# 468. Validate IP Address

# Description

Given a string queryIP, return "IPv4" if IP is a valid IPv4 address, "IPv6" if IP is a valid IPv6 address or "Neither" if IP is not a correct IP of any type.

A valid IPv4 address is an IP in the form  $\begin{bmatrix} x_{1}.x_{2}.x_{3}.x_{4} \end{bmatrix}$  where  $\begin{bmatrix} 0 <= x_{i} <= 255 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $\begin{bmatrix} x_{i} \end{bmatrix}$  cannot contain leading zeros. For example, "192.168.1.1" and "192.168.1.0" are valid IPv4 addresses while "192.168.01.1", "192.168.1.00", and "192.168@1.1" are invalid IPv4 addresses.

A valid IPv6 address is an IP in the form ["x<sub>1</sub>:x<sub>2</sub>:x<sub>3</sub>:x<sub>4</sub>:x<sub>5</sub>:x<sub>6</sub>:x<sub>7</sub>:x<sub>8</sub>"] where:

- 1 <= x i .length <= 4
- x i is a hexadecimal string which may contain digits, lowercase English letter ( 'a' to 'f' ) and upper-case English letters ( 'A' to 'F' ).
- Leading zeros are allowed in x i.

For example, "[2001:0db8:85a3:0000:0000:8a2e:0370:7334"] and "[2001:db8:85a3:0:0:8A2E:0370:7334"] are valid IPv6 addresses, while "[2001:0db8:85a3::8A2E:037j:7334"] and "[02001:0db8:85a3:0000:0000:8a2e:0370:7334"] are invalid IPv6 addresses.

## Example 1:

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Input: queryIP = "172.16.254.1"
Output: "IPv4"
Explanation: This is a valid IPv4 address, return "IPv4".
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### Example 2:

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Input: queryIP = "2001:0db8:85a3:0:0:8A2E:0370:7334"
Output: "IPv6"
Explanation: This is a valid IPv6 address, return "IPv6".
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### Example 3:

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Input: queryIP = "256.256.256.256.256"
Output: "Neither"
Explanation: This is neither a IPv4 address nor a IPv6 address.
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#### **Constraints:**

• queryIP consists only of English letters, digits and the characters '.' and ':'.