# 1937. Maximum Number of Points with cost

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Hint

You are given an  $m \times n$  integer matrix points (**0-indexed**). Starting with 0 points, you want to **maximize** the number of points you can get from the matrix.

To gain points, you must pick one cell in **each row**. Picking the cell at coordinates (r, c) will **add** points[r][c] to your score.

However, you will lose points if you pick a cell too far from the cell that you picked in the previous row. For every two adjacent rows r and r+1 (where  $0 \le r \le m-1$ ), picking cells at coordinates (r, c1) and (r+1, c2) will **subtract** abs(c1-c2) from your score.

Return the maximum number of points you can achieve.

abs(x) is defined as:

- x for  $x \ge 0$ .
- -x for x < 0.

### Example 1:

1	2	3
1	5	1
3	1	1

**Input:** points = 1,2,3, [1,5,1], [3,1,1]

Output: 9 Explanation:

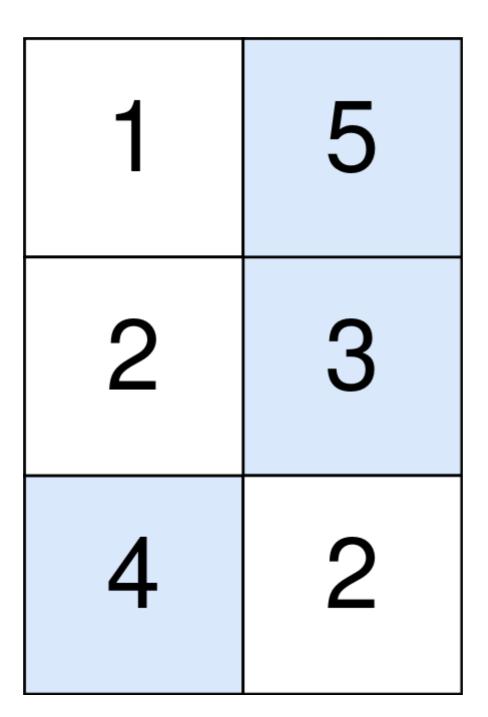
The blue cells denote the optimal cells to pick, which have coordinates (0, 2), (1, 1), and (2, 0).

You add 3 + 5 + 3 = 11 to your score.

However, you must subtract abs(2 - 1) + abs(1 - 0) = 2 from your score.

Your final score is 11 - 2 = 9.

## Example 2:



**Input:** points = 1,5, [2,3], [4,2]

Output: 11 Explanation:

The blue cells denote the optimal cells to pick, which have coordinates (0, 1), (1, 1), and (2, 0).

You add 5 + 3 + 4 = 12 to your score.

However, you must subtract abs(1 - 1) + abs(1 - 0) = 1 from your score.

Your final score is 12 - 1 = 11.

### **Constraints:**

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• m == points.length
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• 1 <= m \* n <= 105

<sup>•</sup> n == points[r].length

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• 0 <= points[r][c] <= 105
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### Solution:

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class Solution:
def maxPoints(self, points: List[List[int]]) -> int:
     r, c=len(points), len(points[0])
     for i in range(1, r):
         right=[0]*c
         right[-1]=points[i-1][-1]
         for j in range(c-2, -1, -1):
             right[j]=max(right[j+1]-1, points[i-1][j])
         left=points[i-1][0]
         points[i][0]=max(left, right[0])+points[i][0]
         for j in range(1, c):
             left=max(left-1, points[i-1][j])
             points[i][j]=max(left, right[j])+points[i][j]
     return max(points[-1])
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