## 1496. Path Crossing

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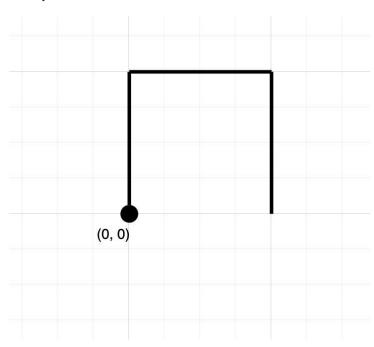
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Given a string path, where path[i] = "N", "S", "E" or "W", each representing moving one unit north, south, east, or west, respectively. You start at the origin (0, 0) on a 2D plane and walk on the path specified by path.

Return true if the path crosses itself at any point, that is, if at any time you are on a location you have previously visited.

Return false otherwise.

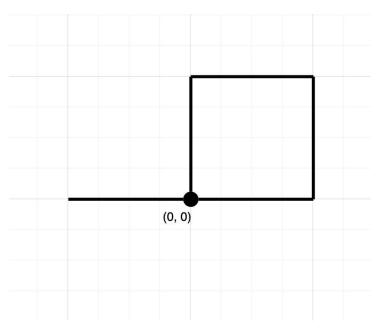
## Example 1:



Input: path = "NES"
Output: false

**Explanation:** Notice that the path doesn't cross any point more than once.

## Example 2:



Input: path = "NESWW"

Output: true

**Explanation:** Notice that the path visits the origin twice.

## **Constraints:**

- 1 <= path.length <= 10<sup>4</sup>
- path[i] is either 'N', 'S', 'E', or 'W'.

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