

## 1-Finding Duplicates- $O(n^2)$ Time Complexity, $O(1)$ Space Complexity

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Question 1 | Correct Mark 1.00 out of 1.00 [Flag question](#)

Find Duplicate in Array.

Given a read only array of  $n$  integers between 1 and  $n$ , find one number that repeats.

Input Format:

First Line - Number of elements

$n$  Lines -  $n$  Elements

Output Format:

Element  $x$  - That is repeated

**For example:**

Input	Result
5 1 1 2 3 4	1

**Answer:** (penalty regime: 0 %)

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1 #include <stdio.h>
2
3 int findDuplicate(int nums[], int size) {
4     int slow = nums[0];
5     int fast = nums[0];
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7     do {
8         slow = nums[slow];
9         fast = nums[nums[fast]];
10    } while (slow != fast);
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12    slow = nums[0];
13    while (slow != fast) {
14        slow = nums[slow];
15        fast = nums[fast];
16    }
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18    return slow;
19 }
20 int main(){
21     int n;
22     scanf("%d", &n);
23     int a[n];
24     for(int i=0;i<n;i++){
25         scanf("%d", &a[i]);
26     }
27     int duplicate = findDuplicate(a, n);
28     printf("%d\n", duplicate);
29
30     return 0;
31 }
```

	Input	Expected	Got	
✓	11 10 9 7 6 5 1 2 3 8 4 7	7	7	✓
✓	5 1 2 3 4 4	4	4	✓
✓	5 1 1 2 3 4	1	1	✓

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**Correct**

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