CSC215

Math and Computer Science



Fibonacci Sequence

- The Spirals on a Shell
- Petals on a flower (the number of petals)
- Pine cones
- Sunflowers
- Leaf arrangements on a tree



Fibonacci - Rabbits

Rules

- 1. Rabbits never die
- 2. Rabbits will produce 1 pair after 2 months, In the 3rd month
- 3. They will always produce 1 pair (1 male and 1 female)

Any ideas on how to put this into a recursive function?



Month 1



1 Pair

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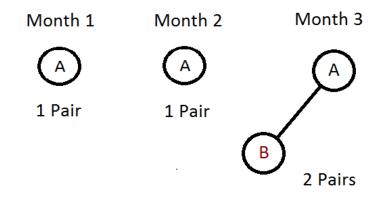
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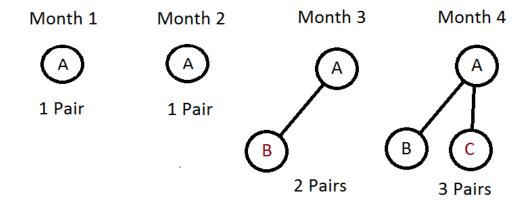
Month 1 Month 2

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1 Pair
1 Pair

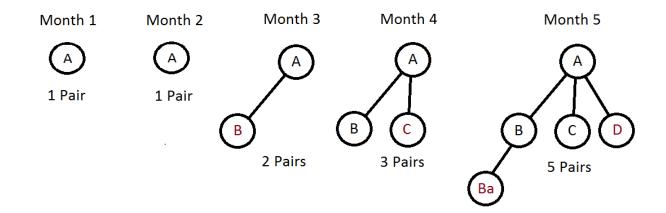




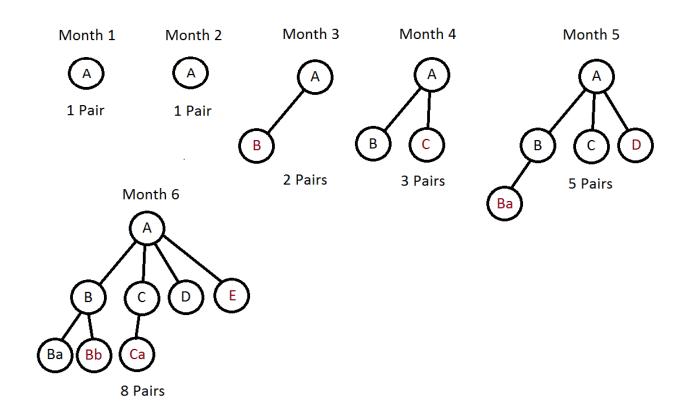




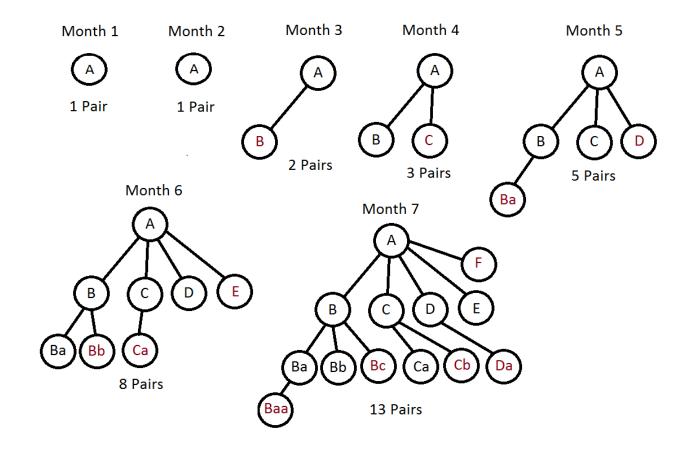














• Sum of Month 7 + Month 6 = 13 Pairs + 8 Paris = 21 Pairs



Fibonacci Criteria

n = 1

n = 2

n > 2

1 Pair

1 Pair

Fibonacci (n-1) + Fibonacci (n-2)



Writing the Code

```
unsigned long int fib(unsigned long int n)
{
    // write the base case first
    if( n <= 2 )
        return 1;</pre>
```

