

Mars Exploration ★

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A space explorer's ship crashed on Mars! They send a series of SOS messages to Earth for help.



Letters in some of the SOS messages are altered by cosmic radiation during transmission. Given the signal received by Earth as a string, s , determine how many letters of the SOS message have been changed by radiation.

Example

$s = \text{'SOSTOT'}$

The original message was SOSSOS. Two of the message's characters were changed in transit.

Function Description

Complete the marsExploration function in the editor below.

marsExploration has the following parameter(s):

- string s : the string as received on Earth

Returns

- int: the number of letters changed during transmission

Input Format

There is one line of input: a single string, s .

Constraints

- $1 \leq \text{length of } s \leq 99$
- length of s modulo 3 = 0
- s will contain only uppercase English letters, `ascii[A-Z]`.

Explanation

Sample 0

$S = \text{SOSSPSSQSSOR}$, and signal length $|S| = 12$. Sami sent 4 SOS messages (i.e.: $12/3 = 4$).

Expected signal: SOSSOSSOSSOS

Recieved signal: SOSSPSSQSSOR

We print the number of changed letters, which is 3.

Sample 1

$S = \text{SOSSOT}$, and signal length $|S| = 6$. Sami sent 2 SOS messages (i.e.: $6/3 = 2$).

Expected Signal: SOSSOS

Received Signal: SOSSOT

We print the number of changed letters, which is 1.

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Difficulty Easy

Max Score 100

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1  #include <bits/stdc++.h>
2
3  using namespace std;
4
5  /*
6   * Complete the 'marsExploration' function below.
7   *
8   * The function is expected to return an INTEGER.
9   * The function accepts STRING s as parameter.
10  */
11
12  int marsExploration(string s) {
13
14  }
15
16  int main()
17  {
18      ofstream fout(getenv("OUTPUT_PATH"));
19
20      string s;
21      getline(cin, s);
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23      int result = marsExploration(s);
24
25      fout << result << "\n";
26
27      fout.close();
28
29      return 0;
30  }
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```

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