

Program

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#include <stdio.h>
int linearSearch(int arr[],int n,int target)
{
    for(int i=0;i<n;i++)
    {
        if(arr[i]==target){
            return i+1;
        }
    }
    return -1;
}
void main()
{
    int n,i,target,result;
    printf("Enter array size:");
    scanf("%d",&n);
    int arr[n];
    for(i=0;i<n;i++)
    {
        printf("Enter element:");
        scanf("%d",&arr[i]);
    }
    printf("Enter element to be searched:");
    scanf("%d",&target);
    result=linearSearch(arr,n,target);
    if(result!=-1){
        printf("Element %d found at %d position.\n",target,result);
    }
    else{
        printf("Element %d not found in the list.\n",target);
    }
}
```

LINEAR SEARCH

Aim:

To implement the linear search algorithm.

Algorithm:

1. Start
2. Define a function linearSearch(int arr[],int n,int target)
3. In the linearSearch() function
Begin for loop from i=0 to n

```
        if(arr[i]==target)
            return i+1
        End If
        return -1
```

4. In main function.
Print "Enter array size:"
Read input to n.
Begin for loop from i=0 to n

```
{
    Print"Enter element:"
    Read it to  arr[i]
}
```

```
Print "Element to be searched".
Read it to target.
result = linearSearch(arr,n,target)
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if(result!=-1){
    Print "Element (target) found at (result)"
}
else{
    Print "Element (target) not found in the list"
}
```

5. Stop

Output

Enter array size:5

Enter element:3

Enter element:5

Enter element:7

Enter element:19

Enter element:13

Enter element to be searched:5

Element 5 found at 2 position.

Enter array size:5

Enter element:3

Enter element:5

Enter element:7

Enter element:19

Enter element:13

Enter element to be searched:12

Element 12 not found in the list.

Result:

Program has been executed successfully and obtained the output.