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(Task 1 of 6) In this tutorial, we will learn about **mutable values**, illustrated with **vectors**.

The following program illustrates how to create vectors

```

Lispy [Run] Python
(mvec (mvec 1 2) (mvec 3) (mvec)) print([ [ 1, 2 ], [ 3 ], [ ] ])

```

This program produces `#(1 2) #(3) #()`. It creates four vectors:

- a two-**element** vector that refers `1` and `2`
- a one-element vector that refers `3`
- an empty vector
- a three-element vector that refers all three aforementioned vectors

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(Task 2 of 6) What is the result of running this program?

```

Lispy [Run] Python
(defvar n 44)    n = 44
(deffun (f x)    def f(x):
  (+ x 1))      return x + 1
(mvec n (f n))  print([ n, f(n) ])

```

`#(44 45)`

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You predicted the output correctly 🎉🎉🎉

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This program binds `n` to `44` and `f` to a function that adds 1 to its parameter. After that, the program creates a vector that refers the value of `n`, which is `44`, and the value of `(f n)`, which is `45`. The vector is printed as `#(44 45)`.

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(Task 3 of 6) The following program illustrates how to refer to vector elements.

```

Lispy [Run] Scala 3
(defvar v (mvec 84 75)) val v = (84, 75)
(vec-ref v 0)          println(v(0))
(vec-ref v 1)          println(v(1))
(vec-ref v 2)          println(v(2))

```

This program produces `84 75 error`. It refers to the `0`-th (i.e., first) element, the `1`-th element, and then tries to refer to the `2`-th element.

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(Task 4 of 6) What is the result of running this program?

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Scala 3

```
(defvar v (mvec (mvec 58 43) (mvec 43 66))) val v = ((58, 43), (43, 66))
(defvar vr (vec-ref v 1)) val vr = v(1)
(vec-ref vr 0) println(vr(0))
```

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Recall that the left-most element is the 0-th (rather than 1-th!) element. `(vec-ref v 1)` produces the value of `(mvec 43 66)`. So, `(vec-ref vr 0)` produces 43.

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(Task 5 of 6) The following program illustrates how to mutate vectors.

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Pseudo

```
(defvar m (mvec 62 77)) let m = vec[62, 77]
(vec-set! m 0 83) m[0] = 83
(vec-ref m 0) print(m[0])
```

This program produces 83. It **mutates** the vector by **replacing** the 0-th element with 83 and then refers to the 0-th element.

(Task 6 of 6) What is the result of running this program?

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JavaScript

```
(defvar x (mvec 92 73)) let x = [ 92, 73 ];
(vec-set! x 0 67) x[0] = 67;
x console.log(x);
```

67 73

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The answer is `#(67 73)`.

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▼ Textual explanation

`x` is bound to a vector. A vector referring 67 and 73 is printed as `#(67 73)`.

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Python

```
(defvar v (mvec 92 73)) v = [ 92, 73 ]
```

```
(defvar v (ivec 03 04)) v = [ 03, 04 ]  
(vec-set! v 0 66) v[0] = 66  
v print(v)
```

```
#{66 64}
```

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