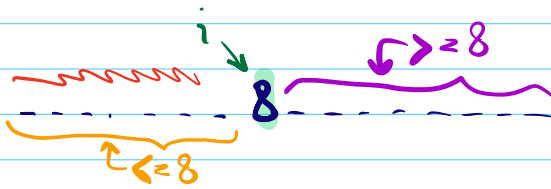


increasing

sorted array

target 15



- topic: find in sorted array
- 1- distinct ✓
  - 2- repeating
  - 3- one single element
  - 4- global min
  - 5- local min

P1 Given a sorted array of distinct elements, find index of a

given target.

target 17  $a: \{1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 10, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 30, 35, 40\}$

search space

Quiz

subjective

(mid+1)

(mid-1)

(mid+1)

l	r	$\frac{l+r}{2} = \text{mid}$	cmp
0	13	$\frac{0+13}{2} = 6$	$a[6] < 17$
7	13	$\frac{7+13}{2} = 10$	$a[10] > 17$
7	9	$\frac{7+9}{2} = 8$	$a[8] < 17$
9	9	$\frac{9+9}{2} = 9$	$a[9] == 17$

index ← int binSearch(int a[], target){

$TC: O(\log(n))$

$SC: O(1)$

$n = a.\text{len}$

$l = 0 ; r = n-1$

while( $l \leq r$ ) {

$\text{mid} = (l+r)/2$  // floor

if( $a[\text{mid}] == \text{target}$ ) ret mid

if( $a[\text{mid}] < \text{target}$ )  $l = \text{mid} + 1$

else  $r = \text{mid} - 1$

//  $a[\text{mid}] > \text{target}$

}

ret -1 // not found

}

$(2==2)$

notes: Short circuit boolean terms

$(x==2)$   $\leftarrow$   $\text{if}(a \parallel b)$   
 $x=2$  true

$\text{if}(a \&\& b)$   
false

$\text{if}(arr.size \neq 0 \&\& a[0] == 3)$   
F

runtime err

P2 Given a sorted array of integers, find first index of a given target.

$a: \{ 2, 2, 5, 5, 5, 5, 8, 10, 10, 13, 13, 13 \}$

target 5  $\rightarrow 2$   
8  $\rightarrow 6$

$[5, 10] \rightarrow [2, 8]$

range search

idea 1

$\{ 1, 2, 2, 2, \dots, 2, \dots, 2, 2, \dots, 2 \}$

$\# 10 \times 10^6$

$n_2 \sim O(n)$

idea 2

$a: \{ 2, 2, 5, 5, 5, 5, 8, 10, 10, 13, 13, 13 \}$

target 5  
first index

l	r	mid	
0	11	$\frac{0+11}{2} = 5$	$a[5] == 5$
0	$5-1=4$	$\frac{0+4}{2} = 2$	$a[2] == 5$

$a[mid-1] == a[mid]$   
4 5

$a[mid-1] == a[mid]$   
1 2

Stop  
found first index

pseudo code

```
size  $\leftarrow$   
l=0 r=n-1  
while(l<=r){  
    mid=(l+r)/2  
    if(a[mid]==target &&  
        (mid==0 || a[mid-1]!=a[mid])){  
        ret mid  
    }  
    if(a[mid]<target) l=mid+1  
    else if(a[mid]>target)  
        r=mid-1  
}  
ret -1
```

TC:  $O(\log(n))$

SC:  $O(1)$

Quiz

first  $\leftarrow$   
 $[a, b]$  last

assignment:

① first index  
② last

P3 Given a ~~sorted~~ integer array where every element appears twice except for one element, find that unique element.

