

## ***Week 9: Functions that call themselves***

Please make sure to submit your solutions **by next Monday**.

In the beginning of each question, it is described what kind of answer that you are expected to submit. If *Text and code answer* is stated, then you need to submit BOTH some argumentation/description and some code; if just (*Text answer*) or (*Code answer*) then just some argumentation/description OR code. The final answer to the answers requiring text should be **one pdf document** with one answer for each text question (or text and code question). When you hand-in, add a link to your GitHub repository in the beginning of your pdf file. Make sure that you have committed your code solutions to that repository.

*Note:* the **Challenge** exercises are *optional*, the others mandatory (i.e. you **have** to hand them in).

Link to repository: <https://github.com/Aarhus-University-ECE/assignment-9-TeunOn>

## Exercises

- (1) (Text) We talked about the run-time stack (see e.g. slides from lecture 7). In the lecture, we looked at the Fibonacci numbers and a program to calculate them (`fib.c`). Draw the stack as it evolves when calculating `fib(4)`

			<i>fib(1)</i>	
		<i>fib(2)</i>	<i>fib(2)</i>	<i>fib(2)</i>
	<i>fib(3)</i>	<i>fib(3)</i>	<i>fib(3)</i>	<i>fib(3)</i>
<i>fib(4)</i>	<i>fib(4)</i>	<i>fib(4)</i>	<i>fib(4)</i>	<i>fib(4)</i>

<i>fib(0)</i>				
<i>fib(2)</i>		<i>fib(1)</i>		<i>fib(0)</i>
<i>fib(3)</i>	<i>fib(3)</i>	<i>fib(3)</i>	<i>fib(2)</i>	<i>fib(2)</i>
<i>fib(4)</i>	<i>fib(4)</i>	<i>fib(4)</i>	<i>fib(4)</i>	<i>fib(4)</i>


- (2) (Code) Summing an array can recursively be described as follows ( $a$  is the array,  $n$  is the length of the array):

$$sum(a, n) = \begin{cases} a[n-1] + sum(a, n-1), & \text{if } n > 0 \\ 0, & \text{if } n = 0 \end{cases}$$

Implement a recursive function with the signature `int sum(int a[], int n)` that sums the integer array  $a$

- (3) (Code) In the lecture, we looked at an recursive binary search. To use binary search, the elements must be sorted. A recursive search function NOT requiring the elements to be sorted could look like ( $a$  is the array,  $n$  is the length of the array,  $x$  is the element to be found):

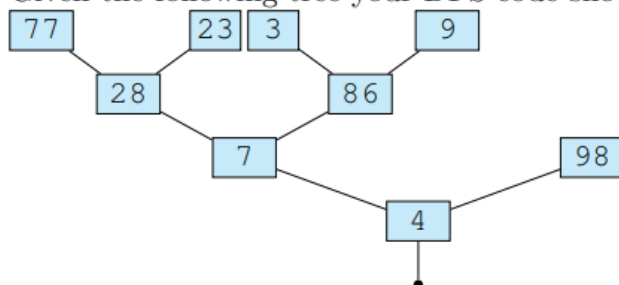
$$search(a, n, x) = \begin{cases} true, & \text{if } n > 0 \text{ and } a[n-1] == x \\ search(a, n-1, x), & \text{if } n > 0 \text{ and } a[n-1] \neq x \\ false, & \text{if } n = 0 \end{cases}$$

Implement a recursive function with the signature:

`bool search(int a[], int n, int x)` that searches the integer array  $a$  for the element  $x$ .

- (4) (Code) Implement depth-first search using a stack in a fashion similar to as presented in the lectures. Your stack should be implemented as a linked list, and your tree

as *tree nodes* that each have an integer as the data item and a left and right child. Given the following tree your DFS code should print the sequence of nodes visited.



The correct output should be: 4, 7, 28, 77, 23, 86, 3, 9, 98