# Problem 6: Fractals Against Programmability 7 Point(s)

Problem ID: fractal Rank: 2

## Introduction

It turns out that building a real house of cards with real cards bought with real money is too expensive, and building a plain digital house of cards is not very impressive, so you decide to build a digital house of cards that's cool and recursive instead!

### **Problem Statement**

Output a fractal house of cards with  $\ensuremath{\mathbf{N}}$  layers.

The simplest fractal house of cards with 1 layer consists of just two cards leaning on each other in a single line, drawn with a forward slash / and a backslash  $\:$ 

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To construct a fractal house of cards with k layers where k is a power of 2, build three fractal houses of cards with k / 2 layers in an equilateral triangle pattern by inserting spaces so that each house is aligned correctly. For example, here is a fractal house of cards with 8 layers:

See the sample test cases below for more examples.

### **Input Format**

The first line of input contains a positive integer  $\mathbf{T}$  denoting the number of test cases that follow. Each test case consists of a single line containing a positive integer  $\mathbf{N}$  denoting the number of layers in the fractal house of cards you're trying to build.

#### **Output Format**

For each test case, output the following:

- The first  ${\bf N}$  lines should contain the fractal house of cards
  - $\circ~$  Each line should contain the forward slashes /, backslashes \, and spaces for each layer
  - The house is allowed to have trailing spaces on the right side of each layer
- The final line should be blank to separate individual test cases

#### **Problem Constraints**

$$\label{eq:constraint} \begin{split} &1\leq T\leq 100\\ &1\leq N\leq 256\\ &\mathbf{N} \text{ is a power of 2.}\\ &\text{The sum of } \mathbf{N}^2 \text{ across all test cases in an input does not exceed } 10^5. \end{split}$$

#### Sample Test Cases

#### Sample Input

#### Sample Output

- 5 1 2 4 8
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