Recollecting Haskell, Part I

(Based on Chapters 1 and 2 of LYAH*)

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*LYAH = *Learn You a Haskell for Great Good*

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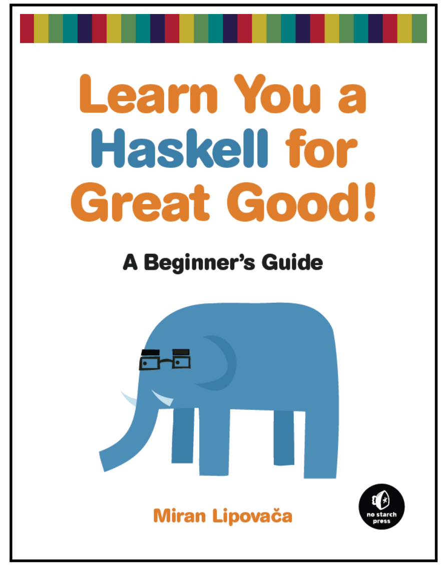

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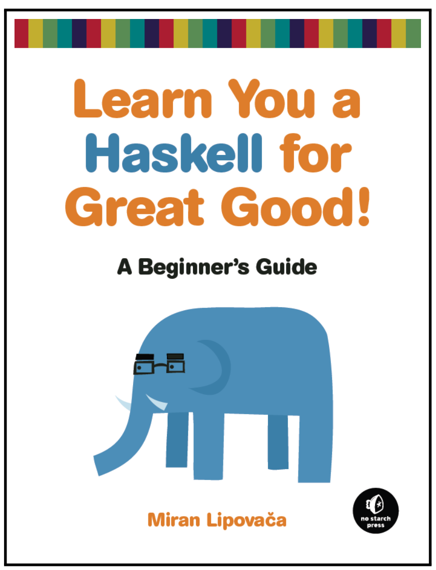

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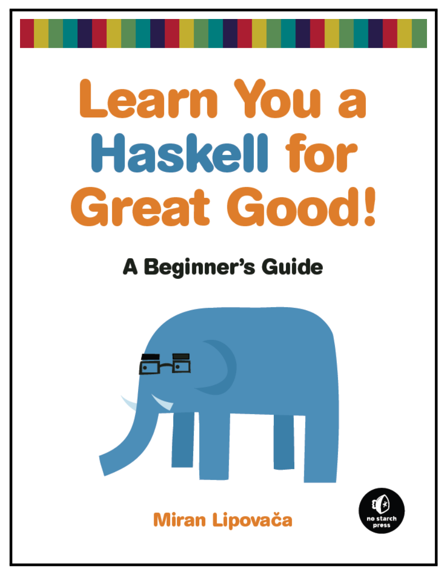

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2. You *will* read LYAH.

The Blurb from `wiki.haskell.org`

Haskell is an advanced purely-functional programming language.

...it allows rapid development of robust, concise, correct software.

With strong support for

- *integration with other languages,*
- *built-in concurrency and parallelism,*
- *debuggers,*
- *profilers,*
- *rich libraries and*
- *an active community,*

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...and beyond this course

- Many of the new systems/applications languages
  (e.g., Swift and Rust) steal lots of ideas from Haskell and ML.
- These ideas are a lot clearer in Haskell and ML
  than the munged versions in Swift, Rust, etc.,

Set up

- Go visit `https://www.haskell.org/downloads#platform`.
- Download the appropriate version of the current Haskell Platform and install it.

!!! Do the above even if you have an old copy of the Haskell Platform from a previous year.
You want the latest version of the GHC compiler and libraries.

!!! Use a reasonable editor.
Using Notepad or Word is a waste of your time.
See `http://www.haskell.org/haskellwiki/Editors`.
Emacs is my weapon of choice.

