

## 70. Permutation Sequence

The set  $[1, 2, 3, \dots, n]$  contains a total of  $n!$  unique permutations.

By listing and labeling all of the permutations in order, we get the following sequence for  $n = 3$ :

1. "123"
2. "132"
3. "213"
4. "231"
5. "312"
6. "321"

Given  $n$  and  $k$ , return the  $k$ th permutation sequence.

**Example 1:**

**Input:**  $n = 3, k = 3$

**Output:** "213"

**PROGRAM:-**

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def getPermutation(n, k):  
    import math  
  
    # Generate the initial list of numbers  
    numbers = list(range(1, n + 1))  
    # Convert k to zero-based index  
    k -= 1  
    # Initialize the result  
    result = []  
    # Calculate the factorial values up to (n-1)!  
    factorial = [1] * n  
    for i in range(1, n):  
        factorial[i] = factorial[i - 1] * i  
  
    # Construct the kth permutation  
    for i in range(n, 0, -1):  
        # Determine the index of the current digit
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    index = k // factorial[i - 1]
    # Append the digit to the result
    result.append(numbers[index])
    # Remove the used digit from the list
    numbers.pop(index)
    # Reduce k
    k %= factorial[i - 1]

# Join the result list to form the final permutation string
return ''.join(map(str, result))

# Example usage and output
n1, k1 = 3, 3
print(getPermutation(n1, k1)) # Output: "213"

n2, k2 = 4, 9
print(getPermutation(n2, k2)) # Output: "2314"

n3, k3 = 3, 1
print(getPermutation(n3, k3)) # Output: "123"

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**OUTPUT:-**

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213
2314
123

=== Code Execution Successful ===

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**TIME COMPLEXITY:- $O(n^2)$**