

Chapter 8 - Declaring Types and Classes

→ A new name for an existing name can be defined via type declaration. Declare types, and define functions

Ex:

`type String = [Char]`

→ Can help with reading other types easier

→ Can also have parameters

Ex: `type Pair a = (a, a)`

→ Cannot be recursive

Ex: ~~`type Tree = (Int, [Tree])`~~

→ Allowed to nest other types together

→ Data declaration, data keyword introduces a new type

Ex: `data Bool = False | True`

→ Can also have parameters when doing data declaration

→ Recursive types can be declared using data keyword

Ex: `data Nat = Zero | Succ Nat`

↳ Can think of it like Natural number