

Pseudo-code: Search for the Largest Number in a Given List

Algorithm 1 searchLargest

- 1: **Input:** A list of numbers.
 - 2: **Output:** The largest number in the list.
 - 3: **Intuition:**
 - Initialize a variable `largestNum` to negative infinity.
 - For each number in the list:
 - If `largestNum` is less than the current number, update `largestNum` to be the current number.
 - Return `largestNum`.
 - 4: **Time Complexity:** $O(n)$, where n is the number of elements in the list, since each element is visited once.
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Algorithm 2 searchLargest

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1: function SEARCHLARGEST(list)
2:   initialize largestNum to negative infinity
3:   for each number in list do
4:     if number > largestNum then
5:       largestNum = number
6:     end if
7:   end for
8:   return largestNum
9: end function
```

Testing

- **Input:** {3, 7, 1, 8, 9, 2, 10, 3, 7, 11, 2}
- **Output:** 11 (since it is the largest number in the input)