

# Problem 2598: Smallest Missing Non-negative Integer After Operations

## Problem Information

**Difficulty:** Medium

**Acceptance Rate:** 55.99%

**Paid Only:** No

**Tags:** Array, Hash Table, Math, Greedy

## Problem Description

You are given a \*\*0-indexed\*\* integer array `nums` and an integer `value`.

In one operation, you can add or subtract `value` from any element of `nums`.

\* For example, if `nums = [1,2,3]` and `value = 2`, you can choose to subtract `value` from `nums[0]` to make `nums = [-1,2,3]`.

The MEX (minimum excluded) of an array is the smallest missing \*\*non-negative\*\* integer in it.

\* For example, the MEX of `[-1,2,3]` is `0` while the MEX of `[1,0,3]` is `2`.

Return \_the maximum MEX of\_ `nums` \_after applying the mentioned operation\*\*any number of times\*\*\_.

**Example 1:**

**Input:** nums = [1,-10,7,13,6,8], value = 5 **Output:** 4 **Explanation:** One can achieve this result by applying the following operations:  
- Add value to nums[1] twice to make nums = [1, 0, 7, 13, 6, 8]  
- Subtract value from nums[2] once to make nums = [1, 0, 2, 13, 6, 8]  
- Subtract value from nums[3] twice to make nums = [1, 0, 2, 6, 8]  
The MEX of nums is 4. It can be shown that 4 is the maximum MEX we can achieve.

**Example 2:**

**\*\*Input:\*\*** nums = [1,-10,7,13,6,8], value = 7 **\*\*Output:\*\*** 2 **\*\*Explanation:\*\*** One can achieve this result by applying the following operation: - subtract value from nums[2] once to make nums = [1,-10,\_**\*\*0\*\*\_,13,6,8] The MEX of nums is 2. It can be shown that 2 is the maximum MEX we can achieve.**

**\*\*Constraints:\*\***

\* `1 <= nums.length, value <= 105` \* `-109 <= nums[i] <= 109`

## Code Snippets

### C++:

```
class Solution {  
public:  
    int findSmallestInteger(vector<int>& nums, int value) {  
        }  
    };
```

### Java:

```
class Solution {  
public int findSmallestInteger(int[] nums, int value) {  
        }  
    }
```

### Python3:

```
class Solution:  
    def findSmallestInteger(self, nums: List[int], value: int) -> int:
```