

Binary Search

index:	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
values:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	↑ left				↓					↑ right

$$\text{mid} = \frac{\text{left} + \text{right}}{2}$$

search
for 6 (index: 5)

$$5 < 6$$

						6				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
				↑ left		↑			↑ right	

$$\text{mid} \left(\frac{4 + 9}{2} \right)$$

$$6 < 7$$

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
				↑ left		↑ right			

$$\text{mid} \left(\frac{4 + 6}{2} \right)$$

$$6 = 6$$

return index: 5