

(UNIT- VI)

① Explain the following equality predicates using suitable examples.

(i) Equal:

It is true if its arguments are structurally similar (isomorphic) objects. Two objects are equal if they are equal strings of equal characters, ~~list~~ or list of equal objects.

For example:

> (equal (list 1 2 3) (list 1 2 3))

=> T

> (equal "sid" "sid")

=> T

> (equal "S2D" "sid")

=> NIL

(ii) EQ:

The $\text{eq}(x, y)$ is true if and only if x and y are the same identical object. That means x and y are usually eq if and only if they address the same identical memory location.

For example:

> $\text{eq}('a 'b)$

=> NIL

> $\text{eq}('a 'a)$

=> T

(iii) EQL :

It is true if its arguments are eq,
or if they are numbers of same types with
same value or if they are character
objects that represent the same character
(the comparison is case sensitive)

for eg

> eq (10, 10)

⇒ T

> eq (10, 10.0)

⇒ NIL

(iv) = :

compares only numbers, regardless of
type

for eg -

> (= 10, 10.0)

⇒ T

② Explain the following Number predicates with
using suitable examples:

(i) NUMBERP :

It takes one argument and returns true
if the argument is number, otherwise returns
NIL.

eg:-

> (numberp 10)

⇒ T

> (numberp 1a)

⇒ NIL

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For

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(v) ODD

eg:-

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(ii) ZEROP : It takes one argument. This predicate returns true if argument is zero.
for eg.

> (zerop 0)
=> T

(iii) PLUSP :

This predicate returns true if the number is strictly greater than zero and false otherwise
for eg.

> (plusp 10)
=> T

> (plusp -10)
=> NIL

(iv) EVENP :

It takes one numeric argument. If the number is even it returns T, otherwise returns NIL.
for eg.

> (evenp 10)
=> T

> (evenp 11)
=> NIL

(v) ODDP : It takes one argument. If the number is odd then it returns T otherwise it returns NIL
eg-

> (oddp 10)
=> NIL

> (oddp 11)
=> T

③ LISP program to find factorial of n numbers using recursion concept.

(defun fact (n)

(if (= n 1)

1

(* n (fact (- n 1)))))

④ Comparison betw functional and logic programming

Functional programming Logical programming

(i) It uses functions

(ii) It uses predicates

(iii) Functions can return a value

(ii) Predicate cannot return a value. It can be true or false

(iv) The variable denotes the concrete value

(iii) Variable does not need to refer a concrete value

(v) It is normally used for modelling reasoning

(iv) It is normally used for modeling knowledge

(vi) Recursion is heavily used

(v) Recursion is frequently used

(vii) High performance

(vi) slow performance

(viii) e.g. ML, HASKELL, LISP

(vii) e.g. Prolog and Datalog.

⑤ Write sequence of CAR's and CDR's that will pick the atom pear out of the following s-expression?

i) (apple orange pear grapes)

⇒ ~~(#)~~ (

(car (cdr (cdr' (apple orange pear grapes)))))

ii) ((apple orange) (pear grapes))

⇒

(car (car (cdr (cdr' ((apple orange) (pear grapes)))))))

iii) (((apple) (orange) (pear) (grapes)))

⇒

(car (car (car (cdr (cdr (cdr' (apple) (orange) ((pear)) ((grapes))))))))

⑥ Evaluate the following forms of LISP.

i) (car (cdr' (1 2 3 4 5)))

⇒ 2

ii) (car (cdr' (a b c) d e))

⇒ (b c)

iii) (car (cdr (cdr' (1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8))))

⇒ 3

⑥ Explain the following function with suitable example.

(i) CAR():

The function in lisp retrieves the first element of a list. If the list is empty it returns 'NIL'.

eg-

> (CAR '(1 2 3 4 5))

=> 1

(ii) CDR():

The 'CDR()' function in lisp retrieves all but the first element of a list. #when means discarding first element rest list is printed. If the list is empty or contain only one element ,it returns 'NIL'.

for eg-

> (CDR '(1 2 3))

=> 2 3

(iii) FIRST():

The 'FIRST()' Function in Lisp is synonymous with 'car()'. It retrieves the first element of a list.

for eg:

> (FIRST '(1 2 3 4 5))

=> 1

⑦ Explain features of LISP programming



(i) LISP Syntax : S-expression.

- It is based on S-expressions, which are nested lists of atoms and other S-expressions.
- Its simple syntax facilitates easy parsing and manipulation of code as data.

(ii) Interactive Development Environment :

- LISP environments typically provide an interactive development environment (REPL - Read-Eval-Print Loop) that allows developers to evaluate expressions, define functions and interactively experiment with code.

(iii) Dynamic Typing :

LISP is dynamically typed, meaning that variable types are determined at runtime rather than compile time. This flexibility simplifies coding and allows for rapid prototyping and reducing the risk of memory leaks.

(iv) Recursion :

It is a fundamental technique in LISP programming. LISP encourages recursive solutions to problems, and its simple syntax facilitates ~~for~~ the implementation of recursive algorithms.

(v) Portability :

LISP programs are often highly portable across different platforms and implementations. Standardization efforts, such as common LISP standard, help ensure compatibility and interoperability between different LISP dialects.

