

Problem 2538: Difference Between Maximum and Minimum Price Sum

Problem Information

Difficulty: **Hard**

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

Problem Description

There exists an undirected and initially unrooted tree with

n

nodes indexed from

0

to

$n - 1$

. You are given the integer

n

and a 2D integer array

edges

of length

$n - 1$

, where

`edges[i] = [a`

`i`

`, b`

`i`

`]`

indicates that there is an edge between nodes

`a`

`i`

and

`b`

`i`

in the tree.

Each node has an associated price. You are given an integer array

`price`

, where

`price[i]`

is the price of the

`i`

th

node.

The

price sum

of a given path is the sum of the prices of all nodes lying on that path.

The tree can be rooted at any node

root

of your choice. The incurred

cost

after choosing

root

is the difference between the maximum and minimum

price sum

amongst all paths starting at

root

.

Return

the

maximum

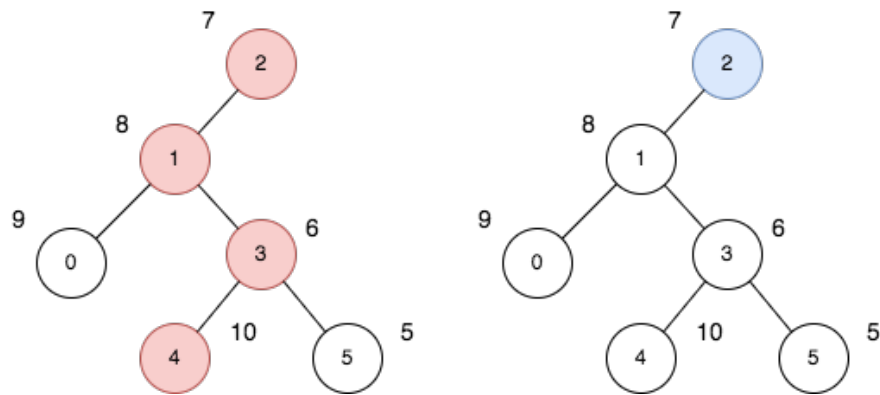
possible

cost

amongst all possible root choices

.

Example 1:



Input:

$n = 6$, edges = $[[0,1],[1,2],[1,3],[3,4],[3,5]]$, price = $[9,8,7,6,10,5]$

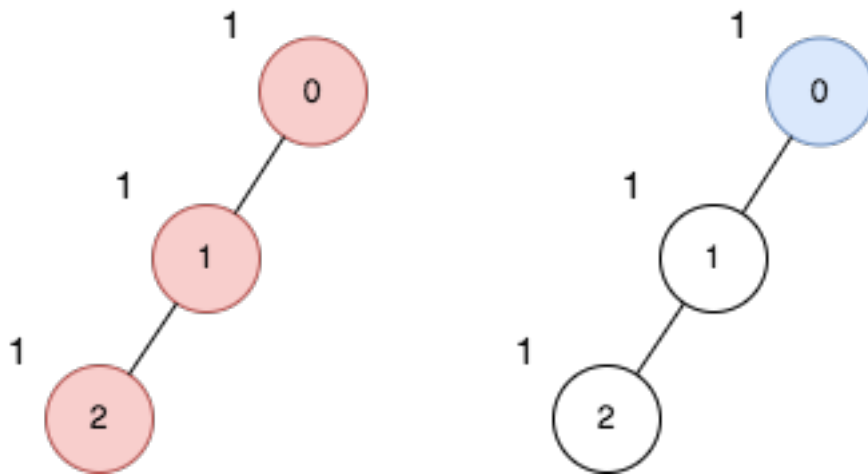
Output:

24

Explanation:

The diagram above denotes the tree after rooting it at node 2. The first part (colored in red) shows the path with the maximum price sum. The second part (colored in blue) shows the path with the minimum price sum. - The first path contains nodes $[2,1,3,4]$: the prices are $[7,8,6,10]$, and the sum of the prices is 31. - The second path contains the node $[2]$ with the price $[7]$. The difference between the maximum and minimum price sum is 24. It can be proved that 24 is the maximum cost.

