

Kickstart Round G 2021 - Staying Hydrated

2, 5, 7

$$|x-2| + |x-5| + |x-7|$$

x_1, y_1 x_2, y_2

$$(|x-x_1| + |y-y_1|)$$

Other way to do this problem is to simply sort x (of size $2n$) and y (of size $2n$) separately and get answer as $x[n-1]$ and $y[n-1]$

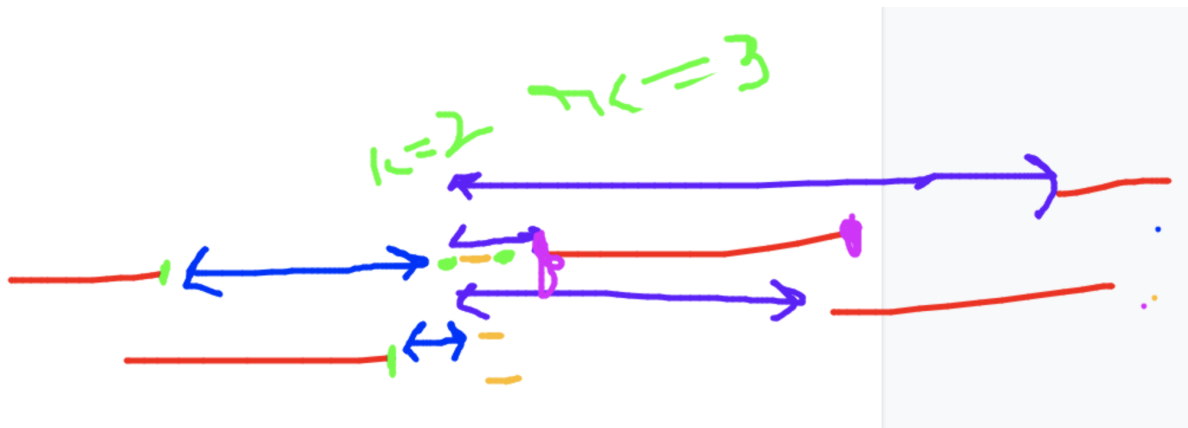
The idea is that we can take x and y separately as we are taking sum so we can group our x 's and y 's and minimize them separately

Now Consider this question, You have to find minimum value of X such that $|X-x[i]|$ is minimum.

Then the answer would always be median among these sorted $x[i]$. You can go through link provided below:

<https://math.stackexchange.com/questions/113270/the-median-minimizes-the-sum-of-absolute-deviations-the-ell-1-norm>

Now, here in question we have even number of values $2*n$ so we have two medians, and at both those points and any point between them would give the same optimal answer. But the question requires us to give the minimum among them hence we will choose $x[n-1]$ and $y[n-1]$ as the minimum.



Kickstart Round G 2021 - Banana Bunches



1 2 3 | 4 4 6 7

Sum ->

0 -> 0

1 -> 1

2 -> 1

3 -> 1

5 -> 2

6 -> 3

Right -> 4 4 => 2

Q) You are given a string which is a representation of a number base 2 print a string which is the binary representation of this number base 6

$|S| \leq 200$

(input) 10001 (17 -> decimal) ----> 25 (output)

1010

000000004

101%6 101/6

25/6 25%6

1010 (10)

0000000 → 0000001 (*2 + 1) → 0000002 (*2) → 0000005 (*2 + 1) → 000000(10) -> 0000014 (*2)

10100 (20)

0000000 → 0000001 (*2 + 1) → 0000002 (*2) → 0000005 (*2 + 1) → 000000(10) -> 0000014 (*2) → 0000001(8) -> 00000(1*2 + 1(carry))2 (*2) → 000032

<https://www.hackerrank.com/contests/goc-cdc-series-10/challenges/itsybitsy/problem>

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int n;
cin>>n;
vector<int> a(n);
for(auto &i:a){
    cin>>i;
}

vector<int> res;
res.push_back(0);

auto multiply = [&]() {
    int carry=0;
    for(int i=0;i<res.size();i++){
        int value = res[i]*2 + carry;
        res[i] = value%6;
        carry = value/6;
        if(carry>0&&res.size()==i+1) res.push_back(0);
    }
};

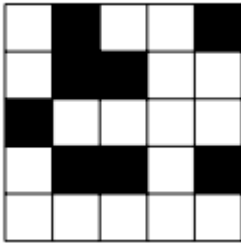
auto add = [&]() {
    int carry=1;
    for(int i=0;i<res.size();i++){
        int value = res[i] + carry;
        res[i] = value%6;
        carry = value/6;
        if(carry>0&&res.size()==i+1) res.push_back(0);
    }
};

for(int i=0;i<n;i++){
    multiply();
    if(a[i]) add();
}

for(auto i:res) cout<<i<<" ";
cout<<"\n";

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Count Subgrids



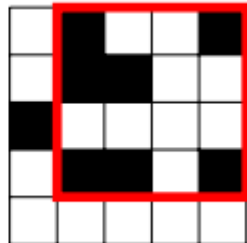
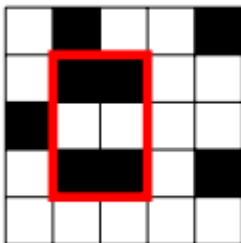
01001(9)

01100(12)

10000(16)

01101(13)

00000(0)



For a in rows

For b in rows

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int count = 0;
for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {
    if (color[a][i] == 1 && color[b][i] == 1) count++;
}
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Ans += cnt*(cnt-1)/2

Cnt = __builtin_popcount(color[a]&color[b])

120

Row -> 30 30 30 30

M/32

N*N*M/32

1000*1000*1000/32 == 4*10^7

bitset<1000> b;

M/32

For a in rows

For b in rows

Int cnt = bit[a]|bit[b]

Bitset

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Const int N = 10;  
bitset<N> bit("1110"), sbit; // 0000001110
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Bit[0] = 1; 0000001111
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bit.set()  
bit.reset();  
bit.count() // Number of set bits  
bit[i]=(1<<6) // 0001001110  
bit.flip(); 1111110001
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Q. Find if there exists a subset of items from N items with weight exactly W?

(N <=1000, W<=1000000)

4 -> 3 6 2 4 w[i]

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// possible[i] stores whether we can take items of weight i or not
vector<bool> possible(W+1, false);

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possible[0]=true;  
for(int i=0;i<n;i++){  
    for(int j=W;j>=w[i];j--){  
        possible[j]=possible[j-w[i]];  
    }  
}  
O(N*W)
```

Possible 1 0 0 0 0 0

w[i]=3, 1 0 0 1 0 0

w[i]=2, 1 0 1 1 0 1

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bitset<1000001> bit(0);  
bit[0]=1;  
for(int i=0;i<n;i++){  
    bit = bit | (bit<<w[i]);  
}  
Bit => 1 0 0 0 0 0  
bit<<3, 0 0 0 1 0 0  
w[i]=3 => 1 0 0 1 0 0  
bit<<2 => 0 0 1 0 0 1  
w[i]=2 => 1 0 1 1 0 1
```

$10^9/32 \Rightarrow 4 \cdot 10^7$

<https://www.codechef.com/OCT20A/problems/ADDSQURE/>