

BINARY SEARCH PART 2

(1) SQRT(X)

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class Solution:
    def mysqrt(self, a: int) -> int:
        if a < 2:
            return a
        left, right = 2, a // 2
        while left <= right:
            mid = (left + right) // 2
            if mid * mid == a:
                return mid
            elif mid * mid < a:
                left = mid + 1
            else:
                right = mid - 1
        return right
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solution = Solution()
print(solution.mysqrt(4))
print(solution.mysqrt(8))
print(solution.mysqrt(9))
print(solution.mysqrt(16))
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(2) FIND INSERT POSITION

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class Solution:
    def searchInsert(self, nums: List[int], target: int) -> int:
        left, right = 0, len(nums) - 1
        while left <= right:
            mid = (left + right) // 2
            if target == nums[mid]:
                return mid
            elif target > nums[mid]:
                left = mid + 1
            else:
                right = mid - 1
        return left
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