A sample session: ghci as a calculator

```
[Post:~] jimroyer% ghci
GHCi, version 7.10.3: http://www.haskell.org/ghc/  :? for help
Prelude> 2+3
5
Prelude> 2*3
6
Prelude> 2-3
-1
Prelude> 2/3
0.6666666666666666
Prelude> :q
Leaving GHCi.
[Post:~] jimroyer%
```


Fussy bits

- ✘ `5 * -3`
- ✔ `5 * (-3)`
- ✘ `5 * 10 - 49` $\not\equiv$ `5 * (10 - 49)`
- ✔ `5 * 10 - 49` $\equiv$ `(5 * 10) - 49`
- ✘ `5 * True`

```
Prelude> 5 + True

<interactive>:2:3:
    No instance for (Num Bool) arising from a use of ‘+’
    In the expression: 5 + True
    In an equation for ‘it’: it = 5 + True
```

(What does all this mean?)

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```
Prelude> :load baby
[1 of 1] Compiling Main
                 ( baby.hs, interpreted )
Ok, modules loaded: Main.
*Main> doubleMe 5
10
*Main> doubleMe 7.7
15.4
```


Defining and using functions, continued

baby.hs

```
doubleMe x            = x + x

doubleUs x y          = 2*x+2*y
doubleUs' x y         = doubleMe x + doubleMe y

doubleSmallNumber x  = if x > 100 then x else x * 2
doubleSmallNumber' x = (if x > 100 then x else x * 2)+1

conanO'Brien          = "It's a-me, Conan O'Brien!"
```


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- A *list*: a sequence of things *of the same type*.
  - ✔ `[2,3,5,7,11,13,17,19]` :: `[Int]`
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Notation

$expression_1 \leadsto expression_2$ means $expression_1$ evaluates to $expression_2$

E.g.: 2+3 $\leadsto$ 5

Lists: Building them up

Write them down: [$item_1$, $item_2$, ..., $item_n$]

- [2,3,5,7,11,13,17,19], [], *etc.*

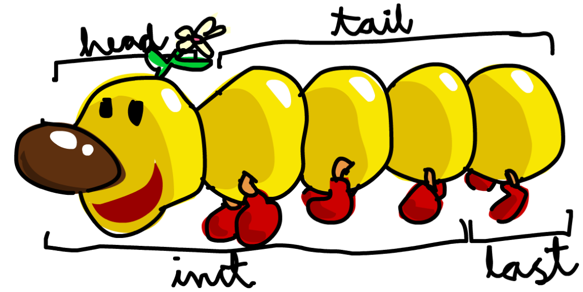
Concatenation: $list_1$++ $list_2$

- [1,2,3,4]++[10,20,30] ⇝ [1,2,3,4,10,20,30]
- "salt"++"potato" ⇝ "saltpotato"
- []++[1,2,3] ⇝ [1,2,3]   [1,2,3]++[] ⇝ [1,2,3]
- 1++[2,3] ⇝ ERROR   [1,2]++3 ⇝ ERROR

Cons: *item* : *list*

- 1:[2,3] ⇝ [1,2,3]   [1,2]:3 ⇝ ERROR
- [1,2,3] is *syntactic sugar* for 1:2:3:[] ≡ 1:(2:(3:[]))
- You can tell (:) is important because they gave it such a short name.

Lists: Tearing them down



- head [1,2,3] ⇝ 1
- tail [1,2,3] ⇝ [2,3]
- head [] ⇝ ERROR
- tail [] ⇝ ERROR
- last [1,2,3] ⇝ 3
- init [1,2,3] ⇝ [1,2]
- last [] ⇝ ERROR
- init [] ⇝ ERROR

Lists: More operations

- length :: [a] -> Int
- (!!) :: [a] -> Int -> a
- null :: [a] -> Bool
- reverse :: [a] -> [a]
- drop, take :: Int -> [a] -> [a]
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You can look up what these do on:

- Hoogle: https://www.haskell.org/hoogle/
- Hayoo: http://hayoo.fh-wedel.de

Ranges

[m..n] $\rightsquigarrow$ [m,m+1,m+2,...,n]

- `[1..5]` $\rightsquigarrow$ `[1,2,3,4,5]`
- `[5..1]` $\rightsquigarrow$ `[]`
- `['a'..'k']` $\rightsquigarrow$ `"abcdefghijk"`
- `[1..]` $\rightsquigarrow$ `[1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17,`

[m,p..n] $\rightsquigarrow$ [m, m+(p-m), m+2(m-p), ... ,n*]

- `[3,5..10]` $\rightsquigarrow$ `[3,5,7,9]`
- `[5,4..1]` $\rightsquigarrow$ `[5,4,3,2,1]`
- `[9,7..2]` $\rightsquigarrow$ `[9,7,5,3]`

*Or the "closest" number before n that is in the sequence.

List comprehensions

Set comprehensions in math (CIS 275 review)

- $\{ x \mid x \in N, x = x^2 \} = \{ 0, 1 \}$
- $\{ x \mid x \in N, x > 0 \}$ = the positive integers
- $\{ x^2 \mid x \in N \}$ = squares
- $\{ (x,y) \mid x \in N, y \in N, x \le y \}$

Suppose we have `lst = [5,10,13,4,10]`

- `[2*n+1 | n <- lst]` $\rightsquigarrow$ `[11,21,27,9,21]`
- `[even n | n <- lst]` $\rightsquigarrow$ `[False,True,False,True,True]`
- $[\ \underbrace{\texttt{2*n+1}}_{\textit{transform}}\ |\ \underbrace{\texttt{n <- lst}}_{\textit{generator}},\ \underbrace{\texttt{even n}}_{\textit{filter}},\ \underbrace{\texttt{n>5}}_{\textit{filter}}\ ]$ $\rightsquigarrow$ `[21,21]`

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sumSqOdds.hs

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odds :: [Integer] -> [Integer]
odds xs    = [ x | x <- xs, odd x]

f :: [Integer] -> Integer
f xs  = sum (squares (odds xs))

f' :: [Integer] -> Integer
f' xs = sum [ x*x | x <- xs, odd x ]
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sumSqOdds.hs

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import Test.QuickCheck

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squares xs = [ x*x | x <- xs ]

odds :: [Integer] -> [Integer]
odds xs    = [ x | x <- xs, odd x]

f :: [Integer] -> Integer
f xs  = sum (squares (odds xs))

f' :: [Integer] -> Integer
f' xs = sum [ x*x | x <- xs, odd x]

f_prop :: [Integer] -> Bool
f_prop xs = f xs == f' xs
```

```
*Main> :load sumSqOdds
[1 of 1] Compiling Main
  ( sumSqOdds.hs, interpreted )
Ok, modules loaded: Main.

*Main> quickCheck f_prop
+++ OK, passed 100 tests.
*Main>
```


