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Question 1

(a)

Arg 1 = n

Arg 2 = n-1

Arg 3 = n

Arg 4 = m-1

(b)

Algorithm: sqrt(n)

Requires: One positive integer n;

Returns: One integer = $\lfloor \sqrt{n} \rfloor$

return sqrtHelper(n, n-1)

Algorithm: sqrtHelper(n,m)

Requires: Two positive integers n, m;

Returns: One integer = $\lfloor \sqrt{n} \rfloor$

- 1. if m*m > n
- 2. return sqrtHelper(n, m-1)
- 3. else
- 4. return m
- 5. endif

I think the two algorithms have the same efficiency. Since the Line 1 is reversed, the if-else is also reversed. So it could not bring any change to the efficiency.

For example: sqrt(5)

For algorithm in (a):

return sqrtHelper(5, 4)

4*4 <= 5 False

return sqrtHelper(5, 3)

3*3 <= 5 False

return sqrtHelper(5, 2)

2*2 <= 5 True

return 2

return 2

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For algorithm in (b):

return sqrtHelper(5, 4)

4*4 > 5 True

return sqrtHelper(5, 3)

3*3 > 5 True

return sqrtHelper(5, 2)

2*2 > 5 False

return 2
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return 2

(c)

<u>Algorithm: isPrime(n)</u>

Requires: One positive integer n; Returns: True if n is a prime number

return primeHelper(n,sqrt(n))

Algorithm: primeHelper(a, b)

Requires: Two positive integers a, b; Returns: True if a is a prime number

- 1. if b == 1
- 2. return True;
- 3. else if a % b == 0
- 4. return False
- 5. else
- 6. return primeHelper(a, b-1)
- 7. endif

isPrime(41):

return primeHelper(41,6) b == 1 False

a % b == 0 False

return primeHelper(41,5)



$$b == 1$$
 False
 $a \% b == 0$ False
 $return primeHelper(41,4)$
 $b == 1$ False
 $a \% b == 0$ False
 $return primeHelper(41,3)$
 $b == 1$ False
 $a \% b == 0$ False
 $return primeHelper(41,2)$
 $b == 1$ False
 $a \% b == 0$ False
 $return primeHelper(41,2)$
 $b == 1$ True
 $return True$

return True

Question 2

(a)

Algorithm: delete(x, L)

Requires: One existing element x, list L

Returns: List L without x

return deleteHelper(x, [], L)

Algorithm: deleteHelper(x, L1,L2)

Requires: One existing element x, list L1, L2

Returns: List L without x

- 1. if x == head(L2)
- return cons(L1, tail(L2))
- 3. else
- 4. return deleteHelper(x, cons(L1, head(L2)), tail(L2))
- 5. endif

(b)

Algorithm: selectionSort(L)



Requires: list L
Returns: Sorted list L

return sortHelper(L, [])

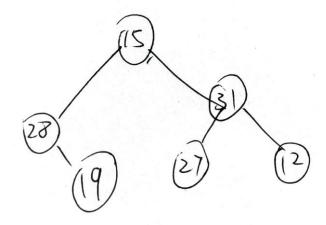
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Algorithm: sortHelper(L1, L2)
                               Requires: list L1, L2
                              Returns: Sorted list L
1. if tail(L1) == []
2.
      return cons (head(L1), L2)
3. else
4.
      L2 = cons (maxlist(L1), L2)
5.
      return sortHelper(delete(maxlist(L1)), L2)
6. endif
(c)
L = [4, 7, 6, 3, 5, 1]
return sortHelper(L, [])
      tail(L1) == []
                          False
      L2 = cons(7, [])
      return sortHelper([4, 6, 3, 5, 1], [7])
             tail(L1) == []
                                 False
             L2 = cons (6, [7])
             return sortHelper([4, 3, 5, 1], [6, 7])
                   tail(L1) == []
                                       False
                   L2 = cons (5, [6, 7])
                    return sortHelper([4, 3, 1], [5, 6, 7])
                          tail(L1) == [] False
                          L2 = cons (4, [5, 6, 7])
                          return sortHelper([3, 1], [4, 5, 6, 7])
                                 tail(L1) == []
                                                     False
                                 L2 = cons (3, [4, 5, 6, 7])
                                 return sortHelper([1], [3, 4, 5, 6, 7])
                                        tail(L1) == []
                                        return cons (1, [3, 4, 5, 6, 7])
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return [1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7]

Question 3

(a)



[19, 28, 27, 12, 31, 15]

(b)

Algorithm: average (T)

Requires: a binary tree (T)

Returns: the average of all values stored in the tree

return (averageList(1, traversal(T)))

Algorithm: traversal(T)

Requires: a binary tree (T), an empty list L

Returns: a list L

- if isLeaf(T)
- 2. return (cons(root(T), L)
- 3. else
- 4. cons(traversal(left(T)), L)
- 5. cons(traversal(right(T)), L)
- 6. cons(root(T)), L)
- 7. return L
- 8. endif

