Implement LRU Cache

Try to solve the Implement Least Recently Used (LRU) cache problem.

We'll cover the following

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Statement

Implement an LRU cache class with the following functions:

- Init(capacity): Initializes an LRU cache with the capacity size.
- Set(key, value): Adds a new key-value pair or updates an existing key with a new value.
- **Get(key)**: Returns the value of the **key**, or -1 if the **key** does not exist.

If the number of keys has reached the cache **capacity**, evict the least recently used **key** and then add the new **key**.

As caches use relatively expensive, faster memory, they are not designed to store very large data sets. Whenever the cache becomes full, we need to evict some data from it. There are several caching algorithms to implement a cache eviction policy. LRU is a very simple and commonly used algorithm. The core concept of the LRU algorithm is to evict the oldest data from the cache to accommodate more data.

Constraints:

- $1 \le \text{capacity} \le 3000$
- $0 \le \text{key} \le 10^4$
- $0 \le \text{value} \le 10^5$
- At most 2×10^5 calls will be made to **Set** and **Get**.

Examples

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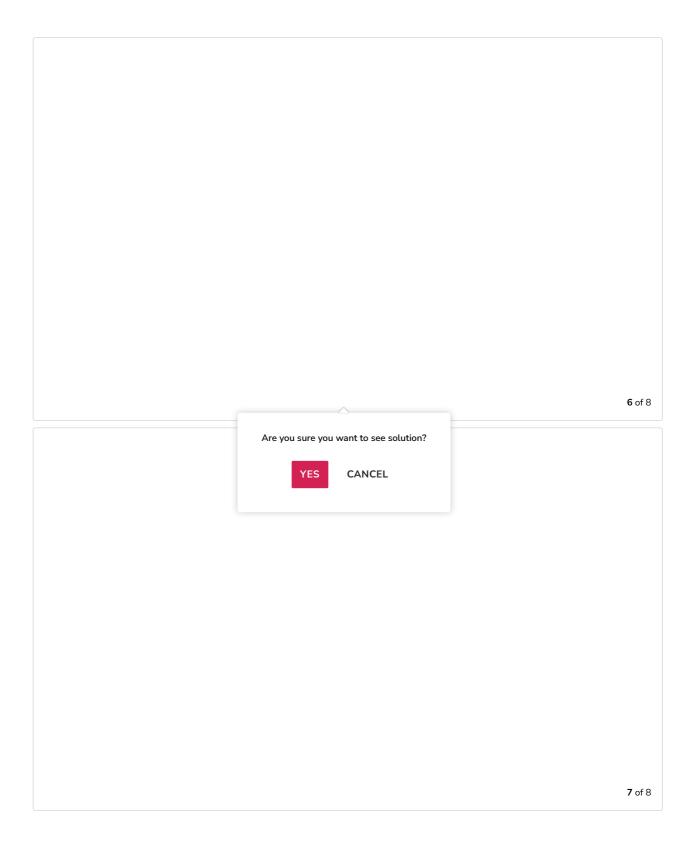
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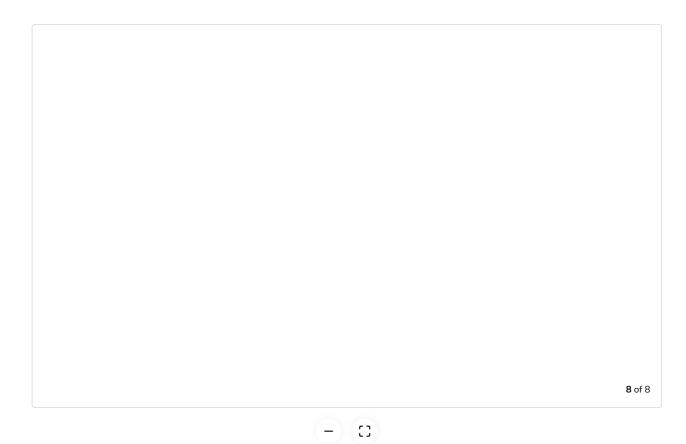
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Understand the problem

Let's take a moment to make sure you've correctly understood the problem. The quiz below helps you check if you're solving the correct problem:

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Suppose we have a cache with a capacity of 4. What is the output if we set a new pair with the following inputs?

key = 15

value = 100

key	value
17	25
23	17
12	31

	key	value
A)	15	100
	23	17
	17	25
	12	31

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	key	value
	17	25
В)	15	100
	23	17
	12	31
	key	value
	17	25
C)	23	17
	12	31
	15	100
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	key	value
D)	17	25
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	15	100
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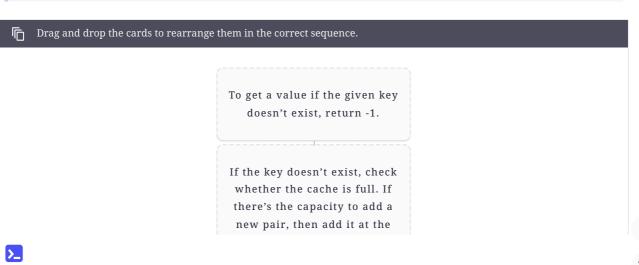
Figure it out!

We have a game for you to play. Rearrange the logical building blocks to develop a clearer understanding of how to solve this problem.

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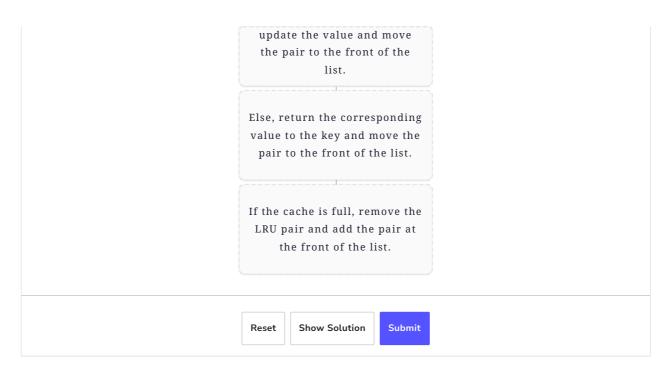
Note: Focus on setting the value and then getting the value.



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To set a pair, if the given key already exists, then we'll



Try it yourself

Implement your solution in ImplementLRUCache.java in the following coding playground. You'll need the provided supporting code to implement your solution.

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                             1 import java.util.*;
ImplementLRUCache.java
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                             3 class LRUCache {
LinkedListNode.java
                                    // Constructor that sets the size of the cache
                                    public LRUCache(int size) {
LinkedList.java
                                        // Write your code here
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                             8
                                    int get(int key) {
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                                        // Your code will replace this placeholder return statement
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