San José State University Computer Science Department CS152, Programming Paradigms, Springs 2022

Homework #2

Objective:

This homework's objective is to practice programming in Prolog programming language.

Details:

Solutions to all exercises for this homework assignment should be implemented in Prolog. Submit solution to each exercise in a separate .pl file. Make sure to include the following comments into each .pl file (replace with your information):

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% Homework assignment 2

% Exercise X

Name each .pl file with the exercise number. For example, exercise1.pl, exercise2.pl, etc.

Exercise 1:

Implement a program that, given a list and an index k, outputs k's element in that list. Name your rule **get_i(List, K, E)**, where **List** is the list of elements, **K** is the index of the item to retrieve, and **E** is the variable that will hold the retrieved element. Indexing should start with 1 for this exercise.

An example of a query using this rule would be: $get_i([a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m,n,o,p,q,r,s,t,u,v,w,x,y,z], 3, E).$

And the expected output should be: *c*

If the index is out of bounds the query should return false.

Exercise 2:

Implement a program that, given a list an element and an element value, outputs the index of that element in that list. If the element is not in the list, the query should output *false*. If there are multiple element values in the list, then the index of the first occurrence should be returned.

Name your rule *find(List, E, K)*, where *List* is the list of elements, *E* is the variable that will hold the retrieved element, and *K* is the index of the item to retrieve. Indexing should start with 1 for this exercise.

An example of a query using this rule would be:

find([a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m,n,o,p,q,r,s,t,u,v,w,x,v,z], a, K).

The expected output should be: 1

An example of a query using this rule would be:

find([a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m,n,o,p,q,r,s,t,u,v,w,x,y,z],b,K).

The expected output should be: 2

An example of a query using this rule would be:

find([a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m,n,o,p,q,r,s,t,u,v,w,x,y,z], 9, K).

The expected output should be: false

Exercise 3:

Implement a program that, given a list, outputs the value of the last element in that list. Name your rule **get_last(List, E)**, where **List** is the list of elements, **E** is the variable that will hold the retrieved element. The query should return **false** for an empty list.

An example of a query using this rule would be:

get last([a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m,n,o,p,q,r,s,t,u,v,w,x,v,z], E).

The expected output should be: z

Exercise 4:

Implement a program that, given two lists, outputs *true* if all the elements of the first list are in the second list, otherwise outputs *false*. Name your rule *members(List1, List2)*, where *List1* is the first list, *List2* is the second list.

An example of a query using this rule would be:

members([a,d,h],[a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m,n,o,p,q,r,s,t,u,v,w,x,v,z]).

The expected output should be: true

An example of a query using this rule would be:

members([a,d,8],[a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m,n,o,p,q,r,s,t,u,v,w,x,y,z]).

The expected output should be: false

An example of a query using this rule would be:

members([],[a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m,n,o,p,q,r,s,t,u,v,w,x,y,z]).

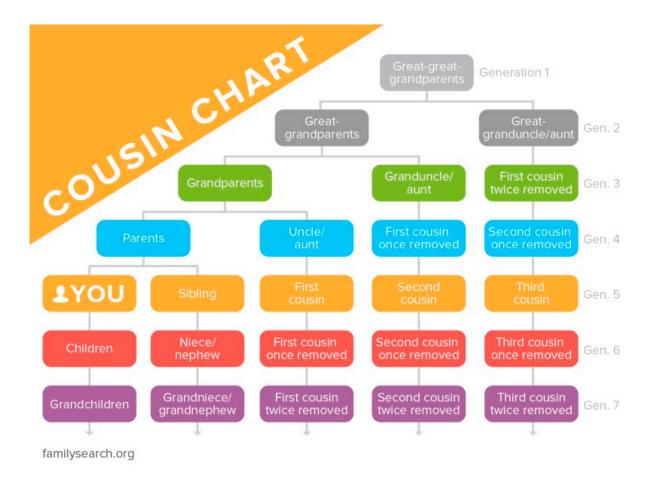
The expected output should be: true

Exercise 5:

Remember our Prolog examples where we defined family relationships? Consider the following family (you can copy and paste these relationships into your program):

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father of(jose, david).
father of(nicolas, david).
father of(laura, david).
father of(tina, david).
father of(ricky, nicolas).
father of(mateo, nicolas).
father of(moira, greg).
father of(trevor, bruce).
father of(lisa, bruce).
father of(mary, jose).
father of(john, jose).
mother of(ricky, lena).
mother of(jose, lupe).
mother of(nicolas, lupe).
mother of(laura, lupe).
mother of(tina, lupe).
mother of(mateo, lena).
mother of(moira, laura).
mother of(trevor, tina).
mother of(lisa, tina).
mother of(mary, cassandra).
mother of(john, cassandra).
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For this exercise you are asked to define a rule that returns true of the two persons are first-cousins. Below is the chart for your information that gives definitions of different family relationships, including first-cousin relationship to a given individual:

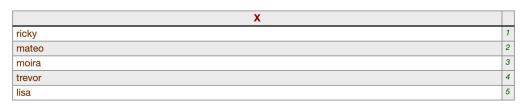


Name your rule *first_cousin(A, B)*, where *A* is the first individual (e.g. john), *B* is the second individual (e.g. moira).

An example of a query using this rule would be:

first cousin(john, X).

The expected output should be:



For this exercise you can implement additional "helper" rules that will make the *first_cousin* rule easier to code and more compact. Depending on how you implement your rule(s) you might notice duplicate values returned by the *first_cousin* query. That is because Prolog keeps track of all variable, including free variables. You can incorporate *distinct()* function into your query:

distinct(first_cousin(john, X)).

Submission:

Compress all the homework .pl files into a single compressed file named "*YourName*Assignment2", with the appropriate file extension. Make sure submit by 11:59pm on the due date listed in Canvas. Submit your solution via Canvas.

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Grading:

I will return the grades as fast as we can grade this homework. Normally it should not take more than a few weeks.

A total of 25 points are possible for this homework assignment.