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## Array Previous Less



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Given array of integers, for each position i, search among the previous positions for the last (from the left) position that contains a smaller value. Store this value at position i in the answer. If no such value can be found, store -1 instead.

## **Example**

```
For items = [3, 5, 2, 4, 5], the output should be arrayPreviousLess(items) = [-1, 3, -1, 2, 4].
```

## Input/Output

- [execution time limit] 4 seconds (js)
- [input] array.integer items

Non-empty array of positive integers.

```
Guaranteed constraints:
3 ≤ items.length ≤ 15,
1 ≤ items[i] ≤ 200.
```

• [output] array.integer

Array containing answer values computed as described above.

## [JavaScript (ES6)] Syntax Tips

```
// Prints help message to the console
// Returns a string
function helloWorld(name) {
    console.log("This prints to the console when you Run Tests");
    return "Hello, " + name;
}
```

