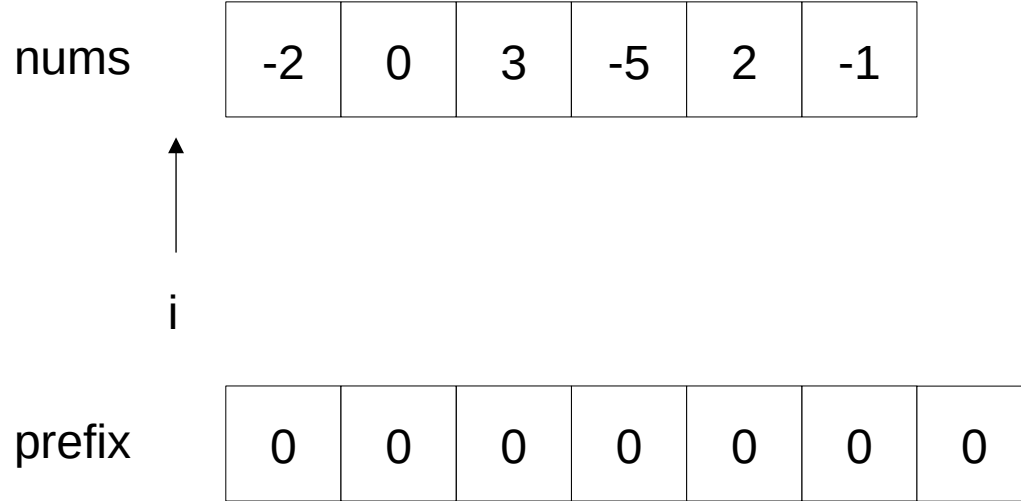


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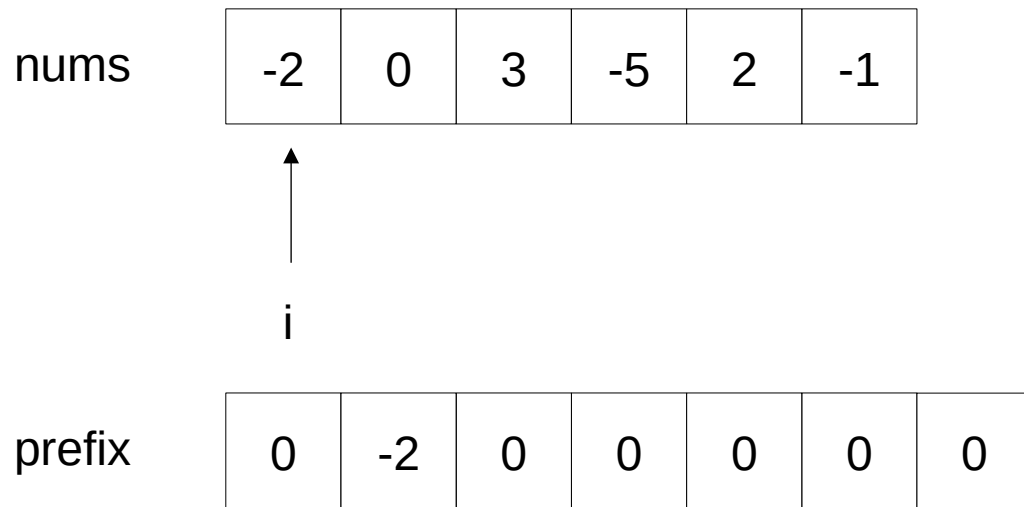
Range Sum Query - Immutable

