Arrays - Interview Problems

AGENDA:

- Max subarray sum of size k
- Sliding window
- Max consecutive 1's

Q1 Given array of N elements, print start and end index of all subarrays of size k (N >= k).

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
arr[12] =	3	4	2	-1	6	7	8	9	3	2	-1	4

k = 3

s	e
0	2
1	3
2	4
3	5
4	6
5	7
6	8
7	9
8	10
9	11

k = 6

s	e
0	5
1	6
2	7
3	8
4	9
5	10
6	11

In general N elements, k size

s	e
0	k-1
1	k
2	k+1
3	k+2
⋮	⋮
N-k	N-1

Quiz 1

```
solve ( N, k ) {
    s = 0
    e = k-1
    while(e<N) {
        print(s,e)
        s += 1
        e += 1
    }
}
```

Total iterations = N-k+1

Time = O(N)

Space = O(1)

Quiz 2

Given N array elements, how many subarrays of len = k = N-k+1

Q2 Given array of N elements, find max subarray sum of length=k (N >= k).

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
arr[10] =	-3	4	-2	5	3	-2	8	2	-1	4

k = 5

s	e	sum
0	4	7
1	5	8
2	6	12
3	7	16
4	8	10
5	9	11

Ans = 16

Brute force Idea

→ for every subarray, get the sum & take their maximum.

```
ans = -∞
s=0, e=k-1
while (e<n) {
    // subarray [s e]
    sum=0
    for (i=s; i<=e; i++)
        sum += A[i]
    ans = max (ans, sum)
    s++, e++
}
return ans
```

Outer loop = N-k+1

Inner loop = k

If k=1 ⇒ N x 1 = N

If k=N ⇒ 1 x N = N

If k=N/2 ⇒ (N/2 + 1) x N/2 =

TC : $O(N^2)$

Optimisation 1

sum [s e] → Prefix Sum

1) Construct pf [N]

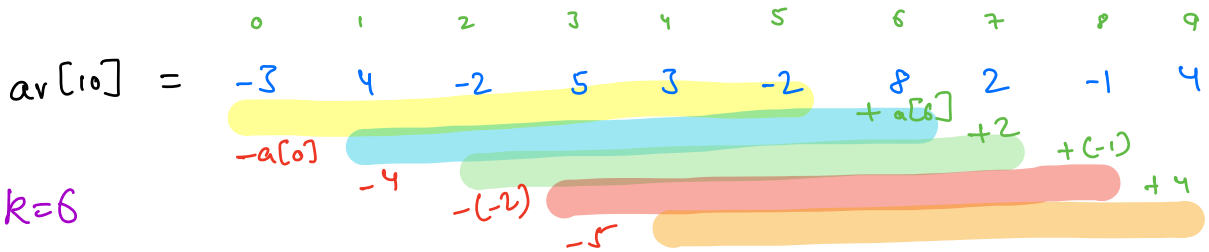
2) For every subarray, use pf [ ] to get the sum.

TODO

TC : O(N)

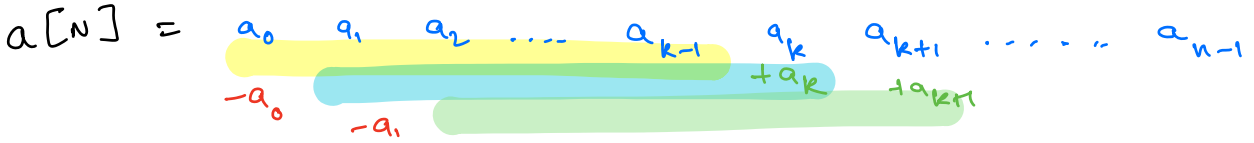
SC : O(N) ← Extra space for pf [N]

