

General

polynomial.lisp was created using the SBCL implementation of Common Lisp.

Representation

In this representation, polynomials are represented by a list of terms where each term is represented as: (coefficient xexponent yexponent zcomponent ...). There can be any number of exponents following the coefficient, representing any symbol such as $x/a/p$'s component, as long as they are in the same order across terms for input. For example:

- $3x^2 = (3\ 2)$
- $-2y^3 = (-2\ 0\ 3)$
- $4xz^2 = (4\ 1\ 0\ 2)$
- $a^5 = (1\ 5)$
- $2xy^3a^2 = (2\ 1\ 3\ 0\ 2)$
- $xyz = (1\ 1\ 1\ 1)$

Therefore, a list of terms $2xy + x^2 + 3 = ((2\ 1\ 1)\ (1\ 2)\ (3))$

Notes:

- A valid way to call the p+ function is: (p+'((1 2)) '((3 2) (2 0 1)))
- Please note that (p+'(1 2) '((3 2) (2 0 1))) is invalid - p+ takes 2 arguments which are lists of lists. In this example the first argument is just a list - correct this to: (p+'((1 2)) '((3 2) (2 0 1)))
- As input does not need to be validated and polynomial division does not need to be implemented in this assignment, writing x^2 as (1 1 0) is not a valid input due to the trailing 0 - i.e terms inputted should not finish with a 0. x^2 should therefore be represented as (1 1). However, in certain cases, (1 1 0) may be outputted after using p* which is equal to (1 1).
- In testing, where the output is successful, the given output may be out of order but still matches the expected output terms.

Polynomial Testing

Number	Input	Expected Output	Success/Fail
1	1+1 (p+'((1)) '((1)))	2 ((2))	Success: matches expected output
2	4+(-5) (p+'((4)) '((-5)))	-1 ((-1))	Success: matches expected output
3	49 - 7 (p-'((49)) '((7)))	42 ((42))	Success: matches expected output
4	30 - 30 (p-'((30)) '((30)))	0 ((0))	Success: matches expected output
5	12 * 7 (p*'((12)) '((7)))	84 ((84))	Success: matches expected output
6	-11 * 3	-33	Success: matches expected output

	$(p^* '((-11)) '((3)))$	$((-33))$	
7	$(x + y) - y$ $(p-'((1\ 1)\ (1\ 0\ 1)) '((1\ 0\ 1)))$	x $(1\ 1)$	Success: matches expected output
8	$x + y$ $(p+ '((1\ 1)) '((1\ 0\ 1)))$	$x + y$ $((1\ 1)\ (1\ 0\ 1))$	Success: matches expected output
9	$x - (y + z)$ $(p- '((1\ 1)) '((1\ 0\ 1)\ (1\ 0\ 0\ 1)))$	$x - y - z$ $((1\ 1)\ (1\ 0\ 1)\ (1\ 0\ 0\ 1))$	Success: matches expected output
10	$x * y$ $(p^* '((1\ 1)) '((1\ 0\ 1)))$	xy $((1\ 1\ 1))$	Success: matches expected output
11	$((3 * 4) + 2) - x$ $(p- (p+ (p^* '((3)) '((4))) '((2))) '((1\ 1)))$	$14 - x$ $((14)\ (-1\ 1))$	Success: matches expected output
12	$(2x + y + z) + (3x + 5y - z)$ $(p+'((2\ 1)\ (1\ 0\ 1)\ (1\ 0\ 0\ 1)) '((3\ 1)\ (5\ 0\ 1)\ (-1\ 0\ 0\ 1)))$	$(5x + 6y)$ $((5\ 1)\ (6\ 0\ 1))$	Success: matches expected output
13	$(2x^2 + 2x) + (3x^2 + 3x)$ $(p+ '((2\ 2)\ (2\ 1)) '((3\ 2)\ (3\ 1)))$	$5x^2 + 5x$ $((5\ 2)\ (5\ 1))$	Success: matches expected output
14	$(x^2 + 3) + (3x^2 + y + 1)$ $(p+'((1\ 2)\ (3)) '((3\ 2)\ (1\ 0\ 1)\ (1)))$	$4x^2 + y + 4$ $((4\ 2)\ (1\ 0\ 1)\ (4))$	Success: matches expected output
15	$(y^2 + 0) * (2 + x^2)$ $(p^* '((1\ 0\ 2)\ (0)) '((2)\ (1\ 2)))$	$2y^2 + y^2x^2$ $((2\ 0\ 2)\ (1\ 2\ 2))$	Success: matches expected output
16	$(5x^2 + 3x) - (5x^2 + x)$ $(p-'((5\ 2)\ (3\ 1)) '((5\ 2)\ (1\ 1)))$	$2x$ $((2\ 1))$	Success: matches expected output
17	$(5xy + x^3 + z + a^2) - (3xy + 2xy + 2z - 5a^2)$ $(p-'((5\ 1\ 1)\ (1\ 3)\ (1\ 0\ 0\ 1)\ (1\ 0\ 0\ 0\ 2)) '((3\ 1\ 1)\ (2\ 1\ 1)\ (2\ 0\ 0\ 1)\ (-5\ 0\ 0\ 0\ 2)))$	$6a^2 + x^3 - z$ $((6\ 0\ 0\ 0\ 2)\ (1\ 3)\ (-1\ 0\ 0\ 1))$	Success: matches expected output
18	$(2x^2 - x^3 + 3x^4) * 4x$ $(p^* '((2\ 2)\ (-1\ 3)\ (3\ 4)) '((4\ 1)))$	$(8x^3 - 4x^4 + 12x^5)$ $((8\ 3)\ (-4\ 4)\ (12\ 5))$	Success: matches expected output

