

```
\as -> length as > 3 && (all even as || as !! 2 == 99)  
PLen (pgt 3) * (PForAll peven + PIx 2 0 (peq 99))
```

# DSL for Predicates

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# What is a predicate?

A predicate is a function that takes a value and returns a boolean

```
type Predicate a = a -> Bool
```

here are some sample predicates:

```
p a = a == "hello"
```

```
p a = length a < 3
```

```
p a = True
```



# What is a predicate?

Here is a more complex one:

```
p a = length a > 3 && (all even a || a !| 2 == 99)
```

sample inputs and outputs:

```
p [] == False  
p [10,12,2] == False  
p [10,12,99] == False  
p [10,12,99,1] == True  
p [10,12,8,22] == True.
```



# Purpose of the DSL for Predicates

Aim of this library is to elevate predicates:

- from a simple function that only returns True/False
- to a first class value

Here is what it will do:

- display a predicate
- compare predicates for equality
- compose predicates
- trace the entire process of running a predicate

Predicates in this DSL are represented by expression trees which enables

- navigation through the tree of results
- debugging: see each step in the process
- validation of data structures eg json configurations
- ability to choose to validate as little or as much you want



# some useful predicates

```
data Pred a where
    PConst  :: BoolP -> Pred a
    PCmp    :: Ord a => CmpOperator -> a -> Pred a
    PLift   :: String -> (a -> Bool) -> Pred a
    PAnd    :: Pred a -> Pred a -> Pred a
    POr     :: Pred a -> Pred a -> Pred a
    PNot    :: Pred a -> Pred a
    PFst    :: Pred a -> Pred (a,x)
    PSnd    :: Pred a -> Pred (x,a)
    PRange  :: Ord a => a -> a -> Pred a
    PLen    :: Pred Int -> Pred [a]
    PNull   :: Pred [a]
    PForAll :: Pred a -> Pred [a]
    PExists :: Pred a -> Pred [a]
    PHead   :: Pred () -> Pred a -> Pred [a]
    PIx    :: Int -> Pred () -> Pred a -> Pred [a]
    POne   :: Pred () -> Pred (a,[a]) -> Pred a -> Pred [a]
    PFn    :: String -> (a -> b) -> (Pred b) -> Pred a
    PString :: SConv s => Case -> StringOperator -> s -> Pred s
```



# Simplest predicate

```
data Pred a where
  PConst :: BoolP -> Pred a
  ...
data BoolP = TrueP | FalseP | FailP String
```

```
ptrue = PConst TrueP
pfalse = PConst FalseP
pfail e = PConst (FailP e)
```

pp\* shows the predicate

pe\* runs the predicate with the given value and prints



# A less simple predicate

```
data Pred a where
  PNull :: Pred [a]
  ...
peu2 PNull []
peu2 PNull [5,7,10]
```



# An even less simple predicate

```
data Pred a where
  PCmp :: Ord a => CmpOperator -> a -> Pred a
  ...
  -- comparison operators: less than / less than or equal / etc
  data CmpOperator = Lt | Le | Ge | Gt | Ne | Eq

  -- greater than predicate
  pgt :: Ord a => a -> Pred a
  pgt = PCmp Gt

  -- equal to predicate
  peq :: Ord a => a -> Pred a
  peq = PCmp Eq
  ...
  ...
```



# Create your own predicate!

```
data Pred a where
    PLift :: String -> (a -> Bool) -> Pred a
    ...
peven :: Pred Int
peven = PLift "even" even
```



# Boolean combinators

```
data Pred a where
    PAnd    :: Pred a -> Pred a -> Pred a
    POr     :: Pred a -> Pred a -> Pred a
    PNot    :: Pred a -> Pred a
    ...
-- show meu2 pe2 pev2
meu2 (PAnd (pgt 11) (plt 15)) 12
meu2 (PAnd (pgt 11) (plt 15)) 18
meu2 (pgt 11) 12
meu2 (PNot (pgt 11)) 12
```



```
>peu2 (PAnd (pgt 11) (plt 15)) 12
```

```
TrueP PAnd
  └─ TrueP 12 > 11
    └─ TrueP 12 < 15
```

```
>peu2 (PAnd (pgt 11) (plt 15)) 18
```

```
FalseP PAnd
```

```
  |- TrueP 18 > 11
```

```
  |- FalseP 18 < 15
```

```
>peu2 (PNot (pgt 11)) 12
```

```
FalseP PNot
```

```
└ TrueP 12 > 11
```



