

Preparation for the Colloquy

In this section, we will recap the concepts of:

- Arithmetic Operations
- Operations on Lists (complete, difference, incomplete)
- Deep Lists
- Trees (complete, incomplete)
- Graphs and Side Effects (assert, retract)
- Bonus

1 Arithmetic Operations

1. Compute the greatest common divisor of two numbers.

Query

?- gcd(15,25,R).

R = 5.

2. Compute the least common multiplier of two numbers.

Query

?- lcm(15,25,R).

R = 75.

3. Compute the divisors of a natural number.

Query

?- divisor(15,R1), divisor(2,R2), divisor(1,R3), divisor(0,R4),divisor(-6,R5).

R1 = [1,3,5,15], R2 = [1,2], R3 = [1], R4 = alot, R5 = [1,2,3,6].

4. Convert a number to binary (the powers of 2 grow from right to left).

Query

?- to_binary(5,R1),to_binary(8,R2),to_binary(11,R3).

R1 = [1,0,1], R2 = [1,0,0,0], R3 = [1,0,1,1].

5. Reverse a natural number.

Query

?- reverse(15,R1), reverse(121235124,R2).

R1 = 51, R2 = 421542121.

2 Operations on Lists

6. Compute the sum of the elements of a list.

Query

```
?- sum([1,2,3,4,5], R).  
R = 15.
```

7. Double the odd numbers and square the even.

Query

```
?- numbers([2,5,3,1,1,5,4,2,6],R).  
R = [4,10,6,2,2,10,16,4,36].
```

8. Separate the even elements on odd positions from the rest (the indexing starts at 1).

Query

```
?- separate_parity([1,2,2,3,4,5,6,6,12,44,8,5,5,10,5],Even,Rest).  
Even = [2,4,6,12,8], Rest = [1,2,3,6,44,5,5,10,5].
```

9. Replace all occurrences of X with Y.

Query

```
?- replace_all(1, a, [1,2,3,1,2], R).  
R = [a,2,3,a,2].
```

10. Replace all the occurrences of x in a difference list (2nd and 3rd argument) with the sequence [Y,X,Y].

Query

```
% replace_all(X, S, E, Y, R), unde lista diferență este S-E = [1,2,3,4,2,1,2]  
?- replace_all(2,[1, 2, 3,4, 2, 1, 2, 2,3],[2,3],8,R).  
R = [1, 8,2,8, 3,4, 8,2,8, 1, 8,2,8].
```

11. Delete the occurrences of X on even positions (the indexing starts with 1).

Query

```
?- delete_pos_even([1,2,3,4,2,3,3,2,5],2,R).  
R = [1,3,4,2,3,3,5].
```

12. Delete each kth element from the list.

Query

```
?- delete_kth([6,5,4,3,2,1], 3, R).  
R = [6,5,3,2].
```

13. Delete each kth element from the end of the list.

Query

?- delete_kth_end([1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10],3,R)

R = [1,3,4,6,7,9,10].

14. Delete all occurrences of the minimum/maximum element in a list.

Query

?- delete_min([4,5,1,2], R).

R = [4,5,2].

15. Delete duplicate elements from a list (keep first or last occurrence).

Query

?- delete_duplicates([3,4,5,3,2,4], R).

R = [3,4,5,2]. or R = [5,3,2,4].

16. Reverse an incomplete list.

Query

?- reverse([1, 2, 3, 4, 5|_], R).

R = [5, 4, 3, 2, 1|_].

17. Reverse the elements of a list after position K.

Query

?- reverse_k([1,2,3,4,5,6], 2, R).

R = [1,2,6,5,4,3].

18. Encode a list with RLE. Consecutive elements are replaced by *[element, no_occurrences]*.

Query

?- rle_encode([a,a,a,a,b,c,c,a,a,d,e,e,e,e], R).

R = [[a,4], [b,1], [c,2], [a,2], [d,1], [e,4]].

19. Encode a list with RLE. Two or more consecutive elements are replaced by *[element, no_occurrences]*. But if the number of occurrences is equal to 1 then only the element is written.

Query

?- rle_encode1([1,1,1,2,3,3,4,4], R).

R = [[1,3], 2, [3,2], [4,2]].

