

Problem 284: Peeking Iterator

Problem Information

Difficulty: Medium

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

Problem Description

Design an iterator that supports the

peek

operation on an existing iterator in addition to the

hasNext

and the

next

operations.

Implement the

PeekingIterator

class:

```
PeekingIterator(Iterator<int> nums)
```

Initializes the object with the given integer iterator

iterator

.

`int next()`

Returns the next element in the array and moves the pointer to the next element.

`boolean hasNext()`

Returns

`true`

if there are still elements in the array.

`int peek()`

Returns the next element in the array

without

moving the pointer.

Note:

Each language may have a different implementation of the constructor and

Iterator

, but they all support the

`int next()`

and

`boolean hasNext()`

functions.

Example 1:

Input

```
["PeekingIterator", "next", "peek", "next", "next", "hasNext"] [[[1, 2, 3]], [], [], [], [], []]
```

Output

```
[null, 1, 2, 2, 3, false]
```

Explanation

```
PeekingIterator peekingIterator = new PeekingIterator([1, 2, 3]); // [
```

```
1
```

```
,2,3] peekingIterator.next(); // return 1, the pointer moves to the next element [1,
```

```
2
```

```
,3]. peekingIterator.peek(); // return 2, the pointer does not move [1,
```

```
2
```

```
,3]. peekingIterator.next(); // return 2, the pointer moves to the next element [1,2,
```

```
3
```

```
] peekingIterator.next(); // return 3, the pointer moves to the next element [1,2,3]
```

```
peekingIterator.hasNext(); // return False
```

Constraints:

```
1 <= nums.length <= 1000
```

```
1 <= nums[i] <= 1000
```

All the calls to

next

and

peek

are valid.

At most

1000

calls will be made to

next

,

hasNext

, and

peek

.

Follow up:

How would you extend your design to be generic and work with all types, not just integer?

Code Snippets

C++:

```
/*  
 * Below is the interface for Iterator, which is already defined for you.  
 * **DO NOT** modify the interface for Iterator.  
 *  
 * class Iterator {  
 * struct Data;
```

```

* Data* data;
* public:
* Iterator(const vector<int>& nums);
* Iterator(const Iterator& iter);
*
* // Returns the next element in the iteration.
* int next();
*
* // Returns true if the iteration has more elements.
* bool hasNext() const;
* };
*/

class PeekingIterator : public Iterator {
public:
    PeekingIterator(const vector<int>& nums) : Iterator(nums) {
        // Initialize any member here.
        // **DO NOT** save a copy of nums and manipulate it directly.
        // You should only use the Iterator interface methods.

    }

    // Returns the next element in the iteration without advancing the iterator.
    int peek() {

    }

    // hasNext() and next() should behave the same as in the Iterator interface.
    // Override them if needed.
    int next() {

    }

    bool hasNext() const {

    }

};

```

Java:

```

// Java Iterator interface reference:
// https://docs.oracle.com/javase/8/docs/api/java/util/Iterator.html

```

```

class PeekingIterator implements Iterator<Integer> {
public PeekingIterator(Iterator<Integer> iterator) {
    // initialize any member here.

}

    // Returns the next element in the iteration without advancing the iterator.
    public Integer peek() {

    }

    // hasNext() and next() should behave the same as in the Iterator interface.
    // Override them if needed.
    @Override
    public Integer next() {

    }

    @Override
    public boolean hasNext() {

    }
}

```

Python3:

```

# Below is the interface for Iterator, which is already defined for you.
#
# class Iterator:
#     def __init__(self, nums):
#         """
#         # Initializes an iterator object to the beginning of a list.
#         # :type nums: List[int]
#         """
#
#     def hasNext(self):
#         """
#         # Returns true if the iteration has more elements.
#         # :rtype: bool
#         """
#
#

```

```

# def next(self):
# """
# Returns the next element in the iteration.
# :rtype: int
# """

class PeekingIterator:
def __init__(self, iterator):
    """
    Initialize your data structure here.
    :type iterator: Iterator
    """

def peek(self):
    """
    Returns the next element in the iteration without advancing the iterator.
    :rtype: int
    """

def next(self):
    """
    :rtype: int
    """

def hasNext(self):
    """
    :rtype: bool
    """

# Your PeekingIterator object will be instantiated and called as such:
# iter = PeekingIterator(Iterator(nums))
# while iter.hasNext():
#     val = iter.peek() # Get the next element but not advance the iterator.
#     iter.next() # Should return the same value as [val].

