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Lec-10Searching & Sorting - ILinear Search

arr = [1, 22, 13, 14, 50, 67, 7], key = 7

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n = 7
for (int i = 0; i < n; i++)
    if (arr[i] == key)
        return true;
    }
    return false;
  
```

$$T.C = O(n)$$

Linear Time Complexity

In worst case, this algo takes  $n$  comparison to find elements.

In Best Case  $O(1)$

Let  $n = 100000$

↳ In worst case we have to do 100000 comparison.

① Binary Search - A type of Searching algo. (Optimized).

condition - Elements should be in monotonic order.

(either increasing or decreasing)

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	3	7	9	11	13	15	19

start ↑ end ↑ target = 15

Binary Search Steps-

- ① Initialize two pointer start and end.
- ② Start with 0 and end with the last index (size-1).
- ③ Find mid element index.  

$$\frac{\text{start} + \text{end}}{2}$$
- ④ Compare target with mid element
  - if (arr[mid] == target) ← Element found
  - if (arr[mid] < target) ← search in right part
  - if (arr[mid] > target) ← search in left part.

start = 0, end = 7  $\text{mid} = \frac{0+7}{2} = 3$

arr[3] = 9, 9 < 15  
 arr[mid] < target → right part

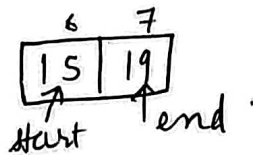
4	5	6	7
11	13	15	19

start ↑ end ↑

$$\text{start} = 4, \text{end} = 7, \text{mid} = \frac{4+7}{2} = 5$$

$$\text{arr}[5] = 13$$

$\Rightarrow 13 < 15 \leftarrow$  right part



$$\text{start} = 6, \text{end} = 7, \text{mid} = \frac{6+7}{2} = 6$$

$$\text{arr}[6] = 15$$

15 == 15 element found at 6 index.

int binarysearch(int arr[], int size, int target){

int start = 0;

int end = size - 1;

int mid = (start + end) / 2;

while (start <= end){

int element = arr[mid];

if (element == target)

~~end = mid + 1;~~ return mid;

else if (target < element)

end = mid - 1;

else

start = mid + 1;

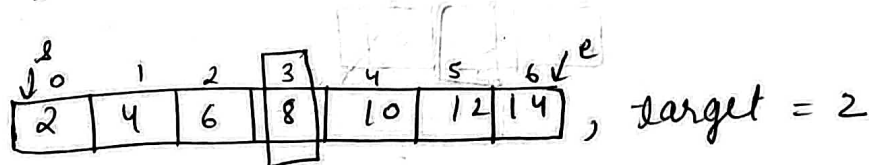
mid = (start + end) / 2;

}

return -1;

}

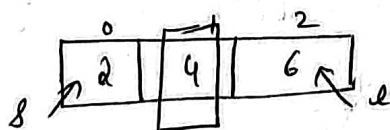
