

Problem 2773: Height of Special Binary Tree

Problem Information

Difficulty: **Medium**

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

Problem Description

You are given a

root

, which is the root of a

special

binary tree with

n

nodes. The nodes of the special binary tree are numbered from

1

to

n

. Suppose the tree has

k

leaves in the following order:

b

1

<

b

2

< ... < b

k

.

The leaves of this tree have a

special

property! That is, for every leaf

b

i

, the following conditions hold:

The right child of

b

i

is

b

i + 1

if

$i < k$

, and

b

1

otherwise.

The left child of

b

i

is

b

$i - 1$

if

$i > 1$

, and

b

k

otherwise.

Return

the height of the given tree.

Note:

The height of a binary tree is the length of the

longest path

from the root to any other node.

Example 1:

Input:

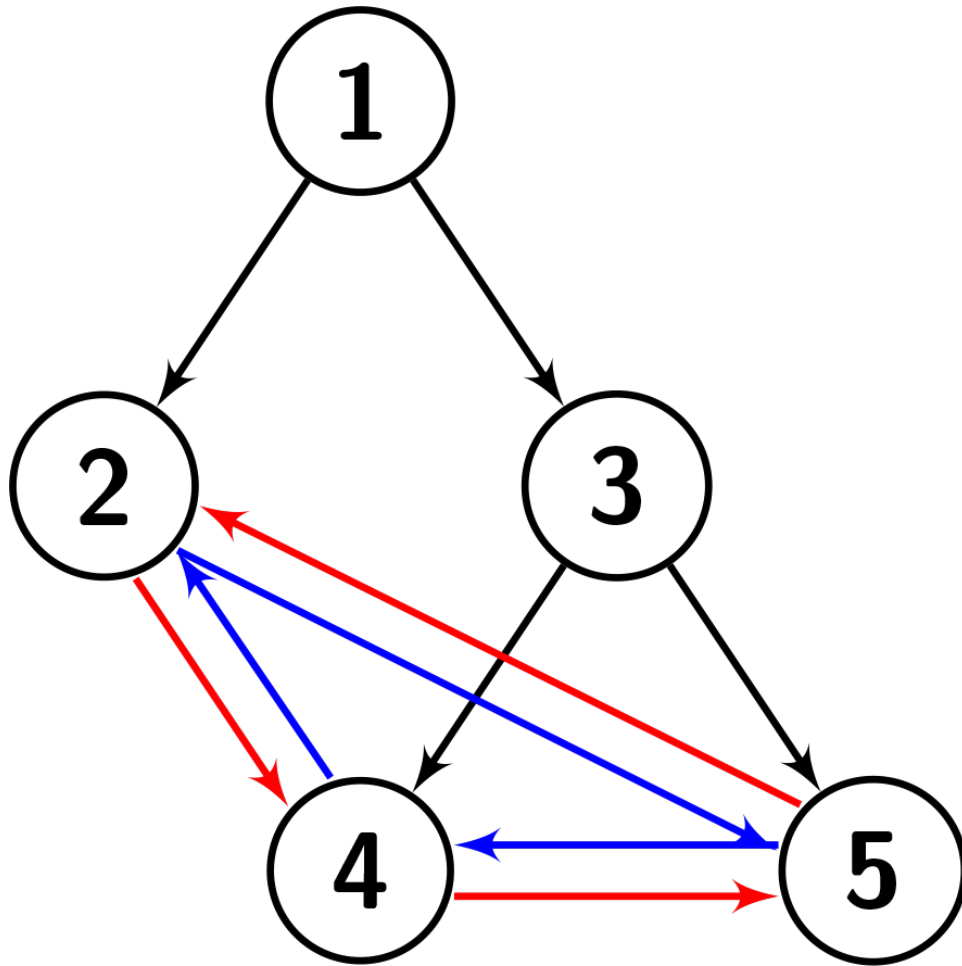
root = [1,2,3,null,null,4,5]

Output:

2

Explanation:

The given tree is shown in the following picture. Each leaf's left child is the leaf to its left (shown with the blue edges). Each leaf's right child is the leaf to its right (shown with the red edges). We can see that the graph has a height of 2.



