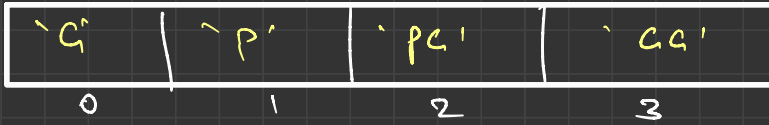



✓ picking time \rightarrow 1 minute

garbage \Rightarrow



travel \Rightarrow



travel[i]
 \rightarrow minutes

garbage[i] \rightarrow garbage[i+1]



t_1



t_2



t_3

find minimum no. of minutes to pick all garbage?

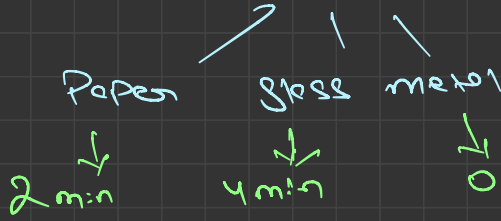
time - ?

\hookrightarrow Pickup \rightarrow 1 min

\hookrightarrow truck travel time

} + \Rightarrow final time

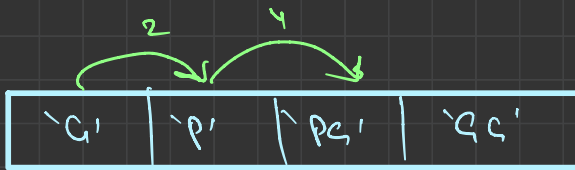
final ans = Pickup time + Travel time



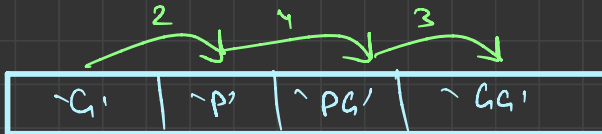
$$\text{Pickup time} = 2 + 4 = \underline{\underline{6}}$$

There is no metal \rightarrow metal travel not send

$$P \text{ travel} \Rightarrow 2 + 4 = 6$$



$$G \text{ travel} \Rightarrow 2 + 4 + 3 = 9$$

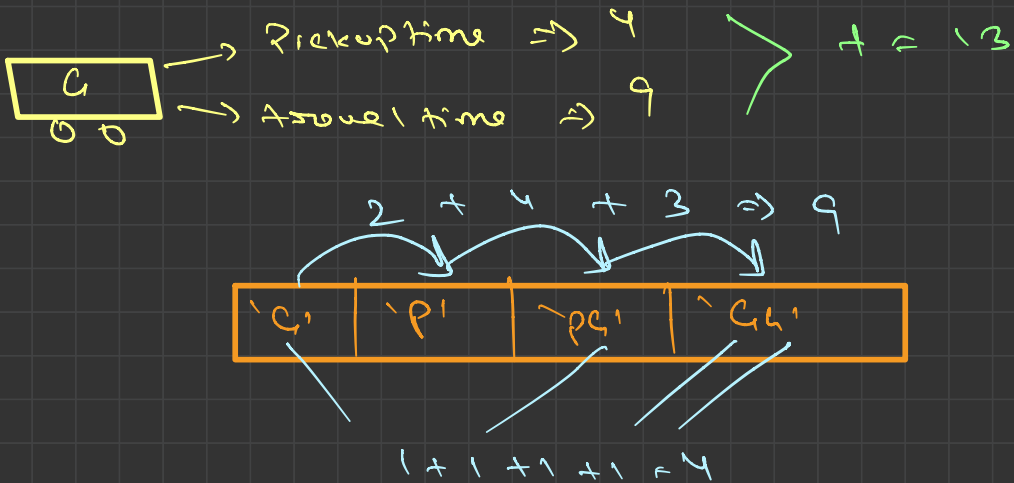
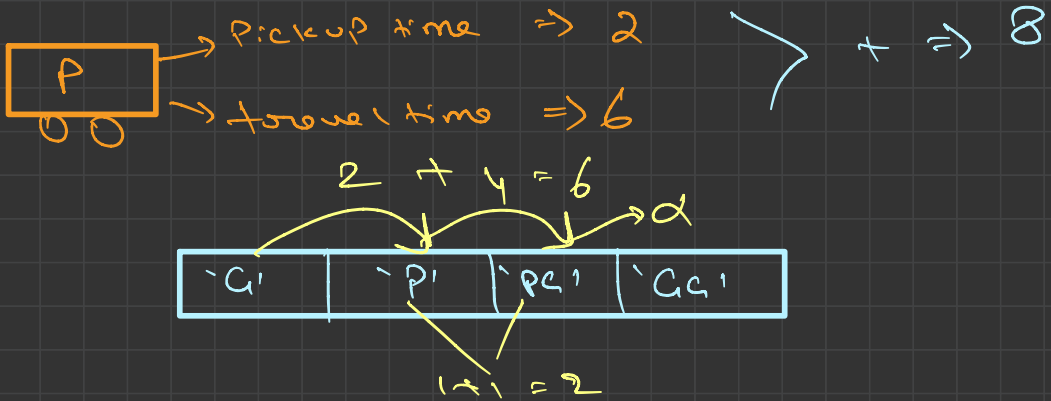
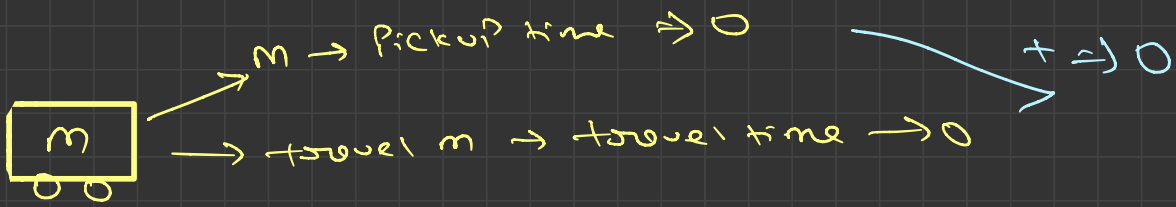


