

1. brute force, enumerate a vertex of the square.  $O(n)$  per operation.
2. dividing rows/columns into heavy and light, and periodically rebuild.  $O(n^{2/3})$ . see my solution <https://leetcode-cn.com/problems/detect-squares/solution/on23de-suan-fa-by-hqztrue-9ki5/>.

remark. if there are no duplicate points, then we can get  $O(\sqrt{n})$  per operation, by dividing rows/columns into heavy and light (heavy iff size  $\geq \sqrt{n}$ ).

## References