

# TREES, NONLOCAL, ORDERS OF GROWTH

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## 1 Trees

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### 1.1 Questions

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1. Write a function `num_occurences` that takes in a tree `t` and a number `x`. It returns the number of times that `x` appears in `t`

```
def num_occurences(t, x):  
    """Returns number of times x appears in t  
  
    >>> t = tree(1, [tree(3),  
    ... tree(3, [tree(4, [tree(5, [tree(1)]])]),  
    ...     tree(7) ])] )  
    >>> num_occurences(t, 1)  
    2  
    >>> num_occurences(t, 2)  
    0  
    """
```

2. Write a function `has_path` that takes in a tree `t` and a string `word`. It returns `True` if there is a path that starts from the root where the entries along the path spell out the word, and `False` otherwise.

```
def has_path(t, word):
    """Return whether there is a path in a tree where the
       entries along the path spell out a particular word.

    >>> greetings = tree('h', [tree('i'),
    ...     tree('e', [tree('l', [tree('l', [tree('o')])]),
    ...         tree('y')])])
    >>> print_tree(greetings)
    h
      i
      e
        l
          l
            o
          y
    >>> has_path(greetings, 'h')
    True
    >>> has_path(greetings, 'i')
    False
    >>> has_path(greetings, 'hi')
    True
    >>> has_path(greetings, 'hello')
    True
    >>> has_path(greetings, 'hey')
    True
    >>> has_path(greetings, 'bye')
    False

    """
```

3. In the first week of class, we learned that expressions like `mul(sub(4, 5), add(2, 3))` can be represented as expression trees. In this problem we use our `tree` abstract data structure to further explore this idea.

Write a function `evaluate`, which takes a binary expression tree, `exp` and returns what that expression would evaluate to. You may assume that all operators will take exactly 2 arguments, and that nodes always have either 0 or 2 children (never 1).

```
def evaluate(exp):
    """Evaluates exp, which is an expression tree.

    >>> from operator import add, sub, mul
    >>> exp = tree(3) # 3
    >>> evaluate(exp)
    3
    >>> exp = tree(add, [tree(3), tree(4)]) # add(3, 4)
    >>> evaluate(exp)
    7
    >>> exp = tree(mul, [tree(add, [tree(3), tree(5)]),
                        tree(sub,
                            [tree(5), tree(2)])]) # mul(add(3, 5), sub(5, 2))

    >>> evaluate(exp)
    24
    """
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## 2 Nonlocal

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### 2.1 Questions

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1. Draw the environment diagram for the code below:

```
def sum(lst):  
    total = 0  
    def help(you):  
        nonlocal total  
        total += lst[you]  
        lst[you] = total - lst[you]  
    me = 0  
    while me < len(lst):  
        help(me)  
        me += 1  
    return total  
a = sum([6, 1])
```

2. Draw the environment diagram for the code below:

```
breakfast = 'waffles'
def saturday(morning):
    def breakfast(cereal):
        nonlocal breakfast
        breakfast = cereal
    breakfast(morning)
    return breakfast
saturday(lambda morning: breakfast)('cereal')
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## 3 Orders of Growth

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### 3.1 Questions

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1. What is the order of growth for a call to `fizzle(n)`?

```
def fizzle(n):  
    if n <= 0:  
        return n  
    elif n % 23 == 0:  
        return n  
    return fizzle(n - 1)
```

2. What is the order of growth for a call to `explode(n)`?

```
def boom(n):  
    if n == 0:  
        return "BOOM!"  
    return boom(n - 1)
```

```
def explode(n):  
    if n == 0:  
        return boom(n)  
    i = 0  
    while i < n:  
        boom(n)  
        i += 1  
    return boom(n)
```

3. What is the order of growth for a call to `dreams(n)`?

```
def dreams(n):  
    if n <= 0:  
        return n  
    if n > 0:  
        return n + dreams(n // 2)
```