

CS 421 Spring 2010 Final

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- Including this cover sheet, there are 18 pages to the exam. Please verify that you have all 18 pages.
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Question	Value	Score
1	20	
2	20	
3	20	
4	15	
5	15	
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7	15	
8	10 XC	
9	20	
10	15	
11	20	
12	10	
13	10 + 10 XC	
Total	200 + 20 XC	

1. (20 pts) Write the following OCaml functions, *and* give their types:

- (a) (5 pts) `lteq n lis` returns the number of numbers in `lis` that are less than or equal to `n`.

```
lteq 10 [3; 4; 12; 15]  
2
```

Type: _____

Code:

- (b) (5 pts) Using `fold_right` instead of explicit recursion, write an OCaml function `remove_empty` that takes a list of strings and removes any empty strings from it, leaving the remaining strings in their original order. Recall that the type of `fold_right` is

`('a -> 'b -> 'b) -> 'a list -> 'b -> 'b`.

```
remove_empty ["Return"; "your"; ""; "bottles"]  
["Return"; "your"; "bottles"]
```

Type: _____

Code:

- (c) (5 pts) `mapfuns flst x` applies each function in the list of functions `flst` to the value `x`.

```
mapfuns [fun x -> x*x; fun x -> x-1; fun x -> x/2] 8  
[64; 7; 4]
```

Type: _____

Code:

- (d) (5 pts) `filter` takes a boolean-valued function `f` and a list `L` and returns a pair of lists, one with the elements of `L` for which `f` was true, and one with the elements for which it was false.

```
filter (fun x -> x > 0) [4; 5; -3; 2; -7; 0]  
([4; 5; 2]; [-3; -7; 0])
```

Type: _____

Code:

2. **Lexing** (20 pts) A *sentence* is a sequence of letters and spaces that begins with a capital letter and ends with a period (words may be separated by any number of spaces.) In addition, the last character before the period must not be a space.

(a) (10 pts) Write a regular expression that describes the set of sentences.

(b) (10 pts) Write a DFA that recognizes sentences. Label the start state with S, accepting states with A, and other states with R.

3. **Parsing** (20 pts) Consider the following type of tokens:

```
type token = ID of string | OR | SEMICOLON | IF | THEN | ELSE | RETURN
```

Now consider the following grammar, with non-terminals S and C:

```
S -> IF C THEN S ELSE S | RETURN C
```

```
C -> ID | ID OR C | S SEMICOLON C
```

(a) (5 pts) Give a parse tree for the string “if a then return b else return c”.

(b) (5 pts) Give one reason that this grammar is not LL(1).

(c) (10 pts) Transform the grammar to an LL(1) grammar for the same language. (Hint: this requires introducing one new non-terminal.)

4. **Parsing** (15 pts) Consider the following type of tokens:

```
type token = INT of int | PLUS | TIMES
```

Now consider the following ambiguous grammar over tokens:

```
S -> S PLUS S | S TIMES S | INT
```

- (a) (5 pts) Give a sentence that has two parse trees, and show the two parse trees.
- (b) (10 pts) Give a grammar that recognizes the same language but is unambiguous, and makes PLUS and TIMES left-associative and gives TIMES higher precedence.

5. **Abstract syntax** (15 pts) Referring to the previous problem, suppose we define an abstract syntax for the language as follows:

`type exp = Integer of int | Plus of exp * exp | Times of exp * exp`

- (a) (5 pts) Write the function `compute : exp -> int` that computes the value of a given expression.
- (b) (10 pts) Write the function `expand : exp -> exp` that takes an expression and replaces every instance of “`e1 * (e2 + e3)`” with “`e1 * e2 + e1 * e3`”, and replaces every instance of “`(e1 + e2) * e3`” with “`e1 * e3 + e2 * e3`”. Note that applying the transformation can produce new expressions that are subject to further transformation; e.g. $(1+2)*(3+4)$ can be transformed to $(1+2)*3 + (1+2)*4$, after which more transformations can be applied. Your function should result in an expression in which no further transformations are applicable.

