2403. Minimum Time to Kill All Monsters

Description

You are given an integer array power where power[i] is the power of the i th monster.

You start with mana points, and each day you increase your mana points by gain where gain initially is equal to 1.

Each day, after gaining gain mana, you can defeat a monster if your mana points are greater than or equal to the power of that monster. When you defeat a monster:

- your mana points will be reset to 0, and
- the value of gain increases by 1.

Return the minimum number of days needed to defeat all the monsters.

Example 1:

```
Input: power = [3,1,4]
Output: 4
Explanation: The optimal way to beat all the monsters is to:
- Day 1: Gain 1 mana point to get a total of 1 mana point. Spend all mana points to kill the 2 nd monster.
- Day 2: Gain 2 mana points to get a total of 2 mana points.
- Day 3: Gain 2 mana points to get a total of 4 mana points. Spend all mana points to kill the 3 rd monster.
- Day 4: Gain 3 mana points to get a total of 3 mana points. Spend all mana points to kill the 1 st monster.
It can be proven that 4 is the minimum number of days needed.
```

Example 2:

```
Input: power = [1,1,4]
Output: 4
Explanation: The optimal way to beat all the monsters is to:
- Day 1: Gain 1 mana point to get a total of 1 mana point. Spend all mana points to kill the 1 st monster.
- Day 2: Gain 2 mana points to get a total of 2 mana points. Spend all mana points to kill the 2 nd monster.
- Day 3: Gain 3 mana points to get a total of 3 mana points.
- Day 4: Gain 3 mana points to get a total of 6 mana points. Spend all mana points to kill the 3 rd monster.
It can be proven that 4 is the minimum number of days needed.
```

Example 3:

```
Input: power = [1,2,4,9]
Output: 6
Explanation: The optimal way to beat all the monsters is to:
    Day 1: Gain 1 mana point to get a total of 1 mana point. Spend all mana points to kill the 1st monster.
    Day 2: Gain 2 mana points to get a total of 2 mana points. Spend all mana points to kill the 2nd monster.
    Day 3: Gain 3 mana points to get a total of 3 mana points.
    Day 4: Gain 3 mana points to get a total of 6 mana points.
    Day 5: Gain 3 mana points to get a total of 9 mana points. Spend all mana points to kill the 4th monster.
    Day 6: Gain 4 mana points to get a total of 4 mana points. Spend all mana points to kill the 3rd monster.
It can be proven that 6 is the minimum number of days needed.
```

Constraints:

- 1 <= power.length <= 17
- 1 <= power[i] <= 10 9