## Lab: Arrays

Problems for in-class lab for the "JavaScript Advanced" course @ SoftUni. Submit your solutions in the SoftUni judge system at https://judge.softuni.bg/Contests/2752/Arrays-and-Nested-Arrays-Lab.

## **Arrays**

#### 1. Even Position Element

Write a function that finds the elements at even positions in an array.

The input comes as an array of string elements.

The **output** is printed on the console. Collect all elements in a string, separated by space.

### **Examples**

Input	Output
[' <mark>20</mark> ', '30', '40', '50', ' <mark>60</mark> ']	20 40 60

Input	Output
['5', '10']	5

## 2. Last K Numbers Sequence

You are given two integers **n** and **k**. Write a JS function that generates and **return** the following sequence:

- The first element is 1
- Every following element equals the sum of the previous k elements
- The length of the sequence is **n** elements

The **input** comes as **two number arguments**. The first element represents the number **n**, and the second – the number **k**.

The **output** is the **return** value of your function and should be an **array of numbers**.

### **Example**

Input	Output	
6, 3	[1, 1, 2, 4, 7, 13]	

Input	Output	
8, 2	[1, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 13, 21]	

### **Explanation**

The  $2^{nd}$  element (1) is the sum of the 3 elements before it, but there is only 1, so we take that. The third element is the sum of the first 2 (1 and 1) and the  $4^{th}$  – the sum of 1, 1, and 2. The  $5^{th}$  element is the sum of the  $2^{nd}$ ,  $3^{rd}$ , and  $4^{th}$  (1, 2, and 4) and so on.

### 3. Sum First Last

Write a function that calculates and returns the sum of the first and the last elements in an array.

The **input** comes **as an array of string elements** holding numbers.

The **output** is the **return** value of your function and should be a **number**.

### **Example**

Input	Output
['20', '30', '40']	60

Input	Output
['5', '10']	15

## 4. Negative / Positive Numbers

Write a JS function that processes the elements in an array one by one and produces a new array. If the current element is a **negative** number you must add it to the **front** of the array (**as** the **first element** of the array). Otherwise, if the current element is a **positive** number (**or 0**), you must add it to the **end** of the array (as the **last element** of the array).

The **input** comes as an **array of number elements**.

The **output** is printed on the console, each element on a new line.

#### **Example**

Input	Output
[7, -2, 8, 9]	-2 7
	8
	9

Input	Output
[3, -2, 0, -1]	-1
	-2
	3
	0

#### Hints

- Write a function that receives an array as an argument.
- Declare variable named result that will keep the array.

```
function solve(arr) {
   let result = [];
}
```

- You can use for loop to go around the items one by one.
- If the current element is a **negative number**, you can use the **unshift** method to add the number at the **beginning** of the array.

```
for (let i = 0; i < arr.length; i++) {
    if (arr[i] < 0) {
        result.unshift(arr[i]);
    } else {
        result.push(arr[i]);
    }
}</pre>
```

- Otherwise, if the current element is a **positive** number (**or 0**), use a **push** method to add the number to the **end** of the array.
- Print on the console, each element of the array on a new line.

```
console.log(result.join('\n'));
```

#### 5. Smallest Two Numbers

Write a function that prints the two smallest elements from an array of numbers.

The input comes as an array of number elements.

The **output** is printed on the console on a single line, separated by space.

#### **Example**

Input	Output
[30, 15, 50, 5]	5 15

Input	Output
[3, 0, 10, 4, 7, 3]	0 3

## 6. Bigger Half

You are given an array of numbers. Write a JS function that **sorts** the array in **ascending order** and returns a new array, containing only the **second half** of the input. If there is an odd number of elements in the input, always take the bigger half. For example, if the input array contains 4 elements, the output should be 2, and if the input is 5 – the output is 3.

The input comes as an array of number elements.

The **output** is the **return** value of the function and should be an **array of numbers**.

### **Example**

Input	Output
[4, 7, 2, 5]	[5, 7]
[3, 19, 14, 7, 2, 19, 6]	[7, 14, 19, 19]

### 7. Piece of Pie

Write a function that receives **three parameters** – an **array** of pie flavors as **strings**, two target flavors as **strings**. The result of the function should be a **new array**, containing a section of the original array, **starting** at the first flavor parameter, and **ending** at (and **including**) the second flavor parameter.

The **input** comes as **three arguments**:

- An array of strings, representing pie flavors
- Two more strings, representing the start and end of the section, respectively

The **output** is the **return** value of the function and should be an **array of strings**.

### **Example**

Input	Output
['Pumpkin Pie', 'Key Lime Pie', 'Cherry Pie', 'Lemon Meringue Pie', 'Sugar Cream Pie'], 'Key Lime Pie', 'Lemon Meringue Pie'	['Key Lime Pie', 'Cherry Pie', 'Lemon Meringue Pie']

```
['Apple Crisp',
  'Mississippi Mud Pie',
  'Pot Pie',
  'Steak and Cheese Pie',
  'Steak and Cheese Pie',
  'Butter Chicken Pie',
  'Smoked Fish Pie'],
  'Pot Pie',
  'Smoked Fish Pie'
['Pot Pie',
  'Smoked Fish Pie']
```

#### 8. Process Odd Positions

You are given an array of numbers. Write a JS function that **returns** the elements at **odd positions** from the array, **doubled** and in **reverse** order.

The **input** comes as an **array of number elements**.

The **output** is the **return** on the console on a single line, separated by space.

#### **Example**

Input	Output
[10, 15, 20, 25]	50 30

Input	Output
[3, 0, 10, 4, 7, 3]	680

# **Nested Arrays**

## 9. Biggest Element

Write a function that finds the biggest element inside a matrix.

The **input** comes as an **array of arrays**, containing number elements (2D matrix of numbers).

The **output** is the **return** value of your function. Find the biggest element and return it.

### **Examples**

Input	Output
[[20, 50, 10], [8, 33, 145]]	145

Input	Output
[[3, 5, 7, 12], [-1, 4, 33, 2], [8, 3, 0, 4]]	33

## 10. Diagonal Sums

A square matrix of numbers comes as an array of **strings**, each string holding numbers (space separated). Write a function that finds the sum at the main and the secondary diagonals.

The input comes as an array of arrays, containing number elements (2D matrix of numbers).

The **output** is **printed** on the console, on a single line separated by space. First print the sum at the main diagonal, then the sum at the secondary diagonal.

### **Example**

Input	Output
[[20, 40],	80 50

Input Output	
[[3, 5, 17],	99 25

[10, 60]]	[-1, 7, 14], [1, -8, 89]]	
	[ [ 1, 0, 0 ] ]	

# 11. Equal Neighbors

Write a function that finds the number of **equal neighbor** pairs inside a **matrix** of variable size and type (numbers or strings).

The **input** comes as an **array of arrays**, containing string elements (2D matrix of strings).

The **output** is the **return** value of your function. Save the number of equal pairs you find and return it.

### **Example**

Input	Output
[['2', '3', '4', '7', '0'], ['4', '0', '5', '3', '4'], ['2', '3', '5', '4', '2'], ['9', '8', '7', '5', '4']]	1

Input	Output
[['test', 'yes', 'yo', 'ho'], ['well', 'done', 'yo', '6'], ['not', 'done', 'yet', '5']]	2