

Solution 1

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1 // Copyright © 2020 AlgoExpert, LLC. All rights reserved.
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3 class Program {
4     // O(n ^ 2 + m) time | O(n + m) space
5     func patternMatcher(_ pattern: String, _ string: String) -> [String] {
6         if pattern.count > string.count {
7             return []
8         }
9
10        let oldPattern = pattern.map { String($0) }
11        let newPattern = generateNewPattern(pattern)
12        let didSwitch = oldPattern[0] != newPattern[0]
13
14        var counts = ["x": 0, "y": 0]
15        let firstYPosition = populateCountsAndGetFirstYPosition(&counts, newPattern)
16
17        if counts["y"] != 0 {
18            for lengthOfX in 1 ..< string.count {
19                if let countsOfX = counts["x"], let countsOfY = counts["y"] {
20                    let lengthOfY: Double = Double(string.count - (lengthOfX * countsOfX)) / Double(countsOfY)
21
22                    if lengthOfY <= 0 || lengthOfY.truncatingRemainder(dividingBy: 1) != 0 {
23                        continue
24                    }
25
26                    let indexOfY = lengthOfX * firstYPosition
27
28                    let startX = string.index(string.startIndex, offsetBy: 0)
29                    let endX = string.index(string.startIndex, offsetBy: lengthOfX)
30                    let x = String(string[startX ..< endX])
31
32                    let startY = string.index(string.startIndex, offsetBy: indexOfY)
33                    let endY = string.index(string.startIndex, offsetBy: indexOfY + Int(lengthOfY))
34                    let y = String(string[startY ..< endY])
35
36                    let potentialMatch = newPattern.map { $0 == "x" ? x : y }.joined(separator: "")
37
38                    if string == potentialMatch {
39                        if didSwitch {
40                            return [y, x]
41                        } else {
42                            return [x, y]
43                        }
44                    }
45                }
46            }
47        } else {
48            if let countsOfX = counts["x"] {
49                let lengthOfX = string.count / countsOfX
50                let startX = string.index(string.startIndex, offsetBy: 0)
51                let endX = string.index(string.startIndex, offsetBy: lengthOfX)
52                let x = String(string[startX ..< endX])
53
54                let potentialMatch = newPattern.map { $0 == "x" ? x : "" }.joined(separator: "")
55
56                if string == potentialMatch {
57                    if didSwitch {
58                        return ["", x]
59                    } else {
60                        return [x, ""]
61                    }
62                }
63            }
64        }
65
66        return []
67    }
68
69    func generateNewPattern(_ pattern: String) -> [String] {
70        let patternCharacters = Array(pattern)
71
72        if patternCharacters[0] == "x" {
73            return patternCharacters.map { String($0) }
74        } else {
75            return patternCharacters.map { $0 == "x" ? "y" : "x" }
76        }
77    }
78
79    func populateCountsAndGetFirstYPosition(_ counts: inout [String: Int], _ newPattern: [String]) -> Int {
80        var firstYPosition = -1
81
82        for (index, currentPatternCharacter) in newPattern.enumerated() {
83            if var countPerCharacter = counts[currentPatternCharacter] {
84                countPerCharacter += 1
85                counts[currentPatternCharacter] = countPerCharacter
86            }
87
88            if currentPatternCharacter == "y", firstYPosition == -1 {
89                firstYPosition = index
90            }
91        }
92
93        return firstYPosition
94    }
95 }
96
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