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Number Strings

Problem Code: NUMSTR



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You are given two number-strings A and B. A number-string is a string that contains only digits ['0'-'9'].

The task is to make both the strings equal. The only operation that you are allowed to do is to delete a character (i.e. digit) from any of the strings (A or B).

The cost of an operation of deleting a digit D is D units.

Now, you have to make both the number-strings equal in minimum cost.

Constraints:

1 <= T <= 10

1 <= length(A),length(B) <= 1000

Input Format:

First line of each testfile contains T, the number of test cases.

In each testcase, first line contains number-string A and second line contains number-string B.

Output Format:

For each test case, output only line containing the minimum cost to make both numberstrings equal.

Example:

Input:

3

7135

135

816337897

816393804

816337597

816393504

Output:

7

36

34

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Time Limit: 1 secs

Source Limit: 50000 Bytes

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