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Compiler Message

Success

Input (stdin)

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Expected Output

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hereiamstackerrank

hackerworld

1YES

2NO

HackerRank

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characters spell the word `hackerrank`. Remember that a subsequence maintains the order of characters selected from a sequence.

More formally, let  $p[0], p[1], \dots, p[9]$  be the respective indices of `h, a, c, k, e, r, r, a, n, k` in string `s`. If  $p[0] < p[1] < p[2] < \dots < p[9]$  is true, then `s` contains `hackerrank`.

For each query, print YES on a new line if the string contains `hackerrank`, otherwise, print NO.

Example

`s = haackkerrannkk`

This contains a subsequence of all of the characters in the proper order. Answer YES

`s = haackkerrannk`

This is missing the second 'r'. Answer NO.

`s = hccaakkerrannkk`

There is no 'c' after the first occurrence of an 'a', so answer NO.

Function Description

Complete the `hackerrankInString` function in the editor below.

`hackerrankInString` has the following parameter(s):

- string `s`: a string

Returns

- string: YES or NO

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1 char s_1 = s.charAt(Bindex);
2 char tracker_1 = correct.charAt(Eindex);
3 if(s_1 == tracker_1){
4     return Helper(s, Bindex + 1, Eindex + 1); //I figured out my
5     error just in time!, i kept using one tracker when i realized that i needed
6     a staring tracker and an ending tracker in the index
7 }
8 }
9 else{
10     return Helper(s, Bindex + 1, Eindex);
11 }
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100 }
```

## Time and space complexity

The time complexity in this code depends on “n” (I.e the number of inputs that the string s has), so it cannot be constant and there are no other dominating values that can overtake the linearithmic complexity.

Space complexity can be determined by the tracker parameters, since we are trying to find the String “hackerrank” then we are always trying to find that set amount of strings no matter what the parameters are in B and E, since it only wants to track the string Hackerrank. It is  $O(1)$