

Level: L2 - Module: Algorithms and data structures 3

## Tutorial No. 2: Recursive Functions

### Exercise 1: Sum of Natural Numbers

Write a recursive function that calculates the sum of the first  $n$  natural numbers.

**Prototype:** `int sum(int n);`

### Exercise 2: Power of a Number

Write a recursive function that calculates  $x^n$ .

**Prototype:** `int power(int x, int n);`

### Exercise 3: GCD of Two Numbers

Write a recursive function to compute the greatest common divisor (GCD) of two integers.

**Prototype:** `int gcd(int a, int b);`

### Exercise 4: Fibonacci Sequence

Write a recursive function that returns the  $n^{th}$  Fibonacci number.

**Prototype:** `int fibonacci(int n);`

### Exercise 5: Reverse a String

Write a recursive function that prints a string in reverse order.

**Prototype:** `void reverse(char str[]);`

### Exercise 6: Count Digits

Write a recursive function that counts the number of digits in an integer.

**Prototype:** `int countDigits(int n);`

### Exercise 7: Sum of Array Elements

Write a recursive function that computes the sum of all elements in an array.

**Prototype:** `int sumArray(int arr[], int size);`

## Exercise 8: Check Palindrome String

Write a recursive function that checks if a string is a palindrome.

**Prototype:** `int isPalindrome(char str[], int start, int end);`