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Lab Assignment 2

1. Implement the following Prolog rules:

a) length(L, N) N is length of the list L

b) member(E, L) E is an element of the list L

c) prefix(P, L) P is a prefix of list L

d) suffix(S, L) S is a suffix of list L

e) append(L1, L2, BigL) BigL is the result of concatenating L1 and L2

f) sum(L, S) S is the sum of all elements in L

g) product(L, P) P is the product of all elements in L

h) split(L, N, L1, L2) The list L1 contains the first N elements of

the list L, the list L2 contains the remaining

elements.

Note: some of the aforementioned rules may be already existing predicates in Prolog. Before deciding to name your rule in a certain way, you can use help(*something*) to check if *something* is already defined in Prolog.

Prefix: something attached to the front of a word to produce a derivative word. For example: *river* in *river*side.

Suffix: something attached to the end of a word to produce a derivative word. For example: *side* in river*side*.

You can take that the product of elements in an empty list is 1, as the base case.

2. Suppose that we have the following database: (0).f(1) :- !.f(2). Write the answers to the following queries: a) ?- f(X). b) ?- f(X), f(Y). c) ?- f(X), !, f(Y). 3. Use cuts to define the if_then_else rule if_then_else(C, S1, S2) If C is true then execute S1, else execute S2 Then use the if_then_else_rule to write a rule that finds the minimum of two numbers. Hint: look at the min/max examples in the lab notes. Use cuts to write the rule delete_first(E, L, A), which deletes only the first occurrence of 4. element E from list L, producing answer A. For example:

5. (extra credit) Implement the rule bubblesort(L, S) that sorts the list L using bubble sort and stores the result in a sorted list S.

?- delete_first(a, [b,a,n,a,n,a], A).

A = [b, n, a, n, a];

No