

Valid Sudoku

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class Solution {
public:
    bool isValidSudoku(vector<vector<char>>& board) {
        int i;
        int j;
        int k;
        unordered_map<int,int> map;
        unordered_map<int,int> map1;
        unordered_map<int,int> map2;

        for (i = 0; i<board.size(); i++){
            for (j = 0; j<board[i].size(); j++){
                map[board[i][j]] += 1;
                map1[board[j][i]] += 1;
                if ((i == 0 || i == 3 || i == 6) && (j == 0 || j == 3 || j == 6))
                {
                    map2[board[i][j]] += 1;
                    map2[board[i+1][j]] += 1;
                    map2[board[i+2][j]] += 1;
                    map2[board[i][j+1]] += 1;
                    map2[board[i][j+2]] += 1;
                    map2[board[i+1][j+1]] += 1;
                    map2[board[i+1][j+2]] += 1;
                    map2[board[i+2][j+1]] += 1;
                    map2[board[i+2][j+2]] += 1;
                    if (!validate(map2)) return false;
                    map2.clear();
                }
            }
            if (!validate(map)) return false;
            map.clear();
            if (!validate(map1)) return false;
            map1.clear();
        }
    }
}
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        return true;
    }

    bool validate(unordered_map<int,int> map){

        for (auto i: map){
            if (i.second > 1 && i.first != 46 ) return false;
        }

        return true;
    }
};
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- Working solution
 - checks rows
 - checks columns
 - checks 3x3 square
 - all in same nested loop to maximize efficiency and speed