# CSCE 476/876 Fall 2020 Lisp Tutorial \#2* 

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If you put your code in a file named week2.lisp, then you can first load your code into the lisp environment by the following command:
(load "week2.lisp") or :ld week2.lisp

Then you compile the file using the following command:
(compile-file "week2.lisp") or :cl week2.lisp

Some usefull functions to learn:
mapcar, reduce, remove-if, apply, funcall, some, every, count-if, eval
The first three exercises were already suggested in the previous Lisp recitation.

1. Define a function that takes a list and return the first three items and the last three items. For example, for the list ' (a b c this is a list 12 3), this function returns ' (a b c 123 ).
2. Given a list of lists, return the union of these lists. For example, for the list
 primitive union.
3. Compute the summation of 1 through a specified positive integer.

[^0]4. Define a function, count-letters, that takes a list and returns the number of every distinct element in this list. Use a hash-table to store the result. For example, for the list
'(121 a bac), this function returns a hash-table with the following items:

| key | val |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 2 |
| 2 | 1 |
| $a$ | 2 |
| $b$ | 1 |
| $c$ | 1 |

5. Define a function, count-letter2, that takes a string and returns the number of every distinct letter in this string. Use a hash-table to store the result. For example, for the string THIS IS A GOOD COURSE, this function returns a hash table with the following items:

| key | val |
| :---: | :---: |
| $g$ | 1 |
| $h$ | 1 |
| $i$ | 2 |
| $o$ | 3 |
| $r$ | 1 |
| $s$ | 3 |
| $t$ | 1 |
| $u$ | 1 |
| $S p a c e$ | 4 |
| $a$ | 1 |
| $c$ | 1 |
| $d$ | 1 |
| $e$ | 1 |

6. Define a function, reachable, that takes three parameters: a list representing the edges of a directed graph, source vertex $u$, and destination vertex $v$. The function returns true if $u$ can reach $v$ and return false if $u$ cannot reach $v$.
An example of a directed graph represented by edges are '( (u1 v1) (u1 v3) (v1 v4)).
7. Define a predicate, bipartite, that determines whether or not an undirected graph is bipartite.

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