

Week 1 - Fundamentals - Tues. Recap



Sigma

Implement function sigma(n) - given number n, return the sum of positive integers from 1 to n, inclusive. E.g.: sigma(3) == 1+2+3; sigma(5) == 1+2+3+4+5.

```
// Num's fractional component is ignored.
// Non-positive numbers return zero.
function iSigma(num)
{
    var sum = 0;
    for (var counter = 1; counter <= num;
        counter++) {
        sum += counter;
    }
    return sum;
}
```

Factorial

Implement factorial(n) - given n, return the product (multiplication) of positive ints from 1 to n (inclusive). E.g.: factorial(3) == 1*2*3; factorial(5) == 1*2*3*4*5.

```
// Num's fractional component is ignored.
// Non-positive numbers return zero.
function iFactorial(num)
{
    if (num < 1) { return 0; }
    var factorial = 1;
    for (var counter = 2; counter < num;
        counter++) {
        factorial *= counter;
    }
    return factorial;
}
```

Week 1 - Fundamentals - Wednesday



This week you will familiarize yourself with basic programming constructs. Some or all of the below concepts will be used in this week's challenges.

for loops, while loops

if / else statements

% (called modulus)

Math.random, Math.floor, Math.ceil

console.log

Threes and Fives

Add all the values from 100 and 4000000 (inclusive) that are evenly divided by 3 or 5 but not both. Display this value in the console.

Second challenge: Create one where *start* and *end* values are customizable (defaults 100 and 4000000).

Answer:

Generate Coin Change

Implement a function `generateCoinChange()` that accepts a parameter for the number of cents, and computes how to represent that amount with the smallest number of coins. `Console.log` the result.

Answer:

Tomorrow: Dick and Jane visit Las Vegas, while Spot reduces large numbers to a pair of paws