6. **Parsing** (20 pts) Consider the following grammar:

```
S ::= if C then S else S | return C
C ::= id | C or C
```

Suppose that the “or” operator is declared to be left-associative with the %left directive. Show the first thirteen steps of the shift-reduce parse of the string “if x or y or z then return x else return y”. We have filled in the first and last lines for you:

Action	Stack	Input
Shift		if x or y or z then ...
Shift	if C then	return x else return y

7. **Code generation** (15 pts) In class, we gave the following translation schemes for translating source programs into an intermediate representation (IR). All but the first take an AST (expression or statement) to a sequence of IR instructions.

$[e]$: translate expression e to IR; returns pair (IR instruction list, location of value)

$[S]$: translate statement S to IR

$[e]_x$: translate expression e to code that stores value of e in variable x

$[S]_L$: translate statement S in context of a loop or switch statement, where L is the target of a break statement

$[e]_{Lt,Lf}$: translate expression e to code that branches to Lt if e is true, or Lf otherwise (the short-circuit evaluation scheme)

The instructions in our intermediate representation were: $x = n$; $x = y$; $x = y + z$ (for any operation $+$); JUMP L ; CJUMP $x, L1, L2$; and $x = \text{LOADIND } y$.

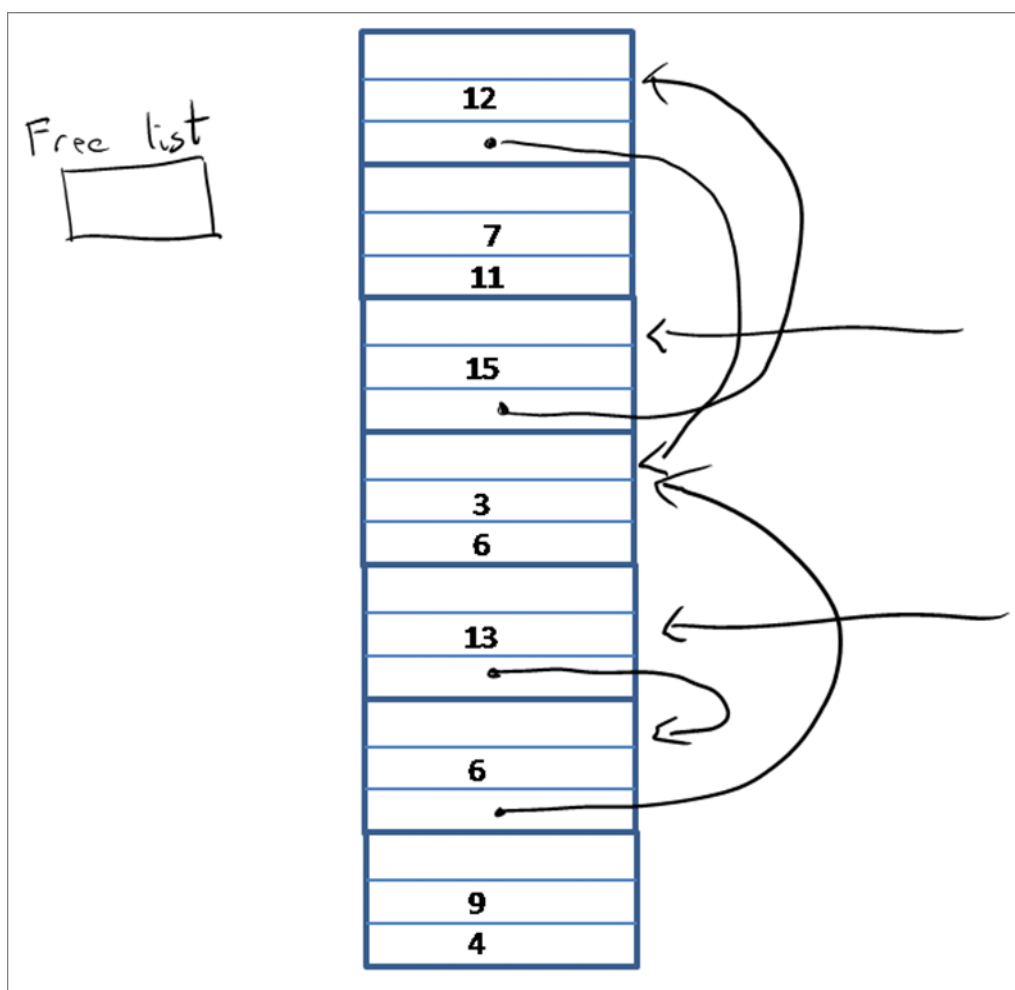
Give the translation for the following constructs:

