

**CSE340 Spring 2020 HOMEWORK 4**  
**Due by 11:59 PM on Thursday April 2 2020**

**PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING CAREFULLY**

1. Your answers for questions 1 and 2 must be typed.
2. Your answers to question 3 can be handwritten but it has to be neat and legible. Your answers to question 3 can also be typed if you prefer.
3. On Gradescope, you should submit the answers to separate question separately.
4. For each question, read carefully the required format for the answer. The required format will make it easier for you to answer and for the graders to grade. **Answers that are not according to the required format will not be graded**

**Problem 1 (Lambda Calculus).** The goal of this problem is to give you further practice with lambda calculus. Each part of this problem will have an expression that you are asked to evaluate or simplify as much as possible. The following are some examples

**Example 1.**  $\text{plus2} = \lambda n. \text{succ} (\text{succ } n)$   
what does the following evaluate to:  $4 \text{ plus2 } 2$   
**Answer.** 10

**Example 2.**  $\text{quad} = \lambda x. \lambda y. \lambda z. \lambda w. \text{pair} (\text{pair } x \ y) (\text{pair } z \ w)$   
what does the following evaluate to:  $\text{succ} (\text{fst} (\text{snd} (\text{quad } 1 \ 3 \ 5 \ 7)))$   
**Answer.** 6

We will use the following definitions in what follows

$\text{next1} = \lambda p. \text{pair} (\text{times} (\text{fst } p) (\text{snd } p)) (\text{succ} (\text{snd } p))$   
 $\text{next2} = \lambda p. \text{pair} (\text{snd } p) (\text{fst } p)$  (**note:** there were extra parentheses that I removed)  
 $\text{next3} = \lambda n. (\text{times } n \ n)$

For each of the following, give the value that the expressions evaluates to

1. what is  $\text{next1} (\text{pair } 1 \ 1)$ ?  
 $\text{next1} (\text{pair } 1 \ 1) = (\lambda p. \text{pair} (\text{times} (\text{fst } p) (\text{snd } p)) (\text{succ} (\text{snd } p))) (\text{pair } 1 \ 1) =$   
 $= \text{pair} (\text{times} (\text{fst} (\text{pair } 1 \ 1)) (\text{snd} (\text{pair } 1 \ 1))) (\text{succ} (\text{snd} (\text{pair } 1 \ 1))))$   
 $= \text{pair} (\text{times } 1 \ 1) (\text{succ } 1)$   
 $= \text{pair } 1 \ 2$
2. what is  $\text{next1} (\text{next1} (\text{pair } 1 \ 1))$ ?  
 $\text{next1} (\text{next1} (\text{pair } 1 \ 1)) = \text{next1} (\text{pair } 1 \ 2)$   
 $= (\lambda p. \text{pair} (\text{times} (\text{fst } p) (\text{snd } p)) (\text{succ} (\text{snd } p))) (\text{pair } 1 \ 2) =$   
 $= \text{pair} (\text{times} (\text{fst} (\text{pair } 1 \ 2)) (\text{snd} (\text{pair } 1 \ 2))) (\text{succ} (\text{snd} (\text{pair } 1 \ 2))))$

= pair (times 1 2) (succ 2)  
 = pair 2 3

3. what does the function  $\lambda n. \text{fst } (n \text{ next1 } (\text{pair } 1 \ 1))$  calculate?

- If we calculate  $\text{next1 } (\text{next1 } (\text{next1 } (\text{pair } 1 \ 1)))$ , we get pair 6 4
- If we calculate  $\text{next1}(\text{next1 } (\text{next1 } (\text{next1 } (\text{pair } 1 \ 1))))$ , we get pair 30 5
- Applying  $\text{next1}$   $n$  times starting with  $(\text{pair } 1 \ 1)$ , we get  $(\text{pair } n! \ (n+1))$  (I am using familiar notation to make it clearer).

