

# Problem 1975: Maximum Matrix Sum

## Problem Information

**Difficulty:** Medium

**Acceptance Rate:** 65.84%

**Paid Only:** No

**Tags:** Array, Greedy, Matrix

## Problem Description

You are given an  $n \times n$  integer `matrix`. You can do the following operation **any** number of times:

- Choose any two **adjacent** elements of `matrix` and **multiply** each of them by  $-1$ .

Two elements are considered **adjacent** if and only if they share a **border**.

Your goal is to **maximize** the summation of the matrix's elements. Return **the** **maximum** sum of the matrix's elements using the operation mentioned above.

**Example 1:**



**Input:** `matrix = [[1,-1],[-1,1]]` **Output:** 4 **Explanation:** We can follow the following steps to reach sum equals 4: - Multiply the 2 elements in the first row by -1. - Multiply the 2 elements in the first column by -1.

**Example 2:**



**Input:** `matrix = [[1,2,3],[-1,-2,-3],[1,2,3]]` **Output:** 16 **Explanation:** We can follow the following step to reach sum equals 16: - Multiply the 2 last elements in the second row by -1.

**Constraints:**

\* `n == matrix.length == matrix[i].length` \* `2 <= n <= 250` \* `-105 <= matrix[i][j] <= 105`

## Code Snippets

### C++:

```
class Solution {
public:
    long long maxMatrixSum(vector<vector<int>>& matrix) {

    }
};
```

### Java:

```
class Solution {
    public long maxMatrixSum(int[][] matrix) {

    }
}
```

### Python3:

```
class Solution:
    def maxMatrixSum(self, matrix: List[List[int]]) -> int:
```