

# Is Equal?

(check if 2 strings are equal)

- length of both strings should be equal
- each character at a particular index should be same

str1 = "abcd" → 4

str2 = "bacd" → 4

str1 = "Kunal"  
str2 = "Kunaa"

false

pseudo  
code

str1, str2

1) check if both strings are of same len.

1.1) loop

1.1.1) str1.charAt(i) != str2.charAt(i)  
return false;

1.2) return true

2) return false

Code

$T.C = O(\text{str1.length}())$

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
    Scanner scn = new Scanner(System.in);
    String str1 = scn.nextLine();
    String str2 = scn.nextLine();
    boolean ans = isEqual(str1, str2);
    System.out.println(ans);
}

public static boolean isEqual(String str1, String str2) {
    if ( str1.length() == str2.length() ) {
        for (int i = 0; i < str1.length(); i++) {
            if ( str1.charAt(i) != str2.charAt(i) ) {
                return false;
            }
        }
        return true;
    } else {
        return false;
    }
}
```

## Code

```
public static void main(String[] args) {  
    Scanner scn = new Scanner(System.in);  
    String str1 = scn.nextLine();  
    String str2 = scn.nextLine();  
    boolean ans = str1.equals(str2);  
    System.out.println(ans);  
}
```

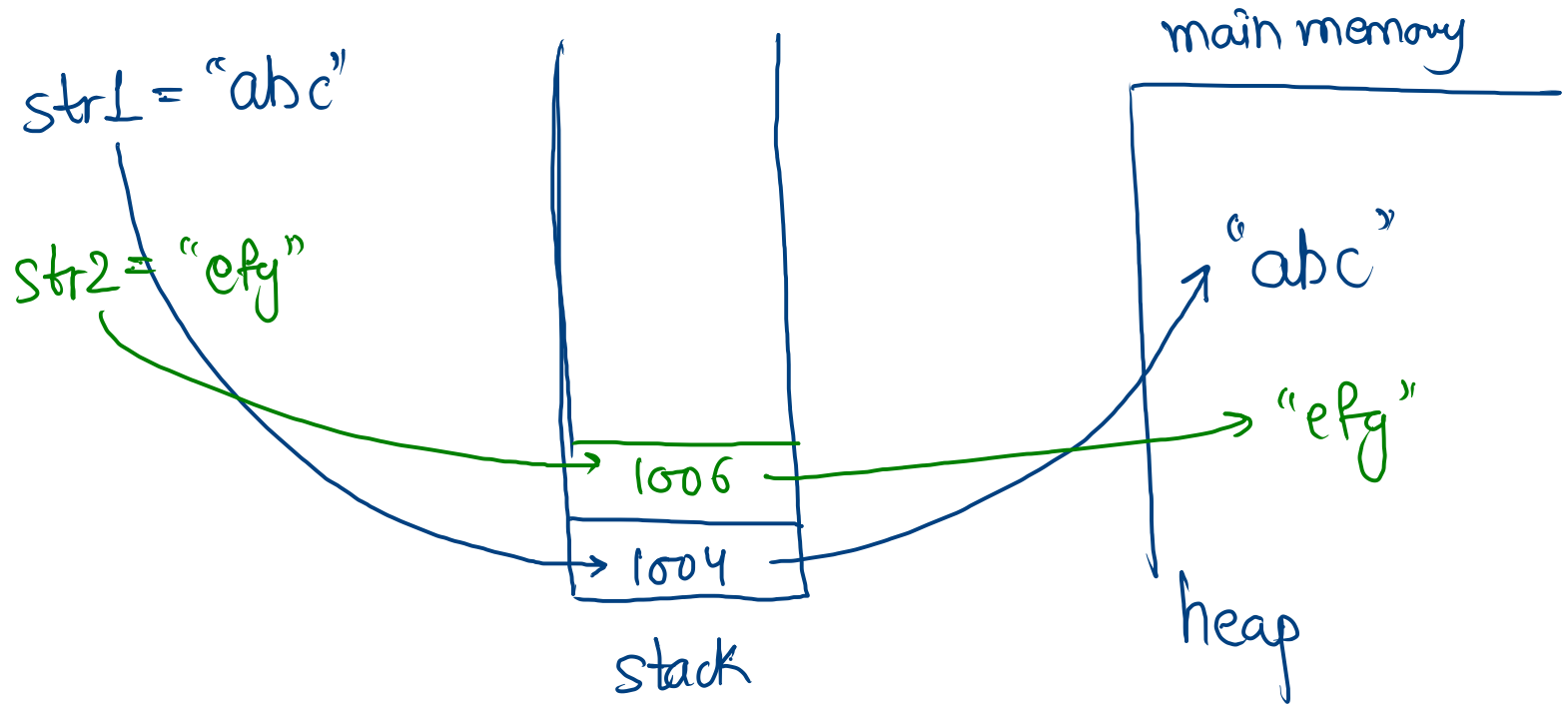
→ return type  
is boolean

Note:- while comparing strings only use  
.equals method instead of ==

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optional

## 2 layer architecture



# Print Indices of Vowels

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str = "Kunalswri"  
0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

Output :- 1 3 6 8

Code

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
    Scanner scn = new Scanner(System.in);
    String str = scn.nextLine();
    printIndexes(str);
}

public static void printIndexes(String str) {
    for (int i = 0; i < str.length(); i++) {
        char ch = str.charAt(i);
        if (isVowel(ch) == true) {
            System.out.print(i + " ");
        }
    }
}

public static boolean isVowel(char ch) {
    return ch == 'a' || ch == 'e' || ch == 'i' || ch == 'o' || ch == 'u' || ch == 'A' || ch == 'E' ||
    ch == 'I' || ch == 'O' || ch == 'U';
}
```

