

1358. Number of Substrings Containing All Three Characters

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Hint

Given a string `s` consisting only of characters *a*, *b* and *c*.

Return the number of substrings containing **at least** one occurrence of all these characters *a*, *b* and *c*.

Example 1:

Input: `s = "abcabc"`

Output: 10

Explanation: The substrings containing at least one occurrence of the characters *a*, *b* and *c* are "abc", "abca", "abcab", "abcabc", "bca", "bcab", "bcabc", "cab", "cabc" and "abc" (again).

Example 2:

Input: `s = "aaacb"`

Output: 3

Explanation: The substrings containing at least one occurrence of the characters *a*, *b* and *c* are "aaacb", "aacb" and "acb".

Example 3:

Input: `s = "abc"`

Output: 1

Constraints:

- `3 <= s.length <= 5 x 104`
- `s` only consists of *a*, *b* or *c* characters.

Approach 1:

```
class Solution {
public:
    int numberOfSubstrings(string s) {
        int ans=0;
        unordered_map<char,int> m={{'a',0},{'b',0},{'c',0}};
        int l=0,r=0;
        int n=s.length();
        while(r<n){
            if(r<n) m[s[r]]++;

            if(m['a'] >0 && m['b'] >0 && m['c'] >0){
                while(m['a'] >0 && m['b'] >0 && m['c'] >0){
                    ans=ans+n-r;
                    m[s[l]]--;
                    l++;
                }
            }

            r++;
        }

        return ans;
    }
};
```

$T(n) : O(n+n)$
 $S(n) : O(3)$