# predicates on tuples

```
data Pred a where
  PFst :: Pred a -> Pred (a,x)
  PSnd :: Pred b -> Pred (x,b)
  ...
```

```
peu2 (PFst (peq 'z')) ('z',99)
peu2 (PSnd (plt 12)) ('z',99)
```



# Num instance

```
instance Num (Pred a) where
  (+) = POr
  (*) = PAnd
  negate = PNot
  p - q = p `POr` PNot q
  fromInteger n | n == 0 = pfalse
                 | n == 1 = ptrue
                 | otherwise = pfail ""
```

```
peu2 (PAnd (pgt 11) (plt 15)) 12  ==> peu2 (pgt 11 * plt 15) 12
peu2 (PNot (pgt 11)) 12           ==> peu2 (-pgt 11) 12
```



# partial predicates

we need to handle the failure cases

```
data Pred a where
    PHead :: Pred () -> Pred a -> Pred [a]
    ...
    ...
```

```
peu (PHead 0 (peq 'x'))    "xmn"
peu (PHead 0 (peq 'y'))    "xmn"
peu (PHead 0 (peq 'y'))    ""
```

```
>peu (PHead 0 (peq 'x')) "xmn"
```

```
TrueP PHead 'x'  
└ TrueP 'x' == 'x'
```



```
>peu (PHead 0 (peq 'y')) "xmn"
```

```
FalseP PHead 'x'  
└ FalseP 'x' == 'y'
```



```
>peu (PHead 0 (peq 'y')) ""
```

```
FalseP PHead empty
```



# partial predicates

```
data Pred a where
  PIx :: Int -> Pred () -> Pred a -> Pred [a]
  ...
  ...
```

```
peu (PIx 3 pfalse (peq 'd')) "abcdef"
peu (PIx 3 pfalse (peq 'x')) "abcdef"
peu (PIx 3 pfalse (peq 'x')) "ab"

peu (PIx 3999 (pfalse' "hey!") (peq 'e')) "abcdef"
```



```
>peu (PIx 3 pfalse (peq 'd')) "abcdef"
```

```
TrueP PIx 3 'd'  
└ TrueP 'd' == 'd'
```

```
>peu (PIx 3 pfalse (peq 'x')) "abcdef"
```

```
FalseP PIx 3 'd'  
└ FalseP 'd' == 'x'
```



```
>peu (PIx 3999 (pfalse' "hey!") (peq 'e')) "abcdef"
```

FalseP PIx 3999 not found | hey!



# forall and exists predicates

```
data Pred a where
  PForAll :: Pred a -> Pred [a]
  PExists :: Pred a -> Pred [a]
  ...
```

```
peu2 (PForAll (pgt 9)) [27,11,6,7,10,1]
```

```
peu2 (PExists (pgt 9)) [27,11,6,7,10,1]
```

```
>peu2 (PForAll (pgt 9)) [27,11,6,7,10,1]
```

```
FalseP PForAll | cnt=3 (i=2, a=6)
```

```
  |- TrueP i=0: 27 > 9
  |- TrueP i=1: 11 > 9
  |- FalseP i=2: 6 > 9
  |- FalseP i=3: 7 > 9
  |- TrueP i=4: 10 > 9
  |- FalseP i=5: 1 > 9
```

```
>peu2 (PExists (pgt 9)) [27,11,6,7,10,1]
```

```
TrueP PExists | cnt=3 (i=0, a=27)
  |- TrueP i=0: 27 > 9
  |- TrueP i=1: 11 > 9
  |- FalseP i=2: 6 > 9
  |- FalseP i=3: 7 > 9
  |- TrueP i=4: 10 > 9
  |- FalseP i=5: 1 > 9
```

```
>peu2 (PForAll (PRange 4 7)) [1..10]
```

```
FalseP PForAll | cnt=6 (i=0, a=1)
```

```
  └─ FalseP i=0: 1 < 4 (Under)
```

```
  └─ FalseP i=1: 2 < 4 (Under)
```

```
  └─ FalseP i=2: 3 < 4 (Under)
```

```
  └─ TrueP i=3: 4 == [4..7]
```

```
  └─ TrueP i=4: 5 == [4..7]
```

```
  └─ TrueP i=5: 6 == [4..7]
```

```
  └─ TrueP i=6: 7 == [4..7]
```

```
  └─ FalseP i=7: 8 > 7 (Over)
```

```
  └─ FalseP i=8: 9 > 7 (Over)
```

```
  └─ FalseP i=9: 10 > 7 (Over)
```