Prefix sum



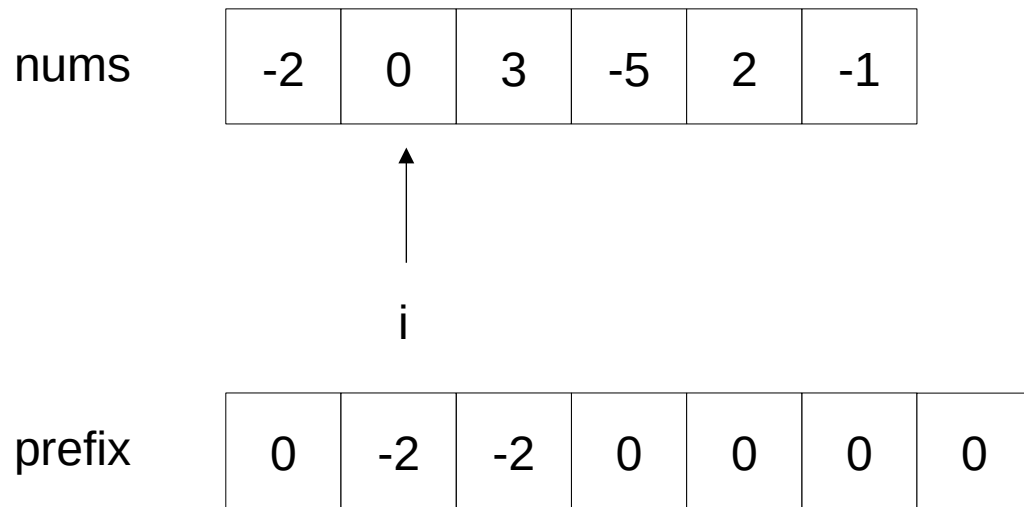
Creates a prefix array of size $n + 1$ initialized with zeros, where n is the size of `nums`

Prefix sum



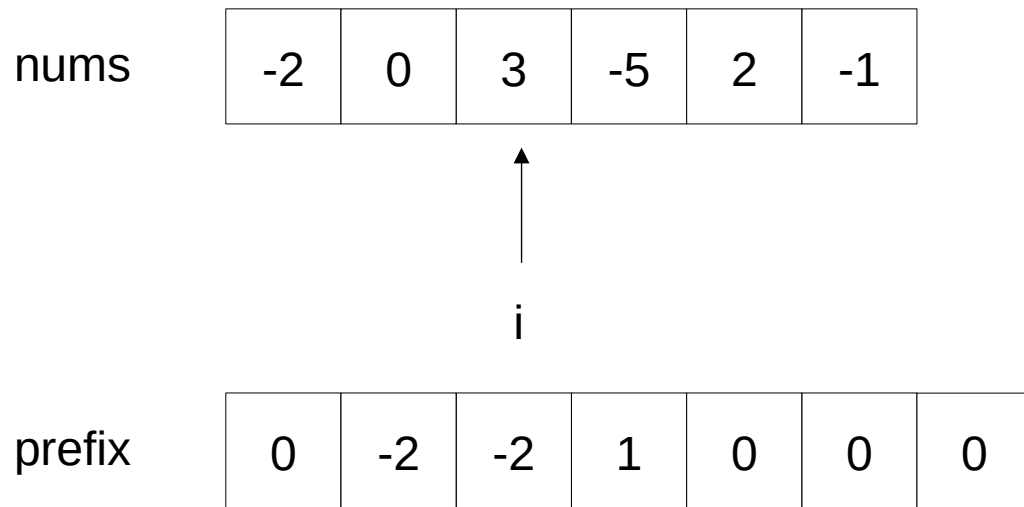
$$\text{Prefix}[i + 1] = \text{nums}[i] + \text{prefix}[i] = -2$$

