

## 763. Partition Labels

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You are given a string `s`. We want to partition the string into as many parts as possible so that each letter appears in at most one part.

Note that the partition is done so that after concatenating all the parts in order, the resultant string should be `s`.

Return a list of integers representing the size of these parts.

### Example 1:

Input: `s = "ababcbacadefegdehijhklij"`  
 Output: `[9,7,8]`  
 Explanation:  
 The partition is "ababcbaca", "defegde", "hijhklij".  
 This is a partition so that each letter appears in at most one part.  
 A partition like "ababcbacadefegde", "hijhklij" is incorrect, because it splits `s` into less parts.

### Example 2:

Input: `s = "eccbbdbdec"`  
 Output: `[10]`



no of partition  $\Rightarrow 3$

single partition  $\rightarrow$  char are not present beyond its partition

prev = -1  
 max = 0  
 string of the char

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
a	b	a	b	c	b	a	c	a	d	e	f	e	g	d	e	h	i	j	h	k	l	i	j
↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑															

Character Maximum Impact (Index)  $\rightarrow$

HashMap — (Character, Integer)  $\rightarrow$  Index

Step1: Make HashMap  $a \rightarrow 0, 2, 6, 8$

$d \rightarrow 9, 13, 17$

$i \rightarrow 17, 22$   $k \rightarrow 20$

and maintain the

$b \rightarrow 1, 3, 5$

$e \rightarrow 10, 12, 15$

$j \rightarrow 18, 23$   $l \rightarrow 21$

index of last occurrence

$c \rightarrow 4, 7$

$f \rightarrow 11, 16$

$h \rightarrow 19$

if character.

Step2: & find the max impact here for a it's 8.

and keep moving the character if the max is more than 8 then

update it else keep moving, if the max reach at char of 8 then stop it's a one partition. So merge the partition.

$(\text{max} - \text{prev} = \text{res add})$  as we need length of the

$8 - (-1) = \text{res-addr}$  partition we did prev = -1

$q = \text{residual} \rightarrow \text{one ans}$

now update the prev to  $s$ -

$\text{prev} = 8$   
 $\text{max} = 8$   
 (15)

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
a	b	a	b	c	b	a	c	a	d	e	f	e	g	d	e	h	i	j	h	k	i	j	
↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑	↑								

\* now we stop at e because  $\text{max} = 15 = e$ .

max - prev

$$15 - 8 = 7 \rightarrow 2^{\text{th}} \text{ ans}$$

$prev = 1$   
 $max = 8$   
 $15$   
 $14$   
 $22, 23$

\* Update the prev to 15.

$\text{max} - \text{prev} = 25 - 15 = 7 \rightarrow \text{ans. add}$

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class Solution {
    public List<Integer> partitionLabels(String s) {
        HashMap<Character, Integer> map = new HashMap<>();

        //step 1. filling of impact of character
        for(int i = 0; i < s.length(); i++){
            char ch = s.charAt(i);
            map.put(ch, i); //if its available, we update it else it create new one and add it.
        }
    }
}
```

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// step 2. making of result
List<Integer> res = new ArrayList<>();
int prev = -1;
int max = 0;

for(int i = 0; i < s.length(); i++){
    char ch = s.charAt(i);
    max = Math.max(max, map.get(ch));
    if(max == i) { // at this moment we make partition
        res.add(max - prev);
        prev = max;    // update the prev
    }
}
return res;
}

```

Handwritten annotations on the code editor:

- String: "ababcbacadefegdehijhklij"
- Indices: 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22
- Map entries:
  - a - 0
  - b - 5
  - c - 7
  - d - 14
  - e - 15
  - f - 11
  - g - 13
  - h - 19
  - i - 22
  - j - 23
  - k - 20
  - l - 21
- prev: 23
- max: 0, 8, 14, 15, 23
- result: [9, 7, 8]

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