

A Machine Learning Analysis of Halting in the SKI Combinator Calculus

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Abstract

Much of machine learning is driven by the question: can we learn what we cannot compute? The learnability of the halting problem, the canonical undecidable problem (?), to an arbitrarily high accuracy for Turing machines was proven by Lathrop (Lathrop, 1996). The SKI combinator calculus can be seen as a reduced form of the untyped lambda calculus, which is Turing-complete (Turing, 1937); hence, the SKI combinator calculus forms a universal model of computation. In this vein, we (?) analyse the growth and halting times of SKI combinator expressions, estimate the probability of an SKI combinator expression halting after a given number of steps(,) and investigate the feasibility of a machine learning approach to predicting whether a given SKI combinator expression is likely to halt.

SK Combinators

<Write about SKI combinators and what halting means - nb, we are not trying to *solve* the *halting problem* which is undecidable. Talk about <https://www.ics.uci.edu/~rickl/publications/1996-icml.pdf>>

<https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Unlambda>

$k[x_][y_]:=x$

$ln[*]:=s[x_][y_][z_]:=x[z][y[z]]$

$ln[*]:=s[k][s][k]$

$Out[*]:=k$

Rules

$$\text{In}[*]:= \text{SKRules} = \{k[x_][y_]\Rightarrow x, s[x_][y_][z_]\Rightarrow x[z][y[z]]\}$$
$$Out[\bullet] = \{k[x_][y_]\Rightarrow x, s[x_][y_][z_]\Rightarrow x[z][y[z]]\}$$

```
In[•]:= s[k][s][k] /. SKRules
```

$$Out[\bullet] = k[k][s[k]]$$

```
In[ ]:= k[k][s[k]] /. SKRules
```

$$Out[\bullet] = k$$
$$\ln[\bullet] := \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{s}[\mathbf{k}][\mathbf{s}][\mathbf{k}]$$
$$Out[\bullet] = s[k] \quad [s] \quad [k]$$
$$\text{In}[\bullet] := \mathbf{y} = \mathbf{x} /. \text{SKRules}$$
$$Out[\bullet] = k[k][s[k]]$$
$$\ln[\bullet] := \mathbf{y}$$
$$Out[\bullet] = k[k][s[k]]$$
$$\ln[\bullet] := \mathbf{x}$$
$$Out[\bullet] = s[k] \quad [s] \quad [k]$$
$$Out[\bullet] = s[k][s][k] == s[k][s]$$

```
In[ ]:= ClearAll[s, k, x, y, z]
```

$$\text{SKRules} = \{k[x_][y_]\Rightarrow x, s[x_][y_][z_]\Rightarrow x[z][y[z]]\};$$
$$\text{SKEvaluate}[\text{expr}] :=$$

```
NestList[#1 /. SKRules &, expr, 50]
```

```
In[ ]:= SKEvaluate[s[k][s][k]]
```

[illegible]
$$In[\bullet] := \{s[k][s][k]\}$$
$$Out[\bullet] = \{s[k][s][k]\}$$
$$In[\bullet] := \text{expr} = s[s[s]][s][s][s]$$
$$Out[\bullet] = S[S[S]][S][S][S]$$

```
In[ ]:= y = Characters /@ ToString /@ SKEvaluate[expr]
```

$$\text{In}[\bullet] := \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{s}[\mathbf{s}[\mathbf{s}[\mathbf{s}]] [\mathbf{s}]] [\mathbf{s}[\mathbf{s}[\mathbf{s}[\mathbf{s}]] [\mathbf{s}]]]$$
$$Out[\bullet] = S[S[S[S]]][S][S[S[S[S]]][S]]$$

Characters[y]

Out[]:= {S, [, S, [, S, [, S,],], [, S,],], [, S, [, S, [, S, [, S,],], [, S,],], }

In[]:= SKColourTable = Table[{x, y} → Blue, {x, 11}, {y, 11}]

abc = Flatten[SKColourTable, 1]

Rasterization - add examples

In[]:= SKRasterize[func_] := SKRasterize[func, 10];

```
SKRasterize[func_, n_] := Module[{SKRules, SKEvaluate, SKArray, SKGrid},
  SKRules = {k[x_] [y_] ⇨ x, s[x_] [y_] [z_] ⇨ x[z] [y[z]]};
  SKEvaluate[expr_] := NestList[#1 /. SKRules &, expr, n];
  SKArray[expr_] := Characters /@ ToString /@ SKEvaluate[expr];
  SKGrid[exp_] :=
    ArrayPlot[SKArray[exp], {ColorRules → {"s" → RGBColor[1, 0, 0],
      "k" → RGBColor[0, 1, 0], "[" → RGBColor[0, 0, 1], "]" → RGBColor[0, 0, 0]}},
      PixelConstrained → True, Frame → False, ImageSize → 1000];
  SKGrid[func]
]
```

In[]:= SKRules = {k[x_] [y_] ⇨ x, s[x_] [y_] [z_] ⇨ x[z] [y[z]]};

SKEvaluate[expr_, n_] := NestList[#1 /. SKRules &, expr, n];

SKEvaluate[expr_] := SKEvaluate[expr, 10];

SKArray[expr_] := SKArray[expr, 10];

SKArray[expr_, n_] := Characters /@ ToString /@ SKEvaluate[expr, n];

SKGrid[exp_] := SKGrid[exp, 10];

SKGrid[exp_, n_] :=

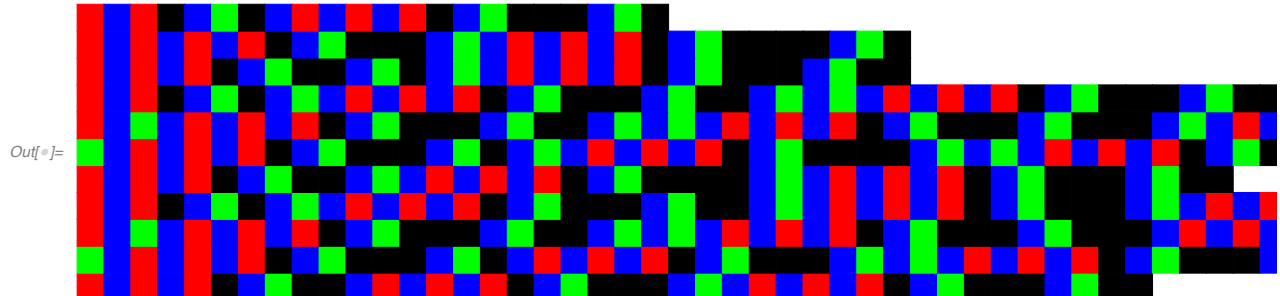
```
ArrayPlot[SKArray[exp, n], {ColorRules → {"s" → RGBColor[1, 0, 0],
  "k" → RGBColor[0, 1, 0], "[" → RGBColor[0, 0, 1], "]" → RGBColor[0, 0, 0]}},
  PixelConstrained → True, Frame → False, ImageSize → 1000];
```

