

Assignment-8

Performing binary search on a sorted and rotated array, such as a circular queue, requires a modified binary search approach. Here's how you can perform binary search on a circular queue:

1. Find the Pivot Point:

- Since the array is sorted but rotated, we need to find the pivot point where the rotation occurred. This pivot point divides the array into two sorted subarrays.
- Use a modified binary search algorithm to find the pivot point. The pivot point is where the element is smaller than its previous element. Once found, it indicates the rotation point.

2. Perform Binary Search:

- After finding the pivot point, we have two sorted subarrays. We can then perform regular binary search in one of the sorted subarrays based on the target element.
- Adjust the indices of the binary search based on whether the target element lies in the left or right subarray.

3. Handle Circular Nature:

- Since the queue is circular, we need to adjust the indices appropriately to account for the circular nature of the array.
- You can use modulo arithmetic to handle wrapping around the array when adjusting indices.