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1933. Check if String Is Decomposable Into Value-Equal Substrings

Solved

Premium

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A **value-equal** string is a string where **all** characters are the same.

- For example, "1111" and "33" are value-equal strings.
- In contrast, "123" is not a value-equal string.

Given a digit string `s`, decompose the string into some number of **consecutive value-equal** substrings where **exactly one** substring has a **length of 2** and the remaining substrings have a **length of 3**.

Return `true` if you can decompose `s` according to the above rules. Otherwise, return `false`.

A **substring** is a contiguous sequence of characters in a string.

Example 1:

Input: `s = "000111000"`

Output: `false`

Explanation: `s` cannot be decomposed according to the rules because ["000", "111", "000"] does not have a substring of length 2.

Example 2:

Input: `s = "00011111222"`

Output: `true`

Explanation: `s` can be decomposed into ["000", "111", "11", "222"].

Example 3:

Input: `s = "011100022233"`

Output: `false`

Explanation: `s` cannot be decomposed according to the rules because of the first '0'.

Constraints:

- `1 <= s.length <= 1000`
- `s` consists of only digits '0' through '9'.

Seen this question in a real interview before?

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Yes

No

Accepted 3.7K

Submissions 7.2K

Acceptance Rate 50.6%

Topics

Hint 1

Hint 2

Hint 3

Discussion (2)

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1 class Solution:
2     def isDecomposable(self, s: str) -> bool:
3
4         prev = s[0]
5         count = 1
6         flag = True
7
8         for i in range(1, len(s)):
9             if s[i] == prev:
10                 count += 1
11                 if count > 3:
12                     count = 1
13                     prev = s[i]
14             else:
15                 if count == 1:
16                     return False
17                 elif count == 2:
18                     if flag:
19                         flag = False
20                     else:
21                         return False
22
23                 count = 1
24                 prev = s[i]
25
26         if count == 2:
27             if flag:
28                 flag = False
29             else:
30                 return False
31         elif count > 3:
```

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Testcase | Test Result

Accepted Runtime: 63 ms

Case 1

Case 2

Case 3

Input

s =