

Program 56. Check If All 1's Are at Least Length K Places Away

Given an binary array `nums` and an integer `k`, return true if all 1's are at least `k` places away from each other, otherwise return false.

Example 1:

Input: `nums = [1,0,0,0,1,0,0,1]`, `k = 2`

Output: true

Explanation: Each of the 1s are at least 2 places away from each other.

Example 2:

Input: `nums = [1,0,0,1,0,1]`, `k = 2`

Output: false

Explanation: The second 1 and third 1 are only one apart from each other.

Constraints:

- `1 <= nums.length <= 105`
- `0 <= k <= nums.length`
- `nums[i]` is 0 or 1

Program:

```
def kLengthApart(nums, k):
    prev_index = -1

    for i, num in enumerate(nums):
        if num == 1:
            if prev_index != -1 and i - prev_index - 1 < k:
                return False
            prev_index = i

    return True
```

Example usage

```
nums1 = [1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 1]
```

```
k1 = 2
```

```
print(kLengthApart(nums1, k1)) # Output: True
```

```
nums2 = [1, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1]
```

```
k2 = 2
```

```
print(kLengthApart(nums2, k2)) # Output: False
```

Output:

```
"C:\Program Files\Python312\python.exe" "C:\Work Space\DAA COADS.PYTHON\program 57.py"
True
False

Process finished with exit code 0
```

Time complexity:

$O(n)$