

Homework 1
ENE4014 Programming Languages, Spring 2021
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Exercise 1 Write a function

`gcd : int → int → int`

that returns the greatest common divisor (GCD) of two given non-negative integers. Use the Euclidean algorithm based on the following principle (for two integers n and m such that $n \geq m$):

$$\text{gcd } n \ m = \begin{cases} n & (m = 0) \\ \text{gcd } (n - m) \ m & \end{cases}$$

□

Exercise 2 Write a function

`merge : int list → int list → int list`

that takes two integer lists sorted in descending order and returns a new sorted integer list that includes every element in the two given lists. For example,

`merge [3; 2; 1] [5; 4] = [5; 4; 3; 2; 1]`

`merge [5; 3] [5; 2] = [5; 5; 3; 2]`

`merge [4; 2] [] = [4; 2]`

`merge [] [2; 1] = [2; 1]`

□

Exercise 3 Write a function

`range : int → int → int list`

`range lower upper` generates a sorted list of integers in the range `[lower ... upper]`. If `lower` is greater than `upper`, the function returns the empty list. For

example,

```
range 1 3 = [1; 2; 3]
range (-2) 2 = [-2; -1; 0; 1; 2]
range 2 2 = [2]
range 2 (-2) = []
```

□

```
type formula = TRUE | FALSE
  | NOT of formula
  | ANDALSO of formula * formula
  | ORELSE of formula * formula
  | IMPLY of formula * formula
  | LESS of expr * expr
and expr = NUM of int
  | PLUS of expr * expr
  | MINUS of expr * expr
```

Exercise 4 Considering the above definition of propositional formula, write a function

```
eval : formula → bool
```

that computes the truth value of a given formula. For example,

```
eval (IMPLY (IMPLY (TRUE, FALSE), TRUE))
```

evaluates to *true*, and

```
eval (LESS (NUM 5, PLUS (NUM 1, NUM 2)))
```

evaluates to *false*. □

Exercise 5 Binary trees can be inductively defined as follows:

```
type btree = Empty | Node of int * btree * btree
```

For example, the following *t1* and *t2* are binary trees.

```
let t1 = Node (1, Empty, Empty)
let t2 = Node (1, Node (2, Empty, Empty), Node (3, Empty, Empty))
let t3 = Node (1, Node (2, Node (3, Empty, Empty), Empty), Empty)
```

Write a function

```
height : btree → int
```

that computes the height of a given binary tree. The height of a given binary tree is inductively defined as follows:

```
height Empty = 0
height (Node(n, l, r)) = { (height l) + 1 (height l > height r)
                          (height r) + 1 (otherwise)
```

For example,

```
height Empty = 0
height t1    = 1
height t2    = 2
height t3    = 3
```

□

Exercise 6 Write a function

```
balanced : btree → bool.
```

that determines if a given binary tree is *balanced*. A tree is balanced if the tree is empty or the following conditions are met.

- The left and right subtrees' heights differ by at most one, and
- The left subtree is balanced, and
- The right subtree is balanced.

For example,

```
balanced Empty = true
balanced t1    = true
balanced t2    = true
balanced t3    = false
```

where `t1`, `t2`, and `t3` are defined in Exercise 5. □

Exercise 7 The fold function for lists

```
fold : ('a → 'b → 'a) → 'a → 'b list → 'a
```

recombines the results of recursively processing its constituent parts, building up a return value through use of a given combining operation. For example,

```
fold f a [b1; ...; bn] = f (...(f (f a b1) b2)...) bn.
```

Extend the following function that takes three lists. Write a function

```
fold3 : ('a → 'b → 'c → 'd → 'a) → 'a → 'b list → 'c list → 'd list → 'a
```

of which meaning is defined as follow:

```
fold3 f a [b1; ...; bn] [c1; ...; cn] [d1; ...; dn]
= f (...(f (f a b1 c1 d1) b2 c2 d2)...) bn cn dn.
```

You may assume that all the given lists are of the same length. □

Exercise 8 Write a function

$$(\text{iter } n \ f) = \underbrace{f \circ \dots \circ f}_{|n|}$$

The function returns the identity function ($\text{fun } x \rightarrow x$) when $n = 0$.

For example,

```
(iter n (fun x -> x + 2)) 0
```

returns $2 \times n$. \square

Exercise 9 Write a function

```
sigma : int * int * (int -> int) -> int.
```

such that `sigma(a,b,f)` returns $\sum_{n=a}^b f(n)$. \square

Exercise 10 Write a function

```
cartesian: 'a list -> 'b list -> ('a * 'b) list
```

that returns a list of from two lists. That is, for lists A and B , the Cartesian product $A \times B$ is the list of all ordered pairs (a, b) where $a \in A$ and $b \in B$. For example, if $A = [“a” ; “b” ; “c”]$ and $B = [1; 2; 3]$, $A \times B$ is defined to be

```
[ (“a”, 1); (“a”, 2); (“a”, 3); (“b”, 1); (“b”, 2); (“b”, 3); (“c”, 1); (“c”, 2); (“c”, 3) ]
```

\square