

IT252 Homework 3

Recursion Practice Problems: Write a **recursive program** for each of the following problems. (*Writing pseudo-code is enough, though you can try to code them too!*)

- i. To print the reverse of a string $S[1 \dots n]$.
- ii. To print all possible permutations of a string $S[1 \dots n]$.
- iii. To print the *powerset* (all the possible subsets) of a given set S .
- iv. To print a subset of a set of integers S whose sum is equal to a given integer k .
For e.g. if $S = \{-3, 4, -10, 8, 20\}$ and $k = 14$, print $\{4, -10, 20\}$. Print NIL if no such subset exists.
- v. To print the length of the longest common subsequence of two arbitrary arrays $A[1 \dots m]$ and $B[1 \dots n]$. A common subsequence of A and B is both a subsequence of A and a subsequence of B . (*A subsequence is a sequence that can be derived from another sequence by deleting some elements without changing the order of the remaining elements. For e.g. for the sequence $\langle a, b, c, d, e, f \rangle$, $\langle a, c, e \rangle$ and $\langle b, c, f \rangle$ are two possible subsequences.*)

Problem 2. [DPV] Chapter 2. Exercises 2.1, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5, 2.12, 2.14

Problem 3. [KT] Chapter 5. Exercise 1.

Problem 4. [KT] Chapter 5. Exercise 2.