SKRasterize[func_] := SKRasterize[func, 10];

SKRasterize[func_, n_] := SKGrid[func, n]

In[]:= SKLengths[exp_, n_] := StringLength /@ ToString /@ SKEvaluate[exp, n];

In[]:= SKRasterize[s[s][k][s[s[s][k]]][k]]



```
In[ ]:= SKFuncs = {s[s[s]] [s] [k] [k], s[s[s]] [s] [s] [s], s[s[s]] [s] [s] [s] [k],
  s[s] [s] [s[s[s]]] [s], s[s[s]] [s] [s] [s] [s], s[s[s]] [s] [s] [s] [s],
  s[s] [s] [s[s[s[s]]]] [k], s[s] [k] [s[s[s]]] [s] [k], s[s] [s] [s[s[s]]] [s] [k],
  s[s] [s] [s[s]] [s] [s[k]], s[s[s[s]] [s]] [s] [s] [k], s[s] [k] [s[s[s] [k]]] [k]}
```

```
Out[ ]:= {s[s[s]] [s] [k] [k], s[s[s]] [s] [s] [s], s[s[s]] [s] [s] [s] [k],
  s[s] [s] [s[s[s]]] [s], s[s[s]] [s] [s] [s] [s], s[s[s]] [s] [s] [s] [s],
  s[s] [s] [s[s[s[s]]]] [k], s[s] [k] [s[s[s]]] [s] [k], s[s] [s] [s[s[s]]] [s] [k],
  s[s] [s] [s[s]] [s] [s[k]], s[s[s[s]] [s]] [s] [s] [k], s[s] [k] [s[s[s] [k]]] [k]}
```

```
In[ ]:= SKRasterize /@ SKFuncs
```



Random SK combinators ()

Investigating growth of SK combinators

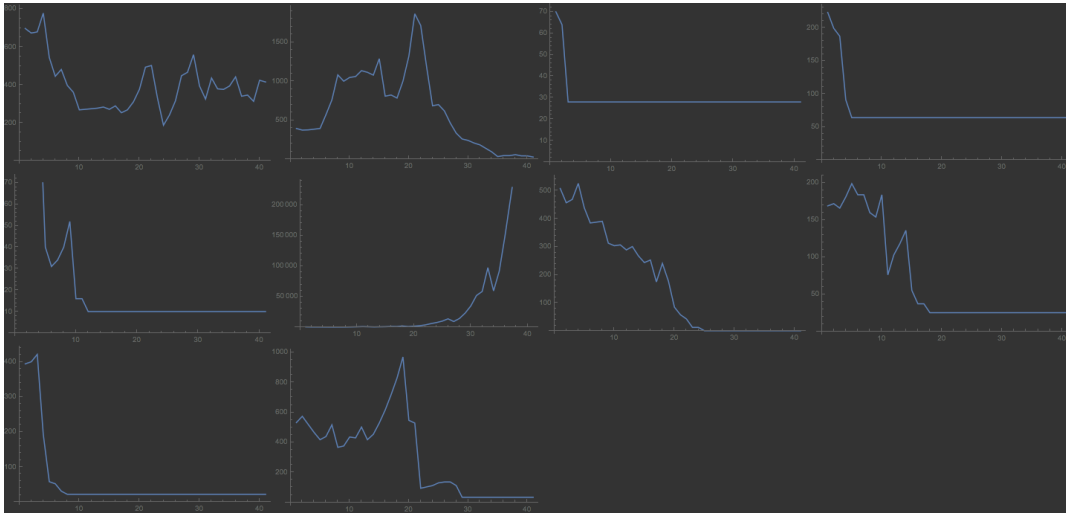
Halting Graphs

SKLengths generates a table of length of combinator

```
In[ ]:= ListLinePlot[
  SKLengths[k[k[k[k[s[s[s]]]] [s]] [k[s] [k]] [s[k]] [k]] [k[s[k[k]] [s]] [k[k]] [k]] [
    s[k[k[k]]] [s[s]] [s], 40]]
```

```
In[76]:= exprs = Table[RandomSKExpr[10], 10];
ImageCollage[Table[ListLinePlot[SKLengths[exprs[[n]], 40]], {n, 10}]]
```

Out[77]=



Halting Probabilities

Some halt, some do not. (haven't seen a cyclical one yet) --> linear/exponential.

Assumptions: If length stays constant, it has halted. **Dataset:** SK combinators with depth 10

$P(\text{halts by } 20 | \text{doesn't halt by } 10) = ?$ $P(\text{halts by } 30 | \text{doesn't halt by } 20)$

```
In[*]:= exprs = Monitor[Table[RandomSKExpr[10], {n, 100}], n];
```

```
In[*]:= lengths = Monitor[Table[SKLengths[exprs[[n]], 40], {n, 100}], n];
```

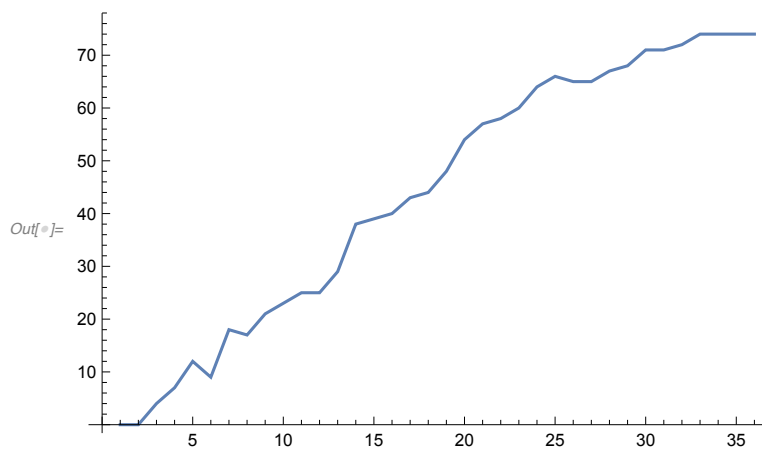
Out[*]= \$Aborted

```
HaltIf[n_, list_] := SameQ[list[[n]], list[[n - 1]]]
```

