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/ CPP implementation of the approach
#include < bits/stdc++.h>
using namespace std;
// Shows function to return the missing element
int findMissing(int array[], int n1){
 int low = 0, high = n1 - 1;
 int mid1;
 while (high > low){
   mid1 = low + (high - low) / 2;
   // Verify if middle element is consistent
   if (array[mid1] - mid1 == array[0]){
     // Here, no inconsistency till middle elements
     // When missing element is just after
     // the middle element
     if (array[mid1 + 1] - array[mid1] > 1)
       return array[mid1] + 1;
     else{
       // Go right
       low = mid1 + 1;
   else{
     // Here inconsistency found
     // When missing element is just before
     // the middle element
     if (array[mid1] - array[mid1 - 1] > 1)
       return array[mid1] - 1;
     else{
       // Go left
       high = mid1 - 1;
 // Here, no missing element found
 return -1;
// Driver code
int main(){
 int array[] = \{-9, -8, -6, -5, -4, -3, -2, -1, 0\};
 int n1 = sizeof(array)/sizeof(array[0]);
 cout <<"The Missing Element:" <<(findMissing(array, n1));</pre>
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