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INFR08013 INFORMATICS 1 - FUNCTIONAL PROGRAMMING

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14:30 to 16:30

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

1. Note that **ALL QUESTIONS ARE COMPULSORY**.
2. **DIFFERENT QUESTIONS MAY HAVE DIFFERENT NUMBERS OF TOTAL MARKS**. Take note of this in allocating time to questions.
3. This is an **OPEN BOOK** examination.

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THIS EXAMINATION WILL BE MARKED ANONYMOUSLY

1. (a) Write a function $f :: [(Int,Int)] \rightarrow [Int]$ that takes a list of pairs of integers and returns a list containing the first element from each of the pairs in even-numbered positions and the second element from each of the pairs in odd-numbered positions, where numbering of list elements begins from 0. For example:

$$\begin{aligned} f [(1,2), (5,7), (3,8), (4,9)] &= [1,7,3,9] \\ f [(1,2)] &= [1] \\ f [] &= [] \end{aligned}$$

Use *basic functions*, *list comprehension*, and *library functions*, but not recursion. Credit may be given for indicating how you have tested your function.

[12 marks]

- (b) Write a second function $g :: [(Int,Int)] \rightarrow [Int]$ that behaves like f , this time using *basic functions* and *recursion*, but not list comprehension or other library functions. Credit may be given for indicating how you have tested your function.

[12 marks]

2. (a) Write a function $p :: [Int] \rightarrow Int$ that computes the product of the results of multiplying each of the positive odd numbers in a list by three. If the list is empty or there are no positive odd numbers in the list, the function should produce 1. For example:

```
p [1,6,-15,11,-9] = 3*1 * 3*11      = 99
p [3,6,9,12,-9,9] = 3*3 * 3*9 * 3*9 = 6561
p []               = 1
p [-1,4,-15]      = 1
```

Use *basic functions*, *list comprehension*, and *library functions*, but not recursion. Credit may be given for indicating how you have tested your function.

[16 marks]

- (b) Write a second function $q :: [Int] \rightarrow Int$ that behaves like p , this time using *basic functions* and *recursion*, but not list comprehension or library functions. Credit may be given for indicating how you have tested your function.

[16 marks]

- (c) Write a third function $r :: [Int] \rightarrow Int$ that also behaves like p , this time using the following higher-order library functions:

```
map      :: (a -> b) -> [a] -> [b]
filter  :: (a -> Bool) -> [a] -> [a]
foldr   :: (a -> b -> b) -> b -> [a] -> b
```

Do not use recursion or list comprehension. Credit may be given for indicating how you have tested your function.

[12 marks]

3. The following data type represents propositional formulas built from a single variable (X), constants true (T) and false (F), negation (Not) and bi-implication, also known as logical equivalence (\leftrightarrow , written using infix $:\leftrightarrow:$):

```
data Prop = X
          | F
          | T
          | Not Prop
          | Prop :<->: Prop
```

The template file includes a function (`showProp :: Prop -> String`) which converts formulas into a readable format and code that enables QuickCheck to generate arbitrary values of type `Prop`, to aid testing.

- (a) Write a function `eval :: Prop -> Bool -> Bool`, which given a propositional formula and the value of the variable X returns the value of the formula. Recall the truth tables for negation and bi-implication:

P	$\text{Not } P$	P	Q	$P :<->: Q$
F	T	F	F	T
F	T	F	T	F
T	F	T	F	F
T	F	T	T	T

For example,

```
eval (Not T) True           = False
eval (Not X) False         = True
eval (Not X :<->: Not (Not X)) True = False
eval (Not X :<->: Not (Not X)) False = False
eval (Not (Not X :<->: F)) True     = False
eval (Not (Not X :<->: F)) False    = True
```

Credit may be given for indicating how you have tested your function.

[16 marks]

- (b) Write a function `simplify :: Prop -> Prop` that converts a propositional formula to an equivalent simpler formula by repeated use of the following laws:

```
Not T = F
Not F = T
Not (Not p) = p
T :<->: p = p
F :<->: p = Not p
p :<->: T = p
p :<->: F = Not p
p :<->: p = T
```

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For example,

```
simplify (Not F) = T
simplify (Not X :->: Not (X :->: T)) = T
simplify (Not (Not X :->: Not T)) = Not X
simplify (Not (F :->: Not (Not X))) = X
```

Credit may be given for indicating how you have tested your function. [16 marks]