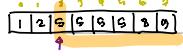


## Binary Search

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while(i <= j)
    mid = (i+j)/2
    if (arr[mid] == T)
        ans = mid
        j = mid-1
    else i = mid+1

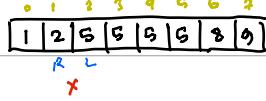
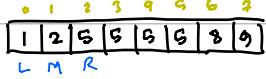
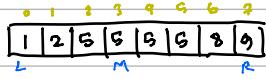
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$$\text{Arr}[M] \geq T$$

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$$\begin{array}{r} 5 \ 6 \ 2 \\ 7 | 3 \ 9 \\ \underline{+} \end{array} \quad 7+0/2=3$$

4<5

$L=4$

$M = 3$	0	1	2	3	9	5	6	2
$9 \leftarrow 5$	1	2	3	4	6	7	8	9

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while(i <= j)
    mid = (i+j)/2
    if(arr[mid] <= T)
        ans = mid
        i = mid + 1
    else
        j = mid - 1

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	2	3	4	5	6	7

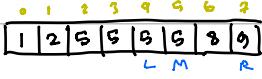
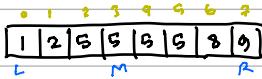
1 2 5 5 9 5 3 9

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$\alpha \in [M] \ L^{\leq T}$   
 $i = M+1$

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$$\angle = 5$$

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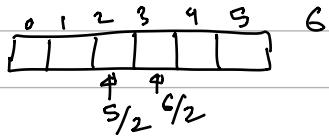
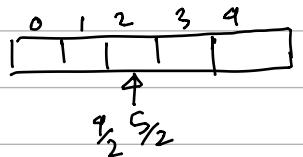
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$$R = M - 1$$

- 5 -

# 0 Median of 2 sorted Array :-



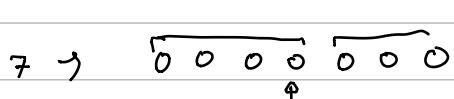
Idea: -    nums1 : 3 4 6              len of sorted arr = 8.  
                   nums2 : 5 8 9 11 12      half len = 4, 4

if I take  $x$  element from nums1 in the left half of the sorted array (virtual). half len -  $x$  element to be taken from nums2

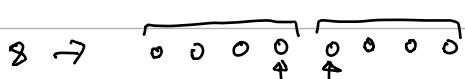
taking $\frac{n}{2}$ element from nums1	1 element	2 elements	3 elements
nums1 : 3	4, 6	3, 4   6	3, 4, 6   { } $\infty$
nums2 : 5, 8, 9	11, 12	5, 8   9, 11, 12	5   8, 9, 11, 12
Final arr: 3, 5, 8, 9, 4, 6, 11, 12	X	X	✓ correctly sorted.