Solve without using any extra space or modifying the given array.
TC: O(n)



s	e	sum	
0	5	5	
1	6	5 - arr[0] + a[6] = 5 - (-3) + 8 =	16
2	7	16 - arr[1] + arr[7] =	14
3	8	14 - arr[2] + arr[8] =	15
4	9	15 - arr[3] + arr[9] =	14

Carry forward + Every window is of same size = Sliding Window



s	e
0	k-1
1	k
2	k+1
⋮	⋮
s	e

sum

Iterate & get the sum

sum = sum - a_0 + a_k

sum = sum - a_1 + a_{k+1}

sum = sum - a_{s-1} + a_e

Pseudocode

```
solve ( int [] A, int n, int k) {
        // sum from 0 to k-1
        sum = 0
        for ( i=0; i < k ; i++)          } k
                sum += A[i]

        s=1, e = k

        ans = sum
        while ( e < n ) {                }
                // subarray [s  e] ← sum
                sum = sum - a[s-1] + a[e]
                s++, e++                 } N-k
                ans = max (ans, sum)
        }
        return ans
}
```

Total iterations = $K + N - K$

Quiz 3

$= N$

Space $= O(1)$

Q3. Max consecutive 1's

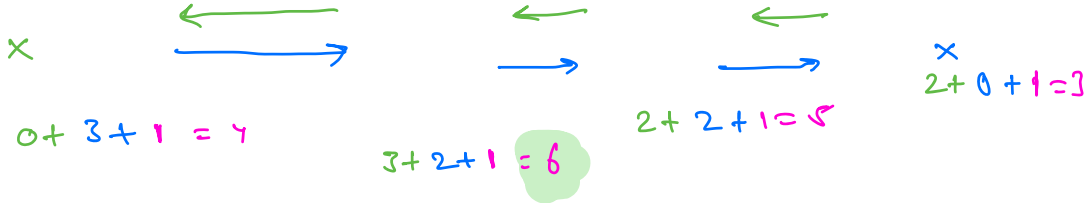
0, 1

Given a binary arr[], we can atmost replace a single 0 with 1.

Find the max consecutive 1's we can get in the arr[].

Example 1

A = 0 1 1 1 0 1 1 0 1 1 0



Example 2

A = 1 1 1 1 1 1

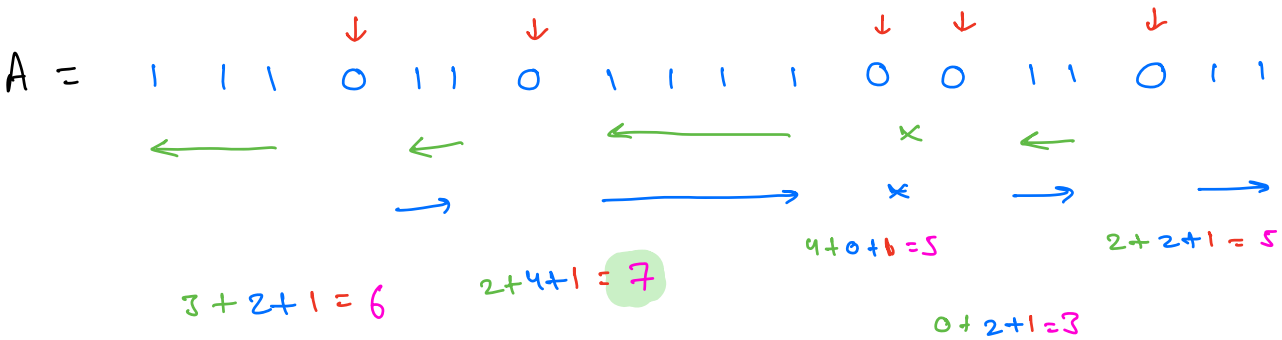
ans = 6

if all ones

ans = N

Example 3

Quiz 4



Ex 4

0 0 0

Idea & Pseudocode

Iterate on array

if arr[i] == 1 → Do nothing

if arr[i] == 0 :

