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Experiment	2
Aim	Implement the given problem statement
Objective	<p>Palindrome Detection</p> <p>Given an input string, check whether it is a palindrome (reads the same whether read from left to right or from right to left) using queues. You are allowed to use one or multiple queues but do not use a stack.</p> <p>Sample input 1: madam Output: Yes</p> <p>Sample input 2: sir Output: No</p>
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Explanation of the technique used	<p>Created two queues -</p> <p>q1: Used to store the characters of the input string in reverse order.</p> <p>q2: Used to store the characters of the input string in their original order.</p> <p>The characters are then dequeued from both queues one by one, and each pair of characters is compared. If all the characters match, the input string is a palindrome; otherwise, it isn't a palindrome.</p>
Program(Code)	<pre>#include<stdio.h> #include<stdlib.h> #include<string.h> #include<stdbool.h> #define MAX 50 typedef struct{ char* arr; int front, rear; }Queue; Queue* createQueue(){ Queue* q = (Queue*)malloc(sizeof(Queue)); q->arr = (char *)malloc(MAX * sizeof(char)); q->front = 0, q->rear = -1; return q; }</pre>

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bool isFull(Queue *q){
    return q->rear == MAX-1;
}

bool isEmpty(Queue *q){
    return q->rear < q->front;
}

void enqueue(Queue *q, char c){
    if(isFull(q)){
        printf("Queue is full...can't enqueue.\n");
        return;
    }
    else{
        q->rear = q->rear + 1;
        q->arr[q->rear] = c;
    }
}

char dequeue(Queue *q){
    if(isEmpty(q)){
        printf("Queue is empty...can't dequeue.\n");
        return '\0';
    }
    else{
        char t = q->arr[q->front];
        q->front = q->front + 1;
        return t;
    }
}

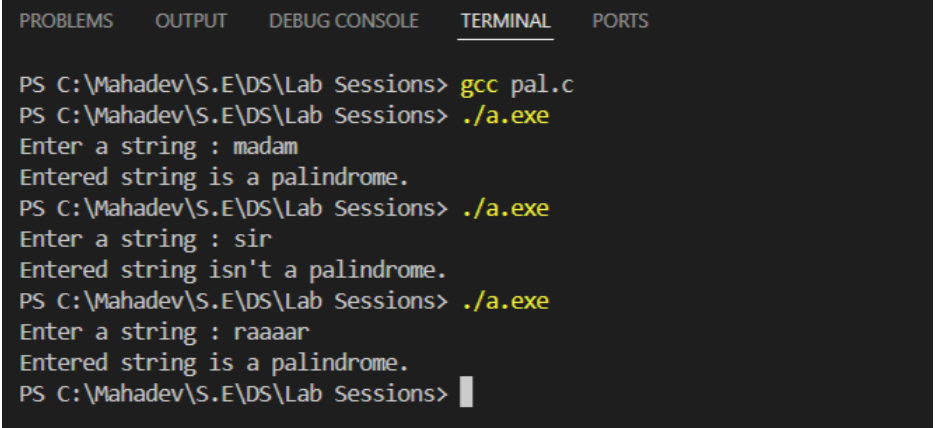
void freeQueue(Queue *q){
    free(q->arr);
    free(q);
}

bool isPalindrome(Queue* q1, Queue* q2, char str[]){
    int len = strlen(str);

    for(int i=0; i<len; i++){
        enqueue(q1, str[len-i-1]);
        enqueue(q2, str[i]);
    }

    while(!isEmpty(q1) && !isEmpty(q2)){
        if(dequeue(q1) != dequeue(q2)){
            return false;
        }
    }
    return true;
}

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	<pre> } int main(){ char str[MAX]; Queue *q1 = createQueue(); Queue *q2 = createQueue(); printf("Enter a string : "); scanf("%s", str); if(isPalindrome(q1, q2, str)){ printf("Entered string is a palindrome.\n"); } else{ printf("Entered string isn't a palindrome.\n"); } freeQueue(q1); freeQueue(q2); return 0; } </pre>
Output	 <pre> PROBLEMS OUTPUT DEBUG CONSOLE TERMINAL PORTS PS C:\Mahadev\S.E\DS\Lab Sessions> gcc pal.c PS C:\Mahadev\S.E\DS\Lab Sessions> ./a.exe Enter a string : madam Entered string is a palindrome. PS C:\Mahadev\S.E\DS\Lab Sessions> ./a.exe Enter a string : sir Entered string isn't a palindrome. PS C:\Mahadev\S.E\DS\Lab Sessions> ./a.exe Enter a string : raaaar Entered string is a palindrome. PS C:\Mahadev\S.E\DS\Lab Sessions> </pre>
Conclusion	<p>Learned how to implement a palindrome detection algorithm using queues. It highlighted the flexibility of queue data structure in solving problems typically associated with stacks.</p>