

Assignment 3

Exercise 1

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def recursive_max(vals: list):
    if len(vals) == 1:
        return vals[0]
    else:
        smallest = min(vals[0], vals[1])
        vals.remove(smallest)
        return recursive_max(vals)
```

Exercise 2

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def recursive_fibonacci(val: int):
    if val < 2:
        return val
    else:
        return recursive_fibonacci(val-2) + recursive_fibonacci(val-1)
```

The recursive fibonacci function suffers from having to perform an increasing amount of redundant calculations as the value passed in increases. when we call `recursive_fibonacci(val-2)`, the second time `recursive_fibonacci(val-1)` is called, the operation being done is the same

Iterative fibonacci simply performs calculations on the input and doesn't suffer from this redundancy.

Exercise 3

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def recursive_sum(n: int, subtract: int = 0):
    if n < 1:
        return 0
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else:  
    return n + recursive_sum(n-subtract, subtract+2)
```

Exercise4

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def recursive_power(a: int, pow: int):  
    if pow == 0:  
        return 1  
    else:  
        return a * recursive_power(a, pow-1)
```

Function Calls

```
clt.header("Maxmimum")  
print(recursive_max([1,55,23429,123,523,42]))  
  
clt.header("Fibonacci")  
print(recursive_fibonacci(36))  
print(recursive_fibonacci(10))  
  
clt.header("Sum")  
print(recursive_sum(55))  
  
clt.header("power")  
print(recursive_power(2,5))
```

Output

```
Maxmimum:  
23429
```

```
Fibonacci:  
14930352  
55
```

```
Sum:
```

328

Power:

32