Example 2:

Input:

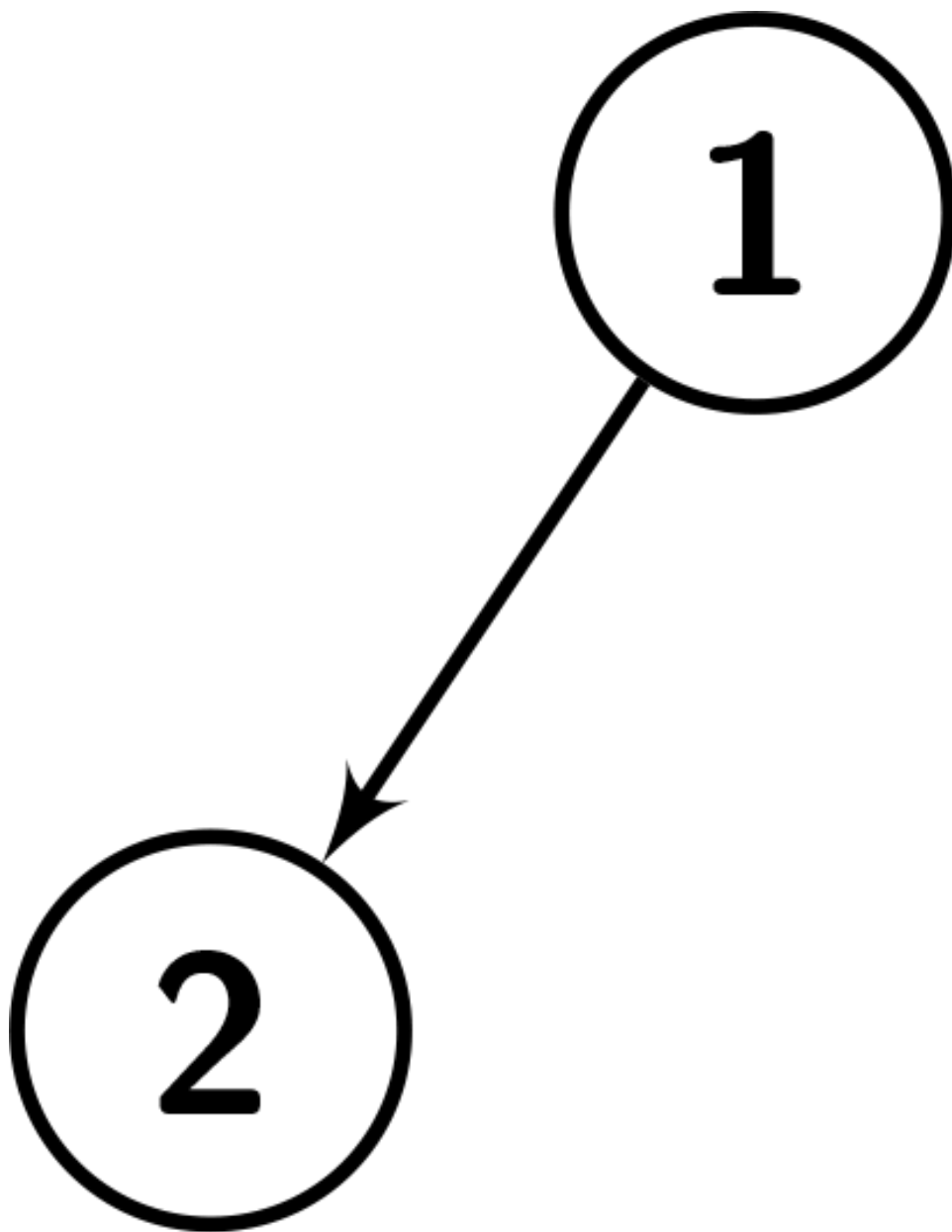
root = [1,2]

Output:

1

Explanation:

The given tree is shown in the following picture. There is only one leaf, so it doesn't have any left or right child. We can see that the graph has a height of 1.