# predicate from first slide

```
haskell predicate
```

```
p as = length as > 3 && (all even as || as !! 2 == 99)
```

```
predicate from the dsl
```

```
p = PLen (pgt 3) * (PForAll peven + PIx 2 0 (peq 99))
```

```
-- show predicate expression and ppu
```

```
ppv $ PLen (pgt 3) * (PForAll peven + PIx 2 0 (peq 99))
```

```
peu2 p [] == False
```

```
peu2 p [10,12,2] == False
```

```
peu2 p [10,12,99] == False
```

```
peu2 p [10,12,99,1] == True
```

```
peu2 p [10,12,8,22] == True.
```

```
n = PLen (pgt 3) + (PForAll peven + PIx 2 0 (peq 99))
```

```
>ppu $ PLen (pgt 3) * (PForAll peven + PIx 2 0 (peq 99))
```

PAnd

└─ PLen

  └─ a > 3

└─ POr

  └─ PForAll

    └─ PLift even

  └─ PIx 2

    └─ PConst FalseP

      └─ a == 99

```
>peu2 (PLen (pgt 3) * (PForAll peven + PIx 2 0 (peq 99))) [10,12,99]
```

```
FalseP PAnd
└─ FalseP PLen 3 as=[10,12,99]
   └─ FalseP 3 > 3
TrueP POr
└─ FalseP PForAll | cnt=1 (i=2, a=99)
   └─ TrueP i=0: PLift even | a=10
   └─ TrueP i=1: PLift even | a=12
   └─ FalseP i=2: PLift even | a=99
TrueP PIx 2 99
└─ TrueP 99 == 99
```

```
>peu2 `(PLen (pgt 3) * (PForAll peven + PIX 2 0 (peq 99))) [10,12,8,22]
```

```
TrueP  PAnd
└─ TrueP  PLen 4 as=[10,12,8,22]
   └─ TrueP  4 > 3
TrueP  POr
  └─ TrueP  PForAll
    └─ TrueP  i=0: PLift even | a=10
    └─ TrueP  i=1: PLift even | a=12
    └─ TrueP  i=2: PLift even | a=8
    └─ TrueP  i=3: PLift even | a=22
FalseP  PIX 2 8
  └─ FalseP  8 == 99
```



# PString

```
data Pred a where
    PString :: Case -> StringOperator -> s -> Pred z s
    ...
    data StringOperator = SNone | SPrefix | SInfix | SSuffix

sinfix = PString CI SInfix
sci    = PString CI SNone
scs   = PString CS SNone -- default

pe2 (scs "abc") "abC"
pe2 "abc" "abC"
pe2 (sinfix "abc") "XabCYY"
```



# PLinear: validate structures & configuration

`PLinear :: Rigid -> [(Pred Int, Pred a)] -> Pred [a]`

specify the number of times each predicate should occur

most common are:

- `preq = peq 1`
- `popt = peq 0 + peq 1`
- `pij i j = PRange i j`
- `pnever = peq 0`

fails if two different predicates consume the same value

fails if a predicate isn't used up the right number of times

Rigid (catches all errors) vs Loose (allows extra values)

`peu1 (PLinear Rigid [preq "dog", preq "cat", pij 5 7 "house"]) ["cat", "dog", "cat", "mouse"]`

`peu1 (PLinear Rigid [preq "dog", preq "cat", preq "house"]) ["cat", "dog", "cat", "mouse"]`

