CSSE 304 Assignment 6 Updated for Spring, 2016

Objectives: You should learn

- To begin to use first-class procedures effectively.
- To think a bit about efficiency of programs.

Details for these instructions are in the previous assignment

Individual assignment. Comments at beginning, before each problem, when you do anything non-obvious. Submit to server (test offline first). Mutation not allowed.

Abbreviations for the textbooks: EoPL - Essentials of Programming Languages, 3rd Edition

TSPL - The Scheme Programming Language, 4rd Edition

EoPL-1 - Essentials of Programming Languages, 1st Edition (1st day handout)

Reading Assignment: See the schedule page. Have you been keeping up with the reading?

Problems to turn in: For many of these, you will want to write one or more helper procedures.

Some of the problems deal with *currying*. http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Currying describes this as:

In mathematics and computer science, currying (schönfinkeling) is the technique of transforming a function that takes multiple arguments (or a tuple of arguments) in such a way that it can be called as a chain of functions, each with a single argument (partial application). It was originated by Moses Schönfinkel and later worked out by Haskell Curry.

Optional, not required knowledge for this course: An interesting discussion of the advantages of currying (the language of discourse is Haskell, but I think you can still follow much of the discussion). http://www.reddit.com/r/programming/comments/181y2a/what is the advantage of currying/

Some simple examples of currying appear on pages 26 (last sentence) through 28 of EoPL-1. The first two turnin-problems are from that section, and I recommend that you also think about problem 1.3.6.

#1 (10 points) curry2. This is EoPL-1 Exercise 1.3.4, page 28. Examples are on that page.

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#2 (10 points) EoPL-1 Exercise 1.3.5, page 28. Call your procedure curried-compose. For example, (((curried-compose car) cdr) '(a b c)) 

b
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#4 (10 points) Write the procedure make-list-c that is a curried version of make-list. (Note that the original make-list is described in TSPL Exercise 2.8.3, and done in class Day 3. We also wrote make-list in class during Week 1.

 $make-list-c: Integer \rightarrow (SchemeObject \rightarrow Listof(SchemeObject))$

Examples:

#5 (10 points) Write let->application which takes a let expression (represented as a list) and returns the equivalent expression, also represented as a list, representing an application of a procedure created by a lambda expression. Your solution should not change the body of the let expression. This procedure's output list replaces only the top-level let by an equivalent application of a lambda expression. You do not have to find and replace replace any non-top-level lets. You may assume that the let expression has the proper form; your procedure does not have to check for this. Furthermore, you may assume that the let expression is *not* a named let. (continued next page)

let->application: *SchemeCode* → *SchemeCode*

Example:

#6 (10 points) Write let*->let which takes a let* expression (represented as a list) and returns the equivalent nested let expression. This procedure replaces only the **top-level** let* by an equivalent nested let expression. You may assume that the let* expression has the proper form.

let*->let: *SchemeCode* → *SchemeCode*

Example:

#7 (10 points) Write (filter-in pred? lst) where the type of each element of lst is appropriate for an application of the predicate pred?. It returns a list (in their original order) of all elements of lst for which pred? returns #t.

filter-in: $Procedure \times List \rightarrow List$

Examples:

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(filter-in positive? '(-1 2 0 3 -6 5)) \rightarrow (2 3 5)

(filter-in null? '(() (1 2) (3 4) () ())) \rightarrow (() () ()

(filter-in list? '(() (1 2) (3 . 4) #2(4 5))) \rightarrow (() (1 2))

(filter-in pair? '(() (1 2) (3 . 4) #2(4 5))) \rightarrow ((1 2) (3 . 4))

(filter-in null? '()) \rightarrow ()
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#8 (10 points) Write (filter-out pred? lst) where each element of the list lst has a type that is appropriate for an application of the predicate pred?. It returns a list (in their original order) of all elements of lst for which pred? returns #f.

filter-out: $Procedure \times List \rightarrow List$

Examples (These test cases and their answers may also help you to better understand the list? and pair? procedures):

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(filter-out positive? '(-1 2 0 3 -6 5 0)) \rightarrow (-1 0 -6 0)

(filter-out null? '(() (1 2) (3 4) () ())) \rightarrow ((1 2) (3 4))

(filter-out list? '(() (1 2) (3 . 4) #2(4 5))) \rightarrow ((3 . 4) #(4 5))

(filter-out pair? '(() (1 2) (3 . 4) #2(4 5))) \rightarrow (() #(4 5))

(filter-out null? '()) \rightarrow ()
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#9 (10 points) Write a Scheme procedure (sort-list-of-symbols los) which takes a list of symbols and returns a list of the same symbols sorted as if they were strings. You will probably find the following procedures to be useful:

symbol->string, map, string<?, sort (look it up in the <u>Chez Scheme Users' Guide</u>). Note that we have not covered specifics related to this problem, It is time for you to read some documentation and figure out how to use things. sort-list-of-symbols: $ListOf(Symbol) \rightarrow ListOf(Symbol)$

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Example (sort-list-of-symbols '(b c d g ab f b r m)) \rightarrow (ab b b c d f g m r)
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#10 (10 points) invert EoPL 1.16, page 26
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#11 (10 points) vector-index Like list-index, but its second argument is a vector, not a list.