

Binary Search

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$$\text{Mid} = (6 + 0) \text{ DIV } 2$$

data = "e"

0	a
1	b
2	c
3	d
4	e
5	f
6	g

arr

$$\text{len}(\text{arr}) = 7$$

$$\text{LB} = 0$$

$$\text{UB} = 6$$

LB	UB	mid
0	6	3
4	6	5
4	4	

Algorithm

1. Find the mid.
 $\text{MID} \leftarrow (\text{UB} + \text{LB}) \text{ DIV } 2$
 $\text{MID} \leftarrow \text{INT}((\text{UB} + \text{LB}) \div 2)$
2. Check if req. data is at the mid
3. IF mid = data
Then return mid;
End function.
4. IF data > mid
Then update LB
 $\text{LB} \leftarrow \text{mid} + 1$
5. IF data < mid
Then update UB
 $\text{UB} \leftarrow \text{mid} - 1$
6. IF LB > UB
Then return -1;
End function.
7. Go to Step 1.

Pre-Requisites:

- Data in array has to be in ascending order.

$$\begin{array}{r} 3 \overline{) 16} \\ \underline{15} \\ 1 \end{array}$$

5 DIV
1 MOD

$$\begin{array}{l} 16 / 5 = 3.333 \\ 16 \text{ DIV } 5 = 3 \\ 16 \text{ MOD } 5 = 1 \end{array}$$