Demonstration Task 1: Guess

Jill is thinking of a number between 1 and N, and Jack wants to guess it by asking Jill questions of the form "Is it bigger than K?" for K between 1 and N.

You are to implement a procedure $\mathbf{play}(\mathbf{N})$ that implements Jack's role in the game. Your implementation should repeatedly call the procedure $\mathbf{bigger}(\mathbf{K})$, which is implemented by the grader. $\mathbf{bigger}(\mathbf{K})$ will return 1 if Jill's number is greater than K; otherwise it will return 0. Jill's number should be returned by your implementation as the result of \mathbf{play} .

Subtask 1 [50 points]

Assume that N=16. Your implementation must use at most 15 calls to **bigger** and must return the correct result. *The implementation files described below contain a correct implementation of this subtask.*

Subtask 2 [50 points]

Assume that N=16. Your implementation must use at most 4 calls to **bigger** and must return the correct result.

Implementation Details

- Use the RunC programming and test environment
- Implementation folder: /home/ioi2010-contestant/guess/ (download prototype here)
- To be implemented by contestant: player.c or player.cpp or player.pas
- Contestant interface: player.h or player.pas
- Grader interface: grader.h or graderlib.pas
- Sample grader: grader.c or grader.cpp or grader.pas and graderlib.pas
- Sample grader input: grader.in.1 grader.in.2

 Note: The sample grader reads N and Jill's number from standard input.
- Expected output for sample grader input: grader.expect.1 grader.expect.2
- Compile and run (command line): runc grader.c or runc grader.cpp or runc grader.pas
- Compile and run (gedit plugin): *Control-R*, while editing any implementation file.
- Submit (command line): submit grader.c or submit grader.cpp or submit grader.pas
- Submit (gedit plugin): Control-J, while editing any implementation or grader file.
- CPU time limit: 10 seconds
- Memory limit: 256 MB