20. Decode a list encoded with RLE.

Query

```
?- rle_decode([[a,4], [b,1], [c,2], [a,2], [d,1], [e,4]],R).  
R = [a,a,a,a,b,c,c,a,a,d,e,e,e,e].
```

21. Rotate a list K positions to the right.

```
Query  
?- rotate_k([1,2,3,4,5,6|_], 2, R).  
R = [5,6,1,2,3,4|_].
```

22. Sort a list of characters by their ASCII codes.

```
Query  
?- sort_chars([e, t, a, v, f], R).  
R = [a, e, f, t, v].
```

23. Sort a list of lists by the length of the lists on the second level.

```
Query  
?- sort_len([[a, b, c], [f], [2, 3, 1, 2], [], [4, 4]], R).  
R = [[], [f], [4, 4], [a, b, c], [2, 3, 1, 2]].
```

24. Delete duplicate elements that are on an odd position in a list (the indexing starts at 1).

```
Query  
?- remove_dup_on_odd_pos([1,2,3,1,3,3,9,10,6,10,8,7,3],R).  
R = [2,1,3,9,6,8,7,3].
```

3 Deep Lists

25. Compute the maximum depth of a deep list.

Query

```
?- depth_list([1, [2, [3]], [4]], R1), depth_list([], R2).  
R1 = 3, R2 = 1.
```

26. Flatten a deep list with incomplete lists.

Query

```
?- flatten([[1|_], 2, [3, [4, 5|_]|_|_], R).  
R = [1,2,3,4,5|_].
```

27. Flatten only the elements at depth X from a deep list.

Query

```
?- flatten_only_depth([[1,5,2,4],[1,[4,2],[5,[6,7,8]]],[4,[7]],8,[11]],3,R).  
R = [4,2,5,7].
```

28. Compute the sum of all element at depth K in a deep list.

Query

```
?- sum_k([1, [2, [3|_|_], [4|_|_], 2, R).  
R = 6.
```

29. Count the number of lists in a deep list.

Query

```
?- count_lists([[1,5,2,4],[1,[4,2],[5]],4,[7]],8,[11]],R).  
R = 8.
```

30. Replace all occurrences of X with Y in a deep list.

Query

```
?- replace_all_deep(2, 5, [[1, [2, [3, 2]], [4]], R).  
R = [1, [5, [3, 5]], [4]].
```

31. Replace each constant depth sequence in a deep list with its length.

Query

```
?- len_con_depth([[1,2,3],[2],[2,[2,3,1],5],3,1],R).  
R = [[3],[1],[1,[3,1],2].
```

4 Trees

32. Compute the depth of a binary complete/incomplete tree.

Code

```
tree_ex32(t(6, t(4, t(2, nil, nil), t(5, nil, nil)), t(9, t(7, nil, nil), nil))).
```

Query

```
?- tree_ex32(T), depth_tree(T, R).
```

```
R = 3.
```

33. Collect all nodes of binary complete/incomplete tree in inorder using complete lists.

Code

```
tree_ex33(t(6, t(4, t(2, nil, nil), t(5, nil, nil)), t(9, t(7, nil, nil), nil))).
```

Query

```
?- tree_ex33(T), inorder(T, R).
```

```
R = [2,4,5,6,7,9].
```

34. Collect all leaves of a binary tree.

Code

```
tree_ex34(t(6, t(4, t(2, nil, nil), t(5, nil, nil)), t(9, t(7, nil, nil), nil))).
```

Query

```
?- tree_ex34(T), collect_k(T, R).
```

```
R = [2,5,7].
```

35. Write a predicate which checks whether the tree is a binary search tree.

Code

```
tree_ex35(t(3, t(2, t(1, nil, nil), t(4, nil, nil)), t(5, nil, nil))).
```

Query

```
?- tree_ex35(T), is_bst(T).
```

```
false.
```

36. Binary incomplete tree. Collect odd nodes with 1 child in an incomplete list.

Code

```
tree_ex36(t(26,t(14,t(2,_,_),t(15,_,_)),t(50,t(35,t(29,_,_),_),t(51,_,t(58,_,_))
))).
```

Query

```
?- tree_ex36(X), collect_odd_from_1child(X,R).
R = [35, 51|_].
```

37. Ternary incomplete tree. Collect the keys between X and Y (closed interval) in a difference list.

Code

```
tree_ex37(t(2,t(8,_,_),t(3,_,t(4,_,_)),t(5,t(7,_,_),t(6,_,_),t(1,_,t(
9,_,_,_)))).
```

Query

```
?- tree_ex37(T), collect_between(T,2,7,R,[1,18]).
R = [2,3,4,5,6,7,1,18].
```

38. Binary Tree. Collect even keys from leaves in a difference list.

Code

```
tree_ex38(t(5,t(10,t(7,nil,nil),t(10,t(4,nil,nil),t(3,nil,t(2,nil,nil)))),t(16,nil,nil))).
```

Query

```
?- tree_ex38(T), collect_even_from_leaf(T,R,[1]).
R = [4,2,16,1].
```

39. Replace the min element from a ternary incomplete tree with the root.

Code

```
tree_ex39(t(2,t(8,_,_),t(3,_,t(1,_,_)),t(5,t(7,_,_),t(6,_,_),t(1,_,t(9
,_,_,_)))).
```

Query

```
?- tree_ex39(T), replace_min(T,R).
R =
t(2,t(8,_,_),t(3,_,t(2,_,_)),t(5,t(7,_,_),t(6,_,_),t(2,_,t(9,_,_,_)))).
```

