



# Recap: Enums and Pattern Matching

Principles of Functional Programming

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## Recap: Case Classes

Case classes are Scala's preferred way to define complex data.

**Example:** Representing JSON (Java Script Object Notation)

```
{ "firstName" : "John",  
  "lastName" : "Smith",  
  "address": {  
    "streetAddress": "21 2nd Street",  
    "state": "NY",  
    "postalCode": 10021  
  },  
  "phoneNumbers": [  
    { "type": "home", "number": "212 555-1234" },  
    { "type": "fax", "number": "646 555-4567" }  
  ]  
}
```

## Representation of JSON with Case Classes

```
abstract class JSON
object JSON:
  case class Seq (elems: List[JSON])      extends JSON
  case class Obj (bindings: Map[String, JSON]) extends JSON
  case class Num (num: Double)             extends JSON
  case class Str (str: String)             extends JSON
  case class Bool(b: Boolean)              extends JSON
  case object Null                          extends JSON
```

## Representation of JSON with Enums

Case class hierarchies can be represented more concisely as enums:

```
enum JSON:  
  case Seq (elems: List[JSON])  
  case Obj (bindings: Map[String, JSON])  
  case Num (num: Double)  
  case Str (str: String)  
  case Bool(b: Boolean)  
  case Null
```

## Example

```
val data = JSON.Obj(Map(  
  "firstName" -> JSON.Str("John"),  
  "lastName" -> JSON.Str("Smith"),  
  "address" -> JSON.Obj(Map(  
    "streetAddress" -> JSON.Str("21 2nd Street"),  
    "state" -> JSON.Str("NY"),  
    "postalCode" -> JSON.Num(10021)  
  )),  
  "phoneNumbers" -> JSON.Seq(List(  
    JSON.Obj(Map(  
      "type" -> JSON.Str("home"), "number" -> JSON.Str("212 555-1234")  
    )),  
    JSON.Obj(Map(  
      "type" -> JSON.Str("fax"), "number" -> JSON.Str("646 555-4567")  
    )) )) ))
```

## Pattern Matching

Here's a method that returns the string representation JSON data:

```
def show(json: JSON): String = json match
  case JSON.Seq(elems) =>
    elems.map(show).mkString("[", ", ", "]", "")
  case JSON.Obj(bindings) =>
    val assocs = bindings.map
      (key, value) => s"$key": ${show(value)}
    s"${assocs.mkString(", ")}"
  case JSON.Num(num) => num.toString
  case JSON.Str(str) => s"$str"
  case JSON.Bool(b)  => b.toString
  case JSON.Null      => "null"
}
```