

Problem 1184: Distance Between Bus Stops

Problem Information

Difficulty: [Easy](#)

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

Problem Description

A bus has

n

stops numbered from

0

to

$n - 1$

that form a circle. We know the distance between all pairs of neighboring stops where

$\text{distance}[i]$

is the distance between the stops number

i

and

$(i + 1) \% n$

.

The bus goes along both directions i.e. clockwise and counterclockwise.

Return the shortest distance between the given

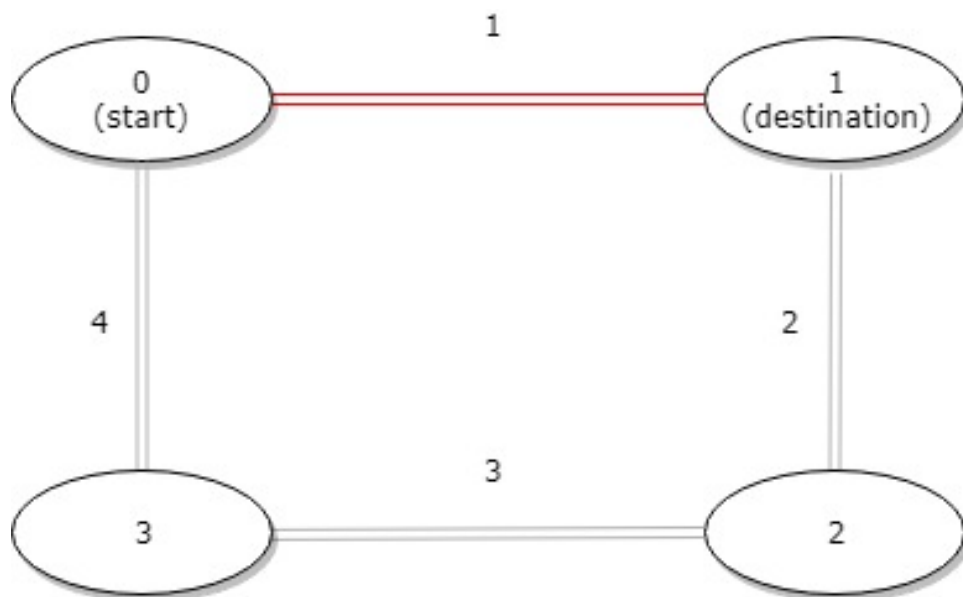
start

and

destination

stops.

Example 1:



Input:

distance = [1,2,3,4], start = 0, destination = 1

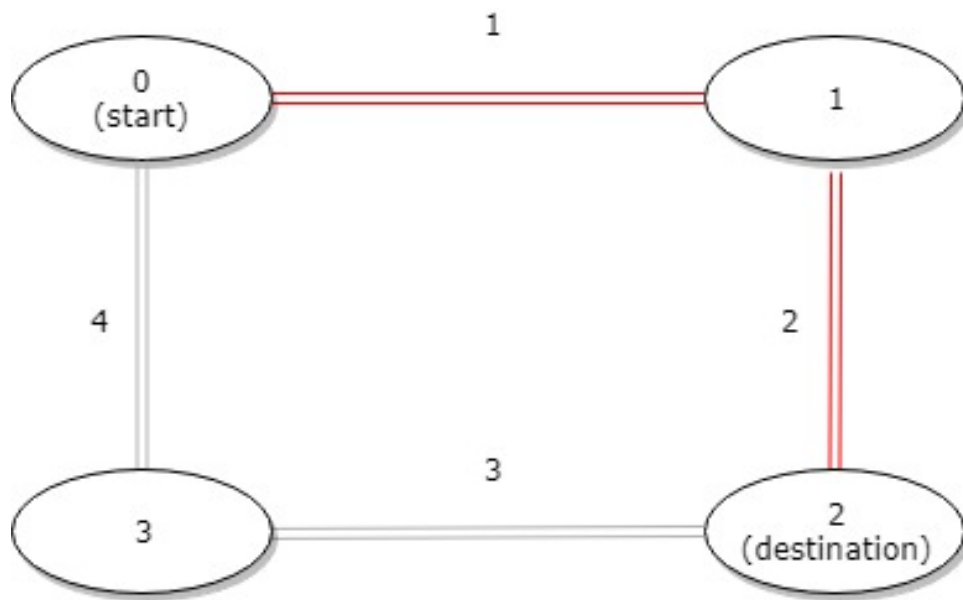
Output:

1

Explanation:

Distance between 0 and 1 is 1 or 9, minimum is 1.

