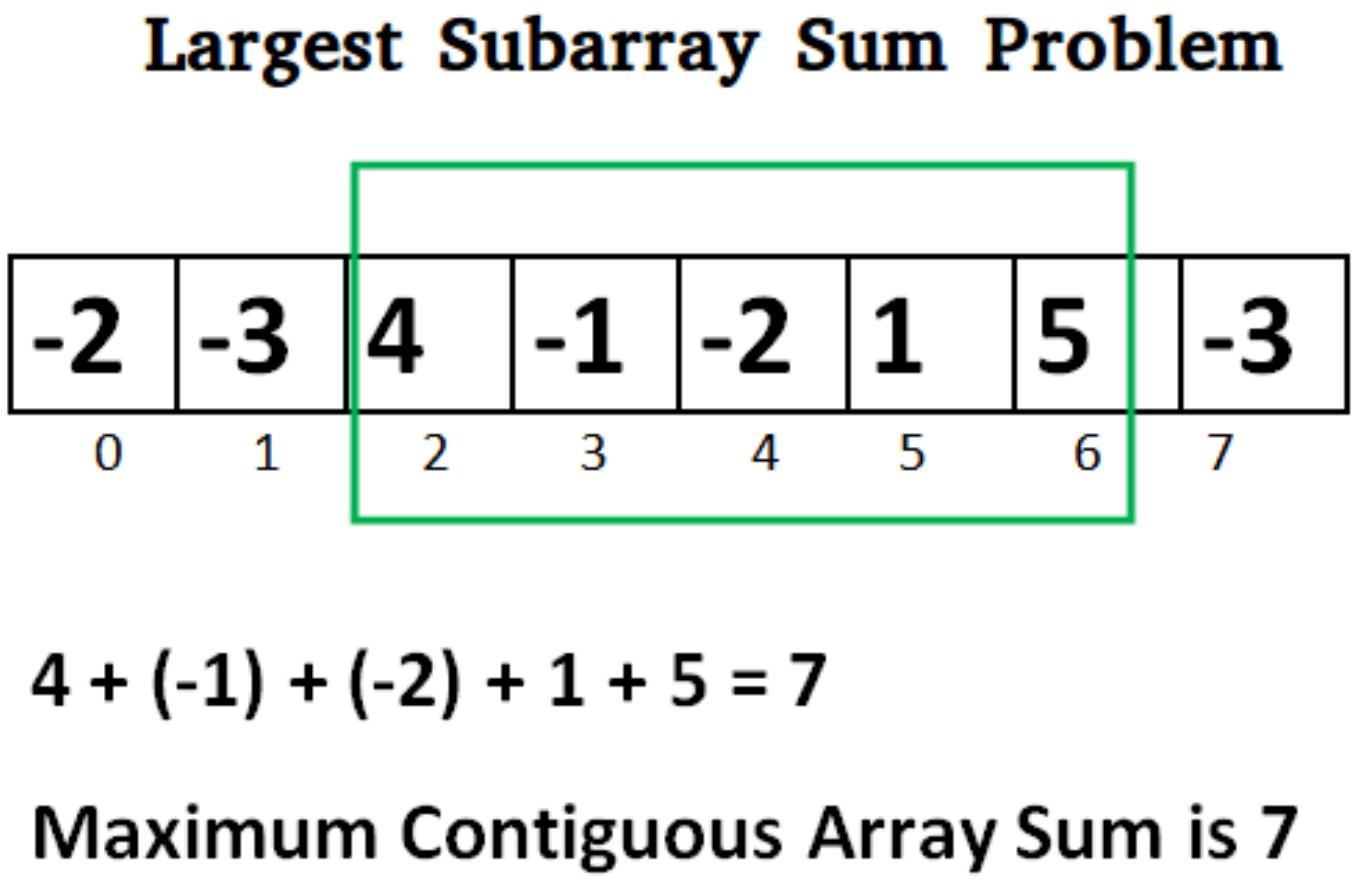