dry run



$$\text{mid} = \frac{0+6}{2} = 3$$

$2 == 8 \rightarrow \text{False}$

$2 < 8 \rightarrow \text{True}$  (Search in left)



$$\text{mid} = \frac{0+2}{2} = 1$$

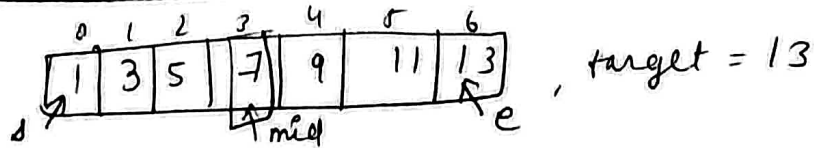
$4 == 2 \rightarrow \text{F}$

$2 < 4 \rightarrow \text{T}$  (search in left)



$$\text{mid} = \frac{0+0}{2} = 0$$

$2 == 2 \rightarrow \text{T}$   
(found in 0 index)

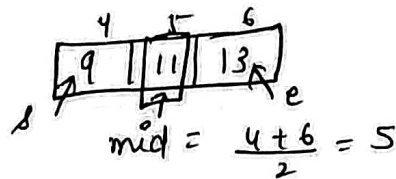


$$\text{mid} = \frac{0+6}{2} = 3$$

$$7 == 13 \rightarrow F$$

$$13 < 7 \rightarrow F$$

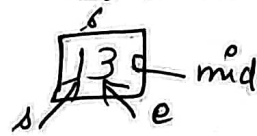
search in right part



$$13 == 11 \rightarrow F$$

$$13 < 11 \rightarrow F$$

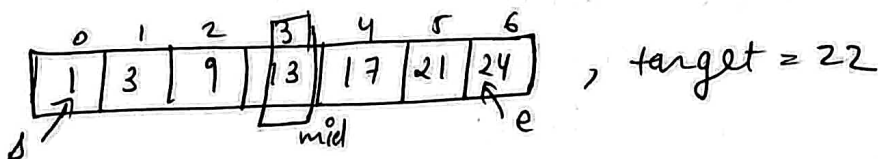
search in right part



$$\text{mid} = \frac{6+6}{2} = 6$$

$$13 == 13 \rightarrow T$$

Element found in index.

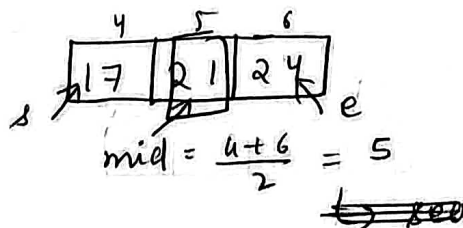


$$\text{mid} = \frac{0+6}{2} = 3$$

$$22 == 13 \rightarrow F$$

$$22 < 13 \rightarrow F$$

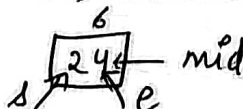
searching in right



$$22 == 21 \rightarrow F$$

$$22 < 21 \rightarrow F$$

search in right



$$\text{mid} = \frac{6+6}{2} = 6$$

$$22 == 24 \rightarrow F$$

$$22 < 24 \rightarrow T \quad (\text{search in left})$$

$$s = 6, e = 6-1 = 5$$

$s > e \rightarrow$  stop the loop

element not found return -1.

⑥ Issue in  $\text{mid} = (s+e)/2$ ;

$$\text{let say } s = 2^{31} - 1 \\ e = 2^{31} - 1$$

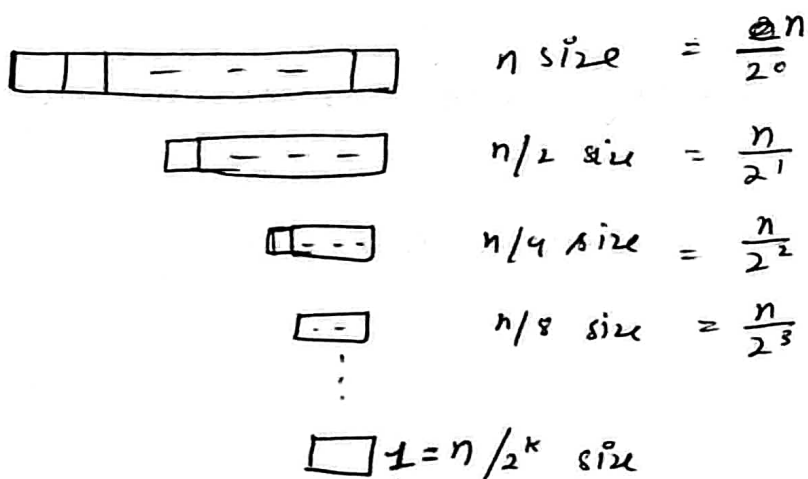
$(s+e) \leftarrow$  This will be out of range of integer.

So the condition of integer overflow will occur.  
So rather than use this formula we will use this  $\rightarrow$

$$\text{mid} = s + (e-s)/2;$$

⑥ Find out issue in  $\frac{s}{2} + \frac{e}{2}$ .

T.C  $\rightarrow$



$$\frac{n}{2^k} = 1 \\ n = 2^k$$

Taking log

$$\log n = \log_2 2^k$$

$$\log n = k \log_2 2$$

$$(\log_2 2 = 1)$$

$$k = \log n$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{T.C} = O(\log n)$$

⑥ Binary Search in STL  $\rightarrow$

Must include algorithm library.

