

Iterative vs Recursive Processes

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A function that calls itself gives rise to an iterative process if the recursive call is always the last operation that the function carries out. This means that the result of the recursive call is also the result of the function.

Can have both

A recursive function that does iterative processes
A recursive function that does recursive processes

Iterative return the final value in the last call, so you will return the final result in the base case, instead of recursion which return a smaller value for the sub-case and then re-calculate all the way back up again

The body of function `f` has one recursive call. The result of the recursive call is the result of the function. This means that the function gives rise to an iterative process.

```
function f(x, y) {
  if (x === 0) {
    return y;
  } else {
    return f(x - 1, y + 1);
  }
}
```

The body of function `g` has one recursive call. The result of the recursive call is not the result of the function. When the recursive call returns, its result needs to be added to 1. This operation is called a "deferred operation". The presence of such a deferred operation means that the corresponding process is a recursive process.

We say the function gives rise to a recursive process.

Deferred operation

Need to wait

A2: Selection Sort in Source

```
function selection_sort(xs) {
  if (is_empty_list(xs)) {
    return xs;
  } else {
    var x = smallest(xs);
    return pair(x,
      selection_sort(remove(x, xs)));
  }
}
```

A2: Selection Sort (function smallest)

```
// find smallest element of a non-empty list xs
function smallest(xs) {
  function sm(x, ys) {
    return (is_empty_list(ys)) ? x
      : (x < head(ys)) ? sm(x, tail(ys))
        : sm(head(ys), tail(ys));
  }
  return sm(head(xs), tail(xs));
}
```

B1: Merge Sort

```
function merge_sort(xs) {
  if (is_empty_list(xs) || is_empty_list(tail(xs))) {
    return xs;
  } else {
    var mid = middle(length(xs));
    return merge(merge_sort(take(xs, mid)),
      merge_sort(drop(xs, mid)));
  }
}
```

B1: Merge Sort (function merge)

```
function merge(xs, ys) {
  if (is_empty_list(xs)) {
    return ys;
  } else if (is_empty_list(ys)) {
    return xs;
  } else {
    var x = head(xs);
    var y = head(ys);
    return (x < y)
      ? pair(x, merge(tail(xs), ys))
      : pair(y, merge(xs, tail(ys)));
  }
}
```