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Writing the Code

```
unsigned long int fib(unsigned long int n)
    // write the base case first
    if( n <= 2 )
        return 1;
    // return the computed average
    return fib( n-1 ) + fib( n-2 );
```

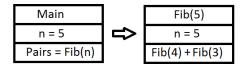


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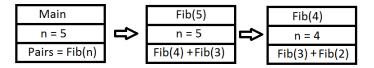
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Pairs = Fib(n)

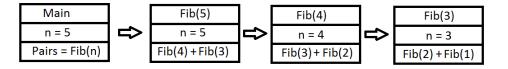




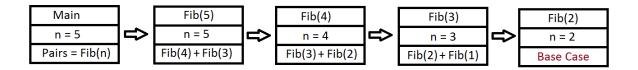




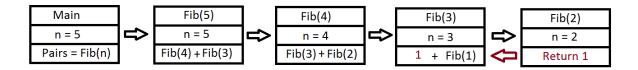




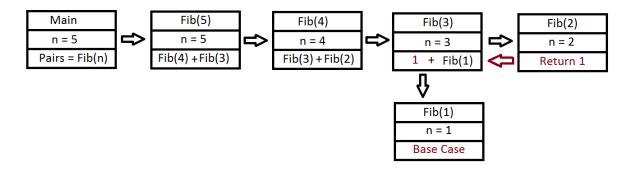




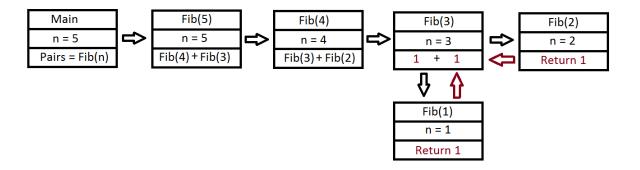




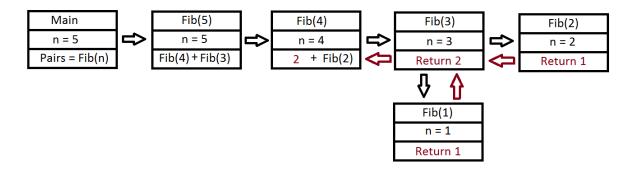




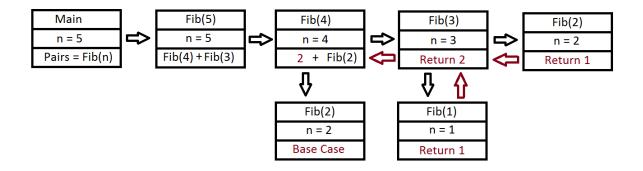




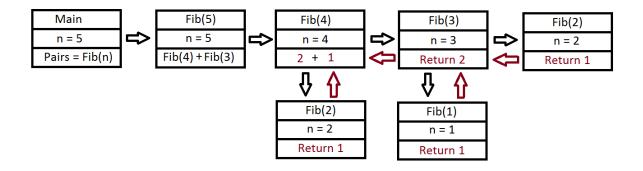




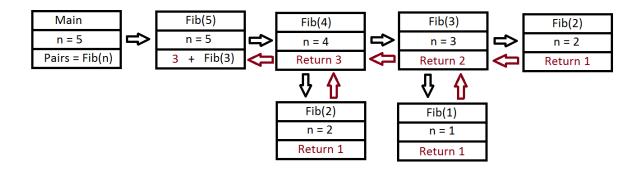




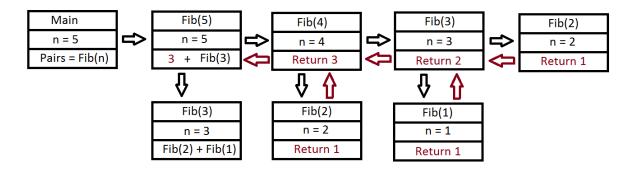




