## COMP105: Programming Paradigms Week 7 Homework Sheet

This is the homework sheet for **Week 7**. Complete your answers in a file named Week 7. hs and submit them to the "Week 7" assessment in SAM here

https://sam.csc.liv.ac.uk/COMP/Submissions.pl

Submission of the weekly homework sheets contributes 10% of the overall module mark, and each homework sheet counts equally towards this. Each homework sheet will be marked on a pass/fail basis. You will receive full marks for submitting a *reasonable attempt* at the homework. If no submission is made, or if a non-reasonable attempt is submitted, then no marks will be awarded.

The deadline for submission is

## Friday Week 7 (27/11/2020) at 16:00.

Late submission is **not** possible. Individual feedback will not be given, but full solutions will be posted promptly after the deadline has passed.

If you feel that you are struggling with the homework, or if you have any other questions, then you can contact the lecturer at any point during the week via email, or you can drop in to the weekly Q&A session on MS Teams on Friday between 1PM and 4PM.

**Lecture 19 - Custom types**. Copy the following type declaration into your file

data Direction = North | East | South | West deriving (Show)

After you load the code into ghci, you can use the new type. For example:

ghci > North ghci > : t South

- 1. Modify the type definition so that the type also derives Eq. After reloading, test that your new definition works by running North == North and North /= South.
- 2. Modify the type definition so that the type also derives Read. Test that your new definition works by running read "North" :: Direction
- 3. Modify the type definition so that the type also derives Ord. test that your new definition works by running North < East and max South West. Do you understand why these queries return the results that they do?

- 4. Write a function is\_north :: Direction -> Bool that returns True if the argument is North and False otherwise.
- 5. Write a function dir\_to\_int :: Direction -> Int that returns 1 if the argument is North, 2 if the argument is East, 3 if the argument is South, and 4 if the argument is West.

Lecture 19 - Types with data. Copy the following type declaration into your file.

```
data Point = Point Int Int deriving (Show)
```

You can now build instances of point like so:

```
ghci > Point 2 4
Point 2 4
```

- 1. Write a function same :: Int -> Point that takes an integer x and returns Point x x.
- 2. Write a function is\_zero :: Point -> Bool that returns True if the input is Point 0 0 and False otherwise. When you call your function, make sure that you use brackets around the argument, like so: is\_zero (Point 0 0).
- Write a function mult\_point :: Point -> Int that takes Point x y and returns x \* y.
- 4. Write a function  $up\_two :: Point -> Point that takes Point x y and returns Point x <math>(y + 2)$ .
- 5. Write a function add\_points :: Point -> Point -> Point that adds two points together, so if the inputs are Point a b and Point c d then the output should be Point (a+c) (b+d).

## Lecture 21 - Maybe.

1. Recall the Maybe a type from the lectures. Try it out by typing the following into ghci.

```
ghci > Just "hello"
ghci > Just False
ghci > Just 3
ghci > Nothing
```

Use the : t command to inspect the types of each of these values.

- 2. Write a function not\_nothing :: Eq a => Maybe a -> Bool that returns False if the input Nothing and True otherwise. Note that the Eq a constraint is necessary if you intend to do something like input == Nothing, because Maybe a is only in Eq if a is also in Eq. Equality tests can be avoided by using pattern matching.
- 3. Write a function mult\_maybe :: Maybe Int -> Maybe Int -> Maybe Int that returns Just  $(x^*y)$  if the inputs are Just x and Just y, and returns Nothing if one or more of the inputs is Nothing.

## Lecture 21 - Either.

1. Recall the Either a b type from the lectures. Try it out by typing the following into ghci.

```
ghci > Left 'a'
ghci > Left False
ghci > Right "hello"
```

Again, you can use the :  $\mathsf{t}$  command to inspect the types of each of these values.

- 2. Write a function return\_two :: Int -> Either Bool Char that takes one argument n and returns Left True if n == 1 and returns Right 'a' otherwise.
- 3. Write a function  $show_right:$  Either String Int -> String that returns x if the input is Left x and show y if the input is Right y.