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Our Solution(s)

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1\, // Copyright @ 2020 AlgoExpert, LLC. All rights reserved.
    using System;
   using System.Collections.Generic;
 7 public class Program {
      // O(br) time | O(br) space - where b is the number of blocks and r is the number of requirements
      \begin{tabular}{ll} \textbf{public static int} A partment \textbf{Hunting}(\texttt{List<Dictionary<string, bool>} > \texttt{blocks, string[] reqs}) \end{tabular} \label{linear_linear_string} \\
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         int[][] minDistancesFromBlocks = new int[reqs.Length][];
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         for (int i = 0; i < reqs.Length; i++) {</pre>
           minDistancesFromBlocks[i] = getMinDistances(blocks, reqs[i]);
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         int[] maxDistancesAtBlocks =
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           {\tt getMaxDistancesAtBlocks(blocks, minDistancesFromBlocks);}
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         return getIdxAtMinValue(maxDistancesAtBlocks);
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      public static int[] getMinDistances(List<Dictionary<string, bool> > blocks, string req) {
         int[] minDistances = new int[blocks.Count];
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21
         int closestReqIdx = Int32.MaxValue;
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         for (int i = 0; i < blocks.Count; i++) \{
           if (blocks[i][req]) closestReqIdx = i;
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24
           minDistances[i] = distanceBetween(i, closestReqIdx);
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         for (int i = blocks.Count - 1; i >= 0; i--) {
27
          if (blocks[i][req]) closestReqIdx = i;
28
           minDistances[i] = Math.Min(minDistances[i], distanceBetween(i,
29
               closestReqIdx));
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         return minDistances;
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      public static int[] getMaxDistancesAtBlocks(List<Dictionary<string, bool> > blocks,
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         int[][] minDistancesFromBlocks) {
36
         int[] maxDistancesAtBlocks = new int[blocks.Count];
37
         for (int i = 0; i < blocks.Count; i++) {
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           int[] minDistancesAtBlock = new int[minDistancesFromBlocks.Length];
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           for (int j = 0; j < minDistancesFromBlocks.Length; j++) {</pre>
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            minDistancesAtBlock[j] = minDistancesFromBlocks[j][i];
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           maxDistancesAtBlocks[i] = arrayMax(minDistancesAtBlock);
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         \textcolor{return}{\textbf{maxDistancesAtBlocks;}}
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      public static int getIdxAtMinValue(int[] array) {
         int idxAtMinValue = 0;
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         int minValue = Int32.MaxValue;
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         for (int i = 0; i < array.Length; i++) {
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          int currentValue = array[i];
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           if (currentValue < minValue) {</pre>
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            minValue = currentValue;
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             idxAtMinValue = i;
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         return idxAtMinValue;
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      public static int distanceBetween(int a, int b) {
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        return Math.Abs(a - b);
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      public static int arrayMax(int[] array) {
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        int max = array[0];
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         foreach (int a in array) {
67
          if (a > max) {
68
            max = a;
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         return max;
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