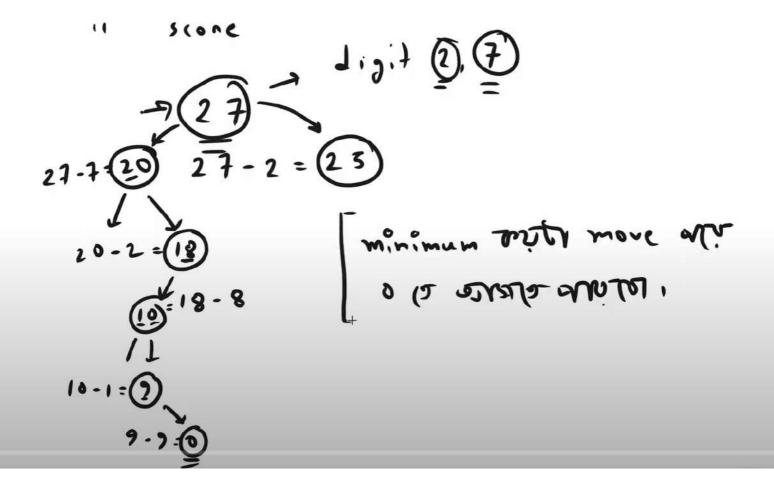
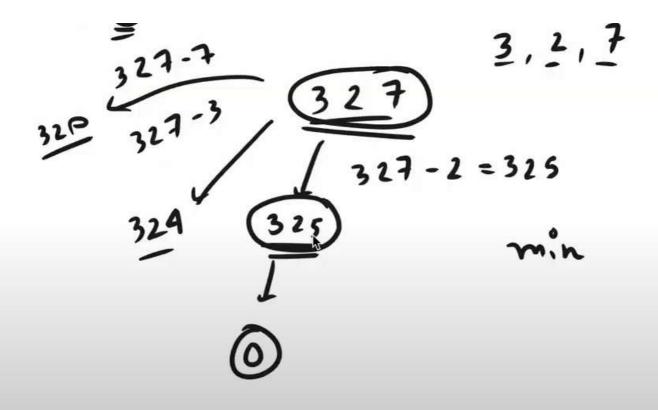


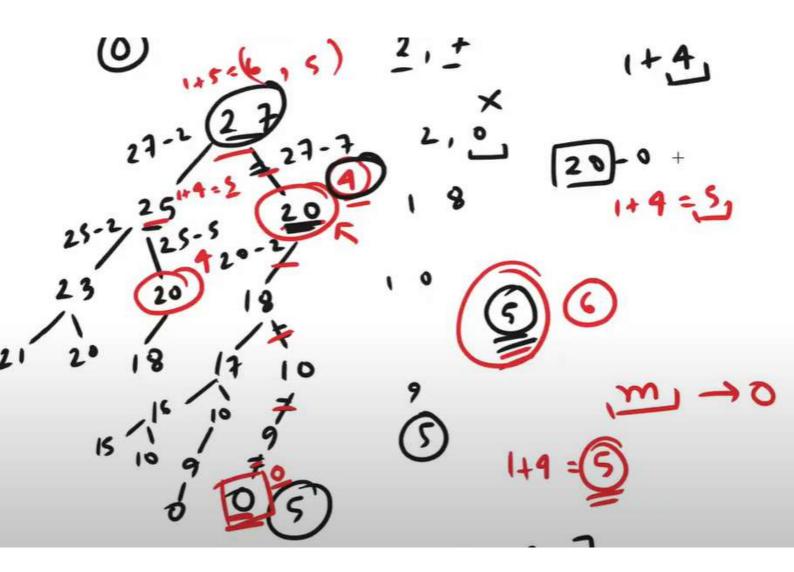
#### **CSES Problem Set**

# **Removing Digits**

TASK | SUBMIT | RESULTS | STATISTICS | TESTS | QUEUE Time limit: 1.00 s Memory limit: 512 MB **Dynamic Programming** You are given an integer n. On each step, you may subtract one of the digits 1 Minimizing Coins from the number. Coin Combinations I How many steps are required to make the number equal to 0? 1 Coin Combinations II Removing Digits Input Grid Paths The only input line has an integer n. -Book Shop Array Description 1 Output Counting Towers Print one integer: the minimum number of steps. Constraints Your submissions 2021-07-12 11:23:38 1 •  $1 \le n \le 10^6$ Example I Input: Output: Explanation: An optimal solution is  $27 \rightarrow 20 \rightarrow 18 \rightarrow 10 \rightarrow 9 \rightarrow 0.$ 









## **Problem Statement**

There are N stones, numbered  $1,2,\ldots,N$ . For each i ( $1\leq i\leq N$ ), the height of Stone i is  $h_i$ .

There is a frog who is initially on Stone 1. He will repeat the following action some number of times to reach Stone N:

ullet If the frog is currently on Stone i, jump to Stone i+1 or Stone i+2. Here, a cost of  $|h_i-h_j|$  is incurred, where j is the stone to land on.

Find the minimum possible total cost incurred before the frog reaches Stone N.

### Constraints

- · All values in input are integers.
- $2 \le N \le 10^5$
- $1 \le h_i \le 10^4$

### Input

Input is given from Standard Input in the following format:

$$h_1 \quad h_2 \quad \dots \quad h_N$$

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