The function we are given applies  $n$  to  $\text{next1}$  and  $(\text{pair } 1 \ 1)$  and then takes the  $\text{fst}$  element of the resulting pair. So, we get  $\text{next1}$  applied  $n$  times to  $(\text{pair } 1 \ 1) = (\text{pair } n! \ (n+1))$ , whose  $\text{fst}$  element is  $n!$ . So, the function calculated  $n!$

4. what is  $\text{fst } (\text{next2 } (\text{pair } \text{tru } \text{fls}))$ ?

$\text{fst } (\text{next2 } (\text{pair } \text{tru } \text{fls})) = \text{fst } ( (\lambda p. \text{pair } (\text{snd } p) (\text{fst } p)) (\text{pair } \text{tru } \text{fls}) )$   
 $= \text{fst } ( \text{pair } ( \text{snd } (\text{pair } \text{tru } \text{fls})) (\text{fst } (\text{pair } \text{tru } \text{fls})) )$   
 $= \text{fst } ( \text{pair } \text{fls } \text{tru} )$   
 $= \text{fls}$

5. what is  $\text{fst } (\text{next2 } (\text{next2 } (\text{pair } \text{tru } \text{fls})))$ ?

$\text{fst } (\text{next2 } (\text{next2 } (\text{pair } \text{tru } \text{fls}))) = \text{fst } ( \text{next2 } (\text{pair } \text{fls } \text{tru}) )$  // derivation similar to above  
 $= \text{fst } ( \text{pair } ( \text{snd } (\text{pair } \text{fls } \text{tru})) (\text{fst } (\text{pair } \text{fls } \text{tru})) )$   
 $= \text{fst } ( \text{pair } \text{tru } \text{fls} )$   
 $= \text{tru}$

6. what does the function  $\lambda n. \text{fst } (n \text{ next2 } (\text{pair } \text{tru } \text{fls}))$  calculate? Describe the function in a compact description.

$(\lambda n. \text{fst } (n \text{ next2 } (\text{pair } \text{tru } \text{fls}))) \ m = \text{fst } (\text{next2 } ( \dots ( \text{next2 } (\text{next2 } (\text{pair } \text{tru } \text{fls})) \dots )$

in which  $\text{next2}$  is applied  $m$  times. As we have seen above, each time we apply  $\text{next2}$ , we switch  $\text{tru}$  and  $\text{fls}$  in the pair. So, after  $m$  application, the first element is  $\text{tru}$  if the  $m$  is even and the first element is  $\text{fls}$  if  $m$  is odd.

So, the function is  $\text{even}(n)$  or if  $n \% 2 = 0$  then true else false

7. what is  $\text{next3 } 2$ ?

$\text{next3 } 2 = ( \lambda n. (\text{times } n \ n) ) \ 2 = \text{times } 2 \ 2 = 4$

8. what is next3 4?

$$\text{next3 } 4 = (\lambda n. (\text{times } n \text{ } n)) \text{ } 4 = \text{times } 4 \text{ } 4 = 16$$

9. what does the function `(λn. n next3 2)` calculate?

If we call `(λn. n next3 2)` *f*, we have

$$f \text{ } 1 = 4 = 2^2$$

$$f \text{ } 2 = 2^2 * 2^2 = 2^4$$

$$f \text{ } 3 = 2^4 * 2^4 = 2^8$$

$$f \text{ } 4 = 2^8 * 2^8 = 2^{16}$$

In general,  $f \text{ } n = 2^{2^n}$

**Problem 2. Static and Dynamic Scoping.** Consider the following program written in C syntax

```
int a , b , c ;    // first declaration

void g()
{
    print(a,b,c);
}

int f(int a)        // parameter declaration
{
    int b;          // second declaration
    b = a + 1;
    g();            // first call

    { int a;        // third declaration
      int c;        // fourth declaration
      c = b;
      a = b + c;
      g();          // second call
    }

    g();            // third call

    return a + b ;
}

int main()
{
    int a = 2;      // fifth declaration

    a = f(a);
    g();            // fourth call
}
```

1. If static scoping is used, the reference to a in the first call to g() resolves to which declaration?  
first declaration
2. If static scoping is used, the reference to a in the third call to g() resolves to which declaration?  
first declaration
3. If dynamic scoping is used, the reference to a in the first call to g() resolves to which declaration?  
parameter declaration
4. If dynamic scoping is used, the reference to a in the third call to g() resolves to which declaration?  
parameter declaration

## 5. What is the output of this program if static scoping is used?

In what follows I assume global variables are initialized to 0.