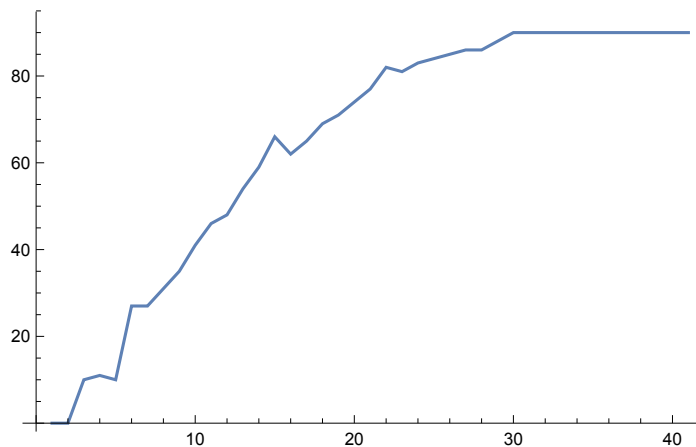
```
In[*]:= HaltBy[n_, lens_] := Count[lens, x_ /; HaltIf[n, x] == True]
```

Taking only lengths:

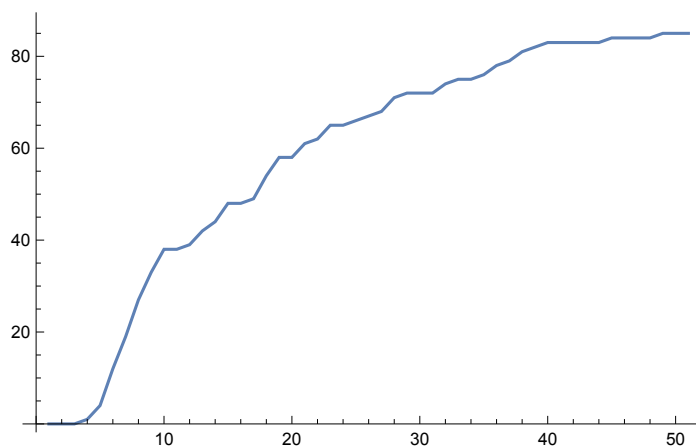
```
In[*]:= ListLinePlot[Table[HaltBy[n, lengths], {n, 0, 35}]]
```



Number that have 'constant length' after every 5 iterations (c.f. nuclear half life?)



Number that have halted after every 5 iterations (checking for actual halting)



```
In[ ]:= Table[HaltBy[n, lengths] - HaltBy[n - 5, lengths], {n, 5, 40, 5}]
```

```
Out[ ]:= {27, 19, 16, 15, 8, 5, 0, 0}
```

```
In[ ]:= exprs = Monitor[Table[RandomSKEExpr[10], {n, 1000}], n];
```

```
In[ ]:= lengths = Monitor[Table[SKEvaluate[exprs[[n]], 50], {n, 1000}], n];
```

```
Out[ ]:= $Aborted
```

```
In[ ]:= haltbytable = GenerateHaltByTable[10, 50, 1000]
```

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Out[ ]:= {
  { ... 1 ... [s] → 26, s[s[ ... 1 ... ]] → False, ... 996 ..., k[ ... 1 ... ] → 13,
    k[k[k[s[k[s[s[s[s[s[k[k[k[ ... 1 ... ] [s[s]] [s]] [k[k[ ... 1 ... ] [k[s]]]]]]]]] [
      k[k[k[k]]]] [s]] [
        s[ ... 1 ... ]]] [ ... 1 ... [k]]] [s[s[s]]] [s] → 11}
}
```

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```
In[ ]:= DumpSave["/Users/eohomegrownapps/CODE/Assorted
codings/Wolfram/SK-Combinators/10_50_haltbytable.mx", haltbytable];
```

```
In[ ]:= vals = BinCounts[Sort[Values[haltbytable]], {1, 51, 1}]
```

```
Out[ ]:= {0, 2, 19, 33, 39, 37, 44, 42, 27, 35, 30, 37, 31,
          30, 29, 33, 30, 25, 22, 26, 25, 27, 23, 15, 18, 20, 18, 15, 14,
          5, 13, 6, 17, 9, 8, 5, 2, 4, 5, 1, 0, 4, 8, 2, 4, 3, 1, 2, 3, 0}
```

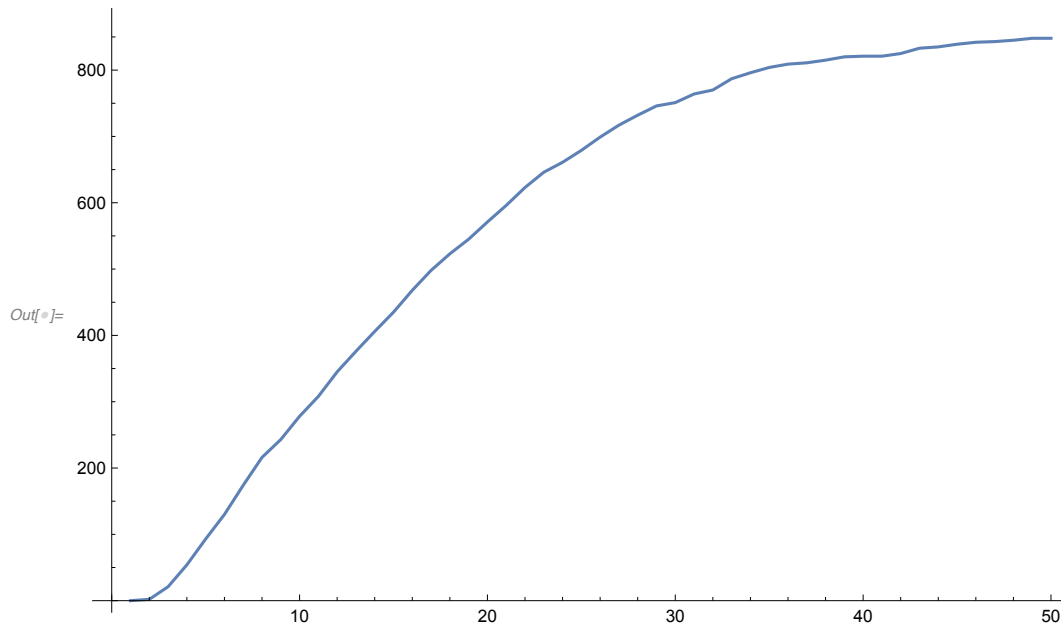
```
In[ ]:= cumulative = Table[Total[vals[[1 ;; n]]], {n, 1, Length[vals]}]
```

```
Out[ ]:= {0, 2, 21, 54, 93, 130, 174, 216, 243, 278, 308, 345, 376, 406, 435, 468, 498, 523,
          545, 571, 596, 623, 646, 661, 679, 699, 717, 732, 746, 751, 764, 770, 787, 796,
          804, 809, 811, 815, 820, 821, 821, 825, 833, 835, 839, 842, 843, 845, 848, 848}
```

```
In[ ]:= Table[{n, cumulative[[n]]}, {n, 1, Length[cumulative]}]
```

```
Out[ ]:= {{1, 0}, {2, 2}, {3, 21}, {4, 54}, {5, 93}, {6, 130}, {7, 174}, {8, 216},
          {9, 243}, {10, 278}, {11, 308}, {12, 345}, {13, 376}, {14, 406}, {15, 435},
          {16, 468}, {17, 498}, {18, 523}, {19, 545}, {20, 571}, {21, 596}, {22, 623},
          {23, 646}, {24, 661}, {25, 679}, {26, 699}, {27, 717}, {28, 732}, {29, 746},
          {30, 751}, {31, 764}, {32, 770}, {33, 787}, {34, 796}, {35, 804}, {36, 809},
          {37, 811}, {38, 815}, {39, 820}, {40, 821}, {41, 821}, {42, 825}, {43, 833},
          {44, 835}, {45, 839}, {46, 842}, {47, 843}, {48, 845}, {49, 848}, {50, 848}}
```

```
In[ ]:= ListLinePlot[Table[Total[vals[[1 ;; n]]], {n, 1, Length[vals]}]]
```



```
In[ ]:= SKHalt[expr_, limit_] := Module[{evaluate},
      evaluate = SKEvaluate[expr, limit];
      HaltIf[limit, evaluate]
    ]
```

```
In[ ]:= SKHalt[k[s[s[k[s][k[k]]][s]][s[s[s]]][s[k]]][s]][k[k[s[k]]]][s[s]][s], 10]
```

```
Out[ ]:= False
```

```
In[ ]:= {a → b, c → d}
```

```
Out[ ]:= {a → b, c → d}
```

```
In[ ]:= f @@ {a → b, c → d}
```

```
Out[ ]:= f[a → b, c → d]
```

