

BINARY SEARCH

1) What is Binary search? \Rightarrow Elimination $\frac{1}{2}$ part from the searching size

2) ~~What~~ Why Binary search \Rightarrow What's the problem for in Linear search.

Linear search $\Rightarrow O(n)$
Binary search $\Rightarrow O(\log(n))$ } \rightarrow for sorted array.

Linear search $\Rightarrow O(n)$
Binary search $\Rightarrow O(n \log(n) + \log(n))$ } for unsorted array

~~Can we~~ Can we apply B.S on unsorted array, ~~why~~ ^{How}
 \Rightarrow Yes, By sorting it, then applying B.S.

Why? (Time complexity of Binary search $>$ Linear Search)
 \Rightarrow If we have 'q' queries then we use BS

Linear search $\Rightarrow O(n \times q)$
Binary search $\Rightarrow O(n \log(n) + q \log(n))$ } for unsorted array.

3) When to use Binary search \Rightarrow (intuition for Binary search) It will not provided in question to use B.S

\Rightarrow If function is monotonic

\Rightarrow If (maximum / minimum) value is to be find

4) Ok, what is monotonicity \Rightarrow

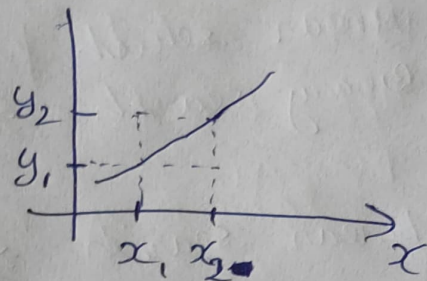
if function is increasing / decreasing [not necessary strictly \uparrow/\downarrow]

Now we can find monotonicity

i) $y_1 = f(x_1)$

$y_2 = f(x_2)$

if $(y_2 - y_1)$ is always greater/smaller than 0. then monotonic



ii) Derivation.

$y = f(x)$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{d(f(x))}{dx}$$

if the derivative is always increasing / decreasing function for particular domain
 \rightarrow input constraints.

APPLYING BINARY SEARCH

- ⇒
- Distinct sorted array.
 - Find if element is present or not.
 - Variation ⇒ Position of element on the array.

```
res = -1
low = 0, high = n-1; // initialization
while (low ≤ high)
{
    long long mid = low + (high - low) / 2;
    if (low a[mid] == key) // a[mid] is compared to key
    {
        res = mid;
        break;
    }
    Else if (a[mid] < key)
    {
        low = mid + 1;
    }
    Else
    {
        high = mid - 1;
    }
}
return res; // if res = -1 ⇒ no element found
```

Errors in
different lines
of code.

X Check function ka use upper bound ke baad
batayenge

- lower bound ⇒ ~~change~~ Definition ⇒ find lowest index which is greater than or equal to key.

Implement using slight change.

⇒ Use check function.

• See last line

• Similarly ^{of} upper bound.

• finding frequency of elements.

• 1300 rated problems mai lower-bound. or upper bound ka use karke, solution accepted ho jayega

Now lower bound ka use karke question (1) ~~kar~~
kar sakte (distinct sorted array)
