

### 3 Your Task

Evaluate each of the following lambda expressions, showing each step of the computation along the way. Note that some (but not all) of the following expressions may require  $\alpha$ -conversion. You should not perform  $\alpha$ -conversion unless you believe there is variable capture that warrants it. As an example computation:

$$(\lambda x. (\lambda y. xy)z) (\lambda x. xy) \xrightarrow{\alpha} (\lambda x. (\lambda a. xa)z) (\lambda x. xy) \xrightarrow{\beta} (\lambda a. (\lambda x. xy)a)z \xrightarrow{\beta} (\lambda x. xy)z \xrightarrow{\beta} zxy$$

**Problem 1.**  $(\lambda x. x) y = y$

**Problem 2.**  $(\lambda x. y) x = y$

**Problem 3.**  $(\lambda x. x y) (\lambda y. y z) = (\lambda y. y z) y = yz$

**Problem 4.**  $(\lambda x. x y) (\lambda a. a b) p = (\lambda a. ab) yp = ybp$

**Problem 5.**  $(\lambda x. x y) (\lambda a. ba) p = (\lambda a. ba) yp = byp$

**Problem 6.**  $(\lambda x. (\lambda y. xy)) y = (\lambda x. (\lambda y. xy)) a = \lambda y. ay$  -3 should rename the bound y's not the free one

**Problem 7.**  $(\lambda x. y x) y = yx$

**Problem 8.**  $(\lambda x. \lambda y. x y z) (\lambda x. x y) z = \lambda y. x y z$  -3 need to alpha convert y  
 $(\lambda xy. xyz) (\lambda x. xy) z = (\lambda x. xy) zz = xzz$

**Problem 9.**  $(\lambda x. y x) x = yx$

**Problem 10.**  $(\lambda y. y x) (\lambda z. z y) = (\lambda z. zy) x = xy$