Machine Learning Analysis of SK Combinators

Generating Datasets

~1000*n random SK expressions at each of depths {n,1,10}, halted if SKHalt[40]==True.

```
Monitor[Table[x = GenerateTable[n, 40, n * 1000];
  DumpSave["/Users/eohomegrownapps/CODE/Assorted
    codings/Wolfram/SK-Combinators/" <> ToString[n] <> ".mx", x],
  {n, 1, 15}], n] (*generate all possible expressions*)
```

~5000 random SK expressions at depth 10, halted if SKHalt[40] == True.

~5000 random SK expressions at depth 8, halted if SKHalt[40] == True.

```
In[ ]:= x = GenerateTable[8, 40, 5000];
  DumpSave["/Users/eohomegrownapps/CODE/Assorted
    codings/Wolfram/SK-Combinators/8_40.mx", x];
n
```

```
In[ ]:= x = GenerateTable[8, 40, 5000];
  DumpSave["/Users/eohomegrownapps/CODE/Assorted
    codings/Wolfram/SK-Combinators/8_40_test.mx", x];
```

Training Attempt #1: 1000 random SK expressions, depth 10, halted if SKHalt[40]==True. NoHalt dataset same length as Halt dataset. Using raw string. Best classifier so far.

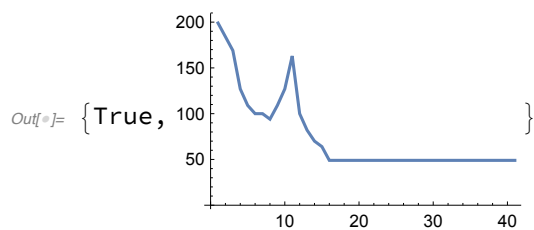
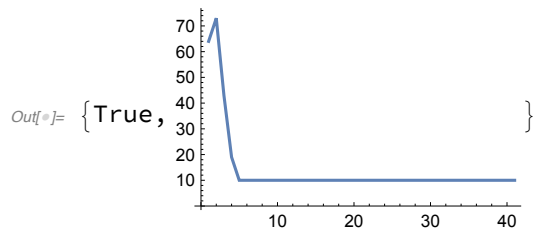
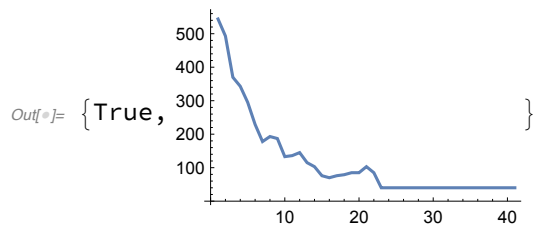
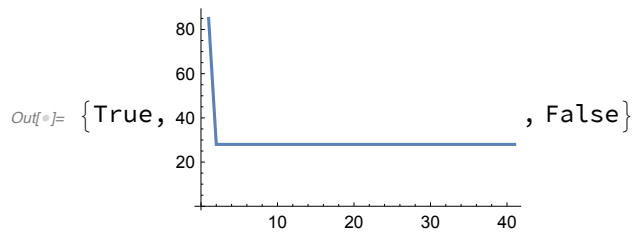
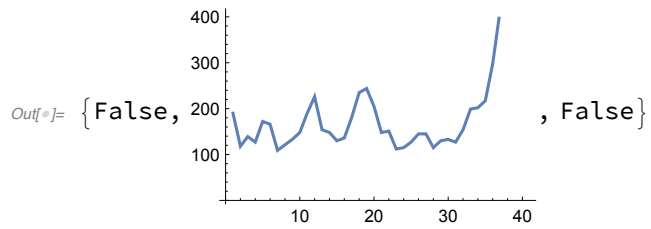
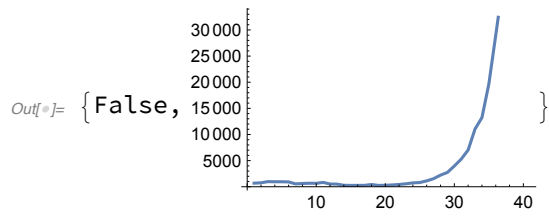
```
lengths = GenerateTable[10, 40, 1000]
NoHalt = Select[lengths, #[[2]] == False &]
Halt = Select[lengths, #[[2]] == True &]
HaltTrain = RandomSample[Halt, Length[NoHalt]]
TrainingData = Join[HaltTrain, NoHalt]
TrainingData2 = ConvertSKTableToString[TrainingData]

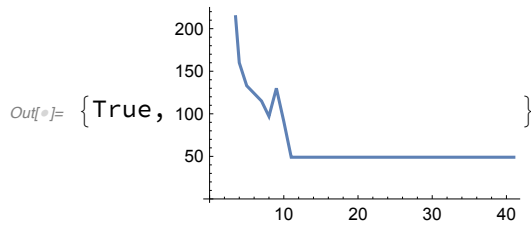
HaltClassifier1 = Classify[TrainingData2]

In[ ]:= HaltClassifier1["s[s[s]] [s] [s] [s] [k]"]
Out[ ]:= True
```


