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Tasks summary

Task	Time spent	Score
MaxProfit Java 8	42 min	88%

Total score

88%

?

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Tasks Details

Easy	1. MaxProfit	Task Score	Correctness	Performance
	Given a log of stock prices compute the maximum possible earning.	88%	80%	100%

Task description

An array A consisting of N integers is given. It contains daily prices of a stock share for a period of N consecutive days. If a single share was bought on day P and sold on day Q, where $0 \leq P \leq Q < N$, then the *profit* of such transaction is equal to $A[Q] - A[P]$, provided that $A[Q] \geq A[P]$. Otherwise, the transaction brings *loss* of $A[P] - A[Q]$.

For example, consider the following array A consisting of six elements such that:

A[0] = 23171
A[1] = 21011
A[2] = 21123
A[3] = 21366
A[4] = 21013
A[5] = 21367

If a share was bought on day 0 and sold on day 2, a loss of 2048 would occur because $A[2] - A[0] = 21123 - 23171 = -2048$. If a share was bought on day 4 and sold on day 5, a profit of 354 would occur because $A[5] - A[4] = 21367 - 21013 = 354$. Maximum possible profit was 356. It would occur if a share was bought on day 1 and sold on day 5.

Write a function,

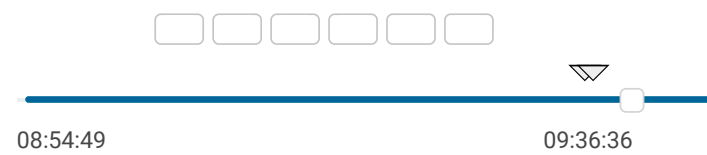
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class Solution { public int solution(int[] A); }
```

that, given an array A consisting of N integers containing daily prices of a stock share for a period of N consecutive days, returns the maximum possible profit from one transaction during this period. The function should return 0 if it was impossible to gain any profit.

Solution

Programming language used:	Java 8	
Total time used:	42 minutes	?
Effective time used:	42 minutes	?
Notes:	not defined yet	

Task timeline



Code: 09:36:36 UTC, java, [show code in pop-up](#)
final, score: 88

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1 // you can also use imports, for example:
2 // import java.util.*;
3
4 // you can write to stdout for debugging purposes,
5 // System.out.println("this is a debug message");
6
7 class Solution {
8     public int solution(int[] A) {
9         int min=A[0];
10        int mp=0;
11        int p=0;
```

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the function should return 356, as explained above.

Write an **efficient** algorithm for the following assumptions:

- N is an integer within the range [0..400,000];
- each element of array A is an integer within the range [0..200,000].

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```
12         for(int i=0;i<A.length;i++){
13             if(min>A[i]){
14                 min=A[i];
15             }
16             else{
17                 mp=A[i]-min;
18                 if(p<mp){
19                     p=mp;
20                 }
21             }
22         }
23     }
24     }
25     return p;
26     // write your code in Java SE 8
27 }
28 }
```

Analysis summary

The following issues have been detected: runtime errors.

For example, for the input [] the solution terminated unexpectedly.

Analysis

Detected time complexity: **O(N)**

expand all	Example tests	
▶ example	example, length=6	✓ OK
expand all	Correctness tests	
▶ simple_1	V-pattern sequence, length=7	✓ OK
▶ simple_desc	descending and ascending sequence, length=5	✓ OK
▶ simple_empty	empty and [0,200000] sequence	✗ RUNTIME ERROR tested program terminated with exit code 1
▶ two_hills	two increasing subsequences	✓ OK
▶ max_profit_after_max_and_bef ore_min	max profit is after global maximum and before global minimum	✓ OK
expand all	Performance tests	
▶ medium_1	large value (99) followed by short V-pattern (values from [1..5]) repeated 100 times	✓ OK
▶ large_1	large value (99) followed by short pattern (values from [1..6]) repeated 10K times	✓ OK
▶ large_2	chaotic sequence of 200K values from [100K..120K], then 200K values from [0..100K]	✓ OK
▶ large_3	chaotic sequence of 200K values from [1..200K]	✓ OK

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