CSE 341, Fall 2004, Assignment 1 Due: Friday 8 October, 9:00AM

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You will write 8 SML functions having to do with Tetris pieces. The sample solution is roughly 75 lines. See page 2 for additional instructions.

All necessary Tetris knowledge is in this paragraph; ask if something is unclear. For this homework, a *piece* is a list of *squares*. A *square* is a 1 x 1 area on the two-dimensional plane. We represent a square by its lower-left corner. As examples, (0,0) represents the square with corners (0,0), (0,1), (1,1), and (1,0) and (0, 1) represents the square just below the previous example. From now on, we say "a square (x, y)" when we mean "a square represented by (x, y)". In classic Tetris, a piece is four contiguous squares with no repeats, but for this homework, a piece can have any number of squares, they are not necessarily contiguous, and there may be repeats.

- 1. Write a function quadrant that takes a square (x, y) and evaluates to the quadrant the square is in. (Recall that starting on the positive x-axis and proceeding counterclockwise, the quadrants are 1, 2, 3, and 4.)
- 2. Write a function on_horizontal_line that takes a piece p and an integer i and evaluates to true if and only if every square in p has a height (y-coordinate) of i. Hint: A piece with no squares is on every horizontal line. A larger piece is on the line if its first square has height i and the rest of the piece is on the line.
- 3. Write a function make_horizontal_line that takes 3 int arguments (a height, a left, and a right) and evaluates to a piece that is a horizontal line of height height with exactly the squares between (left,height) and (right,height) inclusive. Hint: If left is greater than right there are no such squares, so the empty list is the correct answer.
- 4. Write a function has_square that takes a piece and a square and evaluates to true if and only if the square is in the piece. Hint: No square is in the piece with no squares. Two squares are equal if their *x*-coordinates are equal and their *y*-coordinates are equal.
- 5. Write a function more_or_same_squares that takes two pieces and evaluates to true if and only if every square in the second piece is in the first piece. Hint: The function has_square will prove useful.
- 6. Write a function rightmost_column that takes a piece p and evaluates to an int option. It evaluates to NONE if the p has no squares and SOME i if p has squares and i is the greatest x-coordinate of any piece in the list. Hint: If a piece is (x,y)::lst, then the rightmost-column is SOME x if the rightmost-column of lst is NONE or SOME i where i<x.
- 7. Write a function $leftmost_column$ that takes a piece p and evaluates to an int option. It evaluates to NONE if the p has no squares and SOME i if p has squares and i is the least x-coordinate of any piece in the list.
- 8. Write a function is_horizontal_line that takes a piece p and evaluates to true if the piece is a contiguous (no gaps), horizontal segment of squares. The piece with no squares is not such a piece. Hint: With all your hard work on earlier problems, is_horizontal_line should not itself be recursive; p is a horizontal line if the following are true:
 - All *p*'s squares are on the same horizontal line as *p*'s first square.
 - If q is the horizontal line from p's leftmost-column to p's right-most column, then every square in q is in p and every square in p is in q.

9. (Extra Credit) Write a function $is_own_mirror_image$ that takes a piece p and evaluates to true if it would look the same in a mirror. That is, rotating p 180 degrees along the vertical line halfway between its leftmost and rightmost square would produce the same piece. Hint: To create a piece q that is the mirror image of p, each square in p moves to its mirror image position in q. A square that was i columns to the right of the leftmost column ends up i columns to the left of the rightmost column. The sample solution uses two helper functions.

Note: Remember the course policy on extra credit.

Type Summary: Evaluating a correct homework solution should generate these bindings:

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val quadrant = fn : int * int -> int
val on_horizontal_line = fn : (int * int) list * int -> bool
val rightmost_column = fn : (int * int) list -> int option
val leftmost_column = fn : (int * int) list -> int option
val make_horizontal_line = fn : int * int * int -> (int * int) list
val has_square = fn : (int * int) list * (int * int) -> bool
val more_or_same_squares = fn : (int * int) list * (int * int) list -> bool
val is_horizontal_line = fn : (int * int) list -> bool
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Of course, generating these bindings does not guarantee that your solutions are correct: Test your functions.

Assessment: Your solutions should be:

- Correct
- In good style, including indentation and line breaks
- Written using the features we have used in class. In particular, you must not use references or arrays. (Why would you?) Also, use the = operator only to compare to int expressions.

Turn-in Instructions

- Put all your solutions in one file, lastname_hw1.sml, where lastname is replaced with your last name.
- The first line of your .sml file should be an ML comment with your name and the phrase homework 1.
- Email your solution to daverich@cs.washington.edu.
- The subject of your email should be *exactly* [cse341-hw1].
- Your .sml file should be an attachment.

Syntax Hints

Small syntax errors can lead to strange error messages. Here are 3 examples for function definitions:

- 1. int * int list means int * (int list), not (int * int) list. You want (int * int) list for a piece.
- 2. fun f x : t means the *result type* of f is t, whereas fun f (x:t) means the *argument* type of f is t. There is no need to write result types (and in later homeworks, no need to write argument types).
- 3. fun (x t), fun (t x), or fun (t : x) are all wrong, but the error message suggests you are trying to do something much more advanced than you actually are (which is trying to write fun (x : t).