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HW4

1)

:- use_module(library(tabling)).
:- table s/2.
:- table np/2.
:- table vp/2.
:- table pp/2.
% enter your rules
s> np, vp.
np> np, pp.
np> det, n.
vp> vp, pp.
vp> v, np.
pp> p, np.
% enter your lexical rules
det> [the].
n> [dogs].
n> [cats].
n> [garden].
p> [in].
v> [chased].

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:- use_module(library(tabling)).
:- table s/3.
:- table np/3.
:- table vp/3.
:- table pp/3.
% enter your rules
s(s(NP, VP)) \longrightarrow np(NP), vp(VP).
np(np(NP, PP)) \longrightarrow np(NP), pp(PP).
np(np(DET, N)) \longrightarrow det(DET), n(N).
vp(vp(VP, PP)) \longrightarrow vp(VP), pp(PP).
vp(vp(V, NP)) \longrightarrow v(V), np(NP).
pp(pp(P, NP)) \longrightarrow p(P), np(NP).
% enter your lexical rules
det(det(the)) --> [the].
n(n(dogs)) \longrightarrow [dogs].
n(n(cats)) --> [cats].
n(n(garden)) --> [garden].
p(p(in)) --> [in].
v(v(chased)) --> [chased].
%TEMP RULES FOR PART 3:
%p(p(behind)) --> [behind].
%n(n(fence)) --> [fence].
%n(n(garden)) --> [garden].
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Number of PP's	Number of trees
0	1
1	2
2	5
3	14
4	42

The sequence relating the number of trees to the number of PP's is as follows (function form is trees[PP's]):

-trees
$$[0] = 1$$

-trees[i] =trees[i-1] +
$$3^{i-1}$$

This sequence is commonly known as the Catalan numbers and appears frequently in computer science concepts, especially those involving recursion.