

Longest Subarray with given sum  $k$  (positives)

eg:  $[2, 3, 5]$  .  $k = 5$ .

%p  $\rightarrow 2 (\{2, 3\})$

Approach-1: Hashing.

$\rightarrow$  Assign a presumap where sum of the elements to the index are stored in a map.

For example to arr  $\rightarrow 2, 3, 5$ .

Hash map  $\rightarrow \{(0, 2), (1, 5), (2, 8)\}$ .

$\rightarrow$  Traverse the arr and add the element to a variable  $s$  (initialized to 0).

$\rightarrow$  Check if  $k - s$  (remaining sum) is present in the hashmap. If present check for the max length.

Code: def getLongestSubarray(a, k):

$n = \text{len}(a)$

presumMap = {}

$s = 0$

maxLen = 0

for i in range(n):

$s += a[i]$  # Calculate the prefix sum till i

if  $s == k$ :

$\text{maxLen} = \max(\text{maxLen}, i+1)$

# Calculate

$\text{rem} = s - k$

# Calculate

if rem i

length

max

# update

if s

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Approach-

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(positives)

# Calculate the sum of remaining part i.e.,  $rem = S - k$

# Calculate the length and update maxlen

if  $rem$  in  $preSumMap$ :

$length = i - preSumMap[rem]$

$maxlen = \max(maxlen, length)$

# update the map

if  $s$  not in  $preSumMap$ :

$preSumMap[s] = i$

return maxlen.

T.C  $\rightarrow O(N)$  or  $O(N \log N)$  depending upon the map data structure.

S.C  $\rightarrow O(N) \rightarrow$  map data structure.

Approach - 2 :- Two Pointer.

$\rightarrow$  Start left, right pointers at 0 index.

$\rightarrow$  Take a variable  $S = 0$ . Add  $a[right]$  <sup>to S</sup> for every increment of right.

$\rightarrow$  If  $S > k$  (target) then remove  $a[left]$  from  $S$  and increment left. Continue the process until  $S \leq k$ .

$\rightarrow$  Follow above two steps until  $right > n$ .

$i \rightarrow 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100$   
 $s = 1 < k \checkmark \quad j++ (j = 1)$

$s = 3 < k \checkmark \quad j = 2$

$s = 6 > k \checkmark$

$len = \max(len, j - i + 1)$

$= \max(0, 2 - 0 + 1)$

$len = 3$

$j = 3, s = 7 < k \times \quad i++$

$s = 7 - 1 = 6 > k \checkmark$

$len = 3$

$j = 4, s = 7 < k \times \quad i++$

$s = 7 - 2 = 5 < k \checkmark \quad i = 2$

$len = \max(3, 5 - 2 + 1)$

$j = 5, s = 6 > k$

$len = 4$

$j = 6, s = 7 < k \times, i = 3$

$s = 7 - 3 = 4 < k \checkmark$

$j = 7, s = 4 + 3 = 7 < k \times, i = 4$

$s = 7 - 1 = 6 > k \checkmark \quad len = \max(4, 7 - 4 + 1)$

$len = 4$

$j = 8, s = 9 < k \times, i = 5$

$s = 9 - 1 = 8 < k \times, i = 6$

$s = 8 - 1 = 7 < k \times, i = 7$

$c = 7$

Two pointers

Code:-

Self longest

$i = 0$

$j = 0$

$n = len$

$maxLen$

$s = a$

while

T.C



3, k=6.  
✓ len > 0.

s = 7 - 1 = 6. ✓ i = 7, j = 8.

len = max(4, 8 - 7 + 1)

len = 4

Two pointers can only be used for positive elements.

Code:-

def longestSubarrayWithSumk(a, k):

i = 0

j = 0

n = len(a)

maxLen = 0

s = a[0]

while j < n:

while i <= j and s > k:

s -= a[i]

i += 1

if s == k:

maxLen = max(maxLen, j - i + 1)

j += 1

if j < n:

s += a[j]

return maxLen.

S.C → ~~O(N)~~ O(1).

T.C → ~~O(N + N)~~ O(2 \* N)

→ Outer j loop moves to N-1, inner i loop runs up to j times. So it becomes O(2 \* N) instead of O(N<sup>2</sup>).