

# Problem 1496: Path Crossing

## Problem Information

Difficulty: Easy

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

## Problem Description

Given a string

`path`

, where

`path[i] = 'N'`

,

`'S'`

,

`'E'`

or

`'W'`

, each representing moving one unit north, south, east, or west, respectively. You start at the origin

$(0, 0)$

on a 2D plane and walk on the path specified by

path

.

Return

true

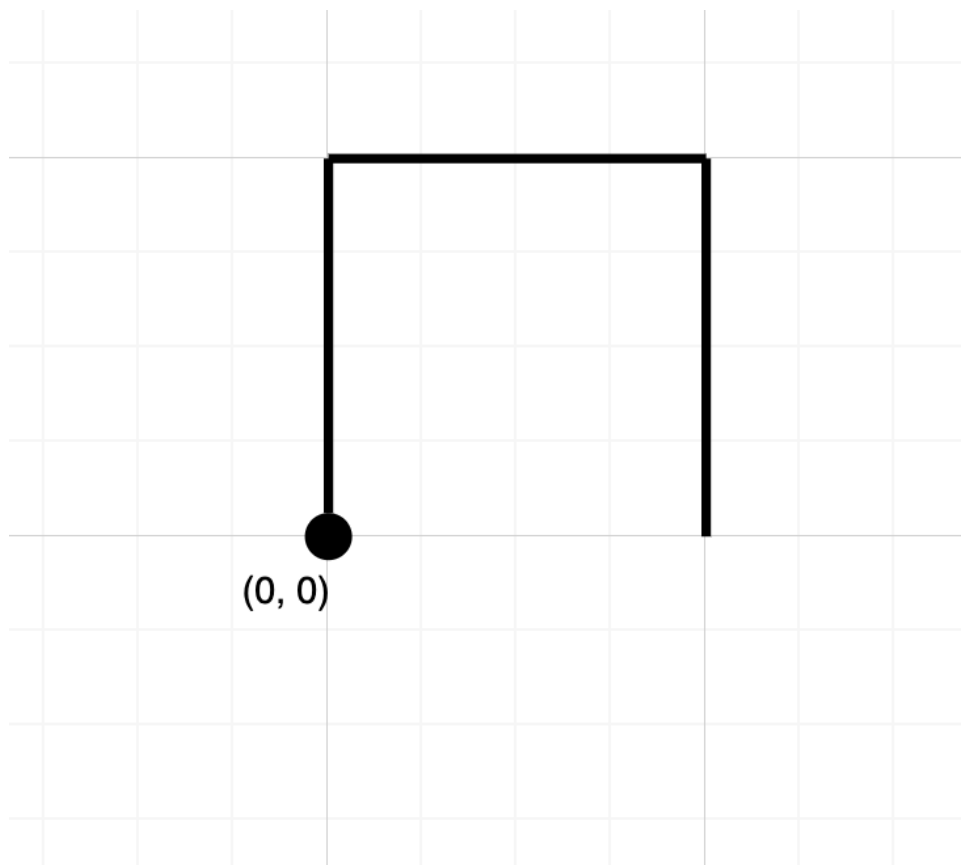
if the path crosses itself at any point, that is, if at any time you are on a location you have previously visited

. Return

false

otherwise.

Example 1:



Input:

path = "NES"

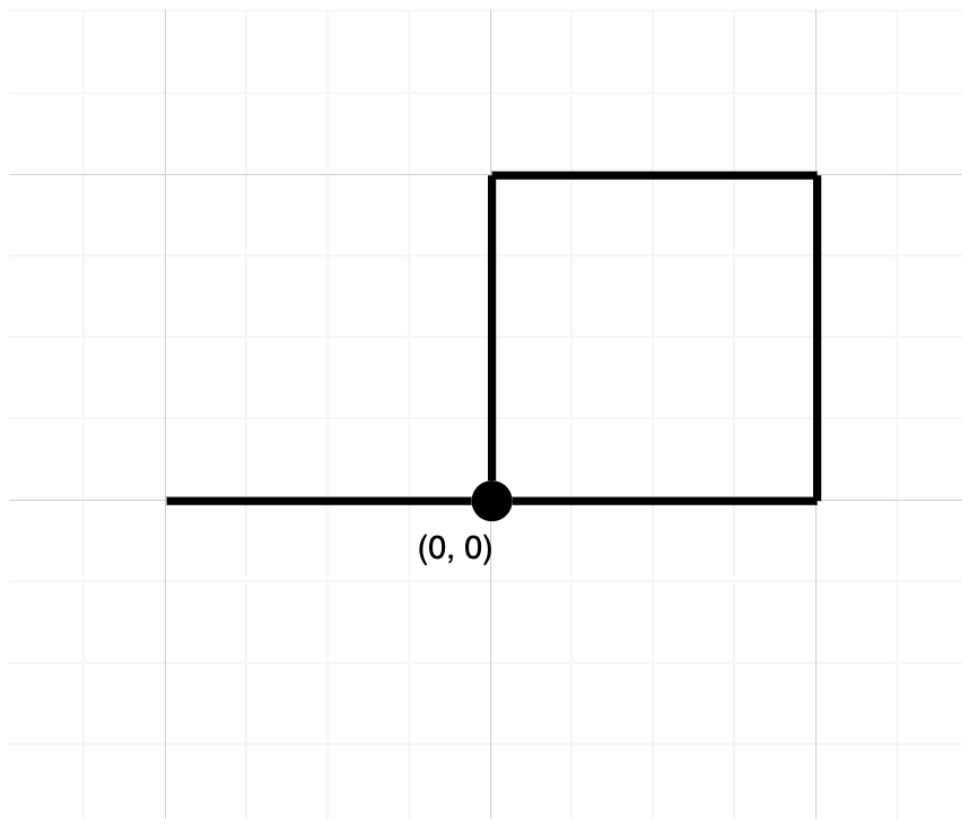
Output:

false

Explanation:

Notice that the path doesn't cross any point more than once.

