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Solution 1

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1  # Copyright © 2020 AlgoExpert, LLC. All rights reserved.
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3  # O(n) time | O(n) space - where n is the length of the path
4  ▾ def shortenPath(path):
5      startsWithSlash = path[0] == "/"
6      tokens = filter(isImportantToken, path.split("/"))
7      stack = []
8  ▾      if startsWithSlash:
9          stack.append("")
10 ▾      for token in tokens:
11 ▾          if token == "..":
12 ▾              if len(stack) == 0 or stack[-1] == "..":
13                  stack.append(token)
14 ▾              elif stack[-1] != "":
15                  stack.pop()
16 ▾          else:
17              stack.append(token)
18
19 ▾      if len(stack) == 1 and stack[0] == "":
20          return "/"
21      return "/" + ".join(stack)
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23
24 ▾ def isImportantToken(token):
25     return len(token) > 0 and token != "."
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