Problem 3424: Minimum Cost to Make Arrays Identical

Problem Information

Difficulty: Medium
Acceptance Rate: 0.00%
Paid Only: No

Problem Description

You are given two integer arrays

arr

and

brr

of length

n

, and an integer

k

. You can perform the following operations on

arr

any

number of times:

Split

arr

into

any

number of

contiguous

subarrays

and rearrange these subarrays in

any order

. This operation has a fixed cost of

k

.

Choose any element in

arr

and add or subtract a positive integer

x

to it. The cost of this operation is

x

.

Return the

minimum

total cost to make

arr

equal

to

brr

.

Example 1:

Input:

arr = [-7,9,5], brr = [7,-2,-5], k = 2

Output:

13

Explanation:

Split

arr

into two contiguous subarrays:

[-7]

and

[9, 5]

and rearrange them as

[9, 5, -7]

, with a cost of 2.

Subtract 2 from element

arr[0]

. The array becomes

[7, 5, -7]

. The cost of this operation is 2.

Subtract 7 from element

arr[1]

. The array becomes

[7, -2, -7]

. The cost of this operation is 7.

Add 2 to element

arr[2]

. The array becomes

[7, -2, -5]

. The cost of this operation is 2.

The total cost to make the arrays equal is

2 + 2 + 7 + 2 = 13

.

Example 2:

Input:

arr = [2,1], brr = [2,1], k = 0

Output:

0

Explanation:

Since the arrays are already equal, no operations are needed, and the total cost is 0.

Constraints:

1 <= arr.length == brr.length <= 10

5

0 <= k <= 2 * 10

10

-10

5

<= arr[i] <= 10

5

-10

5

<= brr[i] <= 10

Code Snippets

C++:

```
class Solution {
public:
long long minCost(vector<int>& arr, vector<int>& brr, long long k) {

}
};
```

Java:

```
class Solution {
public long minCost(int[] arr, int[] brr, long k) {

}
}
```

Python3:

```
class Solution:
def minCost(self, arr: List[int], brr: List[int], k: int) -> int:
```

Python:

```
class Solution(object):
def minCost(self, arr, brr, k):
"""
:type arr: List[int]
:type brr: List[int]
:type k: int
:rtype: int
"""
```

JavaScript:

```
/**
* @param {number[]} arr
```

```
 * @param {number[]} brr
 * @param {number} k
 * @return {number}
 */
var minCost = function(arr, brr, k) {

};
```

TypeScript:

```
function minCost(arr: number[], brr: number[], k: number): number {

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C#:

```
public class Solution {
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C:

```
long long minCost(int* arr, int arrSize, int* brr, int brrSize, long long k)
{

}
```

Go:

```
func minCost(arr []int, brr []int, k int64) int64 {

}
```

Kotlin:

```
class Solution {
fun minCost(arr: IntArray, brr: IntArray, k: Long): Long {

}
}
```

Swift:

```
class Solution {
func minCost(_ arr: [Int], _ brr: [Int], _ k: Int) -> Int {

}
}
```

Rust:

```
impl Solution {
pub fn min_cost(arr: Vec<i32>, brr: Vec<i32>, k: i64) -> i64 {

}
}
```

Ruby:

```
# @param {Integer[]} arr
# @param {Integer[]} brr
# @param {Integer} k
# @return {Integer}
def min_cost(arr, brr, k)

end
```

PHP:

```
class Solution {

/**
* @param Integer[] $arr
* @param Integer[] $brr
* @param Integer $k
* @return Integer
*/
function minCost($arr, $brr, $k) {

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Dart:

```
class Solution {
int minCost(List<int> arr, List<int> brr, int k) {

}
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Scala:

```
object Solution {
def minCost(arr: Array[Int], brr: Array[Int], k: Long): Long = {

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Elixir:

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defmodule Solution do
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Erlang:

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Racket:

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Solutions

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# TODO: Implement optimized solution
pass
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