

CSU2500 Exam 2 – Fall 2009

Name: _____

Student Id (last 4 digits): _____

Section (morning, honors or afternoon): _____

- Write down the answers in the space provided.
- You may use the usual primitives and expression forms, including those suggested in hints; for everything else, define it.
- You may write $c \rightarrow e$ in place of (check-expect c e) to save time writing. You may also write the Greek letter λ instead of lambda, to save writing.
- Some basic test taking advice: Before you start answering any problems, read *every* problem, so your brain can be thinking about the harder problems in background while you knock off the easy ones.

| Problem | Points | /out of |
|--------------|-----------|---------|
| 1 | | / 5 |
| 2 | | / 4 |
| 3 | | / 6 |
| 4 | | / 12 |
| 5 | | / 8 |
| 6 | | / 15 |
| 7 | | / 15 |
| Total | | / 55 |
| Base | 50 | |

Good luck!

Problem 1 Suppose we have the two lists

5 POINTS

```
(define a '(1 2))  
(define b '((3 4) (5 6)))
```

What do each of the following expressions produce:

1. (append a b)
2. (list a b)
3. (cons a b)
4. (apply append a b)

Problem 2 The set operations we designed in class (`union`, `contains?`, *etc.*) only work when the set elements are things that can be compared using the `equal?` function. Let's design more general versions, where we can specify our own comparison function. Here's a data definition for a set:

5 POINTS

```
;;; A [Setof X] is a [Listof X].  
;;; Repetitions not allowed.
```

Design a function `contains?` which tells if a set `s` contains some element `item`. Set elements are compared using the third argument to the function, `elt=?`.

For example, if we compare numbers by comparing their absolute values

```
;;; abs=? : Number Number -> Boolean  
;;; Do the two numbers have the same absolute value?  
(define (abs=? x y) (= (abs x) (abs y)))  
(check-expect (abs=? 0 0) true)  
(check-expect (abs=? 3 3) true)  
(check-expect (abs=? 3 -3) true)  
(check-expect (abs=? -3 3) true)  
(check-expect (abs=? -3 -3) true)  
(check-expect (abs=? 3 0) false)
```

then we should get the following behavior:

```
(contains? '(5 1 7) 1 abs=?) ; Should produce true.  
(contains? '(5 1 7) -1 abs=?) ; Should produce true, too.  
(contains? '(5 1 7) 8 abs=?) ; Should not produce true.
```

Write your function using a loop function.

[Here is some more space for the previous problem.]

Problem 3 We've lost confidence in Dr. Scheme's built-in `andmap` function. Please 4 POINTS design a replacement, named `andmap2500`. (Since the contract and purpose statement can be taken from the course textbook, you only have to show the code and tests/examples.)

Problem 4 You are working at the city zoo, writing software to help the zookeepers keep track of the animals. You employ the following data definition to represent the zoo's residents:

5 POINTS

```
;;; An ANIMAL is (make-animal String Number)
(define-struct animal (name legs))

(define a1 (make-animal "Mr. Ed" 4))
(define a2 (make-animal "Flipper" 0))
(define a3 (make-animal "Shelob" 8))
```

The zookeepers would like a function, `by-legs`, that takes a number of legs (such as 4) and a list of animals, and returns all the animals in the input list who have the given number of legs.

Design `by-legs`; use a loop function.

Problem 5 Here are two equivalent definitions of a function, fred. (You may work with whichever one seems clearer to you.) Provide a contract for the function.

6 POINTS

```
(define-struct pair (a b))

;;; A [Pair X Y] is a (make-pair X Y).

(define (fred test lop)
  (cond [(empty? lop) false]
        [(test (pair-a (first lop))) true]
        [else (fred test (rest lop))]))

(define (fred test lop)
  (and (not (empty? lop))
       (or (test (pair-a (first lop)))
           (fred test (rest lop)))))
```

Problem 6 We can make binary trees with strings for leaves, or binary trees with numbers for leaves, or binary trees with anything we'd like for the leaves, using the following data definition.

```
(define-struct node (left right))

;; A [BT X] is one of:
;; - an X
;; - (make-node [BT X] [BT X])
```

For example, we can make a binary tree of strings (*i.e.*, a [BT String]) with

```
(define bt1 (make-node (make-node "Olin" "Shivers")
                       (make-node "David"
                                   (make-node "Van" "Horn"))))
```

Recall that the `foldr` operation allows us to process the elements of a list: add them up, multiply them together, assemble them into a set, *etc.* Similarly, we can define an analogous “loop function” to fold up a binary tree, called `fold-tree`. Applying `fold-tree` with these arguments

```
(fold-tree + string-length bt1)
```

will replace every occurrence of `make-node` in `bt1` with `+`, and every leaf `s` with `(string-length s)`, computing

```
(+ (+ (string-length "Olin") (string-length "Shivers"))
    (+ (string-length "David")
        (+ (string-length "Van") (string-length "Horn"))))
```

In other words, the first argument to `fold-tree` says what to do to the node structures of the tree, while the second argument says what to do to its leaves; in the example above, we produced the total length of all the strings in the tree.

1. Design `fold-tree`.
(Hint: You might want to check your contract against the `bt1` example above.)
2. Use `fold-tree` to define the `height` function, which produces the height of a tree. (Assume the height of a leaf is zero.)

[Here is some more space for the previous problem.]

Problem 7 You may have heard of the `cons` function, which adds an element to the front of a list. Less well known is the `snoc` function, which adds an element to the *end* of a list:

5 POINTS

`(snoc 7 '(1 3 5))` ; produces `'(1 3 5 7)`

Define `snoc` using a loop function.

Problem 8 Refer back to problem 6 for the BT data definition.

15 POINTS

;;; A NumTree is a [BT Number].

Design the function `same-shape?` that determines if two NumTrees have the same shape—that is, we ignore the actual numeric values at the leaves, and produce true if the first tree has a node structure everywhere the second tree does, and a leaf everywhere the second tree does.