Example 3:

Input:

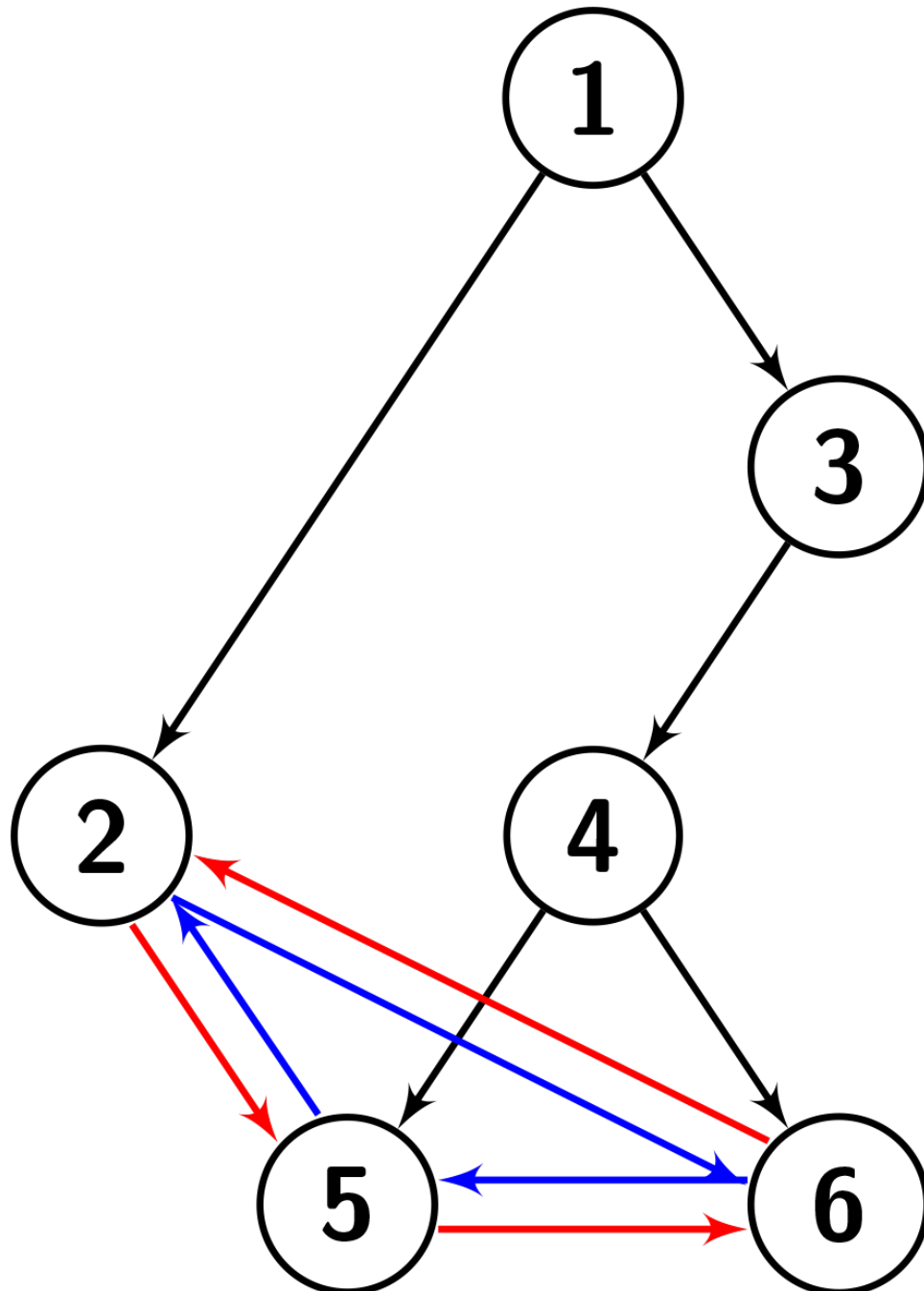
`root = [1,2,3,null,null,4,null,5,6]`

Output:

3

Explanation:

The given tree is shown in the following picture. Each leaf's left child is the leaf to its left (shown with the blue edges). Each leaf's right child is the leaf to its right (shown with the red edges). We can see that the graph has a height of 3.



Constraints:

n == number of nodes in the tree

$2 \leq n \leq 10$

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$1 \leq \text{node.val} \leq n$

The input is generated such that each

`node.val`

is unique.

