









# 5786. Maximum Number of Removable Characters

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You are given two strings s and p where p is a subsequence of s. You are also given a distinct 0indexed integer array removable containing a subset of indices of s (s is also 0-indexed).

You want to choose an integer  $k (0 \le k \le removable.length)$  such that, after removing kcharacters from susing the first kindices in removable, pisstill a subsequence of s. More formally, you will mark the character at s[removable[i]] for each  $\emptyset \ll i \ll k$ , then remove all marked characters and check if p is still a subsequence.

Return the maximum k you can choose such that p is still a subsequence of s after the removals.

A subsequence of a string is a new string generated from the original string with some characters (can be none) deleted without changing the relative order of the remaining characters.

User Accepted:	0
User Tried:	0
Total Accepted:	0
Total Submissions:	0
Difficulty:	Medium

#### Example 1:

Input: s = "abcacb", p = "ab", removable = [3,1,0]

Output: 2

Explanation: After removing the characters at indices 3 and 1, "abcacb" becomes "accb".

"ab" is a subsequence of "accb".

If we remove the characters at indices 3, 1, and 0, "abcacb" becomes "ccb", and "ab" is no longer a subsequence Hence, the maximum k is 2.

# Example 2:

Input: s = "abcbddddd", p = "abcd", removable = [3,2,1,4,5,6]

Output: 1

Explanation: After removing the character at index 3, "abcbddddd" becomes "abcddddd".

"abcd" is a subsequence of "abcddddd".

#### Example 3:

Input: s = "abcab", p = "abc", removable = [0,1,2,3,4]

Output: 0

Explanation: If you remove the first index in the array removable, "abc" is no longer a subsequence.

### Constraints:

- 1 <= p.length <= s.length <= 10<sup>5</sup>
- 0 <= removable.length < s.length</pre>
- 0 <= removable[i] < s.length</pre>
- p is a **subsequence** of s.
- s and p both consist of lowercase English letters.
- The elements in removable are distinct.



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        * @param {string} p
  4
        * @param {number[]} removable
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       * @return {number}
  6
   7 var maximumRemovals = function(s, p, removable) {
      };
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