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CNG242 Programming Language Concepts - Lab 5: Haskell

#### 1. Modules

- A collection of values, data types, functions, etc.
- A module can import other modules, and export some of its resources to other modules.
- Prelude is a module which is imported by default.

#### Shapes.hs

```
module Shapes (ThreeDShape (Cube, Cylinder), volume, surfaceArea) where

data ThreeDShape = Cube Float | Cylinder Float Float deriving (Show, Eq, Ord)

volume (Cube length) = length^3
volume (Cylinder height radius) = pi * radius^2 * height

surfaceArea (Cube length) = 6 * length^2
surfaceArea (Cylinder height radius) = (2 * pi * height * radius) + (2 * pi * radius^2)
```

### a. How to import

If you would like to import everything related to the Shapes module, you can use the following command.

```
import Shapes
```

If you would like to use only volume function of the Shapes module, you can use one of the following commands.

```
import Shapes (ThreeDShape(Cube, Cylinder), volume)
import Shapes hiding (surfaceArea)
```

### b. Qualified imports

There may be some module which uses the same function names. This causes ambiguous occurrence.

```
A.hs

module A (f)
where
f a b = a + b
```

```
B.hs

module B (f)
where
f a b = a * b
```

```
\begin{array}{c} \text{example.hs} \\ \text{import A} \\ \text{import B} \end{array} \qquad \begin{array}{c} \text{Ambiguous occurrence} \\ \text{function x y = } \end{array}
```

Two ways for the solution to this problem

# Way 1:

```
import A
import B

function x y = A.f x y
```

# Way 2:

#### example.hs

```
import qualified A as MA
import qualified B as MB
function x y = MA.f x y
```

#### 2. Useful Modules

• To search functions, or to find out where they are located, use <a href="https://www.haskell.org/hoogle/">https://www.haskell.org/hoogle/</a>

# a. Data.List module

```
A way to import a module in GHCi

Prelude Data.List

Prelude Data.List> sort [3,5,7,2,1]
[1,2,3,5,7]

Prelude Data.List> words "some text delimited with blanks"
["some","text","delimited","with","blanks"]

Prelude Data.List> unwords ["Hello", "World"]

"Hello World"

Prelude Data.List> splitAt 5 "EnverEver"
("Enver","Ever")

Prelude Data.List> 5 `elemIndex` [8,5,2,1,7]
Just 1
```

# b. Data.Char module

```
Prelude> :module Data.Char

Prelude Data.Char> isLower 'A'
False

Prelude Data.Char> isUpper 'A'
True

Prelude Data.Char> isNumber '1
True

Prelude Data.Char> toUpper 'a'
'A'

Prelude Data.Char> toLower 'A'
'a'
```

### **Practical Exercises:**

1. Write a function that takes a sentence and converts all characters to upper case.

```
Sample Run:
makeUpper "make me upper"
"MAKE ME UPPER"
```

2. Write a function that takes a list of numbers and then creates another list which includes pairs with are created by selecting a minimum number and a maximum number until no number is left in the list.

## Sample Run:

```
createTuples [3,6,1,8,7,9,12,4]
[(1,12),(3,9),(4,8),(6,7)]
```

**3.** Implement the capitaliseEachWord function that takes a sentence to capitalise the first letter of each word.

# Sample Run:

```
capitaliseEachWord "some text delimited with blanks"
"Some Text Delimited With Blanks"
```

### References:

Learn You a Haskell <a href="http://learnyouahaskell.com/modules">http://learnyouahaskell.com/modules</a> A Gentle Introduction to Haskell <a href="http://www.haskell.org/tutorial/index.html">http://www.haskell.org/tutorial/index.html</a>