Helper functions for Merge Sort

```
// take half, rounded down
function middle(n) {
  // homework
}

// put the first n elements of xs into a list
function take(xs, n) {
  // homework
}

// drop first n elements from list, return rest
function drop(xs, n) {
  // homework
}

function quickSort(arr, left, right){
  var len = arr.length,
  pivot,
  partitionIndex;

  if(left < right){
    pivot = right;
    partitionIndex = partition(arr, pivot, left, right);

    // sort left and right
    quickSort(arr, left, partitionIndex - 1);
    quickSort(arr, partitionIndex + 1, right);
  }
  return arr;
}

function partition(arr, pivot, left, right){
  var pivotValue = arr[pivot],
  partitionIndex = left;

  for(var i = left; i < right; i++){
    if(arr[i] < pivotValue){
      swap(arr, i, partitionIndex);
      partitionIndex++;
    }
  }
  swap(arr, right, partitionIndex);
  return partitionIndex;
}

function swap(arr, i, j){
  var temp = arr[i];
  arr[i] = arr[j];
  arr[j] = temp;
}
```

```
function merge_sort(A) {
  var H = [];
  merge_sort_with_helper(A, 0, array_length(A),H);
}

function merge_sort_with_helper(A, low, high, H) {
  if (low < high) {
    var middle = math_floor((low + high) / 2);
    merge_sort_with_helper(A, low, middle, H);
    merge_sort_with_helper(A, middle + 1, high, H);
    merge_with_helper(A, low, middle, high, H);
  } else {}
}

function merge_with_helper(A, low, middle, high, H) {
  for (var i = low; i <= high; i = i + 1) {
    H[i] = A[i];
  }

  var i = low;
  var j = middle + 1;
  var k = low;

  while (i <= middle && j <= high) {
    if (H[i] <= H[j]) {
      A[k] = H[i];
      i = i + 1;
    } else {
      A[k] = H[j];
      j = j + 1;
    }
    k = k + 1;
  }

  while (i <= middle) {
    A[k] = H[i];
    k = k + 1;
    i = i + 1;
  }

  function insertion_sort(A) {
    var len = array_length(A);
    var i = 1;
    while (i < len) {
      var x = A[i];
      var j = i - 1;
      while (j >= 0 && A[j] > x) {
        A[j + 1] = A[j];
        j = j - 1;
      }
      A[j+1] = x;
      i = i + 1;
    }
  }
}

function insertion_sort(A) {
  var len = array_length(A);
  var i = 1;
  while (i < len) {
    var x = A[i];
    var j = i - 1;
    while (j >= 0 && A[j] > x) {
      A[j + 1] = A[j];
      j = j - 1;
    }
    A[j+1] = x;
    i = i + 1;
  }
}

function heapSort(arr){
  var len = arr.length,
  end = len-1;

  heapify(arr, len);

  while(end > 0){
    swap(arr, end-, 0);
    siftDown(arr, 0, end);
  }
  return arr;
}

function heapify(arr, len){
  // break the array into root + two sides, to create tree (heap)
  var mid = Math.floor((len-2)/2);
  while(mid >= 0){
    siftDown(arr, mid--, len-1);
  }
}

function siftDown(arr, start, end){
  var root = start,
  child = root*2 + 1,
  toSwap = root;
  while(child <= end){
    if(arr[toSwap] < arr[child]){
      swap(arr, toSwap, child);
    }
    if(child*2 <= end && arr[toSwap] < arr[child+1]){
      swap(arr, toSwap, child+1);
    }
    if(toSwap != root){
      swap(arr, root, toSwap);
      root = toSwap;
    }
    else{
      return;
    }
  }
  toSwap = root;
  child = root*2 + 1
}

function swap(arr, i, j){
  var temp = arr[i];
  arr[i] = arr[j];
  arr[j] = temp;
}
```

```
function selection_sort(A) {
  var len = array_length(A);
  for (var i = 0; i < len - 1; i = i + 1) {
    var j_min = i;
    for (var j = i + 1; j < len; j = j + 1) {
      if (A[j] < A[j_min]) {
        j_min = j;
      }
    }
    if (j_min != i) {
      swap(A, i, j_min);
    } else {}
  }
}

function swap(A, x, y) {
  var temp = A[x];
  A[x] = A[y];
  A[y] = temp;
}
```

Definition of trees

A tree of data items is a list, whose elements are data items or trees.

Definition of list

A list is either empty, or a pair whose tail is a list.

Equality in The Source: equal

Specification

- Booleans, strings, functions, numbers: equal same as ==
- Two empty lists are equal
- Two pairs are equal iff their heads and tails are equal.

```
function equal(x, y) {
  return (is_empty_list(x) && is_empty_list(y)) ||
  (is_pair(x) && is_pair(y) &&
  equal(head(x), head(y)) &&
  equal(tail(x), tail(y))) ||
  x === y;
```

Scaling a list

Let us scale all elements of a list by a factor f .

```
function scale_list(items, factor) {
  return is_empty_list(items)
    ? []
    : pair(factor * head(items),
      scale_list(tail(items),
        factor));
}
```

Squaring a list

Let us square all elements of a list.

```
function square_list(items) {
  return is_empty_list(items)
    ? []
    : pair(square(head(items)),
      square_list(tail(items)));
}
```

Scaling a list

Let us scale all elements of a list by a factor f .

```
function scale_list(items, factor) {
  return is_empty_list(items)
    ? []
    : pair(factor * head(items),
      scale_list(tail(items),
        factor));
}
```

Binary Trees

Definition

A binary tree is the empty list or a list with three elements, whose first element is a binary tree, whose second element is a data item and whose third element is a binary tree.

More definitions

The first element is called the *left subtree* and the third element is called the *right subtree* of the binary tree. The second element is called the *value* of the binary tree.