```

Python:

```

# Below is the interface for Iterator, which is already defined for you.
#
# class Iterator(object):
# def __init__(self, nums):
# """
# Initializes an iterator object to the beginning of a list.
# :type nums: List[int]
# """
#
# def hasNext(self):
# """
# Returns true if the iteration has more elements.
# :rtype: bool
# """
#
# def next(self):
# """
# Returns the next element in the iteration.
# :rtype: int
# """

class PeekingIterator(object):
def __init__(self, iterator):
"""
Initialize your data structure here.
:type iterator: Iterator
"""

def peek(self):
"""
Returns the next element in the iteration without advancing the iterator.
:rtype: int
"""

def next(self):
"""
:rtype: int
"""

def hasNext(self):

```



```

"""
:rtype: bool
"""

# Your PeekingIterator object will be instantiated and called as such:
# iter = PeekingIterator(Iterator(nums))
# while iter.hasNext():
#   val = iter.peek() # Get the next element but not advance the iterator.
#   iter.next() # Should return the same value as [val].

```

JavaScript:

```

/**
 * // This is the Iterator's API interface.
 * // You should not implement it, or speculate about its implementation.
 * function Iterator() {
 *   @return {number}
 *   this.next = function() { // return the next number of the iterator
 *     ...
 *   };
 * }
 *
 * @return {boolean}
 * this.hasNext = function() { // return true if it still has numbers
 *   ...
 * };
 * };
 */

/**
 * @param {Iterator} iterator
 */
var PeekingIterator = function(iterator) {

};

/**
 * @return {number}
 */
PeekingIterator.prototype.peek = function() {

};

```

```

/**
 * @return {number}
 */
PeekingIterator.prototype.next = function() {

};

/**
 * @return {boolean}
 */
PeekingIterator.prototype.hasNext = function() {

};

/**
 * Your PeekingIterator object will be instantiated and called as such:
 * var obj = new PeekingIterator(arr)
 * var param_1 = obj.peek()
 * var param_2 = obj.next()
 * var param_3 = obj.hasNext()
 */

```

TypeScript:

```

/**
 * // This is the Iterator's API interface.
 * // You should not implement it, or speculate about its implementation
 * class Iterator {
 *   hasNext(): boolean {}
 *
 *   next(): number {}
 * }
 */

class PeekingIterator {
  constructor(iterator: Iterator) {

  }

  peek(): number {

```

```

}

next(): number {

}

hasNext(): boolean {

}
}

/**
 * Your PeekingIterator object will be instantiated and called as such:
 * var obj = new PeekingIterator(iterator)
 * var param_1 = obj.peek()
 * var param_2 = obj.next()
 * var param_3 = obj.hasNext()
 */

```

C#:

```

// C# IEnumerator interface reference:
// https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/dotnet/api/system.collections.ienumerator?view=netframework-4.8

class PeekingIterator {
    // iterators refers to the first element of the array.
    public PeekingIterator(IEnumerator<int> iterator) {
        // initialize any member here.
    }

    // Returns the next element in the iteration without advancing the iterator.
    public int Peek() {

    }

    // Returns the next element in the iteration and advances the iterator.
    public int Next() {

    }

    // Returns false if the iterator is referring to the end of the array of true

```

```

otherwise.
public bool HasNext() {

}

}

```

C:

```

/*
 * struct Iterator {
 * // Returns true if the iteration has more elements.
 * bool (*hasNext)();
 *
 * // Returns the next element in the iteration.
 * int (*next)();
 * };
 */

struct PeekingIterator {

};

struct PeekingIterator* Constructor(struct Iterator* iter) {
struct PeekingIterator* piter = malloc(sizeof(struct PeekingIterator));
piter->iterator = iter;
piter->hasPeeked = false;
return piter;
}

int peek(struct PeekingIterator* obj) {

}

int next(struct PeekingIterator* obj) {

}

bool hasNext(struct PeekingIterator* obj) {

}

/**
 * Your PeekingIterator struct will be instantiated and called as such:

