



ML Lab 1

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Exercise 1.1

- Write the expression to convert
 - 123.45 to the next lower integer
 - -123.45 to the next lower integer
 - 123.45 to the next higher integer
 - -123.45 to the next higher integer



Solutions 1.1

```
> floor 123.45;
```

```
val it = 123: int
```

```
> floor ~123.45;
```

```
val it = ~124: int
```

```
> ceil 123.45;
```

```
val it = 124: int
```

```
> ceil ~123.45;
```

```
val it = ~123: int
```



Exercise 1.2

- Write the expression to convert
 - #”Y” to an integer
 - 120 to a character
 - 97.0 to a character
 - #”N” to a real
 - #”Z” to a string



Solutions 1.2

```
> ord #"Y";  
val it = 89: int  
> chr 120;  
val it = #"x": char  
> chr(round(97.0));  
val it = #"a": char  
> real(ord(#"N"));  
val it = 78.0: real  
> str #"Z";  
val it = "Z": string
```



Exercise 1.3

- How can we fix the errors in the following expressions?
 - `ceil(4);`
 - `if true then 5+6 else 7.0;`



Solutions 1.3

```
> ceil(4);
```

```
poly: : error: Type error in function application.
```

```
Function: ceil : real -> int
```

Static Errors

```
> ceil (4.0);
```

```
val it = 4: int
```

```
> if true then 5+6 else 7.0;
```

```
poly: : error: Type mismatch between then-part and else-part.
```

```
Then: 5 + 6 : int
```

```
Else: 7.0 : real
```

```
> if true then 5+6 else 7;
```

```
val it = 11: int
```




Exercise 1.4

- How can we fix the errors in the following expressions?
 - `if 0 then 1 else 2;`
 - `ord("a")`



Solutions 1.4

```
> if 0 then 1 else 2;
poly: : error: Condition in
if-statement must have type
bool.
  If: 0 : int
  Reason:
    Can't unify int (*In
Basis*) with bool (*In Basis*)
      (Different type
constructors)
Found near if 0 then 1 else 2
Static Errors
> if false then 1 else 2;
val it = 2: int
```

```
> ord("a");
poly: : error: Type error in
function application.
  Function: ord : char -> int
  Argument: ("a") : string
  Reason:
    Can't unify char (*In
Basis*) with string (*In
Basis*)
      (Different type
constructors)
Found near ord ("a")
Static Errors
> ord("#a");
val it = 97: int
```

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Exercise 1.5

- Fix the following expressions

```
explode ["bar"];
```

```
implode ( #"a", #"b") ;
```

```
["r"] :: ["a", "t"];
```



Solutions 1.5

```
> explode ["bar"];
poly: : error: Type error in function application.
Function: explode : string -> char list
Argument: ["bar"] : string list
> explode "bar";
val it = [#"b", #"a", #"r"]: char list

> implode ( #"a", #"b" ) ;
poly: : error: Type error in function application.
Function: implode : char list -> string
implode [ #"a", #"b" ] ;
> implode [ #"a", #"b" ] ;
val it = "ab": string

> ["r"]::["a","t"];
poly: : error: Type error in function application.
Function: :: : string list * string list list -> string list list
Argument: (["r"], ["a", "t"]) : string list * string list
> "r"::["a","t"];
val it = ["r", "a", "t"]: string list
> ["r"]@["a", "t"];
val it = ["r", "a", "t"]: string list
```



Exercise 1.6

- Give examples of objects of the following types, without using empty lists

```
int list list list
```

```
(int * char) list
```

```
string list * ( int * (real * string))  
* int
```



Solutions 1.6

```
> [[[1,2]], [[3,4]]];
```

```
val it = [[[1, 2]], [[3, 4]]]: int list list
```

```
> [(1, #"a"), (2, #"b")];
```

```
val it = [(1, #"a"), (2, #"b")]: (int * char) list
```

```
> ( ["ab", "cd"], (4, (2.5, "ef")), 7);
```

```
val it = ("ab", "cd", (4, (2.5, "ef")), 7):  
string list * (int * (real * string)) * int
```



Exercise 1.7

- Give examples of objects of the following types, without using empty lists

`((int * int) * (bool list) * real) *
(real * string)`

`(bool * int) * char`

`real * int list list list list`



Solutions 1.7

```
> (((5,6), [true, false], 5.6), (6.7, "abc"));
```

```
val it = (((5, 6), [true, false], 5.6), (6.7,  
"abc")):
```

```
((int * int) * bool list * real) * (real *  
string)
```

```
> ((true, 7), #"a");
```

```
val it = ((true, 7), #"a"): (bool * int) * char
```

```
> (7.8, [[[[1,2],[3,4]]]]);
```

```
val it = (7.8, [[[[1, 2], [3, 4]]]]): real * int  
list list list list
```



Exercise L1.8

- Write a function `cube` that computes the cube of a real number
- For instance
 - `cube (2.9) = 24.389`



Solutions L1.8

```
> fun cube (x:real) = x * x * x;  
val cube = fn: real -> real
```

```
> cube (2.9);  
val it = 24.389: real
```

```
> cube 2;  
poly: : error: Type error in function  
application.
```

```
Function: cube : real -> real
```

```
Argument: 2 : int
```



Exercise L1.9

- Write a function `min3` that computes the smallest component of a tuple of type `int*int*int`
- For instance
 - `min3 (2,3,4) = 2`
 - `min3 (3,2,4) = 2`



Solution L1.9

```
> fun min3 (a,b,c) =  
  if a<b then  
    if a<c then a else c  
  else  
    if b<c then b else c;  
val min3 = fn: int * int * int -> int
```

```
> min3 (2,3,4);  
val it = 2: int  
> min3 (3,2,4);  
val it = 2: int  
> min3 (4,3,2);  
val it = 2: int
```