

Solution Exercise – 8

Q1:

- ```
for $b in doc("books.xml")//book
 order by xs:float($b/price) descending, $b/title ascending
return $b/title
```
- ```
count(doc("books.xml")//book[author = 'Kargupta'])
```
- ```
for $x in distinct-values(doc("books.xml")//author)
 return
 <name>{$x}</name>: <count>{count(doc("books.xml")//book[author= $x])}</count>
```

Q2.

- **To refer to date child element:**

```
declare namespace def = "http://www.ethz.ch";
/def:eth/def:date
```

- **To refer to date attribute which is in no namespace:**

```
declare namespace def = "http://www.ethz.ch";
/def:eth/@date
```

- **To refer to date attribute with namespace**

```
declare namespace def = "http://www.ethz.ch";
declare namespace dbisns = "http://www.dbis.ethz.ch";
/def:eth/@dbisns:date
```

Q3.

- For example,  $x = [1,2]$ , so if  $[1,2]=1$  and  $[1,2]=2$ ; We cannot infer  $1=2$  since it is not transitive.
- Let us say  $x := 1$ ,  $y := (0, 3)$ ,  $z := 2$   
Then  $1 > (0,3)$  and  $(0,3) > 2$  but  $1 > 2 \rightarrow$  which is false.  
 $>$  is not transitive either.

- `$x := ()` because  
    `() eq ()` returns `()`  
    and `() = ()` returns `false`