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(* Calculate 6 factorial and only use commands of a counter
machine. The counter machine code is the output of the program below. *)
list = {0, 6}~Join~Table[0, {10}]
Do[
  Label[begin2];
  If[list[[1]] == 0, Goto[end2]];
  list[[1]]--;
  Pause[0.05];
  Goto[begin2];
  Label[end2];
  list[[1]]++;
  Pause[0.05];
  Label[begin4];
  If[list[[7]] == 0, Goto[end4]];
  list[[7]]--;
  Pause[0.05];
  Goto[begin4];
  Label[end4];
  Label[begin6];
  If[list[[2]] == 0, Goto[end6]];
  list[[2]]--;
  Pause[0.05];
  list[[7]]++;
  Pause[0.05];
  list[[4]]++;
  Pause[0.05];
  Goto[begin6];
  Label[end6];
  Label[begin7];
  If[list[[4]] == 0, Goto[end7]];
  list[[4]]--;
  Pause[0.05];
  list[[2]]++;
  Pause[0.05];
  Goto[begin7];
  Label[end7];
  If[list[[7]] == 0, Goto[end0]];
  Label[begin0];
  Label[begin11];
  If[list[[5]] == 0, Goto[end11]];
  list[[5]]--;
  Pause[0.05];
  Goto[begin11];
  Label[end11];
  Label[begin13];
  If[list[[7]] == 0, Goto[end13]];
  list[[7]]--;
  Pause[0.05];
  list[[5]]++;
  Pause[0.05];
  list[[4]]++;
  Pause[0.05];
  Goto[begin13];
  Label[end13];
  Label[begin14];

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If[list[[4]] == 0, Goto[end14]];
list[[4]]--;
Pause[0.05];
list[[7]]++;
Pause[0.05];
Goto[begin14];
Label[end14];
Label[begin9];
If[list[[7]] == 0, Goto[end9]];
list[[7]]--;
Pause[0.05];
Label[begin16];
If[list[[1]] == 0, Goto[end16]];
list[[1]]--;
Pause[0.05];
list[[6]]++;
Pause[0.05];
list[[4]]++;
Pause[0.05];
Goto[begin16];
Label[end16];
Label[begin17];
If[list[[4]] == 0, Goto[end17]];
list[[4]]--;
Pause[0.05];
list[[1]]++;
Pause[0.05];
Goto[begin17];
Label[end17];
Goto[begin9];
Label[end9];
Label[begin18];
If[list[[5]] == 0, Goto[end18]];
list[[5]]--;
Pause[0.05];
list[[7]]++;
Pause[0.05];
Goto[begin18];
Label[end18];
Label[begin20];
If[list[[1]] == 0, Goto[end20]];
list[[1]]--;
Pause[0.05];
Goto[begin20];
Label[end20];
Label[begin22];
If[list[[6]] == 0, Goto[end22]];
list[[6]]--;
Pause[0.05];
list[[1]]++;
Pause[0.05];
list[[4]]++;
Pause[0.05];
Goto[begin22];
Label[end22];

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Label[begin23];
If[list[[4]] == 0, Goto[end23]];
list[[4]]--;
Pause[0.05];
list[[6]]++;
Pause[0.05];
Goto[begin23];
Label[end23];
Label[begin24];
If[list[[6]] == 0, Goto[end24]];
list[[6]]--;
Pause[0.05];
Goto[begin24];
Label[end24];
list[[7]]--;
Pause[0.05];
If[list[[7]] == 0, Goto[end0]];
Goto[begin0];
Label[end0];
Label[begin25];
If[list[[7]] == 0, Goto[end25]];
list[[7]]--;
Pause[0.05];
Goto[begin25];
Label[end25],
{1}
]
list
{0, 6, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0}

{720, 6, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0}

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Dynamic[list]

list

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(*Since nobody wants to write Code for Counter machines, this program does
it for us by iteratively replacing complicated strings by easier ones.*)
(* The operation in string is converted to counter mashine commands. Copy
paste these commands into the "Do"-Command above to see the execution. *)
(*string="list[[3]]=list[[1]]^list[[2]]";*)
string = "list[[1]]=list[[2]]!";
(*string="If[list[[1]]==list[[2]],Goto[3]]";*)

x = 0;
While[x < 100,
  newstring = StringReplace[string,
    {
      (* EqualTest
      RegularExpression["If\[list\[ \[ (.) \] \] \] >= list\[ \[ (.) \] \] \],Goto\[ (.) \] \] \];"] ->
      StringJoin["$1, $2, $3"],*)
    }
  ]

