

Problem 2423: Remove Letter To Equalize Frequency

Problem Information

Difficulty: [Easy](#)

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

Problem Description

You are given a

0-indexed

string

word

, consisting of lowercase English letters. You need to select

one

index and

remove

the letter at that index from

word

so that the

frequency

of every letter present in

word

is equal.

Return

true

if it is possible to remove one letter so that the frequency of all letters in

word

are equal, and

false

otherwise

.

Note:

The

frequency

of a letter

x

is the number of times it occurs in the string.

You

must

remove exactly one letter and cannot choose to do nothing.

Example 1:

Input:

```
word = "abcc"
```

Output:

```
true
```

Explanation:

Select index 3 and delete it: word becomes "abc" and each character has a frequency of 1.

Example 2:

Input:

```
word = "aazz"
```

Output:

```
false
```

Explanation:

We must delete a character, so either the frequency of "a" is 1 and the frequency of "z" is 2, or vice versa. It is impossible to make all present letters have equal frequency.

Constraints:

```
2 <= word.length <= 100
```

```
word
```

consists of lowercase English letters only.

Code Snippets

C++:

```
class Solution {  
public:  
    bool equalFrequency(string word) {  
  
    }  
};
```

Java:

```
class Solution {  
    public boolean equalFrequency(String word) {  
  
    }  
}
```

Python3:

```
class Solution:  
    def equalFrequency(self, word: str) -> bool:
```

Python:

```
class Solution(object):  
    def equalFrequency(self, word):  
        """  
        :type word: str  
        :rtype: bool  
        """
```

JavaScript:

```
/**  
 * @param {string} word  
 * @return {boolean}  
 */  
var equalFrequency = function(word) {  
  
};
```

TypeScript:

```
function equalFrequency(word: string): boolean {  
}  
};
```

C#:

```
public class Solution {  
    public bool EqualFrequency(string word) {  
  
    }  
}
```

C:

```
bool equalFrequency(char* word) {  
  
}
```

Go:

```
func equalFrequency(word string) bool {  
  
}
```

Kotlin:

```
class Solution {  
    fun equalFrequency(word: String): Boolean {  
  
    }  
}
```

Swift:

```
class Solution {  
    func equalFrequency(_ word: String) -> Bool {  
  
    }  
}
```

Rust:

```
impl Solution {  
    pub fn equal_frequency(word: String) -> bool {  
        }  
    }  
}
```

Ruby:

```
# @param {String} word  
# @return {Boolean}  
def equal_frequency(word)  
  
end
```

PHP:

```
class Solution {  
  
    /**  
     * @param String $word  
     * @return Boolean  
     */  
    function equalFrequency($word) {  
  
    }  
}
```

Dart:

```
class Solution {  
    bool equalFrequency(String word) {  
  
    }  
}
```

Scala:

```
object Solution {  
    def equalFrequency(word: String): Boolean = {  
  
    }  
}
```

Elixir:

```
defmodule Solution do
  @spec equal_frequency(word :: String.t) :: boolean
  def equal_frequency(word) do
    end
  end
```

Erlang:

```
-spec equal_frequency(Word :: unicode:unicode_binary()) -> boolean().
equal_frequency(Word) ->
  .
```

Racket:

```
(define/contract (equal-frequency word)
  (-> string? boolean?))
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Solutions

C++ Solution:

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 * Difficulty: Easy
 * Tags: string, hash
 *
 * Approach: String manipulation with hash map or two pointers
 * Time Complexity: O(n) or O(n log n)
 * Space Complexity: O(n) for hash map
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Java Solution:

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class Solution {  
    public boolean equalFrequency(String word) {  
        }  
    }  
}
```

Python3 Solution:

```
"""  
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"""  
  
class Solution:  
    def equalFrequency(self, word: str) -> bool:  
        # TODO: Implement optimized solution  
        pass
```

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bool equalFrequency(char* word) {

}

```

Go Solution:

```

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