Definition of accumulate

```
function accumulate(op, initial, sequence) {
  if (is_empty_list(sequence)) {
    return initial;
  } else {
    return op(head(sequence),
      accumulate(op, initial,
        tail(sequence)));
  }
}
```

Permutations

```
function permutations(s) {
  if (is_empty_list(s)) {
    return list([]);
  } else {
    return accumulate(
      append,
      [],
      map(function(x) {
        return map(function(p) {
          return pair(x,p);
        },
        permutations(remove(x,s)));
      })
    );
  }
}
```

Linear search: The find function

Specification

For a given value v and list xs return true iff v occurs in xs

```
function find(v, xs) {
  return (is_empty_list(xs)) ? false
    : (v === head(xs)) ? true
      : find(v, tail(xs));
}

function selection_sort(A) {
  var len = array_length(A);
  for (var i = 0; i < len - 1; i = i + 1) {
    var j_min = i;
    for (var j = i + 1; j < len; j = j + 1) {
      if (A[j] < A[j_min]) {
        j_min = j;
      }
    }
    if (j_min != i) {
      swap(A, i, j_min);
    } else {}
  }
}

function swap(A, x, y) {
  var temp = A[x];
  A[x] = A[y];
  A[y] = temp;
}
```

pair(x, y): Makes a pair from x and y.

is_pair(x): Returns true if x is a pair and false otherwise.

head(x): Returns the head (first component) of the pair x.

tail(x): Returns the tail (second component) of the pair x.

set_head(p, x): Sets the head (first component) of the pair p to be x; returns undefined.

set_tail(p, x): Sets the tail (second component) of the pair p to be x; returns undefined.

is_empty_list(xs): Returns true if xs is the empty list, and false otherwise.

is_list(xs): Returns true if x is a list as defined in the lectures, and false otherwise. Iterative process; time: O(n), space: O(1), where n is the length of the chain of tail operations that can be applied to x.

list(x1, x2, ..., xn): Returns a list with n elements. The first element is x1, the second x2, etc. Iterative process; time: O(n), space: O(1), since the constructed list data structure consists of n pairs, each of which takes up a constant amount of space.

length(xs): Returns the length of the list xs. Iterative process; time: O(n), space: O(1), where n is the length of xs.

map(f, xs): Returns a list that results from list xs by element-wise application of f. Recursive process; time: O(n), space: O(n), where n is the length of xs.

build_list(n, f): Makes a list with n elements by applying the unary function f to the numbers 0 to n - 1. Recursive process; time: O(n), space: O(n).

for_each(f, xs): Applies f to every element of the list xs, and then returns true. Iterative process; time: O(n), space: O(1), where n is the length of xs.

list_to_string(xs): Returns a string that represents list xs using the text-based box-and-pointer notation [...].

reverse(xs): Returns list xs in reverse order. Iterative process; time: O(n), space: O(n), where n is the length of xs. The process is iterative, but consumes space O(n) because of the result list.

append(xs, ys): Returns a list that results from appending the list ys to the list xs. Recursive process; time: O(n), space: O(n), where n is the length of xs.

member(x, xs): Returns first postfix sublist whose head is identical to x (==); returns [] if the element does not occur in the list. Iterative process; time: O(n), space: O(1), where n is the length of xs.

remove(x, xs): Returns a list that results from xs by removing the first item from xs that is identical (==) to x. Recursive process; time: O(n), space: O(n), where n is the length of xs.

remove_all(x, xs): Returns a list that results from xs by removing all items from xs that are identical (==) to x. Recursive process; time: O(n), space: O(n), where n is the length of xs.

filter(pred, xs): Returns a list that contains only those elements for which the one-argument function pred returns true. Recursive process; time: O(n), space: O(n), where n is the length of xs.

enum_list(start, end): Returns a list that enumerates numbers starting from start using a step size of 1, until the number exceeds (>) end. Recursive process; time: O(n), space: O(n), where n is the length of xs.

list_ref(xs, n): Returns the element of list xs at position n, where the first element has index 0. Iterative process; time: O(n), space: O(1), where n is the length of xs.

accumulate(op, initial, xs): Applies binary function op to the elements of xs from right-to-left order, first applying op to the last element and the value initial, resulting in r1, then to the second-last element and r1, resulting in r2, etc, and finally to the first element and r_{n-1}, where n is the length of the list. Thus, accumulate(op, zero, list(1, 2, 3)) results in op(1, op(2, op(3, zero))). Recursive process; time: O(n), space: O(n), where n is the length of xs, assuming op takes constant time.