Tuples

Cartesian products in math (More CIS 275 Review)

Suppose A, B, C, ... are sets.

$$A \times B = \{ (a,b) \mid a \in A, \, b \in B \}.$$
$$A \times B \times C = \{ (a,b,c) \mid a \in A, \, b \in B, \, c \in C \}.$$
$$\textit{etc.}$$

Tuple types are Haskell's version of Cartesian products

```
✔ (1,2)                 :: (Int,Int)
✔ (True,'a')            :: (Bool,Char)
✔ (3,'q',"foo")         :: (Int,Char,[Char])
✘ [(1,2),(3,4,5),(6,7)]    (Why?)
✘ [(1,2),('d',False)]      (Why?)
```

Pairs

- ✔ `fst :: (a,b) -> a`
  `fst ("muffin",99)` ⇝ `"muffin"`
- ✔ `snd :: (a,b) -> b`
  `snd ("muffin",99)` ⇝ `99`
- ✘ `fst (4.1,True,'a')` ⇝ ERROR
- ✘ `snd (4.1,True,'a')` ⇝ ERROR
- ✔ `zip :: [a] -> [b] -> [(a,b)]`
  `zip [1..5] ['a','b','c','d','e']`
  ⇝ `[(1,'a'),(2,'b'),(3,'c'),(4,'d'),(5,'e')]`
  `zip [1..]  "abcde"`
  ⇝ `[(1,'a'),(2,'b'),(3,'c'),(4,'d'),(5,'e')]`

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```
- `triples3`
```
  = [(a,b,c) | a <- [1..10], b <- [a..10], c <- [b..10],
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  = [(a,b,c) | a <- [1..10], b <- [a..10], c <- [b..10]]
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  = [(a,b,c) | a <- [1..10], b <- [a..10], c <- [b..10],
               a*a + b*b == c*c]
```

- `triples4`
```
  = [(a,b,c) | a <- [1..10], b <- [a..10], c <- [b..10],
               a*a + b*b == c*c, a+b+c == 24]
```