Classifier test:

Table[TestClassifier[HaltClassifier1, TrainingData2], 10]





```
In[ ]:= SKGrid[k[
  s[k[k[k[k[s[s[k[k[k[k][s[s[k[k[s[s][k[k[k][k[k[s[k]]]]][k[k]]][s]]]]][k[s]]][
    k[s[k[k][k[s[k[s[s][s[s]]][s[s[k]]][k]]][s[s[k[k]]][
      k[k]]][s[k[s[s[k][s[k][k]]][s[k]]][
        k[s[k]]][k]]][s[k][k]]][s[k[s]]][k]]
      k[k[k]]][k]]]]][k[s[s[k[s[s]]][s]]][k[s]]]
```

Out[]:=



```
In[ ]:= GenerateTable[depth_, iterations_, number_] := Module[{exprs},
  exprs = Monitor[Table[RandomSKExpr[depth], {n, number}], n];
  lengths =
    Monitor[Table[exprs[[n]] → SKHalt[exprs[[n]], iterations], {n, number}], n];
  Return[lengths]
]
```

```
Monitor[Flatten[Table[GenerateTable[n, 40, 200], {n, 1, 10}], n]
```

Out[]:=

```
{k[s] → True, s[k] → True, ... 1997 ... ,
  s[k[k[s[k[k[s[k[s[s[s[k][k[k[k[s[k[s[k[s[k[s][s[s[k]]][k[s]]][s]]][s[s][s]]][
    k[k]]]]][k[k[s][k[s]]][s]]][s[s[k]]][k]]][s[k]]][
      k]]]]][s[s[k[k[s[k[k[s[k]]][s[k[k]]]]]]][
        s[k[k[s][s]]][k]]][s[k[s]]][s]]]]][
          s[k][k[s]]][s]]][s[s[s]]][s[k]]][k]]]]][
            s[k][k[s[s]]][k]]][s[k]]][s]]][k[k]] → True}
```

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Training Attempt #2: 200 random SK expressions at each of depths 1-10, halted if SKHalt[40]==True. NoHalt dataset not same length as Halt dataset. Using raw string. Bad performance. <citation needed>

```
LargeTrainingData = GenerateTableDepthRange[1, 10, 40, 200]
```

```
In[ ]:= Length[LargeTrainingData]
```

Out[]:= 1563

```
LargeTrainingData2 = ConvertSKTableToString[LargeTrainingData]
```

```
In[ ]:= LargeClassify = Classify[LargeTrainingData2]
```

```
Out[ ]:= ClassifierFunction[ Input type: Text  
Classes: False, True]
```

```
In[ ]:= LargeClassify["s[s][s][s[s[s]]][s][s][s][s][s]" (* halts *)
```

```
Out[ ]:= False
```

Training Attempt #3: 200 random SK expressions at each of depths 1 - 10, halted if SKHalt[40] == True. NoHalt dataset same length as Halt dataset. Using raw string. Bad performance. <citation needed>

```
NoHaltLarge2 = GetSKHalt[LargeTrainingData2, False]
```

```
In[ ]:= Length[NoHaltLarge2]
```

```
Out[ ]:= 99
```

```
HaltLarge2 = GetSKHalt[LargeTrainingData2, True]
```

```
In[ ]:= Length[HaltLarge2]
```

```
Out[ ]:= 1464
```

Many of these (200 from each depth) halt. (# not halting increases with depth)

```
HaltTrainLarge2 = RandomSample[HaltLarge2, Length[NoHaltLarge2]];
```

```
In[ ]:= TrainLarge2Sample = Join[HaltTrainLarge2, NoHaltLarge2];
```

```
In[ ]:= Large2Classify = Classify[TrainLarge2Sample]
```

```
Out[ ]:= ClassifierFunction[ Input type: Text  
Classes: False, True]
```

```
In[ ]:= Large2Classify["s[s[s[k[s[s[k[s[k][s]]][k]]][k[k]][k]]][s[s]][s]"
```

```
Out[ ]:= True
```

Training Attempt #4: 200 random SK expressions at each of depths 1 - 10, halted if SKHalt[40] == True. NoHalt dataset same length as Halt dataset. Using raw string. Bad performance. <citation needed>

Training

```
In[ ]:= exprs = Monitor[ParallelTable[RandomSKExpr[10], {n, 5000}], n];
```

SubKernels`LocalKernels`LaunchLocal: Could not provide a subkernel license.

```
Out[ ]:= $Aborted
```

```
lengths =
  Monitor[ParallelTable[exprs[[n]] → SKHalt[exprs[[n]], 40], {n, 5000}], n];
ParallelTable: No parallel kernels available; proceeding with sequential evaluation.
Out[ ]:= $Aborted

In[ ]:= LaunchKernels[]
SubKernels`LocalKernels`LaunchLocal: Could not provide a subkernel license.
SubKernels`LocalKernels`LaunchLocal: Could not provide a subkernel license.
SubKernels`LocalKernels`LaunchLocal: 2 of 2 kernels failed to launch.

Out[ ]:= {}

In[ ]:= gridexprs = Monitor[ParallelTable[SKGrid[exprs[[n]]], {n, 1, Length[exprs]}], n];
ParallelTable: No parallel kernels available; proceeding with sequential evaluation.

In[ ]:= exprs[[1]]
Out[ ]:= k[s[
  k[k[k[k[s[s[k]] [k[s[s[s[s[k[k[k[s[s[k[s[s[s[k[k[s]]]]] [k[s[s[k[k[s]]]]] [
    k]]]]] [s[k[k[k]] [s[k]]]] [
      s[k[k[k[k[k]] [s]]]]] [k[k[k[k]]] [s[s]]]] [
        s[k[s[k[s[s]]]]] [s[s[s] [k[k] [k]] [k[k]]]] [
          k[s[s] [s[k]]]]] [k[s]]]]] [s[s[k[s[k] [s]] [k[s]] [k]]]] [
            s[k]] [k]] [k[k[s[k[k]] [k]] [k[k]]]]]]]]] [
              s[k[k[s] [k[k[s[k[k[k[s] [s]] [k[s]] [k]]]]]]] [s[k[s[s]]]] [
                k[k[s[s]]]]]]]]]]]]]]]

In[ ]:= Count[Values[lengths], False]
Out[ ]:= 903

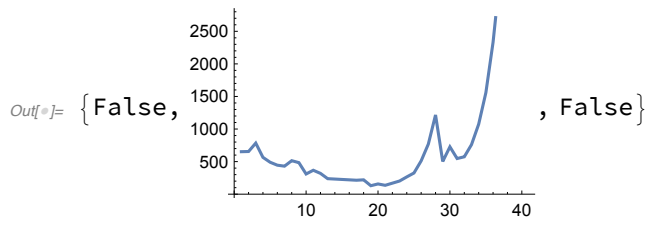
In[ ]:= NoHalt = Select[lengths, #[[2]] == False &];
Halt = Select[lengths, #[[2]] == True &];
HaltTrain = RandomSample[Halt, Length[NoHalt]];
TrainingData = Join[HaltTrain, NoHalt];
TrainingData /. Rule → List;
TrainingData2 =
  Table[ToString[TrainingData[[n]][[1]]] → TrainingData[[n]][[2]],
    {n, 1, Length[TrainingData]}];

In[ ]:= HaltClassifier2 = Classify[TrainingData2]

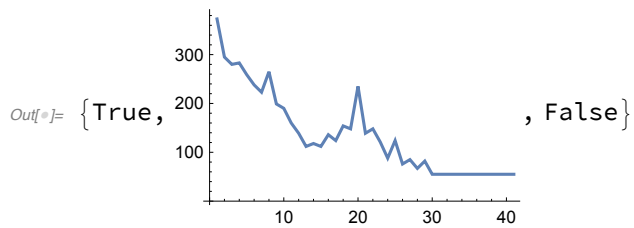
Out[ ]:= ClassifierFunction[  Input type: Text
Classes: False, True ]
```

