## CS 61A Fall 2020

# Structure and Interpretation of Computer Programs

MIDTERM 2 SOLUTIONS

## INSTRUCTIONS

This is your exam. Complete it either at exam.cs61a.org or, if that doesn't work, by emailing course staff with your solutions before the exam deadline.

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For questions with **circular bubbles**, you should select exactly *one* choice.

You must choose either this option
Or this one, but not both!

For questions with **square checkboxes**, you may select *multiple* choices.

You could select this choice.

You could select this one too!

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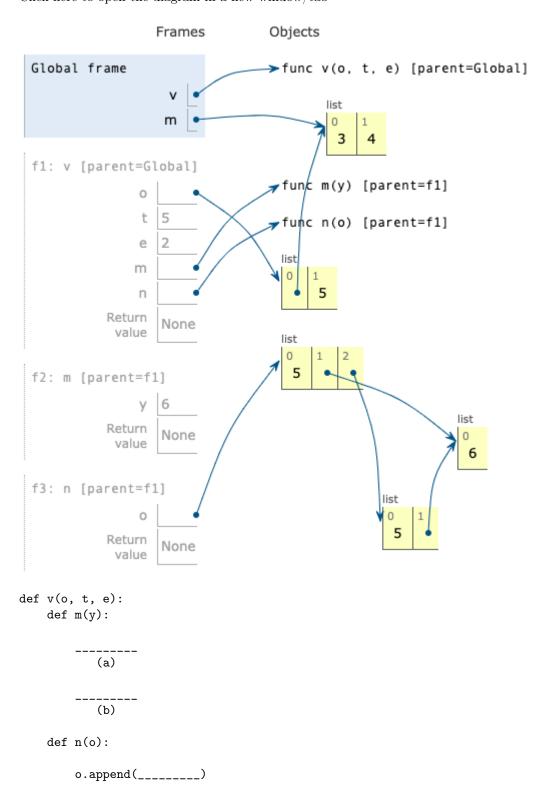
## Preliminaries

You can complete and submit these questions before the exam starts.		
(a)	What is your full name?	
(b)	What is your student ID number?	

## 1. (8.0 points) Political Environment

Fill in each blank in the code example below so that executing it would generate the following environment diagram.

**RESTRICTIONS.** You must use all of the blanks. Each blank can only include one statement or expression. Click here to open the diagram in a new window/tab



	(c)	
	o.append() (d)	
	m(e) n([t]) e = 2	
m =	= [3, 4]	
v(m,	1, 5, 6)	
(a)	) (2.0 pt) Fill in blank (a). You may not write any numbers or arithmetic operators (+ $//$ , **) in your solution.	·, -, *, /,
	nonlocal o	
(b)	) (2.0 pt) Fill in blank (b). You may not write any numbers or arithmetic operators (+ //, **) in your solution.	-, -, *, /,
	$\mathbf{o} = [\mathbf{o}, \mathbf{t}]$	
(c)	) (2.0 pt) Fill in blank (c). You may not write any numbers or arithmetic operators (+ //, **) in your solution.	·, -, *, /,
	[e]	
(d)	(2.0 pt) Which of these could fill in blank (d)? Check all that apply.	
	list(o)	
	☐ [list(o)]	
	☐ list([o])	
	o + []	
	[0[0], 0[1]]	
	o[:]	

## 2. (10.0 points) Yield, Fibonacci!

True
False

## (a) (4.0 points)

Implement fibs, a generator function that takes a one-argument pure function f and yields all Fibonacci numbers x for which f(x) returns a true value.

The Fibonacci numbers begin with 0 and then 1. Each subsequent Fibonacci number is the sum of the previous two. Yield the Fibonacci numbers in order.

```
def fibs(f):
    """Yield all Fibonacci numbers x for which f(x) is a true value.
    >>> odds = fibs(lambda x: x % 2 == 1)
    >>> [next(odds) for i in range(10)]
    [1, 1, 3, 5, 13, 21, 55, 89, 233, 377]
    >>> bigs = fibs(lambda x: x > 20)
    >>> [next(bigs) for i in range(10)]
    [21, 34, 55, 89, 144, 233, 377, 610, 987, 1597]
    >>> evens = fibs(lambda x: x \% 2 == 0)
    >>> [next(evens) for i in range(10)]
    [0, 2, 8, 34, 144, 610, 2584, 10946, 46368, 196418]
    n, m = 0, 1
    while ____:
        if ____:
             (b)
              (c)
           (d)
 i. (1.0 pt) Which of these could fill in blank (a)?
   () f(n)
   (m)
   \bigcirc f(n) or f(m)
   \bigcirc f(n) and f(m)
```

ii.	(1.0 pt) Which of these could fill in blank (b)?
	• f(n)
	(m)
	Of(n) or f(m)
	Of(n) and f(m)
	○ True
	○ False
iii.	(1.0 pt) Fill in blank (c).
	yield n
iv.	(1.0 pt) Fill in blank (d).
	n, m = m, n + m

## (b) (6.0 points)

**Definition.** For a linked list s, the *index* of an element is the number of times rest appears in the smallest dot expression containing only s, rest, and first that evaluates to that element. For example, in the linked list s = Link(5, Link(7, Link(9, Link(11)))),

- The index of 5 (s.first) is 0.
- The index of 7 (s.rest.first) is 1.
- The index of 11 (s.rest.rest.rest.first) is 3.

