

Tail Recursion

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```
void fun (int n)
{
    if (n == 0)
        return;
    print(n);
    fun(n-1);
}
```

This will take less time than this

Parent function have nothing to do when child function is finished

→ Tail Recursion

```
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{
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        return;
    fun(n-1);
    print(n);
}
```

This can be converted to Tail Recursion

```
void fun (int n, int k)
{
    k = 1;
    if (n == 0)
        return;
    print(k);
    fun(n-1, k+1);
}
```

```
int fact (int n)
{
    if (n == 0 || n == 1)
        return 1;
    return n * fact(n-1);
}
```

→ To convert

```
int fact (int n, int k)
{
    k = 1;
    if (n == 0 || n == 1)
        return k;
    return fact(n-1, k * n);
}
```

fact(3, 1)

→ fact(2, 1 * 3)

→ fact(1, 1 * 3 * 2)

→ 6