

1. Define the functions “less than” and “greater than” of two numerical arguments.

1.1 less than:

m is less than n if (sub m n) is less than zero. Also, less than \equiv not(greater or equal to)

$$LT := \lambda a \lambda b. NOT (GEQ b a)$$

Which

$$GEQ := \lambda a b. LEQ b a$$

$$LEQ := \lambda m n. ISZERO (SUB m n)$$

$$ISZERO := \lambda n. n (\lambda x. FALSE) TRUE$$

$$SUB := \lambda m n. n PRED m$$

$$PRED := \lambda n f x. n (\lambda g h. h (g f)) (\lambda u. x) (\lambda u. u)$$

1.2 greater than:

m is greater than n if (sub m n) is greater than zero. Also, greater than \equiv not(less than or equal to)

$$GT := \lambda a \lambda b. NOT (LEQ a b)$$

Which LEQ is defined in 1.1

2. Define the positive and negative integers using pairs of natural numbers.

we define natural number as $(a, b) = -1^a * b$.

Positive integer $= +n = (0, n)$

Negative integer $= -n = (1, n)$

We define pair as

$$pair \Rightarrow \lambda x. \lambda y. \lambda f. ((f x) y)$$

$$first \Rightarrow \lambda p. (p (\lambda x. \lambda y. x))$$

$$second \Rightarrow \lambda p. (p (\lambda x. \lambda y. y))$$

Thus, $+n = \lambda x. pair\ 0\ x$

$-n = \lambda x. pair\ 1\ x$

3. Define addition and subtraction of integers

addition

$m + n$ means add one to m, n times. For example, $5 + 3$ means add one to five, three times.

The step of adding one to the previous number is called successor which is defined as

$$SUCC := \lambda n. \lambda f. \lambda x. f (n f x)$$

Thus, addition can be defined as $ADD := \lambda m \lambda n. n\ succ\ m$

subtraction

$m - n$ means take one off m, n times. For example, $5 - 3$ means take one off five, three times.

The step of taking one off is called predecessor ($PRED\ n = n - 1$) which is defined in 1.1 as

$$\lambda n. \lambda f. \lambda x. n (\lambda g. \lambda h. h (g f)) (\lambda u. x) (\lambda u. u)$$

Thus, subtraction can be defined as $SUB := \lambda m \lambda n. n \text{ PRED } m$

4. Define the division of positive integers recursively

we define division as a pair $(m, n) = m/n$

$DIV := Y (\lambda g. \lambda q. \lambda a. \lambda b. \text{LT } a \text{ b } (\text{PAIR } q \text{ a}) (g (\text{SUCC } q) (\text{SUB } a \text{ b}) b)) 0$

Which

$Y := \lambda g. (\lambda x. g (x x)) (\lambda x. g (x x)) \equiv S (K (S I I)) (S (S (K S) K) (K (S I I)))$

LT, PAIR, SUCC and SUB are defined in the previous questions

5. Define the function $n! = n \cdot (n - 1) \dots 1$ recursively

$(\lambda x. (\lambda y. x (y y)) (\lambda y. x (y y))) (\lambda f. \lambda n. (\text{ISZERO } n) 1 (\text{MULT } n (f (\text{PRED } n))))$

6. Define the rational numbers as pairs of integers

We define the rational numbers as $Q = \text{pair } (m, n) = m/n ; m \in \mathbb{Z}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$

$Q = \lambda m. \lambda n. \text{pair } m \text{ n}$

7. Define functions for the addition, subtraction, multiplication and division of rationals.

Let $\frac{a}{b}$ and $\frac{c}{d}$ are rational numbers

We define pair $m \text{ n} = (m, n) = m / n$ and define x and y as rational numbers which

$x := \lambda a. \lambda b. \text{Pair } a \text{ b}$ and $y := \lambda c. \lambda d. \text{Pair } c \text{ d}$

Addition is $\frac{a}{b} + \frac{c}{d} = \frac{ad+cb}{bd}$ so we can define the addition as a pair of $ad+cb$ and bd

$ADD := \lambda x. \lambda y. (\text{pair } ad+cb \text{ bd}) \times y$

Subtraction is $\frac{a}{b} - \frac{c}{d} = \frac{ad-cb}{bd}$ so we can define the addition as a pair of $ad-cb$ and bd

$SUB := \lambda x. \lambda y. (\text{pair } ad-cb \text{ bd}) \times y$

Multiplication is $\frac{a}{b} * \frac{c}{d} = \frac{ac}{bd}$ so we can define the addition as a pair of ac and bd

$MUL := \lambda x. \lambda y. (\text{pair } ac \text{ bd}) \times y$

Division is $\frac{a}{b} / \frac{c}{d} = \frac{ad}{bc}$ so we can define the addition as a pair of ad and bc

$DIV := \lambda x. \lambda y. (\text{pair } ad \text{ bc}) \times y$

8. Define a data structure to represent a list of numbers.

A list can be defined as a pair of head and the rest

empty list: $NIL := \lambda x. \text{TRUE}$

$LIST := \lambda x. \lambda y. \text{pair } x \text{ y}$

which x is head and y is the rest of the list

$HEAD := \lambda p. p \text{ TRUE}$

$REST := \lambda p. p \text{ FALSE}$

9. Define a function which extracts the first element from a list.

HEAD := $\lambda p. p \text{ TRUE}$

10. Define a recursive function which counts the number of elements in a list.

LENGTH := $Y (\lambda g. \lambda c. \lambda x. \text{NULL } x \text{ c } (g (\text{SUCC } c) (\text{REST } x))) 0$