

**ACSL**

2013 - 2014

**American Computer Science League****Contest #1****Intermediate Division****1. Recursive Functions**Find  $f(12)$  given:

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 2 * f(x-3) - 3 & \text{if } x > 6 \\ f(x+2) + 1 & \text{if } 4 < x \leq 6 \\ x + 4 & \text{if } x \leq 4 \end{cases}$$

**2. Recursive Functions**Find  $f(10,2)$  given:

$$f(x,y) = \begin{cases} f(x-2, y+2) + 2 & \text{if } x > y \\ f(x+1, y-1) - 1 & \text{if } x = y \\ xy & \text{if } x < y \end{cases}$$

**3. Computer Number Systems**

Find the average of the following. Express the answer in octal.

$$110111_2 \quad 63_{10} \quad 3A_{16} \quad 124_8$$

**4. Computer Number Systems**

Which of the following has the most 1's in its binary representation?

$$178_{16} \quad 567_8 \quad 101110110_2 \quad 565_8 \quad 377_{10}$$

**5. What Does This Program Do?**

What is printed when this program is run?

a = 10 : b=5 : c=20 : d=1 : e=2

if a + b &gt; c / e then b = a - b else c = c \* e

if a / b = c / b then a = b + 2 \* e else d = b ^ 2

if (a &gt; b) and (c &gt; d) then e = d / b else b = a + c / e

if (a + c > d \* e) or (b / c = b / (2 \* a)) then b = a - e  
else c = b - c

if (a &lt; b) or (c &lt; d) and (b + e = a) then d = d - c else c = c / a

print c / (b + e) - d ^ 2 + a / e

end