

Longest Substring Without Repeating Characters

```
while(i < s.length()-1) {  
    //acquire  
    while(i < s.length() - 1) {  
        //ans updation step  
        int len = i - j;  
        if(len > oans) {  
            oans = len;  
        }  
        i++;  
        char ch = s.charAt(i);  
        int nf = map.getOrDefault(ch,0) + 1;  
        map.put(ch,nf);  
        if(nf >= 2) {  
            //invalid  
            break;  
        }  
    }  
    //release -> to be valid again  
    while(j < i) {  
        j++;  
        char ch = s.charAt(j);  
        if(map.get(ch) == 1) {  
            map.remove(ch);  
        }  
        else {  
            int nf = map.get(ch) - 1; //we are valid again, Let's go and acquire again  
            map.put(ch,nf);  
            break;  
        }  
    }  
}  
return oans;
```

not correct

(i) acquire till invalid
(ii) release to be valid again.

j
a a a b c d e
i

a → 1
b → 1
c → 1
d → 1
e → 1

ans = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4

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j
 a a b c d e
 i

abcd

a-1 e-1
 b-1
 c-1
 d-1

oans = 1 2 3 4 5

Count Of Substrings Having All Unique Characters

eg. a b c d

a

b

c

d

ab

bc

cd

abc

bcd

abcd

eg. a b b c

a ✓

b ✓

b ✓

c ✓

ab ✓

bb ✗

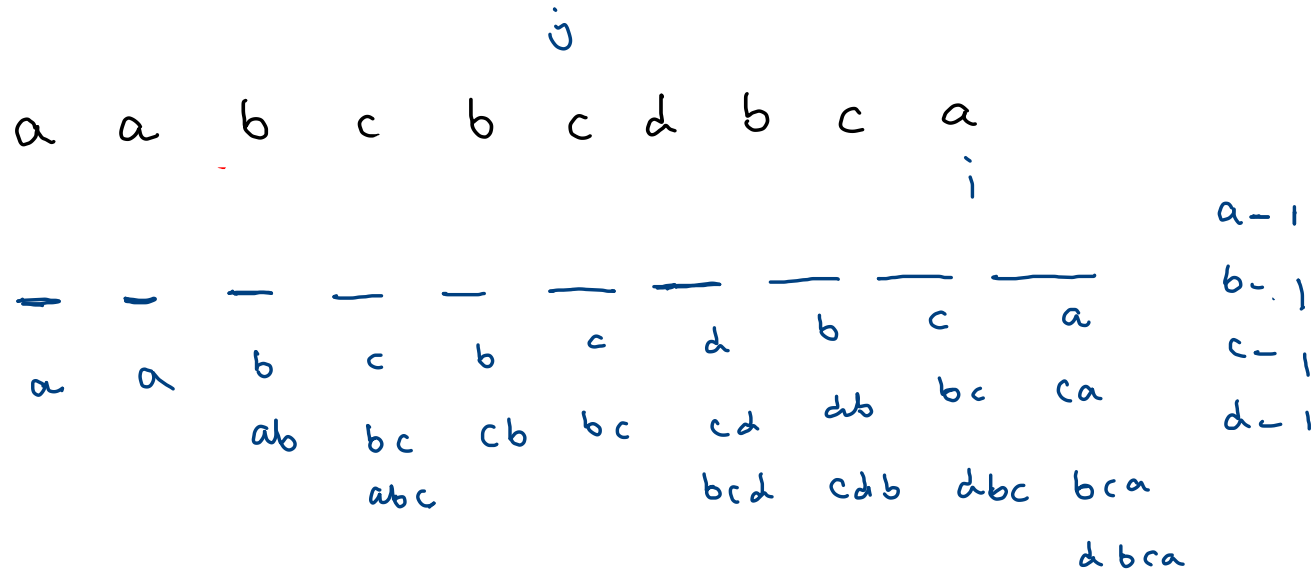
bc ✓

abb ✗

bbc ✗

abbc ✗

aabcbcbdbca



(i) acquiring till invalid [during acquiring always valid]

(ii) release to be valid again

$$\text{count} = \cancel{\phi} + 1 + 1 + 2 + 3 + 2$$

$$+ 2 + 3 + 3$$

$$+ 4$$

Longest Substring With Exactly K Unique Characters

a a b c b c d b c a

aabcbcdabca
2

acquire and release

$$k = 2$$

```
//acquire to be valid
while(i < s.length()-1) {
    i++;
    char ch = s.charAt(i);
    int nf = map.getOrDefault(ch,0) + 1;
    map.put(ch,nf);

    if(map.size() == k) {
        int len = i - j;
        ans = Math.max(ans,len);
    }
    else if(map.size() > k) {
        break;
    }
}
```

a a b c b c d b c a a c a b

j

i

b-1

a-2

```
//release to be valid
while(j < i) {
    j++;
    char ch = s.charAt(j);

    if(map.get(ch) == 1) {
        map.remove(ch);
    }
    else {
        int nf = map.get(ch) - 1;
        map.put(ch,nf);
    }

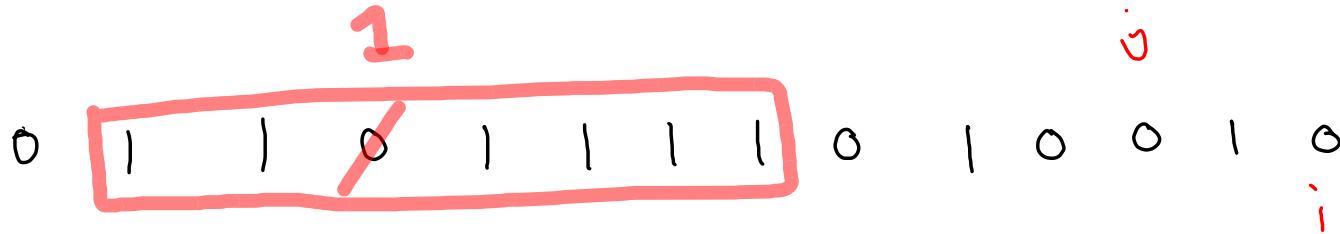
    if(map.size() == k) {
        break;
    }
}
```

