

Exercise: Palindromic Arrays

Let's try to create an array where the elements make a palindromic sequence.

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Problem Statement

A palindrome is a pattern which is symmetrical around a center point. Here's an example:

```
aabbcbbaa
```

As we can see, there is a symmetrical pattern around **c**. We can do the same thing with an array. Here's an example of a palindrome in an array:

```
[| 0, 1, 2, 1, 0 |]
```

In this exercise, you are given an array of size **n**. You must create a palindrome of that array.

As we can observe, the new array will be of length $(n * 2) - 1$.

Sample Input

```
inputArray1: [| 0, 1, 2, 3 |]
```

```
inputArray2: [| 40, 20, 20 |]
```

Sample Output

```
outputArray1: [| 0, 1, 2, 3, 2, 1, 0 |]
```

```
outputArray2: [| 40, 20, 20, 20, 40 |]
```

Coding Challenge

In the code below, there are four predefined arrays: `inputArray1`, `inputArray2`, `outputArray1`, and `outputArray2`. Your goal is to make `outputArray1` and `outputArray2` palindromes of `inputArray1` and `inputArray2`, respectively.

Think carefully about which properties of an array will be required to solve this problem. Based on what we've studied so far, the solution shouldn't be very difficult.

If you feel stuck, you can always refer to the solution review in the next lesson.

Good luck!

```
let inputArray1 = [| 0, 1, 2, 3 |];  
let inputArray2 = [| 40, 20, 20 |];  
let outputArray1 = Array.make(7, 0);  
let outputArray2 = Array.make(5, 0);  
  
/* Modify outputArray1 and outputArray2 here */
```

