

Search insert position

Problem

Submissions

Leaderboard

Discussions

Given a sorted array of distinct integers and a target value, return the index if the target is found. If not, return the index where it would be if it were inserted in order.

You must write an algorithm with $O(\log n)$ runtime complexity.

Sample Input 0

```
4
1 3 5 6
5
```

Sample Output 0

```
2
```

Sample Input 1

```
4
1 3 5 6
2
```

Sample Output 1

```
1
```

$n=4$

1	3	5	6
0	1	2	3

$n=5$

$n=4$

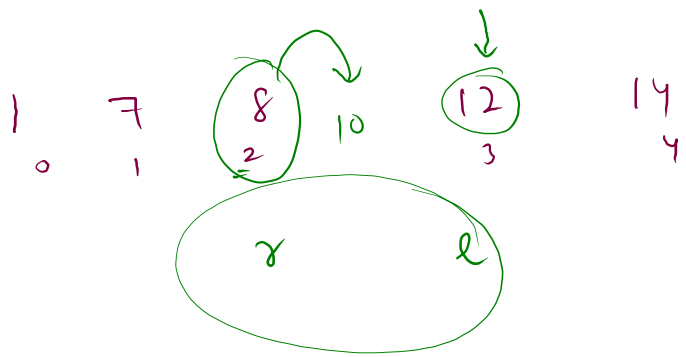
1	3	5	6
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$n=2$

$$\boxed{r = 10}$$

$$m = \underline{\underline{2}}$$

$$? \text{ ans} = 3.$$



$$l \leq r$$

$$m = 2$$

$$8 \neq 10$$

$$8 < 10 \left. \vphantom{\begin{matrix} 8 < 10 \end{matrix}} \right\}$$

$$m' = 3 + 4/2 = 3.$$

$$10 \neq 12$$

$$10 > 12$$

$$\boxed{10 < 12}$$

$$\underline{x=10}$$

$$ans = \cancel{-1} \ 2$$

1

0

7

1



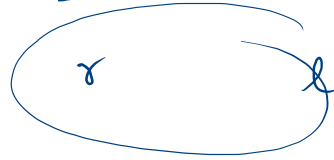
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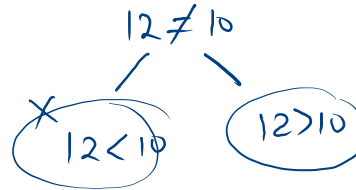
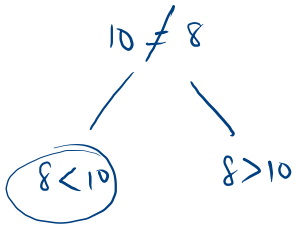
✓

$$L \leq x$$

$$\hookrightarrow m_1 = 2$$



$$m_2 = 3.$$



```

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2 import java.util.*;
3 public class Solution {
4     public static void main(String[] args) {
5         Scanner scn = new Scanner(System.in);
6         int n = scn.nextInt();
7         int [] A = new int[n];
8         for(int i = 0; i < n; i++){
9             A[i] = scn.nextInt();
10        }
11        int x = scn.nextInt();
12        int l = 0;
13        int r = n-1;
14        int ans = -1;
15        while(l <= r){
16            int m = (l + r)/2;
17            if(A[m] == x){
18                ans = m;
19                System.out.println(m);
20                return;
21            }
22            else if(A[m] > x){
23                //move left
24                r = m-1;
25            }
26            else{
27                //move right
28                ans = m;
29                l = m + 1;
30            }
31        }
32        System.out.println(ans + 1);
33    }
34 }

```

\downarrow
 1 3 5 6 7
 0 1 2 3 4

$x = 2$

~~$ans = -1$~~ 0

✓

l

$0 \leq y \rightsquigarrow m = 2$

$5 == 2^x$

$l \leq 1$ ✓
 $m = 1$

$3 == 2$

$5 > 2^x$

$3 > 2$

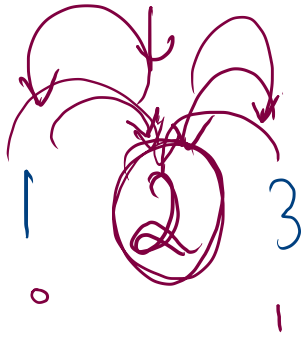
$0 \leq 1 \rightsquigarrow m = (0+1)/2 = 0$

$1 == 2^x$

$1 > 2^x$

$x = 2$

1 3 5 6 7
 0 1 2 3 4



5
2

6
3

7
4

$x = 2$

$idx = 1$

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```

Key = 1

2 3 5 6
0 1 2 3

l

r

$0 \leq 3$

$\hookrightarrow m = 0+3/2 = 1$

$3 == 1^x$

$3 > 1$

$0 < 0$

$m = 0$

$2 == 1^x$
 $2 > 1 \checkmark$

ans = -1

$-1 + 1 = 0$

$Key < A[0] \rightarrow 0$

ArrayList → Dynamic D.S.

{ 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 }

Collection.