Code Snippets

C++:

```
/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * struct TreeNode {
 *   int val;
 *   TreeNode *left;
 *   TreeNode *right;
 *   TreeNode() : val(0), left(nullptr), right(nullptr) {}
 *   TreeNode(int x) : val(x), left(nullptr), right(nullptr) {}
 *   TreeNode(int x, TreeNode *left, TreeNode *right) : val(x), left(left),
 *   right(right) {}
 * };
 */
class Solution {
public:
    int heightOfTree(TreeNode* root) {

    }
};
```

Java:

```
/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * public class TreeNode {
 *   int val;
 *   TreeNode left;
```



```

* TreeNode right;
* TreeNode() {}
* TreeNode(int val) { this.val = val; }
* TreeNode(int val, TreeNode left, TreeNode right) {
* this.val = val;
* this.left = left;
* this.right = right;
* }
* }
*/
class Solution {
public int heightOfTree(TreeNode root) {

}
}

```

Python3:

```

# Definition for a binary tree node.
# class TreeNode:
# def __init__(self, val=0, left=None, right=None):
# self.val = val
# self.left = left
# self.right = right
class Solution:
def heightOfTree(self, root: Optional[TreeNode]) -> int:

```

Python:

```

# Definition for a binary tree node.
# class TreeNode(object):
# def __init__(self, val=0, left=None, right=None):
# self.val = val
# self.left = left
# self.right = right
class Solution(object):
def heightOfTree(self, root):
    """
    :type root: Optional[TreeNode]
    :rtype: int
    """

```

JavaScript:

```
/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * function TreeNode(val, left, right) {
 *   this.val = (val===undefined ? 0 : val)
 *   this.left = (left===undefined ? null : left)
 *   this.right = (right===undefined ? null : right)
 * }
 */
/**
 * @param {TreeNode} root
 * @return {number}
 */
var heightOfTree = function(root) {

};
```

TypeScript:

```
/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * class TreeNode {
 *   val: number
 *   left: TreeNode | null
 *   right: TreeNode | null
 *   constructor(val?: number, left?: TreeNode | null, right?: TreeNode | null)
 *   {
 *     this.val = (val===undefined ? 0 : val)
 *     this.left = (left===undefined ? null : left)
 *     this.right = (right===undefined ? null : right)
 *   }
 * }
 */

function heightOfTree(root: TreeNode | null): number {

};
```

C#:

```
/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
```

```

* public class TreeNode {
* public int val;
* public TreeNode left;
* public TreeNode right;
* public TreeNode(int val=0, TreeNode left=null, TreeNode right=null) {
* this.val = val;
* this.left = left;
* this.right = right;
* }
* }
*/
public class Solution {
public int HeightOfTree(TreeNode root) {

}

}

```

C:

```

/**
* Definition for a binary tree node.
* struct TreeNode {
* int val;
* struct TreeNode *left;
* struct TreeNode *right;
* };
*/
int heightOfTree(struct TreeNode* root){

}

```

Go:

```

/**
* Definition for a binary tree node.
* type TreeNode struct {
* Val int
* Left *TreeNode
* Right *TreeNode
* }
*/
func heightOfTree(root *TreeNode) int {

```

```
}
```

Kotlin:

```
/**
 * Example:
 * var ti = TreeNode(5)
 * var v = ti.`val`
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * class TreeNode(var `val`: Int) {
 *     var left: TreeNode? = null
 *     var right: TreeNode? = null
 * }
 */
class Solution {
    fun heightOfTree(root: TreeNode?): Int {

    }
}
```

Swift:

```
/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * public class TreeNode {
 *     public var val: Int
 *     public var left: TreeNode?
 *     public var right: TreeNode?
 *     public init() { self.val = 0; self.left = nil; self.right = nil; }
 *     public init(_ val: Int) { self.val = val; self.left = nil; self.right = nil; }
 *     public init(_ val: Int, _ left: TreeNode?, _ right: TreeNode?) {
 *         self.val = val
 *         self.left = left
 *         self.right = right
 *     }
 * }
 */
class Solution {
    func heightOfTree(_ root: TreeNode?) -> Int {
```

```
}  
}
```

Ruby:

```
# Definition for a binary tree node.  
# class TreeNode  
# attr_accessor :val, :left, :right  
# def initialize(val = 0, left = nil, right = nil)  
# @val = val  
# @left = left  
# @right = right  
# end  
# end  
# @param {TreeNode} root  
# @return {Integer}  
def height_of_tree(root)  
  
end
```