In what follows, I give subscripts to the variable names. `a_main` refers to the `a` declared in `main`, `a_f` refers to the `a` declared in `f` and `a_global` refers to the global variable `a`. Other subscripts should be clear from the context. Here is a trace of the execution

```
main()
  a_main = 2
  a_main = f(a_main) = f(2) = 5    // see below
    f(2)
      a_f = 2
      b_f = a_f + 1 = 3

      g()
        print a_global b_global c_global    // prints 0 0 0

      {
        c_f_scope = b_f = 3
        a_f_scope = b_f + c_f_scope = 3 + 3 = 6
        g()
          print a_global b_global c_global    // prints 0 0 0
      }

      g()
        print a_global b_global c_global    // prints 0 0 0

      return a_f + b_f = 2 + 3 = 5

  a_main = 5

  g()
    print a_global b_global c_global    // prints 0 0 0
```

6. What is the output of this program if dynamic scoping is used?

```
a_global  0initially
b_global  0initially
c_global  0initially

main
  a_main  21

  1. a_main = 2
  2. a_main = f(a_main) = f(2) = 5      // see below
      3. f(2)
          a_f  2argument
          b_f  34

      4. b_f = a_f + 1 = 3
      5. g()
          6. print a_f b_f c_global      // prints 2 3 0

          { a_f_local  68
            c_f_local  37

          7. c_f_local = b_f = 3
          8. a_f_local = b_f_local + c_f_local = 3 + 3 = 6
          9. g()
              10. print a_f_local b_f c_f_local      // prints 6 3 3
              }
          11. g()
              12. print a_f b_f c_global      // prints 2 3 0
          13. return a_f + b_f = 2 + 3 = 5
  14. g()
      15. print a_main b_global c_global      // prints 5 0 0
```

**Problem 3. Pointer Semantics in C.** Consider the following C code

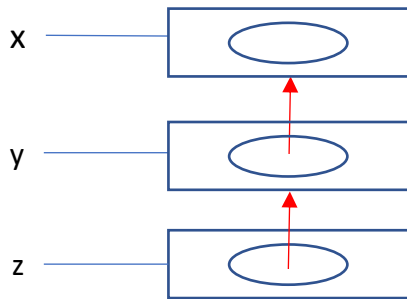
```
int x; // location 1 associated with x
int *y; // location 2 associated with y
int **z; // location 3 associated with z

y = &x; // statement 1
z = &y; // statement 2

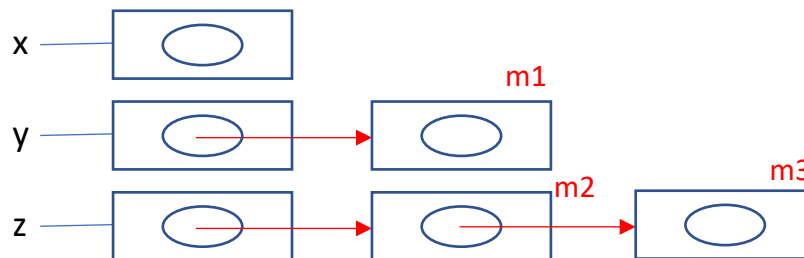
y = (int *) malloc(sizeof(int)); // statement 3: m1 allocated
z = (int **) malloc(sizeof(int *)); // statement 4: m2 allocated
*z = (int *) malloc(sizeof(int)); // statement 5: m3 allocated

y = *z; // statement 6
```

1. Draw the box circle diagram after statements 1 and 2 are executed



2. Draw the box circle diagram after statements 1 through 5 are executed



3. Draw the box circle diagram after statements 1 through 6 are executed