19	$0 * (2x-3+y)$ $(p^* '((0)) '((2\ 1)\ (-3)\ (1\ 0\ 1)))$	0 $((0))$	Success: matches expected output
20	$(7x^3 - x^2 + 21) + (4y^4 + 2x^3y - x^3)$ $(p+'((7\ 3)\ (-1\ 2)\ (21)) '((4\ 0\ 4)\ (2\ 3\ 1)\ (-1\ 3)))$	$6x^3 + 4y^4 + 2x^3y - x^2 + 21$ $((6\ 3)\ (4\ 0\ 4)\ (2\ 3\ 1)\ (-1\ 2)\ (21))$	Success: matches expected output
21	$(z^2 - 2x^3) - (z^2 + 3y^2 + x^3)$ $(p-'((1\ 0\ 0\ 2)\ (-2\ 3)) '((1\ 0\ 0\ 2)\ (3\ 0\ 2)\ (1\ 3)))$	$- 3x^3 - 3y^2$ $((-3\ 3)\ (-3\ 0\ 2))$	Success: matches expected output
22	$(xyz + y^2) - (21 - 5x^4yz + z^2)$ $(p-'((1\ 1\ 1\ 1)\ (1\ 0\ 2)) '((21)\ (-5\ 4\ 1\ 1)\ (1\ 0\ 0\ 2)))$	$xyz + y^2 - 21 + 5x^4yz - z^2$ $((1\ 1\ 1\ 1)\ (1\ 0\ 2)\ (-21)\ (5\ 4\ 1\ 1)\ (-1\ 0\ 0\ 2))$	Success: matches expected output
23	$(7xy + y) * (2y^2 + 4x)$ $(p^* '((7\ 1\ 1)\ (1\ 0\ 1)) '((2\ 0\ 2)\ (4\ 1)))$	$28x^2y + 14xy^3 + 4xy + 2y^3$ $((28\ 2\ 1)\ (14\ 1\ 3)\ (4\ 1\ 1)\ (2\ 0\ 3))$	Success: matches expected output
24	$(4x^3 - 2x^2 + 19) + (3x^4 + 2x^3y - y^3)$ $(p+'((4\ 3)\ (-2\ 2)\ (19)) '((3\ 4)\ (2\ 3\ 1)\ (-1\ 0\ 3)))$	$3x^4 + 2x^3y + 4x^3 - 2x^2 - y^3 + 19$ $((3\ 4)\ (2\ 3\ 1)\ (4\ 3)\ (-2\ 2)\ (-1\ 0\ 3)\ (19))$	Success: matches expected output
25	$(3xy^3 - 2x^2 + 14z^3 - 2yz^2 + 19) - (xy^3 - 7x^2 + 2z^3 + 2yz^2 + 72)$ $(p-'((3\ 1\ 3)\ (-2\ 2)\ (14\ 0\ 0\ 3)\ (-2\ 0\ 1\ 2)\ (19)) '((1\ 1\ 3)\ (-7\ 2)\ (2\ 0\ 0\ 3)\ (2\ 0\ 1\ 2)\ (72)))$	$5x^2 + 2xy^3 - 4yz^2 + 12z^3 - 53$ $((5\ 2)\ (2\ 1\ 3)\ (-4\ 0\ 1\ 2)\ (12\ 0\ 0\ 3)\ (-53))$	Success: matches expected output
26	$(x + 2)(x - 3)(x + 4)(x - 1)$ $(p^*(p^* '((1\ 1)\ (2)) '((1\ 1)\ (-3))) (p^* '((1\ 1)\ (4)) '((1\ 1)\ (-1))))$	$x^4 + 2x^3 - 13x^2 - 14x + 24$ $((1\ 4)\ (2\ 3)\ (-13\ 2)\ (-14\ 1)\ (24))$	Success: matches expected output
27	$((x+1)(x-1)) - (x^2 - 1)$ $(p-(p^* '((1\ 1)\ (1)) '((1\ 1)\ (-1))) '((1\ 2)\ (-1)))$	0 $((0))$	Success: matches expected output
28	$((2x - 3) + (x + y)) + (-2x - y)$ $(p+(p+ '((2\ 1)\ (-3)) '((1\ 1)\ (1\ 0\ 1))) '((-2\ 1)\ (-1\ 0\ 1)))$	$x - 3$ $((1\ 1)\ (-3))$	Success: matches expected output
29	$(x^2y + x^2y^2z^2a^2) * a^2b^2$	$x^2ya^2b^2 + x^2y^2z^2a^4b^2$	Success: matches

