

rotateStringLeft

Write a function `rotateStringLeft(s, k)` that takes a string `s` and a non-negative integer `k`, and returns the string `s` rotated `k` places to the left. If `k` is greater than the length of the string, the function should handle this gracefully by effectively rotating the string `k % len(s)` times.

Constraints

- The input string `s` can contain any printable ASCII characters.
- The input integer `k` is non-negative.
- You may not use lists or recursion in your solution.
- You may not hardcode the test cases in your solution.
- Do not modify the provided skeleton code or the `eval.py`, input, and output files.

Input Format

- `s`: A string that needs to be rotated.
- `k`: A non-negative integer indicating the number of places to rotate the string to the left.

Output Format

- A string that is the result of rotating the input string `s` by `k` places to the left.

Sample Input

```
"hello"  
2
```

Sample Output

```
"llohe"
```

Explanation

In the sample input:

- The original string is `s = "hello"`.
- The integer `k` is 2.
- Rotating the string "hello" 2 places to the left results in "llohe".