

Prelude> :?

Commands available from the prompt:

<statement>	evaluate/run <statement>
:	repeat last command
:{\n ..lines.. \n:}\n	multiline command
:add [*]<module> ...	add module(s) to the current target set
:browse[!] [[*]<mod>]	display the names defined by module <mod> (!: more details; *: all top-level names)
:cd <dir>	change directory to <dir>
:cmd <expr>	run the commands returned by <expr>::IO String
:complete <dom> [<rng>] <s>	list completions for partial input string
:ctags[!] [<file>]	create tags file <file> for Vi (default: "tags") (!: use regex instead of line number)
:def <cmd> <expr>	define command :<cmd> (later defined command has precedence, ::<cmd> is always a builtin command)
:edit <file>	edit file
:edit	edit last module
:etags [<file>]	create tags file <file> for Emacs (default: "TAGS")
:help, :?	display this list of commands
:info[!] [<name> ...]	display information about the given names (!: do not filter instances)
:issafe [<mod>]	display safe haskell information of module <mod>
:kind[!] <type>	show the kind of <type> (!: also print the normalised type)
:load[!] [*]<module> ...	load module(s) and their dependents (!: defer type errors)
:main [<arguments> ...]	run the main function with the given arguments
:module [+/-] [*]<mod> ...	set the context for expression evaluation
:quit	exit GHCi
:reload[!]	reload the current module set (!: defer type errors)
:run function [<arguments> ...]	run the function with the given arguments
:script <file>	run the script <file>
:type <expr>	show the type of <expr>
:undef <cmd>	undefine user-defined command :<cmd>
:!<command>	run the shell command <command>

-- Commands for debugging:

:abandon	at a breakpoint, abandon current computation
:back [<n>]	go back in the history N steps (after :trace)
:break [<mod>] <l> [<col>]	set a breakpoint at the specified location
:break <name>	set a breakpoint on the specified function
:continue	resume after a breakpoint
:delete <number>	delete the specified breakpoint

<code>:delete *</code>	delete all breakpoints
<code>:force &lt;expr&gt;</code>	print <expr>, forcing unevaluated parts
<code>:forward [&lt;n&gt;]</code>	go forward in the history N step s(after :back)
<code>:history [&lt;n&gt;]</code>	after :trace, show the execution history
<code>:list</code>	show the source code around current breakpoint
<code>:list &lt;identifier&gt;</code>	show the source code for <identifier>
<code>:list [&lt;module&gt;] &lt;line&gt;</code>	show the source code around line number <line>
<code>:print [&lt;name&gt; ...]</code>	show a value without forcing its computation
<code>:sprint [&lt;name&gt; ...]</code>	simplified version of :print
<code>:step</code>	single-step after stopping at a breakpoint
<code>:step &lt;expr&gt;</code>	single-step into <expr>
<code>:steplocal</code>	single-step within the current top-level binding
<code>:stepmodule</code>	single-step restricted to the current module
<code>:trace</code>	trace after stopping at a breakpoint
<code>:trace &lt;expr&gt;</code>	evaluate <expr> with tracing on (see :history)

-- Commands for changing settings:

<code>:set &lt;option&gt; ...</code>	set options
<code>:seti &lt;option&gt; ...</code>	set options for interactive evaluation only
<code>:set args &lt;arg&gt; ...</code>	set the arguments returned by System.getArgs
<code>:set prog &lt;progname&gt;</code>	set the value returned by System.getProgName
<code>:set prompt &lt;prompt&gt;</code>	set the prompt used in GHCi
<code>:set prompt2 &lt;prompt&gt;</code>	set the continuation prompt used in GHCi
<code>:set editor &lt;cmd&gt;</code>	set the command used for :edit
<code>:set stop [&lt;n&gt;] &lt;cmd&gt;</code>	set the command to run when a breakpoint is hit
<code>:unset &lt;option&gt; ...</code>	unset options

Options for ':set' and ':unset':

<code>+m</code>	allow multiline commands
<code>+r</code>	revert top-level expressions after each evaluation
<code>+s</code>	print timing/memory stats after each evaluation
<code>+t</code>	print type after evaluation
<code>+c</code>	collect type/location info after loading modules
<code>-&lt;flags&gt;</code>	most GHC command line flags can also be set here (eg. -v2, -XFlexibleInstances, etc.) for GHCi-specific flags, see User's Guide, Flag reference, Interactive-mode options

-- Commands for displaying information:

<code>:show bindings</code>	show the current bindings made at the prompt
<code>:show breaks</code>	show the active breakpoints
<code>:show context</code>	show the breakpoint context
<code>:show imports</code>	show the current imports

<code>:show linker</code>	show current linker state
<code>:show modules</code>	show the currently loaded modules
<code>:show packages</code>	show the currently active package flags
<code>:show paths</code>	show the currently active search paths
<code>:show language</code>	show the currently active language flags
<code>:show &lt;setting&gt;</code>	show value of <setting>, which is one of [args, prog, prompt, editor, stop]
<code>:showi language</code>	show language flags for interactive evaluation

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Prelude> let x = 1
Prelude> :show bindings
x :: Num t => t = _
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I see that `x` is in fact an expression that return a numeric value, hence not an affectation.