

Given an array of integers,  
Return the **indices** of  
two numbers such that they  
add up to a specific target

Reasonable Assumptions:

\*\* You can assume that each  
\*\* input has exactly 1 solution

\*\* You can't use the exact  
\*\* same element

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def TwoSum(nums,target):  
    temp = {}  
  
    for index, value in enumerate(num):  
        if target-value in temp:  
            return [temp[target-value],index]  
        else:  
            temp[value]=index
```

Breakdown:

example input = [2,7,11,15]    Target = 26

temp = {} // initially empty

for index,value in enumerate(nums):

\*remember what enumerate does!  
essentially this is what we're doing

index	0	1	2	3
value	2	7	11	15

The first iteration    index = 0  
                                 value = 2

if target-num in temp:

↳ if (26-2) in {} # False

else:

a[num] = i

↳ a[2] = 0, meaning a = {2:0}  
2 is the key - 0 is the value

\* Remember in  
Python dictionaries  
are  
Key: value

We want 2 to be the key

B/c the problem is asking us to  
the INDICES

$$\begin{array}{c|c|c} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ \hline 7 & 11 & 15 \end{array}$$

return

2<sup>nd</sup> iteration

if target-num in temp:

26 - 7 in {2:0} // False

else

temp[7] = 1

↳ {2:0, 7:1}

$$\begin{array}{c|c} 2 & 3 \\ \hline 11 & 15 \end{array}$$

3<sup>rd</sup> iteration

if target-num in temp:

26 - 11 in {2:0, 7:1} // False!

else

temp[11] = 2

↳ {2:0, 7:1, 11:2}

remainder of  
the input array →

$$\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 15 \end{array}$$

4<sup>th</sup> iteration:

if target-num in temp:

26 - 15 in {2:0, 7:1, 11:2} // TRUE

11 is in the dictionary Temp

return [Temp[26-15], index]

Temp[11], 3

return (2, 3) → Solved!