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Connect the Dots! Maximal Polygons on a Square Grid

<u>Abstract</u>: Given an n × n grid of dots, can you connect all of the dots and end up with an n²-sided polygon? If n=2, it's easy. If n=3, it's impossible. What about for larger values of n? We'll explore this problem together and work out exactly when such a polygon exists.

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