$a = \{ \overset{0}{2}, \overset{1}{2}, \overset{2}{5}, \overset{3}{5}, \overset{4}{8}, \overset{5}{10}, \overset{6}{10}, \overset{7}{13}, \overset{8}{13}, \overset{9}{18}, \overset{10}{18} \}$

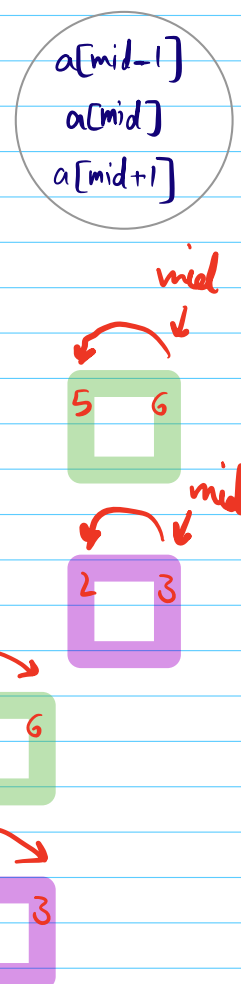
idea 1 XOR  $T.C: O(N)$   $S.C: O(1)$

idea 2

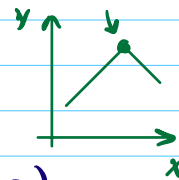
$a = \{ \overset{0}{2}, \overset{1}{2}, \overset{2}{5}, \overset{3}{5}, \overset{4}{8}, \overset{5}{10}, \overset{6}{10}, \overset{7}{13}, \overset{8}{13}, \overset{9}{18}, \overset{10}{18} \}$   
 even index   odd index   even index   odd index   add index   even index   add index   even index   add index   even index   add index   even index

$l = 0$     $r = n - 1$   
 while(  $l < r$  ) {  
      $mid = (l + r) / 2$   
     if(  $mid \geq 0 \parallel (a[mid] \neq a[mid - 1])$  ) &&  
         (  $mid \geq n - 1 \parallel (a[mid] \neq a[mid + 1])$  ) {  
             ret  $a[mid]$   
         }  
     if(  $mid \neq 0 \&\& a[mid] \geq a[mid - 1]$  ) {  
         if(  $mid / 2 \geq 0$  )  $r = mid - 1$   $\square$   
         else  $l = mid + 1$   $\square$   
     }  
     else {  $a[mid] \geq a[mid + 1]$  }  
         if(  $mid / 2 \geq 0$  )  $l = mid + 1$   $\square$   
         else  $r = mid - 1$   $\square$   
     }  
 }  
 ret -1

?  $mid \neq n - 1$   
 assigned



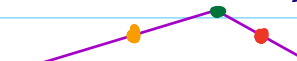
P4 Given an increasing-decreasing array with distinct elements, find max elements.



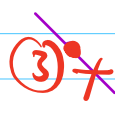
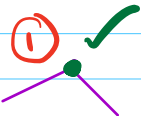
only one max exist

$a = \{1, 3, 5, 2\}$

$\{1, 3, 5, 7, 15, 12, 6\}$



$O(n)$



$a[mid-1]$   
 $a[mid]$   
 $a[mid+1]$

Quiz

TC:  $O(\log n)$

SC:  $O(1)$

int findMaxInMountain(int a[]){

$n = a.length$

$l = 0$   $r = n - 1$

while( $l \leq r$ ){

$mid = (l + r) / 2$

① if ( ( $mid \geq 0 \parallel (a[mid] > a[mid-1])$ ) && ( $mid \leq n-1 \parallel (a[mid] > a[mid+1])$ ) ) {

ret mid

}

② if ( $mid \neq 0 \&\& a[mid] > a[mid-1]$ ) {

$l = mid + 1$

}

③ else {

$r = mid - 1$

}

}

ret -1

}



P5 Given a random array with distinct elements

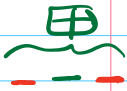
not all of mins, any one of them is acceptable

find any one local minima in the array.

$a: \{1, 3, 8, 5, 2, 6, 7\}$

minmun

$$a[i-1] > a[i] < a[i+1]$$



$O(n) \rightarrow$  global min/max

only compare to immediate neighbors if exist

Quiz

$a: \{1, 8, 5, 2, 6, 4, 0, 9, 10, -1, -2, 100\}$

V / \ \Delta

you still can use bin search for a local minima, but not the global minima.

hint for assignment