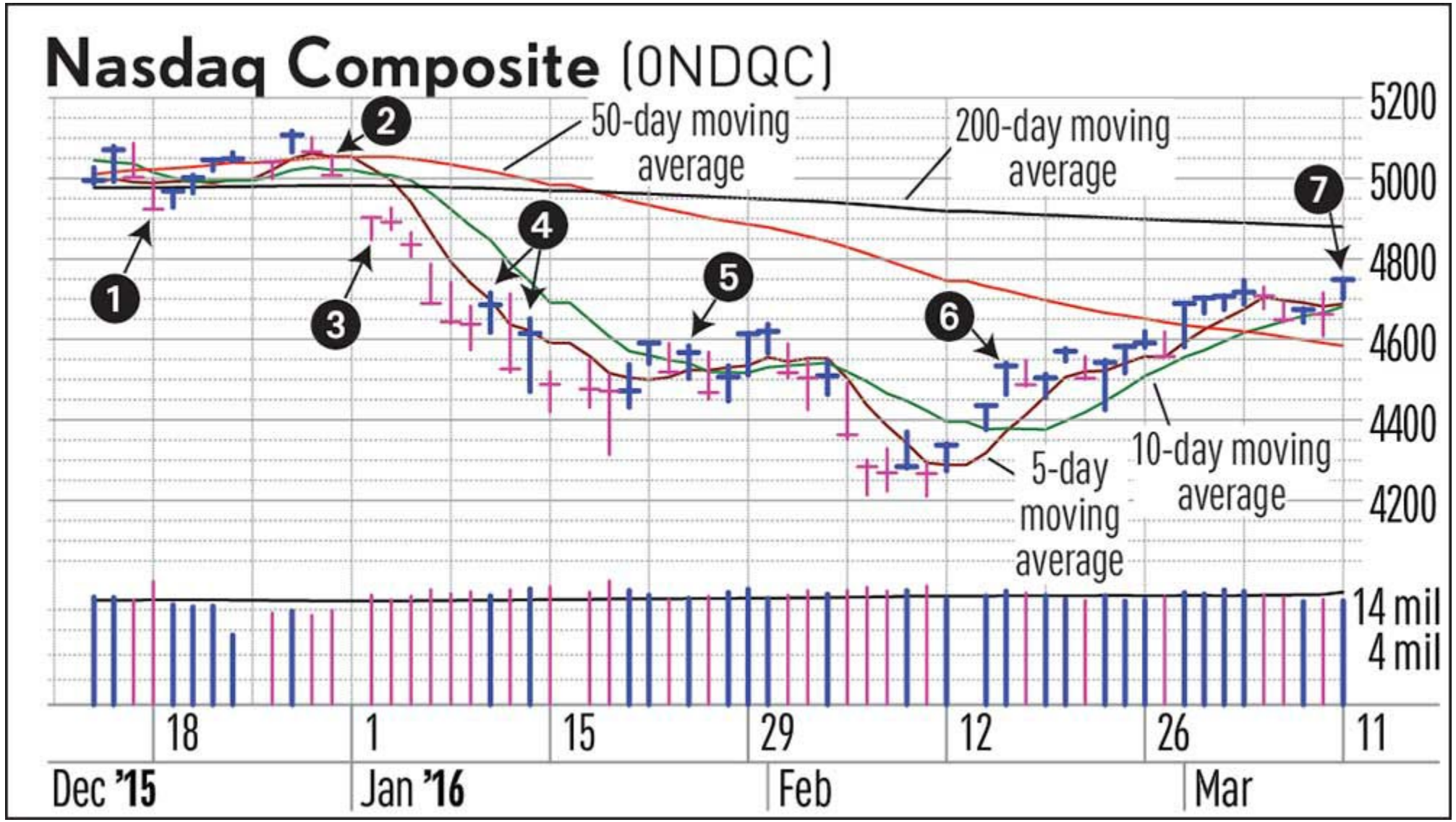
Largest Sum Contiguous Subarray

