

## 5202. Largest Magic Square

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A  $k \times k$  **magic square** is a  $k \times k$  grid filled with integers such that every row sum, every column sum, and both diagonal sums are **all equal**. The integers in the magic square **do not have to be distinct**. Every  $1 \times 1$  grid is trivially a **magic square**.

Given an  $m \times n$  integer grid, return the **size** (i.e., the side length  $k$ ) of the **largest magic square** that can be found within this grid.

Example 1:

7	1	4	5	6
2	5	1	6	4
1	5	4	3	2
1	2	7	3	4

**Input:** grid = [[7,1,4,5,6],[2,5,1,6,4],[1,5,4,3,2],[1,2,7,3,4]]**Output:** 3**Explanation:** The largest magic square has a size of 3.

Every row sum, column sum, and diagonal sum of this magic square is equal to 12.

- Row sums:  $5+1+6 = 5+4+3 = 2+7+3 = 12$ - Column sums:  $5+5+2 = 1+4+7 = 6+3+3 = 12$ - Diagonal sums:  $5+4+3 = 6+4+2 = 12$ 

Example 2:

5	1	3	1
9	3	3	1
1	3	3	8

**Input:** grid = [[5,1,3,1],[9,3,3,1],[1,3,3,8]]**Output:** 2

User Accepted: 1759

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Difficulty: Medium

**Constraints:**

- $m == \text{grid.length}$
- $n == \text{grid}[i].\text{length}$
- $1 \leq m, n \leq 50$
- $1 \leq \text{grid}[i][j] \leq 10^6$

JavaScript



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1  const pr = console.log;
2  const largestMagicSquare = (g) => {
3      let n = g.length;
4      let m = g[0].length;
5      for (let edge = Math.min(n, m); edge > 1; edge--) {
6          for (let i = 0; i < n; i++) {
7              for (let j = 0; j < m; j++) {
8                  let nexti = i + edge - 1;
9                  let nextj = j + edge - 1;
10                 if (nexti >= n || nextj >= m) continue;
11                 let topL = g[i][j];
12                 let bottomL = g[nexti][j];
13                 let topR = g[i][nextj];
14                 let bottomR = g[nexti][nextj];
15                 pr(topL, bottomL, topR, bottomR, "edge", edge)
16                 if (ok(g, i, j, nexti, nextj)) return edge;
17             }
18         }
19     }
20     return 1;
21 };
22
23 const ok = (g, i, j, nexti, nextj) => {
24     let rowse = new Set();
25     for (let row = i; row <= nexti; row++) {
26         let rowSum = 0;
27         for (let col = j; col <= nextj; col++) {
28             rowSum += g[row][col];
29         }
30         rowse.add(rowSum);
31         if (rowse.size > 1) return false;
32     }
33     let colse = new Set();
34     for (let col = j; col <= nextj; col++) {
35         let colSum = 0;
36         for (let row = i; row <= nexti; row++) {
37             colSum += g[row][col];
38         }
39         colse.add(colSum);
40         if (colse.size > 1) return false;
41     }
42     pr(rowse, colse);
43     if (rowse.values().next().value !== colse.values().next().value) return false;
44     let [x, y] = [i, j];
45     let d1sum = g[x][y];
46     while (x + 1 <= nexti && y + 1 <= nextj) {
47         x++;
48         y++;
49         d1sum += g[x][y];
50         // pr("d1sum", d1sum);
51     }
52     pr("d1sum", d1sum);
53     x = nexti;
54     y = j;
55     let d2sum = g[x][y];
56     while (x - 1 >= i && y + 1 <= nextj) {
57         x--;

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58         y++;
59         d2sum += g[x][y];
60     }
61     pr("d2sum", d2sum);
62     if (rowse.values().next().value != d1sum) return false;
63     if (d1sum != d2sum) return false;
64     return true;
65 };
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