

5484. Find Kth Bit in Nth Binary String

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Given two positive integers n and k , the binary string S_n is formed as follows:

- $S_1 = "0"$
- $S_i = S_{i-1} + "1" + \text{reverse}(\text{invert}(S_{i-1}))$ for $i > 1$

Where $+$ denotes the concatenation operation, $\text{reverse}(x)$ returns the reversed string x , and $\text{invert}(x)$ inverts all the bits in x (0 changes to 1 and 1 changes to 0).

For example, the first 4 strings in the above sequence are:

- $S_1 = "0"$
- $S_2 = "011"$
- $S_3 = "0111001"$
- $S_4 = "011100110110001"$

Return the k^{th} bit in S_n . It is guaranteed that k is valid for the given n .

User Accepted:	0
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Difficulty:	Medium

Example 1:

Input: $n = 3, k = 1$

Output: "0"

Explanation: S_3 is "0111001". The first bit is "0".

Example 2:

Input: $n = 4, k = 11$

Output: "1"

Explanation: S_4 is "011100110110001". The 11th bit is "1".

Example 3:

Input: $n = 1, k = 1$

Output: "0"

Example 4:

Input: $n = 2, k = 3$

Output: "1"

Constraints:

- $1 \leq n \leq 20$
- $1 \leq k \leq 2^n - 1$

JavaScript



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1 /**
2  * @param {number} n
3  * @param {number} k
4  * @return {character}
5  */
6 const findKthBit = (n, k) => {
7     let tmp = ["0"];
8     for (let i = 1; i <= n; i++) {
9         tmp[i] = tmp[i - 1] + "1" + reverse(invert(tmp[i - 1]));
10    }
11    return tmp[n - 1][k - 1];
12 };
13
14 const invert = (x) => {
15     let res = '';
16     for (let c of x) {
17         res += (c ^ 1);
18     }
19     return res;
20 };
21
22 const reverse = (x) => {
23     return x.split("").reverse().join("");
24 };
```

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