Testing

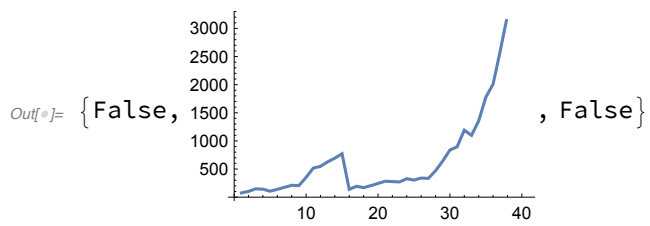
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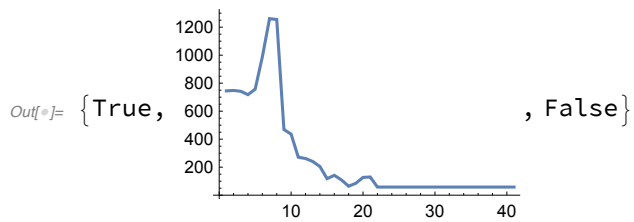
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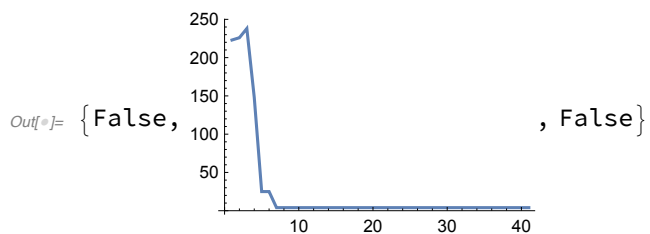
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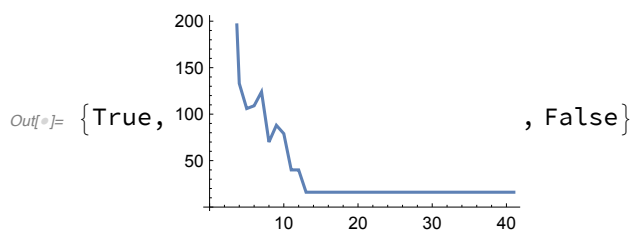
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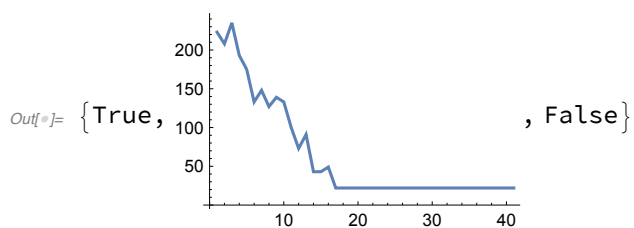
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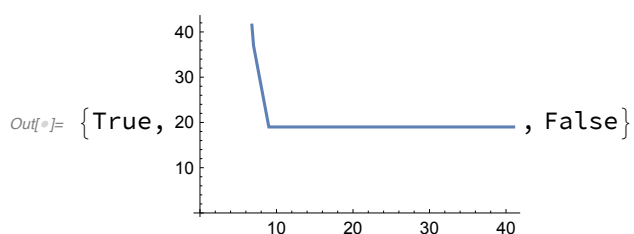
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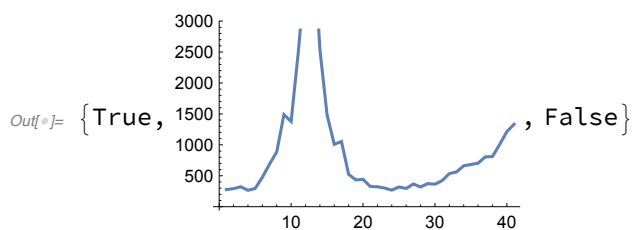
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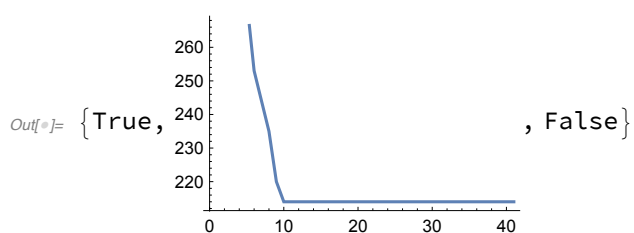
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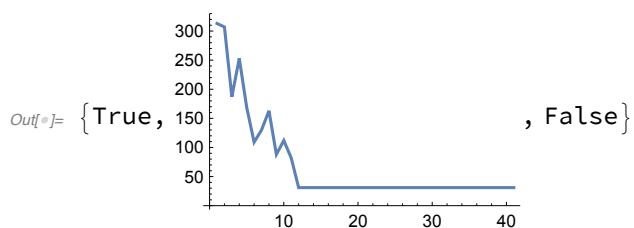
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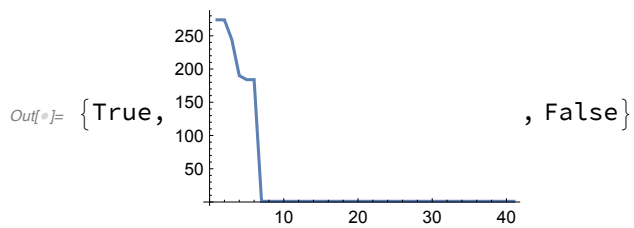
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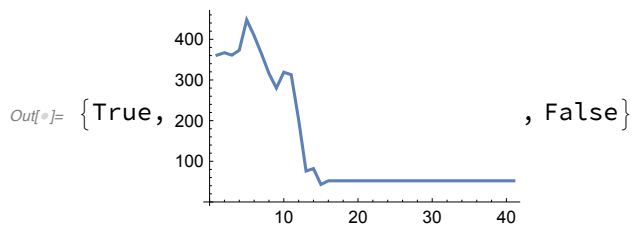
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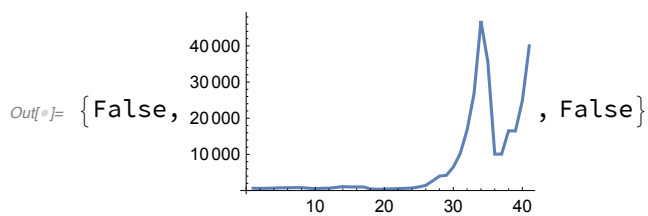
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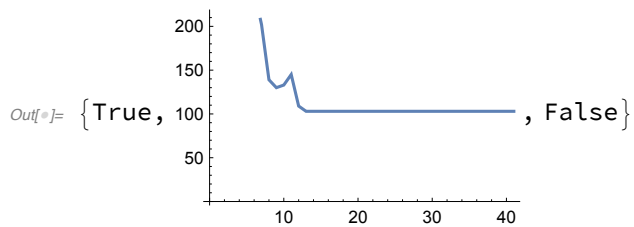
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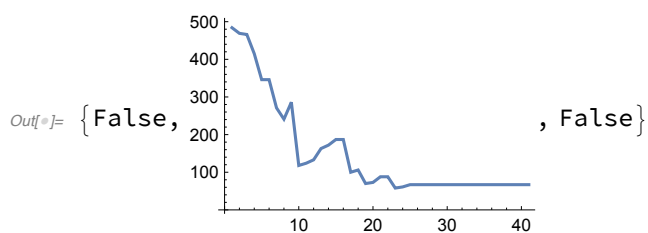
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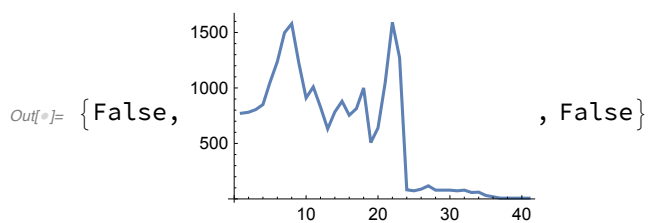
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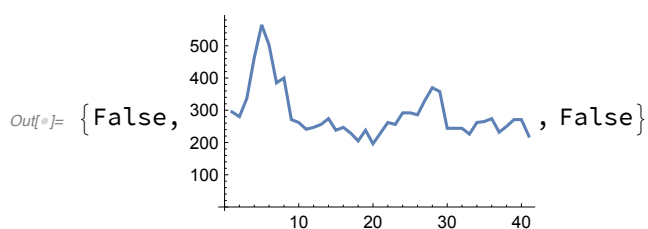