(vi) Garbage Collection :

LISP typically features automatic garbage collection which manages memory allocation and deallocation, freeing programmers from manual memory management tasks and reducing the risk of memory leaks.

(vii) Functional programming :

LISP supports functional programming paradigms including first-class functions, higher-order functions and lexical closures. Functions can be assigned to variables, passed as arguments and return as values.

⑧ Explain basic list manipulation in prolog.

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(i) cons

It takes two arguments, an element & a list and returns a list with the element inserted at the first place.

eg-

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> (write (cons 'a '(b c)))  
=> (a b c)
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(ii) list

It takes any no. of arguments and returns a list with the arguments as member elements of the list.

eg-

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> (write (list 'a '(b c) '(ef)))  
=> (a (b c) (ef))
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(iii) append

It merges two or more list into one

eg-

> (write (append '(b c) '(e f) '(p q) '(g)))
=> (b c e f p q g)

(iv) last

It takes a list and returns a list containing the last element

eg

> (write (last '(a b c d (e f))))
=> (ef)

* Describe logical programming , Enlist its features
Also list commonly used logical programming languages ?



- * logical programming language
 - logical programming language are type of programming language where you express the logic of computation without describing its control flow.
 - these languages are based on formal logic
 - It is based on fact's and Rule's.
 - It is declarative programming language.
 - focus is on logic.
 - logical programming language is suitable for complex relationships and rule based logic.
 - It is used in AI, natural language processing and knowledge representation.

* features of logical programming language :-

1. Declarative Nature

- It states what the problem rather than how to solve it.

2. Based on formal logic

- It uses formal logic than Normal logic

3. Rule's Based Syntax

- programs consist of series of rules and facts.

4. Automatic Backtracking :-

- If one path fails, it automatically tries alternative path's.

5. Query - Based Execution :-

- programs are executed by posing queries to the system.

6. Use Most Possibilities :-

- It tries multiple path until find the solution.

* Logical programming language :-

1. Prolog

- Programming in logic
- Use in Artificial intelligence.

2. Datalog

- subset of prolog focus on database queries.

3. Mercury

- use in real-word application.

4. Answer Set Programming (ASP)

- from difficult combination find solution.

5. GHC

- Guarded Horn Clauses

* Describe functional programming language & features and commonly used functional programming language ?

* Functional programming language :-

- Functional programming languages are a category of programming languages designed to handle symbolic computation and list processing.
- It focus on mathematical functions.
- Functional programming use functions to build the software.
- Functions are the main building block. we can pass them any other data as arguments.
- Data of functional programming is immutable or not-changable.

* Features :-

1. First-class and Higher-order functions:

- Functions are first-class citizens meaning they can be assigned to variable or variable passed as argument.
- Function can take other function as argument.

2. Pure function :-

- pure function that always produce same output on same input

3. Immutability :-

- code once created cannot be changed.

4. function combining :-

- Building complex function by combining one can be increase code reusability.

5. Recursion :-

- recursion's are used instead of loop's.

6. Reusability :-

- one function can pass as a argument to other function.

* commonly used functional programming lang :-

1. Haskell :

- It is statically type.

2. Lisp :

- It support both procedure and functional

3. Erlang :

- use in distributed system.

4. F# :

- It is .NET language.

5. Scala :

- Integrated functional and object oriented.

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→ i] Term :

- In Prolog a term is basic building block of data. It can be constant, a variable or a compound term.
- Constant are atomic data structures like numbers or atoms (e.g. → '42', 'hello');
- Variable are placeholders for values that are not yet known or are to be determined (e.g. : 'x' , 'y');
- Compound terms are structures formed by combining other terms using functions and parentheses. (e.g. : 'parent(john,mary)' , 'add(3,4)')

ii] Fact :

- Fact in Prolog are statements that tell's assert relationships between entities.
- Facts are like simple truth that we can assume to be correct.
- In facts we just simply describe relationship between things.
- Example :
- "RAM like pizza"
- This pieces of information that we assume to be true in our program.

3. Rules :

- Rules in Prolog are logical statements that defines relationships or conditions based on which queries can be resolved.
- They consist of a head and a body separated by the ':-' (if) symbol.
- Head specifies what the rule is defining while the body specifies the condition that must be true for the rule to be satisfied.

4. Goals :

- Goals in Prolog represents the queries or goals that the programmer want the Prolog interpreter to solve.
- Goals are predicates or queries that the Prolog system attempt to satisfy by finding values for the variable that make the predicate true.
- The Prolog interpreter searches for solutions by matching the goal with available facts and rules in knowledge base.

25. Structure.

- In Prolog, structures are used to group related pieces of data together under a single name.
- They are similar to objects in other programming language.

* Example.

- suppose we want to represent information about person, including their name, age, and gender we can define a structure called 'person' to group this info

person (john, 25, male)

person (mike, 22, male)

- In this structure.
- Each person is represented by fact with the structure 'person (Name, Age, Gender)'
- john, and mike are names of the people.
- 25, 22 are age of the people
- male, male are gender of person.
- To find the age of a person named 'john'
 - person '(john, Age, -);