



Polytechnic Tutoring Center

Exam 1 Review Answer Key- CS 1134, Fall 2021

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- 1 Write a recursive function that takes a list, starting index and ending index as a parameters and prints it in reverse.

Sample Output:

```
lst = [1,2,3,4]
revPrint(lst, 0, 3)
>> 4 3 2 1
```

Code:

```
def printReverse(s, low, high):
    if low > high:
        return
    printReverse(s, low+1, high)
    print(s[low], end=" ")
```

- 2 Circle the faster runtime:

$O(n \log(n))$ or $O(\sqrt{n})$

$O(\sqrt{n})$ or $O(\log(n))$

$O(n \log(n))$ or $O(n^{1.25})$

- 3 Let $f(x,n) = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{x}{i} = \frac{x}{1} + \frac{x}{2} + \frac{x}{3} \dots$, so $f(4,3) = \frac{4}{1} + \frac{4}{2} + \frac{4}{3} = 7.333$ Write a function for f. State your runtime.

Code:

```
def sumfunc(x,n):  
    retval = 0  
    for i in range(1:n+1):  
        retval += x/i  
    return retval
```

- 4 What is the runtime of the following code snippets?

a def function3(lst,low,high):

```
    if (low >= high):  
        return 3  
    for elem in lst:  
        elem += 2  
    return function3(lst,low+1,high-1)
```

$O(n^2)$

b def function2(lst):

```
    if (len(lst) == 1):  
        lst[0] = 0  
        return 2  
    return function2(lst[:len(lst)//2])
```

$O(n)$

c def function1(lst,lst2):

```
    for elem in lst:  
        if (elem in lst2):  
            print('iteration')
```

$O(m*n)$

- 5 If $A = [0,0,0,0,0,0]$, $B = [3,1,6,2]$, what does A and B look like after **function2(B)** and **function3(A,2,len(A)-1)** ? (Refer to Question 4)

A = [0,0,0,0,0,0]

B = [3,1,6,2]

- 6 Write a generator function that provides the values for a harmonic series of n elements. Hint: Harmonic series is 1, 1/2, 1/3...

Sample Output:

```
iters = 4
display_list = list(harmonic(iters))
display_list
>> [1.0,0.5,0.33,0.25]
```

Code:

```
def harmonic(n):
    for i in range(1:n+1):
        yield 1/i
```

7. 7. Given a non-empty list with integers, write a function `separate_num(lst)` to separate a list of even numbers and odd numbers and returns a list that contains all the odd numbers in the front and all even numbers in the back.

Example: an input list `[3,15,44,2,51,89,20]` to `separate_num(lst)` will return `[3,15,51,89,44,2,20]`

Requirement: $O(n)$ runtime and in place

- (1) Do the implementation of `separate_num(lst)` **iteratively**

Code:

```
def reset(lst):  
    i = 0  
    j = len(lst)-1  
    while i < j:  
        if lst[i]%2 == 0:  
            if lst[j] %2 == 1:  
                temp = lst[i]  
                lst[i] = lst[j]  
                lst[j] = temp  
                i += 1  
                j -= 1  
            else:  
                j -=1  
        else:  
            i += 1  
    return lst
```

(2) Do the implementation of `separate_num(lst)` **recursively with a helper function**

Code:

```
def reset(lst):  
    return helper(lst, 0, len(lst)-1)  
  
def helper(lst, low, high):  
    if low > high:  
        return lst  
    else:
```

```
if lst[low]%2 == 0:
    if lst[high] %2 == 1:
        temp = lst[low]
        lst[low] = lst[high]
        lst[high] = temp
        return helper(lst, low+1, high-1)
    else:
        return helper(lst, low, high-1)
else:
    return helper(lst, low+1, high)
```