

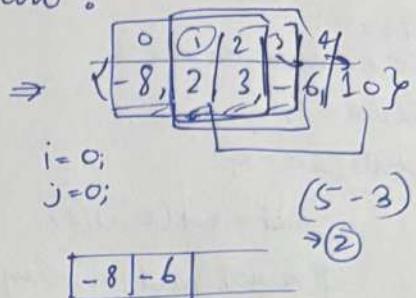
Queues are used for FIFO operations

e.g. → first negative element in window:

brute → (Scan every window)

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→ vector<int> ans;  
int n = arr.size();
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for (int i = 0; i < n - K; i++)
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for (int j = i, j < i + K, j++) } Scanning @size
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if (arr[j] < 0) // negative element
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< ans.push_back (arr[j]);
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break;
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if (j == i + K) // no negative in
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< ans.push_back (0);
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Y
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Y remains X ————— X ————— Y

queue will reduce the time to O(K)

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queue<int> q;
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v<int> ans;
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for (int i = 0, i < arr.size(); i++)
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if (arr[i] < 0)
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< q.push(i);
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if (i == K-1) // window end;
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< while (!q.empty() && q.front() < i - K + 1)
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{ q.pop();
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if (q.empty()) push 0;
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, , else ans.push(m(q.front()));
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- 1) fixed size SW;
- 2) include element
- 3) window ready ( $i \geq K-1$ )
- 4) remove out of window
- 5) compute answer

① if arr(neg) push index  
to queue;

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if (ans[i] < 0)
    q.push(i);

if (i >= k-1)
    while (!q.empty() && q.front() < i - k + 1) // mtlb
        q.pop();                                         previous
                                                        widow
                                                        remove

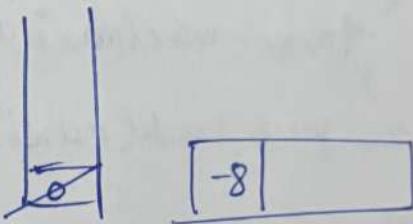
if (q.empty())
    ans.push_back(0);
else
    ans.push_back(ans[q.front()]);

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return ans;

$\Rightarrow q = \boxed{8, 2} \quad 3, -6, 10 \}$

$\begin{matrix} 0 & ① & 2 & 3 & 4 \end{matrix}$



$k=2 \Rightarrow$  if ( $i \geq k+1$ )  
 $i=① \quad i=②$   
 $i=③$   
 $(0 < 1 < 2 < 1)$

$M = [8, 2, 3, -6, 10]$

ans  $\boxed{\quad \quad \quad \quad \quad}$

$k=2;$

if ( $i < i+k+1$ )

## K sized Subarray maximum:

har K sized window ka maximum K track karna hai  
or store karna hai;

Brute sochna agr:

har bar  $i \rightarrow K$

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for(int i=0; i < K-K; i++)
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$\nwarrow$  int maxi = INT\_MIN;

    int j;

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    for(int j=i; j < i+K; j++)
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$\nwarrow$  maxi = max(maxi, arr[j])

$\swarrow$  ans.push\_back(maxi);

    return;

$\searrow$

$\rightarrow$  Used queue;

dequeue<int> q;

vector<int> ans;

for(i → n)

$\nwarrow$  while(!q.empty() && arr[q.front()] ≤ arr[i])

$\nwarrow$  q.pop\_back(); // LIFO maintain

$\nwarrow$  q.push\_back(i); // insert

    if(q.front() < i - K + 1) // out of boundary of K

$\nwarrow$  q.pop\_front(); // front s.pop()

    if(i < -1) ans.push\_back(arr[q.front()]);

    return;

} not applicable for largest / large input;  
 $O(n^2)$ .

## Circular Deque:

Insertion / deletion from both side

Deque implementata hai circular array pe.  
Deque deque has → push-front() → extra  
push-back() } normal  
pop-front()  
pop-back() → extra

Deque implementata hai circular array pe.

