Array : Sliding Window

Problem Solving Session (Tomorrow 9-11 PM)

- Problems given in assignments/ Homeworks which are least solved by students
  - idea & pseudocode will be discussed
- optional, attendence not counted, 2-2.5 hrs
- recorded

Question 1

Given N elements, print max subarray sum of length = K.

eg A[10] = -3 4 -2 5 3 -2 8 2 -1 4

indices: 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

K = 5

for first subarray of range [s, e]

s = 0

e - s + 1 = K ⇒ e = K - 1

for last subarray of range [s, e]

e = n - 1

e - s + 1 = K = n - 1 - s + 1 = K ⇒ s = n - K

Code

```
def subarraySum(a[], K){
    n = a.length
    s=0, e=K-1, ans= INT_MIN        // write in your language
    while(e<n){                     // n-K+1 iterations  <=> [s<=n-K]
        sum=0
        for(i=s; i<=e; ++i){        // K iterations
            sum += a[i]
        }
        if(sum > ans)
            ans = sum
        s++, e++
    }
    return ans
}
```

ans = 0 / a[0] / Σ / -∞

TC : O(K*(n-K+1))

SC : O(1)

start index of first subarray = 0

start index of last subarray = n-K

no. of subarrays = n-K-0+1

= n-K+1

[1 ..... N]

N - 1 + 1

= N

TC: $O(K*(n-K+1))$

if K=1 → $O(1*(n-1+1))$ → $O(N)$

if K=N → $O(N*(n-n+1))$ → $O(N)$

if K=N/2 → $O(n/2\,(n-n/2+1))$ → $O(n/2\,(n/2+1))$ → $O(n^2/4 + n/2)$ → $O(N^2)$

$O(K*(n-K+1))$

$O(nK - K^2 + K)$

$O(nK)$

TC: $O(N^2)$

SC: $O(1)$

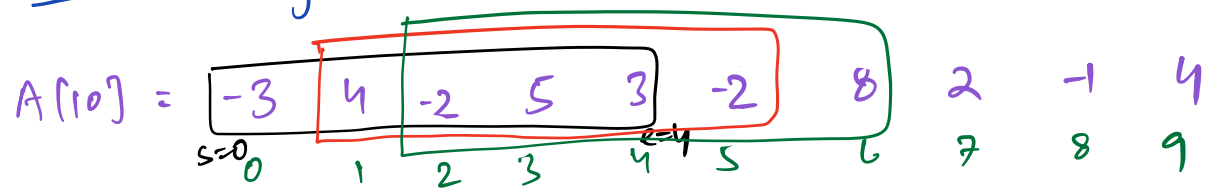
Idea 1: Prefix Sum

TC: $O(N+N) = O(N)$

SC: $O(N)$

→ TODO

Idea 2: Carry forward aka Sliding Window



K=5

$sum_1 = 7$ s=0, e=4

$sum_2 = 7 - (-3) + (-2) = 8$ s=1, e=5

a[s-1] a[e]

$sum_3 = 8 - 4 + 8 = 12$ $s=2, e=6$

a[s-1] a[e]

Code

```
int subarraySum ( a[] , k ) {
    n = a.length
    sum = 0
    for(i=0 ; i<k; ++i) {        → subarray [0, k-1]
        sum += a[i]              (k iterations)
    }
    ans = sum
    s=1 , e=k
    while ( e<n) {               (n-k iterations)
        // get subarray sum from [s, e]
        sum = sum - a[s-1] + a[e]
        if (sum > ans)
            ans = sum

        s++, e++
    }
    return ans
}
```

$O(n-k+k)$

TC : O(N)

SC : O(1)

Question 2

Given an array A and integer B, find minimum swaps required to bring all numbers <= B together.

