

# Problem 1409: Queries on a Permutation With Key

## Problem Information

**Difficulty:** Medium

**Acceptance Rate:** 84.72%

**Paid Only:** No

**Tags:** Array, Binary Indexed Tree, Simulation

## Problem Description

Given the array `queries` of positive integers between `1` and `m`, you have to process all `queries[i]` (from `i=0` to `i=queries.length-1`) according to the following rules:

\* In the beginning, you have the permutation `P=[1,2,3,...,m]`. \* For the current `i`, find the position of `queries[i]` in the permutation `P` (\*\*indexing from 0\*\*) and then move this at the beginning of the permutation `P`. Notice that the position of `queries[i]` in `P` is the result for `queries[i]`.

Return an array containing the result for the given `queries`.

**Example 1:**

**Input:** queries = [3,1,2,1], m = 5 **Output:** [2,1,2,1] **Explanation:** The queries are processed as follow: For i=0: queries[i]=3, P=[1,2,3,4,5], position of 3 in P is \*\*2\*\* , then we move 3 to the beginning of P resulting in P=[3,1,2,4,5]. For i=1: queries[i]=1, P=[3,1,2,4,5], position of 1 in P is \*\*1\*\* , then we move 1 to the beginning of P resulting in P=[1,3,2,4,5]. For i=2: queries[i]=2, P=[1,3,2,4,5], position of 2 in P is \*\*2\*\* , then we move 2 to the beginning of P resulting in P=[2,1,3,4,5]. For i=3: queries[i]=1, P=[2,1,3,4,5], position of 1 in P is \*\*1\*\* , then we move 1 to the beginning of P resulting in P=[1,2,3,4,5]. Therefore, the array containing the result is [2,1,2,1].

**Example 2:**

**Input:** queries = [4,1,2,2], m = 4 **Output:** [3,1,2,0]

**\*\*Example 3:\*\***

**\*\*Input:\*\*** queries = [7,5,5,8,3], m = 8 **\*\*Output:\*\*** [6,5,0,7,5]

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

\* `1 <= m <= 10^3` \* `1 <= queries.length <= m` \* `1 <= queries[i] <= m`

## Code Snippets

**C++:**

```
class Solution {  
public:  
    vector<int> processQueries(vector<int>& queries, int m) {  
  
    }  
};
```

**Java:**

```
class Solution {  
public int[] processQueries(int[] queries, int m) {  
  
    }  
}
```

**Python3:**

```
class Solution:  
    def processQueries(self, queries: List[int], m: int) -> List[int]:
```