

Number of Moves

Given a chess board of n rows (top to bottom) and n columns (left to right).

In each move, a knight moves either:

- 2 column positions and 1 row position
- 2 row positions and 1 column position

In other words, a move is 2 steps along one axis and 1 step along a perpendicular axis.

Given a starting position A and ending position B, calculate the minimum number of moves needed by the knight to move from A to B if it is possible. If it is not possible, return -1.

Example

$n = 9$

$startRow = 4$

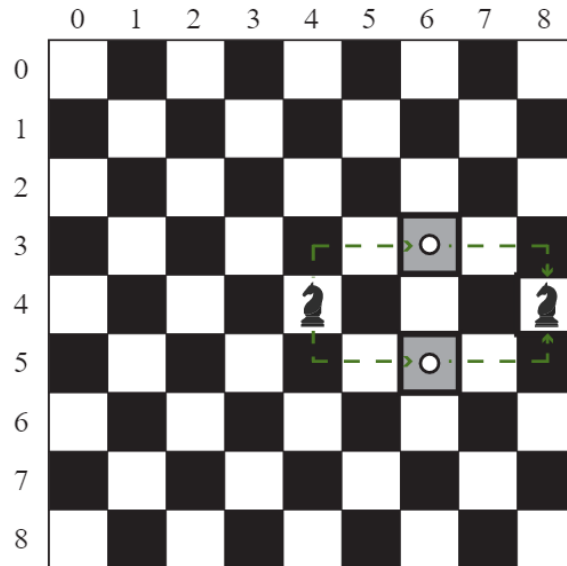
$startCol = 4$

$endRow = 4$

$endCol = 8$

The chess board has a size of 9×9 .

- Starts at the position $(startRow, startCol) = (4, 4)$.
- Move 1 step up or down, then 2 steps right to reach either the position (3, 6) or (5,6).
- Move 2 steps right and 1 step down or up as necessary to reach the position (4,8).
- The minimum number of moves to move from the position (4, 4) to the position (4, 8) is 2.



Function Description

Complete the function *minMoves* in the editor below.

minMoves has the following parameters:

- int n*: the width and height of the square board
- int startRow*: the row of the starting location
- int startCol*: the column of the starting location
- int endRow*: the row of the target location
- int endCol*: the column of the target location

Returns:

int: a single integer that denotes the number of moves required or -1 if it is not possible to reach the target location.

Constraints

- $4 \leq n \leq 150$
- $0 \leq startRow, startCol, endRow, endCol < n$

Input Format For Custom Testing

The first line of input contains an integer *n*.

The next 4 lines contain the integer values *startRow*, *startCol*, *endRow*, and *endCol*.

Sample Case 0

Sample Input For Custom Testing

STDIN	Function
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10	→	n = 10
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0	→	startRow = 0
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0	→	startCol = 0
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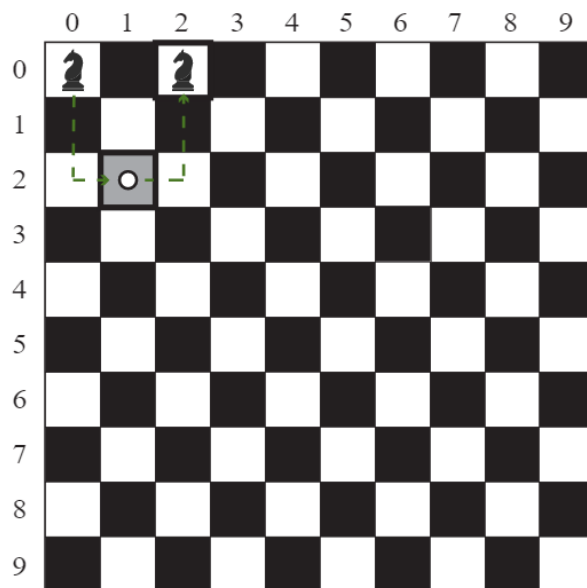
0	→	endRow = 0
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2	→	endCol = 2
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Sample Output

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Explanation



The chessboard is of size 10×10 .

- Start at the position (0, 0).
- Move 2 steps down and 1 step right to reach the position (2, 1).
- Move 1 step right and 2 steps up to reach the position (0, 2).
- The minimum number of moves to move from the position (0, 0) to the position (0, 2) is 2.

Sample Case 1

Sample Input For Custom Testing

STDIN	Function
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6	→	n = 6
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5	→	startRow = 5
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1	→	startCol = 1
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0 → endRow = 0

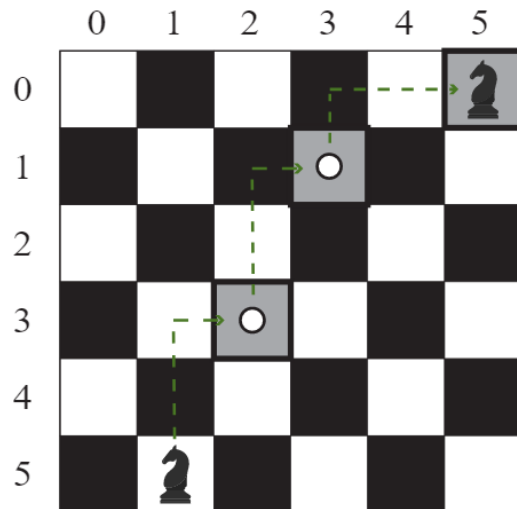
5 → endCol = 5

Sample Output

3

Explanation

The chessboard is of size 6 x 6.



- Start at the position (5, 1).
- Move 2 steps up and 1 right to position (3, 2).
- Move 2 steps up and 1 right to position (1, 3).
- Move 1 step up and 2 steps right to reach the position (0, 5).
- The minimum number of moves to move from the position (5, 1) to the position (0, 5) is 3.

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