## **SOLUTIONS 2008 - JUNE**

- 1. (This question covers most of the syllabus. New application of theory.)
  - a) The correct code is shown in Figure 1.1.

```
int calculateF (int n) {
    int result=0;
    int i;
    for (i=2; i <= n; i++)
        result = result + (i-1);
    return result;
}</pre>
```

Figure 1.1 Solution 1a.

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b) The solution is shown in Figure 1.2.

```
int calculateFRec (int n) {
    if (n==1)
        return 0;
    else
        return calculateFRec (n-1) + (n-1);
}
```

Figure 1.2 Solution 1b.

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c) i) Solution in Figure 1.3.

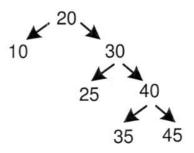


Figure 1.3 Solution 1ci.

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ii) Solution in Figure 1.4.

Figure 1.4 Solution 1cii.

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iii) Solution in Figure 1.5.

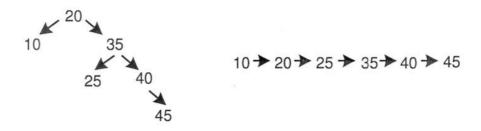


Figure 1.5 Solution 1ciii.

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iv) In the case of an ordered list we need to search half the list on average to delete an item. In the case of a binary tree, the search for the item is faster, but the deletion operation may need many operations depending on the configuration of the tree.

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d) i) Solution in Figure 1.6.

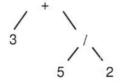


Figure 1.6 Solution 1di.

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ii) Solution in Figure 1.7.

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e) The px pointer points to a new location and never to x. py pointer points to y. Thus, x = 1 and y = 10.

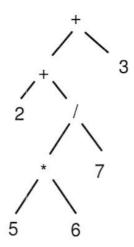


Figure 1.7 Solution Idii.

i) Solution in Figure 1.9

f) i) Solution in Figure 1.8.

```
int CountZeroItems (NodePtr hdList){
    if (hdList != NULL)
        if (hdList->data == 0)
            return CountZeroItems (hdList->next) + 1;
        else
            return CountZeroItems (hdList->next);
        else
            return 0;
}
```

Figure 1.8 Solution 1f (i).

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ii) Solution in Figure 1.9.

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```
int CountZeroItemsIter (NodePtr hdList){
   int counter = 0;
   while (hdList != NULL){
      if (hdList->data == 0)
           counter = counter + 1;
      hdlist = hdList->next;
   }
   return counter;
}
```

Figure 1.9 Solution 1f (ii).

- 2. (This question tests students' ability to construct abstract data types.)
  - a) Solution in Figure 2.1.

```
class RNAnode {
    public:
        char data;
        RNAnode *next;
};

(optional)
typedef RNAnode* RNAnodePtr;
```

Figure 2.1 Solution 2a.

b) Solution in Figure 2.2.

```
int NumApp (RNAnodePtr hdlist, char b) {
   int count=0;
   while (hdlist != NULL) {
      if (hdlist->data == b)
            count++;
      hdlist = hdlist->next;
      }
   return count;
}
```

Figure 2.2 Solution 2b.

c) Solution in Figure 2.3.

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Figure 2.3 Solution 2c.

d) Solution in Figure 2.4.

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```
int NumAppSeq(RNAnodePtr hdlist){
   int count = 0;
   if (hdlist==NULL)
      return count;
   else if (hdlist->next == NULL)
      return count;
   else {
      RNAnodePtr searchPtr = hdlist->next;
      RNAnodePtr oldPtr = hdlist;
      while (searchPtr != NULL) {
        if ((searchPtr->data == 'U') && (oldPtr->data == 'T'))
            count++;
        oldPtr = searchPtr;
        searchPtr = searchPtr->next;
      }
   }
   return count;
}
```

Figure 2.4 Solution 2d.

- 3. (This question tests students' ability to manipulate a binary tree data structure.)
  - a) Solution in Figure 3.1.

```
class Node {
    public:
        int id;
        Node * left;
        Node * right;
};

(optional)
typedef Node* NodePtr;
```

Figure 3.1 Solution 3a.

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- b) Solution in Figure 3.2. Initializations of *counter* is zero, and *enable* is false.
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- c) Solution in Figure 3.3. Initializations of *counter* is zero, and *M* is zero.
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- d) Solution in Figure 3.4. Initialization of *counter* is zero.

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```
void EvolutionId(NodePtr hdlist, int id, bool enable, int & counter) {
    if (enable)
       counter++;
    if (hdlist->id == id)
       enable = true;
    if (hdlist->left != NULL)
       EvolutionId(hdlist->left, id, enable, counter);
    if (hdlist->right != NULL)
       EvolutionId(hdlist->right, id, enable, counter);
}
                       Figure 3.2 Solution 3b.
   void EvolutionN(NodePtr hdlist, int M, int N, int & counter) {
       if (M==N)
          counter++;
       if (hdlist->left != NULL)
          EvolutionN(hdlist->left, M+1, N, counter);
       if (hdlist->right != NULL)
          EvolutionN(hdlist->right, M+1, N, counter);
                       Figure 3.3 Solution 3c.
  void NumOneInst(NodePtr hdlist, int & counter) {
      if ( ((hdlist->left == NULL) && (hdlist->right != NULL)) ||
         ((hdlist->left != NULL) && (hdlist->right == NULL)) )
         counter++;
      if (hdlist->left != NULL)
         NumOneInst(hdlist->left, counter);
      if (hdlist->right != NULL)
         NumOneInst(hdlist->right, counter);
  }
                       Figure 3.4 Solution 3d.
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