Example 2:



Input:

distance = [1,2,3,4], start = 0, destination = 2

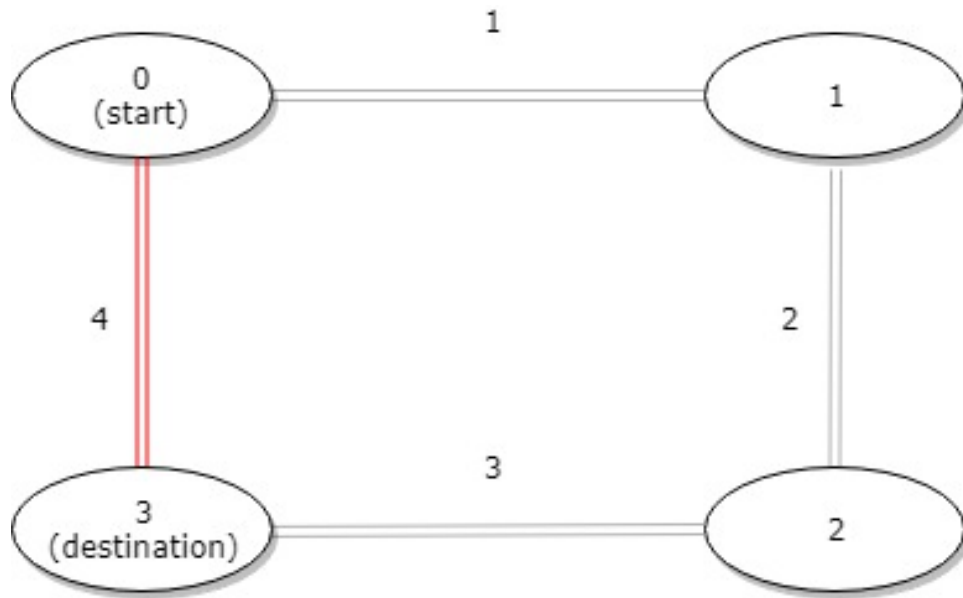
Output:

3

Explanation:

Distance between 0 and 2 is 3 or 7, minimum is 3.

Example 3:



Input:

distance = [1,2,3,4], start = 0, destination = 3

Output:

4

Explanation:

Distance between 0 and 3 is 6 or 4, minimum is 4.

Constraints:

$1 \leq n \leq 10^4$

distance.length == n

$0 \leq \text{start}, \text{destination} < n$

$0 \leq \text{distance}[i] \leq 10^4$

Code Snippets

C++:

```
class Solution {
public:
    int distanceBetweenBusStops(vector<int>& distance, int start, int
destination) {

    }
};
```

Java:

```
class Solution {
    public int distanceBetweenBusStops(int[] distance, int start, int
destination) {

    }
}
```

Python3:

```
class Solution:
    def distanceBetweenBusStops(self, distance: List[int], start: int,
destination: int) -> int:
```

Python:

```
class Solution(object):
    def distanceBetweenBusStops(self, distance, start, destination):
        """
        :type distance: List[int]
        :type start: int
        :type destination: int
        :rtype: int
        """
```

JavaScript:

```
/**
 * @param {number[]} distance
 * @param {number} start
 * @param {number} destination
 * @return {number}
```

```
*/  
var distanceBetweenBusStops = function(distance, start, destination) {  
  
};
```

TypeScript:

```
function distanceBetweenBusStops(distance: number[], start: number,  
destination: number): number {  
  
};
```

C#:

```
public class Solution {  
    public int DistanceBetweenBusStops(int[] distance, int start, int  
    destination) {  
  
    }  
}
```

C:

```
int distanceBetweenBusStops(int* distance, int distanceSize, int start, int  
destination){  
  
}
```

Go:

```
func distanceBetweenBusStops(distance []int, start int, destination int) int  
{  
  
}
```

Kotlin:

```
class Solution {  
    fun distanceBetweenBusStops(distance: IntArray, start: Int, destination:  
    Int): Int {
```

```
}  
}
```

Swift:

```
class Solution {  
    func distanceBetweenBusStops(_ distance: [Int], _ start: Int, _ destination:  
        Int) -> Int {  
  
    }  
}
```

Rust:

```
impl Solution {  
    pub fn distance_between_bus_stops(distance: Vec<i32>, start: i32,  
        destination: i32) -> i32 {  
  
    }  
}
```

Ruby:

```
# @param {Integer[]} distance  
# @param {Integer} start  
# @param {Integer} destination  
# @return {Integer}  
def distance_between_bus_stops(distance, start, destination)  
  
end
```

PHP:

```
class Solution {  
  
    /**  
     * @param Integer[] $distance  
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     * @return Integer  
     */  
}
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function distanceBetweenBusStops($distance, $start, $destination) {  
  
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Scala:

```
object Solution {  
  def distanceBetweenBusStops(distance: Array[Int], start: Int, destination:  
    Int): Int = {  
  
  }  
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```

Solutions

C++ Solution:

```
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 * Difficulty: Easy  
 * Tags: array  
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 * Approach: Use two pointers or sliding window technique  
 * Time Complexity: O(n) or O(n log n)  
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Java Solution:

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def distanceBetweenBusStops(self, distance: List[int], start: int,
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# TODO: Implement optimized solution
pass

```

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