

Problem 3111: Minimum Rectangles to Cover Points

Problem Information

Difficulty: **Medium**

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

Problem Description

You are given a 2D integer array

`points`

, where

`points[i] = [x`

`i`

, `y`

`i`

`]`

. You are also given an integer

`w`

. Your task is to

cover

all

the given points with rectangles.

Each rectangle has its lower end at some point

$(x$

1

$, 0)$

and its upper end at some point

$(x$

2

$, y$

2

$)$

, where

x

1

$\leq x$

2

,

y

2

≥ 0

, and the condition

x

2

$-x$

1

$\leq w$

must

be satisfied for each rectangle.

A point is considered covered by a rectangle if it lies within or on the boundary of the rectangle.

Return an integer denoting the

minimum

number of rectangles needed so that each point is covered by

at least one

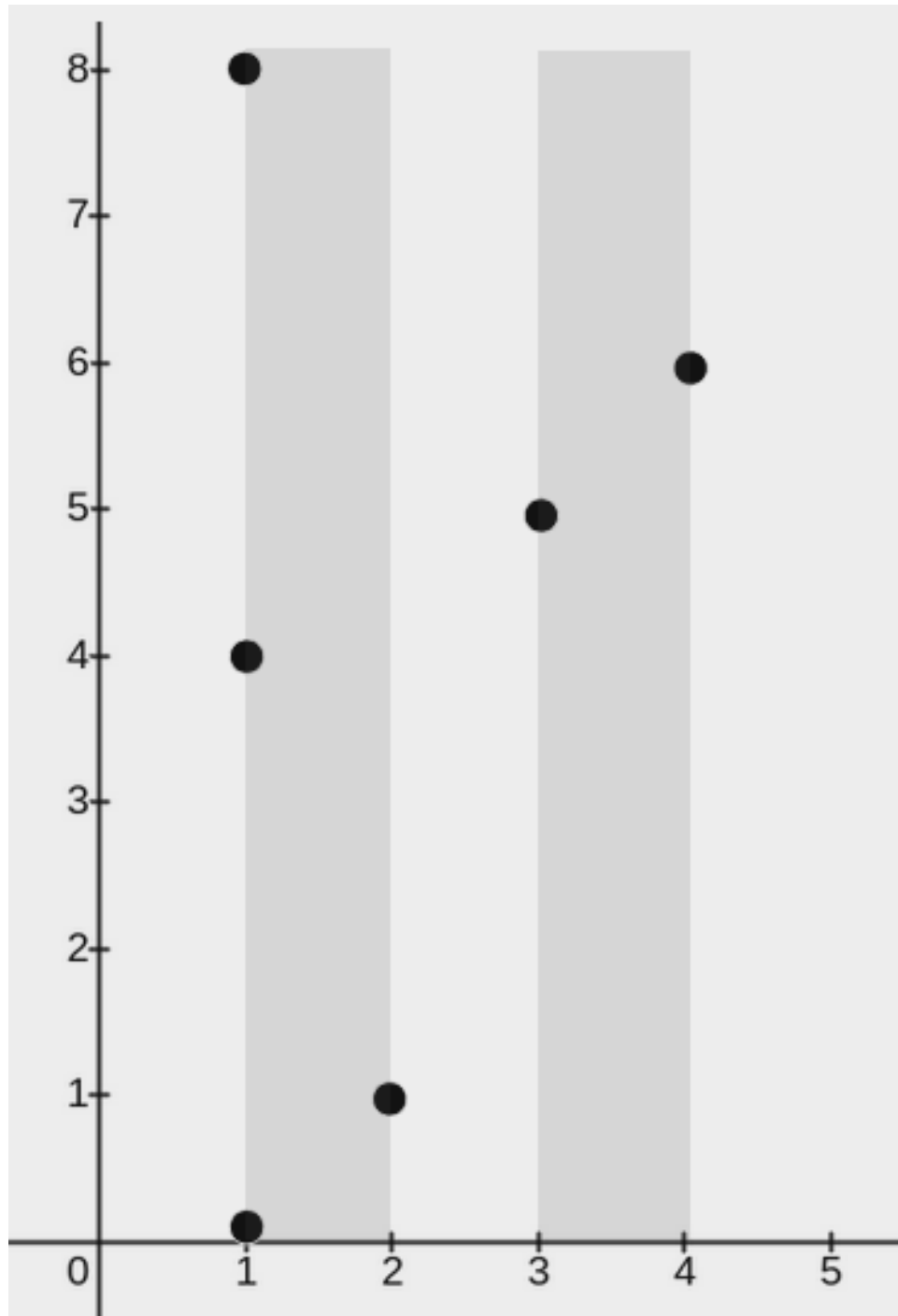
rectangle

.

