

Problem 624: Maximum Distance in Arrays

Problem Information

Difficulty: **Medium**

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

Problem Description

You are given

m

arrays

, where each array is sorted in

ascending order

.

You can pick up two integers from two different arrays (each array picks one) and calculate the distance. We define the distance between two integers

a

and

b

to be their absolute difference

$|a - b|$

.

Return

the maximum distance

.

Example 1:

Input:

arrays = [[1,2,3],[4,5],[1,2,3]]

Output:

4

Explanation:

One way to reach the maximum distance 4 is to pick 1 in the first or third array and pick 5 in the second array.

Example 2:

Input:

arrays = [[1],[1]]

Output:

0

Constraints:

$m == \text{arrays.length}$

$2 \leq m \leq 10$

5

1 <= arrays[i].length <= 500

-10

4

<= arrays[i][j] <= 10

4

arrays[i]

is sorted in

ascending order

.

There will be at most

10

5

integers in all the arrays.

Code Snippets

C++:

```
class Solution {
public:
    int maxDistance(vector<vector<int>>& arrays) {

    }
};
```

Java:

```

class Solution {
public int maxDistance(List<List<Integer>> arrays) {

}

}

```

Python3:

```

class Solution:
def maxDistance(self, arrays: List[List[int]]) -> int:

```

Python:

```

class Solution(object):
def maxDistance(self, arrays):
"""
:type arrays: List[List[int]]
:rtype: int
"""

```

JavaScript:

```

/**
 * @param {number[][]} arrays
 * @return {number}
 */
var maxDistance = function(arrays) {

};

```

TypeScript:

```

function maxDistance(arrays: number[][]): number {

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```

C#:

```

public class Solution {
public int MaxDistance(ICollection<ICollection<int>> arrays) {

}

}

```

C:

```
int maxDistance(int** arrays, int arraysSize, int* arraysColSize) {  
  
}
```

Go:

```
func maxDistance(arrays [][]int) int {  
  
}
```

Kotlin:

```
class Solution {  
    fun maxDistance(arrays: List<List<Int>>): Int {  
  
    }  
}
```

Swift:

```
class Solution {  
    func maxDistance(_ arrays: [[Int]]) -> Int {  
  
    }  
}
```

Rust:

```
impl Solution {  
    pub fn max_distance(arrays: Vec<Vec<i32>>) -> i32 {  
  
    }  
}
```

Ruby:

```
# @param {Integer[][]} arrays  
# @return {Integer}  
def max_distance(arrays)  
  
end
```

PHP:

```
class Solution {

    /**
     * @param Integer[][] $arrays
     * @return Integer
     */
    function maxDistance($arrays) {

    }

}
```

Dart:

```
class Solution {
  int maxDistance(List<List<int>> arrays) {

  }
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Scala:

```
object Solution {
  def maxDistance(arrays: List[List[Int]]): Int = {

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Elixir:

```
defmodule Solution do
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Erlang:

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(define/contract (max-distance arrays)
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Solutions

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        # TODO: Implement optimized solution  
        pass
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