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# Slicing\_ → You’ve got mail!

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Email addresses usually have the same structure: **someone@somewhere.com** (or any other domain).

You are working with a database of email addresses from an imaginary email service **yougotmail.com**. Create a program that would separate the local-part that precedes the @ sign from the rest of the address.

**The input format:**

The email address. It is stored in the variable `email`, you do not need to work directly with input.

**The output format:**

The local-part of the address.

Report a typo

Sample Input 1:

someone@yougotmail.com

Sample Output 1:

someone

Sample Input 2:

john.andrew.smith@yougotmail.com

Sample Output 2:

john.andrew.smith

Write a program

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1 # write your code here
2 # remember: the variable email is already defined
3 print((email.split('@'))[0])
4
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