

Problem 1790: Check if One String Swap Can Make Strings Equal

Problem Information

Difficulty: [Easy](#)

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

Problem Description

You are given two strings

`s1`

and

`s2`

of equal length. A

string swap

is an operation where you choose two indices in a string (not necessarily different) and swap the characters at these indices.

Return

`true`

if it is possible to make both strings equal by performing

at most one string swap

on

exactly one

of the strings.

Otherwise, return

false

.

Example 1:

Input:

s1 = "bank", s2 = "kanb"

Output:

true

Explanation:

For example, swap the first character with the last character of s2 to make "bank".

Example 2:

Input:

s1 = "attack", s2 = "defend"

Output:

false

Explanation:

It is impossible to make them equal with one string swap.

Example 3:

Input:

`s1 = "kelb", s2 = "kelb"`

Output:

`true`

Explanation:

The two strings are already equal, so no string swap operation is required.

Constraints:

`1 <= s1.length, s2.length <= 100`

`s1.length == s2.length`

`s1`

and

`s2`

consist of only lowercase English letters.

Code Snippets

C++:

```
class Solution {  
public:  
    bool areAlmostEqual(string s1, string s2) {  
  
    }  
};
```

Java:

```

class Solution {
public boolean areAlmostEqual(String s1, String s2) {

}

}

```

Python3:

```

class Solution:
def areAlmostEqual(self, s1: str, s2: str) -> bool:

```

Python:

```

class Solution(object):
def areAlmostEqual(self, s1, s2):
"""
:type s1: str
:type s2: str
:rtype: bool
"""

```

JavaScript:

```

/**
 * @param {string} s1
 * @param {string} s2
 * @return {boolean}
 */
var areAlmostEqual = function(s1, s2) {

};

```

TypeScript:

```

function areAlmostEqual(s1: string, s2: string): boolean {

};

```

C#:

```

public class Solution {
public bool AreAlmostEqual(string s1, string s2) {

```

```
}  
}
```

C:

```
bool areAlmostEqual(char* s1, char* s2) {  
  
}
```

Go:

```
func areAlmostEqual(s1 string, s2 string) bool {  
  
}
```

Kotlin:

```
class Solution {  
    fun areAlmostEqual(s1: String, s2: String): Boolean {  
  
    }  
}
```

Swift:

```
class Solution {  
    func areAlmostEqual(_ s1: String, _ s2: String) -> Bool {  
  
    }  
}
```

Rust:

```
impl Solution {  
    pub fn are_almost_equal(s1: String, s2: String) -> bool {  
  
    }  
}
```

Ruby:

```
# @param {String} s1
# @param {String} s2
# @return {Boolean}
def are_almost_equal(s1, s2)

end
```

PHP:

```
class Solution {

    /**
     * @param String $s1
     * @param String $s2
     * @return Boolean
     */
    function areAlmostEqual($s1, $s2) {

    }

}
```

Dart:

```
class Solution {
  bool areAlmostEqual(String s1, String s2) {

  }
}
```

Scala:

```
object Solution {
  def areAlmostEqual(s1: String, s2: String): Boolean = {

  }
}
```

Elixir:

```
defmodule Solution do
  @spec are_almost_equal(s1 :: String.t, s2 :: String.t) :: boolean
  def are_almost_equal(s1, s2) do
```

```
end  
end
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Erlang:

```
-spec are_almost_equal(S1 :: unicode:unicode_binary(), S2 ::  
unicode:unicode_binary()) -> boolean().  
are_almost_equal(S1, S2) ->  
.
```

Racket:

```
(define/contract (are-almost-equal s1 s2)  
  (-> string? 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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Python3 Solution:

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# TODO: Implement optimized solution
pass

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bool areAlmostEqual(char* s1, char* s2) {

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Go Solution:

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