

36. Valid Sudoku

Determine if a 9 x 9 Sudoku board is valid. Only the filled cells need to be validated according to the following rules:

Each row must contain the digits 1-9 without repetition.

Each column must contain the digits 1-9 without repetition.

Each of the nine 3 x 3 sub-boxes of the grid must contain the digits 1-9 without repetition.

Note:

A Sudoku board (partially filled) could be valid but is not necessarily solvable.

Only the filled cells need to be validated according to the mentioned rules.

Example 1:

5	3			7				
6			1	9	5			
	9	8					6	
8				6				3
4			8		3			1
7				2				6
	6					2	8	
			4	1	9			5
				8			7	9

Input: board =

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[["5","3",".",".","7",".",".",".","."],  
["6",".",".","1","9","5",".",".","."],  
[".","9","8",".",".",".","6","."],  
["8",".",".","6",".",".","3"],  
["4",".","8",".","3",".","1"],  
["7",".","2",".","","6"]]
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[[".", "6", ".", ".", ".", ".", "2", "8", "."]  
[[".", ".", ".", "4", "1", "9", ".", ".", "5"]  
[[".", ".", ".", "8", ".", ".", "7", "9"]]
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Output: true

Example 2:

Input: board =

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[["8", "3", ".", ".", "7", ".", ".", ".", "  
[["6", ".", ".", "1", "9", "5", ".", ".", "  
[[".", "9", "8", ".", ".", ".", "6", "  
[["8", ".", ".", "6", ".", ".", "3"]  
[["4", ".", ".", "8", ".", "3", ".", "1"]  
[["7", ".", ".", "2", ".", ".", "6"]  
[[".", "6", ".", ".", ".", "2", "8", "  
[[".", ".", "4", "1", "9", ".", ".", "5"]  
[[".", ".", "8", ".", ".", "7", "9"]]
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Output: false

Explanation: Same as Example 1, except with the 5 in the top left corner being modified to 8. Since there are two 8's in the top left 3x3 sub-box, it is invalid.

Constraints:

board.length == 9

board[i].length == 9

board[i][j] is a digit 1-9 or '.'.