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5840. Minimum Number of Swaps to Make the String Balanced

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You are given a **0-indexed** string s of **even** length n . The string consists of **exactly** n / 2 opening brackets '[' and n / 2 closing brackets ']'.

A string is called balanced if and only if:

- · It is the empty string, or
- It can be written as AB, where both A and B are balanced strings, or
- It can be written as [C], where C is a **balanced** string.

You may swap the brackets at any two indices any number of times.

Return the minimum number of swaps to make s balanced.

Difficulty:	Medium
Total Submissions:	0
Total Accepted:	0
User Tried:	0
User Accepted:	0

Example 1:

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Input: s = "][]["
Output: 1
Explanation: You can make the string balanced by swapping index 0 with index 3.
The resulting string is "[[]]".
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Example 2:

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Input: s = "]]][[["
Output: 2
Explanation: You can do the following to make the string balanced:
- Swap index 0 with index 4. s = "[]][[]".
- Swap index 1 with index 5. s = "[[][]]".
The resulting string is "[[][]]".
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Example 3:

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Input: s = "[]"
Output: 0
Explanation: The string is already balanced.
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Constraints:

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n == s.length
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- $2 \le n \le 10^6$
- n is even.
- s[i] is either '[' or ']'.
- The number of opening brackets '[' equals n / 2, and the number of closing brackets ']' equals n / 2.

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JavaScript
     * @param {string} s
3
     * @return {number}
5 var minSwaps = function(s) {
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