`peu1 (PLinear Rigid [preq "dog", preq "cat", preq "house"]) ["cat", "dog", "house"]`

```
>peu1 (PLinear Rigid [preq "dog",preq "cat",pij 5 7 "house"]) ["cat","dog","cat","mouse"]
```

```
FalseP PLinear Failed Pred [Int] | errors(1): NoMatch 3
  └ FalseP Predicates | PZipAnd | PZipExact | (bad,good)=(2,1)
    └ FalseP PLift and | a=[True,False,False]
      └ TrueP i=0
        └ TrueP 1 == 1
          └ PStringCI a == "dog"
      └ FalseP i=1
        └ FalseP 2 > 1 (Over)
          └ PStringCI a == "cat"
      └ FalseP i=2
        └ FalseP 0 < 5 (Under)
          └ PStringCI a == "house"
    └ TrueP PLinear | OneMatch 0 a="cat" cnt=1 (i=1, a="cat")
      └ FalseP i=0: PStringCI "cat" == "dog"
      └ TrueP i=1: PStringCI "cat" == "cat"
      └ FalseP i=2: PStringCI "cat" == "house"
    └ TrueP PLinear | OneMatch 1 a="dog" cnt=1 (i=0, a="dog")
      └ TrueP i=0: PStringCI "dog" == "dog"
      └ FalseP i=1: PStringCI "dog" == "cat"
      └ FalseP i=2: PStringCI "dog" == "house"
    └ TrueP PLinear | OneMatch 2 a="cat" cnt=1 (i=1, a="cat")
      └ FalseP i=0: PStringCI "cat" == "dog"
      └ TrueP i=1: PStringCI "cat" == "cat"
      └ FalseP i=2: PStringCI "cat" == "house"
    └ FalseP PLinear NoMatch 3 a="mouse"
      └ FalseP i=0: PStringCI "mouse" == "dog"
      └ FalseP i=1: PStringCI "mouse" == "cat"
      └ FalseP i=2: PStringCI "mouse" == "house"
```

```
>peu1 (PLinear Rigid [preq "dog",preq "cat",preq "house"]) ["cat","dog","cat","mouse"]

FalseP PLinear Failed Pred [Int] | errors(1): NoMatch 3
  - FalseP Predicates | PZipAnd | PZipExact | (bad,good)=(2,1)
    - FalseP PLift and | a=[True,False,False]
      - TrueP i=0
        - TrueP 1 == 1
          - PStringCI a == "dog"
      - FalseP i=1
        - FalseP 2 > 1 (Over)
          - PStringCI a == "cat"
      - FalseP i=2
        - FalseP 0 < 1 (Under)
          - PStringCI a == "house"
  - TrueP PLinear | OneMatch 0 a="cat" cnt=1 (i=1, a="cat")
    - FalseP i=0: PStringCI "cat" == "dog"
    - TrueP i=1: PStringCI "cat" == "cat"
    - FalseP i=2: PStringCI "cat" == "house"
  - TrueP PLinear | OneMatch 1 a="dog" cnt=1 (i=0, a="dog")
    - TrueP i=0: PStringCI "dog" == "dog"
    - FalseP i=1: PStringCI "dog" == "cat"
    - FalseP i=2: PStringCI "dog" == "house"
  - TrueP PLinear | OneMatch 2 a="cat" cnt=1 (i=1, a="cat")
    - FalseP i=0: PStringCI "cat" == "dog"
    - TrueP i=1: PStringCI "cat" == "cat"
    - FalseP i=2: PStringCI "cat" == "house"
  - FalseP PLinear NoMatch 3 a="mouse"
    - FalseP i=0: PStringCI "mouse" == "dog"
    - FalseP i=1: PStringCI "mouse" == "cat"
    - FalseP i=2: PStringCI "mouse" == "house"
```

```
>peu1 (PLinear Rigid [preq "dog",preq "cat",preq "house"]) ["cat","dog","house"]
```

```
TrueP PLinear
  |- TrueP Predicates | PZipAnd | PZipExact | (bad,good)=(0,3)
    |- TrueP PLift and | a=[True,True,True]
      |- TrueP i=0
        |- TrueP 1 == 1
          |- PStringCI a == "dog"
      |- TrueP i=1
        |- TrueP 1 == 1
          |- PStringCI a == "cat"
      |- TrueP i=2
        |- TrueP 1 == 1
          |- PStringCI a == "house"
  |- TrueP PLinear | OneMatch 0 a="cat" cnt=1 (i=1, a="cat")
    |- FalseP i=0: PStringCI "cat" == "dog"
    |- TrueP i=1: PStringCI "cat" == "cat"
    |- FalseP i=2: PStringCI "cat" == "house"
  |- TrueP PLinear | OneMatch 1 a="dog" cnt=1 (i=0, a="dog")
    |- TrueP i=0: PStringCI "dog" == "dog"
    |- FalseP i=1: PStringCI "dog" == "cat"
    |- FalseP i=2: PStringCI "dog" == "house"
  |- TrueP PLinear | OneMatch 2 a="house" cnt=1 (i=2, a="house")
    |- FalseP i=0: PStringCI "house" == "dog"
    |- FalseP i=1: PStringCI "house" == "cat"
    |- TrueP i=2: PStringCI "house" == "house"
```



