

Problem 12: Integer to Roman

Problem Information

Difficulty: Medium

Acceptance Rate: 69.82%

Paid Only: No

Tags: Hash Table, Math, String

Problem Description

Seven different symbols represent Roman numerals with the following values:

Symbol | Value ---|--- I | 1 V | 5 X | 10 L | 50 C | 100 D | 500 M | 1000 Roman numerals are formed by appending the conversions of decimal place values from highest to lowest.

Converting a decimal place value into a Roman numeral has the following rules:

* If the value does not start with 4 or 9, select the symbol of the maximal value that can be subtracted from the input, append that symbol to the result, subtract its value, and convert the remainder to a Roman numeral. * If the value starts with 4 or 9 use the **subtractive form** representing one symbol subtracted from the following symbol, for example, 4 is 1 (I) less than 5 (V): IV and 9 is 1 (I) less than 10 (X): IX. Only the following subtractive forms are used: 4 (IV), 9 (IX), 40 (XL), 90 (XC), 400 (CD) and 900 (CM). * Only powers of 10 (I, X, C, M) can be appended consecutively at most 3 times to represent multiples of 10. You cannot append 5 (V), 50 (L), or 500 (D) multiple times. If you need to append a symbol 4 times use the **subtractive form**.

Given an integer, convert it to a Roman numeral.

Example 1:

Input: num = 3749

Output: "MMMDCCLXIX"

Explanation:

3000 = MMM as 1000 (M) + 1000 (M) + 1000 (M) 700 = DCC as 500 (D) + 100 (C) + 100 (C)
40 = XL as 10 (X) less of 50 (L) 9 = IX as 1 (I) less of 10 (X) Note: 49 is not 1 (I) less of 50 (L)
because the conversion is based on decimal places

****Example 2:****

****Input:**** num = 58

****Output:**** "LVIII"

****Explanation:****

50 = L 8 = VIII

****Example 3:****

****Input:**** num = 1994

****Output:**** "MCMXCIV"

****Explanation:****

1000 = M 900 = CM 90 = XC 4 = IV

****Constraints:****

* `1 <= num <= 3999`

Code Snippets

C++:

```
class Solution {  
public:  
    string intToRoman(int num) {  
  
    }  
};
```

Java:

```
class Solution {  
    public String intToRoman(int num) {  
  
    }  
}
```

Python3:

```
class Solution:  
    def intToRoman(self, num: int) -> str:
```