


## Tasks summary

Task	Time spent	Score
PermMissingElem 	3 min	100%

Total score

100%

## Tasks Details

easy

## 1. PermMissingElem

Find the missing element in a given permutation.

## Task Score

100%

### Correctness

100%

## Performance

100%

### Task description

An array A consisting of N different integers is given. The array contains integers in the range  $[1..(N + 1)]$ , which means that exactly one element is missing.

Your goal is to find that missing element.

Write a function:

```
def solution(A)
```

that, given an array A, returns the value of the missing element.

For example, given array A such that:

```
A[0] = 2
A[1] = 3
A[2] = 1
A[3] = 5
```

the function should return 4, as it is the missing element.

Write an **efficient** algorithm for the following assumptions:

- N is an integer within the range [0..100,000];
- the elements of A are all distinct;
- each element of array A is an integer within the range [1..(N + 1)].

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### Solution

Programming language used:		Python
Total time used:	3 minutes	
Effective time used:	3 minutes	
Notes:	not defined yet	

## Task timeline



Code: 00:10:44 UTC, py, final, score:  
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```

1  # you can write to stdout for debugging purposes, e.g.
2  # print("this is a debug message")
3
4  def solution(A):
5      # write your code in Python 3.6
6      if len(A) == 0:
7          return 1
8      elif len(A) == 1:
9          if A[0] == 1:
10             return 2
11         else:
12             return 1
13     else:
14         B = [0] * (len(A)+1)
15         for el in A:
16             B[el-1] = 1
17         for i in range(len(B)+1):
18             if i > 0:
19                 if B[i-1] == 0:
20                     return i

```

## Analysis summary

The solution obtained perfect score.

## Analysis

Detected time complexity:  **$O(N)$  or  $O(N * \log(N))$**

expand all		Example tests
▶	example example test	✓ OK
expand all		Correctness tests
▶	empty_and_single empty list and single element	✓ OK
▶	missing_first_or_last the first or the last element is missing	✓ OK
▶	single single element	✓ OK
▶	double two elements	✓ OK
▶	simple simple test	✓ OK
expand all		Performance tests
▶	medium1 medium test, length = ~10,000	✓ OK
▶	medium2 medium test, length = ~10,000	✓ OK
▶	large_range range sequence, length = ~100,000	✓ OK
▶	large1 large test, length = ~100,000	✓ OK
▶	large2 large test, length = ~100,000	✓ OK