

1. In a certain language expressions are written in infix notation. The language has binary, unary prefix, and unary postfix operators that belong to the following precedence classes:

	binary ops	prefix ops	postfix ops	associativity
1st Class:	# ~	~	[none]	right
2nd Class:	&	[none]	\$	left
3rd Class:	% ^	@	[none]	right

1st class operators have highest precedence and 3rd class operators have lowest precedence.

- (a)[0.5 pt.] Circle the operator that is applied *last* when evaluating the following expression. [To help you, a subscript has been attached to each operator to indicate its precedence class and whether that precedence class is left-associative (L) or right-associative (R), but *this information can also be obtained from the above table*—e.g., @ is in the 3rd class and is right-associative, so it has a subscript of 3R below.]

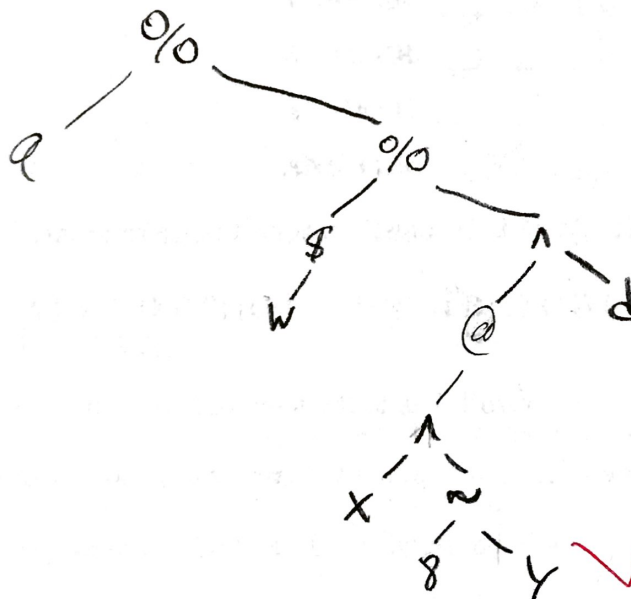
$(@_{3R} x \wedge_{3R} 8 \sim_{1R} y)$

- (b)[0.5 pt.] Circle the operator that is applied *last* when evaluating the following expression:

$a \circ_{3R} w \$_{2L} \circ_{3R} z \wedge_{3R} d$

- (c)[2 pts.] Draw the abstract syntax tree of the following expression:

$a \circ_{3R} w \$_{2L} \circ_{3R} (@_{3R} x \wedge_{3R} 8 \sim_{1R} y) \wedge_{3R} d$



- (d)[1 pt.] Rewrite the expression of part (c) in prefix notation.

$\% a \% \$ w \wedge @ \wedge x \sim 8 y d$

- (e)[1 pt.] Rewrite the expression of part (c) in postfix notation.

$a w \$ x 8 y \sim \wedge @ \wedge d \wedge \% \%$

2.[1 pt.] Suppose Rare Lisp is a language that is the same as Common Lisp except in that, whereas arguments of function calls in Common Lisp are evaluated in left-to-right order, arguments of function calls in Rare Lisp may be evaluated in any order. (In this respect Rare Lisp would be like Scheme and C++, whereas Common Lisp is like Java.) What happens when the expression

(+ (setf x 2) x (setf x 4))

is evaluated by a Rare Lisp interpreter? Circle the correct answer:

- (a) If the arguments of + are evaluated in left-to-right order then the value 8 will be returned; if the arguments are evaluated in right-to-left order then the value 10 will be returned.
- (b) If the arguments of + are evaluated in left-to-right order then the value 10 will be returned; if the arguments are evaluated in right-to-left order then the value 8 will be returned.
- (c) An evaluation error will occur regardless of the order in which the arguments of + are evaluated.
- (d) The value 8 will be returned regardless of the order in which the arguments of + are evaluated.
- (e) The value 10 will be returned regardless of the order in which the arguments of + are evaluated.

3. Suppose the expressions (a) – (e) below are evaluated by Lisp immediately *after* evaluation of the following three SETF expressions: (SETF X 1) (SETF Y 2) (SETF L '(1 3 5 7))

Write down the value of each of (a) – (e). [Be careful to write parentheses where they should be and nowhere else! You will receive no credit if the right answer is (Z) and you write Z, or if the right answer is Z and you write (Z).]

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| (a) (CONS (LIST X Y) L) | ANSWER: ((1 2) (1 3 5 7)) | [0.5 pt] |
| (b) (APPEND (LIST X Y) L) | ANSWER: (1 2 1 3 5 7) | [0.5 pt] |
| (c) (LIST (LIST X Y) L) | ANSWER: ((1 2) (1 3 5 7)) | [0.5 pt] |
| (d) (MAPCAR #'(LAMBDA (W) (* W 7)) L) | ANSWER: (7 21 35 49) | [0.5 pt] |
| (e) (MAPCAR #'(LAMBDA (I) (EQUAL I 5)) L) | ANSWER: (NIL NIL T NIL) | [0.5 pt] |

4.[1 pt.] What is the value of the Lisp expression (mapcar #'cons '(1 2 3) '((A B) (C D E F) (G)))? Circle the answer.