```

```

* PeekingIterator* obj = peekingIteratorCreate(arr, arrSize);
* int param_1 = peek(obj);
* int param_2 = next(obj);
* bool param_3 = hasNext(obj);
* peekingIteratorFree(obj);
*/

```

Go:

```

/* Below is the interface for Iterator, which is already defined for you.
*
* type Iterator struct {
*
* }
*
* func (this *Iterator) hasNext() bool {
* // Returns true if the iteration has more elements.
* }
*
* func (this *Iterator) next() int {
* // Returns the next element in the iteration.
* }
*/

type PeekingIterator struct {

}

func Constructor(iter *Iterator) *PeekingIterator {

}

func (this *PeekingIterator) hasNext() bool {

}

func (this *PeekingIterator) next() int {

}

func (this *PeekingIterator) peek() int {

```

```
}
```

Kotlin:

```
// Kotlin Iterator reference:
// https://kotlinlang.org/api/latest/jvm/stdlib/kotlin.collections/-iterator/

class PeekingIterator(iterator: Iterator<Int>): Iterator<Int> {
    fun peek(): Int {

    }

    override fun next(): Int {

    }

    override fun hasNext(): Boolean {

    }
}

/**
 * Your PeekingIterator object will be instantiated and called as such:
 * var obj = PeekingIterator(arr)
 * var param_1 = obj.next()
 * var param_2 = obj.peek()
 * var param_3 = obj.hasNext()
 */
```

Swift:

```
// Swift IndexingIterator reference:
// https://developer.apple.com/documentation/swift/indexingiterator

class PeekingIterator {
    init(_ arr: IndexingIterator<Array<Int>>) {

    }

    func next() -> Int {

    }
}
```

```

func peek() -> Int {

}

func hasNext() -> Bool {

}

}

/**
 * Your PeekingIterator object will be instantiated and called as such:
 * let obj = PeekingIterator(arr)
 * let ret_1: Int = obj.next()
 * let ret_2: Int = obj.peek()
 * let ret_3: Bool = obj.hasNext()
 */

```

Ruby:

```

# Below is the interface for Iterator, which is already defined for you.
#
# class Iterator
#   def initialize(v)
#
#   end
#
#   def hasNext()
#     Returns true if the iteration has more elements.
#   end
#
#   def next()
#     Returns the next element in the iteration.
#   end
# end

class PeekingIterator
  # @param {Iterator} iter
  def initialize(iter)

  end

```

```

# Returns true if the iteration has more elements.
# @return {boolean}
def hasNext()

end

# Returns the next element in the iteration.
# @return {integer}
def next()

end

# Returns the next element in the iteration without advancing the iterator.
# @return {integer}
def peek()

end
end

```

PHP:

```

// PHP ArrayIterator reference:
// https://www.php.net/arrayiterator

class PeekingIterator {
    /**
     * @param ArrayIterator $arr
     */
    function __construct($arr) {

    }

    /**
     * @return Integer
     */
    function next() {

    }

    /**
     * @return Integer
     */
}

```



```

function peek() {

}

/**
 * @return Boolean
 */
function hasNext() {

}
}

/**
 * Your PeekingIterator object will be instantiated and called as such:
 * $obj = PeekingIterator($arr);
 * $ret_1 = $obj->next();
 * $ret_2 = $obj->peek();
 * $ret_3 = $obj->hasNext();
 */

```

Scala:

```

// Scala Iterator reference:
// https://www.scala-lang.org/api/2.12.2/scala/collection/Iterator.html

class PeekingIterator(_iterator: Iterator[Int]) {
  def peek(): Int = {

  }

  def next(): Int = {

  }

  def hasNext(): Boolean = {

  }
}

/**
 * Your PeekingIterator object will be instantiated and called as such:
 * var obj = new PeekingIterator(arr)

```

```
* var param_1 = obj.next()
* var param_2 = obj.peek()
* var param_3 = obj.hasNext()
*/
```

