

Project 5: Streams

Due: Tue March 30, 2021

Introduction

In this assignment, you will work with streams to evaluate power series.

Consider the series $s(x) = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + \dots$. We can represent this series by its finite or infinite sequence of coefficients (a_0, a_1, a_2, \dots) . We will view this sequence as a stream.

Specification

For all functions below, use memoized streams. All input streams are nonempty, and may be finite or infinite. Compute only as much of the result stream as needed.

1. Write a function **addSeries** that takes two streams of coefficients for the series $s(x)$ and $t(x)$ and returns the stream of coefficients for the sum $s(x) + t(x)$.

For example, given $1+2x+3x^2+\dots$ and $2+6x+9x^2+\dots$, the result will be $3+8x+12x^2+\dots$

2. Write a function **prodSeries** that takes two streams of coefficients for the series $s(x)$ and $t(x)$ and returns the stream of coefficients for the product $s(x) \cdot t(x)$.

For example, given $1+2x+3x^2+\dots$ and $2+6x+9x^2+\dots$, the result will be $2+10x+27x^2+\dots$

Hint: consider that a series can be written as $s(x) = a_0 + x s_1(x)$, where $s_1(x)$ is another series.

3. Write a function **derivSeries** that takes a stream of coefficients for the series $s(x)$, and returns a stream of coefficients for the derivative $s'(x)$.

For example, given $1+2x+3x^2+\dots$, the result will be $2+6x+\dots$,

4. Write a function **coeff** that takes a stream of coefficients for the series $s(x)$ and a natural number n , and returns the array of coefficients of $s(x)$, up to and including that of order n . If the stream has fewer coefficients, return as many as there are.

5. Write a function **evalSeries** that takes a stream of coefficients for the series $s(x)$, and a natural number n , and returns a closure. When called with a real number x , this closure will return the sum of all terms of $s(x)$ up to and including the term of order n .

6. Write a function **rec1Series** that takes a function f and a value v and returns the series $s(x)$ where $a_0 = v$, and $a_{k+1} = f(a_k)$, for $k \geq 0$.

7. Write a function **expSeries** with no arguments that returns the Taylor series for e^x , i.e., the coefficients are $a_k = 1/k!$. You may use **rec1Series** with an appropriate closure.

8. Write a function **recurSeries**, taking two arrays, **coef** and **init**, assumed of equal positive length k , with **coef** = $[c_0, c_1, \dots, c_{k-1}]$. The function should return the infinite stream of values a_i given by a k -order recurrence: the first k values are given by **init**: $[a_0, a_1, \dots, a_{k-1}]$; the following values are computed using the relation $a_{n+k} = c_0 a_n + c_1 a_{n+1} + \dots + c_{k-1} a_{n+k-1}$ for $n \geq 0$.