Miscellaneous Functions

is_number(x): Returns true if x is a number, and false otherwise.

is_boolean(x): Returns true if x is true or false, and false otherwise.

is_string(x): Returns true if x is a string, and false otherwise.

is_function(x): Returns true if x is a function, and false otherwise.

is_object(x): Returns true if x is an object, and false otherwise. Following JavaScript, arrays are considered objects.

is_array(x): Returns true if x is an array, and false otherwise. The empty array [] also known as the empty list, is an array.

array_length(x): Returns the current length of array x, which is 1 plus the highest index i that has been used so far in an array assignment on x.

parse(x): returns the parse tree that results from parsing the string x as a Source program.

JSON.stringify(x): returns a string that represents the given JSON object x.

apply_in_underlying_javascript(f, xs): calls the function f with arguments xs. For example:

```
function times(x, y) {
    return x * y;
}
apply_in_underlying_javascript(times, list(2, 3)); // returns 6
```

Algorithm	Time Complexity			Space Complexity
	Best	Average	Worst	Worst
Quicksort	$O(n \log(n))$	$O(n \log(n))$	$O(n^2)$	$O(\log(n))$
Mergesort	$O(n \log(n))$	$O(n \log(n))$	$O(n \log(n))$	$O(n)$
Timsort	$O(n)$	$O(n \log(n))$	$O(n \log(n))$	$O(n)$
Heapsort	$O(n \log(n))$	$O(n \log(n))$	$O(n \log(n))$	$O(1)$
Bubble Sort	$O(n)$	$O(n^2)$	$O(n^2)$	$O(1)$
Insertion Sort	$O(n)$	$O(n^2)$	$O(n^2)$	$O(1)$
Selection Sort	$O(n^2)$	$O(n^2)$	$O(n^2)$	$O(1)$
Tree Sort	$O(n \log(n))$	$O(n \log(n))$	$O(n^2)$	$O(n)$
Shell Sort	$O(n \log(n))$	$O(n(\log(n))^2)$	$O(n(\log(n))^2)$	$O(1)$
Bucket Sort	$O(n+k)$	$O(n+k)$	$O(n^2)$	$O(n)$
Radix Sort	$O(nk)$	$O(nk)$	$O(nk)$	$O(n+k)$
Counting Sort	$O(n+k)$	$O(n+k)$	$O(n+k)$	$O(k)$
Cubesort	$O(n)$	$O(n \log(n))$	$O(n \log(n))$	$O(n)$

Random Int

```
MyClass.prototype.getRandomRangedInt = function(min, max) {
    return math_floor(math_random() * (max - min + 1)) + min;
};
```

Sort a number into an ascending list

```
// return a list with a number sorted into ascending list
function helper(lst, number) {
    var mhead = filter(function(x) {
        return x < number;
    }, lst);
    var mtail = filter(function(x) {
        return x >= number;
    }, lst);
    return append(append(mhead, list(number)), mtail);
}
e.g. helper(list(3,4,7,8), 6); => list(3,4,6,7,8)
```

MAP ITERATIVE

```
// iterative alternative
function new_map(f, xs) {
    function helper(xs, acc) {
        if(is_empty_list(xs)) {
            return acc;
        } else {
            return helper(tail(xs),
                pair(f(head(xs)), acc));
        }
    }
    return reverse(helper(xs, []));
}
```

FILTER

```
function filter(pred, xs) {
    if(is_empty_list(xs)) {
        return [];
    } else {
        if(pred(head(xs))) {
            return pair(head(xs),
                filter(pred, tail(xs)));
        } else {
            return filter(pred, tail(xs));
        }
    }
}
```

ACCUMULATE

```
function accumulate(op, init, seq) {
    if(is_empty_list(seq)) {
        return init;
    } else {
        return op(head(seq),
            accumulate(op, init,
                tail(seq)));
    }
}
```