Solutions

C++ Solution:

```
/*
 * Problem: Peeking Iterator
 * Difficulty: Medium
 * Tags: array
 *
 * Approach: Use two pointers or sliding window technique
 * Time Complexity: O(n) or O(n log n)
 * Space Complexity: O(1) to O(n) depending on approach
 */

/*
 * Below is the interface for Iterator, which is already defined for you.
 * **DO NOT** modify the interface for Iterator.
 *
 * class Iterator {
 * struct Data;
 * Data* data;
 * public:
 * Iterator(const vector<int>& nums);
 * Iterator(const Iterator& iter);
 *
 * // Returns the next element in the iteration.
 * int next();
 *
 * // Returns true if the iteration has more elements.
 * bool hasNext() const;
 * };
 */

class PeekingIterator : public Iterator {
public:
```

```

PeekingIterator(const vector<int>& nums) : Iterator(nums) {
    // Initialize any member here.
    // **DO NOT** save a copy of nums and manipulate it directly.
    // You should only use the Iterator interface methods.

}

// Returns the next element in the iteration without advancing the iterator.
int peek() {

}

// hasNext() and next() should behave the same as in the Iterator interface.
// Override them if needed.
int next() {

}

bool hasNext() const {

}

};

```

Java Solution:

```

/**
 * Problem: Peeking Iterator
 * Difficulty: Medium
 * Tags: array
 *
 * Approach: Use two pointers or sliding window technique
 * Time Complexity: O(n) or O(n log n)
 * Space Complexity: O(1) to O(n) depending on approach
 */

// Java Iterator interface reference:
// https://docs.oracle.com/javase/8/docs/api/java/util/Iterator.html

class PeekingIterator implements Iterator<Integer> {
    public PeekingIterator(Iterator<Integer> iterator) {
        // initialize any member here.
    }
}

```

```

}

// Returns the next element in the iteration without advancing the iterator.
public Integer peek() {

}

// hasNext() and next() should behave the same as in the Iterator interface.
// Override them if needed.
@Override
public Integer next() {

}

@Override
public boolean hasNext() {

}
}

```

Python3 Solution:

```

# Below is the interface for Iterator, which is already defined for you.
#
# class Iterator:
# def __init__(self, nums):
# """
# # Initializes an iterator object to the beginning of a list.
# # :type nums: List[int]
# """
#
# #
# def hasNext(self):
# """
# # Returns true if the iteration has more elements.
# # :rtype: bool
# """
#
# #
# def next(self):
# """
# # Returns the next element in the iteration.

```

```

# :rtype: int
# """

class PeekingIterator:
    def __init__(self, iterator):
        """
        Initialize your data structure here.
        :type iterator: Iterator
        """

    def peek(self):
        """
        Returns the next element in the iteration without advancing the iterator.
        :rtype: int
        """

    def next(self):
        """
        :rtype: int
        """

    def hasNext(self):
        """
        :rtype: bool
        """

# Your PeekingIterator object will be instantiated and called as such:
# iter = PeekingIterator(Iterator(nums))
# while iter.hasNext():
#     val = iter.peek() # Get the next element but not advance the iterator.
#     iter.next() # Should return the same value as [val].

```

Python Solution:

```

# Below is the interface for Iterator, which is already defined for you.
#
# class Iterator(object):

```

```

# def __init__(self, nums):
# """
# Initializes an iterator object to the beginning of a list.
# :type nums: List[int]
# """
#
# def hasNext(self):
# """
# Returns true if the iteration has more elements.
# :rtype: bool
# """
#
# def next(self):
# """
# Returns the next element in the iteration.
# :rtype: int
# """

class PeekingIterator(object):
    def __init__(self, iterator):
        """
        Initialize your data structure here.
        :type iterator: Iterator
        """

    def peek(self):
        """
        Returns the next element in the iteration without advancing the iterator.
        :rtype: int
        """

    def next(self):
        """
        :rtype: int
        """

    def hasNext(self):
        """
        :rtype: bool

```

```
"""
```

```
# Your PeekingIterator object will be instantiated and called as such:
# iter = PeekingIterator(Iterator(nums))
# while iter.hasNext():
#   val = iter.peek() # Get the next element but not advance the iterator.
#   iter.next() # Should return the same value as [val].
```

