

## BINARY SEARCH

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#include <iostream>

using namespace std;

int binarySearch(int arr[], int n, int key) {
    int left = 0, right = n - 1;

    while (left <= right) {
        int mid = left + (right - left) / 2;

        if (arr[mid] == key)
            return mid; // Element found

        else if (arr[mid] < key)
            left = mid + 1;

        else
            right = mid - 1;
    }

    return -1; // Element not found
}

int main() {
    int n, key;

    cout << "Enter number of elements: ";

    cin >> n;

    int arr[n];

    cout << "Enter sorted elements:\n";

    for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {
        cin >> arr[i];
    }

    cout << "Enter element to search: ";
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    cin >> key;

int result = binarySearch(arr, n, key);

if (result != -1)

    cout << "Element found at index " << result;

else

    cout << "Element not found";

return 0;

}
```

### Output

```
Enter number of elements: 5
Enter sorted elements:
2 4 6 8 10
Enter element to search: 8
Element found at index 3

=== Code Execution Successful ===
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