

# 165. Compare Version Numbers

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Given two version numbers, `version1` and `version2`, compare them.

Version numbers consist of **one or more revisions** joined by a dot `'.'`. Each revision consists of **digits** and may contain leading **zeros**. Every revision contains **at least one character**. Revisions are **0-indexed from left to right**, with the leftmost revision being revision 0, the next revision being revision 1, and so on. For example `2.5.33` and `0.1` are valid version numbers.

To compare version numbers, compare their revisions in **left-to-right order**. Revisions are compared using their **integer value ignoring any leading zeros**. This means that revisions `1` and `001` are considered **equal**. If a version number does not specify a revision at an index, then **treat the revision as 0**. For example, version `1.0` is less than version `1.1` because their revision 0s are the same, but their revision 1s are `0` and `1` respectively, and `0 < 1`.

Return the following:

- If `version1 < version2`, return `-1`.
- If `version1 > version2`, return `1`.
- Otherwise, return `0`.

Version

2.5.33 ← ✓

0.1 ← ✓

If after . starts with 0 then it will get ignored

For Ex

2.05.0033

↳ 2.5.33

### Example 1:

**Input:** version1 = "1.01", version2 = "1.001"

**Output:** 0 ✓

**Explanation:** Ignoring leading zeroes, both "01" and "001" represent the same integer "1".

$v_1 = 1.01$  ,  $1.1 >$  return 0  
 $v_2 = 1.001$  ,  $1.1 >$

### Example 2:

**Input:** version1 = "1.0", version2 = "1.0.0"

**Output:** 0

**Explanation:** version1 does not specify revision 2, which means it is treated as "0".

$1.0 \rightarrow 1$  ,  $1.0.0 \rightarrow 1$  ,  $1 >$  return 0

### Example 3:

**Input:** version1 = "0.1", version2 = "1.1"

**Output:** -1

**Explanation:** version1's revision 0 is "0", while version2's revision 0 is "1".  $0 < 1$ , so version1 < version2.

$0.1 \rightarrow 0.1$  ,  $1.1 \rightarrow 1.1$  ,  $0.1 <$  return -1

### Constraints:

- $1 \leq \text{version1.length}, \text{version2.length} \leq 500$  ✓
- version1 and version2 only contain digits and '.' ✓
- version1 and version2 are valid version numbers. ✓
- All the given revisions in version1 and version2 can be stored in a 32-bit integer. ✓

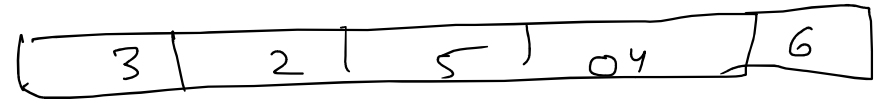
## Intuition

→ Split version from '.' & store in List

ver1 = 1.2.03.4



ver2 = 3.2.5.04.6



→ Iterate in arr (max on both array)

Compare 1 or 3

return -1 ✓

→ Compare all indexes if found greater any of them return according

## Algorithm

CompareVersion (version1, version2):

ver1 = [int(x) for x in version1.split('.')]

ver2 = [int(x) for x in version2.split('.')]

for i in range(max(len(ver1), len(ver2))):

if i < len(ver1):

v1 = ver1[i]

else: v1 = 0

if i < len(ver2):

v2 = ver2[i]

else v2 = 0

if  $v1 > v2$ :

return 1

if  $v1 < v2$ :

return -1

return 0

Time Complexity:  $O(n)$

$n$ : max dof in version 1 or version 2

Space Complexity:  $O(2n) \rightarrow O(n)$

we made 2 List for storing splitted elements

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class Solution:
    def compareVersion(self, version1: str, version2: str) -> int:
        ver1 = [int(x) for x in version1.split('.')]
        ver2 = [int(x) for x in version2.split('.')]

        for i in range(max(len(ver1), len(ver2))):
            v1 = ver1[i] if i < len(ver1) else 0
            v2 = ver2[i] if i < len(ver2) else 0

            if v1 < v2:
                return -1
            elif v1 > v2:
                return 1
        return 0
```

# Thank you

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