Task 8
Circular Queue Binary Search
Consider a circular queue (implemented using a fixed-size array) where the elements are sorted but have been rotated at an unknown index. Describe an approach to perform a binary search for a given element within this circular queue.

ANS:

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package Assigmentday12.com;
public class Task8 {
  public static int search(int[] array, int target) {
    int left = 0;
    int right = array.length - 1;
    while (left <= right) {
      int mid = left + (right - left) / 2;
      if (array[mid] == target) {
        return mid;
      }
      // Determine which half is sorted
      if (array[left] <= array[mid]) { // Left half is sorted
        if (target >= array[left] && target < array[mid]) {
          right = mid - 1;
        } else {
          left = mid + 1;
        }
      } else { // Right half is sorted
        if (target > array[mid] && target <= array[right]) {
          left = mid + 1;
        } else {
          right = mid - 1;
        }
      }
    }
    return -1; // Target not found
  }
  public static void main(String[] args) {
    int[] array = {12, 14, 18, 21, 3, 6, 8, 9}; // Circular sorted array
    int target = 6;
    int result = search(array, target);
    if (result != -1) {
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            System.out.println("Element found at index: " + result);
        } else {
            System.out.println("Element not found");
        }
    }
}
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OUTPUT:

Element found at index: 5