

Projet Logique  
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*Troisième partie*

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This project consists of several puzzles to be solved in Prolog. As for the evaluation, see the conditions laid out in the first project.

## 1 Whodunnit

A bank has been robbed, and the police are interviewing several subjects. Here are their statements:

Adrian: “It wasn’t Barry. It was Cedric.”  
Barry: “It wasn’t Adrian. It was Derek.”  
Cedric: “It wasn’t Derek. It wasn’t Barry.”  
Derek: “It wasn’t Eric. It was Adrian.”  
Eric: “It wasn’t Cedric. It was Derek.”

After further investigation, the police find that exactly five of these ten statements were true. Who is the robber?

Write a Prolog program that responds with the name of the robber to the query `who(X)`.

## 2 Numbers

Two secret numbers  $x, y$  are chosen between 2 and 200. Person  $P$  is told the result of the product  $x \cdot y$ , and person  $S$  is told the sum  $x + y$ . They have the following dialogue:

P: “I do not know the values of  $x$  and  $y$ .”  
S: “I knew that.”  
P: “Now I know them.”  
S: “Now I know them too.”

Write a predicate `numbers(X, Y)` that finds the two numbers.

## 3 Shortest-path algorithm

(This section is waived for those who work alone. For groups of three, the shortest-path algorithm should work analogously to Dijkstra, i.e. consider every edge at most once. Groups of two can choose any algorithm they like.)

Consider a given predicate that specifies a list of directed edges labelled with a distance, of the following form:

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arcs([[a,b,5], [a,c,3], [b,d,2], [c,d,5], [d,e,2]]).
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(i.e., there is an edge from node  $a$  to node  $b$  with distance 5, from  $a$  to  $c$  with distance 3, etc). All distances can be assumed to be non-negative integers.

Write a Prolog program that finds the shortest path and the distance between two nodes for the graph given by the contents of the `arcs` predicate. At your choice, your program can either:

- give back distance and path as a result of the query, e.g. the query `path(a,e,D,P)` succeeds with  $D = 9$  and  $P = [a, b, d, e]$ ;
- or `write` the result to the console as a result of the query `path(a,e)`.

### Important Dates

Deadline for handing in program and report: May 20 until midnight.

Soutenance: During the session of May 22.