

Problem 773: Sliding Puzzle

Problem Information

Difficulty: **Hard**

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

Problem Description

On an

2×3

board, there are five tiles labeled from

1

to

5

, and an empty square represented by

0

. A

move

consists of choosing

0

and a 4-directionally adjacent number and swapping it.

The state of the board is solved if and only if the board is

`[[1,2,3],[4,5,0]]`

.

Given the puzzle board

board

, return

the least number of moves required so that the state of the board is solved

. If it is impossible for the state of the board to be solved, return

-1

.

Example 1:

1	2	3
4		5

Input:

`board = [[1,2,3],[4,0,5]]`

Output:

1

Explanation:

Swap the 0 and the 5 in one move.

Example 2:

1	2	3
5	4	

Input:

board = [[1,2,3],[5,4,0]]

Output:

-1

Explanation:

No number of moves will make the board solved.

Example 3:

4	1	2
5		3

Input:

`board = [[4,1,2],[5,0,3]]`

Output:

5

Explanation:

5 is the smallest number of moves that solves the board. An example path: After move 0: `[[4,1,2],[5,0,3]]` After move 1: `[[4,1,2],[0,5,3]]` After move 2: `[[0,1,2],[4,5,3]]` After move 3: `[[1,0,2],[4,5,3]]` After move 4: `[[1,2,0],[4,5,3]]` After move 5: `[[1,2,3],[4,5,0]]`

Constraints:

`board.length == 2`

`board[i].length == 3`

`0 <= board[i][j] <= 5`

Each value

`board[i][j]`

is

unique

Code Snippets

C++:

```
class Solution {
public:
    int slidingPuzzle(vector<vector<int>>& board) {

    }
};
```

Java:

```
class Solution {
    public int slidingPuzzle(int[][] board) {

    }
}
```

Python3:

```
class Solution:
    def slidingPuzzle(self, board: List[List[int]]) -> int:
```

Python:

```
class Solution(object):
    def slidingPuzzle(self, board):
        """
        :type board: List[List[int]]
        :rtype: int
        """
```

JavaScript:

```
/**
 * @param {number[][]} board
 * @return {number}
 */
```

```
var slidingPuzzle = function(board) {  
  
};
```

TypeScript:

```
function slidingPuzzle(board: number[][]): number {  
  
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C#:

```
public class Solution {  
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C:

```
int slidingPuzzle(int** board, int boardSize, int* boardColSize) {  
  
}
```

Go:

```
func slidingPuzzle(board [][]int) int {  
  
}
```

Kotlin:

```
class Solution {  
    fun slidingPuzzle(board: Array<IntArray>): Int {  
  
    }  
}
```

Swift:

```
class Solution {  
    func slidingPuzzle(_ board: [[Int]]) -> Int {
```

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}  
}
```

Rust:

```
impl Solution {  
    pub fn sliding_puzzle(board: Vec<Vec<i32>>) -> i32 {  
  
    }  
}
```

Ruby:

```
# @param {Integer[][]} board  
# @return {Integer}  
def sliding_puzzle(board)  
  
end
```

PHP:

```
class Solution {  
  
    /**  
     * @param Integer[][] $board  
     * @return Integer  
     */  
    function slidingPuzzle($board) {  
  
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Dart:

```
class Solution {  
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Scala:

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object Solution {
  def slidingPuzzle(board: Array[Array[Int]]): Int = {

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Racket:

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Solutions

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        pass

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