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## Polynomial evaluation (2)

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Write a program that reads a number x and a polynomial  $p(z) = c_0 z^0 + c_1 z^1 + \cdots + c_n z^n$ , and computes p(x).

### Input

Input consists of a real number x followed by the description of the polynomial p(z): the real coefficients  $c_n$ ,  $c_{n-1}$ , ...,  $c_0$  in this order. (The first sample input/output corresponds to the evaluation of  $p(z) = 3 + 4z + 5z^2$  at x = 2.)

## Output

Print p(x) with 4 digits after the decimal point.

#### Hint

The expected solution uses Horner's rule.

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2 5 4 3

## Sample output 1

31.0000

#### Sample input 2

3 10 0 0

#### Sample output 2

90.0000

## Sample input 3

-2.5 5.4 0 -2 1

## Sample output 3

-78.3750

## **Problem information**

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