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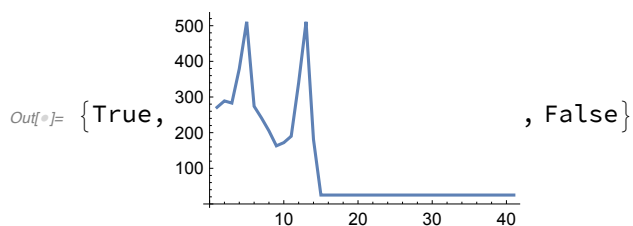
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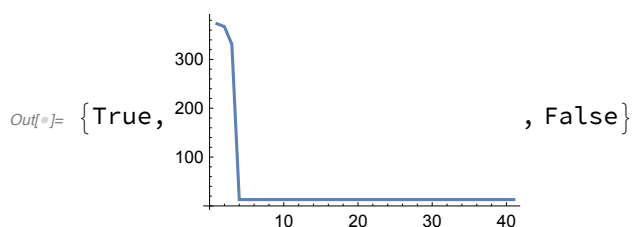
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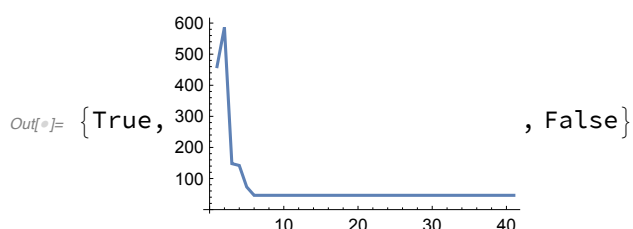
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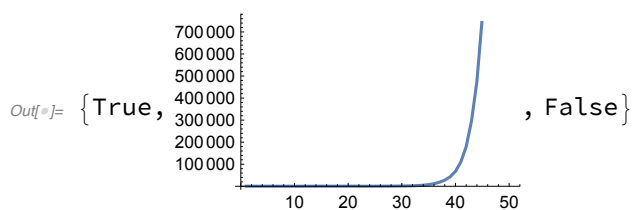
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Training Attempt #5: 5000 random SK expressions, depth 10, halted if `SKHalt[40]==True`. NoHalt dataset same length as Halt dataset. Using raw string. (Same as #1, but larger dataset) Worse than 1 (slightly).

In[]:= lengths = x;


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In[ ]:= NoHalt = Select[lengths, #[[2]] == False &];
        Halt = Select[lengths, #[[2]] == True &];
        Length[NoHalt]
        Length[Halt]

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Out[]:= 862

Out[]:= 4138

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In[ ]:= HaltTrain = RandomSample[Halt, Length[NoHalt]];
        TrainingData = Join[HaltTrain, NoHalt];
        TrainingData2 = ConvertSKTableToString[TrainingData];
        Length[TrainingData2]

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Out[]:= 1724

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In[ ]:= HaltClassifier1 = Classify[TrainingData2]

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Out[]:= ClassifierFunction[ Input type: Text
Classes: False, True]