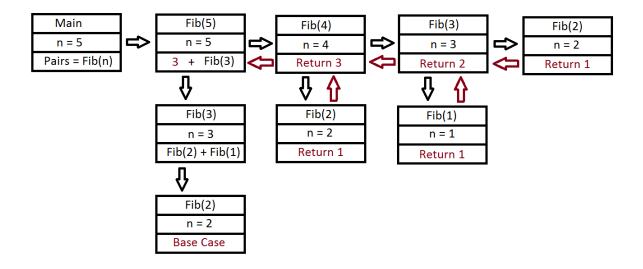




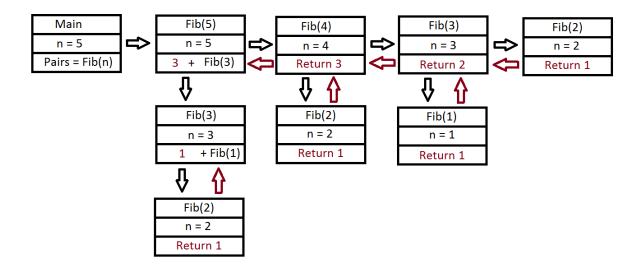




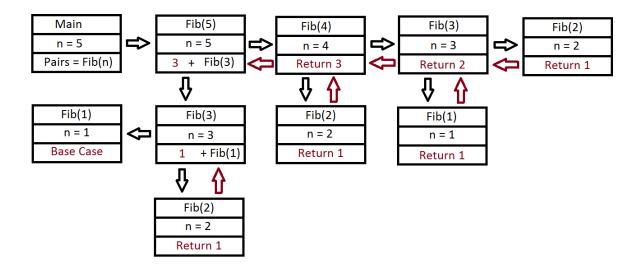




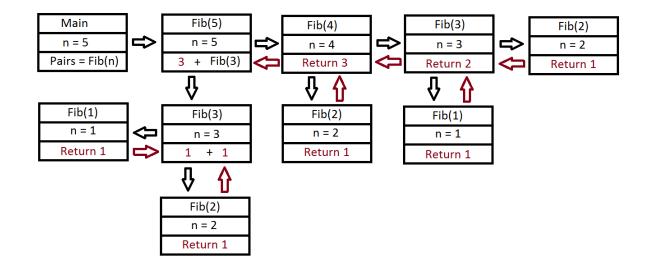




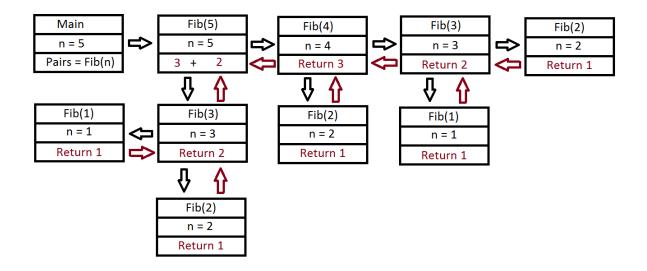




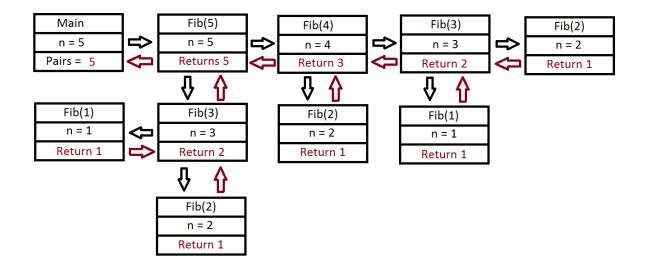














Iterative Version

```
long iterative_fib(int n)
  int i;
   static long values[50] = {0,1,1};
   static long lastmonth = 2;
   if( n<0 )
      return 0;
   for( i=lastmonth+1; i<=n; i++)</pre>
      values[i] = values[i-1] + values[i-2];
      lastmonth = n;
   return values[n];
```



Dynamic Recursion

```
long dynamic_recursion_fib(int n)
{ static long values[52] = {0,1,1};
   static long lastmonth = 2;
   if( n<0 )
      return 0;
   if( n <= lastmonth )</pre>
      return values[n];
  values[n] = dynamic_recursion_fib(n-1) + dynamic_recursion_fib(n-2);
   lastmonth = n;
  return values[n];
```

