

Problem 1894: Find the Student that Will Replace the Chalk

Problem Information

Difficulty: **Medium**

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

Problem Description

There are

n

students in a class numbered from

0

to

$n - 1$

. The teacher will give each student a problem starting with the student number

0

, then the student number

1

, and so on until the teacher reaches the student number

$n - 1$

. After that, the teacher will restart the process, starting with the student number

0

again.

You are given a

0-indexed

integer array

chalk

and an integer

k

. There are initially

k

pieces of chalk. When the student number

i

is given a problem to solve, they will use

chalk[i]

pieces of chalk to solve that problem. However, if the current number of chalk pieces is

strictly less

than

chalk[i]

, then the student number

i

will be asked to

replace

the chalk.

Return

the

index

of the student that will

replace

the chalk pieces

.

Example 1:

Input:

chalk = [5,1,5], k = 22

Output:

0

Explanation:

The students go in turns as follows: - Student number 0 uses 5 chalk, so $k = 17$. - Student number 1 uses 1 chalk, so $k = 16$. - Student number 2 uses 5 chalk, so $k = 11$. - Student number 0 uses 5 chalk, so $k = 6$. - Student number 1 uses 1 chalk, so $k = 5$. - Student number 2 uses 5 chalk, so $k = 0$. Student number 0 does not have enough chalk, so they will have to replace it.

Example 2:

Input:

chalk = [3,4,1,2], k = 25

Output:

1

Explanation:

The students go in turns as follows: - Student number 0 uses 3 chalk so k = 22. - Student number 1 uses 4 chalk so k = 18. - Student number 2 uses 1 chalk so k = 17. - Student number 3 uses 2 chalk so k = 15. - Student number 0 uses 3 chalk so k = 12. - Student number 1 uses 4 chalk so k = 8. - Student number 2 uses 1 chalk so k = 7. - Student number 3 uses 2 chalk so k = 5. - Student number 0 uses 3 chalk so k = 2. Student number 1 does not have enough chalk, so they will have to replace it.

Constraints:

chalk.length == n

1 <= n <= 10

5

1 <= chalk[i] <= 10

5

1 <= k <= 10

9

Code Snippets

C++:

```

class Solution {
public:
    int chalkReplacer(vector<int>& chalk, int k) {

    }
};

```

Java:

```

class Solution {
    public int chalkReplacer(int[] chalk, int k) {

    }
}

```

Python3:

```

class Solution:
    def chalkReplacer(self, chalk: List[int], k: int) -> int:

```

Python:

```

class Solution(object):
    def chalkReplacer(self, chalk, k):
        """
        :type chalk: List[int]
        :type k: int
        :rtype: int
        """

```

JavaScript:

```

/**
 * @param {number[]} chalk
 * @param {number} k
 * @return {number}
 */
var chalkReplacer = function(chalk, k) {

};

```

TypeScript:

```
function chalkReplacer(chalk: number[], k: number): number {  
  
};
```

C#:

```
public class Solution {  
    public int ChalkReplacer(int[] chalk, int k) {  
  
    }  
}
```

C:

```
int chalkReplacer(int* chalk, int chalkSize, int k) {  
  
}
```

Go:

```
func chalkReplacer(chalk []int, k int) int {  
  
}
```

Kotlin:

```
class Solution {  
    fun chalkReplacer(chalk: IntArray, k: Int): Int {  
  
    }  
}
```

Swift:

```
class Solution {  
    func chalkReplacer(_ chalk: [Int], _ k: Int) -> Int {  
  
    }  
}
```

Rust:

```

impl Solution {
  pub fn chalk_replacer(chalk: Vec<i32>, k: i32) -> i32 {

  }
}

```

Ruby:

```

# @param {Integer[]} chalk
# @param {Integer} k
# @return {Integer}
def chalk_replacer(chalk, k)

end

```

PHP:

```

class Solution {

  /**
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Dart:

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Scala:

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object Solution {
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Elixir:

```
defmodule Solution do
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Erlang:

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Racket:

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Solutions

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 * Tags: array, search
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 * Approach: Use two pointers or sliding window technique
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        # TODO: Implement optimized solution  
        pass
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