

Maximum Subarray Problem

(Divide and Conquer approach)

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- A nonempty Contiguous Subarray of A whose values have the largest Sum.

- $A \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 & 5 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ ans = 7

$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{i \hspace{1em} j}$

- If array A contain all positive - Whole array sum is max
- If array A contain all negative - Single element (having less magnitude) is max Subarray.

Brute force approach

// possible size of Subarray for (Subarray size = 1; Subarray size \leq n; Subarray size++)

// index position for (Start index = 0; Start index \leq n-1; Start index++)

if (Start index + Subarray size > n)
break;

// Sum of Sub sequence for (i = Start index; i < (Start index + Subarray); i++)

Sum += arr[i]

ans = max(ans, Sum)

} return answer;

Complexity = $O(n^3)$

Improvement

- 1) changing the order
- 2) Use the previously Calculated values.

- Sum of size K = (Sum of (K-1)) + K.

3			
3	-2		
3	-2	5	
3	-2	5	-1

Sum

$$3 \rightarrow = 3$$

$$3 + (-2) \rightarrow = 1$$

$$3 + (-2) + 5 \rightarrow = 7 \text{ — max Sum}$$

$$3 + (-2) + 5 + (-1) = 6$$

↳ Recursive

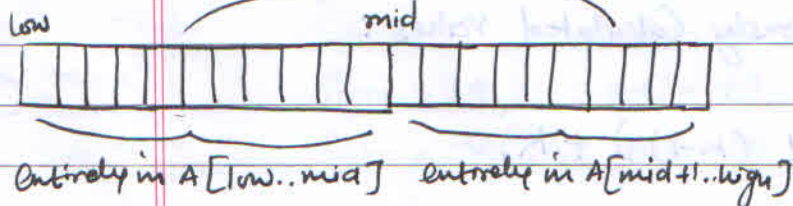
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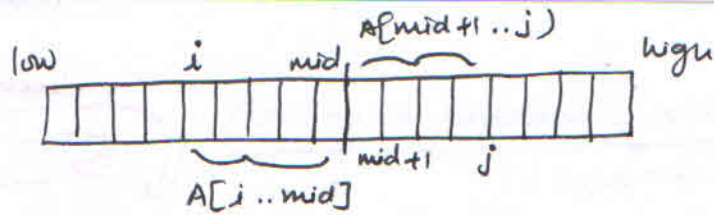
1. Start index position
2. Subarray Size (here we will use previous Calculated Subarray Sum)
3. Check exceed array bound.
4. Calculate $\text{Sum} = \text{arr}[\text{start index} + \text{Subarray size} - 1]$
 $\text{ans} = \max(\text{Sum}, \text{ans})$

Divide and Conquer $A[\text{low} \dots \text{high}]$

- Divide and Conquer suggests we divide an array into two subarray of equal size as possible.
- Uses $\text{mid} = (\text{low} + \text{high}) / 2$, and divide into $A[\text{low} \dots \text{mid}]$ and $A[\text{mid} + 1 \dots \text{high}]$.
- Any Contiguous Subarray (max Subarray also) $A[i \dots j]$ of $A[\text{low} \dots \text{high}]$ must lie in the following places.
 1. Entirely in Subarray $A[\text{low} \dots \text{mid}]$ so that $\text{low} \leq i \leq j \leq \text{mid}$.
 2. Entirely in Subarray $A[\text{mid} + 1 \dots \text{high}]$ so that $\text{mid} < i \leq j \leq \text{high}$.
 3. Crossing the midpoint so that $\text{low} \leq i \leq \text{mid} < j \leq \text{high}$.

Crosses the mid point





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Find-Max-Crossing-Subarray (A, low, mid, high)

1. $left_Sum = -\infty$
2. $Sum = 0$
3. for $i = mid$ down to low
4. $Sum = Sum + A[i]$
5. if $(Sum > left_Sum)$
6. $leftSum = Sum$
7. $max_left = i$
8. $right_Sum = -\infty$
9. $Sum = 0$
10. for $j = mid+1$ to $high$
11. $Sum = Sum + A[j]$
12. if $(Sum > right_Sum)$
13. $right_Sum = Sum$
14. $max_right = j$
15. return $(max_left, max_right, left_Sum + right_Sum)$

- Complexity is $- O(n)$

Find-Maximum-Subarray (A, low, high) (FMS(A, low, high))

1. if $high == low$
2. return $(low, high, A[low])$ // base case only one element
3. Else $mid = (low + high) / 2$
4. $(left_low, left_high, left_sum) = FMS(A, low, mid)$
5. $(right_low, right_high, right_sum) = FMS(A, mid+1, high)$
6. $(cross_low, cross_high, cross_sum) = FMC(A, low, mid, high)$
7. if $(left_sum \geq right_sum \geq cross_sum)$
8. return $(left_low, left_high, left_sum)$
9. Else if $(right_sum \geq left_sum \text{ and } right_sum \geq cross_sum)$
10. return $(right_low, right_high, right_sum)$
11. Else return $(cross_low, cross_high, cross_sum)$

Analysis

- When $n=1$ $T(1) = \Theta(1)$ Base Case
- We divide original problem in 2 parts and of half size
So $= 2T(n/2)$
- finding max crossing Subarray takes $= T(n) = \Theta(n)$
- line 7 to 11 takes $T(n) = \Theta(1)$

$$T(n) = \Theta(1) + 2T(n/2) + \Theta(n) + \Theta(1)$$

$$= 2T(n/2) + \Theta(n)$$

$$T(n) = \begin{cases} \Theta(1) & \text{if } n=1 \\ 2T(n/2) + \Theta(n) & \text{if } n>1 \end{cases}$$

$$T(n) = \Theta(n \log n) \quad \text{same as merge sort.}$$

Kadane's Algo (linear approach) (Atleast one positive value)

1	-3	2	-5	7	6	-1	-4	11	-23
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- 1 \rightarrow Sum = 1, ans = 1
- 3 \rightarrow Sum = -2/0, ans = 1
- 2 \rightarrow Sum = 2, ans = 2
- 5 \rightarrow Sum = -3/0, ans = 2
- 7 \rightarrow Sum = 7, ans = 7
- 6 \rightarrow Sum = 13, ans = 13
- 1 \rightarrow Sum = 12, ans = 13
- 4 \rightarrow Sum = 8, ans = 13
- 11 \rightarrow Sum = 19, ans = 19
- 23 \rightarrow Sum = -4/0, ans = 19

- for +ve Sum will keep in the array Sum
- otherwise reset for -ve value to Sum = 0

$$T(n) = \Theta(n)$$

$$\boxed{\text{ans} = 19}$$