# **PROBLEM**

## Strictly Increasing Array □

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Hard Accuracy: 31.82% Submissions: 12K+ Points: 8

Given an array nums of n positive integers. Find the minimum number of operations required to modify the array such that array elements are in strictly increasing order (nums[i] < nums[i+1]).

Changing a number to greater or lesser than original number is counted as one operation.

Note: Array elements can become negative after applying operation.

#### Example 1:

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Input:

n = 6

nums = [1, 2, 3, 6, 5, 4]

Output:

2

Explanation:

By decreasing 6 by 2 and increasing 4 by 2, nums will be like [1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6] which is strictly increasing.
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### Example 2:

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Input:

n = 4

nums = [1, 1, 1, 1]

Output:

3

Explanation:

One such array after operation can be [-2, -1, 0, 1]. We require atleast 3 operations for this example.
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#### Your Task:

You don't need to read or print anything. Your task is to complete the function min\_opeartions() which takes the array nums as input parameter and returns the minimum number of opeartion needed to make the array strictly increasing.

Expected Time Complexity: O(n<sup>2</sup>)
Expected Space Complexity: O(n)

### Constraints:

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1 <= n <= 10<sup>3</sup>
1 <= nums[i] <= 10<sup>9</sup>
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## CODE

**#User function Template for python3** 

class Solution:

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# Function to calculate the Longest Increasing Subsequence (LIS)
  def LIS(self,arr,n):
    # Initializing a result list with all elements set to 1
    res = [1]*n
    # Nested loops to compare all pairs of elements in the array
    for i in range(1,n):
      for j in range(i):
         # Checking if the current element is greater than the previous element
         # and if the difference between the current and previous element is equal to the
difference
         # in their indices. If this condition is satisfied, update the value in the result list.
         if arr[j] < arr[i] and arr[i]-arr[j] >= i-j:
           res[i] = max(res[i], res[j] + 1)
    # Return the result list which represents the length of the longest increasing
subsequence for each element.
    return res
  # Function to find the minimum number of operations required
  def min operations(self,nums):
    # Get the length of the input list
    n = len(nums)
    # Calculate the Longest Increasing Subsequence
    lis = self.LIS(nums,n)
 # Return the difference between the input list length and the maximum value in the LIS list
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return n-max(lis)