# 3 Homework Assignment – Mad Trucker

#### General information

Only those who passed the challenge program Entry Test can participate in the Challenge Program. Your submission for all the parts of the exercise should be in Java. All the challenge exercises must be done individually.

# **Assignment description**

One of your friends gets himself stranded in his truck a lot lately. The problem for this is that his brakes don't work and his gas pedal is stuck. Therefore, as soon as he puts fuel into the truck it starts driving and only stops when it runs out of fuel. To help him go places he has in the back of his truck a number of fuel cans, all of different sizes, with labels on them indicating for how many kilometers they bring him. He takes estimates on how far he has to drive to get to his destination. To make things worse, there are often some places on the road, where he can't stand still to refuel.

Because he is starting to really find it annoying, he asked you to help him out with this problem. He wants you to write a program that calculates in what order he has to refuel his truck to get to a destination. Again, *all unstoppable places are unique* (e.g., there are no two at the same location) *and all cans are unique* 

(there are no two cans with the same mileage).

## **Exercise**

Write a program taking as an input the number and the sizes of the fuel cans he has in the back of his trucks, and the distances to the places where he can't stop. Your program then has to calculate a sequence of cans with no stops in places where he can't.

# Input

The input is a positive integer **n** (number of cans), followed by **n positive integers**. Each of these are the numbers the corresponding cans will take him in kilometers. Then there are **n-1 positive integers** which are places where he can't stop in kilometers from the start.

# Output

The output is n integers, the zero-based indices of the cans to fill up (The first can on the list is indexed 0). The order of the output is the order in which the fuel cans have to be poured into the truck. This order is such that the truck will never stop on a spot where it can't stop.

The truck starts at 0 km, and the target destination is the place you get after using all cans. You can always stop at this destination location (it can't be an unstoppable location). All of the unstoppable locations are between 0 km and the destination.

**Examples** 

Input	Output
3 2 4 6 4 8	0 1 2 or 2 1 0 (a different output)
10 19 12 0 11 10 8 7 1 13 18 3 4 14 16 2 6 5 15 17	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 or 2 7 6 4 5 3 1 8 9 0
20 20 19 18 17 16 15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 209 208 207 206 205 204 203 202 201 200 199 198 197 196 195 194 193 192 191	19 18 17 16 15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1 0
40 42 6 66 96 86 59 8 83 12 18 90 26 98 9 48 55 84	1 34 6 13 30 8 29 9 26 28 17 11 21 27 23 0 33 14 18
24 49 70 77 27 85 41 63 57 21 38 22 14 11 94 73 47 7	39 15 25 5 24 37 2 19 32 20 35 7 16 22 4 38 10 31
82 93 64 89 54 2062 1994 1967 1963 1897 1872 1840	36 3 12
1821 1806 1800 1754 1598 1576 1399 1391 1263	

1252 1229 1166 1098 1001 997 973 770 744 738 687	
667 565 545 388 356 320 274 235 177 173 110 78	
40 98 97 93 89 83 81 78 74 73 71 69 67 66 65 62 61	39 38 37 36 35 34 33 32 31 30 29 28 27 26 25 24 23
58 55 54 49 43 42 41 40 39 38 37 35 32 29 26 24 20	22 21 20 19 18 17 16 15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3
19 17 16 13 9 3 0 21 42 63 139 141 227 229 299 339	2 1 0
374 426 456 537 549 558 577 605 609 651 661 770	
785 874 891 943 950 1050 1150 1155 1169 1289 1437	
1537 1545 1694 1832 1840 1865 19463	

## **Specifications**

- 1. Each input is a sequence of integers between 0 and 10000 separated by one space; you don't need to check this.
- 2. As your program is going to be automatically checked by Momotor, please, avoid in the output any (except an empty line in the end) extra strings or any extra characters, including leading or trailing spaces.
- 3. Your submission is to be a single Java file.

#### **Restrictions and recommendations**

You have to do better than simply trying all possible sequences of cans ("brute-forcing".) This would take way too long. You have to at least be able to calculate an ordering for of N = 100 in no more than a few seconds. It is **mandatory solving this assignment with recursion**.

It is always possible to get the truck to some destination with all fuel used, no matter the sizes of the cans or the locations of the unstoppable stops. Not just in the test cases in Momotor but for all inputs you can generate given the restriction. Your program should essentially be a proof of this fact.

Note that for some inputs there **can have multiple solutions** but Momotor only checks for one, so don't panic. If Momotor says you got it wrong, have a look at the in- and output. And as always, do your own tests to make sure it works, Momotor is just there to help your testing.

We recommend you to write a small program (method?) which, using your input and output, proofs that, given the former, the latter is correct.