

Using the Binary Search Algorithm and trace table examples at the end of this document, complete the trace tables below for the Color Array. Upload this document to github and submit the link to your repository to the dropbox.

1st search: violet

| First | Last | Middle | Comparison |
|-------|------|--------|---------------------------|
| 0 | 10 | 5 | [5] (indigo) > violet |
| 0 | 4 | 2 | [2] (chartreuse) < violet |
| 3 | 4 | 3 | [3] (dark brown) < violet |
| 4 | 4 | 4 | [4] (green) < violet |
| 5 | 4 | - | not found |

2nd search: green

| First | Last | Middle | Comparison |
|-------|------|--------|-----------------------------|
| 0 | 10 | 5 | [5] (indigo) > green |
| 0 | 4 | 2 | [2] (chartreuse) < green |
| 3 | 4 | 3 | [3] (dark brown) < green |
| 4 | 4 | 4 | [4] (green) == green, found |
| | | | |

3rd search: yellow

| First | Last | Middle | Comparison |
|-------|------|--------|-------------------------|
| 0 | 10 | 5 | [5] (indigo) > yellow |
| 6 | 10 | 8 | [8] (red) > yellow |
| 6 | 7 | 6 | [6] (lavender) < yellow |
| 7 | 7 | 7 | [7] (magenta) < yellow |
| 8 | 7 | - | not found |

Color array:

| | |
|------------|-----|
| aqua | [0] |
| brown | [1] |
| chartreuse | [2] |
| dark brown | [3] |
| green | [4] |
| indigo | [5] |
| lavender | [6] |
| magenta | [7] |
| red | [8] |
| violet | [9] |

Binary Search

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Set first to 0
Set last to length-1
Set found to FALSE
WHILE (first <= last AND NOT found)
    Set middle to (first + last)/ 2
    IF (item equals data[middle])
        Set found to TRUE
    ELSE
        IF (item < data[middle])
            Set last to middle - 1
        ELSE
            Set first to middle + 1
RETURN found
```

Above: Binary Search Algorithm

Binary Search

| Length | Items | |
|--------|---------|------|
| 11 | ant | [0] |
| | cat | [1] |
| | chicken | [2] |
| | cow | [3] |
| | deer | [4] |
| | dog | [5] |
| | fish | [6] |
| | goat | [7] |
| | horse | [8] |
| | rat | [9] |
| | snake | [10] |
| | . | |
| | . | |

FIGURE 7.9 Binary search example

Searching for cat

| First | Last | Middle | Comparison | |
|-------|------|--------|---------------|--------------|
| 0 | 10 | 5 | cat < dog | |
| 0 | 4 | 2 | cat < chicken | |
| 0 | 1 | 0 | cat > ant | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | cat = cat | Return: true |

Searching for fish

| First | Last | Middle | Comparison | |
|-------|------|--------|--------------|--------------|
| 0 | 10 | 5 | fish > dog | |
| 6 | 10 | 8 | fish < horse | |
| 6 | 7 | 6 | fish = fish | Return: true |

Searching for zebra

| First | Last | Middle | Comparison | |
|-------|------|--------|---------------|---------------|
| 0 | 10 | 5 | zebra > dog | |
| 6 | 10 | 8 | zebra > horse | |
| 9 | 10 | 9 | zebra > rat | |
| 10 | 10 | 10 | zebra > snake | |
| 11 | 10 | | first > last | Return: false |

FIGURE 7.10 Trace of the binary search