

Problem 3127: Make a Square with the Same Color

Problem Information

Difficulty: **Easy**

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

Problem Description

You are given a 2D matrix

grid

of size

3×3

consisting only of characters

'B'

and

'W'

. Character

'W'

represents the white color

, and character

'B'

represents the black color

Your task is to change the color of

at most one

cell

so that the matrix has a

2×2

square where all cells are of the same color.

Return

true

if it is possible to create a

2×2

square of the same color, otherwise, return

false

Example 1:

Input:

```
grid = [["B", "W", "B"], ["B", "W", "W"], ["B", "W", "B"]]
```

Output:

true

Explanation:

It can be done by changing the color of the

grid[0][2]

.

Example 2:

Input:

```
grid = [["B","W","B"],["W","B","W"],["B","W","B"]]
```

Output:

false

Explanation:

It cannot be done by changing at most one cell.

Example 3:

Input:

```
grid = [["B","W","B"],["B","W","W"],["B","W","W"]]
```

Output:

true

Explanation:

The

grid

already contains a

2 x 2

square of the same color.

Constraints:

grid.length == 3

grid[i].length == 3

grid[i][j]

is either

'W'

or

'B'

Code Snippets

C++:

```
class Solution {
public:
    bool canMakeSquare(vector<vector<char>>& grid) {
        }
};
```

Java:

```
class Solution {
public boolean canMakeSquare(char[][] grid) {
```

```
}
```

```
}
```

Python3:

```
class Solution:  
    def canMakeSquare(self, grid: List[List[str]]) -> bool:
```

Python:

```
class Solution(object):  
    def canMakeSquare(self, grid):  
        """  
        :type grid: List[List[str]]  
        :rtype: bool  
        """
```

JavaScript:

```
/**  
 * @param {character[][]} grid  
 * @return {boolean}  
 */  
var canMakeSquare = function(grid) {  
  
};
```

TypeScript:

```
function canMakeSquare(grid: string[][]): boolean {  
  
};
```

C#:

```
public class Solution {  
    public bool CanMakeSquare(char[][] grid) {  
  
    }  
}
```

C:

```
bool canMakeSquare(char** grid, int gridSize, int* gridColSize) {  
  
}
```

Go:

```
func canMakeSquare(grid [][]byte) bool {  
  
}
```

Kotlin:

```
class Solution {  
    fun canMakeSquare(grid: Array<CharArray>): Boolean {  
  
    }  
}
```

Swift:

```
class Solution {  
    func canMakeSquare(_ grid: [[Character]]) -> Bool {  
  
    }  
}
```

Rust:

```
impl Solution {  
    pub fn can_make_square(grid: Vec<Vec<char>>) -> bool {  
  
    }  
}
```

Ruby:

```
# @param {Character[][]} grid  
# @return {Boolean}  
def can_make_square(grid)  
  
end
```

PHP:

```
class Solution {  
  
    /**  
     * @param String[][] $grid  
     * @return Boolean  
     */  
    function canMakeSquare($grid) {  
  
    }  
}
```

Dart:

```
class Solution {  
  bool canMakeSquare(List<List<String>> grid) {  
  
  }  
}
```

Scala:

```
object Solution {  
  def canMakeSquare(grid: Array[Array[Char]]): Boolean = {  
  
  }  
}
```

Elixir:

```
defmodule Solution do  
  @spec can_make_square(Grid :: [[char]]) :: boolean  
  def can_make_square(grid) do  
  
  end  
end
```

Erlang:

```
-spec can_make_square(Grid :: [[char()]]) -> boolean().  
can_make_square(Grid) ->  
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Racket:

```
(define/contract (can-make-square grid)
  (-> (listof (listof char?)) boolean?)
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Solutions

C++ Solution:

```
/*
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 * Difficulty: Easy
 * Tags: array
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 * Approach: Use two pointers or sliding window technique
 * Time Complexity: O(n) or O(n log n)
 * Space Complexity: O(1) to O(n) depending on approach
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class Solution {
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class Solution {
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Python3 Solution:

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    # TODO: Implement optimized solution
    pass
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