

Rotate List

Problem Description

Given the head of a linked list, rotate the list to the right by k places.

Example

Example 1:

Input:

head = [1,2,3,4,5], k = 2

Output:

[4,5,1,2,3]

Example 2:

Input:

head = [0,1,2], k = 4

Output:

[2,0,1]

Constraints

- The number of nodes in the list is in the range [0, 500].
- Node values are in the range [-100, 100].
- k is in the range [0, $2 * 10^9$].

Solution Approach

1. Check for base cases: If the linked list is empty, has only one node, or if k is 0, return the list as is.
2. Calculate the length of the linked list.
3. Find the actual rotation amount ($k \bmod \text{length of the list}$).
4. If the new rotation amount is 0, return the list as is.
5. Traverse to find the new tail and the node just before it.
6. Update pointers to perform rotation.