

# Programming Paradigms

## Written exam

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**You must read the following before you begin!!!**

**What is this?** This problem set consists of 6 problems. The problem set is part of a zip archive together with a file called `solutions.hs`.

**How do I begin?** *Please do the following immediately!!* Unzip the zip archive – it is not enough to look within it; you *must* unzip it and save the problem set and `solutions.hs` locally on your computer. Otherwise, the answers that you write in `solutions.hs` will not be saved.

Please add your full name, AAU mail address and study number to the top of your local copy of `solutions.hs` saved to your computer where indicated in the file. If you experience problems with the file extension `.hs`, then rename the file while working and give it the file extension `.hs`, just before you submit it.

**Må jeg skrive på dansk?** Ja, det må du gerne. You can write your answers in Danish or in English.

**How and where should I write my solution?** Please write your answers by adding them to the local copy of `solutions.hs` on your computer. You must indicate in comments which problem your text concerns and which subproblem it concerns. All other text that is not runnable Haskell code (such as code that contains syntax errors or type errors) must also be written as comments.

Use the format as exemplified in the snippet shown below.

-- Problem 2.2

```
bingo = 17
```

-- The solution is to declare a variable called bingo with value 17.

**How should I submit my solution?** *Submit the local copy of `solutions.hs` that your solutions appear in and nothing else.* DO NOT SUBMIT A ZIP ARCHIVE.

**What can I consult during the exam?** During the exam, you are only allowed to use the textbook *Programming in Haskell* by Graham Hutton, your own notes and your installation of the Haskell programming environment. *GitHub CoPilot, ChatGPT and other AI-based tools are not allowed.*

**What can I use for my code?** You are only allowed to use the Haskell `Prelude` for your Haskell code, unless the text of a specific problem specifically mentions that you should also use another specific module. Do not use any special GHCi directives.

**Is there anything else I must know?** Yes. Please read the text of each problem *very carefully* before trying to solve it. All the information you will need is in the problem text. Please make sure that you understand what is being asked of you; it is a very good idea to read the text more than once.

## Problem 1 – 16 points

1. Define a function `rotate` which places the head of a list at the end of the tail of the list. We expect that `rotate [1, 2, 3] = [2, 3, 1]` and that `rotate "eat" = "ate"`. Is the function polymorphic? If yes, is the polymorphism parametric, ad hoc or both? You must justify your answer.
2. Use recursion and the `rotate` function to define a function `allrotates` that produces all the rotations of a list. We expect that `allrotates [1, 2, 3] = [[1, 2, 3], [2, 3, 1], [3, 1, 2]]`. Is the function polymorphic? If yes, is the polymorphism parametric, ad hoc or both? You must justify your answer.
3. Give another definition of `allrotates` called `allrotates'` that is not recursive but uses either `map` or `foldr` as well as `rotate`.

## Problem 2 – 18 points

A *partially labelled a-tree* is a binary tree in which each internal node can be either labelled with an element of type `a` or unlabelled, but leaves are always labelled with elements of the type `a`. A partially labelled `a-tree` is said to be *fully labelled* if every node is labelled.

Figure 1 shows two partially labelled trees.  $t_1$  is not fully labelled, but  $t_2$  is fully labelled.

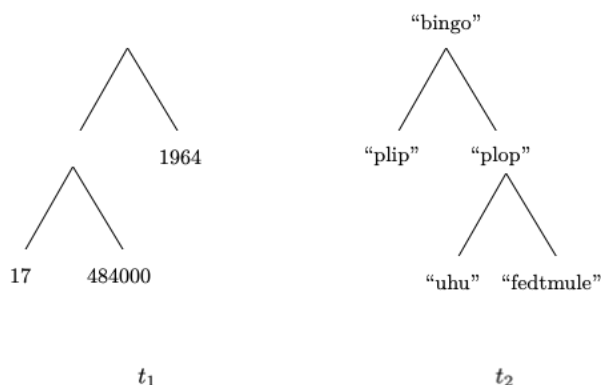


Figure 1: A partially (but not fully) labelled `Integer-tree` and a partially (and fully) labelled `String-tree`.

1. Define a datatype `Tree a` that describes partially labelled `a-trees`. Show how one represents the trees  $t_1$  and  $t_2$  in Figure 1 using your datatype.
2. Define a function `isfull` with type `isfull :: Tree a -> Bool` such that `isfull t` evaluates to `True` if  $t$  is fully labelled and `isfull t` evaluates to `False` otherwise. `isfull  $t_1$`  should return `False`, and `isfull  $t_2$`  should return `True`.
3. Define a function `preorder` of type `preorder :: Tree a -> Maybe [a]` which lists the nodes of a fully labelled tree in preorder but returns `Nothing` if the tree is not fully labelled. `preorder  $t_1$`  should return `Nothing`, and `preorder  $t_2$`  should return `Just ["bingo", "plip", "plop", "uhu", "fedtmule"]`.

Your definition must satisfy the following requirements:

- The definition *does not* use the `isfull` function that you have just defined or any other helper function.
- The definition uses the `Maybe` monad and `do`-notation.

## Problem 3 – 16 points

Define a function `remove` which takes two strings as its arguments and removes every letter from the second list that occurs in the first list.

As an example, `remove "first" "second"` should give us the string `"econd"`.

1. Define `remove` using list comprehension.
2. Define `remove` using recursion *without using* list comprehension.

## Problem 4 – 18 points

Here is the declaration of a type `WrapString` and a declaration that makes it an instance of `Functor`.

```
newtype WrapString a = WS (a,String) deriving Show
```

```
instance Functor WrapString where
  fmap f (WS (x,s)) = WS (f x,s)
```

1. Extend the above piece of code with an instance declaration such that `WrapString` becomes an applicative functor also.
2. Extend the above piece of code with an instance declaration such that `WrapString` becomes a monad also.
3. Use a `do`-block in the `WS`-monad that you now have to define a function `pairup` such that we have that `pairup (WS (4,"horse")) (WS (5,"plonk"))` gives us `WS ((4,5),"horse")`.

## Problem 5 – 16 points

Here are four types. For each of the four cases, find an expression or function definition in Haskell that has this particular type and explain if this case involves polymorphism and, if it does, whether it is parametric polymorphism, ad hoc polymorphism or both.

1. `(Ord a, Num a) => a -> a -> a -> (a, a)`
2. `[(Integer, p -> Char)]`
3. `(t1 -> Bool -> t2) -> t1 -> t2`
4. `(Num a, Enum a) => [a]`

## Problem 6 – 16 points

1. Give a *recursive* definition of the list `naturals` of natural numbers. One is the least natural number.
2. Use `map` to define an infinite list `facs` such that the  $i + 1$ th element in `facs` is  $i!$ , the factorial of  $i$ . Thus, we expect that `take 10 facs` is

```
[1,1,2,6,24,120,720,5040,40320,362880]
```

3. Give a *recursive* definition of the infinite list of factorials, called `facs'`, that does not use a definition of the factorial function but uses the `zipWith` function from the Haskell prelude. The `zipWith` function is defined as

```
zipWith f xs [] = []
zipWith f [] ys = []
zipWith f (x:xs) (y:ys) = (f x y) : zipWith f xs ys
```