

## Solutions to sample question for final, CS 421, Spring 2008

1.

(a) let rec repeat\_until p f x =  
     if p x then x else repeat\_until p f (f x);;

(b) let rec sift p lis = match lis with  
     [] -> ([],[])  
   | (x::xs) -> let (lis1,lis2) = sift p xs  
                 in if p x then (x::lis1, lis2) else (lis1, x::lis2);;

(c) let sift\_rec p x (xs, ys) = if p x then (x::xs,ys) else (xs,x::ys);;  
     let sift\_base = ([],[]);;

(d) let rec sublist m n x = if x=[] then []  
                           else if m>0 then sublist (m-1) (n-1) (tl x)  
                           else if n=0 then [hd x]  
                           else hd x :: sublist 0 (n-1) (tl x);;

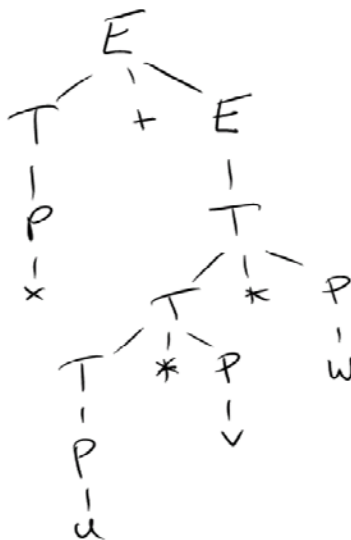
(e) let map f lst = fold\_left (fun y x -> f x :: y) [] lst;;

(f) let rec app\_all flis a =  
     if flis=[] then [] else (hd flis) a :: app\_all (tl flis) a;;

(g) let rec compose\_all flis a =  
     if flis=[] then a else (hd flis) (compose\_all (tl flis) a);;

2. (b) is the outlier. String abab is accepted by b, but not by a or c.

3. (a)



(b) + right-associative; \* left-associative

(c)  $E \rightarrow T+E \mid T$   
 $T \rightarrow T*U \mid U$   
 $U \rightarrow P^U \mid P$   
 $P \rightarrow id \mid (E)$

4. (a) No – left recursion

(b) No –  $FIRST(\text{if } B \text{ then } A \text{ else } A) \cap FIRST(\text{if } B \text{ then } A) \neq \emptyset$

(c) Yes – no overlaps between FIRST sets of right-hand sides of any non-terminal

5.

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[while (e) S]BL = let wlab, tlab, flab = new labels
                    in
                    wlab: [e]tlab,flab
                    tlab: [S]flab,BL (where flab.BL is BL with flab added at the front)
                    JUMP wlab
                    flab:
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[break n]BL = JUMP bn
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6. let m = n n ρ (1 n) in m × (trans m) (*APL notation*)

or (*APL-in-OCaml notation*)

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let multmat n = let m = rho (n ^@ n) (indx n)
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in m *@ (trans m);;
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7. (a) fun f -> fun x -> fun g -> compose g (f g)

(b) let AND b1 b2 = fun x -> fun y -> b1 (b2 x y) y

(c) let NOT b = fun x -> fun y -> b y x

8. Adam didn't understand the difference between strict evaluation and lazy evaluation. User-defined functions in OCaml are strict, meaning they evaluate all their arguments. However, "if" is not a user-defined function, and it is not strict; in particular, it does not evaluate its second or third arguments unless necessary.

9. (a) 18

(b) 22

10. (a) (int ref list) list

(b) int ref

(c) table contains references to the following values:

[[ -1; -1; -1];  
 [ 1; 1; -1];  
 [-1; 2; 1];  
 [-1; -1; 3]]

11. Let  $\rho = \{y \rightarrow 5\}$ ,  $\rho' = \{y \rightarrow 5, f \rightarrow \langle y, x+y, \rho \rangle\}$ ,  $\rho'' = \{y \rightarrow 5, x \rightarrow 5\}$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \frac{\rho', f \Downarrow \langle y, x+y, \rho \rangle \quad \frac{\frac{\rho'', x \Downarrow 5 \quad \rho'', 5 \Downarrow 5}{\rho'', x+y \Downarrow 10}}{\rho', y \Downarrow 5}}{\rho, \text{fun } x \rightarrow x+y \Downarrow \langle y, x+y, \rho \rangle \quad \rho', f y \Downarrow 10} \\
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 \rho, \text{fun } x \rightarrow x+y \Downarrow \langle y, x+y, \rho \rangle \quad \rho', f y \Downarrow 10 \\
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 \{y \rightarrow 5\}, \text{ let } f = \text{fun } x \rightarrow x+y \text{ in } f y \Downarrow 10
 \end{array}$$

12.

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \frac{\Gamma \vdash e' : \tau' \text{ list} \quad \Gamma[x : \tau'] \vdash e : \tau}{\Gamma \vdash [e \mid x \leftarrow e'] : \tau \text{ list}} \\
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 \Gamma \vdash e' : \tau' \text{ list} \quad \Gamma[x : \tau'] \vdash e'' : \tau'' \text{ list} \quad \Gamma[x : \tau', y : \tau''] \vdash e : \tau \\
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 \Gamma \vdash [e \mid x \leftarrow e'; y \leftarrow e''] : \tau \text{ list}
 \end{array}$$

13. (a) Ordinary numerical order on  $n$

(b)  $x \ll y$  if  $(x = 0)$  or  $(x \text{ even} \wedge x-1 \leq y)$  or  $(x \text{ odd} \wedge x+1 < y)$

In other words:  $0 \ll 2 \ll 1 \ll 4 \ll 3 \ll 6 \ll 5 \ll 8 \dots$

(c) Numerical order on  $n$

14. Invariant:  $a \geq 0 \wedge y = \text{fib}(n-a) \wedge x = \text{fib}(n-a-1)$