122. Best Time to Buy and Sell Stock II

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Say you have an array for which the i^{th} element is the price of a given stock on day i.

Design an algorithm to find the maximum profit. You may complete as many transactions as you like (i.e., buy one and sell one share of the stock multiple times).

Note: You may not engage in multiple transactions at the same time (i.e., you must sell the stock before you buy again).

Example 1:

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Input: [7,1,5,3,6,4]
Output: 7
Explanation: Buy on day 2 (price = 1) and sell on day 3 (price = 5), profit = 5-1 = 4.
             Then buy on day 4 (price = 3) and sell on day 5 (price = 6), profit = 6-3 = 3.
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Example 2:

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Input: [1,2,3,4,5]
Output: 4
Explanation: Buy on day 1 (price = 1) and sell on day 5 (price = 5), profit = 5-1 = 4.
             Note that you cannot buy on day 1, buy on day 2 and sell them later, as you are
             engaging multiple transactions at the same time. You must sell before buying again.
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Example 3:

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Input: [7,6,4,3,1]
Output: 0
Explanation: In this case, no transaction is done, i.e. max profit = 0.
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```java
public class L122 {
    /*
     * 这道题的题意是可以无限次买入和卖出，股票卖出去的原则是低价买入高价抛出
     * 只需要从第二天开始，如果当前价格比之前高，则把差值加入利润中，因为我们可以
     * 昨天买入，今日卖出，若明日价更高的话，还可以今日买入，明日再抛出。从而遍历
     * 完整个数组后即可求得最大利润。
     */
    public int maxProfit(int[] prices) {

        int res = 0;

        for(int i = 0; i < prices.length; i ++) {
            if(prices[i] < prices[i + 1]) {
                res += prices[i + 1] - prices[i];
            }
        }

        return res;
    }
}
```