→ space wastage ×

→ front/rear O(1)

→ Queue full bhi hoti hoti, empty bhi hoti hoti.

e.g. → size = 5

f=0, r=0 [10, ---, ---], f=0, r=1

push-back(10)

push-back(20) [10, 20, ---, ---], f=0, r=2

pop-front()

[20, ---, ---] f=1, r=1

push-back(30) ⇒ [-20, 30, ---] f=1, r=2

push-back(40) ⇒ [-20, 30, 40, ---] f=1, r=3

push-back(50) ⇒ [-20, 30, 40, 50] f=1, r=4

push-back(60) ⇒ [60, 20, 30, 40, 50] f=1, r=5

$$r = (r+1) \% \text{size} \Rightarrow 5 \% 5 = 0$$

empty condition

$$\Rightarrow (f == -1)$$

full ⇒  $((r+1) \% \text{size} == r)$

{ is used to efficiently utilize space  
and perform insertion & deletion  
from both ends in O(1) }

Circular deque = deque + modulo (%)

Public:

int \*arr;  
int size, front, rear;

MyCdeque(int capacity)

size = capacity  
arr = new int[size];  
f = r = -1;

② bool atlast(x)

if (isFull) return false;  
if (isEmpty()) r = f = 0;  
else <  
    r = (r + 1) % size;  
    arr[r] = x;  
return true;

④ DeleteLast()

if (isEmpty()) return false;  
if (r == f) r = f = -1;  
else <  
    r = (r + 1 + size) % size;  
return true;

① insertfromfront(int x)

if (isFull) return false;  
else < if (isEmpty())  
        f = r = 0;  
    else if  
        f = (f - 1 + size) % size;  
    arr[f] = value; >

③ deletefront()

if (isEmpty()) return false;  
if (r == f)  
    r = f = -1;  
else <  
    f = (f + 1) % size;

[next = (index + 1) % size]  
[prev = (index - 1) % size]

for → reversal / undo / Nested → Stack  
order / scheduling / stream → queue  
window / max / min / cache → deque

## TRAPS

① Difference b/w stacks & Queue?

Ans) Stacks are used when recent element matters (undo, reverse)  
→ Queue follows when order/fairness matters (scheduling)

② When do not use stacks (TRAP)?

→ Scheduling / buffering

③ Sliding window (Q/S)?

→ deque, cause we need to keep adding & removing from the window  
from both sides, so stacks are not used.

④ Reverse the data stream?

→ Use stacks  
cause queues preserves the order

⑤ BFS uses stack or queues?

→ Uses queue  
cause we need to maintain level by level order.

⑥ UNDO / REDO ? stacks

⑦ producer/consumer problem?

→ Queues

⑧ Cache implementations (Deques + hashmaps)

cause → removes last used  
→ adds next one

⑨ Can queue be implemented by using stack?

→ Yes, can be implemented using 2 stacks

one for input / output

Amortized  $O(1)$

⑩ Needs middle element?

→ NO stacks/queue.

cause we need Deque / DLL.

- ① fixed window (Basic) :
- subarray size k
  - first k / last k
- (Queue / variables)
- ② fixed window (min / max) → since remove one get one. :
- dequeue
- ③ fixed window + conditions (count / property) :
- First (FIFO)
  - queue / hashmaps
- ④ variable size window (sum) / length :
- 2 pointers
- ⑤ variable window + strings (longest substring) :
- hashmaps / fixed window
- ⑥ Anagram / permutation :
- hashmap / fixed window
- ⑦ Sliding window on circular array
- Two pointer + mod
- ⑧ Stream based → queue
- ⑨ Sliding window + Greedy (dequeue) / (stack)
- ⑩ Two pointers window
- atmost trick.

★ (Sliding window + mod)

→ array ko 2 times imagine karو

temp = [8, 3, 1, 2, 8, 3, 1, 2]

→ AB sliding window lagao

→ Window length =  $k$

→ But window start index  $< n$  hi allow karو.

[vector<int> temp;  
for (int i=0; i<2\*n; i++)  
    temp.push\_back(an[i%n]);]  
// normal window of size k]

## LRU Cache :

LRU(4) ✓ size of cache discussed.

put(2, 6)

(7, 10)(8, 11)(4, 7)(2, 6)

put(4, 7)

put(8, 11)

// 6.     (2, 6) (7, 10) (8, 11) (4, 7)

put(7, 10)

get(2)

✓ 11     (8, 11) (2, 6) (7, 10) (4, 7)

get(8)

put(5, 6)

//     (5, 6) (8, 11) (2, 6) (7, 10) (4, 7)

get(7)

put(5, 7)

// 10     (7, 10) (5, 6) (8, 11) (2, 6) (7, 10) (4, 7)  
          (5, 7) (7, 10) (5, 6) (8, 11) 22, 6 (7, 10) (4, 7)

QWII.