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## Position

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Write a function  $pos\_a(s, k)$  that takes a string  $s$  and a non-negative integer  $k$  and returns the position where the  $k$ -th letter  $a$  occurs within  $s$ , or -1 if the string  $s$  contains fewer than  $k$  letters  $a$ .

### Sample session

```
>>> pos_a('', 1)
-1
>>> pos_a('holá', 2)
-1
>>> pos_a('ara', 3)
-1
>>> pos_a('lalaland', 3)
5
>>> pos_a('almendro', 1)
0
```

### Problem information

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