- (a) (5 pts) `[if  $e$  then  $S_1$  else  $S_2$ ]` Use the short-circuit translation scheme, $[e]_{Lt,Lf}$ for the condition.

- (b) (5 pts) $[e_1 \ \&\& \ e_2]_x$, for boolean-valued expressions e_1 and e_2 . Recall that schemes of the form $[e]_x$ put the value of e in variable x . In this case, you should avoid evaluating e_2 if e_1 turns out to be false.

(c) (5 pts) $[e_1 \parallel e_2 \parallel e_3]_{Lt, Lf}$.

8. **Reference-counting** (10 pts XC) In the following picture of the heap, each large rectangle represents an object containing three words (for simplicity, we're assuming all object have the same size), and the lines within it are the word boundaries. In this heap structure, the first word of each object either gives the reference count, or, if the object is on the free list, it points to the next object on the free list (if any); the box labeled "Free list" points to the head of the free list. Lastly, the Pointers coming from the right side are from the stack. Complete this picture in the following way: Construct the free list to contain all the non-reachable objects (their order does not matter). Fill in the reference counts for each reachable object. (To simplify grading, draw all your pointers on the left side.)



9. **Representing data with higher-order functions** (20 pts) A sparse matrix is a matrix in which most elements are zero. Such a matrix can be represented as a function that takes a row and column number, and returns the value at that location.

```
type sparse_matrix = int * int -> float;;
```

- (a) (5 pts) Define `emptymat`, the sparse matrix in which all elements are zeroes.
- (b) (5 pts) Define the subscripting operation `get m (r,c)` that returns `m[r,c]`.
- (c) (5 pts) Define the function `set m (r, c) v`, which returns a new matrix `m'` just like `m` except that `m'[r,c] = v`.
- (d) (5 pts) Define the function `get_interval m r c1 c2`, which returns the list of the elements of `m` in row `r` from columns `c1` to `c2` inclusive.

10. **Functional programming in object-oriented languages** (15 pts) Complete the definitions of `emptymat`, `get`, and `set` in the following Java implementation of sparse matrices:

```
interface IntSparseMatrix{
    float apply (int r, int c);
}

class MapOps{
    static IntSparseMatrix emptymat =

    static float get(IntSparseMatrix m, int r, int c){

    }

    static IntSparseMatrix set(IntSparseMatrix m, int r, int c, float v){

    }
}
```

11. Operational semantics (20 pts)

- (a) (5 pts) The expression `let x, y = e1, e2 in e3` is an abbreviation for `let x = e1 in let y = e2 in e3`. Give an operational semantics rule in OS_{clo} for this new type of expression. You must give it directly in terms of the subcomputations for $e1$, $e2$, and $e3$, and not simply by translation.

- (b) (5 pts) Give a proof in OS_{clo} of the following judgment:

$$\emptyset, (\text{fun } x \rightarrow \text{fun } y \rightarrow x + y) \ 3 \ 4 \Downarrow 7$$

You may wish to write your answer on the back of this sheet; if so, please indicate that you have done this.

(c) (10 pts) Give a proof tree for the following judgment in OS_{clo} :

$$\{y \mapsto 3\}, (\text{fun } f \rightarrow f(f\ 2))(\text{fun } x \rightarrow x * y) \Downarrow 18$$

You may wish to rotate the page.

12. **Type-checking** (10 pts) The following questions use type system T_{OCaml} , which is given at the end of this exam.

- (a) (5 pts) Consider the following type judgment:

$$\emptyset \vdash (\text{fun } f \rightarrow f \ 5)(\text{fun } x \rightarrow x + 1) : \tau$$

What type should be filled in for τ ?

