


112. Path Sum

Solved 

Easy

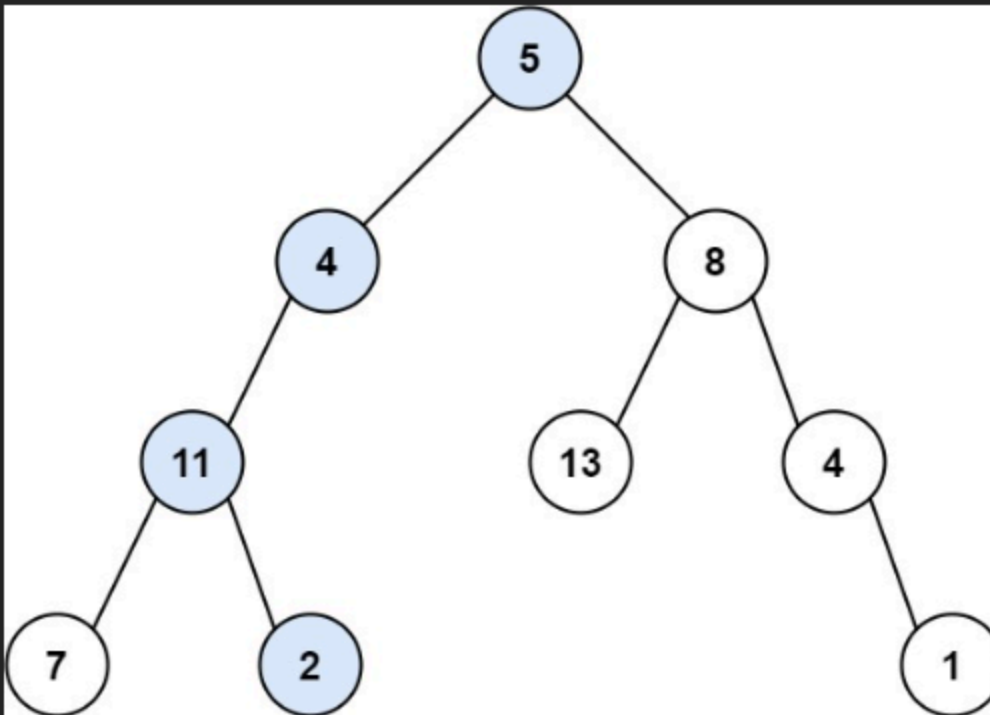
 Topics

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Given the `root` of a binary tree and an integer `targetSum`, return `true` if the tree has a **root-to-leaf** path such that adding up all the values along the path equals `targetSum`.

A **leaf** is a node with no children.

Example 1:

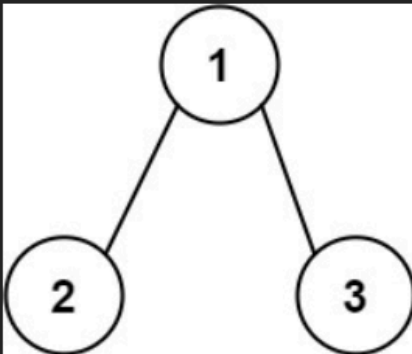


Input: `root = [5,4,8,11,null,13,4,7,2,null,null,null,1]`, `targetSum = 22`

Output: `true`

Explanation: The root-to-leaf path with the target sum is shown.

Example 2:



Input: root = [1,2,3], targetSum = 5

Output: false

Explanation: There are two root-to-leaf paths in the tree:

(1 --> 2): The sum is 3.

(1 --> 3): The sum is 4.

There is no root-to-leaf path with sum = 5.

Example 3:

Input: root = [], targetSum = 0

Output: false

Explanation: Since the tree is empty, there are no root-to-leaf paths.

Constraints:

- The number of nodes in the tree is in the range [0, 5000].
- $-1000 \leq \text{Node.val} \leq 1000$
- $-1000 \leq \text{targetSum} \leq 1000$

Python:

Definition for a binary tree node.

class TreeNode:

def __init__(self, val=0, left=None, right=None):

self.val = val

self.left = left

self.right = right

from typing import Optional

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class Solution:
    def hasPathSum(self, root: Optional['TreeNode'], targetSum: int) -> bool:
        if not root:
            return False

        # Check if it's a leaf node
        if not root.left and not root.right:
            return targetSum == root.val

        # Recurse on left and right subtrees
        return (self.hasPathSum(root.left, targetSum - root.val) or
                self.hasPathSum(root.right, targetSum - root.val))

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JavaScript:

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// Definition for a binary tree node.
function TreeNode(val, left = null, right = null) {
    this.val = val;
    this.left = left;
    this.right = right;
}

var hasPathSum = function(root, targetSum) {
    if (root === null) return false;

    // Check if we are at a leaf
    if (root.left === null && root.right === null) {
        return targetSum === root.val;
    }

    // Recursively check left and right subtrees
    return hasPathSum(root.left, targetSum - root.val) ||
           hasPathSum(root.right, targetSum - root.val);
};

```

Java:

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/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * public class TreeNode {
 *     int val;
 *     TreeNode left;
 *     TreeNode right;
 *     TreeNode() {}
 *     TreeNode(int val) { this.val = val; }
 *     TreeNode(int val, TreeNode left, TreeNode right) {
 *         this.val = val;

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*    this.left = left;
*    this.right = right;
* }
* }
*/
class Solution {
    public boolean hasPathSum(TreeNode root, int targetSum) {
        // Base case: empty tree
        if (root == null) return false;

        // Check if it's a leaf node
        if (root.left == null && root.right == null) {
            return targetSum == root.val;
        }

        // Recursively check left and right subtrees
        int remainingSum = targetSum - root.val;
        return hasPathSum(root.left, remainingSum) || hasPathSum(root.right, remainingSum);
    }
}

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