Note:

A point may be covered by more than one rectangle.

Example 1:



Input:

points = [[2,1],[1,0],[1,4],[1,8],[3,5],[4,6]], w = 1

Output:

2

Explanation:

The image above shows one possible placement of rectangles to cover the points:

A rectangle with a lower end at

$(1, 0)$

and its upper end at

$(2, 8)$

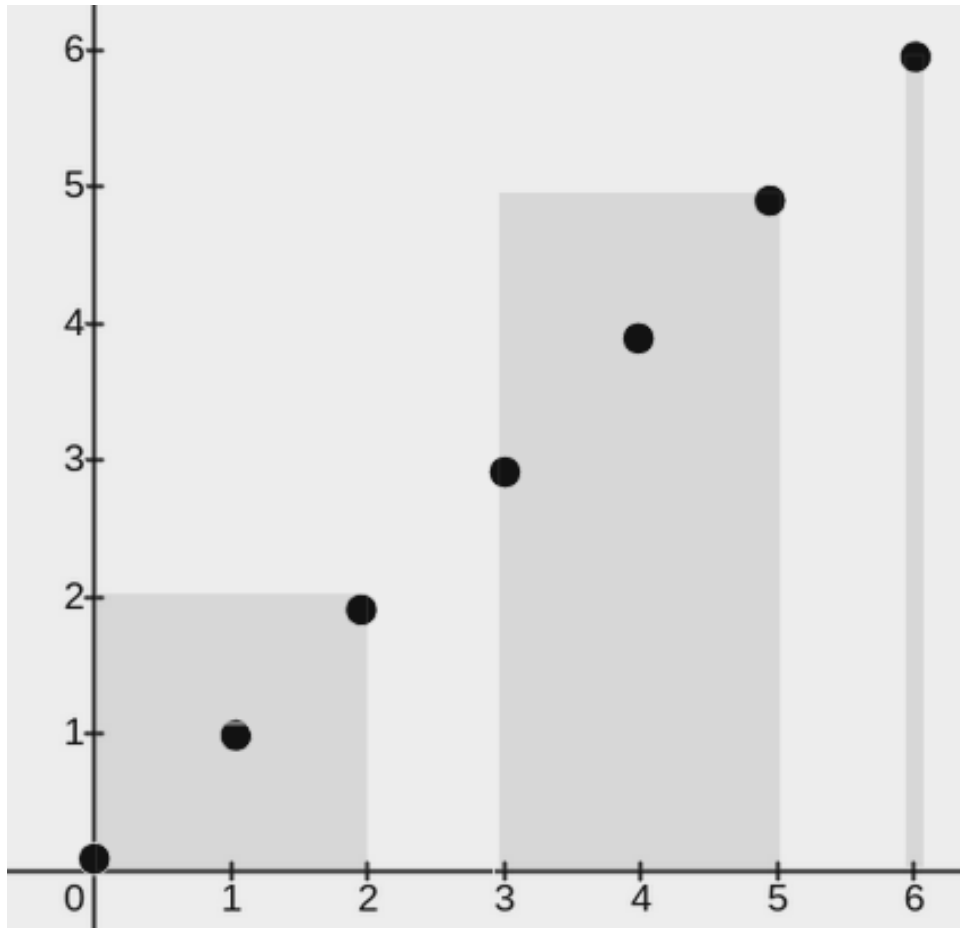
A rectangle with a lower end at

$(3, 0)$

and its upper end at

$(4, 8)$

Example 2:



Input:

points = [[0,0],[1,1],[2,2],[3,3],[4,4],[5,5],[6,6]], w = 2

Output:

3

Explanation:

The image above shows one possible placement of rectangles to cover the points:

A rectangle with a lower end at

(0, 0)

and its upper end at

(2, 2)

A rectangle with a lower end at

(3, 0)

and its upper end at

(5, 5)

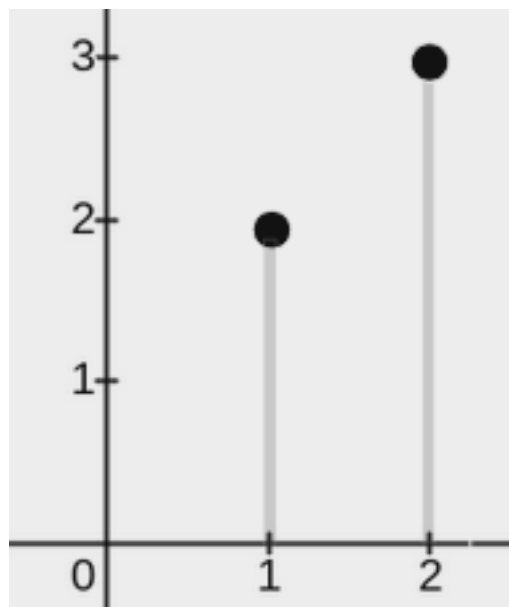
A rectangle with a lower end at

(6, 0)

and its upper end at

(6, 6)