- (a) T (b) NIL (c) (1 2 3 (A B) (C D E F) (G)) (d) ((1 A B) (2 C D E F) (3 G))
- (e) ((1 2 3 A B) (1 2 3 C D E F) (1 2 3 G))

5.[4 pts.] Suppose the Lisp variable E has been given a value as follows:

(setf E '(((2 9) 9 19 29 39 49 59 69) (90 91 92 93 94 95 96 97)))

Write a Lisp expression **which does not involve any numbers**, but which evaluates to the list ((2 9 19 29 39 49 59 69) (92 93 94 95 96 97))

Your expression may contain the variable E and any Lisp function calls.

(list (cons (caddr E) (caddr (car E))) (caddr E))

(second (first E))
is NOT what you want.
(rest (first E))
is correct.

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(caddr E)
= (fourth E)
NOT what you want!

6.[2 pts.] Complete the following definition of a Lisp function SAFE-AVG that takes 2 arguments and returns the *average* (i.e., the mean) of those 2 arguments if they are numbers. But if one or both of the arguments is not a number, then the function returns the symbol BAD-ARGS. Examples:

(SAFE-AVG 2.0 6.4) => 4.2

(SAFE-AVG 3 7) => 5

(SAFE-AVG '(23.1) 47.3) => BAD-ARGS

(SAFE-AVG 'ONE 'TWO) => BAD-ARGS

Hint: You may want to use the built-in predicate function NUMBERP.

(defun safe-avg (m n)

(cond ((and (numberp m) (numberp n))

(/ (+ m n) 2))

(t 'BAD-ARGS)))

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7.[3 pts.] Complete the following definition of a recursive Lisp function SPLIT-NUMS such that if N is a non-negative integer then (SPLIT-NUMS N) returns a list of two lists: The first of the two lists consists of the *odd* integers between 0 and N in descending order, and the second list consists of the *even* integers between 0 and N in descending order. Examples:

(SPLIT-NUMS 0) => (NIL (0))

(SPLIT-NUMS 7) => ((7 5 3 1) (6 4 2 0))

(SPLIT-NUMS 8) => ((7 5 3 1) (8 6 4 2 0))

(SPLIT-NUMS 9) => ((9 7 5 3 1) (8 6 4 2 0))

6 => ((6 4 2 0) (5 3 1))
7 => ((7 5 3 1) (6 4 2 0))

(defun split-nums (n)

(if (zerop n)

'(nil (0))

(let ((x (split-nums (- n 1))))

(if (evenp n)

(list (car x) (cons n (cadr x)))

(list (cons n (car x)) (cadr x))))

8.[2 pts.] Define a Common Lisp function least such that if k is a real number and x is a list of real numbers then (least k x) returns k if every element of x is $\geq k$, but returns the least element of x if some element of x is $< k$; in other words, (least k x) returns the least element of (cons k x).

Hint: A Scheme analog of this function is defined on p. 23 / p. 418 of the course reader / Sethi, in Exercise 10.2. But you must write a Common Lisp function. For example, else has no predefined meaning in Common Lisp, and so the COND clause (else ...) in the definition given in Exercise 10.2 would be incorrect.

(defun least (k x)

(cond ((and (numberp k) (endp x))

((< (car x) k) (least (car x) (cdr x)))

(t (least k (cdr x)))))

Base case is wrong!

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k -1/2

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9.[2.5 pts.] Complete the following definition of a Common Lisp function REMOVE-ADJ-DUPL such that if l is a list of atoms then (REMOVE-ADJ-DUPL l) is a list obtained from l by removing all but one member of each sequence of adjacent duplicates in l .

Examples: A. (REMOVE-ADJ-DUPL NIL) => NIL
 B. (REMOVE-ADJ-DUPL '(K)) => (K)
 C. (REMOVE-ADJ-DUPL '(P A A D D D D C C A B B)) => (P A D C A B)
 D. (REMOVE-ADJ-DUPL '(P P A A D D D D C C A B B)) => (P A D C A B)
 E. (REMOVE-ADJ-DUPL '(Q P A A D D D D C C A B B)) => (Q P A D C A B)

(defun remove-adj-dupl (L)

(if (endp (cdr L))

~~(L)~~ ; Hint: see Examples A and B above

(let ((X (remove-adj-dupl (cdr L))))

(if (equal (car L) (cadr L))

~~X X X~~ ; Hint: see Example D

(cons (car L) X)))) ; Hint: see Example E

(L) calls the function L.
 Here L is not a function,
 so (L) is illegal!

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10.[1 pt.] Write a definition of the function REMOVE-ADJ-DUPL of the previous question without using LET or LET*.

(defun remove-adj-dupl (L)

(if (endp (cdr L))

~~L~~

(if (equal (car L) (cadr L))

(remove-adj-dupl (cdr L))

(cons (car L) (remove-adj-dupl (cdr L))))))

11. Suppose the expressions (a) and (b) below are evaluated by Lisp immediately after evaluation of the following SETF expression: (SETF CAR #'CADR) Write down the values of (a) and (b).

(a) (FUNCALL CAR '(A B C D))

ANSWER: ~~((B C D))~~ B [0.5 pt]

(b) (FUNCALL #'CAR '(A B C D))

ANSWER: ~~((NIL) (NIL) (NIL) (NIL))~~ A [0.5 pt]