

Problem 1: Find the last element of a list.

Example: (my-last '(a b c d))
(D)

Solution 1:

```
(define (my_last lista)
  (if (null? lista)
      ()
      (if (null? (cdr lista))
          lista
          (my_last (cdr lista))
      )
  )
)
```

Problem 2: Find the last two elements of a list.

Example: (my-but-last '(a b c d))
(C D)

Solution 2:

```
(define (penultimo lista)
  (let ((reverso (reverse lista)))
    (cond
      ((null? reverso) ())
      ((<= (length reverso) 2) lista)
      (#t (list (cadr reverso) (car reverso)))
    )
  )
)
```

Problem 3: Find the K'th element of a list.

The first element in the list is number 1.
Example: (element-at '(a b c d e) 3)
C

Solution 3:

```
(define (element-at lista n)
  (if (= n 1)
      (car lista)
      (element-at (cdr lista) (- n 1))
  )
)
```

Problem 4: Find the number of elements of a list.

Solution 4:

```
(define (no_of_elements lista)
  (if (null? lista)
      0
      (+ 1 (no_of_elements (cdr lista))))
)
```

Problem 5: Reverse a list.

Solution 5:

```
(define (invert lista)
  (invert-aux lista () )
)
(define (invert-aux lista resto)
  (if (null? lista)
      resto
      (invert-aux (cdr lista) (cons (car lista) resto) )
  )
)
```

Problem 6: Find out whether a list is a palindrome.

A palindrome can be read forward or backward; e.g. (x a m a x).

Solution 6:

```
(defun palin (lista)
  (equal lista (reverse lista))
)
```

Problem 7: Flatten a nested list structure.

Transform a list, possibly holding lists as elements into a `flat' list by replacing each list with its elements (recursively).

Example: (my-flatten '(a (b (c d) e)))
(A B C D E)

Hint: Use the predefined functions list and append.

Solution 7:

```
(define (flatten orig-list)
  (if (null? orig-list)
      ()
      (let ((elem (car orig-list)) (resto-list (cdr orig-list)))
        (if (list? elem)
            (append (flatten elem) (flatten resto-list))
            (append (cons elem ()) (flatten resto-list))))))
```

Source:

http://www.ic.unicamp.br/~meidanis/courses/mc336/2006s2/funcional/L-99_Ninety-Nine_Lisp_Problems.html