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ADDENDUM TO HIERARCHIES OF PALINDROMIC SEQUENCES IN THE SYMMETRIC GROUP S_n

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1. Introduction, Notations and Definitions

A palindrome is a word, phrase or a number or sequence of words that reads the same forwards or backwards. A few examples of palindromic words are:

BOB, EVE, ANNA, HANNAH, MADAM, MALAYALAM, · · ·

"The longest palindromic word in the Oxford English Dictionary is:

tattarrattat \Leftrightarrow tat tar rat tat

coined by James Joyce in Ulysses (1922) for a knock on the door. The Guinness Book of Records gives¹ the title to 'detartrated'..., meaning 'to remove tartrates', in Chemical Engineering."

¹From the ubiquitous Wikepedia.