

All Divisions With the Highest Score of a Binary Array(LeetCode Weekly 278)

Question:

<https://leetcode.com/contest/weekly-contest-278/problems/all-divisions-with-the-highest-score-of-a-binary-array/>

You are given a 0-indexed binary array `nums` of length `n`. `nums` can be divided at index `i` (where $0 \leq i \leq n$) into two arrays (possibly empty) `numsleft` and `numsright`:

- `numsleft` has all the elements of `nums` between index `0` and `i - 1` (inclusive), while `numsright` has all the elements of `nums` between index `i` and `n - 1` (inclusive).
- If $i == 0$, `numsleft` is empty, while `numsright` has all the elements of `nums`.
- If $i == n$, `numsleft` has all the elements of `nums`, while `numsright` is empty.

The division score of an index `i` is the sum of the number of `0`'s in `numsleft` and the number of `1`'s in `numsright`.

Return all distinct indices that have the highest possible division score. You may return the answer in any order.

Example 1:

Input: `nums = [0,0,1,0]`

Output: `[2,4]`

Explanation: Division at index

- 0: `numsleft` is `[]`. `numsright` is `[0,0,1,0]`. The score is $0 + 1 = 1$.
- 1: `numsleft` is `[0]`. `numsright` is `[0,1,0]`. The score is $1 + 1 = 2$.
- 2: `numsleft` is `[0,0]`. `numsright` is `[1,0]`. The score is $2 + 1 = 3$.
- 3: `numsleft` is `[0,0,1]`. `numsright` is `[0]`. The score is $2 + 0 = 2$.
- 4: `numsleft` is `[0,0,1,0]`. `numsright` is `[]`. The score is $3 + 0 = 3$.

Indices 2 and 4 both have the highest possible division score 3.

Note the answer `[4,2]` would also be accepted.

Approach 1:

Counted the zeros from left(NumsLeft) and ones from the right(NumsRight).

Find the total sum for each index i and if it is the maximum sum, appended the index in a list.

Solution 1:

<https://gist.github.com/vermaayush680/62267ea35546f8826b674e7fba85909d>

class Solution:

```
def maxScoreIndices(self, nums: List[int]) -> List[int]:
```

```
    n=len(nums)
```

```
    zero=[0]*(n+1)
```

```
    one=[0]*(n+1)
```

```
    for i in range(n):
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```
        zero[i+1]=zero[i]+(nums[i]==0)
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    for i in range(n-1,-1,-1):
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```
        one[i]=one[i+1]+(nums[i]==1)
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```
    total = [0]*(n+1)
```

```
    m=0
```

```
    res=[]
```

```
    for i in range(n+1):
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```
        total[i]=zero[i]+one[i]
```

```
        if total[i]>m:
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```
            res=[]
```

```
            m=total[i]
```

```
        if total[i]==m:
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```
            res+= [i]
```

```
    return res
```

Time Complexity: $O(n)$

Space Complexity: $O(n)$

Approach 2:

Another approach was to use the PREFIX sum.

We use a prefix sum which calculates the total prefix sum at each index i .

This combines the first two loops from the previous solution into one.

Solution 2:

<https://gist.github.com/vermaayush680/b15add70e1934dcd99bc47c25ed9600a>

```
class Solution:
    def maxScoreIndices(self, nums: List[int]) -> List[int]:
        n=len(nums)
        res=[]
        pref=[0]*(n+1)
        for i in range(n):
            pref[i+1]=pref[i]+nums[i]
        zero,total,one=0,0,0
        m=-1
        for i in range(n+1):
            one=pref[n]-pref[i]
            zero=i-pref[i]
            total=zero+one
            if total>m:
                m=total
                res=[]
            if total==m:
                res+= [i]
        return res
```

Time Complexity: $O(n)$

Space Complexity: $O(n)$

Approach 3:

Instead of using a prefix array, we can just count the number of ones and use it to calculate prefix sum at each index i .

This reduces the Space Complexity to $O(1)$.

Solution 3:

<https://gist.github.com/vermaayush680/98de5e20ec99d106a393f70275f1d06a>

```
class Solution:
    def maxScoreIndices(self, nums: List[int]) -> List[int]:
        n=len(nums)
        res=[0]
        onecount=0
        for i in range(n):
            onecount+=(nums[i]==1)
        m=onecount
        for i in range(n):
            onecount+=(nums[i]==0)-(nums[i]==1)
            if onecount>=m:
                if onecount!=m:
                    m=onecount
                res=[]
                res+= [i+1]
        return res
```

Time Complexity: $O(n)$

Space Complexity: $O(1)$