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FOREST OF FUNCTION EXPRESSIONS

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The map() method will always take in a function as a parameter, and return a new array with the results.



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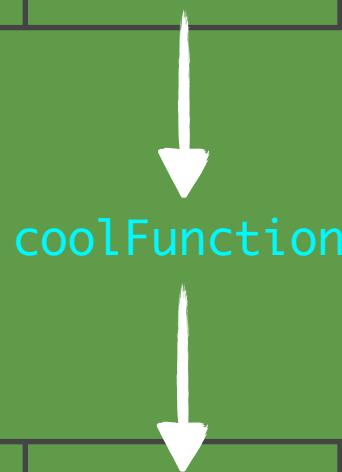
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The array's map conveniently takes this entire loop format and consolidates it to one nice line of code.



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var numbers = [12, 4, 3, 9, 8, 6, 10, 1];
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var results = numbers.map( function (arrayCell) {  
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We build an anonymous function for map's parameter, which takes in the contents of each cell of numbers and returns a doubled value to results.

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Don't forget to close both your anonymous function with a } and the map method with a), while also adding a semicolon in order to execute the map.

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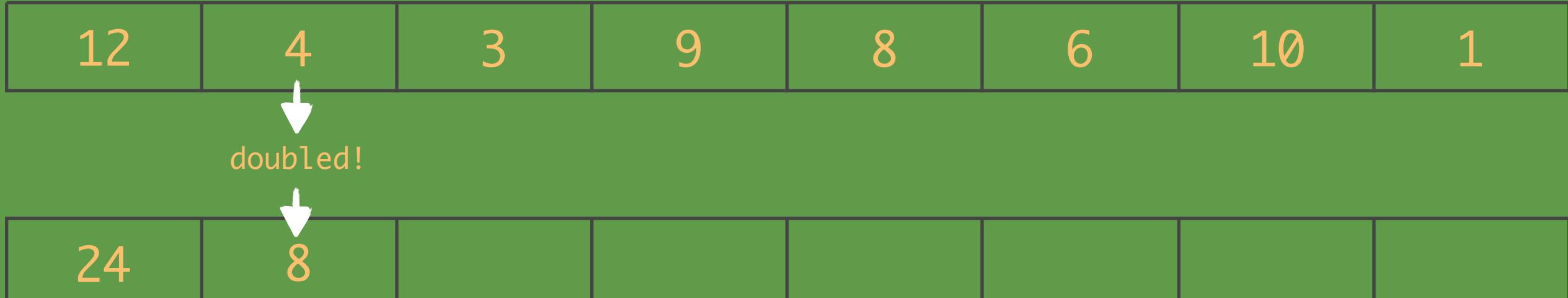
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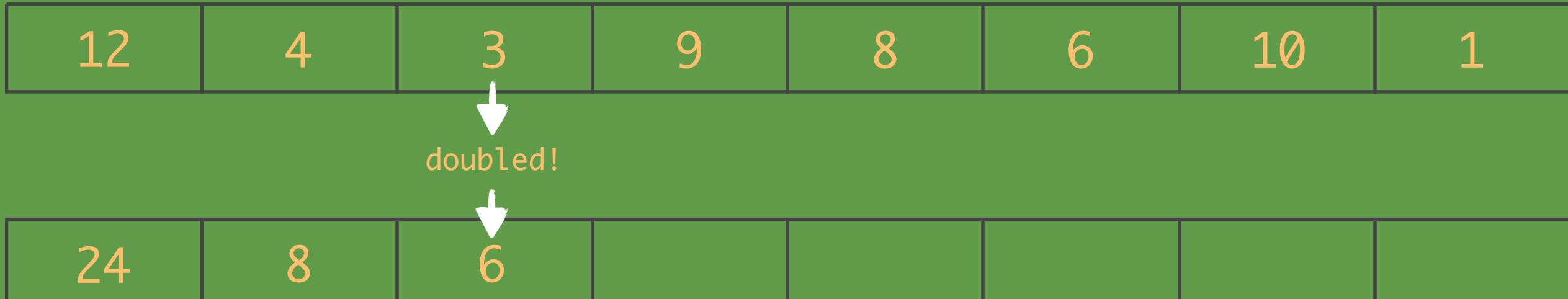


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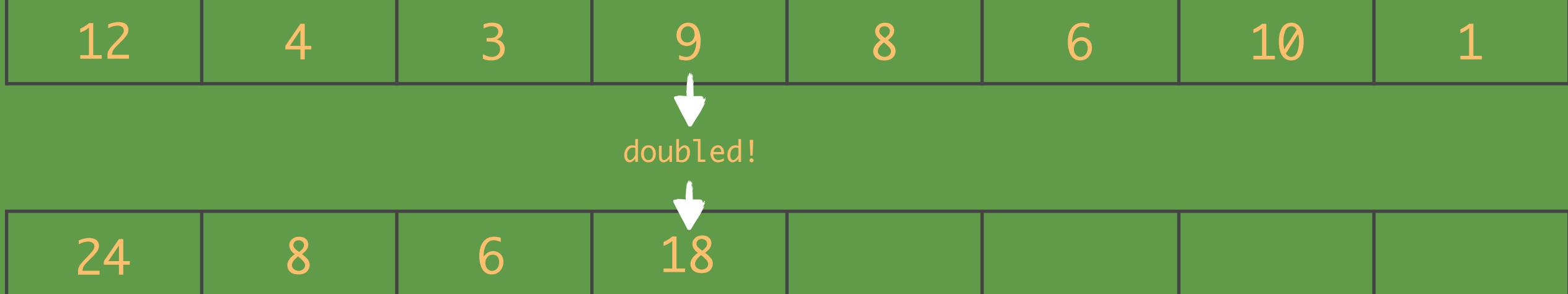


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