Prefix sum



$$\text{Prefix}[i + 1] = \text{nums}[i] + \text{prefix}[i] = -2$$

Prefix sum



$$\text{Prefix}[i + 1] = \text{nums}[i] + \text{prefix}[i] = 1$$

Prefix sum

nums

-2	0	3	-5	2	-1
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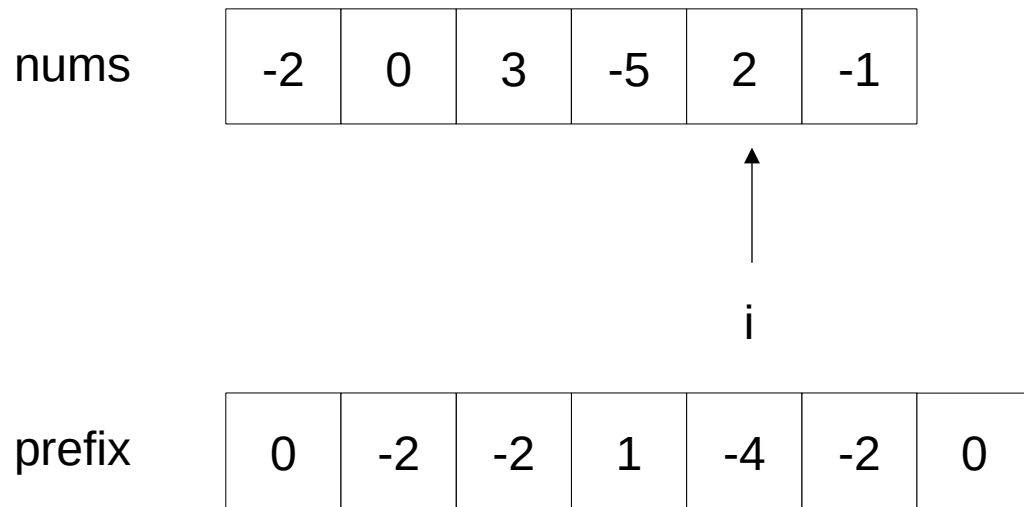
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prefix

0	-2	-2	1	-4	0	0
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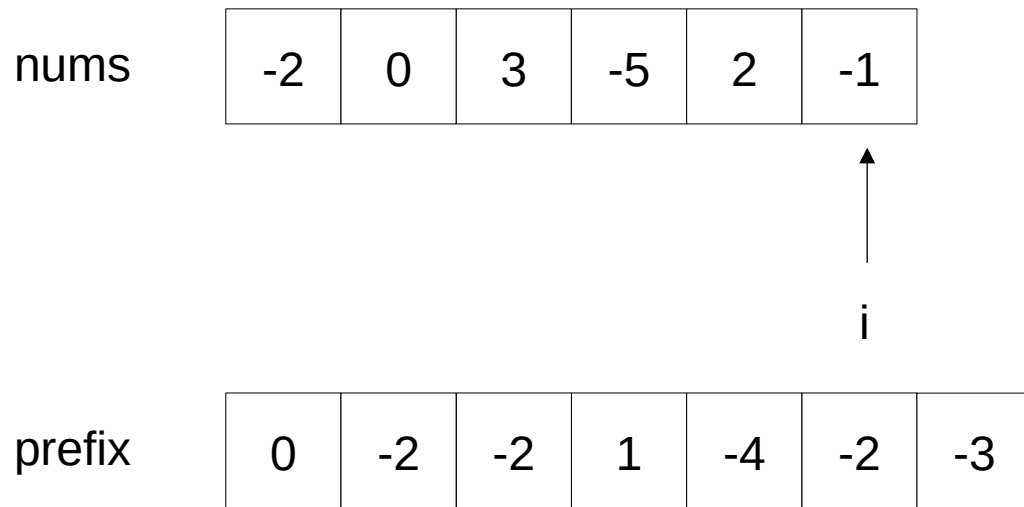
$$\text{Prefix}[i + 1] = \text{nums}[i] + \text{prefix}[i] = -4$$

Prefix sum



$$\text{Prefix}[i + 1] = \text{nums}[i] + \text{prefix}[i] = -2$$

Prefix sum



$$\text{Prefix}[i + 1] = \text{nums}[i] + \text{prefix}[i] = -2$$

Prefix sum

nums

-2	0	3	-5	2	-1
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0 1 2 3 4 5 6

prefix

0	-2	-2	1	-4	-2	-3
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$$\text{query}(0, 2) = \text{prefix}[r + 1] - \text{prefix}[l] = 1 - 0 = 1$$

$$\text{query}(2, 5) = \text{prefix}[r + 1] - \text{prefix}[l] = -3 - -2 = -1$$

$$\text{query}(0, 5) = \text{prefix}[r + 1] - \text{prefix}[l] = -3 - 0 = -3$$