

Tail Recursion

Code

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HelloWorld.scala

1 import scala.annotation.tailrec

2 // 1 - basic recursive factorial method

3 def factorial(n: Int): Int = if (n == 0) 1 else n * factorial(n-1)

4 * // 2 - tail-recursive factorial method def factorial2(n: Long): Long = {

6 def factorialAccumulator(acc: Long, n: Long): Long = {

7 if (n == 0) acc else factorialAccumulator(n*acc, n-1)

8 }

9 println(factorialAccumulator(1,3));
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Output

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6

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5 def factorial2(n: Long): Unit={

6 @tailrec

7 def factorialAccumulator(acc: Long, n: Long): Long = {

8 if (n == 0) acc else factorialAccumulator(n*acc, n-1)

9 }

10 println(factorialAccumulator(1,n))

11 }

12 factorial2(5)
```

Output

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120

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import scala.annotation.tailrec
import scala.io.StdIn

// 1 - basic recursive factorial method

def factorial(n: Int): Int = if (n == 0) 1 else n * factorial(n - 1)

// 2 - tail-recursive factorial method

def factorial2(n: Long): Unit = {
    @tailrec
    def factorialAccumulator(acc: Long, n: Long): Long = {
        if (n == 0) acc else factorialAccumulator(n * acc, n - 1)
    }

println(factorialAccumulator(1,n))
}

println("Enter number:")
val n = StdIn.readLong()
println("Factorial of "+n+":")
factorial2(n)
```

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