Algorithm: averageList (m, L)

Requires: a list L, length of list m

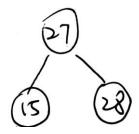


Returns: average of list

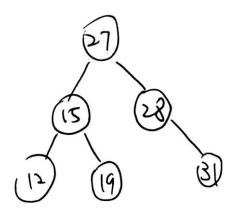
- 1. if tail(L) == []
- return (head(L) / m)
- 3. else
- 4. return (averageList (m+1, cons(head(L) + head(tail(L)), tail(tail(L)))))
- 5. endif

(c)

- 1. sort the list: [12, 15, 19, 27, 28, 31]
- 2. Find the middle element, and store it in root node. (27)
- 3. For left/right sub-lists, find the middle elements and store them in the left/right child nodes on next level.



6. repeat this process until all elements are stored in the tree.



Algorithm: count (x, T)

Requires: a binary tree T

Returns: number of elements greater than x

- 1. L = traversal(T)
- return countHelper(0, L)

Algorithm: countHelper(x, L)



Requires: a list L, x

Returns: number of elements greater than x

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1. if header(L) > x
2.
      x = x+1
3. Endif
4. if tail(L) ==[]
5.
      return x
6. else
7.
      return countHelper(x, tail(L))
8. endif
Tracing:
return countHelper(0, [19, 28, 27, 12, 31, 15])
      19 > 18
                   true
            X = 1
      tail(L) ==[] false
            return countHelper(1, [28, 27, 12, 31, 15])
            28 > 18
                      true
                   X = 2
            tail(L) ==[] false
                   return countHelper(2, [27, 12, 31, 15])
                   27 > 18
                                true
                         X = 3
                   tail(L) ==[] false
                         return countHelper(3, [12, 31, 15])
                         12 > 18
                                      false
                                X = 3
                         tail(L) ==[] false
                                return countHelper(3, [31, 15])
                                12 > 18
                                            true
                                      X = 4
                                tail(L) ==[] false
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return countHelper(4, [15])

15 > 18 false



$$X = 4$$
 tail(L) ==[] true return 4

return 4

Question 4

(a)

Algorithm: bin2dec(L)

Requires: a list L

Returns: value in decimal number system

1. return decHelper(length(L) - 1, L, 0)

Algorithm: decHelper(x, L, n)

Requires:x, n, a list L

Returns: value n in decimal number system

- 1. if x == 0
- 2. return n + head(L)
- 3. else
- 4. return decHelper(x-1, tail(L), $n + head(L)*(2^n)$)
- 5. endif

(b)

return <u>decHelper(5, [1, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1], 0)</u> X == 0false return decHelper(4, [1, 0, 1, 0, 1], 32) X == 0false return decHelper(3, [0, 1, 0, 1], 48) X == 0false return decHelper(2, [1, 0, 1], 48) X == 0false return decHelper(1, [0, 1], 52) X == 0false return decHelper(0, [1], 52)



X == 0 true return 53

return 53

(c)

Algorithm: dec2bin(n)

Requires: a number n

Returns: a list L

- 1. let a = largestPower(n, 1)
- return reverse(binHelper(a, [], n))

Algorithm: binHelper(a, L, n)

Requires: a number n, a, L

Returns: a list L

- 1. if a == 0 && n == 1
- 2. return cons(1, L)
- 3. else if a == 0 && n == 0
- 4. return cons(0, L)
- 5. else if $2 \land a \le n$
- 6. return binHelper(a-1, cons(1, L), $n 2^(a-1)$)
- 7. else
- 8. return binHelper(a-1, cons(0, L), n)
- 9. endif

Algorithm: largestPower(n, a)

Requires: numbers n, a Returns: largest Power

- 1. if 2 ^ a < n
- return largestPower(n, a+1)
- 3. else
- 4. return a 1
- 5. endif



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Tracing:
a = 4
return reverse(binHelper(4, [], 19))
      a == 0 \&\& n == 1
      a == 0 && n == 0
                              false
      2 ^ 4 <= 19
                   true
            return binHelper(3, [1], 3)
            a == 0 && n == 1
                                    false
            a == 0 && n == 0
                                    false
            2 ^ 3 <= 3
                              false
                  return binHelper(2, [0, 1], 3)
                  a == 0 && n == 1
                                          false
                  a == 0 && n == 0
                                          false
                  2 ^ 2 <= 3
                                    false
                        return binHelper(1, [0, 0, 1], 3)
                        a == 0 && n == 1
                                                 false
                        a == 0 \&\& n == 0
                                                 false
                        2 ^ 1 <= 3 true
                              return binHelper(0, [1, 0, 0, 1], 1)
                              a == 0 \&\& n == 1 true
                                    return [1, 1, 0, 0, 1]
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return [1, 0, 0, 1, 1]