

# Problem 3039: Apply Operations to Make String Empty

## Problem Information

Difficulty: Medium

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

## Problem Description

You are given a string

s

Consider performing the following operation until

s

becomes

empty

:

For

every

alphabet character from

'a'

to

'z'

, remove the

first

occurrence of that character in

s

(if it exists).

For example, let initially

s = "aabcbcbca"

. We do the following operations:

Remove the underlined characters

s = "

a

a

bc

bbcca"

. The resulting string is

s = "abbca"

.

Remove the underlined characters

s = "

ab

b

c

a"

. The resulting string is

s = "ba"

Remove the underlined characters

s = "

ba

"

. The resulting string is

s = ""

Return

the value of the string

s

right

before

applying the

last

operation

. In the example above, answer is

"ba"

Example 1:

Input:

s = "aabcbcbca"

Output:

"ba"

Explanation:

Explained in the statement.

Example 2:

Input:

s = "abcd"

Output:

"abcd"

Explanation:

We do the following operation: - Remove the underlined characters s = "

abcd

". The resulting string is s = "". The string just before the last operation is "abcd".

Constraints:

$1 \leq s.length \leq 5 * 10^5$

5

s

consists only of lowercase English letters.

## Code Snippets

### C++:

```
class Solution {
public:
    string lastNonEmptyString(string s) {
        }
};
```

### Java:

```
class Solution {
    public String lastNonEmptyString(String s) {
        }
}
```

### Python3:

```
class Solution:
    def lastNonEmptyString(self, s: str) -> str:
```

**Python:**

```
class Solution(object):
    def lastNonEmptyString(self, s):
        """
        :type s: str
        :rtype: str
        """
```

**JavaScript:**

```
/**
 * @param {string} s
 * @return {string}
 */
var lastNonEmptyString = function(s) {

};
```

**TypeScript:**

```
function lastNonEmptyString(s: string): string {
}
```

**C#:**

```
public class Solution {
    public string LastNonEmptyString(string s) {
        }
}
```

**C:**

```
char* lastNonEmptyString(char* s) {
}
```

**Go:**

```
func lastNonEmptyString(s string) string {
```

```
}
```

### Kotlin:

```
class Solution {  
    fun lastNonEmptyString(s: String): String {  
        //  
        //  
    }  
}
```

### Swift:

```
class Solution {  
    func lastNonEmptyString(_ s: String) -> String {  
        //  
        //  
    }  
}
```

### Rust:

```
impl Solution {  
    pub fn last_non_empty_string(s: String) -> String {  
        //  
        //  
    }  
}
```

### Ruby:

```
# @param {String} s  
# @return {String}  
def last_non_empty_string(s)  
  
end
```

### PHP:

```
class Solution {  
  
    /**  
     * @param String $s  
     * @return String  
     */
```

```
function lastNonEmptyString($s) {  
}  
}  
}
```

### Dart:

```
class Solution {  
    String lastNonEmptyString(String s) {  
  
    }  
}
```

### Scala:

```
object Solution {  
    def lastNonEmptyString(s: String): String = {  
  
    }  
}
```

### Elixir:

```
defmodule Solution do  
  @spec last_non_empty_string(s :: String.t) :: String.t  
  def last_non_empty_string(s) do  
  
  end  
end
```

### Erlang:

```
-spec last_non_empty_string(S :: unicode:unicode_binary()) ->  
  unicode:unicode_binary().  
last_non_empty_string(S) ->  
.
```

### Racket:

```
(define/contract (last-non-empty-string s)  
  (-> string? string?)  
)
```

## Solutions

### C++ Solution:

```
/*
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 * Difficulty: Medium
 * Tags: array, string, hash, sort
 *
 * Approach: Use two pointers or sliding window technique
 * Time Complexity: O(n) or O(n log n)
 * Space Complexity: O(n) for hash map
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class Solution {
public:
    string lastNonEmptyString(string s) {

    }
};
```

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    }
}
```

### Python3 Solution:

```

"""
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class Solution:

def lastNonEmptyString(self, s: str) -> str:
    # TODO: Implement optimized solution
    pass

```

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