Longest subarray length with zero sum

Largest subarray with 0 sum

Easy Accuracy: **41.84%** Submissions: **240K+** Points: **2**

Given an array having both positive and negative integers. The task is to compute the length of the largest subarray with sum 0.

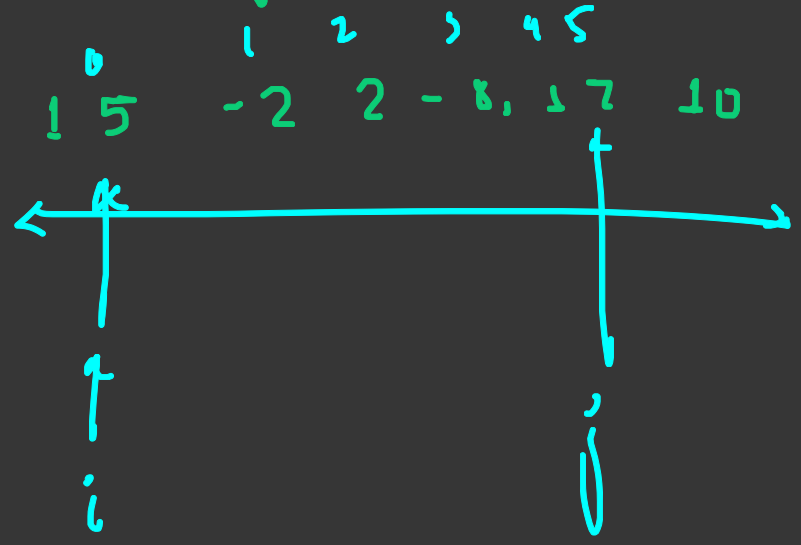
Example 1:

Input:
N = 8
A[] = {15,-2,2,-8,1,7,10,23}
Output: 5
Explanation: The largest subarray with sum 0 will be -2 2 -8 1 7.

arr[] = { 15, -2, 2, -8, 1, 7, 10, 23 } z = 5

Brute force:

- Generate all subarray and sum it and whoever sum is zero count the length and find the longest length.



subarray → sum if sum = 0 length

count

max

5-0

5+1

$O(N^2)$

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for (i=0; i<n; i++)
    for(j=i; j<n; j++)
        sum += arr[j];
        if (sum == 0)
            Update length if (j-i+1);
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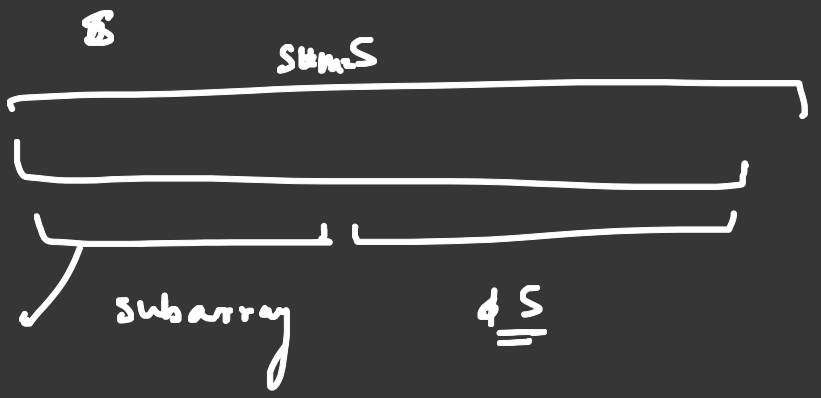
$i \longrightarrow j$ $\boxed{j - i + 1}$

Time Complexity: $O(N^2)$

Optimal Solution:

subarray sum = D

HashMap <int, int> mpi



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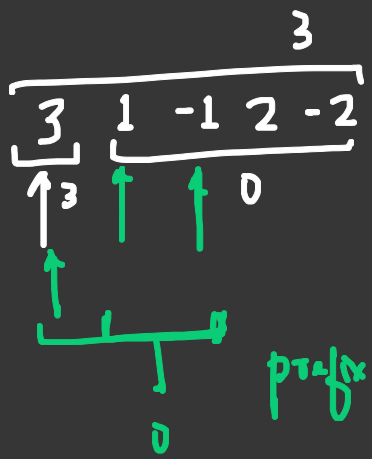

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prefix = 3 + 1 - 4 - 1 = 3

- prefix sum
- hashmap

eg: 1 -1 3 -2 2 -8 1 7 9 6

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

sum = 0 1 -1 = 0 3 -2 = 1 +2 = 3

maxSubarray = 0

-5

Algo

if (sum == 0)

maxi = i + 1;

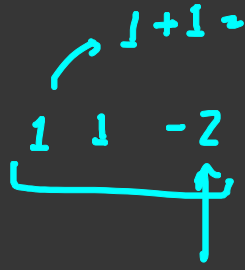
else {

if (mp.find(sum) != mp.end())

currind − mp[sum] ← length

maxi ←

mp→ind



Pseudocode

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unordered_map<int, int> mp;

for(i=0; i<n; i++)
  sum += arr[i];

if(sum == 0)  maxi = i+1;

else if( mp.find(sum) != mp.end())   // is sum present in the map
        maxi = max(maxi, i - mp[sum]+1);

else mp.insert({sum, i});
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T.C. → O(N log N)

log N → map

S.C. = O(N)

O(N) → unordered map (sum)

operation → O(1)