

## WK02\Assignment02\_binary\_search\_Rev2.py

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1  # Python 3.12
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3  import random
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5  def bin_search(nums, target):
6      lowIndex = 0
7      highIndex = len(nums)-1
8      count = 0
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10     while lowIndex <= highIndex:
11         count += 1
12         guess = (lowIndex + highIndex)//2
13         if nums[guess] == target:
14             return guess, count
15         elif nums[guess] < target:
16             lowIndex = guess + 1
17         else:
18             highIndex = guess - 1
19     return -1, count
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21 a=[1]
22 for i in range(2000):
23     if random.randint(0,10) == 5:
24         a.append(1000+i)
25     if len(a) == 99:
26         break
27 a.append(10000)
28 print(a)
29
30 target = a[random.randint(0,len(a)-1)]
31 if random.randint(0,1) == 1:
32     target = 0
33
34 solution, iterations = bin_search(a,target)
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36 if solution != -1:
37     print('\nTarget:', target, 'found at index:', solution, '( check:', a[solution], ') after',
iterations, 'guesses.\n')
38 else:
39     print('\nTarget:', target, 'not found in the array after', iterations, 'guesses.\n')
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