

M - 53. Maximum Sub-array

Given an integer array `nums`, find the subarray with the largest sum, and return its sum.

Example 1:

Input: `nums = [-2,1,-3,4,-1,2,1,-5,4]`

Output: 6

Explanation: The subarray `[4,-1,2,1]` has the largest sum 6.

Example 2:

Input: `nums = [1]`

Output: 1

Explanation: The subarray `[1]` has the largest sum 1.

Example 3:

Input: `nums = [5,4,-1,7,8]`

Output: 23

Explanation: The subarray `[5,4,-1,7,8]` has the largest sum 23.

Constraints:

`1 <= nums.length <= 105`

`-104 <= nums[i] <= 104`

Approach 1: => Brute Force

Procedure :

- Use Two loops (i & j)
- i loop for start the sub-array to find Max_Sum
- j loop is used to iterate to add the first of the sub_array to last element of sub_array
- First $\text{sum} += \text{arr}[j]$, then **if**(sum > max_sum) then **max_sum = sum**
- After the loops, return max_sum
- Cons : $O(n^2)$ or TLE

Ex-1 => Find the maximum of subArray:

① => $[-2, 1, -3, 4, -1, 2, 1, -5, 4]$
O/P => 6
 $[4, -1, 2, 1] \Rightarrow 6.$

② => $[1] \Rightarrow 1$ O/P => 1

③ => $[5, 4, -1, 7, 8]$ O/P => 23.

Method 1:

i
 $[-2, 1, -3, 4, -1, 2, 1, -5, 4]$
 j
 $\text{maxSum} = i$ $\text{sum} = j$

```
for (i => n)
{
    sum = 0;
    for (j => i => n)
    {
        sum += arr[j];
        if (maxSum < sum)
            maxSum = sum;
    }
}
```

=> 2 loops
=> i loop for starting position for sub Array
=> j loop for ending position
=> add the first element to sum.
if (sum > maxSum)
 maxSum = sum;
=> do it end.

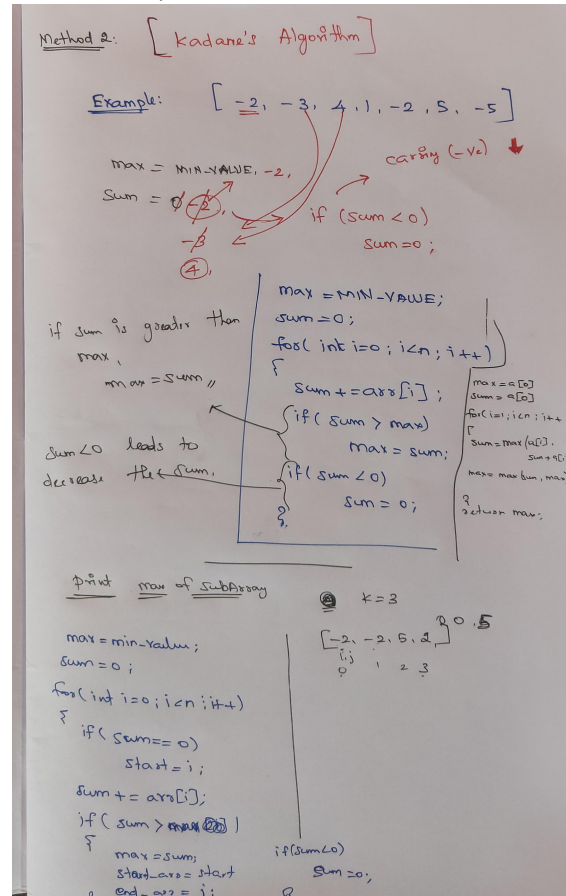
Solution:

```
class Solution {
    public int maxSubArray(int[] nums) {
        int max_sum=Integer.MIN_VALUE;
        for(int i=0;i<nums.length;i++){
            int sum=0;
            for(int j=i;j<nums.length;j++){
                sum+=nums[j];
                if(max_sum<sum)
                    max_sum=sum;
            }
        }
        return max_sum;
    }
}
```

Approach 2: =>Kadane's Algorithm

Procedure :

- Lets take max and sum = 0
- Have a one for loop to iterate the elements until last element
- First add sum+=arr[i]
- then **if(sum > max_sum)** then **max_sum=sum**
- then **if(sum < 0)** then **sum = 0** , because if sum<0 (negative sum) it leads to decrease the total sum ,



Solution 1:

```
class Solution {
    public int maxSubArray(int[] nums) {
        int max_sum=Integer.MIN_VALUE , sum =0;
        for(int i=0;i<nums.length;i++){
            sum+=nums[i];
            if(max_sum<sum)
                max_sum=sum;
            if(sum<0)
                sum=0;
        }
        return max_sum;
    }
}
```

Solution 2:

```
class Solution {
    public int maxSubArray(int[] nums) {
        int maxSum = nums[0];
        int currentSum = nums[0];

        for (int i = 1; i < nums.length; i++) {
            currentSum = Math.max(nums[i], currentSum + nums[i]);
            maxSum = Math.max(maxSum, currentSum);
        }
        return maxSum;
    }
}
```