

6006. Removing Minimum Number of Magic Beans

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You are given an array of **positive** integers `beans` , where each integer represents the number of magic beans found in a particular magic bag.

Remove any number of beans (**possibly none**) from each bag such that the number of beans in each remaining **non-empty** bag (still containing **at least one** bean) is **equal**. Once a bean has been removed from a bag, you are **not** allowed to return it to any of the bags.

Return the ***minimum** number of magic beans that you have to remove.*

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Difficulty:	Medium

Example 1:

Input: beans = [4,1,6,5]
Output: 4
Explanation:

- We remove 1 bean from the bag with only 1 bean. This results in the remaining bags: [4,0,6,5]
- Then we remove 2 beans from the bag with 6 beans. This results in the remaining bags: [4,0,4,5]
- Then we remove 1 bean from the bag with 5 beans. This results in the remaining bags: [4,0,4,4]

We removed a total of 1 + 2 + 1 = 4 beans to make the remaining non-empty bags have an equal number of beans. There are no other solutions that remove 4 beans or fewer.

Example 2:

Input: beans = [2,10,3,2]
Output: 7
Explanation:

- We remove 2 beans from one of the bags with 2 beans. This results in the remaining bags: [0,10,3,2]
- Then we remove 2 beans from the other bag with 2 beans. This results in the remaining bags: [0,10,3,0]
- Then we remove 3 beans from the bag with 3 beans. This results in the remaining bags: [0,10,0,0]

We removed a total of 2 + 2 + 3 = 7 beans to make the remaining non-empty bags have an equal number of beans. There are no other solutions that removes 7 beans or fewer.

Constraints:

- 1 <= beans.length <= 10⁵
- 1 <= beans[i] <= 10⁵

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1 const preSum = (a) => { let pre = [0]; for (let i = 0; i < a.length; i++) { pre.push(pre[i] + a[i]); } return pre; };
2 const subArraySum = (a, l, r) => a[r + 1] - a[l];
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4 const minimumRemoval = (a) => {
5   a.sort((x, y) => x - y);
6   let n = a.length, pre = preSum(a), res = Number.MAX_SAFE_INTEGER;
7   for (let i = 0; i < n; i++) {
8     let lsum = subArraySum(pre, 0, i - 1), rsum = subArraySum(pre, i, n - 1), len = n - i;
9     let move = lsum + (rsum - len * a[i]);
10    // pr(a[i], a.slice(0, i), a.slice(i), lsum, rsum, len, move);
11    res = Math.min(res, move);
12  }
13  return res;
}
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};

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