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### [D] Tri graphs

Program: tri.(c|cpp|java)
Input: tri.in
Balloon Color: Orange

#### Description

Here's a simple graph problem: Find the shortest path from the top-middle vertex to the bottom-middle vertex in a given tri-graph. A tri-graph is an acyclic graph of  $(N \geq 2)$  rows and exactly 3 columns. Unlike regular graphs, the costs in a tri-graph are associated with the vertices rather than the edges. So, considering the example on the right with N=4, the cost of going straight down from the top to bottom along the middle vertices is 7+13+3+6=29. The layout of the directional edges in the graph are always the same as illustrated in the figure.

#### **Input Format**

Your program will be tested on one or more test cases. Each test case is specified using N+1 lines where the first line specifies a single integer  $(2 \le N \le 100,000)$  denoting the number of rows in the graph. N lines follow, each specifying three integers representing the cost of the vertices on the  $i^{\rm th}$  row from left to right. The square of each cost value is less than 1,000,000.

The last case is followed by a line with a single zero.

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#### **Output Format**

For each test case, print the following line:

 $k. _{\sqcup}n$ 

Where k is the test case number (starting at one,) and n is the least cost to go from the top-middle vertex to the bottom-middle vertex.

#### Sample Input/Output

| _       | tri.in |
|---------|--------|
| 4       |        |
| 13 7 5  |        |
| 7 13 6  |        |
| 14 3 12 |        |
| 15 6 16 |        |
| 0       |        |

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