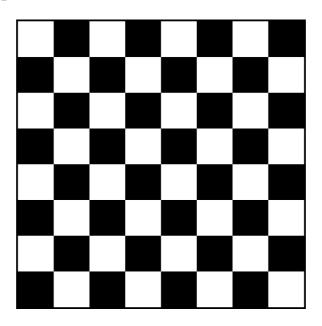
Puzzle – 01

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Q- How many squares are there on a Chessboard?



My Approach and Solution –

We need to consider both the smaller and larger squares present on the board.

- 1. Start by counting the individual squares of each size on the chessboard.
- 2. Count the number of 1x1 squares. There are 64 of these.
- 3. Count the number of 2x2 squares. We can find these by subtracting 1 from the number of rows and columns. Since there are 8 rows and 8 columns, there are $(8-1) \times (8-1) = 7 \times 7 = 49 \times 2x2$ squares.
- 4. Continue this process for larger squares: 3x3 squares, 4x4 squares, and so on, up to 8x8 squares.
- 5. Sum up the counts from each step to get the total number of squares on the chessboard.

 1x1 squares = 64
 2x2 squares = 49

 3x3 squares = 36
 4x4 squares = 25

 5x5 squares = 16
 6x6 squares = 9

 7x7 squares = 4
 8x8 squares = 1

Adding up all the counts: 64 + 49 + 36 + 25 + 16 + 9 + 4 + 1 = 204.