

In this small problem set we were supposed to experiment with prolog and use list traversals to answer two problems. The first problem was to provide a unique list of leaves of a given binary search tree. The other problem was to report the Longest path from the root to a leaf of a Binary search tree, given these 3 rules.

- 1) Mydepth of nil is 0.
- 2) Mydepth of an atom is 0
- 3) Mydepth of a list is the $\max(\text{depth}(H), \text{depth}(T)) + 1$

Problem 1

<pre> % Name: Marco Salazar % Date: 11/30/2020 % Assignment: Practice with Prolog Programming % Problem: When given a binary tree as a list, I need to output a unique list of the leaves of that tree. % eg. mytreeunique([a,[b,[a,[c,d]]]],X). % Yields X=[a,b,c,d] % flattening a list flatten([], []). flatten(X, [X]) :- atom(X),!. flatten([H T], Z) :- flatten(H, T1), flatten(T, T2), append(T1, T2, Z). % we assume we always get two lists for append append([],L,L). append([H T], L, [H Z]) :- append(T,L,Z). % make sure that a list has unique elements myuniq([], []). myuniq([H T], L) :- member(H, T),!, myuniq(T,L). myuniq([H T], [H L]) :- myuniq(T, L). % given a binary tree as a list, this provides the unique list of leaves of the tree mytreeunique([],[]). mytreeunique(X, Z) :- flatten(X, Y), myuniq(Y, Z). </pre>
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?- ['prolog.mytreeunique'].
true.

?- mytreeunique([a,[b,[a,[c,d]]]],X).
X = [b, a, c, d] .

?- mytreeunique([],X).
X = [] .

?- mytreeunique([a,b],X).
X = [a, b] .

?- mytreeunique([a,a],X).
X = [a] .

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Problem 2

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% Problem: When given a binary tree as a list, I need to output the longest path from the root to a leaf.

% eg. mydepth([a,[b,[a,[c,d]]]],X).

% Yields X=8.

mydepth([], 0).

mydepth(X, 0) :- atomic(X).

mydepth([H | T], V) :- mydepth(H, V1), mydepth(T, V2), V3 is max(V1, V2), V is V3 + 1.

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?- mydepth([a,[b,[a,[c,d]]]],X).
X = 8 .

?- mydepth([b,[a,[c,d]]],X).
X = 6 .

?- mydepth([a,[c,d]],X).
X = 4 .

?- mydepth([c,d],X).
X = 2 .

?- mydepth([c],X).
X = 1 .

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