

Program 71.Length of Last Word

Given a string `s` consisting of words and spaces, return *the length of the last word in the string*.

A word is a maximal substring consisting of non-space characters only.

Example 1:

Input: `s = "Hello World"`

Output: 5

Explanation: The last word is "World" with length 5.

Program:

```
def lengthOfLastWord(s):
    # Remove any trailing spaces
    s = s.rstrip()

    # Split the string by spaces
    words = s.split(' ')

    # The last word is the last element in the list
    last_word = words[-1]

    # Return the length of the last word
    return len(last_word)

# Example usage:
s = "Hello World"
print(lengthOfLastWord(s)) # Output: 5
```

Output:

```
"C:\Program Files\Python312\python.exe" "C:\Work Space\DAA\DAA COADS.PYTHON\program 71.py"
5

Process finished with exit code 0
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Time complexity:

$O(n)$