





5983. Maximum Running Time of N Computers

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You have n computers. You are given the integer n and a **0-indexed** integer array batteries where the ith battery can run a computer for batteries[i] minutes. You are interested in running all n computers simultaneously using the given batteries.

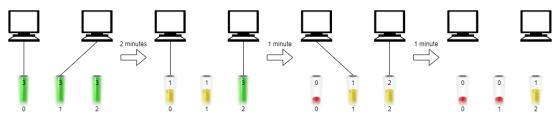
Initially, you can insert at most one battery into each computer. After that and at any integer time moment, you can remove a battery from a computer and insert another battery any number of times. The inserted battery can be a totally new battery or a battery from another computer. You may assume that the removing and inserting processes take no time.

Note that the batteries cannot be recharged.

Return the maximum number of minutes you can run all the n computers simultaneously.

User Accepted:	0
User Tried:	2
Total Accepted:	0
Total Submissions:	3
Difficulty:	Hard

Example 1:



Input: n = 2, batteries = [3,3,3]

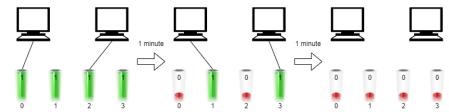
Output: 4 **Explanation:**

Initially, insert battery 0 into the first computer and battery 1 into the second computer.

After two minutes, remove battery 1 from the second computer and insert battery 2 instead. Note that battery 1 can still At the end of the third minute, battery 0 is drained, and you need to remove it from the first computer and insert bat By the end of the fourth minute, battery 1 is also drained, and the first computer is no longer running.

We can run the two computers simultaneously for at most 4 minutes, so we return 4.

Example 2:



Input: n = 2, batteries = [1,1,1,1]

Output: 2 **Explanation:**

Initially, insert battery 0 into the first computer and battery 2 into the second computer.

After one minute, battery 0 and battery 2 are drained so you need to remove them and insert battery 1 into the first co After another minute, battery 1 and battery 3 are also drained so the first and second computers are no longer running. We can run the two computers simultaneously for at most 2 minutes, so we return 2.

Constraints:

- 1 \leftarrow n \leftarrow batteries.length \leftarrow 10⁵
- 1 <= batteries[i] <= 10⁹

JavaScript $1 \cdot const maxRunTime = (n, a) \Rightarrow {$ let low = 0, high = 1e14; 3 ▼ while (low <= high) { 4 let mid = parseInt((low + high) / 2), sum = 0; 5 for (const x of a) sum += Math.min(x, mid); 6 ▼ if $(sum >= n * mid) {$ 7 low = mid + 1;8 ▼ } else { 9 high = mid - 1;10 11 12 return high; 13 **}**; 14 ☐ Custom Testcase Use Example Testcases **△** Submit Run Submission Result: Accepted (/submissions/detail/620792096/) @ More Details > (/submissions/detail/620792096/) Share your acceptance! Copyright © 2022 LeetCode Help Center (/support) | Jobs (/jobs) | Bug Bounty (/bugbounty) | Online Interview (/interview/) | Students (/student) | Terms (/terms) | Privacy Policy (/privacy) United States (/region)