d(c,b)$$

$$\text{mindist} = \text{Min}(\text{dist}a, \text{dist}b, \text{dist}c)$$

$$\text{if}(\text{mindist} == \text{dist}a) \{ d = a, \text{dist}D = \text{dist}A \}$$

$$\text{if}(\text{mindist} == \text{dist}b) \{ d = b, \text{dist}D = \text{dist}B \}$$

$$\text{if}(\text{mindist} == \text{dist}c) \{ d = c, \text{dist}D = \text{dist}C \}$$

// Set d to the string closest to the other two

$$\text{// } d(d, (\text{found min})) = 0$$