Implement filter\_index, a function that takes a one-argument pure function f and a Link instance s. It returns a Link containing all elements of s that have an index i for which f(i) returns a true value.

Assume that s is a finite linked list of numbers that contains no repeated elements. The Link class appears on Page 2 (left column) of the Midterm 2 Study Guide.

```
def filter_index(f, s):
    """Return a Link containing the elements of Link s that have an index i for
    which f(i) is a true value.
   >>> powers = Link(1, Link(2, Link(4, Link(8, Link(16, Link(32))))))
   >>> filter_index(lambda x: x < 4, powers)
   Link(1, Link(2, Link(4, Link(8))))
   >>> filter_index(lambda x: x % 2 == 1, powers)
   Link(2, Link(8, Link(32)))
   def helper(i, s):
        if s is Link.empty:
           return s
        filtered_rest = _____
        if ____:
              (b)
           return ____
                      (c)
        else:
            return filtered_rest
    return _____
             (d)
```

i.	(1.0 pt) Which of these could fill in blank (a)?
	<pre>helper(i + 1, s.rest)</pre>
	<pre>O helper(i + 1, s.rest.rest)</pre>
	<pre>  filter_index(f, s.rest)</pre>
	<pre>  filter_index(f, s.rest.rest)</pre>
	<pre>Clink(helper(i + 1, s.rest))</pre>
	<pre>C Link(helper(i + 1, s.rest.rest))</pre>
	<pre>Link(filter_index(f, s.rest))</pre>
	<pre>Link(filter_index(f, s.rest.rest))</pre>
ii.	(1.0 pt) Fill in blank (b).
	f(i)
iii.	(2.0 pt) Fill in blank (c).
	Link(s.first, filtered_rest)
iv.	(2.0 pt) Fill in blank (d).
	$\mathrm{helper}(0,\mathrm{s})$

### 3. (12.0 points) Sparse Lists

The most\_common function returns the most common element in a non-empty list. You do not need to implement this function. Assume that it is implemented for you.

```
def most_common(s):
    """Return the most common element in non-empty list s. In case of a tie,
    return the most common element that appears first in s.

>>> most_common([3, 1, 4, 1, 5, 9])
1
    >>> most_common([3, 1, 4, 1, 5, 9, 2, 6, 5, 3, 5])
5
    >>> most_common([2, 7, 1, 8, 2, 8, 1, 8, 2, 8])
8
    >>> most_common([3, 5, 7, 7, 7, 5, 5])
5
    >>> most_common([3, 5, 7, 7, 7, 5, 5])
7
```

Implement the SparseList class. A SparseList instance represents a non-empty list s.

- Its common attribute is the most common value in s.
- Its others dictionary has a value for every element in s that is not common. The corresponding key is the index for that value in s.
- Its item method takes a non-negative integer i and returns s[i] or the string 'out of range' if i is not smaller than the length of s.
- Its items method returns a list with the same elements as s in the same order as s.

#### class SparseList:

"""Represent a non-empty list as a most common value and a dictionary from indices to values that contains only values that are not the most common.

```
>>> pi = SparseList([3, 1, 4, 1, 5, 9, 2, 6, 5, 3, 5])
>>> pi.common
5
>>> pi.others
{0: 3, 1: 1, 2: 4, 3: 1, 5: 9, 6: 2, 7: 6, 9: 3}
>>> [pi.item(0), pi.item(1), pi.item(2), pi.item(3), pi.item(4)]
[3, 1, 4, 1, 5]
>>> pi.item(10)
5
>>> pi.item(11)
'out of range'
>>> pi.items()
[3, 1, 4, 1, 5, 9, 2, 6, 5, 3, 5]
"""

def __init__(self, s):
    ...
def item(self, i):
    ...
def items(self):
    ...
```

