

Problem 3540: Minimum Time to Visit All Houses

Problem Information

Difficulty: Medium

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

Problem Description

You are given two integer arrays

forward

and

backward

, both of size

n

. You are also given another integer array

queries

.

There are

n

houses

arranged in a circle

. The houses are connected via roads in a special arrangement:

For all

$0 \leq i \leq n - 2$

, house

i

is connected to house

$i + 1$

via a road with length

`forward[i]`

meters. Additionally, house

$n - 1$

is connected back to house 0 via a road with length

`forward[n - 1]`

meters, completing the circle.

For all

$1 \leq i \leq n - 1$

, house

i

is connected to house

i - 1

via a road with length

backward[i]

meters. Additionally, house 0 is connected back to house

n - 1

via a road with length

backward[0]

meters, completing the circle.

You can walk at a pace of

one

meter per second. Starting from house 0, find the

minimum

time taken to visit each house in the order specified by

queries

Return the

minimum

total time taken to visit the houses.

Example 1:

Input:

forward = [1,4,4], backward = [4,1,2], queries = [1,2,0,2]

Output:

12

Explanation:

The path followed is

0

(0)

→

1

(1)

→

2

(5)

→

1

(7)

→

0

(8)

→

2

(12)

Note:

The notation used is

node

(total time)

,

→

represents forward road, and

→

represents backward road.

Example 2:

Input:

forward = [1,1,1,1], backward = [2,2,2,2], queries = [1,2,3,0]

Output:

4

Explanation:

The path travelled is

0

→

1

→

2

→

3

→

0

. Each step is in the forward direction and requires 1 second.

Constraints:

$2 \leq n \leq 10$

5

$n == \text{forward.length} == \text{backward.length}$

$1 \leq \text{forward}[i], \text{backward}[i] \leq 10$

5

$1 \leq \text{queries.length} \leq 10$

5

$0 \leq \text{queries}[i] < n$

```
queries[i] != queries[i + 1]
```

```
queries[0]
```

is not 0.

Code Snippets

C++:

```
class Solution {  
public:  
    long long minTotalTime(vector<int>& forward, vector<int>& backward,  
    vector<int>& queries) {  
  
    }  
};
```

Java:

```
class Solution {  
    public long minTotalTime(int[] forward, int[] backward, int[] queries) {  
  
    }  
}
```

Python3:

```
class Solution:  
    def minTotalTime(self, forward: List[int], backward: List[int], queries:  
        List[int]) -> int:
```

Python:

```
class Solution(object):  
    def minTotalTime(self, forward, backward, queries):  
        """  
        :type forward: List[int]  
        :type backward: List[int]  
        :type queries: List[int]
```

```
:rtype: int  
"""
```

JavaScript:

```
/**  
 * @param {number[]} forward  
 * @param {number[]} backward  
 * @param {number[]} queries  
 * @return {number}  
 */  
var minTotalTime = function(forward, backward, queries) {  
  
};
```

TypeScript:

```
function minTotalTime(forward: number[], backward: number[], queries:  
number[]): number {  
  
};
```

C#:

```
public class Solution {  
    public long MinTotalTime(int[] forward, int[] backward, int[] queries) {  
  
    }  
}
```

C:

```
long long minTotalTime(int* forward, int forwardSize, int* backward, int  
backwardSize, int* queries, int queriesSize) {  
  
}
```

Go:

```
func minTotalTime(forward []int, backward []int, queries []int) int64 {  
  
}
```

Kotlin:

```
class Solution {  
    fun minTotalTime(forward: IntArray, backward: IntArray, queries: IntArray):  
        Long {  
  
    }  
}
```

Swift:

```
class Solution {  
    func minTotalTime(_ forward: [Int], _ backward: [Int], _ queries: [Int]) ->  
        Int {  
  
    }  
}
```

Rust:

```
impl Solution {  
    pub fn min_total_time(forward: Vec<i32>, backward: Vec<i32>, queries:  
        Vec<i32>) -> i64 {  
  
    }  
}
```

Ruby:

```
# @param {Integer[]} forward  
# @param {Integer[]} backward  
# @param {Integer[]} queries  
# @return {Integer}  
def min_total_time(forward, backward, queries)  
  
end
```

PHP:

```
class Solution {  
  
    /**  
     * @param Integer[] $forward  
     */  
}
```

```

* @param Integer[] $backward
* @param Integer[] $queries
* @return Integer
*/
function minTotalTime($forward, $backward, $queries) {

}
}

```

Dart:

```

class Solution {
int minTotalTime(List<int> forward, List<int> backward, List<int> queries) {
}
}

```

Scala:

```

object Solution {
def minTotalTime(forward: Array[Int], backward: Array[Int], queries:
Array[Int]): Long = {
}
}

```

Elixir:

```

defmodule Solution do
@spec min_total_time(forward :: [integer], backward :: [integer], queries :: [integer]) :: integer
def min_total_time(forward, backward, queries) do
end
end

```

Erlang:

```

-spec min_total_time(Forward :: [integer()], Backward :: [integer()], Queries
:: [integer()]) -> integer().
min_total_time(Forward, Backward, Queries) ->
.
```

Racket:

```
(define/contract (min-total-time forward backward queries)
  (-> (listof exact-integer?) (listof exact-integer?) (listof exact-integer?)
        exact-integer?))
)
```

Solutions

C++ Solution:

```
/*
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 * Difficulty: Medium
 * Tags: array
 *
 * Approach: Use two pointers or sliding window technique
 * Time Complexity: O(n) or O(n log n)
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class Solution {
public:
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    }
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Java Solution:

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    }  
}
```

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"""  
  
class Solution:  
    def minTotalTime(self, forward: List[int], backward: List[int], queries: List[int]) -> int:  
        # TODO: Implement optimized solution  
        pass
```

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```

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end
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