

Problem 3399: Smallest Substring With Identical Characters II

Problem Information

Difficulty: **Hard**

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

Problem Description

You are given a binary string

s

of length

n

and an integer

numOps

.

You are allowed to perform the following operation on

s

at most

numOps

times:

Select any index

i

(where

$0 \leq i < n$

) and

flip

s[i]

. If

s[i] == '1'

, change

s[i]

to

'0'

and vice versa.

You need to

minimize

the length of the

longest

substring

of

s

such that all the characters in the substring are

identical

.

Return the

minimum

length after the operations.

Example 1:

Input:

s = "000001", numOps = 1

Output:

2

Explanation:

By changing

s[2]

to

'1'

,

s

becomes

"001001"

. The longest substrings with identical characters are

s[0..1]

and

s[3..4]

.

Example 2:

Input:

s = "0000", numOps = 2

Output:

1

Explanation:

By changing

s[0]

and

s[2]

to

'1'

,

s

becomes

"1010"

.

Example 3:

Input:

s = "0101", numOps = 0

Output:

1

Constraints:

$1 \leq n \leq s.length \leq 10$

5

s

consists only of

'0'

and

'1'

.

$0 \leq \text{numOps} \leq n$

Code Snippets

C++:

```
class Solution {  
public:  
    int minLength(string s, int numOps) {  
  
    }  
};
```

Java:

```
class Solution {  
    public int minLength(String s, int numOps) {  
  
    }  
}
```

Python3:

```
class Solution:  
    def minLength(self, s: str, numOps: int) -> int:
```

Python:

```
class Solution(object):  
    def minLength(self, s, numOps):  
        """  
        :type s: str  
        :type numOps: int  
        :rtype: int  
        """
```

JavaScript:

```
/**  
 * @param {string} s  
 * @param {number} numOps  
 * @return {number}  
 */  
var minLength = function(s, numOps) {
```

```
};
```

TypeScript:

```
function minLength(s: string, numOps: number): number {  
  
};
```

C#:

```
public class Solution {  
    public int MinLength(string s, int numOps) {  
  
    }  
}
```

C:

```
int minLength(char* s, int numOps) {  
  
}
```

Go:

```
func minLength(s string, numOps int) int {  
  
}
```

Kotlin:

```
class Solution {  
    fun minLength(s: String, numOps: Int): Int {  
  
    }  
}
```

Swift:

```
class Solution {  
    func minLength(_ s: String, _ numOps: Int) -> Int {  
  
    }  
}
```

```
}
```

Rust:

```
impl Solution {  
    pub fn min_length(s: String, num_ops: i32) -> i32 {  
  
    }  
}
```

Ruby:

```
# @param {String} s  
# @param {Integer} num_ops  
# @return {Integer}  
def min_length(s, num_ops)  
  
end
```

PHP:

```
class Solution {  
  
    /**  
     * @param String $s  
     * @param Integer $numOps  
     * @return Integer  
     */  
    function minLength($s, $numOps) {  
  
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Dart:

```
class Solution {  
    int minLength(String s, int numOps) {  
  
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Scala:


```

object Solution {
  def minLength(s: String, numOps: Int): Int = {

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Elixir:

```

defmodule Solution do
  @spec min_length(s :: String.t, num_ops :: integer) :: integer
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-spec min_length(S :: unicode:unicode_binary(), NumOps :: integer()) ->
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Racket:

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(define/contract (min-length s numOps)
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Solutions

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 * Tags: string, tree, search
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 * Approach: String manipulation with hash map or two pointers
 * Time Complexity: O(n) or O(n log n)
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class Solution:
    def minLength(self, s: str, numOps: int) -> int:
        # TODO: Implement optimized solution

```

```
pass
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