

# Computer Science Olympiad Penn State Hazleton

First Round, Spring 2010

Deadline: February 19, 2010

**Problem 1** [*Fraction Expression*] Write a program that evaluates the following expression:

$$expr(n, x) = 1 + \frac{2^{n} + 2x^{n}}{2 + \frac{2^{n-1} + 3x^{n-1}}{3 + \frac{2^{n-2} + 4x^{n-2}}{\dots}}}$$
$$(n-1) + \frac{2^{2} + nx^{2}}{n + \frac{2^{1} + (n+1)x^{1}}{x}}$$

where: x - real number, x > 0, n - integer, n > 0.

# Input Data:

n x

# **Output:**

expr(n, x)

**Problem 2** [*Maximal Common Substring*] Given are two strings s1 and s2 which characters are decimal digits. A string s is called *maximal common substring* (MCS) for s1 and s2, if the following three conditions hold true:

- a) s is a substring of both s1 and s2;
- b) the value of **s** as a decimal number is the biggest possible (maximum);
- c) the length of **s** is equal or less than 9.

Write a program that calculates a MCS of the two given strings.

#### Input Data:

s1	// string of characters that are decimal digits {'0', '1',, '9'}	
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s2 // string of characters that are decimal digits {'0', '1', ..., '9'}

# Output:

// CMS substring of S1 and S2

# Example:

Input Data: s1 = "1239298245<mark>643</mark>098878990087801010020200303" s2 = "1111<mark>643</mark>0010101123020202020"

Result: s = "643"