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# Jesse and Cookies **■**



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Jesse loves cookies. He wants the sweetness of all his cookies to be greater than value K. To do this, Jesse repeatedly mixes two cookies with the least sweetness. He creates a special combined cookie with:

 $sweetness = (1 \times Least sweet cookie + 2 \times 2nd least sweet cookie).$ 

He repeats this procedure until all the cookies in his collection have a sweetness  $\geq K$ .

You are given Jesse's cookies. Print the number of operations required to give the cookies a sweetness  $\geq K$ . Print -1 if this isn't possible.

#### **Input Format**

The first line consists of integers N, the number of cookies and K, the minimum required sweetness, separated by a space. The next line contains N integers describing the array A where  $A_i$  is the sweetness of the  $i^{th}$  cookie in Jesse's collection.

## **Constraints**

 $1 \leq N \leq 10^6$ 

 $0 \le K \le 10^9$ 

 $0 \le A_i \le 10^6$ 

## **Output Format**

Output the number of operations that are needed to increase the cookie's sweetness  $\geq K$ . Output -1 if this isn't possible.

#### **Sample Input**

6 7

1 2 3 9 10 12

## **Sample Output**

2

### **Explanation**

Combine the first two cookies to create a cookie with sweetness =  $1 \times 1 + 2 \times 2 = 5$ 

After this operation, the cookies are 3, 5, 9, 10, 12.

Then, combine the cookies with sweetness 3 and sweetness 5, to create a cookie with resulting sweetness =  $1 \times 3 + 2 \times 5 = 13$ 

Now, the cookies are 9, 10, 12, 13.

All the cookies have a sweetness  $\geq 7$ .

Thus, 2 operations are required to increase the sweetness.

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 2 #include <cstdio>
   #include <vector>
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 4 #include <queue>
   #include <iostream>
   #include <algorithm>
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    using namespace std;
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    const bool DEBUG = false;
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11 ▼ int main() {
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         long N;
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         cin >> N;
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        long K;
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         cin >> K;
         priority_queue<long, vector<long>, greater<long> > A;
         for (size_t i=0; i<N; ++i) {</pre>
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             int t;
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             cin >> t;
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             A.push(t);
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         if (A.empty()) {
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             cout << "-1" << endl;</pre>
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             return -1;
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         long counter = 0;
         while (!A.empty()) {
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             long c1 = A.top();
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             if (DEBUG) cout << c1 << endl;</pre>
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             if (c1 >= K) {
                 cout << counter << endl;</pre>
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                 return 0;
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             }
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             A.pop();
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             if (A.empty()) {
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                  cout << "-1" << endl;
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                  return -1;
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             }
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             long c2 = A.top();
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             A.pop();
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             A.push(c1 + 2*c2);
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             counter++;
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         }
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         return 0;
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    }
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