Integer
↓

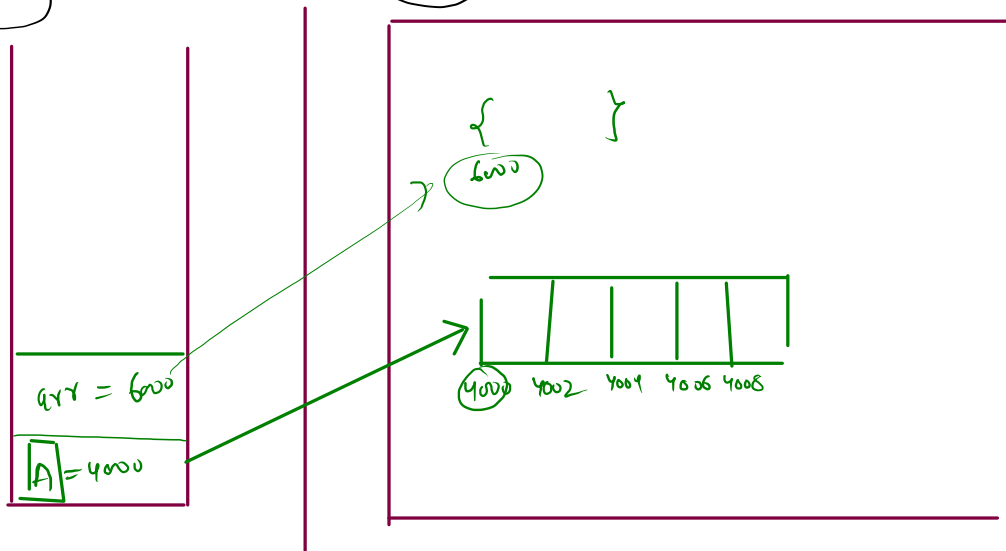
To learn. D.S.

{	Initialize.	✓
	add	✓
	get	✓
	size	✓
	delete	✓
	traverse / print.	✓

Stack

Heap

`ArrayList<Integer> arr = new ArrayList<>();`
`int[] A = new int[5];`



* JVM

```
5 public static void main(String[] args) {
6     //Intialize
7     ArrayList<Integer> arr = new ArrayList<>();
8     //add
9     arr.add(10);
10    arr.add(20);
11    arr.add(30);
12    arr.add(30);
13
14    //size
15    System.out.println(arr.size());
16
17    //get .. A[i].. arr.get(idx)
18    System.out.println(arr.get(1));
19
20    //remove .. arr.remove(idx);
21    arr.remove(1);
22    System.out.println(arr.size());
23 }
```

```
5 public static void main(String[] args) {
6     //Intialize
7     ArrayList<Integer> arr = new ArrayList<>();
8     //add
9     arr.add(10);
10    arr.add(20);
11    arr.add(30);
12    arr.add(30);
13
14    //print
15    for(int i = 0; i < arr.size(); i++){
16        System.out.print(arr.get(i) + " ");
17    }
18    System.out.println();
19
20    //direct print
21    System.out.println(arr);
22 }
```

ArrayList with if-else

Sample Input 0

```
8
2
6
3 2
5 1
6
1
3 3
2
```

Sample Output 0

```
invalid-move
invalid-move
2
1
1 2
2
3
3
```

- First Declare an ArrayList `arr`.
- Then take T as an Integer input.

Format for next T Lines : $(case, x(optional))$

- **case 1:** Print the size of the ArrayList in a separate line.
- **case 2:** Print and Remove element from the last index of the ArrayList.
- **case 3:** Print x and Add x in last index of the ArrayList.
- **case 4:** Print and Remove an element from the starting (index = 0) of the ArraList.
- **case 5:** Print x and Add x at beginning (index = 0) of the ArrayList.
- **case 6:** Print all the elements from left to right that are there inside the ArrayList.

Note : In **case 2, 4, 6** when *arr* is **empty** the move is invalid, so print "**invalid-move** all lowercase".

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8
9
10        ArrayList<Integer> arr = new ArrayList<>();
11        int t = scn.nextInt();
12        for(int i = 1; i <= t; i++){
13            int caseNo = scn.nextInt();
14            if(caseNo == 1){
15                System.out.println(arr.size());
16            }else if(caseNo == 2){
17                if(arr.size() == 0){ // arrlist is empty
18                    System.out.println("invalid-move");
19                }else{
20                    System.out.println(arr.get(arr.size()-1));
21                    arr.remove(arr.size()-1);
22                }
23            }else if(caseNo == 3){
24                int x = scn.nextInt();
25                System.out.println(x);
26                arr.add(x);
27            }else if(caseNo == 4){
28                if(arr.size() == 0){ // arrlist is empty
```

```
28
29
30 }else{
31     System.out.println(arr.get(0));
32     arr.remove(0);
33 }
34 }else if(caseNo == 5){
35     int x = scn.nextInt();
36     System.out.println(x);
37     arr.add(0,x);
38 }else{
39     if(arr.size() == 0){ // arrlist is empty
40         System.out.println("invalid-move");
41     }else{
42         for(int k = 0; k < arr.size(); k++){
43             System.out.print(arr.get(k) + " ");
44         }
45         System.out.println();
46     }
47 }
48
49 }
50
51 }
52 }
```