

Hw5q3

Python code chat gpt

```
def maxProfit(prices):
    if len(prices) <= 1:
        return 0

    min_price = prices[0]
    max_profit = 0

    for price in prices[1:]:
        if price < min_price:
            min_price = price
        elif price - min_price > max_profit:
            max_profit = price - min_price

    return max_profit

# Test case
prices = [7, 1, 5, 3, 6, 4]
output = maxProfit(prices)
print(output)
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Visual Studio Code interface showing a Python file named `hw5q3.py` in the `ALGORITHMS` folder. The code implements a function `maxProfit` to find the maximum profit from a list of prices.

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3         return 0
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5     min_price = prices[0]
6     max_profit = 0
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8     for price in prices[1:]:
9         if price < min_price:
10             min_price = price
11         elif price - min_price > max_profit:
12             max_profit = price - min_price
13
14     return max_profit
15
16 # Test case
17 prices = [7, 1, 5, 3, 6, 4]
18 output = maxProfit(prices)
19 print(output)
20 prices=[7,6,4,3,1]
21 output=maxProfit(prices)
22 print(output)
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The terminal output shows the execution results:

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[Done] exited with code=0 in 0.284 seconds
[Running] python -u "c:\Users\cheth\OneDrive\Desktop\SFBU\SEM3\ALGORITHMS\hw5q3.py"
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[Done] exited with code=0 in 0.221 seconds
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