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(*Factorial*)
RegularExpression["list\\[\\[ (.) \\] \\]=list\\[\\[ (.) \\] \\]!;" ] →
StringJoin["list[[ $1 ]]=1;list[[ 7 ]]=list[[ $2 ]];If[list[[ 7 ]]==0,Goto[end",
ToString[x], "];Label[begin", ToString[x],
"];list[[ $1 ]]*=list[[ 7 ]];list[[ 7 ]]--;If[list[[ 7 ]]==0,Goto[end", ToString[x],
"];Goto[begin", ToString[x], "];Label[end", ToString[x], "];list[[ 7 ]]=0;"];

(*Power*)
RegularExpression["list\\[\\[ (.) \\] \\]=list\\[\\[ (.) \\] \\]^list\\[\\[ (.) \\] \\];" ] →
StringJoin["list[[ 7 ]]=list[[ $3 ]];list[[ $1 ]]=1;Label[begin",
ToString[x], "];If[list[[ $3 ]]==0,Goto[end", ToString[x],
"];list[[ $3 ]]--;list[[ $1 ]]*=list[[ $2 ]];Goto[begin",
ToString[x], "];Label[end", ToString[x], "];DRAIN(7,$3);"];

(* * *)
RegularExpression["list\\[\\[ (.) \\] \\]=list\\[\\[ (.) \\] \\]list\\[\\[ (.) \\] \\];" ] →
StringJoin["list[[ 5 ]]=list[[ $3 ]];Label[begin",
ToString[x], "];If[list[[ $3 ]]==0,Goto[end", ToString[x],
"];list[[ $3 ]]--;list[[ $1 ]]+=list[[ $2 ]];Goto[begin",
ToString[x], "];Label[end", ToString[x], "];DRAIN(5,$3);"];

(*DRAIN: Addiert $1 auf $2 und löscht $1. *)
RegularExpression["DRAIN\\[\\[ (.) \\] \\];" ] →
StringJoin["Label[begin", ToString[x], "];If[list[[ $1 ]]==0,Goto[end",
ToString[x], "];list[[ $1 ]]--;list[[ $2 ]]++;Goto[begin",
ToString[x], "];Label[end", ToString[x], "];"];

(*DRAIN 2: Addiert $1 und $2 UND $3 und löscht $1. *)
RegularExpression["DRAIN\\[\\[ (.) \\] \\];" ] →
StringJoin["Label[begin", ToString[x], "];If[list[[ $1 ]]==0,Goto[end",
ToString[x], "];list[[ $1 ]]--;list[[ $2 ]]++;list[[ $3 ]]++;Goto[begin",
ToString[x], "];Label[end", ToString[x], "];"];

(* *= *)
RegularExpression["list\\[\\[ (.) \\] \\]\\*=list\\[\\[ (.) \\] \\];" ] → StringJoin[
"list[[ 6 ]]=list[[ $1 ]]list[[ $2 ]];list[[ $1 ]]=list[[ 6 ]];list[[ 6 ]]=0;"];

(* = *)
RegularExpression["list\\[\\[ (.) \\] \\]=list\\[\\[ (.) \\] \\];" ] →
StringJoin["list[[ $1 ]]=0;list[[ $1 ]]+=list[[ $2 ]];"];

(* += *)
RegularExpression["list\\[\\[ (.) \\] \\]\\+=list\\[\\[ (.) \\] \\];" ] →
StringJoin["DRAIN($2,$1,4);DRAIN(4,$2);"];

(* =1 *)
RegularExpression["list\\[\\[ (.) \\] \\]=1;" ] →
StringJoin["list[[ $1 ]]=0;list[[ $1 ]]++;"];

(* =0 *)
RegularExpression["list\\[\\[ (.) \\] \\]=0;" ] → StringJoin[
"Label[begin", ToString[x], "];If[list[[ $1 ]]==0,Goto[end", ToString[x],
"];list[[ $1 ]]--;Goto[begin", ToString[x], "];Label[end", ToString[x], "];"];