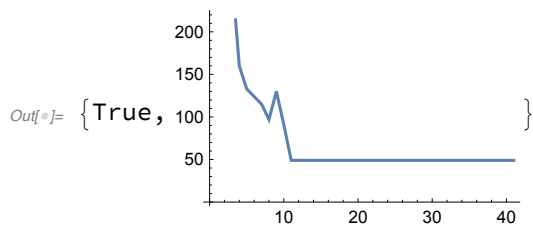
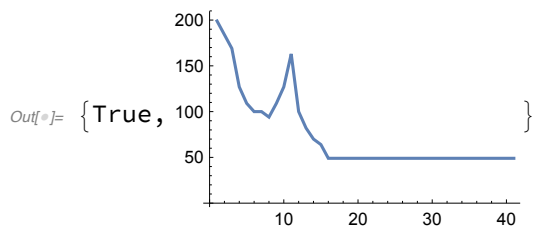
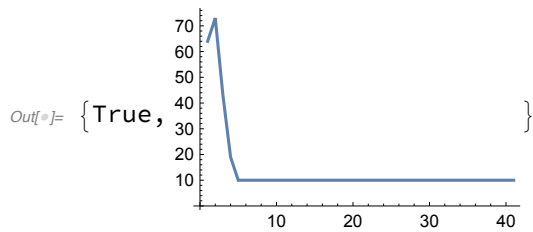
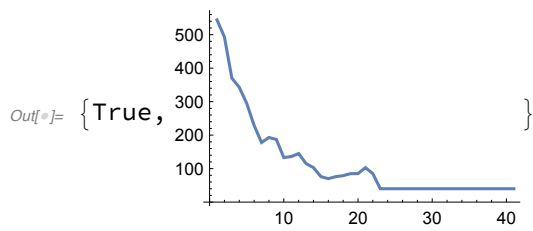
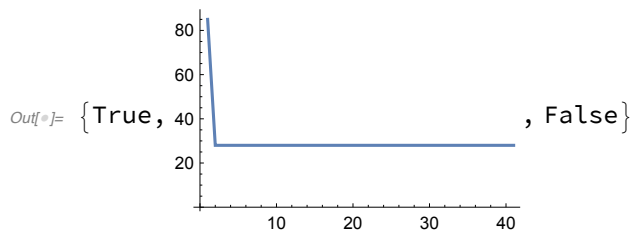
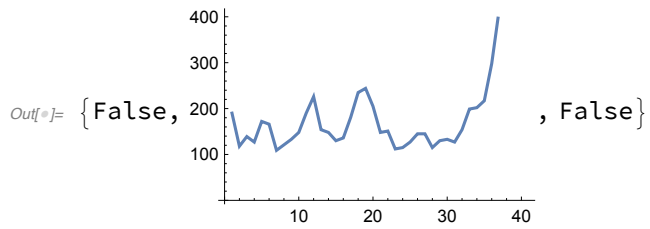
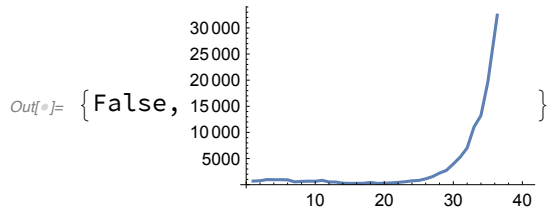
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In[ ]:= Table[TestClassifier[HaltClassifier1, TrainingData2], 10]

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Classifier test:

Table[TestClassifier[HaltClassifier1, TrainingData2], 10]



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In[ ]:= SKGrid[k[
  s[k[k[k[k[s[s[k[k[k[k][s[s[k[k[s[s][k[k[k][k[k[s[k]]]]][k[k]]][s]]][k[s]]][
    k[s[k[k][k[s[k[s[s][s[s]]][s[s[k]]][k]]][s[s[k[k]]][
      k[k]]][s[k[s[s[k][s[k][k]]][s[k]]][
        k[s[k][k]]][s[k][k]]][s[k[s][k]]][
          k[k[k]]][k]]]]][k[s[s[k[s[s]]][s]]][k[s]]]
```

Out[]:=



```
In[ ]:= GenerateTable[depth_, iterations_, number_] := Module[{exprs},
  exprs = Monitor[Table[RandomSKExpr[depth], {n, number}], n];
  lengths =
    Monitor[Table[exprs[[n]] → SKHalt[exprs[[n]], iterations], {n, number}], n];
  Return[lengths]
]
```

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Monitor[Flatten[Table[GenerateTable[n, 40, 200], {n, 1, 10}]], n]
```

Out[]:=

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{k[s] → True, s[k] → True, ... 1997 ...,
  s[k[k[s[k[k[s[k[s[s[s[k][k[k[k[s[k[s[k[s[k[s][s[s[k]]][k[s]]][s]]][s[s][s]]][
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        s[k[k[s][s]]][k]]][s[k[s]]][s]]]]][
          s[k][k[s]]][s]]][s[s[s]]][s[k]]][k]]]]][
            s[k][k[s[s]]][k]]][s[k]]][s]]][k[k]]] → True}
```

large output

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ML Advice - from Matteo Salvarazza

ML Advice

How to represent data?

- Sequence of 'sequences'

Can you find a mapping between one of the sequences and an integer?

--> base4 encoding (this will be unique)

Problem: input size is unbounded.

Solution: Generate training set, use base4 encoding, look at maximum

--> or ?strings or something?

Advantages - it captures subtleties of combinators

Alternatively, use base4 and padding - then they become 'images' (matrices).

In this case, still use RNN - a sequence of n-dimensional vectors where n is the longest element in training set.

--> or trees?

Advantages - purest method of representing combinators.

- or just initial SKcombinator ('sequence')

How to creat

Type of dataset? (50:50 halt:no halt or actual distribution?)

Training set **must** be balanced, even if real world not balanced.

Ratio of data within dataset? (distribution of examples belonging to specific class)

Usually unimportant - just experiment. Generate a **balanced training set** and an **unbalanced training set**

What model to use?

Recurrent neural net.

base4 format - sequence classification problem.

Usual entry-level problem - sentiment analysis. Take this architecture and experiment.

Look at tutorials about sentiment analysis (simple - this problem is much harder)

Ensure {no --> very few} combinators halt within the given training set, otherwise problem is trivial.

(e.g. size 10 vector - $[[9]] \neq [[10]]$ - experiment)

First thing to try: do the initial base 4 encoding, generate (some large n) training sets, find vocabulary size and check for presence of duplicates. If super sparse (large vocabulary, most tokens only appear once), this is bad

--> try sequence encoding, with padding method. (Problem - a lot of padding. This is also bad.

Experiment with different initial evolution lengths)

(alternatively, try RNN with just initial state - will solve all of the above problems, but probably won't work. 0th thing to try - training example just a sequence of {chars/base4 numbers})

Neural Net Attempt #1: Recurrent Neural Network, Raw String.

SKCombinators_RNN_Raw_String.nb

Unsuccessful - no better than coin flipping. (Markov method earlier is better)

Neural Net Attempt #2 - Preprocessing: Find vocabulary.