

Problem 981: Time Based Key-Value Store

Problem Information

Difficulty: Medium

Acceptance Rate: 49.59%

Paid Only: No

Tags: Hash Table, String, Binary Search, Design

Problem Description

Design a time-based key-value data structure that can store multiple values for the same key at different time stamps and retrieve the key's value at a certain timestamp.

Implement the `TimeMap` class:

```
* `TimeMap()` Initializes the object of the data structure. * `void set(String key, String value, int timestamp)` Stores the key `key` with the value `value` at the given time `timestamp`. * `String get(String key, int timestamp)` Returns a value such that `set` was called previously, with `timestamp_prev <= timestamp`. If there are multiple such values, it returns the value associated with the largest `timestamp_prev`. If there are no values, it returns `""`.
```

Example 1:

```
**Input** ["TimeMap", "set", "get", "get", "set", "get", "get"] [], [{"foo": "bar", 1}, {"foo": 1}, {"foo": 3}, {"foo": "bar2", 4}, {"foo": 4}, {"foo": 5}] **Output** [null, null, "bar", "bar", null, "bar2", "bar2"]
**Explanation** TimeMap timeMap = new TimeMap(); timeMap.set("foo", "bar", 1); // store the key "foo" and value "bar" along with timestamp = 1. timeMap.get("foo", 1); // return "bar"
timeMap.get("foo", 3); // return "bar", since there is no value corresponding to foo at timestamp 3 and timestamp 2, then the only value is at timestamp 1 is "bar".
timeMap.set("foo", "bar2", 4); // store the key "foo" and value "bar2" along with timestamp = 4.
timeMap.get("foo", 4); // return "bar2" timeMap.get("foo", 5); // return "bar2"
```

Constraints:

```
* `1 <= key.length, value.length <= 100` * `key` and `value` consist of lowercase English letters and digits. * `1 <= timestamp <= 10^7` * All the timestamps `timestamp` of `set` are
```

strictly increasing. * At most `2 * 10⁵` calls will be made to `set` and `get`.

Code Snippets

C++:

```
class TimeMap {  
public:  
TimeMap() {  
  
}  
  
void set(string key, string value, int timestamp) {  
  
}  
  
string get(string key, int timestamp) {  
  
}  
};  
  
/**  
* Your TimeMap object will be instantiated and called as such:  
* TimeMap* obj = new TimeMap();  
* obj->set(key,value,timestamp);  
* string param_2 = obj->get(key,timestamp);  
*/
```

Java:

```
class TimeMap {  
  
public TimeMap() {  
  
}  
  
public void set(String key, String value, int timestamp) {  
  
}  
  
public String get(String key, int timestamp) {  
}
```

```
}

}

/***
* Your TimeMap object will be instantiated and called as such:
* TimeMap obj = new TimeMap();
* obj.set(key,value,timestamp);
* String param_2 = obj.get(key,timestamp);
*/

```

Python3:

```
class TimeMap:

    def __init__(self):

        def set(self, key: str, value: str, timestamp: int) -> None:

            def get(self, key: str, timestamp: int) -> str:

# Your TimeMap object will be instantiated and called as such:
# obj = TimeMap()
# obj.set(key,value,timestamp)
# param_2 = obj.get(key,timestamp)
```