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    }, 1
  ];
  If[SameQ[newstring, string], Break[], string = newstring];
  x++
]
(* This inserts a Pause after each incement or decrement
   s.t. one can nicely watch the calculation with Dynamic *)
string = StringReplace[string,
{
  RegularExpression["list\\[\\[ (.)\\]\\] (\\+\\+|--)"] -> "list[[$1]]$2;Pause[0.05];"
}
]
x
Label[begin2];If[list[[1]]==0,Goto[end2]];list[[1]]--;Pause[0.05];Goto[begin2];Label
[end2];list[[1]]++;Pause[0.05];Label[begin4];If[list[[7]]==0,Goto[end4]];list[[7]]
--;Pause[0.05];Goto[begin4];Label[end4];Label[begin6];If[list[[2]]==0,Goto[end6]];
list[[2]]--;Pause[0.05];list[[7]]++;Pause[0.05];list[[4]]++;Pause[0.05];Goto[
begin6];Label[end6];Label[begin7];If[list[[4]]==0,Goto[end7]];list[[4]]--;Pause[
0.05];list[[2]]++;Pause[0.05];Goto[begin7];Label[end7];If[list[[7]]==0,Goto[end0]]
;Label[begin0];Label[begin11];If[list[[5]]==0,Goto[end11]];list[[5]]--;Pause[0.05]
;Goto[begin11];Label[end11];Label[begin13];If[list[[7]]==0,Goto[end13]];list[[7]]
--;Pause[0.05];list[[5]]++;Pause[0.05];list[[4]]++;Pause[0.05];Goto[begin13];Label
[end13];Label[begin14];If[list[[4]]==0,Goto[end14]];list[[4]]--;Pause[0.05];list[[
7]]++;Pause[0.05];Goto[begin14];Label[end14];Label[begin9];If[list[[7]]==0,Goto[
end9]];list[[7]]--;Pause[0.05];Label[begin16];If[list[[1]]==0,Goto[end16]];list[[1
]]--;Pause[0.05];list[[6]]++;Pause[0.05];list[[4]]++;Pause[0.05];Goto[begin16];
Label[end16];Label[begin17];If[list[[4]]==0,Goto[end17]];list[[4]]--;Pause[0.05];
list[[1]]++;Pause[0.05];Goto[begin17];Label[end17];Goto[begin9];Label[end9];Label[
begin18];If[list[[5]]==0,Goto[end18]];list[[5]]--;Pause[0.05];list[[7]]++;Pause[
0.05];Goto[begin18];Label[end18];Label[begin20];If[list[[1]]==0,Goto[end20]];list[[
1]]--;Pause[0.05];Goto[begin20];Label[end20];Label[begin22];If[list[[6]]==0,Goto[
end22]];list[[6]]--;Pause[0.05];list[[1]]++;Pause[0.05];list[[4]]++;Pause[0.05];
Goto[begin22];Label[end22];Label[begin23];If[list[[4]]==0,Goto[end23]];list[[4]]--
;Pause[0.05];list[[6]]++;Pause[0.05];Goto[begin23];Label[end23];Label[begin24];If[
list[[6]]==0,Goto[end24]];list[[6]]--;Pause[0.05];Goto[begin24];Label[end24];list[
[7]]--;Pause[0.05];If[list[[7]]==0,Goto[end0]];Goto[begin0];Label[end0];Label[
begin25];If[list[[7]]==0,Goto[end25]];list[[7]]--;Pause[0.05];Goto[begin25];Label[
end25];

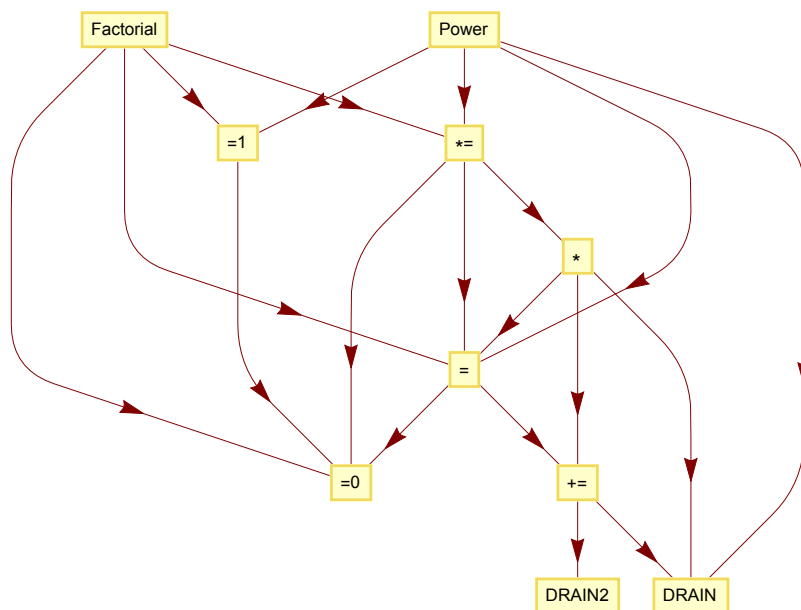
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(*
Placeholders:
3: Result
4: PlusEqual
5: Times
6: TimesEqual
7: Power and Factorial
*)

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(* Care must be taken not to create circles in the dependency graph. Also the placeholder of a function must be different from all placeholders of functions that it depends on. *)

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LayeredGraphPlot[{"Factorial" → "=1", "Factorial" → "=0", "Factorial" → "*=",
  "Factorial" → "=", "*=" → "=", "*=" → "*", "*=" → "=0",
  "Power" → "=1", "Power" → "*=", "Power" → "=", "Power" → "DRAIN",
  "*" → "=", "*" → "+=", "*" → "DRAIN", "=" → "=0", "=" → "+=",
  "+=" → "DRAIN", "+=" → "DRAIN2", "=1" → "=0"}, VertexLabeling → True]
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(* Next

step: Be able to do `If[list[[1]]==0, COMMAND]` or even `If[CONDITION, COMMAND]` *)