Example 2:



Input:

$n = 3$, edges = $[[0,1],[1,2]]$, price = $[1,1,1]$

Output:

2

Explanation:

The diagram above denotes the tree after rooting it at node 0. The first part (colored in red) shows the path with the maximum price sum. The second part (colored in blue) shows the path with the minimum price sum. - The first path contains nodes $[0,1,2]$: the prices are $[1,1,1]$, and the sum of the prices is 3. - The second path contains node $[0]$ with a price $[1]$. The difference between the maximum and minimum price sum is 2. It can be proved that 2 is the maximum cost.

Constraints:

$1 \leq n \leq 10$

5

edges.length == $n - 1$

$0 \leq a$

i

, b

i

$\leq n - 1$

edges

represents a valid tree.

price.length == n

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

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Code Snippets

C++:

```
class Solution {
public:
    long long maxOutput(int n, vector<vector<int>>& edges, vector<int>& price) {

    }
};
```

Java:

```
class Solution {
    public long maxOutput(int n, int[][] edges, int[] price) {

    }
}
```

Python3:

```
class Solution:
    def maxOutput(self, n: int, edges: List[List[int]], price: List[int]) -> int:
```

Python:

```
class Solution(object):
    def maxOutput(self, n, edges, price):
        """
        :type n: int
        :type edges: List[List[int]]
        :type price: List[int]
        :rtype: int
        """
```

JavaScript:

```
/**
 * @param {number} n
 * @param {number[][]} edges
 * @param {number[]} price
 * @return {number}
 */
var maxOutput = function(n, edges, price) {

};
```

TypeScript:

```
function maxOutput(n: number, edges: number[][], price: number[]): number {

};
```

C#:

```
public class Solution {
    public long MaxOutput(int n, int[][] edges, int[] price) {

    }
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```

C:

```
long long maxOutput(int n, int** edges, int edgesSize, int* edgesColSize,
int* price, int priceSize) {

}
```

Go:

```
func maxOutput(n int, edges [][]int, price []int) int64 {  
  
}
```

Kotlin:

```
class Solution {  
    fun maxOutput(n: Int, edges: Array<IntArray>, price: IntArray): Long {  
  
    }  
}
```

Swift:

```
class Solution {  
    func maxOutput(_ n: Int, _ edges: [[Int]], _ price: [Int]) -> Int {  
  
    }  
}
```

Rust:

```
impl Solution {  
    pub fn max_output(n: i32, edges: Vec<Vec<i32>>, price: Vec<i32>) -> i64 {  
  
    }  
}
```

Ruby:

```
# @param {Integer} n  
# @param {Integer[][]} edges  
# @param {Integer[]} price  
# @return {Integer}  
def max_output(n, edges, price)  
  
end
```

PHP:


```

class Solution {

  /**
   * @param Integer $n
   * @param Integer[][] $edges
   * @param Integer[] $price
   * @return Integer
   */
  function maxOutput($n, $edges, $price) {

  }

}

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Dart:

```

class Solution {
  int maxOutput(int n, List<List<int>> edges, List<int> price) {

  }

}

```

Scala:

```

object Solution {
  def maxOutput(n: Int, edges: Array[Array[Int]], price: Array[Int]): Long = {

  }

}

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Elixir:

```

defmodule Solution do
  @spec max_output(n :: integer, edges :: [[integer]], price :: [integer]) ::
    integer
  def max_output(n, edges, price) do

  end

end

```

Erlang:

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-spec max_output(N :: integer(), Edges :: [[integer()]], Price ::
[integer()]) -> integer().

```

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max_output(N, Edges, Price) ->  
.
```

Racket:

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(define/contract (max-output n edges price)  
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Solutions

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 * Difficulty: Hard  
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 * Approach: Use two pointers or sliding window technique  
 * Time Complexity: O(n) or O(n log n)  
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# TODO: Implement optimized solution
pass

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