

# EECS 368

# Programming Language Paradigms

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# Reminders

- Assignment 5 due: 11:59 PM, Monday, October 31
  - One of our SIs, Soujanya, has come up with a great way for you to create, test, and submit Assignment 5.
  - Please review the StudentVideoDemo at the following link for more information:
  - <https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1n1R5b3YihQcbCVyQwUjVBD1IMGMdEvBE>
  - If you have any question, please contact Soujanya Ambati at: [saisoujanyaambati@ku.edu](mailto:saisoujanyaambati@ku.edu)
  - Soujanya will also be grading Assignment 5.
- Guest Lecture (Nick Smith): Wednesday, November 2
  - Attendance Required
  - Submit a written report on the guest lecture in place of the In-Class Problem (see instructions and rubric in Canvas Lectures module)
- Assignment 6 due: 11:59 PM, Monday, November 14

# Any Questions?

# In-Class Problem Solution

- 25-(10-24) In-Class Problem Solution.pptx

# Any Questions?

# Help on Haskell

- Here is another free book that might help you learn Haskell:

<http://learnyouahaskell.com/>

# Glasgow Haskell Compiler

- GHC is the leading implementation of Haskell, and comprises a compiler and interpreter.
- The interactive nature of the interpreter makes it well suited for teaching and prototyping.
- GHC is freely available from:  
<https://www.haskell.org/downloads>

# Access to GHC at KU

- GHC is available on the KU cycle servers:  
cycle1.eecs.ku.edu through cycle4.eecs.ku.edu
- Any modern ssh client should work, but the two most popular are Putty and the one inside Visual Studio.
- Some users have also been using the Powershell ssh client.
- You'll use your standard online id and password.
- GHC is installed on all Linux machines in Eaton Hall.
- Eaton 1005B and 1005C, and 1005D are all Linux, as well as the first two rows outside of 1005D.
- Putty is installed on all the EECS Windows stations, so you can also access the cycles from there.



# Starting GHCi

- The interpreter can be started from the terminal command prompt \$ by simply typing ghci:

```
$ ghci
```

```
GHCi, version X: http://www.haskell.org/ghc/ :? for help
```

```
Prelude>
```

- The GHCi prompt > means that the interpreter is now ready to evaluate an expression.

# Using GHCi

- For example, it can be used as a desktop calculator to evaluate simple numeric expressions:

```
> 2+3*4
```

```
14
```

```
> (2+3)*4
```

```
20
```

```
> sqrt (3^2 + 4^2)
```

```
5.0
```

# Useful GHCi Commands

<u>Command</u>	<u>Meaning</u>
<code>:load <i>name</i></code>	load script <i>name</i>
<code>:reload</code>	reload current script
<code>:set editor <i>name</i></code>	set editor to <i>name</i>
<code>:edit <i>name</i></code>	edit script <i>name</i>
<code>:edit</code>	edit current script
<code>:type <i>expr</i></code>	show type of <i>expr</i>
<code>:?</code>	show all commands
<code>:quit</code>	quit GHCi

# Any Questions?

# The Standard Prelude

- Haskell comes with a standard library of functions called: **Prelude**.
- Prelude includes the 5 main arithmetic operations of:

– Addition: +

> 2 + 3

5

– Subtraction: -

> 2 - 3

-1

– Multiplication: \*

> 2 \* 3

6

– Division: `div`

- div is enclosed in back quotes (`), not forward quotes

- Integer division; rounds down to nearest integer

> 7 `div` 2

3

– Exponentiation: ^

> 2 ^ 3

8

# The Standard Prelude

- In addition to the arithmetic operations, Prelude also provides many useful functions on lists.
- Select the first element of a list:  
`> head [1,2,3,4,5]`  
`1`
- Remove the first element from a list:  
`> tail [1,2,3,4,5]`  
`[2,3,4,5]`
- Select the nth element of a list (Note: **0 based indexing**):  
`> [1,2,3,4,5] !! 2`  
`3`

# Any Questions?

# Function Application

Recall from last time:

- In mathematics, function application is denoted using parentheses, and multiplication is often denoted using juxtaposition or space.

$$f(a,b) + c\ d$$

- Apply the function  $f$  to  $a$  and  $b$ , and add the result to the product of  $c$  and  $d$ .
- In Haskell, function application is denoted using space, and multiplication is denoted using  $*$ .

$$f\ a\ b + c\ *\ d$$

- Apply the function  $f$  to  $a$  and  $b$ , and add the result to the product of  $c$  and  $d$ .
- Moreover, function application is assumed to have higher priority than all other operators.

