

# The Grid Search

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Given a 2D array of digits or *grid*, try to find the occurrence of a given 2D pattern of digits. For example, consider the following grid:

```
1234567890
0987654321
1111111111
1111111111
2222222222
```

Assume we need to look for the following 2D pattern array:

```
876543
111111
111111
```

The 2D pattern begins at the second row and the third column of the grid. The pattern is said to be *present* in the grid.

## Function Description

Complete the *gridSearch* function in the editor below. It should return YES if the pattern exists in the grid, or NO otherwise.

*gridSearch* has the following parameter(s):

- G*: the grid to search, an array of strings
- P*: the pattern to search for, an array of strings

## Input Format

The first line contains an integer *t*, the number of test cases.

Each of the *t* test cases is represented as follows:

The first line contains two space-separated integers *R* and *C*, indicating the number of rows and columns in the grid *G*.

This is followed by *R* lines, each with a string of *C* digits representing the grid *G*.

The following line contains two space-separated integers, *r* and *c*, indicating the number of rows and columns in the pattern grid *P*.

This is followed by *r* lines, each with a string of *c* digits representing the pattern *P*.

## Constraints

$$1 \leq t \leq 5$$

$$1 \leq R, r, C, c \leq 1000$$

$$1 \leq r \leq R$$

$$1 \leq c \leq C$$

## Output Format

Display YES or NO, depending on whether *P* is present in *G*.

## Sample Input

```
2
10 10
7283455864
6731158619
8988242643
```

```
9505
3845
3530
15 15
400453592126560
114213133098692
474386082879648
522356951189169
887109450487496
252802633388782
502771484966748
075975207693780
511799789562806
404007454272504
549043809916080
962410809534811
445893523733475
768705303214174
650629270887160
2 2
99
99
```

## Sample Output

```
YES
NO
```

## Explanation

The first test in the input file is:

```
10 10
7283455864
6731158619
8988242643
3830589324
2229505813
5633845374
6473530293
7053106601
0834282956
4607924137
3 4
9505
3845
3530
```

As one may see, the given pattern is present in the larger grid, as marked in bold below.

```
7283455864
6731158619
8988242643
3830589324
2229505813
5633845374
6473530293
7053106601
0834282956
4607924137
```

The second test in the input file is:

```
15 15
400453592126560
114213133098692
474386082879648
522356951189169
887109450487496
252802633388782
```

```
650629270887160
2 2
99
99
```

The search pattern is:

```
99
99
```

This cannot be found in the larger grid.





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```
1 #include <assert.h>
2 #include <limits.h>
3 #include <math.h>
4 #include <stdbool.h>
5 #include <stddef.h>
6 #include <stdint.h>
7 #include <stdio.h>
8 #include <stdlib.h>
9 #include <string.h>
10
11 char* readline();
12 char** split_string(char*);
13
14 // Complete the gridSearch function below.
15
16 // Please either make the string static or allocate on the heap. For example,
17 // static char str[] = "hello world";
18 // return str;
19 //
20 // OR
21 //
22 // char* str = "hello world";
23 // return str;
24 //
25 char* gridSearch(int G_count, char** G, int P_count, char** P) {
26
27 }
28
29 int main()
30 {
31     FILE* fptr = fopen(getenv("OUTPUT_PATH"), "w");
32
33     char* t_endptr;
34     char* t_str = readline();
35     int t = strtol(t_str, &t_endptr, 10);
36
37     if (t_endptr == t_str || *t_endptr != '\0') { exit(EXIT_FAILURE); }
38
39     for (int t_itr = 0; t_itr < t; t_itr++) {
40         char** RC = split_string(readline());
41
42         char* R_endptr;
43         char* R_str = RC[0];
44         int R = strtol(R_str, &R_endptr, 10);
45
46         if (R_endptr == R_str || *R_endptr != '\0') { exit(EXIT_FAILURE); }
47
48         char* C_endptr;
49         char* C_str = RC[1];
50         int C = strtol(C_str, &C_endptr, 10);
51
52         if (C_endptr == C_str || *C_endptr != '\0') { exit(EXIT_FAILURE); }
53
54         char** G = malloc(R * sizeof(char*));
55     }
```