# display predicate

```
>ppv (PLinear Rigid [preq "dog",preq "cat",pij 5 7 "xxxxx", popt (sinfix "house")])  
          PLinear(4) Rigid  
          |  
          -----  
          | / | / | / | \ |  
          Predicate i=0 | Predicate i=1 | Predicate i=2 | Predicate i=3 |  
          | | | |  
          -----  
          | / | / | / | \ |  
          a == 1 PStringCI a == "dog" a == 1 PStringCI a == "cat" a `elem` [5..7] PStringCI a == "xxxxx" a `elem` [0..1] PStringCI "house" `isInfixOf` a
```



```
data Pred a where
  PDist :: Case -> String -> Pred Int -> Pred String
  ...
  peu2 (PDist CS "production" (plt 4)) "production"
```



# plinearDist

plinearDist :: Int -> [Dist z String] -> Pred z [String]

leverages PLinear but is used when you dont have control on all the values and are looking for cases where someone has mistyped or fat fingered.

eg typed "Production" vs "production" or "produktion" or "PRODUCTION"  
ie words that are in close proximity

```
peu1 (plinearDist 2 [dopt "production"]) ["produczlon"]  
peu1 (plinearDist 2 [dopt "production"]) ["PRODUCTION"] -- zero distance but wrong case  
peu1 (plinearDist 2 [dopt "production"]) ["notnotproduction"]
```

```
>peu1 (plinearDist 2 [dopt "production"]) ["produczIon"]

FalseP PLinear Failed Pred [Int]
  └ FalseP Predicates | PZipAnd | PZipExact | (bad,good)=(1,2)
    └ FalseP PLift and | a=[True,False,True]
      └ TrueP i=0
        └ TrueP 0 == [0..1]
        └ PStringCS a == "production"
      └ FalseP i=1
        └ FalseP 1 > 0 (Over)
        └ PDistCI "production"
          └ a `elem` [1..2]
      └ TrueP i=2
        └ TrueP 0 == 0
        └ PAnd
          └ PStringCI a == "production"
          └ PNot
            └ PStringCS a == "production"
  └ TrueP PLinear | OneMatch 0 a="produczIon" cnt=1 (i=1, a="produczIon")
    └ FalseP i=0: PStringCS "produczIon" == "production"
    └ TrueP i=1: PDistCI | dist=1 | s=production | t=produczIon
      └ TrueP 1 == [1..2]
    └ FalseP i=2: PAnd
      └ FalseP PStringCI "produczIon" == "production"
      └ TrueP PNot
        └ FalseP PStringCS "produczIon" == "production"
```

```
>peu1 (plinearDist 2 [dopt "production"]) ["PRODUCTION"]

FalseP PLinear Failed Pred [Int]
  └ FalseP Predicates | PZipAnd | PZipExact | (bad,good)=(1,2)
    └ FalseP PLift and | a=[True,True,False]
      └ TrueP i=0
        └ TrueP 0 == [0..1]
          └ PStringCS a == "production"
      └ TrueP i=1
        └ TrueP 0 == 0
          └ PDistCI "production"
            └ a `elem` [1..2]
      └ FalseP i=2
        └ FalseP 1 > 0 (Over)
        └ PAnd
          └ PStringCI a == "production"
          └ PNot
            └ PStringCS a == "production"
  └ TrueP PLinear | OneMatch 0 a="PRODUCTION" cnt=1 (i=2, a="PRODUCTION")
    └ FalseP i=0: PStringCS "PRODUCTION" == "production"
    └ FalseP i=1: PDistCI | dist=0 | s=production | t=PRODUCTION
      └ FalseP 0 < 1 (Under)
    └ TrueP i=2: PAnd
      └ TrueP PStringCI "PRODUCTION" == "production"
      └ TrueP PNot
        └ FalseP PStringCS "PRODUCTION" == "production"
```

```
>peu1 (plinearDist 2 [dopt "production"]) ["notnotproduction"]
```

```
TrueP PLinear
  |- TrueP Predicates | PZipAnd | PZipExact | (bad,good)=(0,3)
    |- TrueP PLift and | a=[True,True,True]
      |- TrueP i=0
        |- TrueP 0 == [0..1]
          |- PStringCS a == "production"
      |- TrueP i=1
        |- TrueP 0 == 0
          |- PDistCI "production"
            |- a `elem` [1..2]
      |- TrueP i=2
        |- TrueP 0 == 0
        |- PAnd
          |- PStringCI a == "production"
          |- PNot
            |- PStringCS a == "production"
  |- TrueP PLinear NoMatch 0 a="notnotproduction"
    |- FalseP i=0: PStringCS "notnotproduction" == "production"
    |- FalseP i=1: PDistCI | dist=6 | s=production | t=notnotproduction
      |- FalseP 6 > 2 (Over)
    |- FalseP i=2: PAnd
      |- FalseP PStringCI "notnotproduction" == "production"
      |- TrueP PNot
        |- FalseP PStringCS "notnotproduction" == "production"
```



