

Discrete Mathematics

Programming Assignment 2  
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# Assignment Overview

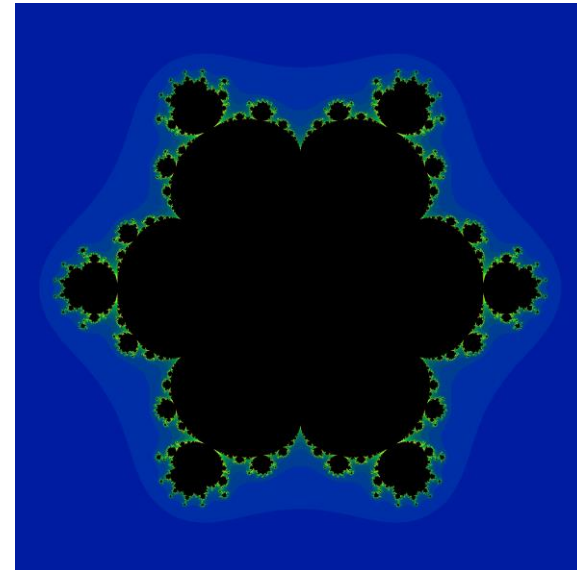
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- Write a program for each of the following five tasks
  - Tasks 1-3. Fractals
  - Task 4. Triangulation
  - Task 5. CNF converter
- Submission
  - deadline: 15 Nov (Fri), 11:59 PM
  - deliverables
    - five programs (one for each task)
    - one write up for the five tasks
- Team: work with your team members to make one submission

# Fractal

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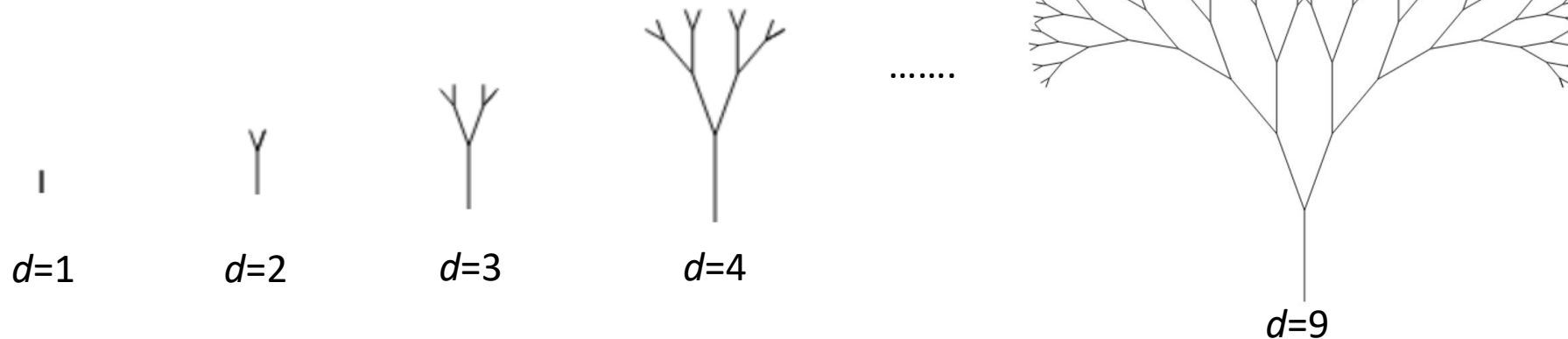
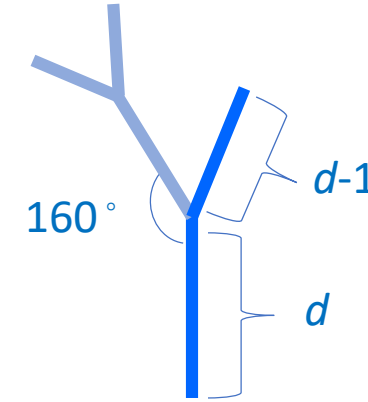
- A *fractal* is a geometric object whose structure is identical to the structures of its components.