travel time $\Rightarrow \underline{\underline{6 + 9 = 15}}$

$$\text{total time} = 15 + 6$$

$\Rightarrow \underline{\underline{21}}$

ans



$\text{total time} \Rightarrow 0 + 8 + 13 \Rightarrow 21$

The final calculation 'total time ⇒ 0 + 8 + 13 ⇒ 21' is shown, with the result '21' circled in green.

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class Solution {
public:
    int garbageCollection(vector<string>& garbage, vector<int>& travel) {
        // initiate pickup time of each truck -> 0
        int pickP = 0;
        int pickG = 0;
        int pickM = 0;

        // initiate travel time of each truck -> 0
        int travelP = 0;
        int travelG = 0;
        int travelM = 0;

        // initiate last index travel in garbage array -> 0 update later
        int lastP = 0;
        int lastG = 0;
        int lastM = 0;

        // calculate pickup time and travel time
        for(int i = 0; i < garbage.size(); i++){
            string curr = garbage[i];

            // there are more than one garbage in curr string
            for(int j = 0; j < curr.length(); j++){
                char ch = curr[j];

                // checking if the garbage is present not and according to the garbage we
                // increment the pickup time of that garbage truck

                if(ch == 'P'){
                    pickP++;
                    // update travel index
                    lastP = i; // bcoz i is the garbage index
                }
                else if(ch == 'G'){
                    pickG++;
                    // update travel index
                    lastG = i; // bcoz i is the garbage index
                }
                else if(ch == 'M'){
                    pickM++;
                    // update travel index
                    lastM = i; // bcoz i is the garbage index
                }
            }
        }

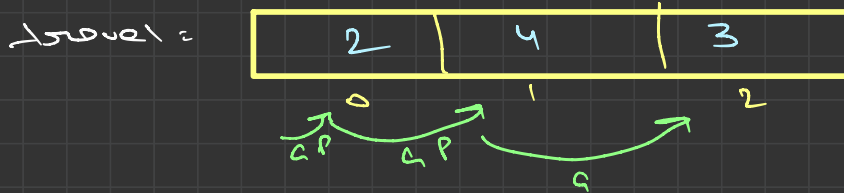
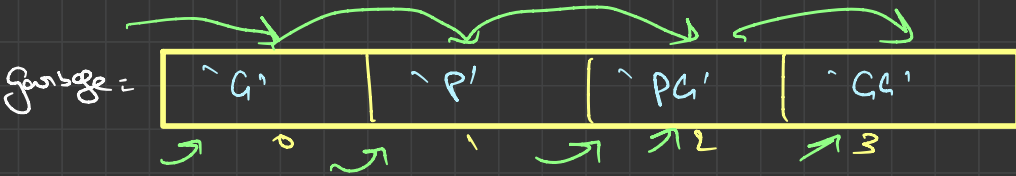
        // calculate travel time with the help of lastP, lastG, lastM
        for(int i = 0; i < lastP; i++){
            travelP += travel[i];
        }
        for(int i = 0; i < lastG; i++){
            travelG += travel[i];
        }
        for(int i = 0; i < lastM; i++){
            travelM += travel[i];
        }

        // calculate total time of each truck
        int totalP = pickP + travelP;
        int totalG = pickG + travelG;
        int totalM = pickM + travelM;

        // total ans
        int totalAns = totalP + totalG + totalM;

        return totalAns;
    }
};

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Pick P



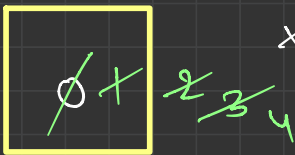
Travel P



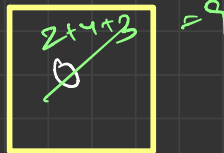
lost P ← Index of Travel



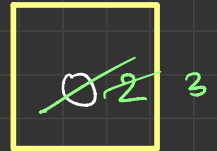
Pick G



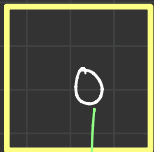
Travel G



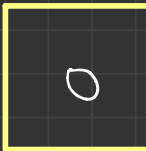
lost G



Pick M



Travel M



lost M



M track not moved

total ans = $(2 + 6) + (4 + 9) = \underline{\underline{21}}$