# Json

Object -- dictionary indexed by a string key

Array -- list indexed by integer

String -- primitive values

Number

Bool

Null

data JPath =

  JPKey String -- Object has a String as the key

  | JPIndex Int -- Array has an Integer as the index into the array

  | JPValue Value -- any json value



# Json predicates

```
data Pred a where
```

```
PJsonP :: [JPath] -> Pred z () -> Pred z Value -> Pred z Value
```

```
PJsonKey :: Pred z String -> Pred z [(NonEmpty JPath, Value)] -> Pred z Value
```

```
...
```

```
jprtPretty json1
```

```
--path to "abbrev" key
```

```
peu1 (pjsonKeyOne "abbrev" 1) json1
```

```
peu (pjsonKeyOne "abbrev" (s infix "8879")) json1
```

```
peu (PJsonP [JPKey "glossary", JPKey "GlossDiv", JPKey "GlossList", JPKey "GlossEntry", JPKey "Abbrev"] 0 1)  
json1
```

```
-- misspelling shows where you it wrong
```

```
peu (PJsonP [JPKey "glossary", JPKey "GlossDiv", JPKey "GlossList", JPKey "GlossEnxtry", JPKey "Abbrev"] 0 1)  
json1
```

```
>peu1 `pjsonKeyOne "abbrev" 1) json1

TrueP PJsonKey
└─ TrueP POne String "ISO 8879:1986"
   └─ TrueP PConst a=String "ISO 8879:1986"
      Debugging jpaths
         └─ i=0 | key=Abbrev | [JPKey "glossary",JPKey "GlossDiv",JPKey "GlossList",JPKey "GlossEntry",JPKey "Abbrev"]
```



```
>peu (pjsonKeyOne "abbrev" $ s infix "iso") json1

TrueP PJJsonKey
└─ TrueP POne String "ISO 8879:1986"
   └─ TrueP PStringCI String "iso" `isInfixOf` String "ISO 8879:1986"
Debugging jpaths
└─ i=0 | key=Abbrev
```

```
>peu (PJsonP [JPKey "glossary",JPKey "GlossDiv",JPKey "GlossList",JPKey "GlossEntry",JPKey "Abbrev"] 0 1) json1  
TrueP PJsonP  
└─ TrueP matched  
  key "glossary"  
    └─ key "GlossDiv"  
      └─ key "GlossList"  
        └─ key "GlossEntry"  
          └─ key "Abbrev"  
            └─ TrueP matched complete path
```



```
>peu (PJJsonP [JPKey "glossary",JPKey "GlossDiv",JPKey "GlossList",JPKey "GlossEntry",JPKey "Abbrev"] 0 1) json1
FalseP PJJsonP
└─ FalseP valid keys are [title,GlossList]
  key "glossary"
    └─ key "GlossDiv"
      └─ valid keys are [title,GlossList]
```