## (a) (5.0 points)

Implement the \_\_init\_\_ method, which takes a list s.

```
def __init__(self, s):
       assert s, 's cannot be empty'
       self.n = len(s)
       i. (1.0 pt) Fill in blank (a).
     \mathbf{S}
ii. (1.0 pt) Which of these could fill in blank (b)?
   i
   O self.i
   \bigcirc n
   O self.n
   ○ s[i]
   \bigcirc s
iii. (1.0 pt) Fill in blank (c).
     s[i]
iv. (1.0 pt) Which of these could fill in blank (d)? Check all that apply.
   □s
   len(s)
   ☐ self.s
   ☐ len(self.s)
   \square n
   ☐ len(n)
   self.n
   \square len(self.n)
v. (1.0 pt) Fill in blank (e).
     s[i] != self.common
```

## (b) (3.0 points)

```
Implement the {\tt item} method, which takes a non-negative integer {\tt i}.
```

```
def item(self, i):
    """Return s[i] or 'out of range' if i is not smaller than the length of s."""
    assert i >= 0, 'index i must be non-negative'

if _____:
    (a)
    return 'out of range'

elif ____:
    (b)
    return ____:
    (c)
```

else:

return self.common

i. (1.0 pt) Fill in blank (a).

```
\mathrm{i}>=\mathrm{self.n}
```

ii. (1.0 pt) Fill in blank (b).

```
i in self.others
```

- iii. (1.0 pt) Which of these could fill in blank (c)?
  - O others[i]
  - self.others[i]
  - O others[self.i]
  - self.others[self.i]
  - $\bigcirc$  others
  - self.others

## (c) (4.0 points)

Implement the items method.

def items(self):

i. (2.0 pt) Fill in blank (a). You may not use and, or, if, else, [, ], or get.

Hint: Don't repeat yourself.

 $\operatorname{self.item}(i)$ 

ii. (2.0 pt) Fill in blank (b).

range(self.n)

## 4. (20.0 points) Fork It

The *tree* data abstraction, which is implemented by the constructor tree, selectors branches and label, and helper functions is\_leaf and is\_tree appear on Page 2 (left column) of the Midterm 2 Study Guide. You may call these functions. Do not violate the abstraction barriers of the tree data abstraction.

## (a) (4.0 points)

Implement max\_path, which takes a tree t whose labels are all positive numbers and returns the largest sum of the labels along a path from the root of t to one of its leaves.

You may call tree, label, branches, is\_leaf, is\_tree, and max\_path. def max\_path(t): """Return the largest sum of labels along any path from the root to a leaf of tree t, which has positive numbers as labels. >>> a = tree(1, [tree(2), tree(3), tree(4, [tree(5)])]) >>> max\_path(a) # 1 + 4 + 5 >>> b = tree(6, [a, a, a]) >>> max\_path(b) # 6 + 1 + 4 + 5 16 11 11 11 return \_\_\_\_ + max(\_\_\_ + \_\_\_)
(a) (b) (c) i. (1.0 pt) Which of the following could fill in blank (a)?  $\bigcirc$  t label(t) () [t] O [label(t)]  $\bigcirc$  [0] sum([b for b in branches(t)]) sum([label(b) for b in branches(t)]) ii. (1.0 pt) Which of the following could fill in blank (b)?  $\bigcirc$  t () label(t) () [t] () [label(t)] [0] [label(b) for b in branches(t)]

iii. (2.0 pt) Fill in blank (c). You may not use the word default.

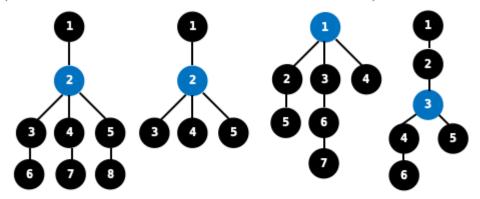
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[max_path(b) for b in branches(t)]
```

## (b) (8.0 points)

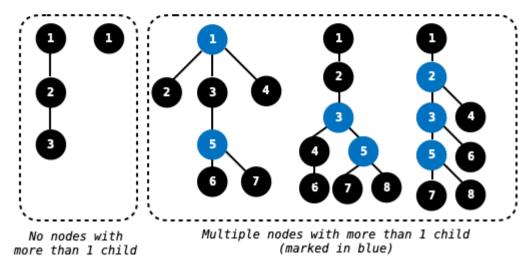
**Definition.** A fork is a tree in which **exactly one node** has more than one child.

#### Forks:

(The blue node is the one with more than one child.)



#### Not Forks:



Implement is\_fork and its helper function slide. The is\_fork function takes a *tree* t and returns True if t is a fork and False otherwise.

You may call tree, label, branches, is\_leaf, is\_tree, max\_path, is\_fork, and slide.

## def is\_fork(t):

"""Return whether tree t is a fork.

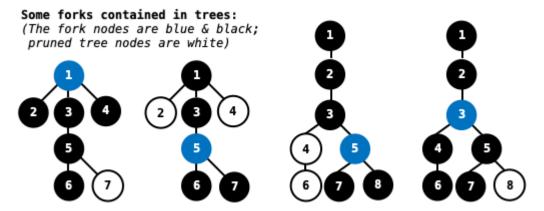
```
>>> is_fork(tree(1, [tree(2, [tree(3), tree(4), tree(5)])]))
True
>>> is_fork(tree(1, [tree(2, [tree(3)]), tree(4)]))
True
>>> is_fork(tree(1, [tree(2), tree(3), tree(4)]))
True
>>> is_fork(tree(1, [tree(2), [tree(3, [tree(5)]), tree(4, [tree(6)])])))
True
>>> is_fork(tree(1, [tree(2, [tree(3, [tree(5)]), tree(4, [tree(6)])])))
False
>>> is_fork(tree(1, [tree(2, [tree(3)])]))
False
```