```
#include <algorithm>
```

```
#include <iostream>
```

```
using namespace std;
```

```
int main() {
```

```
    vector<int> arr { 2, 4, 8, 10, 12 }; // In vector  
    int target = 8;  
    if (binary_search(arr.begin(), arr.end(), target))  
        cout << "Found";
```

```
    else  
        cout << "Not found";
```

```
    // In Array
```

```
    int arr[] = { 1, 2, 3, 8, 10 };
```

```
    int target = 10;
```

```
    int n = 6;
```

```
    if (binary_search(arr, arr+n, target))  
        cout << "Found";
```

```
    else  
        cout << "Not Found";
```

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### Questions -

Ques 1 Find the first occurrence of an element.

i/p → 

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	3	4	4	4	4	4	6	7	9

, target = 4

o/p → 2

The array is monotonic, so we can apply binary search.

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	3	4	4	4	4	4	6	7	9

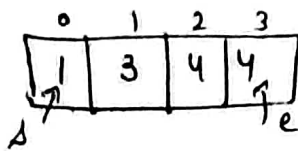
$$mid = \frac{0+9}{2} = 4$$

arr[mid] == target → True.

$$4 == 4$$

Two Steps

- store the index as ans.
- search in left (There is a possibility that the element can exist before mid index too.)

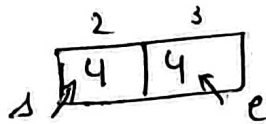


$$\text{mid} = \frac{0+3}{2} = 1$$

$$3 == 4 \rightarrow F$$

$$3 < 4 \rightarrow T$$

↳ search in right



$$\text{mid} = \frac{2+3}{2} = 2$$

$$4 == 4 \rightarrow T$$

↳ update ans.

↳ search in left.



$$\text{mid} = \frac{2+2}{2} = 2 \rightarrow 4 == 4 \rightarrow T$$

ans      return  
ans

main() {

vector<int> v{1, 3, 4, 4, 4, 4, 6, 7};

int target = 4;

int indexofFirstOccurrence = firstOccurrence(v, target);

cout << indexofFirstOccurrence;

}

int firstOccurrence(vector<int> &v, int target) {

int s = 0;

int e = v.size() - 1;

int mid = s + (e - s) / 2;

int ans = -1;

while (s <= e) {

if (arr[mid] == target) {

ans = mid;

e = mid - 1;

}

else if (target < arr[mid])

e = mid - 1;

else if (target > arr[mid])

s = mid + 1;

mid = s + (e - s) / 2;

return ans;

}

Brute force sol<sup>n</sup> for this → Linear  
Search from 0<sup>th</sup> index if find  
the target, return that index.

$$T.C = O(n)$$

$$s = 2, e = -1$$

$$s > e$$

↳ stop

Last Occurrence →

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
2	5	7	7	7	7	9	20

target = 7

$$\text{mid} = \frac{0+7}{2} = 3$$

7 == 7 → T  
 ↳ ans store  
 ↳ search in right.

ans 5

4	5	6	7
4	7	9	20

$$\text{mid} = \frac{4+7}{2} = 5$$

7 == 7 → T  
 ↳ ans store  
 ↳ search in right.

6	7
9	20

$$\text{mid} = \frac{6+7}{2} = 6$$

9 == 7 → No  
 7 < 9 → T  
 ↳ search in left.

6
9

$$\text{mid} = \frac{6+6}{2} = 6$$

9 == 7 → F  
 7 < 9 → T  
 ↳ search in left.

s = 6, e = 5 stop and return ans.

code -

```

int lastOccurrence (vector<int> A, int target) {
    int s = 0, e = A.size() - 1;
    int mid = s + (e - s) / 2; int ans = -1;
    while (s <= e) {
        if (A[mid] == target) {
            ans = mid;
            s = mid + 1;
        }
        else if (target < A[mid]) s = mid + 1;
        else if (target > A[mid]) e = mid - 1;
        mid = s + (e - s) / 2;
    }
    return ans;
}
    
```

We have upperbound and lowerbound functions in stl to find first occ. and last occurrences.

