

Day-195Sliding Window - 3* Min. size Subarray Sum:

2	3	1	2	4	3
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target = 7

⇒ we have ~~a~~ to find a min size subarray that sum is greater than or equal to target sum.

Ex:

1	2	4
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7 >= 7

size = 3

4	3
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7 >= 7

size = 2

⇒ Basic approach will be finding all the subarrays and then select the min size array from all the subarrays.

⇒ In the next approach, we will select the first element then increase the window size until ~~the~~ the sum ~~is~~ >= target.

⇒ If our sum >= target, then we will start finding smallest array by decreasing the size of subarray from the left.

	0	1	2	3	4	5
start →	2	3	1	2	4	3
end ↑						

→ nums

sum = 0

Code

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while(end < n){
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    sum += nums[end];
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    while (sum >= target){
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        total = min(total, end - start + 1);
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        sum -= nums[start++];
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    }
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    end++;
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}
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* Min. window substring

S = ADOBECODEBANC → n

t = ABC → m

⇒ We have to find min. length window that have 't' string all the chars.

⇒ In brute force approach, find all substring of S → match it with string t → if matches then it will be one of the answer.

⇒ select the min. from all the answers.

T.C. → $O(n^2 * (n+m))$

- ⇒ In more optimized approach, we will use previous question sliding window approach.
- ⇒ So, we will increase the window size until all chars of 't' are present & then we will decrease the window size ~~to~~ from starting to find min. size substring.
- ⇒ We will take a map in that, we will write target chars & their occurrence i.e. 1 shows doesn't occur yet & 0 shows occurred in the substring.
- ⇒ Also, take a total variable so that we don't have to check again & again in the map.
- ⇒ Also, we will insert other chars into map i.e. 0 \rightarrow -1
- ⇒ We will decrease total only if we do any change in the +ve no. (decreasing 0 +ve no.) & vice versa.

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Code

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unordered_map<char, int> m;  
for( i=0; i<t.size(); i++){  
    m[t[i]]++;  
}
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int start=0, end=0, ans = INT_MAX,
index=-1; n = s.size(); total total = t.size();
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while(end < n){
    m[s[end]]--;
    if(m[s[end]] >= 0)
        total--;
    while(!total && start <= end){
        if(ans > end-start+1){
            ans = end-start+1;
            index = start;
        }
        m[s[start]]++;
        if(m[s[start]] > 0)
            total++;
        start++;
    }
    end++;
}
```