we can replace this 0 with 1

Get the count of 1s on left = L

Get the count of 1s on right = R

Total ones = L + R + 1

ans = max (ans, ones)

```
maxConsecutiveOnesReplace(int arr[]) {
    n = arr.length
    c = 0
    for (i=0; i<n; i++) {
        if (arr[i] == 1)
            c = c+1
    }
    if (c == N)
        return N

    ans = 1
    for (i=0; i<n; i++) {
        if (arr[i] == 1)
            continue

        // Current element is 0

        L=0
        for (j=i-1; j>=0; j--) {
            if (arr[i] == 1)
                L++
            else
                break
        }
        R=0
        for (j=i+1; j<n; j++) {
            if (arr[i] == 1)
                R++
            else
                break
        }
        ones = L+R+1
        ans = max(ans, ones)
    }
    return ans
}
```

Special Case

Time Complexity ?

Quiz 5

Time Complexity = O(N)

How is time complexity O(N) ?

How many iterations are there in this code?

```
for (l=1; l<=4; l++) {
    for (i=0; i<N; i++) {
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    }
}
```
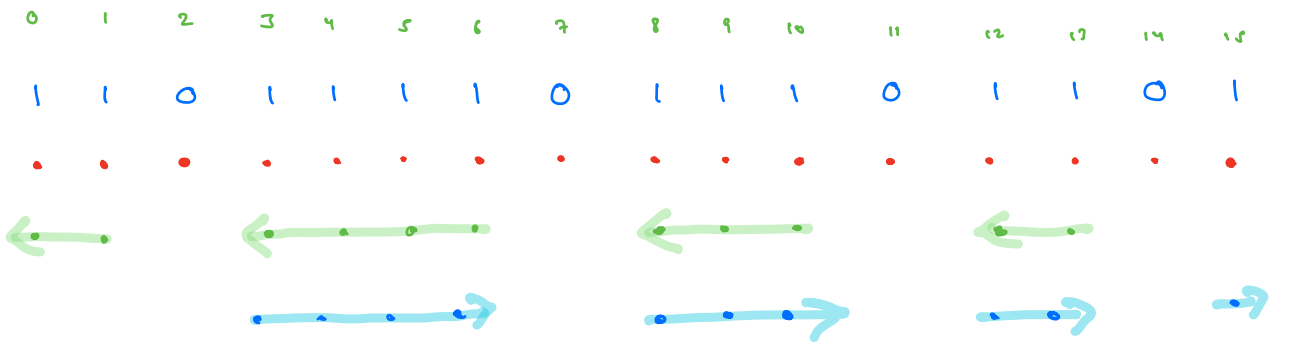

Total Iteration = 4N

Time = O(N)

Every element will be visited 4 times



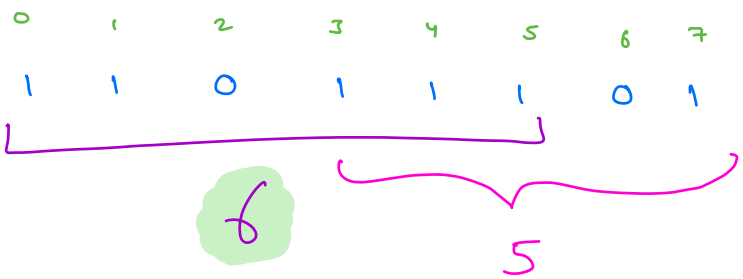
What is the max no of times any element is visited = 3 times

Total iterations in worst case = 3N

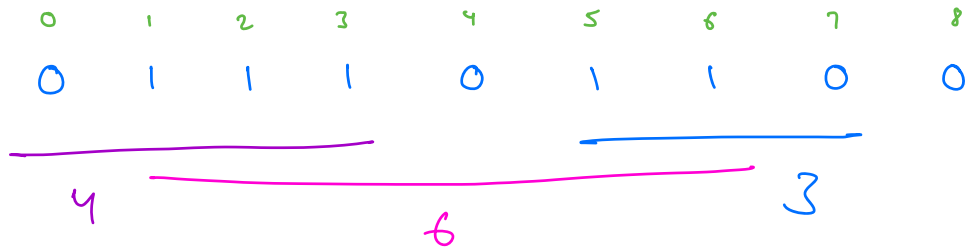
Time = O(N)

Q4 Given a binary arr[], we can atmost swap a single 0 with 1.
Find the max consecutive 1's we can get in the arr[].