# Count Words

str = "This \_ \_ is \_ a \_ \_ sentence" ;

ans = 4

count = 0/2/3

(count + 1) ✓

→ at what condition we can consider 1 word counted

Cond<sup>n</sup>

if char at  $i == \text{space}$  && char at  $(i-1)$  is not space

code

$T.C = O(\text{str.length}())$

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
    Scanner scn = new Scanner(System.in);
    String str = scn.nextLine();
    int ans = countWords(str);
    System.out.println(ans);
}

public static int countWords(String str) {
    int count = 0;
    for (int i = 1; i < str.length(); i++) {
        if ( str.charAt(i) == ' ' && str.charAt(i - 1) != ' ' ) {
            count++;
        }
    }
    return count + 1;
}
```



# Number is Pallindrome or not

(2 pointer)

str = "n i t i n"  
          ↑          ↑  
         si         ei

pseudo  
code

- 1) create pointers  $si = 0$ ,  $ei = \text{len} - 1$
- 2) loop until  $si \leq ei$ 
  - 2.1) if char at  $si \neq$  char at  $ei$   
return false
  - $si++$ ,  $ei--$ ;
- 3) return true

code

T.C =  $O(\text{str.length}())$

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
    Scanner scn = new Scanner(System.in);
    String str = scn.nextLine();
    boolean ans = isPalindrome(str);
    if ( ans ) {
        System.out.println("The number is palindrome");
    } else {
        System.out.println("The number is not a palindrome");
    }
}

public static boolean isPalindrome(String str) {
    int si = 0;
    int ei = str.length() - 1;
    while ( si <= ei ) {
        if ( str.charAt(si) != str.charAt(ei) ) {
            return false;
        }
        si++;
        ei--;
    }
    return true;
}
```

# Locate the Target String (gmp)

str = "geekstarsta"

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

target = "sta"

0 1 2

ans = 4

brute force

- ↳ generate all substrings
- ↳ check if any of it is equal to target

$$\underline{T.C = O(2^n)}$$

problem

str = "geekstaxsta"  
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10  
0  
↑  
i

(2 pointer)

target = "sta"  
0 1 2  
↑  
j