

# Binary Search

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[0]	[1]	[2]	[3]	[4]	[5]	[6]	[7]	[8]
11	22	33	44	55	66	77	88	99

left

mid

Right

left subarray

[0]	[1]	[2]	[3]
11	22	33	44

left mid Right

②

$$L = 0$$

$$R = 3$$

$$m = (0 + 3) / 2$$

$$m = 1$$

1) key = 33

$$\begin{aligned} 2) \quad L &= 0 \\ R &= 3 \\ M &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

3)  $33 == arr[mid]$ .  
if no, go to step 4.

4) Check if key is greater or smaller.  
as 33 is smaller, consider LSA.

③

$33 == arr[mid]$   
as key is not matching mid element, go to step 4.

④

check 33 is greater to mid element, hence go to RSA.

RSA is from mid+1 to right

RSA

[2]	[3]
33	44

left Right  
mid

②

$$L = (mid + 1) = 2$$

$$R = 3$$

$$M = (2 + 3) / 2 = 2$$

left subarray.  
left index is same - 0.

Right index is mid - 1.

$33 == arr[mid]$   
key found at index 2.

Right subarray.  
Right index remains the same - (SIZE - 1)  
left index is mid + 1