  - a structural pattern is repeated recursively
- Many structures in nature are formed as fractals.



# Tree Fractal (1/2)

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- A tree of depth  $d$  has one stem and two branches.
  - The length of the stem is  $d$
  - The angles between the stem and the two branches are  $-160^\circ$  and  $+160^\circ$ , respectively.
- Each branch is in a form of a tree of depth  $d - 1$ .



# Tree Fractal (2/2)

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- Sample code

[https://rosettacode.org/wiki/Fractal\\_tree#JavaScript](https://rosettacode.org/wiki/Fractal_tree#JavaScript)

```
1 <html> <body>
2   <canvas id="canvas" width="600" height="500"></canvas>
3
4   <script type="text/javascript">
5     var elem = document.getElementById('canvas');
6     var context = elem.getContext('2d');
7     context.fillStyle = '#000';
8     context.lineWidth = 1;
9     var deg_to_rad = Math.PI / 180.0;
10    var depth = 9;
11
12    function drawLine(x1, y1, x2, y2, brightness){
13      context.moveTo(x1, y1);
14      context.lineTo(x2, y2);
15    }
16
17    function drawTree(x1, y1, angle, depth){
18      if (depth !== 0){
19        var x2 = x1 + (Math.cos(angle * deg_to_rad) * depth * 10.0);
20        var y2 = y1 + (Math.sin(angle * deg_to_rad) * depth * 10.0);
21        drawLine(x1, y1, x2, y2, depth);
22        drawTree(x2, y2, angle - 20, depth - 1);
23        drawTree(x2, y2, angle + 20, depth - 1);
24      }
25    }
26
27    context.beginPath();
28    drawTree(300, 500, -90, depth);
29    context.closePath();
30    context.stroke();
31  </script>
32 </body> </html>
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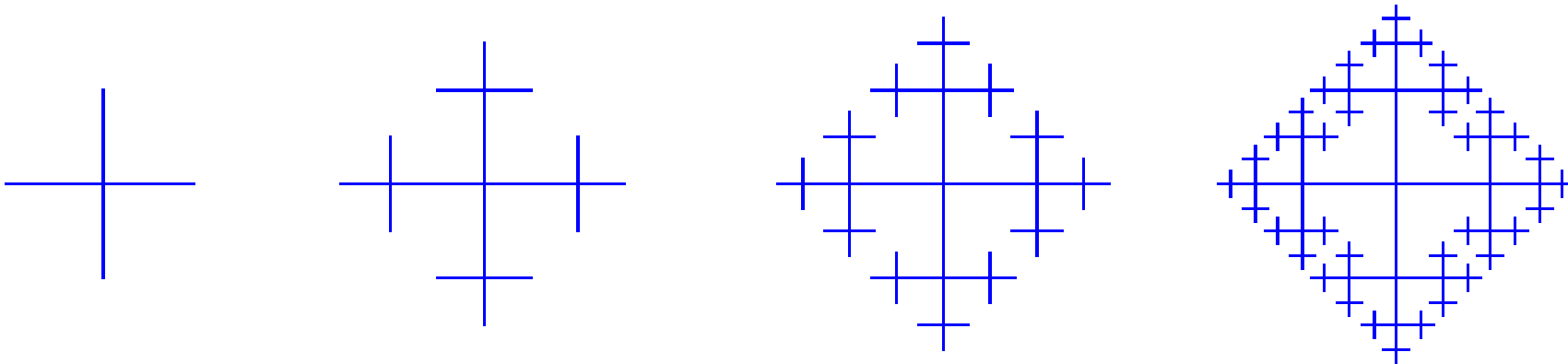
