

Problem 209: Minimum Size Subarray Sum

Problem Information

Difficulty: Medium

Acceptance Rate: 50.34%

Paid Only: No

Tags: Array, Binary Search, Sliding Window, Prefix Sum

Problem Description

Given an array of positive integers `nums` and a positive integer `target`, return the **minimal length** of a subarray whose sum is greater than or equal to `target`. If there is no such subarray, return `0` instead.

Example 1.

Input: target = 7, nums = [2,3,1,2,4,3] **Output:** 2 **Explanation:** The subarray [4,3] has the minimal length under the problem constraint.

Example 2.

Input: target = 4, nums = [1,4,4] **Output:** 1

Example 3.

Input: target = 11, nums = [1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1] **Output:** 0

Constraints:

$1 \leq \text{target} \leq 10^9$ $1 \leq \text{nums.length} \leq 10^5$ $1 \leq \text{nums}[i] \leq 10^4$

Follow up: If you have figured out the $O(n)$ solution, try coding another solution of which the time complexity is $O(n \log(n))$.

Code Snippets

C++:

```
class Solution {  
public:  
    int minSubArrayLen(int target, vector<int>& nums) {  
  
    }  
};
```

Java:

```
class Solution {  
    public int minSubArrayLen(int target, int[] nums) {  
  
    }  
}
```

Python3:

```
class Solution:  
    def minSubArrayLen(self, target: int, nums: List[int]) -> int:
```