

Given a file and assume that you can only read the file using a given method `read4`, implement a method `read` to read  $n$  characters. Your method `read` may be called multiple times.

Method `read4`:

The API `read4` reads 4 consecutive characters from the file, then writes those characters into the buffer array `buf`.

The return value is the number of actual characters read.

Note that `read4()` has its own file pointer, much like `FILE *fp` in C.

Definition of `read4`:

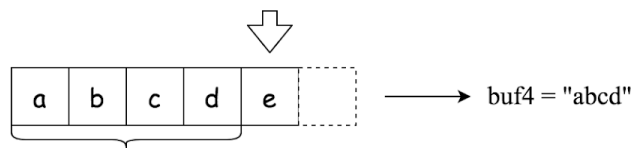
Parameter: `char[] buf4`

Returns: `int`

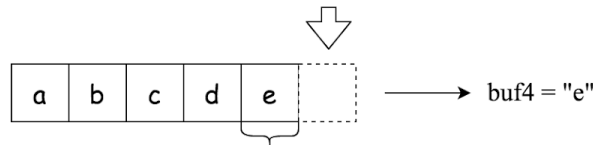
Note: `buf4[]` is destination not source, the results from `read4` will be copied to `buf4[]`

Below is a high level example of how `read4` works:

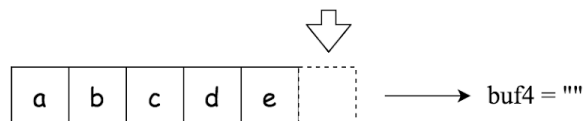
The first call of `read4`



The second call of `read4`



The third / forth / etc calls of `read4`



```
File file("abcde"); // File is "abcde", initially file pointer (fp) points to 'a'
char[] buf = new char[4]; // Create buffer with enough space to store characters
read4(buf4); // read4 returns 4. Now buf = "abcd", fp points to 'e'
read4(buf4); // read4 returns 1. Now buf = "e", fp points to end of file
read4(buf4); // read4 returns 0. Now buf = "", fp points to end of file
```

Method `read`:

By using the `read4` method, implement the method `read` that reads  $n$  characters from the file and store it in the buffer array `buf`. Consider that you cannot manipulate the file directly.

The return value is the number of actual characters read.

Definition of `read`:

Parameters: `char[] buf`, `int n`

Returns: int

Note: buf[] is destination not source, you will need to write the results to buf[]

Example 1:

```
File file("abc");
```

```
Solution sol;
```

```
// Assume buf is allocated and guaranteed to have enough space for storing all characters from the file.
```

```
sol.read(buf, 1); // After calling your read method, buf should contain "a". We read a total of 1 character from the file, so return 1.
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```
sol.read(buf, 2); // Now buf should contain "bc". We read a total of 2 characters from the file, so return 2.
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```
sol.read(buf, 1); // We have reached the end of file, no more characters can be read. So return 0.
```

Example 2:

```
File file("abc");
```

```
Solution sol;
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```
sol.read(buf, 4); // After calling your read method, buf should contain "abc". We read a total of 3 characters from the file, so return 3.
```

```
sol.read(buf, 1); // We have reached the end of file, no more characters can be read. So return 0.
```

Note:

- Consider that you cannot manipulate the file directly, the file is only accessible for `read4` but not for `read`.
- The `read` function may be called multiple times.
- Please remember to RESET your class variables declared in Solution, as static/class variables are persisted across multiple test cases. Please see [here](#) for more details.
- You may assume the destination buffer array, `buf`, is guaranteed to have enough space for storing  $n$  characters.
- It is guaranteed that in a given test case the same buffer `buf` is called by `read`.