Example 3:



Input:

points = $[[2,3],[1,2]]$, $w = 0$

Output:

2

Explanation:

The image above shows one possible placement of rectangles to cover the points:

A rectangle with a lower end at

(1, 0)

and its upper end at

(1, 2)

A rectangle with a lower end at

(2, 0)

and its upper end at

(2, 3)

Constraints:

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

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$\text{points}[i].\text{length} == 2$

$0 \leq x$

i

$== \text{points}[i][0] \leq 10$

9

0 <= y

i

== points[i][1] <= 10

9

0 <= w <= 10

9

All pairs

(x

i

, y

i

)

are distinct.

Code Snippets

C++:

```
class Solution {
public:
    int minRectanglesToCoverPoints(vector<vector<int>>& points, int w) {

    }
};
```

Java:

```

class Solution {
public int minRectanglesToCoverPoints(int[][] points, int w) {

}

}

```

Python3:

```

class Solution:
def minRectanglesToCoverPoints(self, points: List[List[int]], w: int) -> int:

```

Python:

```

class Solution(object):
def minRectanglesToCoverPoints(self, points, w):
"""
:type points: List[List[int]]
:type w: int
:rtype: int
"""

```

JavaScript:

```

/**
 * @param {number[][]} points
 * @param {number} w
 * @return {number}
 */
var minRectanglesToCoverPoints = function(points, w) {

};

```

TypeScript:

```

function minRectanglesToCoverPoints(points: number[][], w: number): number {

};

```

C#:

```

public class Solution {
public int MinRectanglesToCoverPoints(int[][] points, int w) {

```

```
}  
}
```

C:

```
int minRectanglesToCoverPoints(int** points, int pointsSize, int*  
pointsColSize, int w) {  
  
}
```

Go:

```
func minRectanglesToCoverPoints(points [][]int, w int) int {  
  
}
```

Kotlin:

```
class Solution {  
    fun minRectanglesToCoverPoints(points: Array<IntArray>, w: Int): Int {  
  
    }  
}
```

Swift:

```
class Solution {  
    func minRectanglesToCoverPoints(_ points: [[Int]], _ w: Int) -> Int {  
  
    }  
}
```

Rust:

```
impl Solution {  
    pub fn min_rectangles_to_cover_points(points: Vec<Vec<i32>>, w: i32) -> i32 {  
  
    }  
}
```

Ruby:

```

# @param {Integer[][]} points
# @param {Integer} w
# @return {Integer}
def min_rectangles_to_cover_points(points, w)

end

```

PHP:

```

class Solution {

    /**
     * @param Integer[][] $points
     * @param Integer $w
     * @return Integer
     */
    function minRectanglesToCoverPoints($points, $w) {

    }

}

```

Dart:

```

class Solution {
  int minRectanglesToCoverPoints(List<List<int>> points, int w) {

  }

}

```

Scala:

```

object Solution {
  def minRectanglesToCoverPoints(points: Array[Array[Int]], w: Int): Int = {

  }

}

```

Elixir:

```

defmodule Solution do
  @spec min_rectangles_to_cover_points(points :: [[integer]], w :: integer) ::
    integer
  def min_rectangles_to_cover_points(points, w) do

```

```
end  
end
```

Erlang:

```
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-> integer().  
min_rectangles_to_cover_points(Points, W) ->  
.
```

Racket:

```
(define/contract (min-rectangles-to-cover-points points w)  
  (-> (listof (listof exact-integer?)) exact-integer? exact-integer?)  
  )
```

Solutions

C++ Solution:

```
/*  
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 * Difficulty: Medium  
 * Tags: array, greedy, sort  
 *  
 * Approach: Use two pointers or sliding window technique  
 * Time Complexity: O(n) or O(n log n)  
 * Space Complexity: O(1) to O(n) depending on approach  
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Java Solution:

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Python3 Solution:

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class Solution:
def minRectanglesToCoverPoints(self, points: List[List[int]], w: int) -> int:
# TODO: Implement optimized solution
pass

```

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