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(define (A x y)
  (cond ((= y 0) 0)
        ((= x 0) (* 2 y))
        ((= y 1) 2)
        (else (A (- x 1) (A x (- y 1))))))

(A 1 10)
(A 0 (A 1 9))
(A 0 (A 0 (A 1 8)))
(A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 1 7))))
(A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 1 6)))))
(A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 1 5))))))
(A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 1 4))))))
(A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 1 3)))))))
(A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 1 2)))))))
(A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 1 1)))))))
(A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 2)))))))
(A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 4)))))))
(A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 8))))))
(A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 16))))))
(A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 32))))
(A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 64))))
(A 0 (A 0 (A 0 128)))
(A 0 (A 0 256))
(A 0 512)

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1024

$$1024 = 2^{10}$$

(A 1 10) is reduced 9 times to (A 1 1), and each reduction is nested in an (A 0 call. (A 1 1) evaluates to 2, which is 2^1 . Each (A 0 procedure evaluates to 2 times y, so with 9 (A 0 calls, the initial y is multiplied by 2 9 times (or multiplied by 2^9 , and $2^9 \cdot 2^1 = 2^{10} = 1024$).

To generalize, (A 1 y) will reduce to (A 1 1) with $y - 1$ enclosing (A 0 calls. (A 1 1) evaluates to 2, which is 2^1 , and each (A 0 call doubles the value of y, which is the equivalent of multiplying 2 by 2, $y - 1$ times, or multiplying 2^1 by 2^{y-1} which is equal to 2^y . Therefore, (A 1 y) will evaluate to 2^y .

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(A 2 4)
(A 1 (A 2 3))
(A 1 (A 1 (A 2 2)))
(A 1 (A 1 (A 1 (A 2 1))))
(A 1 (A 1 (A 1 2)))
(A 1 (A 1 (A 0 (A 1 1))))
(A 1 (A 1 (A 0 2)))
(A 1 (A 1 4))
(A 1 (A 0 (A 1 3)))
(A 1 (A 0 (A 0 (A 1 2))))
(A 1 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 (A 1 1))))
(A 1 (A 0 (A 0 (A 0 2))))
(A 1 (A 0 (A 0 4)))
(A 1 (A 0 8))
(A 1 16)

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From above we know that (A 1 16) will evaluate to $2^{16} = 65536$.

65536

(A 2 4) is reduced 3 times to (A 2 1), and each reduction is nested in a (A 1 call. (A 2 1) evaluates to 2. This results in 3 (A 1) calls with the final call being (A 1 2) which gets reduced once to (A 1 1), with the reduction resulting in an enclosing (A 0) call, behavior seen in the previous problem.

$(A\ 1\ 1)$ evaluates to 2, and is multiplied by 2 by the outer $(A\ 0)$ call to yield $(A\ 1\ 4)$ which from above we know evaluates to 2^4 . With one final outer $(A\ 1)$ call the problem reduces to $(A\ 1\ 16)$ which we know is 2^{16} .

To generalize, from $(A\ 2\ y)$ we know that it will be reduced to $(A\ 2\ 1)$, and the number of enclosing $(A\ 1)$ calls will be $y - 1$. The final $(A\ 2)$ call will reduce to $2(2^1)$, and each nested $(A\ 1)$ call will double that figure. That means that $(A\ 2\ y)$ will always reduce to $(A\ 1\ 2^y)$ since $2^1 \cdot 2^{y-1} = 2^y$. From there we know that $(A\ 1\ y)$ will evaluate to 2^y , so we can say that $(A\ 2\ y)$ will evaluate to 2^{2^y} .

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(A 3 3)
(A 2 (A 3 2))
(A 2 (A 2 (A 3 1)))
(A 2 (A 2 2))
(A 2 (A 1 (A 2 1)))
(A 2 (A 1 2))
(A 2 (A 0 (A 1 1)))
(A 2 (A 0 2))
(A 2 4)
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From above we know that $(A\ 2\ 4)$ evaluates to 65536.

65536

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(define (f n) (A 0 n))
(define (g n) (A 1 n))
(define (h n) (A 2 n))
(define (k n) (* 5 n n))
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$(k\ n)$ computes $5n^2$, $(f\ n)$ computes $2n$, $(g\ n)$ computes 2^n , and $(h\ n)$ computes 2^{2^n} .