0 ans = ~~1~~ ~~3~~ 4 5

Maximum Consecutive Ones - 1

flip a 0 → 1

$O(n)$



$count = 1$

ans = 1 2 3 4 5 6 7

flip k '0's → '1's

[1,1,1,0,0,0,1,1,1,0]

k = 2

```
while(i < nums.length-1) {  
    //acquire  
    while(i < nums.length-1) {  
        i++;  
  
        if(nums[i] == 0) {  
            cz++;  
        }  
  
        if(cz <= k) {  
            int len = i - j;  
            ans = Math.max(ans, len);  
        }  
        else {  
            //invalid  
            break;  
        }  
    }  
  
    //release  
    while(j < i && cz > k) {  
        j++;  
  
        if(nums[j] == 0) {  
            cz--;  
        }  
    }  
}  
  
return ans;
```

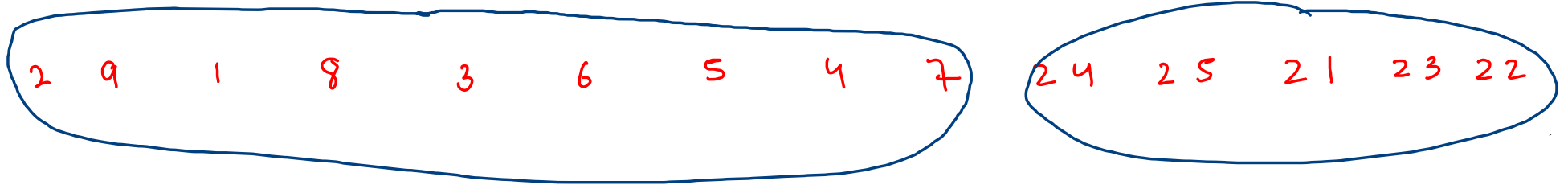
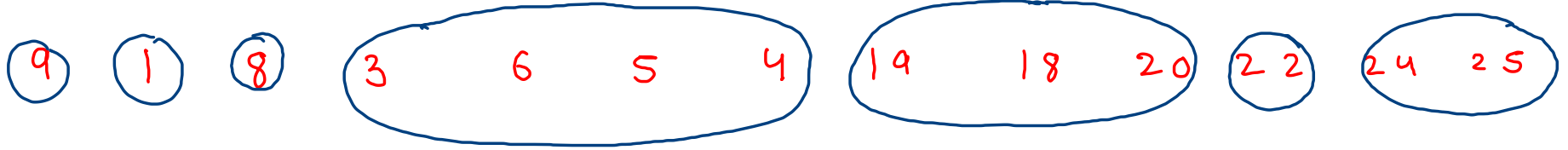
1 1 1 0 0 0 1 1 1 0
j i

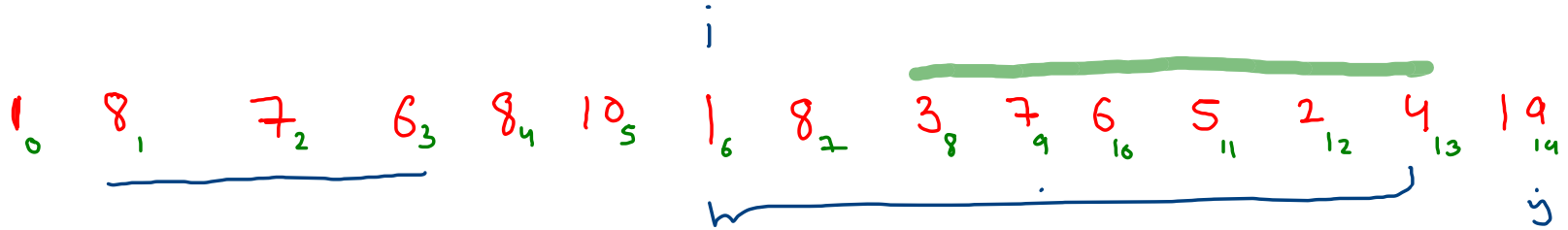
cz = 0
1
2
3
4

ans = 0
1
2
3
4
5
6

Largest Subarray With Contiguous Elements

$O(n^2)$





```
for(int i=0; i < arr.length;i++) {
    int min = Integer.MAX_VALUE;
    int max = Integer.MIN_VALUE;

    HashSet<Integer>hs = new HashSet<>();

    for(int j=i; j < arr.length;j++) {

        if(arr[j] < min) {
            min = arr[j];
        }
        if(arr[j] > max) {
            max = arr[j];
        }

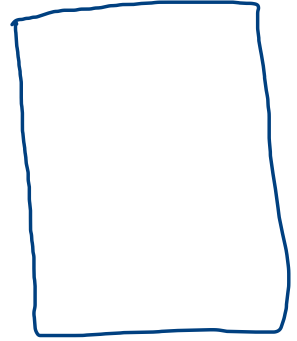
        if(hs.contains(arr[j]) == true) {
            break;
        }
        hs.add(arr[j]);

        int ec = j - i + 1;
        int dc = max - min + 1;

        if(ec == dc) {
            ans = Math.max(ans,ec);
        }
    }
}
return ans;
```

min = 1

max = 19



ans = 8