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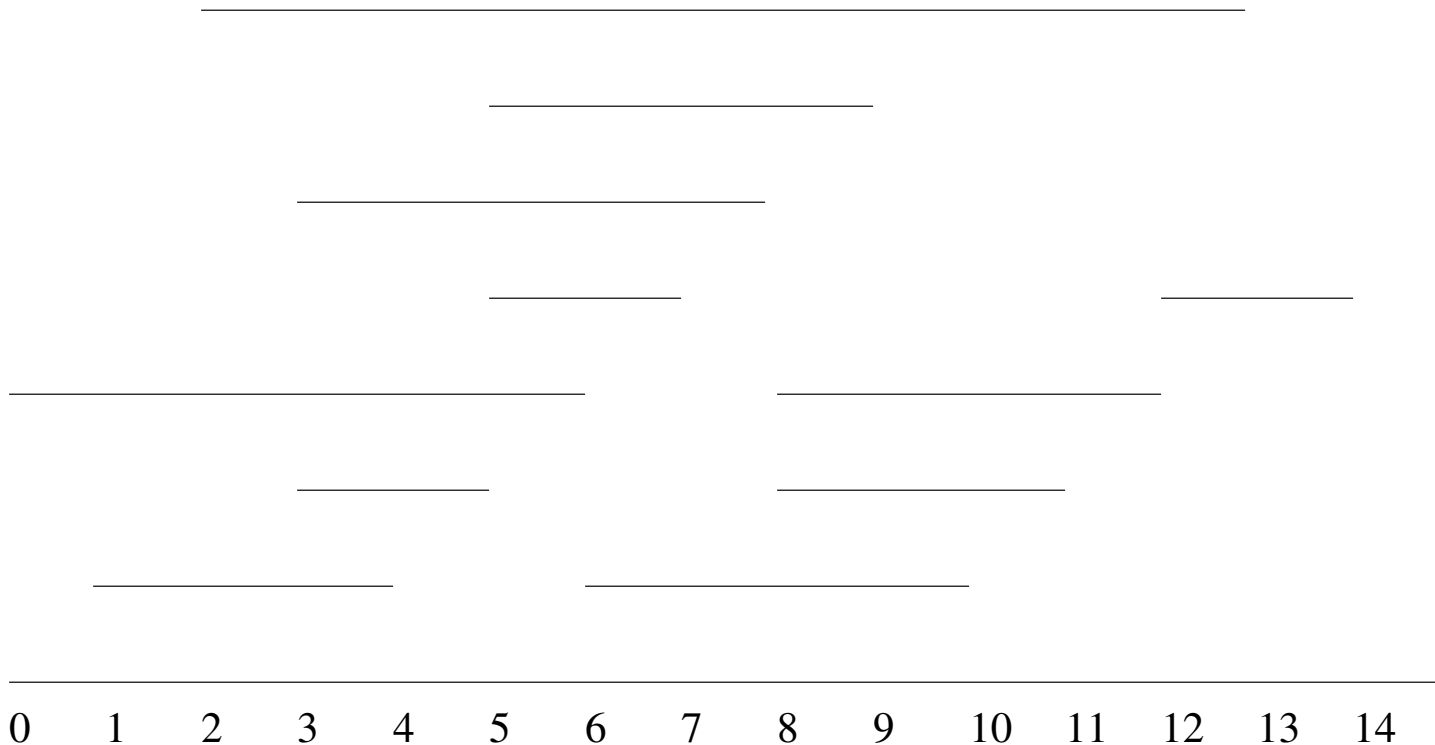
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## Code

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1  Sort by finishing time, renumber with 1 having earliest finishing time
2  Output 1
3   $last = f_1$ 
4  for  $i = 2$  to  $n$ 
5      do if ( $s_i \leq last$ )
6          then Output  $i$ 
7               $last = f_i$ 
```