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Binary Search

80 POINTS

Given an array A arranged in non-decreasing order and a key find the index of the given key in the array A using the binary search algorithm.

Input format:

First line of input contains a single integer N denoting the number of elements in the array.

Next line of input contains N space separated integers in non-decreasing order.

Final line of input contains a single integer key to be searched in the given array.

Output format:

A single line of integer denoting the index of the key in the given array A as discovered by *BINARY SEARCH ALGORITHM*.

If key do not exist in the array then print -1

Constraints:

(i) $0 \leq N \leq 10^5$

(ii) $0 \leq array[i] \leq 10^9$

Test Case - 1

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5
1 2 3 4 5
3
2
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Test Case - 2

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5
1 2 3 4 5
10
-1
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Test Case - 3

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5
5 8 8 12 14
8
2
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