

American Computer Science League

2018-2019

Contest #2

INTERMEDIATE DIVISION SOLUTIONS

1. Pre/Post/Infix Notation

$$\begin{aligned}
 &+-/+243/-912// * 83 * 62 \uparrow 1-41 \\
 &=+-/(+24)3/(-91)2//(*83)(*62)\uparrow 1(-41) \\
 &=+-(/63)(/82)/(/2412)(\uparrow 13) \\
 &=+(-24)(/21)=+-22=0
 \end{aligned}$$

1. 0

2. Pre/Post/Infix Notation:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{A(B+C)}{2} - \frac{3A+4}{A-C} &= ((A * (B + C)) / 2 - (3 * A + 4) / (A - C)) \\
 &= (A * (B C +)) / 2 - (3 A * 4 +) / (A C -) \\
 &= (A B C + *) / 2 - (3 A * 4 + A C - /) \\
 &= (A B C + * 2 /) - (3 A * 4 + A C - /) \\
 &= A B C + * 2 / 3 A * 4 + A C - / -
 \end{aligned}$$

2. As shown

3. Bit-String Flicking

$$\begin{aligned}
 &(\text{RCIRC-2}(\text{LSHIFT-1}(\text{LCIRC-1}(\text{RSHIFT-2}(\text{NOT } 10100)))) \\
 &= (\text{RCIRC-2}(\text{LSHIFT-1}(\text{LCIRC-1}(\text{RSHIFT-2 } 01011)))) \\
 &= (\text{RCIRC-2}(\text{LSHIFT-1}(\text{LCIRC-1 } 00010))) \\
 &= (\text{RCIRC-2}(\text{LSHIFT-1 } 00100)) \\
 &= (\text{RCIRC-2 } 01000) \\
 &= 00010
 \end{aligned}$$

3. 00010

4. Bit-String Flicking

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\text{Let } X = abcde \\
 &\text{LHS} = (\text{LCIRC-2 } abcde) \text{ OR } (\text{RSHIFT-2 } 01010) \\
 &\quad = cdeab \text{ OR } 00010 = cde1b \\
 &\text{RHS} = (\text{NOT } 00000) \text{ AND } abcde \\
 &\quad = 11111 \text{ AND } abcde = abcde \\
 &\text{LHS} = \text{RHS} \rightarrow cde1b = abcde \\
 &\quad \rightarrow c = a, d = b, e = c, 1 = d, b = e \\
 &\quad \rightarrow a = b = c = d = e = 1 \\
 &\quad \rightarrow 11111
 \end{aligned}$$

4. 11111

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5. LISP

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(ADD (SUB 4 1) (EXP 2 4) (MULT 3 5) (MULT (EXP 3 2) (SUB 2 4)))  
= (ADD 3 16 15 (MULT 9 -2))  
= (ADD 3 16 15 -18)  
= 16
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5. 16