$$f\ a + b$$

- Means  $(f\ a) + b$ , rather than  $f\ (a + b)$



# Function Application Examples

## Mathematics

$f(x)$

$f(x, y)$

$f(g(x))$

$f(x, g(y))$

$f(x)g(y)$

## Haskell

$f\ x$

$f\ x\ y$

$f\ (g\ x)$

$f\ x\ (g\ y)$

$f\ x\ * \ g\ y$

# Any Questions?

# Haskell Scripts

- As well as the functions in the standard library, you can also define your own functions.
- New functions are defined within a script
  - a text file comprising a sequence of definitions
- By convention, Haskell scripts usually have a **.hs** suffix on their filename.
- This is not mandatory, but is useful for identification purposes.
- When developing a Haskell script, it is useful to keep two windows open:
  - one running an editor for the script
  - and the other running GHCi

# My First Script

- Start an editor, type in the following two function definitions, and save the script as `test.hs`:

```
double x = x + x
```

```
quadruple x = double (double x)
```

- Leaving the editor open, in another window start up GHCi with the new script:

```
$ ghci test.hs
```

- Now both the standard library and the file `test.hs` are loaded, and functions from both can be used:

```
> quadruple 10
```

```
40
```

```
> take (double 2) [1,2,3,4,5,6]
```

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

# My First Script Revision

- Leaving GHCi open, return to the editor, add the following two definitions, and resave:

```
factorial n = product [1..n]
average ns = sum ns `div` length ns
```

- Note: `div` is enclosed in `back quotes` (```), not forward quotes.
- GHCi does not automatically detect that the script has been changed.
- So a reload command must be executed before the new definitions can be used.

```
> :reload
Reading file "test.hs"
```

```
> factorial 10
3628800
```

```
> average [1,2,3,4,5]
3
```

# Any Questions?

# Integers vs. Floating Point

- Start an editor, type in the following two function definitions, and save the script as Example2.hs:

```
average xs = sum xs / length xs  
$ ghci Example.hs
```

Could not deduce (Fractional Int) arising from a use of '/'  
from the context: Foldable t  
bound by the inferred type of average :: Foldable t => t Int -> Int  
at <interactive>:3:1-31

- In the expression: `sum xs / length xs`  
In an equation for 'average': `average xs = sum xs / length xs`

# Integers vs. Floating Point (fixed)

- The library function `fromIntegral` converts an integer into a floating-point number.

`average xs = fromIntegral (sum xs) / fromIntegral (length xs)`

```
$ ghci Example.hs  
> average [1,2]  
1.5
```



# Any Questions?

# Naming Requirements

- Function and argument names must begin with a lower-case letter and may be followed by one or more letters (both lower- and upper-case), digits, underscores, or single quotes (').
- For example:

myFun

fun1

arg\_2

x'

- By convention, list arguments usually have an s suffix on their name.
- For example:

xs

ns

nss

# The Layout Rule

In a sequence of definitions, each definition must begin in precisely the same column:

```
a = 10  
b = 20  
c = 30
```



```
a = 10  
    b = 20  
c = 30
```



```
    a = 10  
b = 20  
    c = 30
```

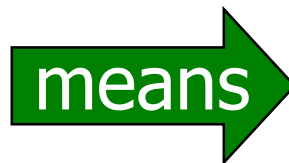


# The Layout Rule

- The layout rule avoids the need for explicit syntax to indicate the grouping of definitions.

```
a = b + c
  where
    b = 1
    c = 2
d = a * 2
```

implicit grouping



```
a = b + c
  where
    {b = 1;
     c = 2}
d = a * 2
```

explicit grouping

# Comments

## Haskell supports two kinds of comments in scripts:

- Ordinary:
  - Begin with `--` and extend to the end of the line  
`-- Factorial of a positive integer`  
`factorial n = product [1..n]`
- Nested:
  - Begin and end with the `{-` and `-}` and may span more than one line:  
`{-`  
`Factorial of a positive number`  
`-}`  
`factorial n = product [1..n]`
  - Useful for temporarily removing sections of a script while debugging:  
`{-`  
`double x = x + x`  
`quadruple x = double (double x)`  
`-}`

# Any Questions?

# In-Class Problem

The script below contains three syntactic errors:

```
N = a 'div' length xs  
  where  
    a = 10  
    xs = [1,2,3,4,5]
```

1. What are the three errors?
2. What is the correct script syntax?