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# I. Fractal I

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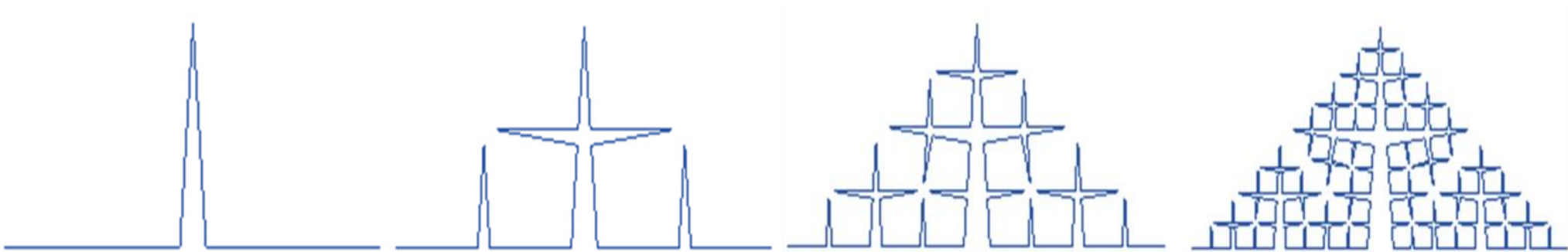
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## 2. Fractal 2

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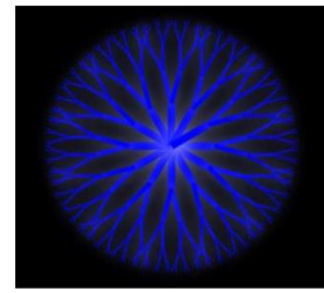
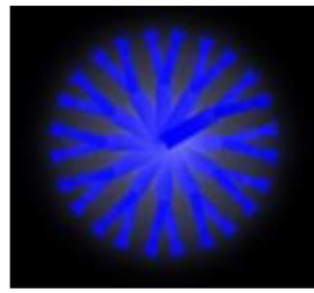
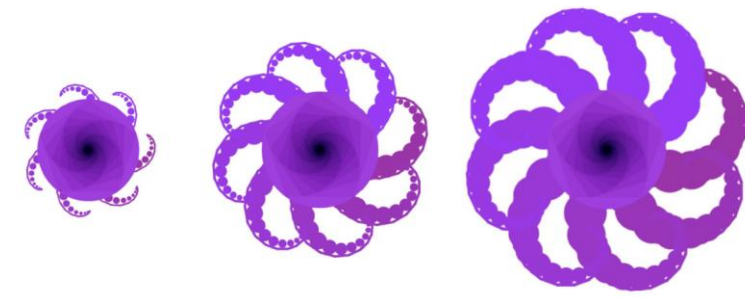


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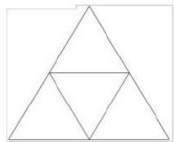
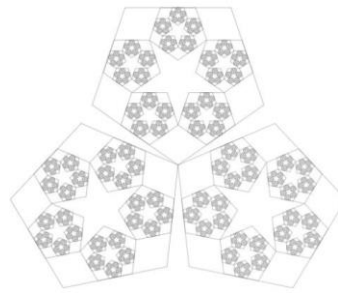
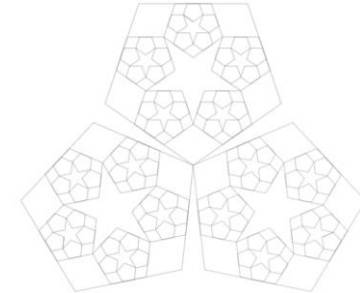
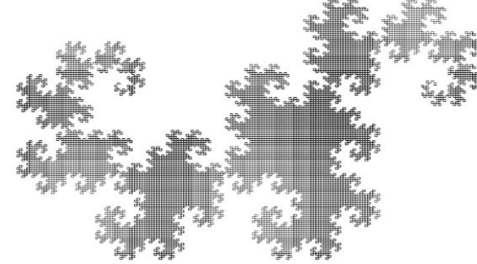
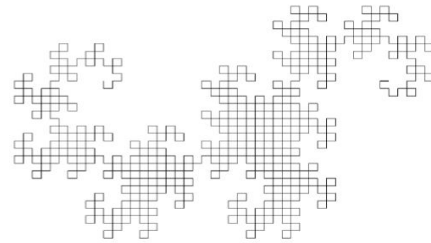
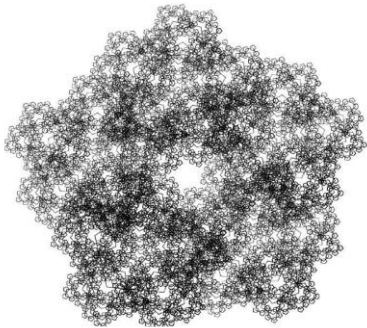
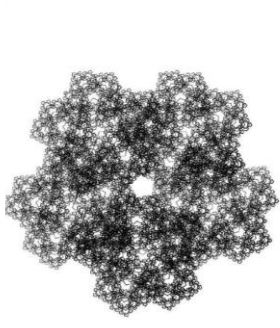
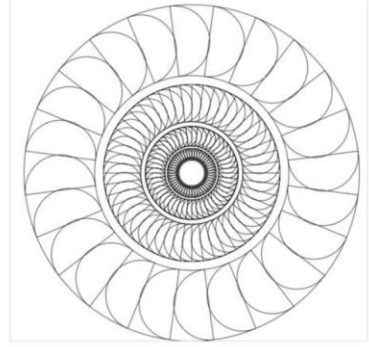
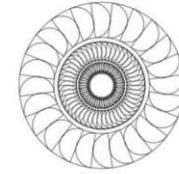
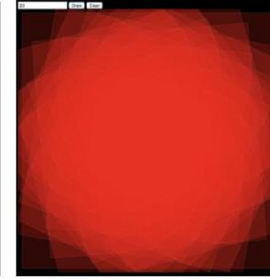
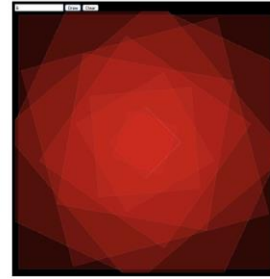
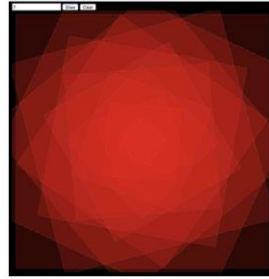
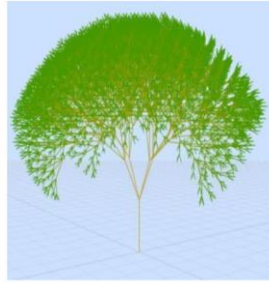
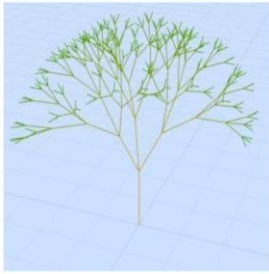
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- Suggest an interesting, creative, unique fractal by yourself and write a program to draw the fractal in JavaScript
  - the class will vote for submitted fractals
  - the number of votes for your fractal will be partly counted in evaluation
  - c.f. Fractal gallery of the 2018 class  
<https://github.com/hongshin/DiscreteMath/blob/master/assignments/fractal2018.pdf>

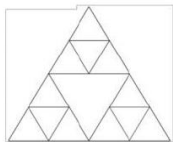




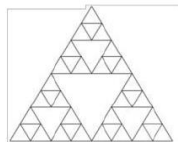
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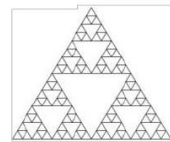
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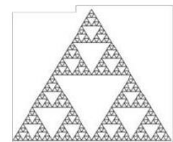