eg A = 1 12 10 3 14 10 5

B = 8

10 12 1 3 5 10 14

swaps = 2

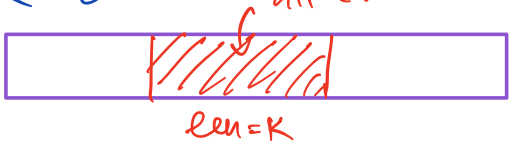
5 17 100 11

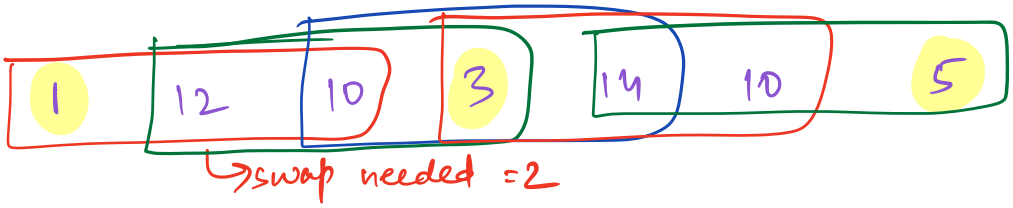
B = 20

5 17 11 100

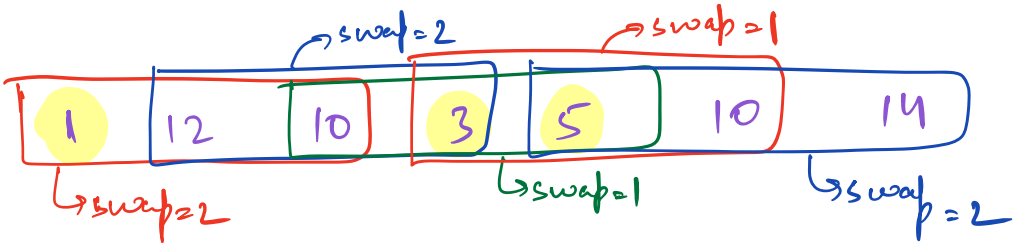
swaps = 1

Idea: let say there are K elements which are <= B.





B=5 K=3 min. swap needed =2



min. swap needed =1

Code

```
int minSwaps(a[], B) {
    n = a.length
    K=0  ⟶ size of subarray
    for(i=0; i<n; ++i) {
        if(a[i] <= B)
            ++K
    }
    s=0, e=K-1, ans=K
    while(e<n) {
        swap=0
        for(i=s; i<=e; ++i){
            if(a[i] > B)
                ++swap
        }
        if(swap < ans)  ans=swap
        ++s, ++e
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TC: $O(N^2)$

SC: $O(1)$

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    }
    return cnt
}
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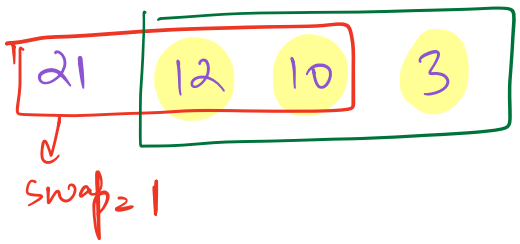

a[s-1]	a[e]	
<=B	<=B	$swap_2 = swap_1$
<=B	>B	$swap_2 = swap_1 + 1$
>B	<=B	$swap_2 = swap_1 - 1$
>B	>B	$swap_2 = swap_1$

swap = swap - f(a[s-1]) + f(a[e])

f(x) : if(a > B) ret 1
else ret 0

a[s-1]	a[e]	f(a[s-1])	f(a[e])	
<=B	<=B	0	0	swap=swap
<=B	>B	0	1	=swap+1
>B	<=B	1	0	=swap-1
>B	>B	1	1	=swap

Code

```
int minSwaps (a[], B) {
    n = a.length
    K = 0
    for(i=0; i<n; ++i) {
        if( a[i] <= B)
            ++K
    }
    swap = 0
    for(i=0; i<K; ++i) {
        if(a[i] > B)  ++swap
    }
    ans = swap
    s=1, e=K
    while( e<n) {
      // find swap in subarray [s,e]
      if( a[s-1] > B)
            --swap
      if (a[e] > B)
            ++swap
      if (ans > swap)   ans = swap
      s++, e++
    }
  return ans
}
```

TC : O(N)

SC : O(1)