

# Programming Languages: Imperative Program Construction

## Practicals 7: Loop Constuction III

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1. Solve:

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con  $A, B : \text{Int} \{A \geq 0 \wedge B \geq 0\};$ 
var  $r : \text{Int};$ 
 $S$ 
 $\{r = A \times B\}$  ,
  
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using only ( $/2$ ) (integral division by two), ( $\times 2$ ), *even*, *odd*, addition, and subtraction.

2. The sum of all digits of a natural number can be computed by

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 $sd\ 0 = 0$ 
 $sd\ x = x \% 10 + sd\ (x / 10)$  , for  $|x| > 0$ ,
  
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where ( $/$ ) is integral division and  $a \% b$  computes the remainder of  $a / b$ . Solve

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con  $N : \text{Int} \{0 \leq N\}$ 
var  $r : \text{Int}$ 
 $?$ 
 $\{r = sd\ N\}$ 
  
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3. Given integral number  $N$ , derive a program that computes the number of factors 3 of  $N$ . For example, when  $N = 945 = 3^3 \times 5 \times 7$ , the program should store the value 3 in variable  $r$ . You are allowed to use integral division and ( $\%$ ) (the operator for remainders).

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con  $N : \text{Int} \{N \dots\}$  -- what should the constraint on  $N$  be to make the problem easier?
var  $r : \text{Int}$ 
 $?$ 
 $\{\dots r = \dots \text{how do you write the post condition?}\}$ 
  
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4. Solve:

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con  $N, X : \text{Int} \{0 \leq N\}$ 
con  $f : \text{array}[0..N) \text{ of } \text{Int}$ 
var  $r : \text{Int}$ 
 $?$ 
 $\{r = \langle \sum i : 0 \leq i < N : f[i] \times X^i \rangle\}$ 
  
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We have seen this problem before but let us do it slightly differently this time. (This problem is not that much about associativity, but a practice constructing and using recursive function definition.)

(a) Define  $g\ n = \langle \sum i : n \leq i < N : f[i] \times X^{i-n} \rangle$  for  $0 \leq n \leq N$ , derive a recursive definition of  $g$ .

(b) Use  $r = g\ n$  as the main invariant, construct a program that solves the problem.

5. The function *fusc* is defined on natural numbers by:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{fusc } 0 &= 0 \\ \text{fusc } 1 &= 1 \\ \text{fusc } (2 \times n) &= \text{fusc } n \\ \text{fusc } (2 \times n + 1) &= \text{fusc } n + \text{fusc } (n + 1). \end{aligned}$$

Derive a program computing *fusc*  $N$  for  $N \geq 0$ . Hint: try *fusc* 78.

6. Solve:

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con  $N : \text{Int } \{0 \leq N\}$   
con  $f : \text{array } [0..N) \text{ of Int}$   
var  $r : \text{Bool}$   
?  
 $\{r = \langle \exists i : 0 \leq i < N : f[i] = 0 \rangle\}$ 
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(a) Define, for  $0 \leq n \leq N$ ,  $g\ n = \langle \exists i : n \leq i < N : f[i] = 0 \rangle$ . Come up with a recursive definition of  $g$ .

(b) Try come up with a program that, as soon as a zero is found in the array, terminates without having to scan the entire list. What invariant would you choose?