	$(p^* ((1\ 2\ 1)\ (1\ 2\ 2\ 2\ 2)) ((1\ 0\ 0\ 0\ 2\ 2)))$	$((1\ 2\ 1\ 0\ 2\ 2)\ (1\ 2\ 2\ 2\ 4\ 2))$	expected output
30	$(2x^3 + xy^2 - z) * (y^2 - x + z)$ $(p^* ((2\ 3)\ (1\ 1\ 2)\ (-1\ 0\ 0\ 1)) ((1\ 0\ 2)\ (-1\ 1)\ (1\ 0\ 0\ 1)))$	$-2x^4 + 2x^3y^2 + 2x^3z - x^2y^2 + xy^4 + xy^2z + xz - y^2z - z^2$ $((-2\ 4)\ (2\ 3\ 2)\ (2\ 3\ 0\ 1)\ (-1\ 2\ 2)\ (1\ 1\ 4)\ (1\ 1\ 2\ 1)\ (1\ 1\ 0\ 1)\ (-1\ 0\ 2\ 1)\ (-1\ 0\ 0\ 2))$	Success: matches expected output
31	$(x^2y - x^2y) * (y - y)$ $(p^* ((1\ 2\ 1)\ (-1\ 2\ 1)) ((1\ 0\ 1)\ (-1\ 0\ 1)))$	0 $((0))$	Success: matches expected output
32	$x^4y * z^4 * y^4 * x * x^2 * 10$ $(p^* (p^* (p^* (p^* (p^* ((1\ 4\ 1)) ((1\ 0\ 0\ 4))) ((1\ 0\ 4))) ((1\ 1))) ((1\ 2))) ((10)))$	$10x^7y^5z^4$ $((10\ 7\ 5\ 4))$	Success: matches expected output
33	$(x^4 - x^4 + y^2 - y^2) * (15x^2 + y^2)$ $(p^* ((1\ 4)\ (-1\ 4)\ (1\ 0\ 2)\ (-1\ 0\ 2)) ((15\ 2)\ (1\ 0\ 2)))$	0 $((0))$	Success: matches expected output
34	$((2xy^3 - x - 2x^3) + 2x^3y + x) * (2x^2y^2 + x)$ $(p^* (p + (p - ((2\ 1\ 3)) ((1\ 1)\ (2\ 3))) ((2\ 3\ 1)\ (1\ 1))) ((2\ 2\ 2)\ (1\ 1)))$	$4x^5y^3 - 4x^5y^2 + 2x^4y - 2x^4 + 4x^3y^5 + 2x^2y^3$ $((4\ 5\ 3)\ (-4\ 5\ 2)\ (2\ 4\ 1)\ (-2\ 4)\ (4\ 3\ 5)\ (2\ 2\ 3))$	Success: matches expected output
35	$((-2x^2y + y^2) + (4xy + 2y^2)) * (y^2)$ $(p^* (p + ((-2\ 2\ 1)\ (1\ 0\ 2)) ((4\ 1\ 1)\ (2\ 0\ 2))) ((1\ 0\ 2)))$	$-2x^2y^3 + 4xy^3 + 3y^4$ $((-2\ 2\ 3)\ (4\ 1\ 3)\ (3\ 0\ 4))$	Success: matches expected output
36	$((a + b^2) * c^3) - (c + d^3)$ $(p - (p^* (p + ((1\ 1)) ((1\ 0\ 2))) ((1\ 0\ 0\ 3))) ((1\ 0\ 0\ 1)\ (1\ 0\ 0\ 0\ 3)))$	$ac^3 + b^2c^3 - c - d^3$ $((1\ 1\ 0\ 3)\ (1\ 0\ 2\ 3)\ (-1\ 0\ 0\ 1)\ (-1\ 0\ 0\ 0\ 3))$	Success: matches expected output
37	$((3x^2 + 2yz^2) * (20y - x^2)) * (3y + 4x)$ $(p^* (p^* ((3\ 2)\ (2\ 0\ 1\ 2)) ((20\ 0\ 1)\ (-1\ 2))) ((3\ 0\ 1)\ (4\ 1)))$	$-12x^5 + 240x^3y - 8x^3yz^2 + 160xy^2z^2 - 9x^4y + 180x^2y^2 - 6x^2y^2z^2 + 120y^3z^2$ $((-12\ 5)\ (240\ 3\ 1)\ (-8\ 3\ 1\ 2)\ (160\ 1\ 2\ 2)\ (-9\ 4\ 1)\ (180\ 2\ 2)\ (-6\ 2\ 2\ 2)\ (120\ 0\ 3\ 2))$	Success: matches expected output

