

## Complexity Description of ScoreKeeper

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**Below I will describe the worst case complexity of the ScoreKeeper class by describing the worst case complexity of each method in ScoreKeeper.**

*I will refer to the amount of characters in a string as  $n$*

### convert\_to\_number(input,position)

This method converts a char in the string input at a given position and returns a value that corresponds to the char.

The worst case complexity of this method is  **$O(1)$**  because this method looks up returns values based on conditional statements.

### calculate(input)

Calculate starts off by calling compute\_number\_of\_throws and then executes one loop that loops  $n$  times. Each iteration of the loop consists of checking multiple conditionals  $O(1)$  resulting in a worst case complexity of  **$O(n)$** .

Therefore, while ignoring constants, this method has a total worst case complexity of  $O(n) + O(1) = \mathbf{O(n)}$