JavaScript Solution:

```
/**
 * Problem: Peeking Iterator
 * Difficulty: Medium
 * Tags: array
 *
 * Approach: Use two pointers or sliding window technique
 * Time Complexity: O(n) or O(n log n)
 * Space Complexity: O(1) to O(n) depending on approach
 */

/**
 * // This is the Iterator's API interface.
 * // You should not implement it, or speculate about its implementation.
 * function Iterator() {
 *   @return {number}
 *   this.next = function() { // return the next number of the iterator
 *     ...
 *   };
 *
 *   @return {boolean}
 *   this.hasNext = function() { // return true if it still has numbers
 *     ...
 *   };
 * }
 */

/**
 * @param {Iterator} iterator
 */
var PeekingIterator = function(iterator) {
```

```

};

/**
 * @return {number}
 */
PeekingIterator.prototype.peek = function() {

};

/**
 * @return {number}
 */
PeekingIterator.prototype.next = function() {

};

/**
 * @return {boolean}
 */
PeekingIterator.prototype.hasNext = function() {

};

/**
 * Your PeekingIterator object will be instantiated and called as such:
 * var obj = new PeekingIterator(arr)
 * var param_1 = obj.peek()
 * var param_2 = obj.next()
 * var param_3 = obj.hasNext()
 */

```

TypeScript Solution:

```

/**
 * Problem: Peeking Iterator
 * Difficulty: Medium
 * Tags: array
 *
 * Approach: Use two pointers or sliding window technique
 * Time Complexity: O(n) or O(n log n)
 */

```



```

* Space Complexity: O(1) to O(n) depending on approach
*/

/**
 * // This is the Iterator's API interface.
 * // You should not implement it, or speculate about its implementation
 * class Iterator {
 *   hasNext(): boolean {}
 *
 *   next(): number {}
 * }
 */

class PeekingIterator {
  constructor(iterator: Iterator) {

  }

  peek(): number {

  }

  next(): number {

  }

  hasNext(): boolean {

  }
}

/**
 * Your PeekingIterator object will be instantiated and called as such:
 * var obj = new PeekingIterator(iterator)
 * var param_1 = obj.peek()
 * var param_2 = obj.next()
 * var param_3 = obj.hasNext()
 */

```

C# Solution:

```

/*
 * Problem: Peeking Iterator
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 * Approach: Use two pointers or sliding window technique
 * Time Complexity: O(n) or O(n log n)
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 */

// C# IEnumerator interface reference:
// https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/dotnet/api/system.collections.ienumerator
?view=netframework-4.8

class PeekingIterator {
    // iterators refers to the first element of the array.
    public PeekingIterator(IEnumerator<int> iterator) {
        // initialize any member here.
    }

    // Returns the next element in the iteration without advancing the iterator.
    public int Peek() {

    }

    // Returns the next element in the iteration and advances the iterator.
    public int Next() {

    }

    // Returns false if the iterator is referring to the end of the array of true
    otherwise.
    public bool HasNext() {

    }
}

```

C Solution:

```

/*
 * Problem: Peeking Iterator
 * Difficulty: Medium

```

```

* Tags: array
*
* Approach: Use two pointers or sliding window technique
* Time Complexity:  $O(n)$  or  $O(n \log n)$ 
* Space Complexity:  $O(1)$  to  $O(n)$  depending on approach
*/

/*
* struct Iterator {
* // Returns true if the iteration has more elements.
* bool (*hasNext)();
*
* // Returns the next element in the iteration.
* int (*next)();
* };
*/

struct PeekingIterator {

};

struct PeekingIterator* Constructor(struct Iterator* iter) {
    struct PeekingIterator* piter = malloc(sizeof(struct PeekingIterator));
    piter->iterator = iter;
    piter->hasPeeked = false;
    return piter;
}

int peek(struct PeekingIterator* obj) {

}

int next(struct PeekingIterator* obj) {

}

bool hasNext(struct PeekingIterator* obj) {

}

/**
* Your PeekingIterator struct will be instantiated and called as such:

