

Date: 24-02-2022 Exp.6 Palindrome

**Aim:**

To implement palindrome using INT21H.

Tool Used:

Assembler - MASM 611

Algorithm:

- In data segment declaring str1 of six characters and setting the length of it in len
- Declaring messages to be displayed
- In extra segment declaring str2 of six characters
- Load str1 in SI
- Move the length in cx
- Loop1:
move 01h in ah
Interrupt 21H called
move al to SI
increment SI
- Load str1 to SI AND Load str2+len-1 to di to directly arrange it in reverse order and move length in CX
- UP:
cld is called to set the flag register
LODSB
STD
STOSB
- Load offset of str1 in SI and Load offset of str2 in DI
- Now compare both the strings and check if it is matching and display the result.

Program:

data segment

str1 db 06 dup(0)

len equ \$-str1

ymsg db 0ah, 07h, 'String is a Palindrome\$', 07h, 0ah

nmsg db 0ah, 07h, 'String is not a Palindrome\$', 07h, 0ah

data ends

extra segment

str2 db 06 dup(0)

extra ends

code segment

assume cs:code, ds:data, es: extra

start:

mov ax, data

mov ds, ax

mov ax, extra

mov es, ax

lea si, str1

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mov cx, len
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l1: mov ah, 01h
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int 21h
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mov [si], al
```

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inc si
```

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loop l1
```

```
lea si, str1
```

```
lea di, str2+len-1
```

```
mov cx, len
```

```
up: cld
```

```
lodsb
```

```
std
```

```
stosb
```

```
loop up
```

```
lea si, offset str1
```

```
lea di, offset str2
```

```
mov cx, len
```

```
compare:
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```
cld
```

```
repe cmpsb
```

je yes

no:

xor ax, ax

mov dx, offset nmsg

mov ah, 09h

int 21h

jmp stop

yes:

xor ax, ax

mov dx, offset ymsg

mov ah, 09

int 21h

stop:

hlt

code ends

end start

Sample Input:

1. Hardik
2. AKAACA

Sample Output:

Not a palindrome

It is a palindrome

Manual Verification:

1. The reverse of HARDIK is KIDRAH and so both the strings are different so it is not a palindrome.
2. The reverse of AKAACA is the same so it is a palindrome.

Register/ Memory Contents for I/O:

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-U
0769:0042 CD21      INT     21
0769:0044 EB09      JMP     004F
0769:0046 33C0      XOR     AX,AX
0769:0048 BA0600     MOV     DX,0006
0769:004B B409      MOV     AH,09
0769:004D CD21      INT     21
0769:004F F4          HLT
0769:0050 DA04      FIADD   DWORD PTR [SI]
0769:0052 C64A0904   MOV     BYTE PTR [BP+SI+09],04
0769:0056 D6          DB      D6
0769:0057 04CA      ADD     AL,CA
0769:0059 0400      ADD     AL,00
0769:005B 001F      ADD     [BX],BL
0769:005D 1D9821     SBB     AX,2198
0769:0060 0004      ADD     [SI],AL
```

Snapshot of the Output:

```
-g 004F
HARDIK
String is not a Palindrome
AX=0900 BX=0000 CX=0005 DX=0021 SP=0000 BP=0000 SI=0001 DI=0001
DS=0764 ES=0768 SS=0763 CS=0769 IP=004F NU UP EI PL ZR NA PE NC
0769:004F F4          HLT
```

```
-G 004F
AKAATA
String is a Palindrome
AX=0900 BX=0000 CX=0000 DX=0006 SP=0000 BP=0000 SI=0006 DI=0006
DS=0764 ES=0768 SS=0763 CS=0769 IP=004F NU UP EI PL ZR NA PE NC
0769:004F F4          HLT
```

Result:

Hence a code for the execution to find if the string is palindrome or not using INT 21H was experimented.