

21 February 2012 (21-02-2012)—11th Palindrome Day of the 21st Century

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Tuesday, 21st February 2012 marks the 11th palindrome calendar day of this (21st) century because its full date number expressed in the day-month-year date format is 21-02-2012, or simply, 21022012, a palindrome number. The following table lists the first 30 palindrome dates of this century:

Palindrome Dates in the 21st Century	Their Full Date Numbers
1. 10 February 2001	10-02-2001
2. October 2, 2001	10-02-2001
3. 20 February 2002	20-02-2002
4. January 2, 2010	01-02-2010
5. 1 February 2010	01-02-2010
6. January 10, 2011	1-10-2011
7. 11 February 2011	11-02-2011
8. 1 October 2011	1-10-2011
9. November 2, 2011	11-02-2011
10. February 10, 2012	2-10-2012
11. 21 February 2012	21-02-2012
12. 2 October 2012	2-10-2012
13. March 10, 2013	3-10-2013
14. 3 October 2013	3-10-2013
15. April 10, 2014	4-10-2014
16. 4 October 2014	4-10-2014
17. May 10, 2015	5-10-2015
18. 5 October 2015	5-10-2015
19. June 10, 2016	6-10-2016
20. 6 October 2016	6-10-2016
21. July 10, 2017	7-10-2017
22. 7 October 2017	7-10-2017
23. August 10, 2018	8-10-2018
24. 8 October 2018	8-10-2018
25. September 10, 2019	9-10-2019
26. 9 October 2019	9-10-2019
27. February 2, 2020*	02-02-2020
28. January 20, 2021	1-20-2021
29. 12 February 2021	12-02-2021
30. December 2, 2021	12-02-2021

*The only palindrome day in the 21st century that falls on the same day in both date formats.

Note that this century contains a total of 75 palindrome dates, 38 in the day-month-year date format and 38 in the month-day-year date format [1]. Only one of these palindrome days falls on the same calendar day in both date formats (day-month-year and month-day-year formats) and that is February 2nd, 2020 expressed as 02-02-2020 (or simply, 02022020).

Interestingly enough, the two palindrome days of 2012 given by 21-02-2012 (or simply 21022012) and 2-10-2012 (or simply 2102012) have a very unique connection between them:

$$21022012 \times 1111 = 2102012 \times 11111$$

Happy 21022012 (21st February 2012) palindrome day!

[1] A. S. Inan, "Palindrome Dates in 2011," *The Beacon*, Vol. 112, Issue No. 8, pp. 12 & 13, University of Portland, Portland, Oregon, October 28, 2010.

Palindrome Days in 2012

