Aim:

Write a program to search for an element in a given list of elements using **Binary Search** mechanism.

Exp. Name: Search for an element in a given list of elements using Binary

Source Code:

q36414/BinarySearch.java

Search.

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package q36414;
import java.util.*;
class BinarySearch
{
   public static void main(String args[])
      Scanner s=new Scanner(System.in);
      int n,key,pos=-1,mid,low,high,i;
      System.out.print("Enter the number of elements: ");
      n=s.nextInt();
      System.out.println("Enter the sorted elements:");
      int a[]=new int[n];
      for(i=0;i<n;i++)
      a[i]=s.nextInt();
      low=0;
      high=n-1;
      System.out.print("Enter the element to search for: ");
      key=s.nextInt();
      pos=BinarySearchDemo.Bs(a,n,low,high,key);
      if(pos==-1)
         System.out.print("Element "+key+" not found in the list.\n");
      }
      else
      {
         System.out.print("Element "+key+" found at index "+pos+"\n");
      }
   }
}
        class BinarySearchDemo
         public static int Bs(int a[],int n,int low,int high,int key)
            int mid;
            while(low<=high)
               mid=(low+high)/2;
               if(a[mid]<key)</pre>
                  low=mid+1;
               if(a[mid]>key)
                  high=mid-1;
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if(a[mid]==key)
          return mid;
       }
    }
return -1;
}
}
```

Execution Results - All test cases have succeeded!

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Test Case - 1
User Output
Enter the number of elements:
Enter the sorted elements: 10 20 30 40 50
Enter the element to search for:
                                  30
Element 30 found at index 2
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Test Case - 2
User Output
Enter the number of elements: 8
Enter the sorted elements: 2 4 6 8 10 12 14 16
Enter the element to search for: 9
Element 9 not found in the list.