

CSC104 tutorial exercises #9

This last tutorial is focused on understanding and writing recursive functions.

My office hour: Wednesdays 5:10–6, in SF1101 (our classroom).

Your tutorial: Wednesdays 6:10–7:00. Tutorial sections are as follows:

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DCS Help Centre: Monday–Thursday, 4–6 pm in BA2230, see [Help Centre page](#). Khaled, a TA from our course, is in the Centre Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday.

1. If you encounter an unfamiliar command (or one that used to be familiar, but no longer is), try
 - (a) Type the command in DrRacket, hover your cursor on it, and then right-click, in order to see documentation, or
 - (b) Ask another student, or a TA, how it works
2. Download (right click) the racket files `koch.rkt` and `spiral.rkt` from [course calendar, November 21st](#). Read over the recursive functions `koch` and `koch-snowflake` and experiment with them in DrRacket's interaction pane until you understand them.
3. The definition of `spiral` is wrong. You should be able to fix it by **carefully** emulating the `check-expect` expressions I provided. Once you have `spiral` working, change the definition of `vertical-line` by replacing `"black"` with the `(make-color ...)` expression on the next line. You will need to comment-out the `check-expect` expressions.
4. The definition of `make-palindrome` is broken. Fix it by **carefully** emulating the `check-expect` expressions I provided.
5. Try to emulate the random color technique from `spiral.rkt` in the definition of `koch`. As before, you'll need to disable `check-expect` expressions when you have random values.