```
auto firstOcc = lower_bound(v.begin(), v.end(), target);
auto lastOcc = upper_bound(v.begin(), v.end(), target);
cout << firstOcc << " " << lastOcc << endl;
```

Total Occurrence →

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
i/p →	2	4	4	4	4	4	4	6	8	10

o/p = 6

firstOcc = 1

lastOcc = 6

$$\text{totalOcc} = \text{lastOcc} - \text{firstOcc} + 1$$

$$= 6 - 1 + 1 = \underline{\underline{6}}$$

① Smallest Missing Number →

② Find missing element → 1 to n

1	2	3	4	6	7	8
↑ <sub>0</sub>	↑ <sub>1</sub>	↑ <sub>2</sub>	↑ <sub>3</sub>	↑ <sub>4</sub>	↑ <sub>5</sub>	↑ <sub>6</sub>
pattern index+1 = element				pattern break.		

How → How can we do this using binary search.

One Approach is → Subtract sum of all the elements of the array from sum of natural no. from 1 to n. Result will be that missing element.

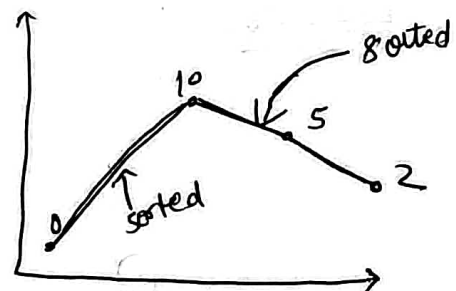
③ Peak Element in a Mountain Array →

i/p →	0	10	5	2
	0	1	2	3

o/p = 10

Brute force - linear search → find the maximum element.

$O(n)$  T.C

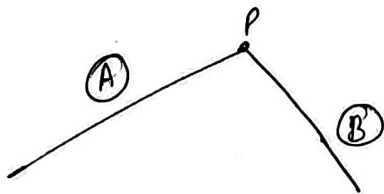
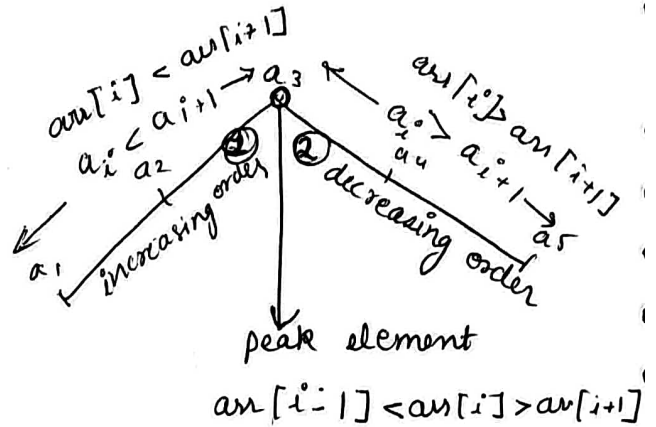
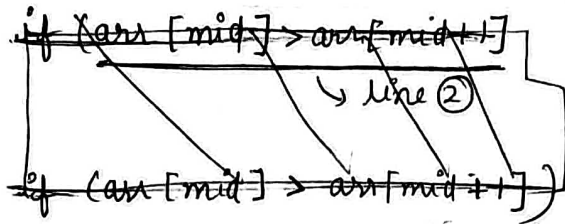
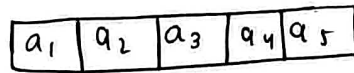




By Binary Search - Here we have an monotonic array.

0 to 10  $\rightarrow$  increasing order  
 10  $\rightarrow$  2  $\rightarrow$  decreasing order.

peak element  $\rightarrow$  A element which is greatest than all the elements.



Line A  $arr[i] < arr[i+1]$

$P \rightarrow$  peak el.  $\rightarrow arr[i-1] < arr[i] > arr[i+1]$

Line B  $arr[i] > arr[i+1]$

if ( $arr[mid] > arr[mid+1]$ )

$\rightarrow$  Two conditions

①  $\rightarrow$  Mid element may be peak el.

②  $\rightarrow$  mid el is in line B.

if ( $arr[mid] < arr[mid-1]$ )

$\hookrightarrow arr[mid]$  can't be a peak el because it is less than an el.

Search in right.

$s = mid + 1$

else

$e = mid$ ;

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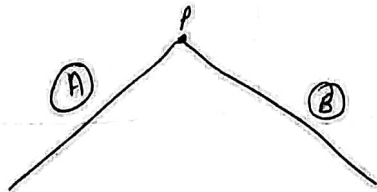
```
int findPeakIndex(vector<int> arr){
    int s = 0, e = arr.size()-1;
    int mid = s + (e-s)/2;
    while (s <= e){
        if (arr[mid] < arr[mid+1])
            s = mid+1;
```

else

$$e = mid;$$

$$mid = s + (e - s) / 2;$$

}  
return s;



if ( $arr[mid] < arr[mid+1]$ ) we are at line A. This el. can't be peak.

$s = mid + 1;$   $\hookrightarrow$  search in right

else  $\leftarrow$  mid या ती Peak el. पर है या B line पर,

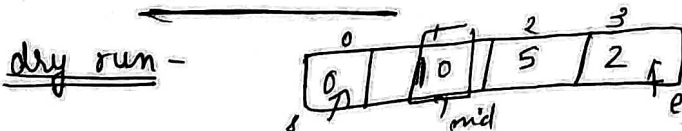
$$e = mid;$$

Now suppose we are at peak element and we apply  $e = mid - 1;$   $\rightarrow$  In this case we will lose the peak el.

So that's why we applied  $e = mid$ .

So this  $e = mid$  condition can lead us to infinite loop. That's why the while loop's condition is

$while(s < e)$ .

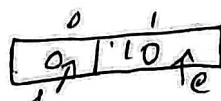


$$mid = \frac{0 + 3}{2} = 1$$

$$s < e \\ 0 < 3 \\ \hookrightarrow$$

$$10 < 5 \rightarrow F$$

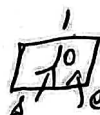
$$e = mid$$



$$mid = \frac{0 + 1}{2} = 0$$

$$0 < 10 \rightarrow F$$

$$s = mid + 1$$



$$s = 1$$

$$e = 1$$

$$s == e$$

stop.  
return s (or  
we can return e too).