What is the first rule that would be applied in the derivation of this judgment? Apply the rule and show the premises that remain. You may fill in further steps if it helps to figure out the correct types.

- (b) (5 pts) Consider the following type judgment:

$$\emptyset \vdash \text{let } f = \text{fun } x \ y \rightarrow (x, y) \text{ in } (f \ 2 \ "a", f \ \text{true} \ 5) : \tau$$

What type should be filled in for τ ?

What is the first rule that would be applied in the derivation of this judgment? Apply the rule and show the premises that remain. You may fill in further steps if it helps to figure out the correct types.

13. **Hoare logic** (10 pts + 10 pts XC)

- (a) (10 pts) Let S be the following code, where
- i
- is an integer and
- b
- a boolean:

```
while (i > 0)
{
  i = i - 1;
  b = !b;
}
```

Let P be the pre-condition “ $b = \text{true} \ \& \ i=i_0 \ \& \ i \geq 0$.” Write condition Q that *fully defines* b in terms of i at the end of the loop, such that: $P \{ S \} Q$ can be proven. Then write condition I that can serve as an invariant of the loop to prove $P \{ S \} Q$.

Q :

I :

- (b) (10 pts XC) In the following loop — call it
- S
-
- x
- ,
- y
- , and
- z
- are lists;
- S
- just splits
- x
- in two, putting alternate elements on
- y
- and
- z
- :

```
while (x != []) {
  y = hd(x) :: y;
  x = tl(x);
  if (x != []) {
    z = hd(x) :: z;
    x = tl(x);
  }
}
```

Write a termination function $\phi(x, y, z)$. Recall that this is an integer-valued function of the variables of the loop that has these properties: it is always non-negative; and its value at the end of each iteration is strictly less than its value at the start of the iteration.

$\phi(x, y, z) =$

Rules of $TOCaml$:

$$\begin{aligned}
 (\mathbf{Const}) & \frac{}{\Gamma \vdash c : int} \\
 (\mathbf{Var}) & \frac{\Gamma(x) = \sigma \quad \tau \leq \sigma}{\Gamma \vdash x : \tau} \\
 (\mathbf{Application}) & \frac{\Gamma \vdash e_1 : \tau' \rightarrow \tau \quad \Gamma \vdash e_2 : \tau'}{\Gamma \vdash e_1 e_2 : \tau} \\
 (\mathbf{Abstraction}) & \frac{\Gamma[x : \tau] \vdash e : \tau'}{\Gamma \vdash \mathbf{fun} \ x \rightarrow e : \tau \rightarrow \tau'} \\
 (\mathbf{let}) & \frac{\Gamma \vdash e_1 : \tau' \quad \Gamma[x : GEN_{\Gamma}(\tau')] \vdash e_2 : \tau}{\Gamma \vdash \mathbf{let} \ x = e_1 \ \mathbf{in} \ e_2 : \tau}
 \end{aligned}$$

Rules of OS_{CLO} :

$$\begin{aligned}
 (\mathbf{Const}) & \frac{}{\eta, k \Downarrow k} \\
 (\mathbf{Var}) & \frac{}{\eta, x \Downarrow \eta(x)} \\
 (\mathbf{Abstr}) & \frac{}{\eta, \mathbf{fun} \ x \rightarrow e \Downarrow \langle \mathbf{fun} \ x \rightarrow e, \eta \rangle} \\
 (\delta) & \frac{\eta, e_1 \Downarrow v_1 \quad \eta, e_2 \Downarrow v_2 \quad v = v_1 \oplus v_2}{\eta, e_1 \oplus e_2 \Downarrow v} \\
 (\mathbf{App}) & \frac{\eta, e_1 \Downarrow \langle \mathbf{fun} \ x \rightarrow e, \eta' \rangle \quad \eta, e_2 \Downarrow v \quad \eta'[x \rightarrow v], e \Downarrow v'}{\eta, e_1 e_2 \Downarrow v'}
 \end{aligned}$$