# Vinyl Regex predicate

```
data Pred a where
  PRegexV
  :: Rec (RE Char) rs           -- heterogeneous list of regex exprs
    -> Pred z String          -- failure predicate
    -> Pred z (Rec W.Identity rs, String) -- success predicate: hlist of results and leftovers
    -> Pred z String
```

runs each regex in turn against a string until failure or completes successfully

`:&` delimits each element and `RNil` ends the list

string we want to parse

```
"9 1233.987 141.213.124.19ZZ"
```

list of regular expressions

```
res :: Rec (RE Char) '[Int, (), Rational, (), IP Int]
res = digit :& spaces1 :& ratio :& spaces1 :& ipaddr :& RNil
```



```
>peu2 (PRegexV (digit :& spaces1 :& ratio :& spaces1 :& ipaddr :& RNil) 0 1)
"9 1233.987    141.213.124.19ZZ"
```

```
TrueP PRegexV (5) | matched all | leftover=ZZ
└─ TrueP PConst a=( {9, (), 1233987 % 1000, (), IP:141.213.124.19}, "ZZ")
   matched all | leftover=ZZ
   └─ i=0 | a=9 | used=9 | remaining= 1233.987    141.213.124.19ZZ
   └─ i=1 | a=() | used=   | remaining=1233.987    141.213.124.19ZZ
   └─ i=2 | a=1233987 % 1000 | used=1233.987 | remaining=    141.213.124.19ZZ
   └─ i=3 | a=() | used=     | remaining=141.213.124.19ZZ
   └─ i=4 | a=IP:141.213.124.19 | used=141.213.124.19 | remaining=ZZ
```

```
>peu2 (PRegexV (digit :& spaces1 :& ratio :& spaces1 :& ipaddr :& RNil) 0 $  
PBoth (prx (pgt 9999)) PNull) "9 1233.987    141.213.124.19ZZ"
```

```
FalseP PRegexV (5) | matched all | leftover=ZZ  
  ┌─ FalseP PBoth  
  │  ┌─ FalseP PFn rx | a={9, (), 1233987 % 1000, (), IP:141.213.124.19} | b=9  
  │  └─ FalseP 9 > 9999  
  └─ FalseP PNull length=2 as="ZZ"  
matched all | leftover=ZZ  
  ┌─ i=0 | a=9 | used=9 | remaining= 1233.987    141.213.124.19ZZ  
  ┌─ i=1 | a=() | used=   | remaining=1233.987    141.213.124.19ZZ  
  ┌─ i=2 | a=1233987 % 1000 | used=1233.987 | remaining=    141.213.124.19ZZ  
  ┌─ i=3 | a=() | used=   | remaining=141.213.124.19ZZ  
  ┌─ i=4 | a=IP:141.213.124.19 | used=141.213.124.19 | remaining=ZZ
```

```
>peu2 (PRegexV (digit :& spaces1 :& ratio :& spaces1 :& ipaddr :& RNil) 0 $  
PBoth (pr2 (pgt 99)) (PLen (plt 5))) "9 1233.987    141.213.124.19ZZ"
```

```
TrueP  PRegexV (5) | matched all | leftover=ZZ  
  ┌ TrueP  PBoth  
  │   ┌ TrueP  PFn regex2 | a={9, (), 1233987 % 1000, (), IP:141.213.124.19} |  
  b=1233987 % 1000  
  │   ┌ TrueP  1233987 % 1000 > 99 % 1  
  │   ┌ TrueP  PLen 2 as="ZZ"  
  │   ┌ TrueP  2 < 5  
  └ matched all | leftover=ZZ  
    ┌ i=0 | a=9 | used=9 | remaining= 1233.987    141.213.124.19ZZ  
    ┌ i=1 | a=() | used=   | remaining=1233.987    141.213.124.19ZZ  
    ┌ i=2 | a=1233987 % 1000 | used=1233.987 | remaining=    141.213.124.19ZZ  
    ┌ i=3 | a=() | used=       | remaining=141.213.124.19ZZ  
    ┌ i=4 | a=IP:141.213.124.19 | used=141.213.124.19 | remaining=ZZ
```



# Summary: What can do with this DSL?

## We can:

- compose predicates
  - to handle arbitrarily complex structures
- display predicates
  - as an expression tree
- compare predicates
  - for equality
- trace the entire process of running the predicate
- enable data validation
  - and configuration validation
- supercharge json
  - so we treat the structure as data and use predicates to validate