40. Collect all nodes from depth K in a binary tree.

Code

```
tree_ex40(t(6, t(4, t(2, nil, nil), t(5, nil, nil)), t(9, t(7, nil, nil), nil))).
```

Query

```
?- tree_ex40(T), collect_k(T, 2, R).
R = [4, 9].
```

41. Collect all the nodes at odd depth from a binary incomplete tree (the root has depth 0).

Code

```
tree_ex41(t(26,t(14,t(2,_,_),t(15,_,_)),t(50,t(35,t(29,_,_),_),t(51,_,t(58,_,_))
))).
```

Query

```
?- tree_ex41(X), collect_all_odd_depth(X,R).
R = [14,50,29,58].
```

42. Collect the subtrees having the median value from a ternary incomplete tree.
Note. The median is the "middle" of the sorted list of keys.

Code

```
tree_ex42(t(2,t(8,_,_),t(3,_,t(1,_,_))),t(5,t(7,_,_),t(5,_,_),t(1,_,t(9
,_,_)))).
```

Query

```
?- tree_ex42(T), median(T,R).
R = [
t(5,t(7,_,_),t(5,_,_),t(1,_,t(9,_,_))),
t(5,_,_)
].
```

43. Replace each node with its height in a binary incomplete tree (a leaf has height 0).

Code

```
tree_ex43(t(2,t(4,t(5,_,_),t(7,_,_)),t(3,t(0,t(4,_,_),_),t(8,_,t(5,_,_)))).
```

Query

```
?- tree(T), height_each(T,R).
R = tree(t(3,t(1,t(0,_,_),t(0,_,_)),t(2,t(1,t(0,_,_),_),t(1,_,t(0,_,_)))).
```

44. Write a predicate which replaces the entire subtree of a node (whose key is given as argument) with a single node having as key the sum of the keys in the subtree of that node (if there is no such node in the tree, leave the structure unchanged).

Code

```
tree_ex44(t(14,t(6,t(4,nil,nil),t(12,t(10,nil,nil),nil)),t(17,t(16,nil,nil),t(20,nil,nil)
))).
```


Query

?- tree_ex44(T), sum_subtree(T,6,R).

R = t(14,t(32,nil,nil),t(17,t(16,nil,nil),t(20,nil,nil))).

5 Graphs

45. Collect all nodes of a graph.

Code

```
node(1).  
node(2).  
node(3).
```

Query

```
?- collect(R).  
R = [1,2,3].
```

46. Compute the indegree and the outdegree for each node in a graph using the dynamic predicate *info(Node, OutDegree, InDegree)*.

Code

```
edge(1,2).  
edge(2,1).  
edge(1,4).  
edge(1,3).  
edge(3,2).
```

Query

```
?- gen_info.  
=> info(1,3,1). info(2,1,2). info(3,1,1). info(4,0,1).
```

6 Bonus

47. (Knapsack Problem) A person has a backpack that can carry a maximum weight G . The person has N objects available and knows for each object its weight and the gain (value) obtained from transporting it to the destination. The task is to determine which objects the person should carry so that the total gain is maximized, and the total weight is exactly equal to G .

Query

```
?- one_sol(120,[ob(15,30),ob(105,30),ob(90,25),ob(15,5), ob(15,15)],R).
```

```
R = [ob(15,15),ob(90,25),ob(15,30)].
```

```
?- one_sol(100,[ob(10,30),ob(28,30),ob(90,2), ob(90,3), ob(72,4)],R).
```

```
R = [ob(72,4),ob(28,30)].
```

48. (DIGITS) Consider the digits: 1234567890. First remove one digit, then swap two adjacent digits and then insert some number of plus signs between the digits. There is a way to do this so that the answer to the resulting arithmetic expression is 2004! But how? Write a Prolog program to do it!

Hints:

- You should define the digits as a list in your code, i.e. put the fact: `digits([1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,0])` in your program.
- You'll have to represent the addition operator by a constant such as `plus`. Don't use `+` as it may confuse Prolog. Also, if the solution (a list containing numbers and one or more plus signs inserted) gets too long, Prolog may shorten it using the `...` notation.
- To see the full solution, add a `write/1` clause in your program that outputs the solution once one has been found.
- You may need to use the `number/1` predicate. This predicate is true if its single argument is a number. Using `number/1` you can differentiate between numbers and the plus operator.

Then, the problem is simplified to:

- Define a predicate that removes an element of a list.
- Define a predicate that swaps adjacent elements of a list.
- Define a predicate that, for each successive pair of numbers in a list, can either add a plus constant between them or leave that pair unchanged.
- Define a predicate which returns the numeric value of a list that contains numbers and occurrences of plus, as if it was a numerical expression.

There is only one answer to this puzzle!