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Is Substitution Cipher?

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CODEWRITING SCORE: 300/300

A *ciphertext alphabet* is obtained from the *plaintext alphabet* by means of rearranging some characters. For example "bacdef...xyz" will be a simple ciphertext alphabet where a and b are rearranged.

A *substitution cipher* is a method of encoding where each letter of the *plaintext alphabet* is replaced with the corresponding (i.e. having the same index) letter of some *ciphertext alphabet*.

Given two strings, check whether it is possible to obtain them from each other using some (possibly, different) *substitution ciphers*.

Example

- For string1 = "aacb" and string2 = "aabc" , the output should be
isSubstitutionCipher(string1, string2) = true .

Any *ciphertext alphabet* that starts with acb... would make this transformation possible.

- For string1 = "aa" and string2 = "bc" , the output should be
isSubstitutionCipher(string1, string2) = false .

Input/Output

- [execution time limit] 4 seconds (js)
- [input] string string1

A string consisting of lowercase English characters.

Guaranteed constraints:
1 ≤ string1.length ≤ 10 .

- [input] string string2

A string consisting of lowercase English characters of the same length as string1 .

Guaranteed constraints:
string2.length = string1.length .

- [output] boolean

[JavaScript (ES6)] Syntax Tips

```
// Prints help message to the console
// Returns a string
function helloWorld(name) {
  console.log("This prints to the console when you Run Tests");
  return "Hello, " + name;
}
```