```
>>> is_fork(tree(1, [tree(2, [tree(3)]), tree(4, [tree(5), tree(6)])]))
   False
   >>> is_fork(tree(1, [tree(2, [tree(3, [tree(5, [tree(7), tree(8)]), tree(6)]), tree(4)]))))
   False
    11 11 11
   neck = slide(t)
   if is_leaf(neck):
          (a)
   def slide(t):
    """Return the deepest node within tree t whose ancestors all have exactly one child.
   Definition: The ancestors of a node include its parent and the parents of all its ancestors.
   >>> deepest = slide(tree(1, [tree(2, [tree(3)])]))
   >>> label(deepest)
   >>> label(slide(tree(1, [tree(2, [tree(3), tree(4)])])))
   2
   11 11 11
   while ____:
            (e)
       t = _____
   return t
 i. (1.0 pt) Fill in blank (a).
     return False
ii. (1.0 pt) Which of the following could fill in blank (b)?
   all
   \bigcirc any
   ○ list
   O tree
    branches
   ○ label
```

iii. (2.0 pt) Fill in blank (c). is\_leaf(slide(b)) iv. (1.0 pt) Which of the following could fill in blank (d)?  $\bigcirc$  t  $\bigcirc$  tree neck O label(t) label(tree) label(neck) v. (1.0 pt) Which of the following could fill in blank (e)? len(branches(t)) == 1 O len(branches(t)) > 1 len(branches(t)) != 1  $\bigcirc$  branches(t) == 1  $\bigcirc$  branches(t) > 1 branches(t) != 1 vi. (2.0 pt) Fill in blank (f). branches(t)[0]

## (c) (8.0 points)

**Definition.** A tree t contains a fork u if u is the result of pruning zero or more nodes from t.



Implement max\_fork, which takes a tree t whose labels are all positive integers. It returns the largest sum of the labels of a fork that is contained in t. If t does not contain any forks, then max\_fork returns 0.

You may call tree, label, branches, is\_leaf, is\_tree, max\_path, is\_fork, slide, and max\_fork.

## def max\_fork(t):

"""Return the largest sum of the labels in any fork contained in tree t, which has positive numbers as labels. If t contains no forks, return 0.

```
>>> a = tree(1, [tree(2), tree(3), tree(4, [tree(5)])])
>>> max_fork(a) # 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + 5
15
>>> b = tree(6, [a, a, a])
                            6 + (1 + 4 + 5) + (1 + 4 + 5) + (1 + 4 + 5)
>>> max_fork(b) #
>>> c = tree(7, [tree(8), b, tree(9)])
                     7 + (6 + (1 + 4 + 5) + (1 + 4 + 5) + (1 + 4 + 5))
>>> max_fork(c) #
>>> d = tree(9, [c])
\Rightarrow max_fork(d) # 9 + 7 + (6 + (1 + 4 + 5) + (1 + 4 + 5) + (1 + 4 + 5))
>>> max_fork(tree(1, [tree(2, [tree(3)])])) # No forks here!
0
11 11 11
n = len(branches(t))
if n == 0:
    return 0
elif n == 1:
    below = _____
               (a)
    if ____:
          (b)
```

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return _____ + below
        else:
           return 0
   else:
       here = sum([_____ for b in branches(t)])
       return label(t) + max(here, there)
 i. (2.0 pt) Fill in blank (a).
     \max_{\text{fork}(\text{branches}(t)[0])}
ii. (1.0 pt) Which of the these could fill in blank (b)?
   below > 0
   \bigcirc label(t) > 0
   \bigcirc max_fork(t) > 0
   ○ True
    max_fork(t) > max_path(t)
   O is_fork(t)
iii. (1.0 pt) Which of these could fill in blank (c)?
   \bigcirc 1
   label(t)
    max_path(t)
    label(slide(t))
   max([label(b) for b in branches(t)])
   label(branches(t)[0])
iv. (2.0 pt) Fill in blank (d).
     max path(b)
```

v. (2.0 pt) Fill in blank (e).

 $max\_fork(b)$ 

No more questions.