Example 1



Example 2

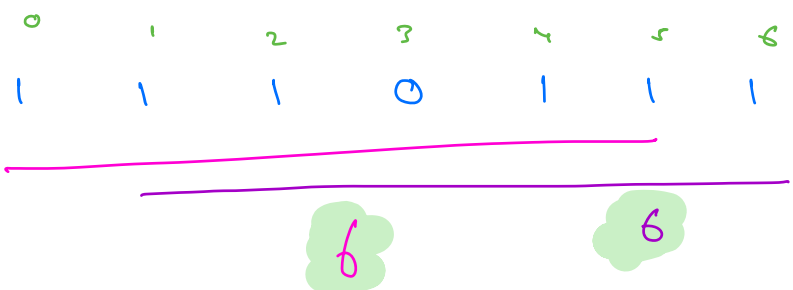


Count = 6

LTR = 6

Example 3

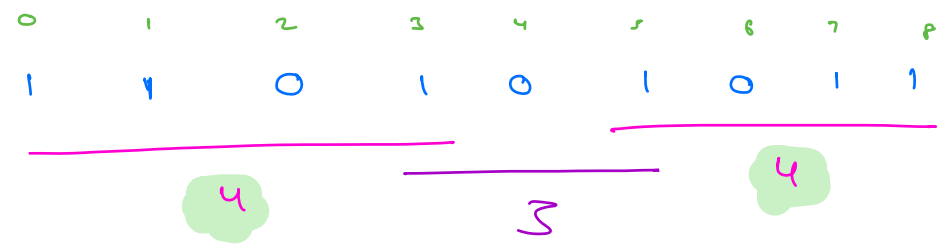
Quiz 6



If we cannot spare an extra one =

Example 4

Quiz 7



Edge Case
if (L+R == total 1's)
- Ans = L+R

Avg Case <- else
- Same as previous problem

L + R + 1

Ex-5

Count = 5
L+R = 5

0 1 1 1 0 1 1 0

If you have no spare ones

Ans =

To put 1 at index = i

you have to put a 0

on left side

↳ (L-1) + R + 1

Or right side

↳ L + (R-1) + 1

L + R

```
maxConsecutiveOnesSwap(int arr[]) {
    n = arr.length
    c = 0
    for (i=0; i<n; i++) {
        if (arr[i] == 1)
            c = c+1
    }
    if (c == N)
        return N

    ans = 0
    for (i=0; i<n; i++) {
        if (arr[i] == 1)
            continue

        // Current element is 0

        L=0
        for(j= i-1 ; j>=0 ; j--) {
            if( arr[i] == 1)
                L++
            else
                break
        }
        R=0
        for (j= i+1; j<n ; j++) {
            if ( arr[i] == 1)
                R++
            else
                break
        }
        if (L+R == c)
            ones = L+R
        else
            ones = L+R+1
        ans = max (ans , ones)
    }
    return ans
}
```

Special Case

Time = O(N)

Space = O(1)

Doubts

Thank
You

Prefix Array

Left to Right

Suffix Array

Right to Left

A	=	5	9	2	
pre	=	5	14	16	→
suff	=	16	11	2	←

suf [N]

suf [N-1] = A [N-1]

for (i=n-2 ; i >= 0 ; i--)

suf [i] = suf [i+1] + A[i]

Prefix Sum - HW

B[i] = product of all array elements / Arr[i]

Do not use division operator

Good Night

Thank You

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