

Breaking a Chocolate Tablet

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You are given a 5×6 chocolate tablet. You want to cut it into 30 pieces by hand, following the lines of the chocolate. You can only break along a line, and when you do, you cut/break the chocolate along all the line. You are not allowed to pile up pieces to break through multiple lines at once.



How many breaks are required at minimum?

Bonus: How many breaks are required at maximum?