**static int makeAnagram(String a, String b) {**

**int**[] lettercounts = **new** **int**[26];

**for**(**char** c : a.toCharArray()){

lettercounts[c-'a']++;

}

**for**(**char** c : b.toCharArray()){

lettercounts[c-'a']--;

}

**int** result = 0;

**for**(**int** i : lettercounts){

result += Math.abs(i);

}

**return** result;

}