

Lab 15: Recursion

1. **Fibonacci Numbers [20 minutes]:** Code along with the GSI as we write a program to find the n th Fibonacci numbers using recursion. The Fibonacci numbers are a sequence of integers where $a_n = a_{n-1} + a_{n-2}$, starting with $a_0 = 0, a_1 = 1$. The first few numbers are `0, 1, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, ...` and so on.
 - a. First, we will just write a program to print the n th Fibonacci number
 - b. Second, we will try to adapt this program to create a list of the first n Fibonacci numbers (rather than just printing the n th)
 - c. Finally, we will try redoing (b) but with iteration instead of recursion to see which is easier to write and more efficient.
2. **Printing a Stack in Reverse: [10 minutes]:** Code along with the GSI as we write a program to print the values in an `std::stack<int>` in reverse order (from the bottom to the top). Create a file called `lab13_reverse_stack.cpp` and copy in the following template code. Then, fill out `print_stack_reversed`.

```
#include <iostream>
#include <stack>

void print_stack_reversed(std::stack<int> s) {
    // --- Your code here
    //
}

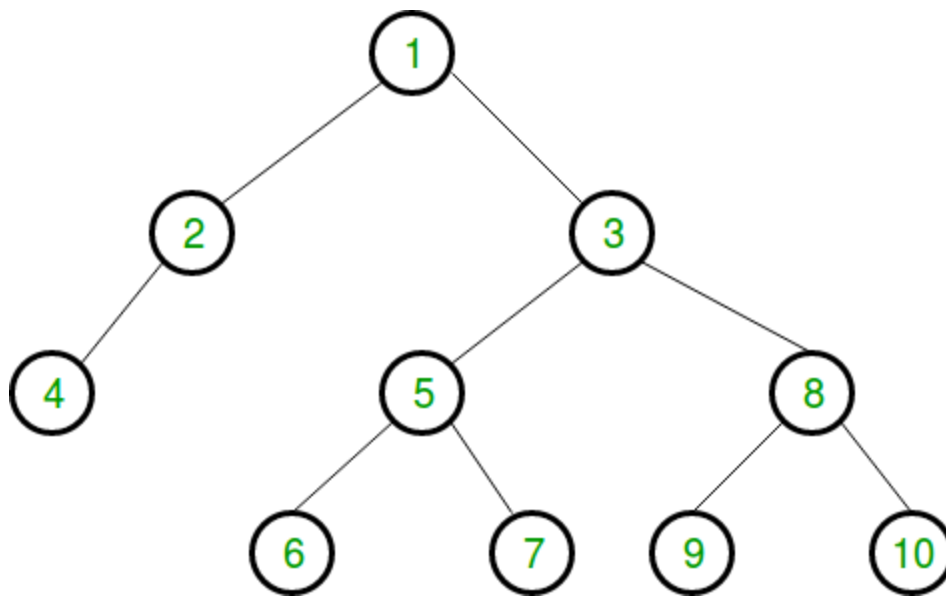
int main() {
    std::stack<int> s;
    s.push(0);
    s.push(1);
    s.push(2);
    s.push(3);
    s.push(4);
    // 4 is at the top of the stack, we want to print starting at the bottom
    // should print 0,1,2,3,4

    print_stack_reversed(s);

    std::cout << std::endl;
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    return 0;  
}
```

3. **Binary Tree Traversal [30 minutes]:** A binary tree is a tree-shaped data structure, with one “root” node, and “child” nodes branching out from the root, and an example is shown in the diagram below.



Copy the following template code into `lab15_tree.cpp`. Then, implement `printLeafNodes` using recursion. The correct output for this example is `4 6 7 9 10`. In the quiz you will be asked more about the order of traversal in this example.

```
#include <iostream>  
  
// A Binary Tree Node  
struct Node  
{  
    Node(int data) : data(data) {}  
  
    int data;  
  
    Node *left = nullptr;  
    Node *right = nullptr;  
};  
  
// function to print leaf  
// nodes from left to right
```

```

void printLeafNodes(Node *root)
{
    // --- Your code here
    // ---
}

int main()
{
    // create the binary tree
    Node n1(1);
    Node n2(2);
    Node n3(3);
    Node n4(4);
    Node n5(5);
    Node n6(6);
    Node n7(7);
    Node n8(8);
    Node n9(9);
    Node n10(10);
    n1.left = &n2;
    n1.right = &n3;
    n1.left->left = &n4;
    n1.right->left = &n5;
    n1.right->right = &n8;
    n1.right->left->left = &n6;
    n1.right->left->right = &n7;
    n1.right->right->left = &n9;
    n1.right->right->right = &n10;

    printLeafNodes(&n1);

    return 0;
}

```

4. **Generating All Sequence of Coin Flips [30 min]:** Write a program to generate & count all possible sequences of heads or tails coin flips of a given length. For example, if $n=2$ then the possible sequences are:

HH HT TH TT (4)

And for $n=3$ the possible sequences are:

HHH HHT HTH HTT THH THT TTH TTT (8)

What are the possible sequences for $n=4$? After creating all possible sequences, count the number of sequences (HINT: use `std::count_if`) which have exactly 2

heads (HINT: use `std::count_if` again). Write down the number of sequences for $n=4$ with exactly 2 heads.