

BACKTRACKING EXERCISES

For the following questions, you may write any additional functions if needed. However, the main function should be written using recursion.

1. **All Subsets:** Write a function to print all subsets of a given set of strings.

```
void PrintSubsets(char* str_arr[], int n);
```

E.g. $\text{str_arr} = \{ \text{"Tom"}, \text{"Jerry"}, \text{"Fred"} \}$

→ Print to screen: $\{ \}, \{ \text{Tom} \}, \{ \text{Jerry} \}, \{ \text{Fred} \}, \{ \text{Tom}, \text{Jerry} \}, \{ \text{Tom}, \text{Fred} \}, \{ \text{Jerry}, \text{Fred} \}, \{ \text{Tom}, \text{Jerry}, \text{Fred} \}$

2. **k-Permutation:** Write a function to print all k -permutations (without repetition of each number) of given set of integers.

```
void k_Permute(int arr[], int n, int k);
```

Notes: k -Permutations (without repetition of each number) of array A are different ordered arrangements of all k -element subsets of A .

For example: $A = \{ 4, 5, 1 \}, n = 3, k = 2$

→ Print to screen: $\{ 4 \ 5 \} \{ 4 \ 1 \} \{ 5 \ 4 \} \{ 5 \ 1 \} \{ 1 \ 4 \} \{ 1 \ 5 \}$

→ $\{ 4 \ 4 \}, \{ 5 \ 5 \}, \dots$ are not accepted since they duplicate number 4 and 5.

3. **All permutation:** Write a function to print all permutations of a given string.

```
void PrintAllPermutation(char* str);
```

For example: $S = abc$

→ Print to screen: $abc, acb, bac, bca, cab, cba$

4. **Subset sum problem.**

Given an array of non-negative integers A and a value s , write a function to print all subsets A whose sum is equal to s .

```
void PrintAllSubsetsum(int arr[], int n, int s);
```

E.g. $A = \{ 1, 3, 2, 5, 1, 3 \}, s = 5$

→ Print to screen: $\{ 1, 3, 1 \}, \{ 5 \}, \{ 3, 2 \}, \{ 2, 3 \}, \{ 1, 1, 3 \}$

5. **Partition Sum:** Write a function to make a partition of a set of n elements into k subsets with equal sum and print the result to the screen. The function returns 0 if there is no solution, 1 otherwise.

```
int Partition(int arr[], int n, int k);
```

E.g. $A = \{ 2, 1, 4, 5, 6 \}, n = 5, k = 3$

→ Print to screen: $\{ 2, 4 \}, \{ 1, 5 \}, \{ 6 \}$

$A = \{ 2, 1, 5, 5, 6 \}, n = 5, k = 3$

→ Print to screen: *No solution*

6. Combinational Sum.

Given an array of positive integers A and a value s , write a function to print all unique combinations in A where the sum is equal to s . (One element in A can be repeated unlimited times in a combination)

E.g. $A = \{2, 4, 6, 8\}, s = 8$

→ Print to screen: $\{2, 2, 2, 2\}, \{2, 2, 4\}, \{2, 6\}, \{4, 4\}, \{8\}$

$A = \{2, 4, 6, 8\}, s = 1$

→ Print to screen: *No solution*

7. Letter Case Permutation.

Given a string containing alphabetic characters, write a function to return all possible letter case permutations of the string (i.e., convert it to uppercase or lowercase).

Example:

Input: "a1b2"

Output: "a1b2", "a1B2", "A1b2", "A1B2"

8. Sudoku Solver:

Create a program to solve Sudoku puzzles using backtracking. Given a partially filled 9x9 grid, the goal is to fill the grid according to Sudoku rules.

9. Remove invalid parentheses.

Given a string S that contains parentheses and letters, write a function to remove the minimum number of invalid parentheses and print all valid strings of S to the screen (if there are more than 1 solution).

```
void PrintAllSubsetsum(int arr[], int n, int s);
```

E.g. $S = ()()())$

→ Print to screen: $()()(), (())()$