$x$  elements from nums1

HL -  $x$  elements from nums2

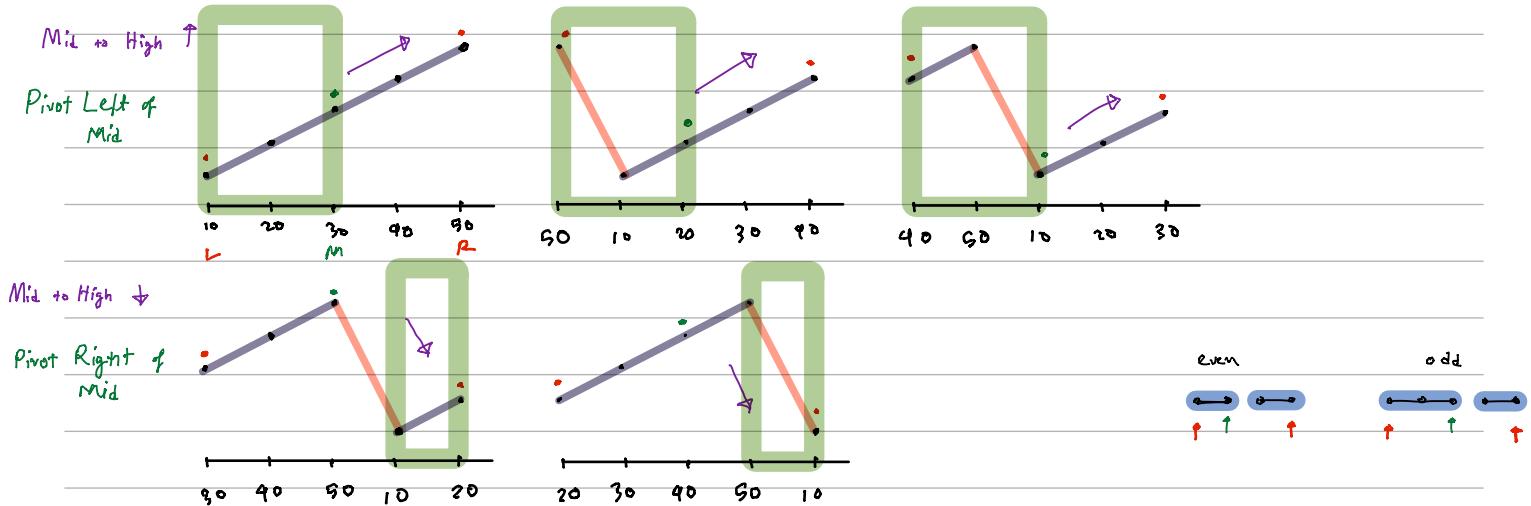
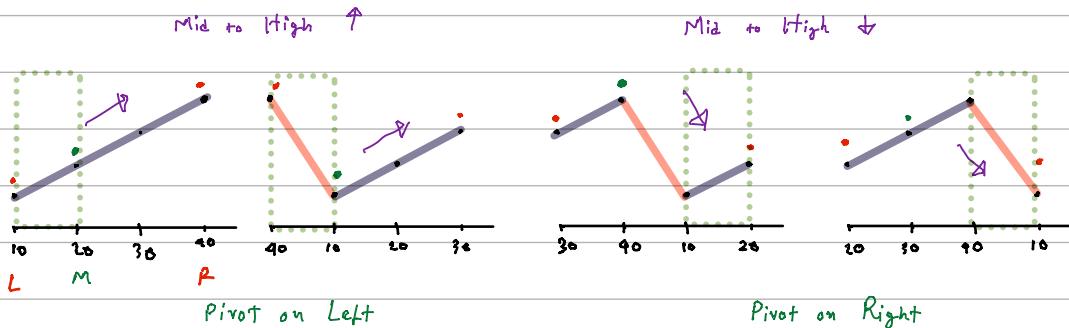


$$\text{ans} = \max(\text{nums1}[x-1], \text{nums2}[HL-x-1])$$



$$\text{ans}_2 = \min(\text{nums1}[x], \text{nums2}[HL-x])$$

# O Rotated Sorted Array :-

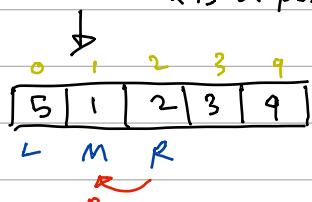


Dry run ,  $\begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|c|} \hline 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 9 \\ \hline 5 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 9 \\ \hline L & M & R \\ \hline \end{array}$

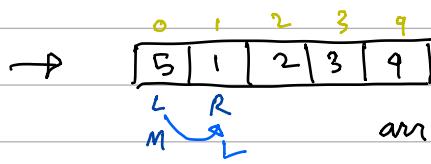
$\text{arr}[mid] < \text{arr}[R]$

$R = \text{Mid}$  \*because mid is a possible candidate

2 is a possible candidate.



1 is possible candidate



$\text{arr}[mid] > \text{arr}[R]$

mid can't be an answer

$L = \text{Mid} + 1$

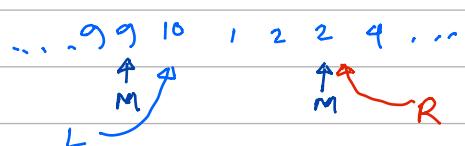
Break

O Rotated arr. with duplicates :-

$\begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|} \hline 3 & 3 & 3 & 4 & 4 & 4 & 1 & 1 & 2 & 2 & 3 \\ \hline \end{array}$

