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// Use the command
// dafny LinearSearch-skeleton.dfy
// compile LinearSearch-skeleton.dfy
// to compile the file.
// Or use the web page rise4fun.com/dafny.
// When you have solved the problem put
// the solution on the Dafny web page,
// generate a permalink and put it in
// this file.
method SearchRecursive( a: seq<int>, i: int, j: int, x: int ) returns
(k: int)
    decreases j-i;
    requires 0 <= i <= j <= |a|;
    ensures i \le k < j \mid k == -1;
    ensures k = -1 == a[k] == x;
    ensures k = -1 =  forall r \mid k < r < j :: a[r] = x;
    ensures k == -1 ==> forall r | i <= r < j :: a[r] != x;
{
    // Put program text here so that Dafny
    // accepts this function.
   // In this function loops are not allowed
    // but recursion should be used, and it
    // is not allowed to call the function
    // SearchLoop below.
    if j == i
        k := -1;
        return;
    if a[j-1] == x
        k := j-1;
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return;
    else
    {
        k := SearchRecursive(a, i, j-1, x);
method SearchLoop( a: seq<int>, i: int, j: int, x: int ) returns (k: i
nt)
    requires 0 <= i <= j <= |a|;
    ensures i \le k < j \mid k == -1;
    ensures k = -1 == a[k] == x;
    ensures k = -1 =  forall r \mid k < r < j :: a[r] = x;
    ensures k == -1 ==> forall r | i <= r < j :: a[r] != x;
   // Put program text here so that Dafny
   // accepts this function.
    // In this function recursion is not allowed
    // and it is not allowed to call the function
    // SearchRecursive above.
    if i == j
    {
        return -1;
    var t := j;
    while t > i \&\& a[t-1] != x
        decreases t;
    {
        if a[t-1] == x
            k := t-1;
            return;
        else
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{
    t := t - 1;
}

k := -1;
}
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