

Recursion Practice Problems

1. Write a function (or set of functions) that takes in an int parameter and returns an int that is the sum of all the digits added together.
(Ex: 1,234 -> 10; 121 -> 4; 9,823,555 -> 37)
2. Write a function (or set of functions) that takes in an array of ints as a parameter and returns an int that is the sum of all the elements multiplied together.
(Ex: [1,2,3,4]-> 24; [9,4,2] -> 72; [7,5,8,6,3]-> 5,040)
3. Write a function (or set of functions) that takes in a String as a parameter and returns an String that is comprised of every odd letter (the first letter in the string is considered even).
(Ex: "hello"-> "el"; "valiant" -> "ain"; "tarnishing"-> "ansig")
4. Write a function (or set of functions) that takes in an array of ints as a parameter and modifies that array such that each index is set to the value multiplied by the place in the array.
(Ex: [500, 3, 6, 7]-> [0, 3, 12, 21]; [4, 5, 7] -> [0, 5, 14]; [9, 8, 9, 6]-> [0, 8, 18, 18])
5. Draw a recursion diagram for fun2(7). What does this function do?

```
/* Assume that n is greater than or equal to 1 */
static void fun2(int n)
{
    if(n == 0)
    {
        return;
    }

    //Note that this is integer division-the result will be
    //rounded down to the nearest int.

    fun2(n/2);
    System.out.println(n%2);
}
```

6. This function is a recursive function that prints off *s. What is the general pattern of *s that are printed? How many asterisks would starPrint(6) yield?

```
static void fun1(int n)
{
    int i = 0;
    if (n > 1)
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    {
        fun1(n - 1);
    }
    for (i = 0; i < n; i++)
    {
        System.out.print(" * ");
    }
}

```

7. Draw a recursion diagram for this function, given the argument “cat”. What is the output of this program for that input?

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static void abc(String s)
{
    if(s.length() == 0)
    {
        return;
    }

    abc(s.substring(1));
    abc(s.substring(1));
    System.out.print(s.charAt(0));
}

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