PERMUTATIONS

```
function permutations(xs) {
    if(is_empty_list(xs)) {
        return list([]);
    } else {
        return accumulate(function(e, acc) {
            return accumulate(function(e1, acc) {
                return accumulate(function(e2, acc) {
                    return e2 === e1
                        || acc;
                }, false, set2);
            }, true, set1);
        }, [], xs);
    }
}
```

N-PERMUTATIONS

```
function n_permutations(xs, n) {
    if(n === 0) {
        return list([]);
    } else {
        return accumulate(function(e, acc) {
            return append(map(function(x) {
                return pair(e, x);
            }, permutations(remove(e, xs))),
                acc);
        }, [], xs);
    }
}
```

N-COMBINATIONS

```
function n_combinations(xs, n) {
    if(n === 0) {
        return list([]);
    } else if(is_empty_list(xs)) {
        return [];
    } else {
        return append(map(function(e) {
            return pair(head(xs), e);
        }, n_combinations(tail(xs), n-1)),
            n_combinations(tail(xs), n));
    }
}
```

TOWER OF HANOI

```
function make_room(n) {
    return enum_list(1, n);
}
function make_stacks(r1, r2, r3) {
    return list(r1, r2, r3);
}
function starting_house() {
    return make_room(3).make_room(0);
}
function make_house(make_room(n), make_room(0)) {
    make_room(n).make_room(0);
}

function move_kitty(m, h) {
    var s = get_source(m);
    var d = get_destination(m);
    var kitty = heads(s);
    if(is_empty_list(d) || kitty < head(d)) {
        // stack operations
        // if source return tail
        // if dest pair with kitty
        // else leave house untouched
    } else {
        return h;
    }
}

// !!-starting from last move to the first
function apply_moves(moves, h) {
    return accumulate(move_kitty, h, moves);
}

// reverse order! O(n^2)
function find_moves_house(num, r1, r2) {
    if(num === 1) {
        return list(make_move(r1, r2));
    } else {
        var other_r = 6 - r1 - r2;
        var f_half = find_moves_house(
            num - 1, r1, other_r);
        var s_half = make_move(r1, r2);
        var f_half = find_moves_house(
            num - 1, other_r, r2);
        return append(s_half, pair(m, f_half));
    }
}

function find_and_move(n) {
    var h = starting_house();
    var moves = find_moves(h, n, 1, 2);
    return apply_moves(moves, h);
}
```

COIN CHANGE

```
function makeup_amount(x, l) {
    if(is_pair(l)) {
        return append(map(function(x) {
            return pair(head(l), x);
        }, makeup_amount(tail(l), x)));
    } else if(x === 0) {
        empty_case();
        there is a solution
        return list();
    } else {
        // fail, return nothing
        return [];
    }
}

makeup_amount(22, list(1,10,5,20,1,5,1,50));
```

SWAP ADJACENT ELEMENT

```
function swap(x) {
    var temp = tail(xs);
    set_head(xs, tail(temp));
    set_tail(temp, xs);
    return temp;
}
```

MUTABLE REVERSE

```
function mutable_reverse(xs) {
    // VERSION 1
    if(is_empty_list(xs)) {
        return xs;
    } else {
        if(is_empty_list(tail(xs))) {
            return xs;
        } else {
            var rest = tail(xs);
            set_head(xs, rest);
            return mutable_reverse(rest);
        }
    }
}

// VERSION 2 (found in DG 9)
// note that xs will point to last
// (previously first elem)
function helper(prev, xs) {
    if(is_empty_list(xs)) {
        return prev;
    } else {
        var rest = tail(xs);
        set_head(xs, prev);
        return helper(xs, rest);
    }
}

return helper([], xs);
```

TREES

```
is_number_tree
```

```
function is_number_tree(xs) {
    if(is_list(xs)) {
        return false;
    } else {
        return accumulate(function(e, acc) {
            return accumulate(function(e, acc) {
                if(is_number(e)) {
                    return true;
                } else {
                    return false;
                }
            }, true, xs);
        }, true, xs);
    }
}
```

STREAM MAP

```
function stream_map(f, s) {
    return pair(f(head(s)), function() {
        return stream_map(f, stream_tail(s));
    });
}
```

RECURSIVELY DEFINED STREAM

```
function fibgen(a,b) {
    return pair(a, function() {
        return fibgen(b+a, b);
    });
}
```

