

# Linear Search in Java

Linear search is used to search a key element from multiple elements. Linear search is less used today because it is slower than binary search and hashing.

## Algorithm:

- Step 1: Traverse the array
- Step 2: Match the key element with array element
- Step 3: If key element is found, return the index position of the array element
- Step 4: If key element is not found, return -1.

## Code for Linear Search

```
package LinearSearch;

public class LinearSearch {
    public static void main(String[] args) {

        int[] arr = {1,24,4,6,6,4,6,854,55,45};
        System.out.println(linearSearch(arr, 4));
    }
    public static int linearSearch(int[] arr, int target) {
        if (arr.length==0){
            return -1;
        }
        for (int i=0; i<arr.length; i++) {
            int element = arr[i];
            if (element == target){
                return i;
            }
        }
        return -1;
    }
}
```

## Arrays to String

```
package LinearSearch;

import java.util.Arrays;

public class ArraystoString {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        char[] ch = {'m','e','h','u','l','m','e','s','h','r','a','m'};
        System.out.println(toStr(ch));
    }

    public static String toStr(char[] ch) {
        String str = String.valueOf(ch);
        return str;
    }
}
```

## Even No Digit

```
package LinearSearch;

public class EvenNoDigits {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        int[] arr = {23,2,43,545,34,5455,342};
        System.out.println(isEven(arr));
    }

    static int isEven(int[] arr) {
        int even = 0;
        int count = 0;
        for (int ar: arr) {
            count = (int) (Math.log10(ar))+1;

            if (count%2==0) {
                even++;
            }
        }
        return even;
    }
}
```

## find Max\_Min

```
package LinearSearch;

public class Max_Min {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        int[] arr = {343,4,4,33,7,55,34,76};
        search(arr);
    }

    public static void search(int[] arr) {
        int max = Integer.MIN_VALUE;
        int min = Integer.MAX_VALUE;

        for (int i = 0; i < arr.length; i++) {
```

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        if (max<arr[i]) {
            max = arr[i];
        }
        if (min>arr[i]) {
            min = arr[i];
        }
    }
    System.out.println("max no is: "+max);
    System.out.print("min no is: "+min);
}
}

```

### Max in 2D Arrays

```

package LinearSearch;

import java.util.Arrays;

public class MaxIn2DArray {

    public static void main(String[] args) {
        int[][] arr = {
            {1,3,5},
            {54,653,0,53},
            {8,6}
        };
        int ans = max(arr);
        System.out.println(ans);
    }

    public static int max(int[][] arr) {
        int max = Integer.MIN_VALUE;
        for (int i = 0; i < arr.length; i++) {
            for (int j = 0; j < arr[i].length; j++) {
                if (max < arr[i][j]) {
                    max = arr[i][j];
                }
            }
        }
        return max;
    }
}

```

### Find Min Number

```

package LinearSearch;

public class MinNumber {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        int[] arr = {4,6,4,6,78,86,4,43,5,54};
        System.out.println(min(arr));
    }
}

```

```

static int min(int[] arr) {

    int min = arr[0];
    for (int i = 0 ; i < arr.length; i++) {
        if (min>arr[i]) {
            min = arr[i];
        }
    }
    return min;
}

```

### Search in 2D Array

```

package LinearSearch;

import java.util.Arrays;
public class SearchIn2DArray {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        int[][] arr = {
            {1,3,5},
            {54,653,0,53},
            {8,6}
        };
        int[] ans = search(arr, 0);
        System.out.println(Arrays.toString(ans));
    }

    public static int[] search(int[][] arr, int target) {
        for (int i = 0; i < arr.length; i++) {
            for (int j = 0; j < arr[i].length; j++) {
                if (target == arr[i][j]) {
                    return new int[]{i, j};
                }
            }
        }
        return new int[]{-1,-1};
    }
}

```

### Searching Char in String

```

package LinearSearch;

import javax.naming.PartialResultException;
import java.util.Arrays;
public class SearchingInString {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        String name = "aniket";
        char c = 'a';

        System.out.println(Arrays.toString(name.toCharArray())); // change
        string into String Arrays
        System.out.println(search(name, c));
    }
}

```

```

static boolean search(String name, char ch) {
    if (name.length()==0) {
        return false;
    }

    for (int i = 0 ; i < name.length(); i++){
        if (ch==name.charAt(i)) {
            return true;
        }
    }

    //another way
    for (char str: name.toCharArray()){
        if (ch==str) {
            return true;
        }
    }
    return false;
}
}

```

## Search In Range

```

package LinearSearch;

public class SearchInRange {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        int[] arr = {1,2,3,-4,5,7,8};
        System.out.println( search(arr, 1, 2, 5));
    }

    public static int search(int[] arr, int target, int start, int end){

        if (arr.length == 0) {
            return -1;
        }
        for (int i = start; i<=end; i++) {
            if (target==arr[i]){
                return i;
            }
        }
        return -1;
    }
}

```

## String to Arrays

```
package LinearSearch;

import java.util.Arrays;
public class StringToArray {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        String name = "mehul";
        System.out.println(Name(name));
    }

    public static String Name(String name) {
        String str = "";
        for (int i = 0; i < name.length(); i++) {
            str = Arrays.toString(name.toCharArray());
        }
        return str;
    }
}
```