38	$((2x^2 - 4) + (3xy - y^2)) - (250x^2 - 200xy - 350y^2)$ $(p - (p + '((2\ 2)\ (-4))\ '((3\ 1\ 1)\ (-1\ 0\ 2))))$ $'((250\ 2)\ (-200\ 1\ 1)\ (-350\ 0\ 2)))$	$-4 - 248x^2 + 203xy + 349y^2$ $((-4)\ (-248\ 2)\ (203\ 1\ 1)\ (349\ 0\ 2))$	Success: matches expected output
39	$((2x^2 - 4) + (3xy - y^2)) - (250x^2 - 200xy - 350y^2) - (-4 - 248x^2 + 203xy + 349y^2)$ $(p - (p - (p + '((2\ 2)\ (-4))\ '((3\ 1\ 1)\ (-1\ 0\ 2))))\ '((250\ 2)\ (-200\ 1\ 1)\ (-350\ 0\ 2)))$ $'((-4)\ (-248\ 2)\ (203\ 1\ 1)\ (349\ 0\ 2)))$	0 $((0))$	Success: matches expected output
40	$((((10 - 28y) - ((2x + 3z) * (12y - 3z)) + (3xy - 3y^2)) * (8xz - 8y^2)))$ $(p * (p + (p - '((10)\ (-28\ 0\ 1))\ (p * '((2\ 1)\ (3\ 0\ 0\ 1))\ '((12\ 0\ 1)\ (-3\ 0\ 0\ 1))))\ '((3\ 1\ 1)\ (-3\ 0\ 2)))\ '((8\ 1\ 0\ 1)\ (-8\ 0\ 2\ 0)))$	$-168x^2yz + 48x^2z^2 + 168xy^3 - 72xy^2z - 288xyz^2$ $-224xyz + 72xz^3 + 80xz + 24y^4 + 288y^3z + 244y^3 - 72y^2z^2 - 80y^2$ $((-168\ 2\ 1\ 1)\ (48\ 2\ 0\ 2)\ (168\ 1\ 3)\ (-72\ 1\ 2\ 1)\ (-288\ 1\ 1\ 2)\ (-224\ 1\ 1\ 1)\ (72\ 1\ 0\ 3)\ (80\ 1\ 0\ 1)\ (24\ 0\ 4)\ (288\ 0\ 3\ 1)\ (244\ 0\ 3)\ (-72\ 0\ 2\ 2)\ (-80\ 0\ 2))$	Success. Although $(-80\ 0\ 2)$, $(168\ 1\ 3)$, $(24\ 0\ 4)$ $(224\ 0\ 3)$ are outputted with an extra 0 in their list - such as $(168\ 1\ 3\ 0)$. These terms represent the same value in my representation, however.