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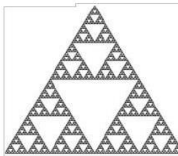
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n = 4



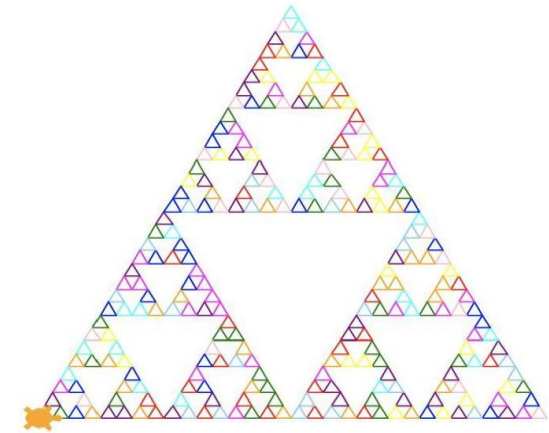
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n = 6

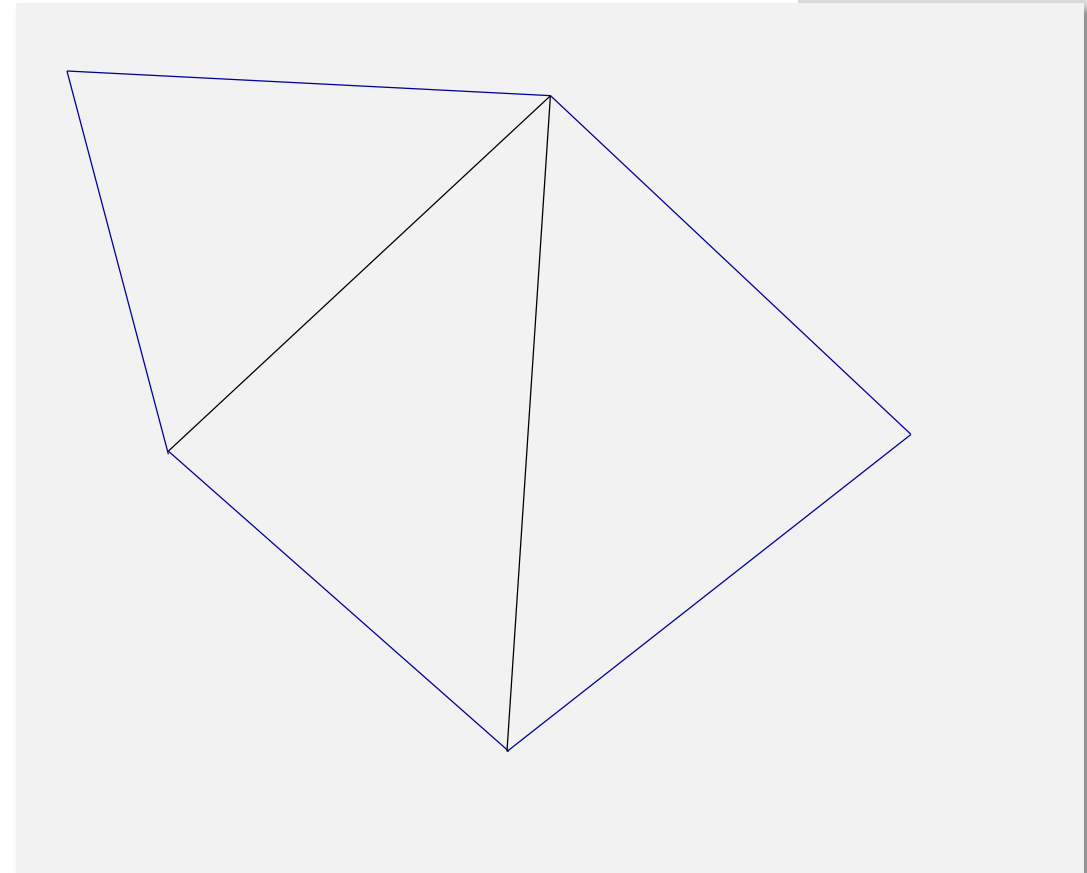


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# 4. Triangulation

- Write a recursive program in JavaScript that receives a simple polygon and draws a triangulation result
  - a simple polygon is given as the list of points in a 100x100 coordinate plane
  - each point is denoted as a pair of integers  $(x, y)$  for  $1 \leq x \leq 100$  and  $1 \leq y \leq 100$
  - two adjacent points make a side, and the first and the last points make a side
  - e.g.,  
“(1,1) (40,10) (80,40) (40,80), (5,40)”
  - draw nothing if the given list does not represent a simple polygon



# 5. CNF Converter (1/3)

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- Write a C program that receives a propositional formula and transforms it into a Conjunctive Normal Form (CNF)
  - the program uses recursion for the transformation
- Conjunctive Normal Form (CNF)
  - Two-level propositional formulas in a form of
$$(a_{11} \vee a_{12} \vee \dots \vee a_{1n_1}) \wedge (a_{21} \vee a_{22} \vee \dots \vee a_{2n_2}) \wedge \dots (a_{m1} \vee a_{m2} \vee \dots \vee a_{mn_m})$$
where  $a_{ij}$  is  $p$  or  $\neg p$  for a atomic propositional variable  $p$
  - every propositional formula has an equivalent CNF form
    - e.g.  $p \vee \neg(\neg(q \vee r) \vee s) \leftrightarrow (p \vee \neg s) \wedge (p \vee q \vee r)$

# 5. CNF Converter (2/3)

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- A propositional formula  $\phi \in P$  is specified by the following rules:
