

# Problem 1361: Validate Binary Tree Nodes

## Problem Information

**Difficulty:** Medium

**Acceptance Rate:** 43.98%

**Paid Only:** No

**Tags:** Tree, Depth-First Search, Breadth-First Search, Union Find, Graph, Binary Tree

## Problem Description

You have  $n$  binary tree nodes numbered from  $0$  to  $n - 1$  where node  $i$  has two children `leftChild[i]` and `rightChild[i]`, return `true` if and only if **all** the given nodes form **exactly one** valid binary tree.

If node  $i$  has no left child then `leftChild[i]` will equal `-1`, similarly for the right child.

Note that the nodes have no values and that we only use the node numbers in this problem.

**Example 1:**



**Input:**  $n = 4$ , `leftChild = [1,-1,3,-1]`, `rightChild = [2,-1,-1,-1]` **Output:** `true`

**Example 2:**



**Input:**  $n = 4$ , `leftChild = [1,-1,3,-1]`, `rightChild = [2,3,-1,-1]` **Output:** `false`

**Example 3:**



**Input:**  $n = 2$ , `leftChild = [1,0]`, `rightChild = [-1,-1]` **Output:** `false`

**\*\*Constraints:\*\***

\* `n == leftChild.length == rightChild.length` \* `1 <= n <= 104` \* `-1 <= leftChild[i], rightChild[i] <= n - 1`

## Code Snippets

### C++:

```
class Solution {
public:
    bool validateBinaryTreeNodes(int n, vector<int>& leftChild, vector<int>&
    rightChild) {

    }
};
```

### Java:

```
class Solution {
    public boolean validateBinaryTreeNodes(int n, int[] leftChild, int[]
    rightChild) {

    }
}
```

### Python3:

```
class Solution:
    def validateBinaryTreeNodes(self, n: int, leftChild: List[int], rightChild:
    List[int]) -> bool:
```