Example 2:



Input:

path = "NESWW"

Output:

true

Explanation:

Notice that the path visits the origin twice.

Constraints:

$1 \leq \text{path.length} \leq 10$

4

`path[i]`

is either

'N'

,

'S'

,

'E'

, or

'W'

.

## Code Snippets

**C++:**

```
class Solution {
public:
    bool isPathCrossing(string path) {
```

```
}  
};
```

### Java:

```
class Solution {  
    public boolean isPathCrossing(String path) {  
  
    }  
}
```

### Python3:

```
class Solution:  
    def isPathCrossing(self, path: str) -> bool:
```

### Python:

```
class Solution(object):  
    def isPathCrossing(self, path):  
        """  
        :type path: str  
        :rtype: bool  
        """
```

### JavaScript:

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

### TypeScript:

```
function isPathCrossing(path: string): boolean {  
  
    };
```

### C#:

```
public class Solution {  
    public bool IsPathCrossing(string path) {  
  
    }  
}
```

### C:

```
bool isPathCrossing(char* path) {  
  
}
```

### Go:

```
func isPathCrossing(path string) bool {  
  
}
```

### Kotlin:

```
class Solution {  
    fun isPathCrossing(path: String): Boolean {  
  
    }  
}
```

### Swift:

```
class Solution {  
    func isPathCrossing(_ path: String) -> Bool {  
  
    }  
}
```

### Rust:

```
impl Solution {  
    pub fn is_path_crossing(path: String) -> bool {  
  
    }  
}
```

### Ruby:

```
# @param {String} path
# @return {Boolean}
def is_path_crossing(path)

end
```

## PHP:

```
class Solution {

    /**
     * @param String $path
     * @return Boolean
     */
    function isPathCrossing($path) {

    }

}
```

## Dart:

```
class Solution {
  bool isPathCrossing(String path) {

  }
}
```

## Scala:

```
object Solution {
  def isPathCrossing(path: String): Boolean = {

  }
}
```

## Elixir:

```
defmodule Solution do
  @spec is_path_crossing(path :: String.t) :: boolean
  def is_path_crossing(path) do

  end
end
```

## Erlang:

```
-spec is_path_crossing(Path :: unicode:unicode_binary()) -> boolean().
is_path_crossing(Path) ->
.
```

## Racket:

```
(define/contract (is-path-crossing path)
  (-> string? boolean?)
)
```

## Solutions

### C++ Solution:

```
/*
 * Problem: Path Crossing
 * 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
 */

class Solution {
public:
    bool isPathCrossing(string path) {

    }
};
```

### Java Solution:

```
/**
 * Problem: Path Crossing
 * 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
*/

class Solution {
public boolean isPathCrossing(String path) {

}
}

```

### Python3 Solution:

```

"""
Problem: Path Crossing
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
"""

class Solution:
    def isPathCrossing(self, path: str) -> bool:
        # TODO: Implement optimized solution
        pass

```

### Python Solution:

```

class Solution(object):
    def isPathCrossing(self, path):
        """
        :type path: str
        :rtype: bool
        """

```

### JavaScript Solution:

```

/**
 * Problem: Path Crossing
 * 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
*/

/**
* @param {string} path
* @return {boolean}
*/
var isPathCrossing = function(path) {

};

```

### TypeScript Solution:

```

/**
* Problem: Path Crossing
* 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
*/

function isPathCrossing(path: string): boolean {

};

```

### C# Solution:

```

/*
* Problem: Path Crossing
* 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

```

```

*/

public class Solution {
    public bool IsPathCrossing(string path) {

    }
}

```

### C Solution:

```

/*
 * Problem: Path Crossing
 * 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
 */

bool isPathCrossing(char* path) {

}

```

### Go Solution:

```

// Problem: Path Crossing
// 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

func isPathCrossing(path string) bool {

}

```

### Kotlin Solution:

```

class Solution {
    fun isPathCrossing(path: String): Boolean {

    }

}

```

### Swift Solution:

```

class Solution {
    func isPathCrossing(_ path: String) -> Bool {

    }

}

```

### Rust Solution:

```

// Problem: Path Crossing
// 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

impl Solution {
    pub fn is_path_crossing(path: String) -> bool {

    }

}

```

### Ruby Solution:

```

# @param {String} path
# @return {Boolean}
def is_path_crossing(path)

end

```

### PHP Solution:

```

class Solution {

```

```

/**
 * @param String $path
 * @return Boolean
 */
function isPathCrossing($path) {

}

}

```

### Dart Solution:

```

class Solution {
  bool isPathCrossing(String path) {

  }
}

```

### Scala Solution:

```

object Solution {
  def isPathCrossing(path: String): Boolean = {

  }
}

```

### Elixir Solution:

```

defmodule Solution do
  @spec is_path_crossing(path :: String.t) :: boolean
  def is_path_crossing(path) do

  end
end

```

### Erlang Solution:

```

-spec is_path_crossing(Path :: unicode:unicode_binary()) -> boolean().
is_path_crossing(Path) ->
.

```

### Racket Solution:

```
(define/contract (is-path-crossing path)
  (-> string? boolean?)
)
```