STREAM MAP

```
function stream_map(f, s) {
    return pair(f(head(s)), function() {
        return stream_map(f, stream_tail(s));
    });
}
```

DYNAMIC PROGRAMMING

```
is_subsequence
```

```
function is_subsequence(xs, ys) {
    if(is_empty_list(xs)) {
        return true;
    } else if(is_empty_list(ys)) {
        return false;
    } else if(head(xs) === head(ys)) {
        return is_subsequence(tail(xs)),
            tail(ys));
    } else {
        var result = head(this.data);
        this.data = tail(this.data);
        return result;
    }
}
```

QUEUE

```
var front_ptr = head;
var rear_ptr = tail;
var set_front_ptr = set_head;
var set_rear_ptr = set_tail;
```

```
function make_queue() {
    return pair([], []);
}
```

```
function is_empty_queue(q) {
    is_empty_list(front_ptr(q));
```

```
function front_queue(q) {
    if(is_empty_queue(q)) {
        display("Error: Queue is empty");
    } else {
        return head(front_ptr(p));
    }
}
```

```
function delete_queue(q) {
    if(is_empty_queue(q)) {
        display("Error: Queue is empty");
    } else {
        set_front_ptr(q, set_tail(front_ptr(q)));
        return q;
    }
}
```

```
function insert_queue(q, item) {
    var new_pair = pair(item, []);
}
```

```
if(is_empty_queue(q)) {
    set_front_ptr(q, new_pair);
    set_rear_ptr(q, new_pair);
}
```

```
else {
    set_front_ptr(q, set_tail(front_ptr(q)));
    set_rear_ptr(q, new_pair);
}
```

```
return q;
}
```

```
function dequeue(q) {
    var result = front_queue(q);
    delete_queue(q);
    return result;
}
```

```
}
```

MUTABLE LIST

MODIFY LIST INDEX

```
function modify_list_index(xs, index, val2) {
    if(index === 0) {
        error("Out of bounds");
    } else if(index === xs.length) {
        set_head(xs, val2);
    } else {
        modify_list_index(tail(xs),
            index - 1, val2);
    }
}
```

REMOVE ITEM FROM LIST

```
function remove_element(xs, index) {
    function remove_element(x) {
        if(is_empty_list(x)) {
            return error("out of bounds");
        } else if(index === 0) {
            set_head(xs, tail(x));
        } else {
            inner(x, tail(x),
                index - 1);
        }
    }
}

var temp = pair(1, xs);
inner(temp, xs, index);
return tail(temp);
```

SWAP ADJACENT ELEMENT

```
function swap(x) {
    var temp = tail(xs);
    set_head(xs, tail(temp));
    set_tail(temp, xs);
    return temp;
}
```

MUTABLE REVERSE

```
function mutable_reverse(xs) {
    // VERSION 1
    if(is_empty_list(xs)) {
        return xs;
    } else {
        if(is_empty_list(tail(xs))) {
            return xs;
        } else {
            var rest = tail(xs);
            set_head(xs, rest);
            return mutable_reverse(rest);
        }
    }
}
```

```


// VERSION 2 (found in DG 9)
// note that xs will point to last
// (previously first elem)
function helper(prev, xs) {
    if(is_empty_list(xs)) {
        return prev;
    } else {
        var rest = tail(xs);
        set_head(xs, prev);
        return helper(xs, rest);
    }
}

return helper([], xs);
```

POWER SET

```
function power_set(xs) {
    if(is_empty_list(xs)) {
        return list([]);
    } else {
        // Either you pick the number,
```

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        // or you don't
        var without_head = power_set(tail(xs));
        var use_head = map(function(l) {
            return pair(head(l), without_head);
        }, without_head);
        return append(use_head, without_head);
    }
}
```

COUNT PAIRS

```
function count_pairs(x) {
    var hist = [];
}
```

```
function helper(x) {
    if(is_pair(x)) {
        return 0;
    } else {
        if(is_empty_list(member(x, hist))) {
            hist = pair(x, hist);
            return 1 + helper(head(x));
        } else {
            return 0;
        }
    }
}
```

```
} return helper(x);
```