  - **a** $n \in P$  for  $n \in \mathbb{N}$
  - **(and**  $\phi_1 \phi_2 \dots \phi_m$ ) for  $\phi_i \in P$
  - **(or**  $\phi_1 \phi_2 \dots \phi_m$ ) for  $\phi_i \in P$
  - **(not**  $\phi$ ) for  $\phi \in P$
- A CNF is represented as a list of lines where each line represents a disjunctive clauses of atomic propositional variables and their negations
  - a positive integer  $n$  represents a propositional variable **a** $n$
  - a negative integer  $-n$  represents a negation of a propositional variable  $\neg$ **a** $n$
- Example
  - Input: (or a1 (not (or (not (or a2 a3)) a4)))
  - Output
    - 1 -4
    - 1 2 3
- Your program must print out an error message if the given input does not follow the syntax

## 5. CNF Converter (3/3)

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1. Define a tree-like data structure to represent a propositional formula
2. Write a recursive algorithm to translate a given text to a formula structure
3. Write a recursive algorithm that converts a given formula to a Negation Normal Form (NNF)
  - a NNF has a negation only at a leaf node (i.e., as  $\neg an$ )
4. Write a recursive algorithm that applies the De Morgan's law to transform a NNF into a CNF

# Program Structure

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- For Tasks 1 to 4, write each program as a HTML with JavaScript
  - Receive input from TextBox objects
  - Describe how to run the program in the same HTML page
- For Task 5, write a program as a C program running on UNIX/Linux
  - Input and output must be via the standard input and output, respectively
  - You must submit build scripts and README together with source code files
    - Build script: Bash script, Makefile, Ant, Maven, etc.
    - README: instruction/manual on how to build and run your program

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# Submission

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- **Deadline: 15 Nov (Fri), 11:59 PM**
  - no late submission will be accepted
  - one submission per team
- Each team should submit the five programs and one write-up (report) on the program designs and results
  - Programs: source code files, build script and README
  - Write up: must not exceed 5 pages (single-sided A4)
- Submit all deliverables via Hisnet homework submission repository

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# Evaluation Criteria

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- Write up (60 points)
  - Description (45 points)
    - check whether you found all constraints of a solution
    - check whether each constraint is correctly represented as a logic formula
    - check whether you demonstrate the correctness of your programs in a convincing way (e.g., by tests)
    - check whether all descriptions are clear and consistent
  - Discussion (15 points)
    - detailed analysis of results, interesting observations, lessons learned, suggestions, new ideas, etc.
- Tests (40 points)
  - Run each program with several inputs to see whether the results are correct



# Notes

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- Right after the deadline, an individual homework HW 2 that extends PA 2 will be given
  - You will have 5 days for HW 2
- Right after the deadline, peer evaluation of your team members will follow
- Your submissions may be open to the class and public
- Help desk by TAs will be offered
  - the schedule is TBA

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