

# COSC 120 – Lab #5

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Purpose: Practice with Strings and StringBuilder

Tasks:

- 1.) Open BlueJ and start a new Project called Lab5. Make sure that if you are working on the lab computers that you are creating this project on your Desktop.
- 2.) Create a new class called Lab5. In this class, you will create one method: `isPalindrome(String s)`. This method will return true or false based on if `s` is a palindrome, or a word that reads the same forwards or backwards, regardless of case. The signature for `isPalindrome`:

```
public boolean isPalindrome(String s){  
  
}
```

Once computed, you should print out the result as a simple Yes or No. Keep in mind that you'll want a main method for this. As a reminder, main methods are formatted with the following signature:

```
public static void main(String[] args){  
  
}
```

Your main methods should prompt the user to enter a String and then send that string to `isPalindrome`. Based on the return from `isPalindrome`, it should print the result.

- 3.) After the methods are complete, run the main method for Lab5.
- 4.) Show your output and code to your TA.

Things needed: `StringBuilder`, `String`, main method, `Scanner`.