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Test Name:

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Tasks summary

Task	Time spent	Score
PermMissingElem JavaScript	4 min	100%

Total score



Tasks Details

Easy	1. PermMissingElem	Task Score	Correctness	Performance	
	Find the missing element in a given permutation.		100%	100%	100%

Task description

An array A consisting of N different integers is given. The array contains integers in the range [1..(N + 1)], which means that exactly one element is missing.

Your goal is to find that missing element.

Write a function:

```
function solution(A);
```

that, given an array A, returns the value of the missing element.

For example, given array A such that:

```
A[0] = 2
A[1] = 3
A[2] = 1
A[3] = 5
```

the function should return 4, as it is the missing element.

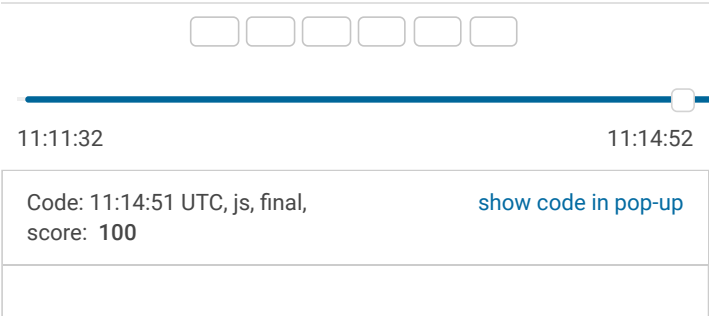
Write an **efficient** algorithm for the following assumptions:

- N is an integer within the range [0..100,000];
- the elements of A are all distinct;

Solution

Programming language used:	JavaScript	
Total time used:	4 minutes	?
Effective time used:	4 minutes	?
Notes:	not defined yet	

Task timeline



- each element of array A is an integer within the range [1..(N + 1)].

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1 // you can write to stdout for debugging purposes, e.g.
2 // console.log('this is a debug message');
3
4 function solution(A) {
5     // write your code in JavaScript (Node.js 8.9.4)
6     if (A.length === 0) {
7         return 1;
8     } else {
9         A.sort((a,b) => a-b);
10        for (let i=0; i<A.length; i++) {
11            if (A[i] != i+1) { return i+1; }
12        }
13        return A.length + 1;
14    }
15 }
```

Analysis summary

The solution obtained perfect score.

Analysis ?

Detected time complexity:

$O(N)$ or $O(N * \log(N))$

expand all	Example tests	
▶ example	example test	✓ OK
expand all	Correctness tests	
▶ empty_and_single	empty list and single element	✓ OK
▶ missing_first_or_last	the first or the last element is missing	✓ OK
▶ single	single element	✓ OK
▶ double	two elements	✓ OK
▶ simple	simple test	✓ OK
expand all	Performance tests	
▶ medium1	medium test, length = ~10,000	✓ OK
▶ medium2	medium test, length = ~10,000	✓ OK
▶ large_range	range sequence, length = ~100,000	✓ OK
▶ large1	large test, length = ~100,000	✓ OK
▶ large2	large test, length = ~100,000	✓ OK