

Repeated Substring Pattern

Given a string `s`, check if it can be constructed by taking a substring of it and appending multiple copies of the substring together.

Example 1:

Input: `s = "abab"`

Output: `true`

Explanation: It is the substring "ab" twice.

Example 2:

Input: `s = "aba"`

Output: `false`

Example 3:

Input: `s = "abcabcabcabc"`

Output: `true`

Explanation: It is the substring "abc" four times or the substring "abcabc" twice.

SOLUTION

```
class Solution {  
  
    public boolean repeatedSubstringPattern(String s) {  
  
        int n = s.length();  
  
        int[] dp = new int[n];  
  
        // Construct partial match table (lookup table).  
  
        // It stores the length of the proper prefix that is also a proper suffix.  
  
        // ex. ababa --> [0, 0, 1, 2, 1]  
  
        // ab --> the length of common prefix / suffix = 0  
  
        // aba --> the length of common prefix / suffix = 1  
  
        // abab --> the length of common prefix / suffix = 2  
  
        // ababa --> the length of common prefix / suffix = 1
```

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for (int i = 1; i < n; ++i) {

    int j = dp[i - 1];

    while (j > 0 && s.charAt(i) != s.charAt(j)) {

        j = dp[j - 1];

    }

    if (s.charAt(i) == s.charAt(j)) {

        ++j;

    }

    dp[i] = j;

}

int l = dp[n - 1];

// check if it's repeated pattern st

return l != 0 && n % (n - l) == 0;

}

}

```

OUTPUT

abc" twice.

Testcase

Run Code Result

Debugger

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Runtime: 0 ms

Your input

"abab"

Output

true

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Expected

true

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