

Assignment 8
CS1083

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Code:

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public class InvalidSequenceTermException extends Exception{
    public InvalidSequenceTermException() {
        super("Invalid term");
    }
    public InvalidSequenceTermException(String message){
        super(message);
    }
}
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import java.lang.reflect.Array;
import java.util.ArrayList;
import java.util.Arrays;
import java.lang.Math;
/**
A utility class that provide methods to compute elements of the
recursive sequence.
@author Omar Sebri
*/
public class Seq{

    /**
    Recursively computes seq(n).
    @param n Non-negative integer.
    @return int Element n in the recursive sequence.
    */
    private static ArrayList<Integer> cache = new
ArrayList<Integer>(Arrays.asList(1,5)) ;

    public static int seqR(int n){
        if (n==0)
            return 1;
        else if (n==1)
            return 5;
        else return(seqR(n-1)+seqR(n-2));
    }
    /* checks if the element is already in the arraylist if not
    elements up to n get calculated and added then seq(n) is returned */
    public static int seqM(int n){
        if (cache.size()+1>=n)
            return cache.get(n-1);
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        else{
            int i=cache.size()-1;
            while(i<=n){
                cache.add(seqR(i+1));
                i++;
            }
            return cache.get(n);
        }
    }
    /* returns seq(n) by summing the last two elemnts in the array up until n
    is reached
    the last element is then returned */
    public static int seqI(int n){
        int [] array = new int [n+1];
        array[0]=1;
        array[1]=5;
        int i=2;
        while(i<n+1){
            array[i]=array[i-1]+array[i-2];
            i++;
        }
        return array[array.length-1];
    }
    /* this method allows us to calculate the term n using the general term of
    this
    recursive sequence */
    public static int seqMath(int n){
        double a;
        a=((0.5-(9/(2*Math.sqrt(5))))*Math.pow(((1-
Math.sqrt(5))/2),n))+((0.5+(9/(2*Math.sqrt(5))))*Math.pow(((1+Math.sqrt(5))/2),
n)));
        int b=(int)a;
        return b;
    }
}

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import java.util.Scanner;
import java.text.NumberFormat;;

/**
A simple driver that uses the Seq class to compute the
nth element of the sequence.
@author Omar Sebri
*/

public class TestSeq{

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public static void main(String[] args){

    int n, seqRec, seqMem, seqIter, seqMa;

    Scanner scan = new Scanner(System.in);
    System.out.print("Enter a positive integer: ");
    n = scan.nextInt();
    try{
        if(n<0)
            throw new InvalidSequenceTermException();

        seqRec = Seq.seqR(n);
        System.out.println("seqR(" + n + ") is: " + seqRec);

        seqMem = Seq.seqM(n);
        System.out.println("seqM(" + n + ") is: " + seqMem);

        seqIter = Seq.seqI(n);
        System.out.println("seqI(" + n + ") is: " + seqIter);

        seqMa = Seq.seqMath(n);
        System.out.println("seqMath(" + n + ") is: " + seqMa); }
    catch(InvalidSequenceTermException e){
        System.out.println(e.getMessage());
    }

    NumberFormat form = NumberFormat.getInstance();
    form.setMaximumFractionDigits(7);
    form.setMinimumFractionDigits(7);

    System.out.println("Execution Times in Milliseconds (ms)");
    System.out.println("Seq(n) \tRecursive \tMemoization \tIterative
\tMathematical");

    long start, end;
    int seqA;
    double time;
    for(int i = 20; i <= 40; i+=10){
        start = System.nanoTime();
        seqA = Seq.seqR(i);
        end = System.nanoTime();
        time = (double)(end-start)/1000000;
        System.out.print(i + "\t" + form.format(time));
        start = System.nanoTime();
        seqA = Seq.seqM(i);
        end = System.nanoTime();
        time = (double)(end-start)/1000000;
    }
}

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        System.out.print(i + "\t" + form.format(time));
        start = System.nanoTime();
        seqA = Seq.seqI(i);
        end = System.nanoTime();
        time = (double)(end-start)/1000000;
        System.out.print(i + "\t" + form.format(time));
        start = System.nanoTime();
        seqA = Seq.seqMath(i);
        end = System.nanoTime();
        time = (double)(end-start)/1000000;
        System.out.print(i + "\t" + form.format(time)+"\n");

    }
}

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Note: Being a math nerd, I was curious whether computing Seq(n) using its general term would be faster, so I calculated the general term, proved it through induction then made the method SeqMath(n) that returns seq(n).

Turns out for small elements there's no big difference but as soon as n gets bigger (in the order of the hundreds), computation time becomes even ten times faster than the iterative method !!! Interesting isn't it ?

