

Guideline

Due Date: Thursday, 2023-09-28, by 23:59.

Upload your answers as a singular PDF to Brightspace.

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Multiple submissions are possible before the due time; the last submission will be graded.

Exercise 1 (points = 40)

Check if the following is alpha equivalent

- $(\lambda x.xy)$ vs. $(\lambda x.yx)$
- $(\lambda x.xu)$ vs. $(\lambda x.xv)$
- $(\lambda a.\lambda b.abc)$ vs. $(\lambda x.\lambda y.xyz)$
- $(\lambda x.\lambda y.xyz)$ vs. $(\lambda y.\lambda x.yxz)$

Exercise 2 (points = 10)

True or False?

- The lambda expression $((\lambda x.\lambda y.y)y)(\lambda x.xz)$ reduces to z as the normal form.

If false, provide the correct normal form.

Exercise 3 (points = 40)

Reduce the lambda term below until you get a normal form

- $(\lambda x.\lambda y.xyz)yx$
- $(\lambda x.\lambda f.\lambda y.fxy)(fy)$
- $(\lambda x.\lambda y.yx)(\lambda x.xx)y$
- $(\lambda x.\lambda y.xyy)(\lambda y.y)z$

Exercise 4 (points = 10)

Let f be a function of the type $A \rightarrow B$, and g be a function of the type $B \rightarrow C$. The composition of f and g , will be a function of the type $A \rightarrow C$. This composition is read as "g of f". For example, if we let f denote the function that increments an integer by 1, and g denote division by 2, then the composition g of f applied to 41 will yield 21 (i.e., $41+1$, then divided by 2).

Find out the lambda expression "compose" that takes g and f as input, and produce the composition "g of f" as explained above. In other words, you need construct a lambda term, denoted by `compose` such that `compose`

$g \circ f \circ x$ will reduce to $g \circ (f \circ x)$.