Problem

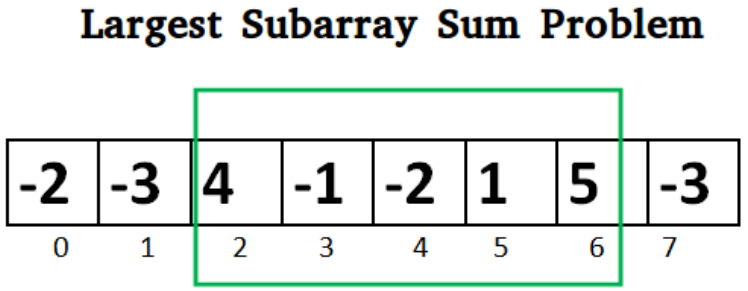
- Given N numbers in A
  - Find the subarray with max sum



Application



Naïve Solution?



- Compute the sum for every sub array of A
  - Each subarray starts with an index i from 0 to N-1
  - And ends with j from i to N-1
- Algorithm

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for i from 0 to N-1
   for j from i to N-1
      Compute the sum of the array from i to j
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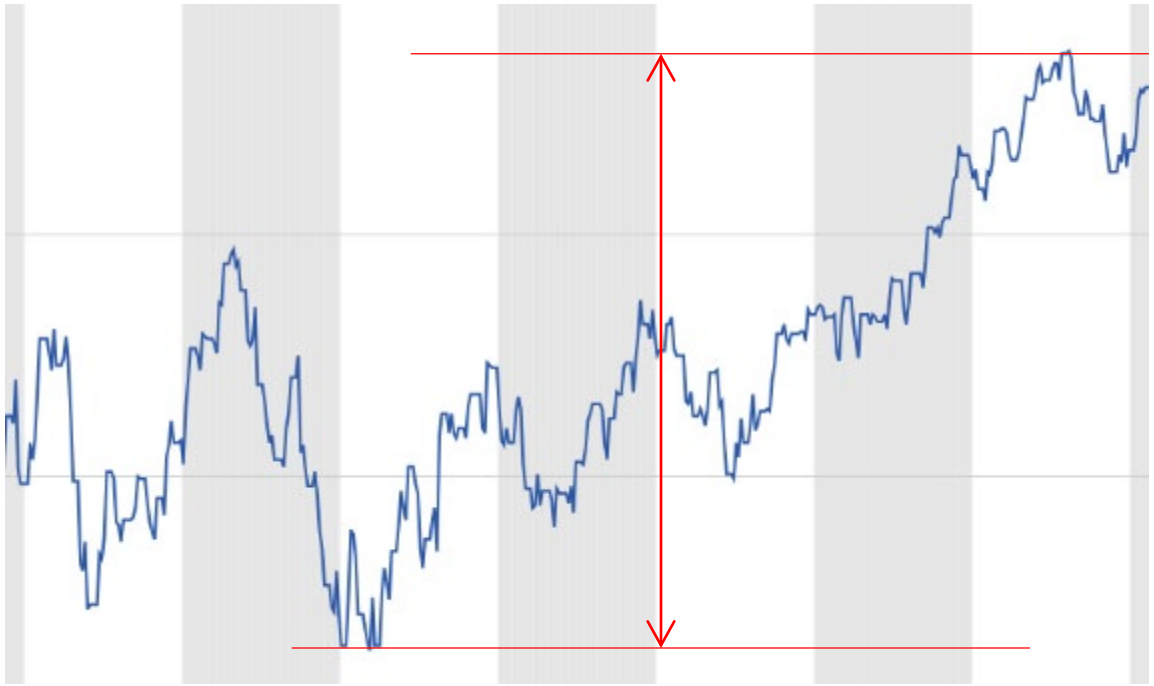
- Time complexity?
  - $O(N^3)$

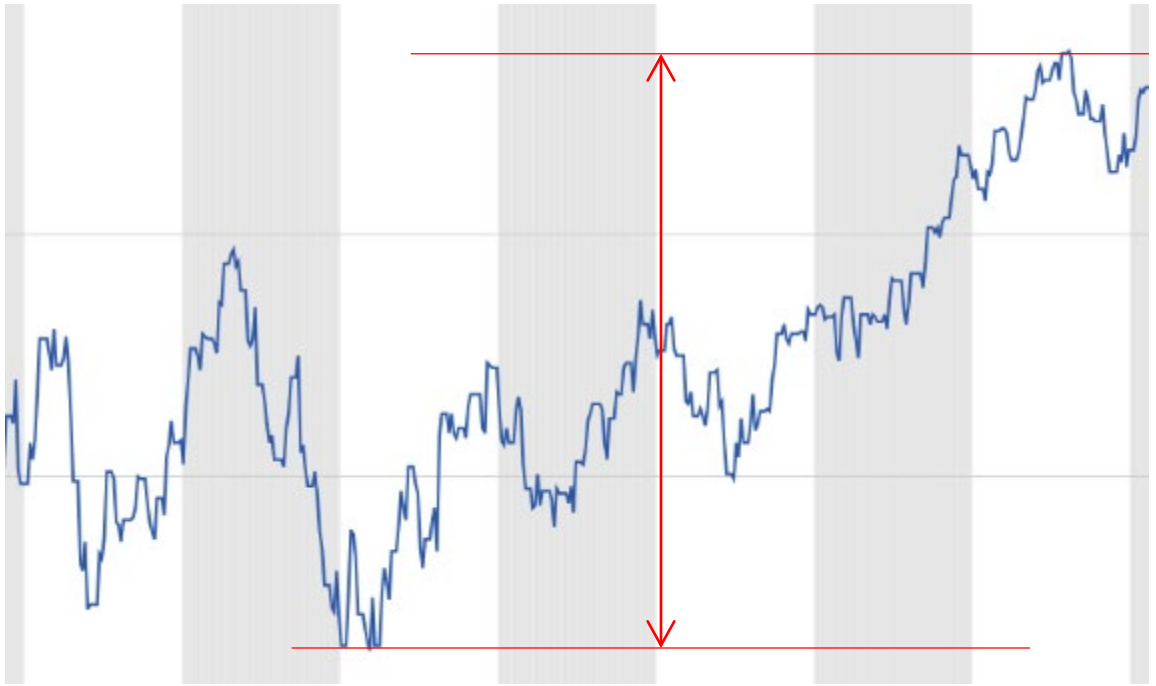
Divide-and-conquer?

