

Problem 2485: Find the Pivot Integer

Problem Information

Difficulty: Easy

Acceptance Rate: 83.89%

Paid Only: No

Tags: Math, Prefix Sum

Problem Description

Given a positive integer n , find the **pivot integer** x such that:

* The sum of all elements between 1 and x inclusively equals the sum of all elements between x and n inclusively.

Return the pivot integer x . If no such integer exists, return -1 . It is guaranteed that there will be at most one pivot index for the given input.

Example 1:

Input: $n = 8$ **Output:** 6 **Explanation:** 6 is the pivot integer since: $1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + 5 + 6 = 6 + 7 + 8 = 21$.

Example 2:

Input: $n = 1$ **Output:** 1 **Explanation:** 1 is the pivot integer since: $1 = 1$.

Example 3:

Input: $n = 4$ **Output:** -1 **Explanation:** It can be proved that no such integer exist.

Constraints:

$1 \leq n \leq 1000$

Code Snippets

C++:

```
class Solution {  
public:  
    int pivotInteger(int n) {  
  
    }  
};
```

Java:

```
class Solution {  
    public int pivotInteger(int n) {  
  
    }  
}
```

Python3:

```
class Solution:  
    def pivotInteger(self, n: int) -> int:
```