

Recursion Assignment

- Objective:
 - This assignment aims to strengthen your understanding of recursion in Java. You will implement various recursive algorithms, analyze their performance, and write well-structured recursive functions.
- Instructions:
 - Implement the problems in Java.
 - Use only recursion (loops are not allowed).
 - Ensure your code is properly commented and follows good coding practices.
 - Submit a well-formatted report containing:
 - Problem statement
 - Code implementation
 - Explanation of your approach
 - Sample input/output

Problem Statements

- Part A: Basic Recursion
 - Factorial Calculation
 - Write a recursive function to calculate the factorial of a number.
 - Example:

Input: 5
Output: 120

- Fibonacci Series (1 Mark)
 - Implement a recursive function to compute the n-th Fibonacci number.
- Example:

Input: 6
Output: 8

- Sum of Digits (1 Mark)
 - Write a recursive function to compute the sum of digits of a number.
- Example:

Input: 987
Output: 24

- Reverse a String
 - Implement a recursive function to reverse a string.
- Example:

Input: "hello"
Output: "olleh"

- Power Function
 - Implement a recursive function to compute x^n .
- Example:

Input: (2, 5)
Output: 32

- Part B: Intermediate Recursion

- GCD using Recursion
 - Find the Greatest Common Divisor (GCD) of two numbers using recursion.
- Example:

Input: (48, 18)
Output: 6

- Check Palindrome
 - Implement a recursive function to check if a string is a palindrome.
- Example:

Input: "racecar"
Output: true

- Binary Search
 - Implement Binary Search using recursion on a sorted array.
- Example:

Input: ([1, 3, 5, 7, 9], 5)
Output: 2 (index)

- Tower of Hanoi
 - Implement the Tower of Hanoi problem for n disks.
- Example:

Input: n = 3
Output:
Move disk 1 from A to C
Move disk 2 from A to B

Move disk 1 from C to B
Move disk 3 from A to C

- Generate All Subsequences of a String
 - Print all possible subsequences of a given string using recursion.
- Example:

Input: "abc"

Output: {"", "a", "b", "c", "ab", "ac", "bc", "abc"}

- Part C: Advanced Recursion
 - String Permutations
 - Generate all permutations of a given string.
 - Example:

Input: "abc"

Output: {"abc", "acb", "bac", "bca", "cab", "cba"}

- Combination Sum Problem
 - Given an array of numbers and a target sum, find all unique combinations that sum up to the target.
- Example:

Input: [2, 3, 6, 7], target = 7

Output: [[7], [2, 2, 3]]

- N-Queens Problem (2 Marks)
 - Place N queens on an N×N chessboard so that no two queens attack each other.
- Example:

Input: N = 4

Output:

[0, 1, 0, 0]

[0, 0, 0, 1]

[1, 0, 0, 0]

[0, 0, 1, 0]

- Rat in a Maze Problem
 - Given an N×N matrix, where 0 represents a wall and 1 represents a possible path, find a way from the top-left to the bottom-right.

Submission Guidelines

- Deadline: 27 March 2025 before 10 PM
- Submit at: Our Lab WhatsApp Group
- Submit a PDF document with problem name, its code, output and explanation
- Plagiarism is strictly prohibited.