PHP:

```
/**  
 * Definition for a binary tree node.  
 * class TreeNode {  
 * public $val = null;  
 * public $left = null;  
 * public $right = null;  
 * function __construct($val = 0, $left = null, $right = null) {  
 * $this->val = $val;  
 * $this->left = $left;  
 * $this->right = $right;  
 * }  
 * }  
 */  
class Solution {  
  
    /**  
     * @param TreeNode $root  
     * @return Integer  
     */  
    function heightOfTree($root) {
```

```
}  
}
```

Dart:

```
/**  
 * Definition for a binary tree node.  
 * class TreeNode {  
 *   int val;  
 *   TreeNode? left;  
 *   TreeNode? right;  
 *   TreeNode([this.val = 0, this.left, this.right]);  
 * }  
 */  
class Solution {  
  int heightOfTree(TreeNode? root) {  
  
  }  
}
```

Scala:

```
/**  
 * Definition for a binary tree node.  
 * class TreeNode(_value: Int = 0, _left: TreeNode = null, _right: TreeNode =  
 null) {  
 *   var value: Int = _value  
 *   var left: TreeNode = _left  
 *   var right: TreeNode = _right  
 * }  
 */  
object Solution {  
  def heightOfTree(root: TreeNode): Int = {  
  
  }  
}
```

Solutions

C++ Solution:

```
/*
 * Problem: Height of Special Binary Tree
 * Difficulty: Medium
 * Tags: tree, graph, search
 *
 * Approach: DFS or BFS traversal
 * Time Complexity: O(n) where n is number of nodes
 * Space Complexity: O(h) for recursion stack where h is height
 */

/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * struct TreeNode {
 *     int val;
 *     TreeNode *left;
 *     TreeNode *right;
 *     TreeNode() : val(0), left(nullptr), right(nullptr) {
 * // TODO: Implement optimized solution
 *     return 0;
 * }
 *     TreeNode(int x) : val(x), left(nullptr), right(nullptr) {
 * // TODO: Implement optimized solution
 *     return 0;
 * }
 *     TreeNode(int x, TreeNode *left, TreeNode *right) : val(x), left(left),
 *     right(right) {
 * // TODO: Implement optimized solution
 *     return 0;
 * }
 * };
 */

class Solution {
public:
    int heightOfTree(TreeNode* root) {

    }
};
```

Java Solution:

```

/**
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 * Tags: tree, graph, search
 *
 * Approach: DFS or BFS traversal
 * Time Complexity: O(n) where n is number of nodes
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 */

/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * public class TreeNode {
 *     int val;
 *     TreeNode left;
 *     TreeNode right;
 *     TreeNode() {
 *         // TODO: Implement optimized solution
 *         return 0;
 *     }
 *     TreeNode(int val) { this.val = val; }
 *     TreeNode(int val, TreeNode left, TreeNode right) {
 *         this.val = val;
 *         this.left = left;
 *         this.right = right;
 *     }
 * }
 */
class Solution {
    public int heightOfTree(TreeNode root) {

    }
}

```

Python3 Solution:

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Approach: DFS or BFS traversal

```



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"""

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# class TreeNode:
# def __init__(self, val=0, left=None, right=None):
# self.val = val
# self.left = left
# self.right = right
class Solution:
def heightOfTree(self, root: Optional[TreeNode]) -> int:
# TODO: Implement optimized solution
pass

```

Python Solution:

```

# Definition for a binary tree node.
# class TreeNode(object):
# def __init__(self, val=0, left=None, right=None):
# self.val = val
# self.left = left
# self.right = right
class Solution(object):
def heightOfTree(self, root):
"""
:type root: Optional[TreeNode]
:rtype: int
"""

```

JavaScript Solution:

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 * }
 */
/**
 * @param {TreeNode} root
 * @return {number}
 */
var heightOfTree = function(root) {

};

```

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 * }

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*/

function heightOfTree(root: TreeNode | null): number {

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public class Solution {
    public int HeightOfTree(TreeNode root) {

    }
}

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 * }  
 * }  
 */  
class Solution {  
  
    /**  
     * @param TreeNode $root  
     * @return Integer  
     */  
}
```

```
function heightOfTree($root) {  
  
}  
}
```

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}
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object Solution {  
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  }  
}
```