

# Problem 3693: Climbing Stairs II

## Problem Information

Difficulty: **Medium**

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

## Problem Description

You are climbing a staircase with

$n + 1$

steps, numbered from 0 to

$n$

.

You are also given a

1-indexed

integer array

costs

of length

$n$

, where

costs[i]

is the cost of step

$i$

.

From step

$i$

, you can jump

only

to step

$i + 1$

,

$i + 2$

, or

$i + 3$

. The cost of jumping from step

$i$

to step

$j$

is defined as:

$\text{costs}[j] + (j - i)$

You start from step 0 with

cost = 0

.

Return the

minimum

total cost to reach step

n

.

Example 1:

Input:

n = 4, costs = [1,2,3,4]

Output:

13

Explanation:

One optimal path is

$0 \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 4$

Jump

Cost Calculation

Cost

$0 \rightarrow 1$

$\text{costs}[1] + (1 - 0)$

2

$= 1 + 1$

2

$1 \rightarrow 2$

$\text{costs}[2] + (2 - 1)$

2

$= 2 + 1$

3

$2 \rightarrow 4$

$\text{costs}[4] + (4 - 2)$

2

$= 4 + 4$

8

Thus, the minimum total cost is

$2 + 3 + 8 = 13$

Example 2:

Input:

$n = 4, \text{costs} = [5, 1, 6, 2]$

Output:

11

Explanation:

One optimal path is

$0 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 4$

Jump

Cost Calculation

Cost

$0 \rightarrow 2$

$\text{costs}[2] + (2 - 0)$

2

$= 1 + 4$

5

$2 \rightarrow 4$

$\text{costs}[4] + (4 - 2)$

2

$= 2 + 4$

6

Thus, the minimum total cost is

$$5 + 6 = 11$$

Example 3:

Input:

$n = 3$ , costs = [9,8,3]

Output:

12

Explanation:

The optimal path is

$0 \rightarrow 3$

with total cost =

costs[3] + (3 - 0)

2

$$= 3 + 9 = 12$$

Constraints:

$1 \leq n == \text{costs.length} \leq 10$

5

$1 \leq \text{costs}[i] \leq 10$

4

## Code Snippets

### C++:

```
class Solution {  
public:  
    int climbStairs(int n, vector<int>& costs) {  
  
    }  
};
```

### Java:

```
class Solution {  
    public int climbStairs(int n, int[] costs) {  
  
    }  
}
```

### Python3:

```
class Solution:  
    def climbStairs(self, n: int, costs: List[int]) -> int:
```

### Python:

```
class Solution(object):  
    def climbStairs(self, n, costs):  
        """  
        :type n: int  
        :type costs: List[int]  
        :rtype: int  
        """
```

### JavaScript:

```
/**  
 * @param {number} n  
 * @param {number[]} costs  
 * @return {number}  
 */  
var climbStairs = function(n, costs) {
```

```
};
```

### TypeScript:

```
function climbStairs(n: number, costs: number[]): number {  
  
};
```

### C#:

```
public class Solution {  
    public int ClimbStairs(int n, int[] costs) {  
  
    }  
}
```

### C:

```
int climbStairs(int n, int* costs, int costsSize) {  
  
}
```

### Go:

```
func climbStairs(n int, costs []int) int {  
  
}
```

### Kotlin:

```
class Solution {  
    fun climbStairs(n: Int, costs: IntArray): Int {  
  
    }  
}
```

### Swift:

```
class Solution {  
    func climbStairs(_ n: Int, _ costs: [Int]) -> Int {  
  
    }  
}
```



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}
```

### Rust:

```
impl Solution {  
    pub fn climb_stairs(n: i32, costs: Vec<i32>) -> i32 {  
  
    }  
}
```

### Ruby:

```
# @param {Integer} n  
# @param {Integer[]} costs  
# @return {Integer}  
def climb_stairs(n, costs)  
  
end
```

### PHP:

```
class Solution {  
  
    /**  
     * @param Integer $n  
     * @param Integer[] $costs  
     * @return Integer  
     */  
    function climbStairs($n, $costs) {  
  
    }  
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### Dart:

```
class Solution {  
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### Scala:

```

object Solution {
  def climbStairs(n: Int, costs: Array[Int]): Int = {

  }
}

```

### Elixir:

```

defmodule Solution do
  @spec climb_stairs(n :: integer, costs :: [integer]) :: integer
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  end
end

```

### Erlang:

```

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climb_stairs(N, Costs) ->
.

```

### Racket:

```

(define/contract (climb-stairs n costs)
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## Solutions

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class Solution:
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        # TODO: Implement optimized solution
        pass

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