The proof can be found at the end of the report

Test Case 1:

Input : -1

Output:

Enter a positive integer: -1

Invalid term

Execution Times in Milliseconds (ms)

Seq(n)	Recursive	Memoization	Itertive	Mathematical
20	1.680700020	0,560700020	0.006400020	0,0794000
30	4.411300030	19.792300030	0.016600030	0.0040000
40	529.888700040	2,794.356500040	0.003600040	0.0022000

Test Case 2:

Input : 9

Output:

Enter a positive integer: 9

seqR(9) is: 191

seqM(9) is: 191

seqI(9) is: 191

seqMath(9) is: 191

Execution Times in Milliseconds (ms)

Seq(n)	Recursive	Memoization	Iterative	Mathematical
20	0.163000020	0.224400020	0.003900020	0.0042000
30	5.033700030	22.172200030	0.002900030	0.0021000
40	526.329400040	2,418.911900040	0.003600040	0.0028000

Test Case 3:

I noticed that Memorization method is taking too long for the past 2 cases so I decided to run a test by inverting the for loop (i=40 then i=30 then i=20).

The Output Made sense.

The output:

Enter a positive integer: 9

seqR(9) is: 191

seqM(9) is: 191

seqI(9) is: 191

seqMath(9) is: 191

Execution Times in Milliseconds (ms)

Seq(n)	Recursive	Memoization	Iterative	Mathematical
40	533.567200040	2,135.600600040	0.004900040	0.0028000
30	5.097900030	0.019900030	0.010200030	0.0026000
20	0.043800020	0.005600020	0.002800020	0.0026000

we have :

$$u_0 = 1, u_1 = 5$$

$$u_n = u_{n-1} + u_{n-2} \quad ; \quad \forall n \geq 1$$

$$u_n = A u_{n-1} + B u_{n-2}$$

$$A = 1, B = 1$$

therefore this recursive sequence has the characteristic equation of $r^2 = Ar + B$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 = r + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 - r - 1 = 0$$

this equation have the roots: $r' = \frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2}$ and $r'' = \frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2}$
and so: $u_n = C \cdot (r')^n + D \cdot (r'')^n$

$$u_0 = 1 \Rightarrow C + D = 1$$

$$u_1 = 5 \Rightarrow C \cdot \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2}\right) + D \cdot \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2}\right) = 5$$

$$\begin{cases} C + D = 1 \\ \frac{1}{2}C + \frac{1}{2}D - \frac{C\sqrt{5}}{2} + \frac{D\sqrt{5}}{2} = 5 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} C + D = 1 \\ \frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}(D - C) = 5 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} C + D = 1 \\ \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}(D - C) = \frac{9}{2} \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} C + D = 1 \\ D - C = \frac{9}{\sqrt{5}} \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} C + D = 1 \\ D = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{9}{2\sqrt{5}} \\ C = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{9}{2\sqrt{5}} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{therefore } u_n = \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{9}{2\sqrt{5}}\right) \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2}\right)^n + \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{9}{2\sqrt{5}}\right) \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2}\right)^n$$

$$\begin{aligned} 20 + 24 &= 54 \\ 6 \times 5 + 6 \times 4 & \\ 6(5+4) & \end{aligned}$$

Let's prove this through induction:

$$\begin{aligned} U_0 &= \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{9}{2\sqrt{5}} \right) + \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{9}{2\sqrt{5}} \right) \\ &= 1 : \text{true} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} U_1 &= \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{9}{2\sqrt{5}} \right) \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \right) + \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{9}{2\sqrt{5}} \right) \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{4} - \frac{\sqrt{5}}{4} - \frac{9}{4\sqrt{5}} + \frac{9}{4} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{\sqrt{5}}{4} + \frac{9}{4\sqrt{5}} + \frac{9}{4} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} + \frac{9}{2} = 5 : \text{true} \end{aligned}$$

Let's suppose $U_n = \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{9}{2\sqrt{5}} \right) \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^n + \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{9}{2\sqrt{5}} \right) \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^n$

Let's prove $U_{n+1} = \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{9}{2\sqrt{5}} \right) \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^{n+1} + \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{9}{2\sqrt{5}} \right) \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^{n+1}$

$$\begin{aligned} U_{n+1} &= U_n + U_{n-1} \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{9}{2\sqrt{5}} \right) \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^n + \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{9}{2\sqrt{5}} \right) \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^n \\ &\quad + \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{9}{2\sqrt{5}} \right) \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^{n-1} + \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{9}{2\sqrt{5}} \right) \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^{n-1} \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{9}{2\sqrt{5}} \right) \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^{n-1} \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} + 1 \right) + \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{9}{2\sqrt{5}} \right) \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^{n-1} \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} + 1 \right) \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{9}{2\sqrt{5}} \right) \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^{n-1} \left(\frac{6}{4} - \frac{\sqrt{5}}{4} \right) + \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{9}{2\sqrt{5}} \right) \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^{n-1} \left(\frac{6}{4} + \frac{\sqrt{5}}{4} \right) \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{9}{2\sqrt{5}} \right) \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^{n-1} \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \right) + \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{9}{2\sqrt{5}} \right) \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^{n-1} \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right) \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{9}{2\sqrt{5}} \right) \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^{n+1} + \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{9}{2\sqrt{5}} \right) \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^{n+1} : \text{Proved} \end{aligned}$$