```

```

* PeekingIterator* obj = peekingIteratorCreate(arr, arrSize);
* int param_1 = peek(obj);
* int param_2 = next(obj);
* bool param_3 = hasNext(obj);
* peekingIteratorFree(obj);
*/

```

Go Solution:

```

// Problem: Peeking Iterator
// Difficulty: Medium
// Tags: array
//
// Approach: Use two pointers or sliding window technique
// Time Complexity: O(n) or O(n log n)
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/* Below is the interface for Iterator, which is already defined for you.
*
* type Iterator struct {
*
* }
*
* func (this *Iterator) hasNext() bool {
* // Returns true if the iteration has more elements.
* }
*
* func (this *Iterator) next() int {
* // Returns the next element in the iteration.
* }
*/

type PeekingIterator struct {

}

func Constructor(iter *Iterator) *PeekingIterator {

}

func (this *PeekingIterator) hasNext() bool {

```

```

}

func (this *PeekingIterator) next() int {

}

func (this *PeekingIterator) peek() int {

}

```

Kotlin Solution:

```

// Kotlin Iterator reference:
// https://kotlinlang.org/api/latest/jvm/stdlib/kotlin.collections/-iterator/

class PeekingIterator(iterator: Iterator<Int>): Iterator<Int> {
    fun peek(): Int {

    }

    override fun next(): Int {

    }

    override fun hasNext(): Boolean {

    }
}

/**
 * Your PeekingIterator object will be instantiated and called as such:
 * var obj = PeekingIterator(arr)
 * var param_1 = obj.next()
 * var param_2 = obj.peek()
 * var param_3 = obj.hasNext()
 */

```

Swift Solution:

```
// Swift IndexingIterator reference:
// https://developer.apple.com/documentation/swift/indexingiterator

class PeekingIterator {
    init(_ arr: IndexingIterator<Array<Int>>) {

    }

    func next() -> Int {

    }

    func peek() -> Int {

    }

    func hasNext() -> Bool {

    }
}

/**
 * Your PeekingIterator object will be instantiated and called as such:
 * let obj = PeekingIterator(arr)
 * let ret_1: Int = obj.next()
 * let ret_2: Int = obj.peek()
 * let ret_3: Bool = obj.hasNext()
 */
```

Ruby Solution:

```
# Below is the interface for Iterator, which is already defined for you.
#
# class Iterator
#   def initialize(v)
#
#   end
#
#   def hasNext()
# Returns true if the iteration has more elements.
#   end
#
```

```

# def next()
# Returns the next element in the iteration.
# end
# end

class PeekingIterator
  # @param {Iterator} iter
  def initialize(iter)

  end

  # Returns true if the iteration has more elements.
  # @return {boolean}
  def hasNext()

  end

  # Returns the next element in the iteration.
  # @return {integer}
  def next()

  end

  # Returns the next element in the iteration without advancing the iterator.
  # @return {integer}
  def peek()

  end
end
end

```

PHP Solution:

```

// PHP ArrayIterator reference:
// https://www.php.net/arrayiterator

class PeekingIterator {
  /**
   * @param ArrayIterator $arr
   */
  function __construct($arr) {

```

```

}

/**
 * @return Integer
 */
function next() {

}

/**
 * @return Integer
 */
function peek() {

}

/**
 * @return Boolean
 */
function hasNext() {

}

}

/**
 * Your PeekingIterator object will be instantiated and called as such:
 * $obj = PeekingIterator($arr);
 * $ret_1 = $obj->next();
 * $ret_2 = $obj->peek();
 * $ret_3 = $obj->hasNext();
 */

```

Scala Solution:

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// Scala Iterator reference:
// https://www.scala-lang.org/api/2.12.2/scala/collection/Iterator.html

class PeekingIterator(_iterator: Iterator[Int]) {
  def peek(): Int = {

  }
}

```



```
def next(): Int = {  
  
}  
  
def hasNext(): Boolean = {  
  
}  
}  
  
/**  
 * Your PeekingIterator object will be instantiated and called as such:  
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 * var param_1 = obj.next()  
 * var param_2 = obj.peek()  
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 */
```