

# Introduction to Data Structures

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# Homework 2B

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- 40 points for coding evaluation
  - Submission format
    - File name: yourid\_HW2B.c
      - Example: 2000123456\_HW2B.c
    - File type: .c (NOT .cpp)
  - Submission site: <https://icampus.skku.edu>
    - Week 5: [Homework] 2B (code)
  
- 1 point for report
  - The report is not evaluated in detail but evaluated as Pass/Fail
  - Template: Homework Report Template.docx
  - Submission format
    - File name: yourid\_HW2B.pdf
      - Example: 2000123456\_HW2B.pdf
    - File type: .pdf
  - Submission site: <https://icampus.skku.edu>
    - Week 5: [Homework] 2B (report)
  
- Due date
  - 10/13 23:59 (no late submission accepted)

# Rules for homework

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- You should follow instructions.
  - Compiler
    - You will get **no/less point** if your program cannot be complied with the specified compiler
  - Input/output format
    - You will get **no/less point** if TA's automatic evaluation program cannot parse your input or output.
  - Permitted modification scope
    - You will get **no/less point** if you modify code outside of the permitted modification scope
  - All other rules
    - You will get **severe penalty or no/less point** if you violate the given rules.

# Compiler and input/output rules for homework

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- Every implementation homework will be evaluated by TA's automatic evaluation program with the following compiler.
  - Compiler: GCC 7.X, 8.X, 9.X or 10.X
    - <https://gcc.gnu.org/>
  - You will get no/less point if your program cannot be compiled with GCC 7.X, 8.X, 9.X or 10.X.
    - For example, do not rely on visual studio.
  - You can use standard library such as *stdlib.h* and *math.h*.
- Input/output format
  - You will get no/less point if TA's automatic evaluation program cannot parse your input or output according to the following rules.
  - Use `stdin` and `stdout`

# Problem

## ■ Problem: Pseudo-Palindrome Checker

- A palindrome is a sequence of characters that reads the same backward as forward.
- Write a program that prints (i) a sequence of characters that reads backward, and (ii) the number of characters which do not match between backward and forward.
  - We use the upper-case alphabets from 'A' to 'Z' only.
  - However, we use one more special character '\*'. If the character is '\*', it is regarded as matched with any character. When there is at least one '\*', the output number should be the minimum number.
- The number of input characters is not more than one hundred.
- You should use
  - Queue (including Deque),
  - Stack, or
  - Queue (including Deque) and stack.

# Input/Output

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- Input (no space)

ABCD A

- Output (no space)

ADCBA

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# Input/Output

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- Input (no space)

ABC\*A

- Output (no space)

A\*CBA  
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# Template

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- There is no template.



# Evaluation

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## ■ Evaluation

- TA will test several cases.
- For each test case,
  - If your C code results in an answer within 10 seconds on a platform with average computing power,
    - If your output is perfect for both (i) a sequence of characters that reads backward and (ii) the number of characters which do not match between backward and forward,
      - You get 100%.
    - Else,
      - You get 0%.
  - Else,
    - You get 0%.