- Compute the accumulative sum array B of A
  - B[i] = sum of A[0] to A[i]
- Like stock market, you can think of A is the daily changes of a value
  - B will be the absolute values
- The array with max sum in A
  - Equal to the biggest interval in B



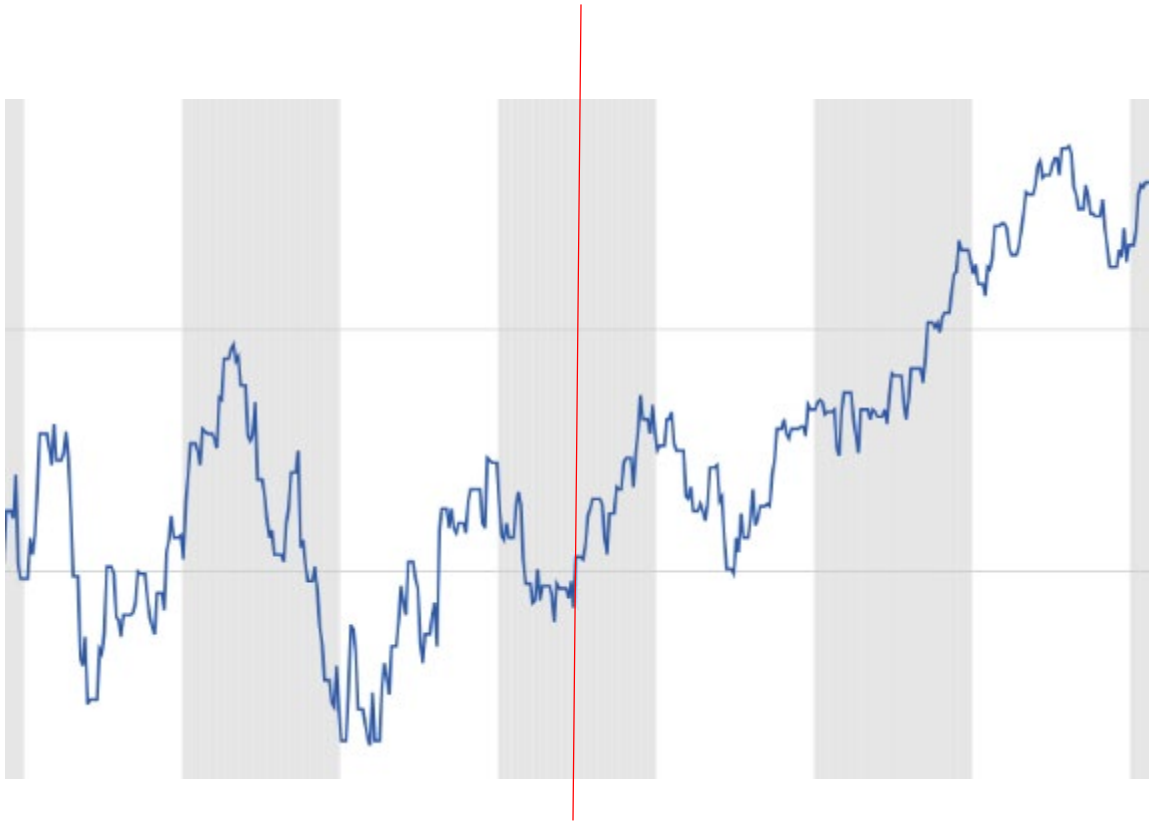
Divide-and-conquer?

- How to find the biggest interval in B?
  - Find min in B and max in B?
  - Only works if the min is on the “left” of the max



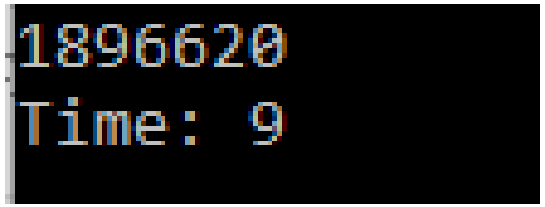
Divide-and-conquer?

- Divide the graph into two halves
  - Possible solution 1
    - Find the min in the left
    - Find the max in the right
  - Possible solution 2
    - The max interval in the left
  - Possible solution 3
    - The max interval in the right
- Final solution
  - The best of the above
- Time complexity:
  - O(N)



N = 3000

- C++ Naïve Version:



- Python Divide-and-conquer verysion:

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Kadane's algorithm

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Initialize:
    max_so_far = INT_MIN
    max_ending_here = 0

Loop for each element of the array

  (a) max_ending_here = max_ending_here + a[i]
  (b) if(max_so_far < max_ending_here)
            max_so_far = max_ending_here
  (c) if(max_ending_here < 0)
            max_ending_here = 0
return max_so_far
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