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// Given an unsorted array A of size N that contains only
// non-negative integers, find a continuous sub-array which
// adds to a given number S.
// In case of multiple subarrays, return the subarray which
// comes first on moving from left to right.
// Expected Time Complexity: O(N)
// Expected Auxiliary Space: O(1)
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There is an idea if all the elements of the array are positive. If a subarray has sum greater than the given sum then there is no possibility that adding elements to the current subarray the sum will be x (given sum).

GeeksForGeeks has subtracted the extra values from left if once the sum exceeds our expectation.

**Brute Force:** Nested for loops

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vector<int> v;
int sum = 0;
for (int i = 0; i < n; i++)
{
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    for(int j = i; j < n; j++)
    {
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    }
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}
```

**Optimized:** Time complexity:  $O(n)$



Isy Rem:  $\text{for } (i \rightarrow n; i++)$  // start = 0 initially

if (currentsum > s)

{ while (s < currentsum)

currentsum -= arr[start];

start++;

}

I currentsum = 1

II currentsum = 3

III currentsum = 6

IV currentsum = 13

i) currentsum = 13 - 1 = 12

IV 9 < 13

q = 1

[0, 1] range

start = 3

12 < 13

i) 14 ii) 15 iii) 12

0, 2, 3, 7, 5, 13

I 0 II 2 III 5 IV 12 V 17 VI 16

$\therefore$  Time comp:  $O(n) + O(n) = 2O(n) \approx O(n)$