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Recursive double factorial

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Write a recursive function that returns *n*!!.

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Recall that n!! = n \times (n-2) \times (n-4) \times ... For instance, 9!! = 9 \times 7 \times 5 \times 3 \times 1 = 945 and 8!! = 8 \times 6 \times 4 \times 2 = 384. By definition, 0!! = 1!! = 1.
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Interface

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C++ int double_factorial (int n);
C int double_factorial (int n);
Java public static int doubleFactorial (int n);
Python double_factorial (n) # returns int double_factorial (n: int) \rightarrow int
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Precondition

Assume $0 \le n \le 19$.

Observation

You only need to submit the required procedure; your main program will be ignored.

Problem information

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