# **Introduction to Computers and Programming**

## Extra

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## 1. Problems

# 1.1 ZigZag Conversion

You are required to write a program that takes a string and a positive integer as input, arranges the string in a zigzag pattern with a specified number of rows, and then reads the string line by line. For instance, taking the string "PAYPALISHIRING" and transforming it into 3 rows resulted in the elegant arrangement:

Then, reading the characters row by row revealed the unique sequence "PAHNAPLSIIGYIR." In another case, the zigzag pattern with 4 rows would look like:

The characters of the input string are placed in this pattern, and when you read it line by line, you get the output string "PINALSIGYAHRPI".

# Input

The input will consist of an integer n and a string s, one per line. The integer n indicates the number of rows in the zigzag pattern, and s is a string of characters that needs to be processed and arranged in the zigzag pattern. The string s only consists of English letters. (1 <= s.length <=100, 1 <= n <= 10)

# **Output**

Please print out the string s after converting with the specific row number.

### Example 1:

### Input

3

**PAYPALISHIRING** 

#### Output

**PAHNAPLSIIGYIR** 

### Example 2:

# Input

4

**PAYPALISHIRING** 

#### **Output**

**PINALSIGYAHRPI**