



RECURSIVE FUNCTIONS

- RECURSIVE FUNCTIONS ARE FUNCTIONS THAT CALL THEMSELVES WITHIN THEIR DEFINITION.
- THEY ARE USEFUL FOR SOLVING PROBLEMS THAT CAN BE BROKEN DOWN INTO SMALLER, SIMILAR SUBPROBLEMS.
- IN JAVASCRIPT, RECURSIVE FUNCTIONS CAN BE A POWERFUL TOOL FOR SOLVING COMPLEX PROBLEMS WITH ELEGANCE AND EFFICIENCY.

```
function factorial(n) {  
  // Base case  
  if (n === 0) {  
    return 1;  
  }  
  // Recursive case  
  return n * factorial(n - 1);  
}
```

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function fibonacci(n) {  
  // Base cases: if n is 0 or 1, return n  
  if (n === 0 || n === 1) {  
    return n;  
  }  
  // Recursive case: Fibonacci(n) = Fibonacci(n-1) + Fibonacci(n-2)  
  return fibonacci(n - 1) + fibonacci(n - 2);  
}  
  
// Example usage  
console.log(fibonacci(6)); // Output: 8 (0, 1, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8)
```