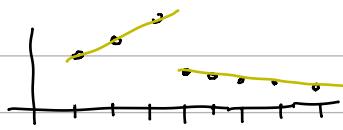
remove

Remove three points



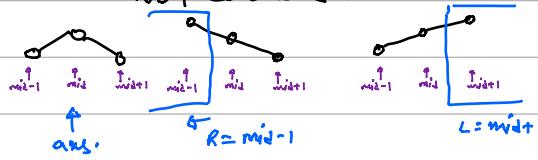
{ if ( $\text{arr}[mid] > \text{arr}[R]$ )  
 $L = \text{mid} + 1$   
 else  $R = \text{mid}$ .

# Bitonic Sorted / Peak in Mountain:

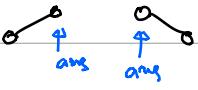


all possibility

✓ Not corner:



✓ corner:



Directly answerable. ✓

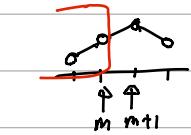
another smaller version:



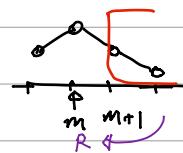
if  $\text{arr}[\text{mid}] < \text{arr}[\text{mid} + 1]$   
 $i = \text{mid} + 1$

else  $j = \text{mid}$

return  $i$  or  $j$ ;



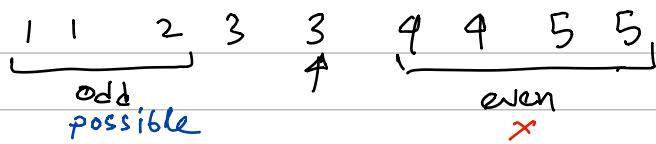
$\textcircled{1} \rightarrow m$  can be discarded  
 $m+1 \rightarrow n-1$  cause discarded.



## 0 Find single Element in Sorted array:

[ 1, 1, 2, 3, 3, 4, 4, 5, 5 ]

Divide + Conquer



## 0 Find peak : unsorted array

[ 2 3 1 2 5 9 3 2 ]

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7  
2 3 1 2 5 9 3 2  
↑ ↑ ↑ ↑ ↑ ↑ ↑  
may be possible Not ans possible candidate 6  
but Right side guaranteed 1 possible candidate.

if Array was [ 2 3 1 2 6 7 8 9 ]

then 9 would have been the answer.

## 0 Kth missing +ve number :-

#★, #Trick

①, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 ...

nums; | 2 | 3 | 4 | 7 | 11 | return 5th missing no.

o/p: 9

⇒

1 2 3 4 5 → number to be present.

2 3 4 7 11

missing till = 4 - 3 = 1

if (arr[i] - (mid+1) < k)  
i = mid+1  
else j = mid-1

Till this point 1 number is missing we need 5th missing no.  
so go Right.

1 2 3 4 5

2 3 4 7 11

L R

M

7 - 4 = 3

o 1 2 3 4

2 3 4 7 11

L \*

M

11 - 5 = 6

Here missing no. < nums[i] = 11

so; we have 9 no. to the left

+ need the 5th missing no.

so 4 + 5 = 9 is the number.

\* Since at 11 loop broke & 9 parent no. at back,  
the 5th missing must be 9 + 5.

# O Monotonic boolean .

## O Maximum running time of computers :-

n computer batteries : [ 10, 10, 3, 5 ]

$n = 3$        $\square \quad \square \quad \square$   
10    10    3  $\leq 3$     8 min max possible

check  $T \times 3 = \text{Time needed}$

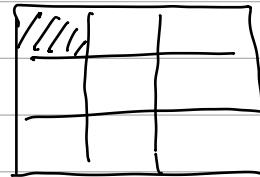
Sum +=  $\min(\text{batteries}[i], T)$

## O Is possible to cross ; .

[ [ 0, 1 ], [ 1, 2 ], ... ]

at  $i+1$  in early  $\text{grid}[\text{arr}[i][0]]$   
 $[\text{arr}[i][1]]$

is flooded.



[ [ 0, 1 ], [ 1, 2 ] . . . [ ] ]

No box in grid  
filled

all box in  
grid is filled.

← →

Binary search

is possible on DFS or BFS.