
CSC4020Z: Functional Programming

Practical Assignment 2: Haskell

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Assignment Description

Implement Haskell functions that provide solutions to the following **six (6)** computational problems.

Submit your scripts in a single ZIP file via Vula, using your student number as the ZIP file name (e.g.: XYZZYX001.ZIP) and each script named according to the corresponding question (e.g.: *question1.hs*, *question2.hs*, ...).

1. Suppose that arithmetic expressions built up from integers, addition and multiplication are represented using the following types:

data Expr = *Val Int* | *App Op Expr Expr*

data Op = *Add* | *Mul*

Define functions:

eval :: *Expr* → *Int*

values :: *Expr* → [*Int*]

that respectively evaluate an expression to its integer value, and return the list of integer values contained in an expression.

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2. Define a function:

delete :: *Int* → [*Int*] → [*Int*]

that deletes the first occurrence (if any) of a value from a list. For example, *delete* 2 [1, 2, 3, 2] should give the result [1, 3, 2].

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3. Using *delete*, define a function:

perms :: [*Int*] → [[*Int*]]

that returns all permutations of a list, given by all possible re-orderings of its elements. For example, *perms* [1, 2, 3] should return:

[[1, 2, 3], [1, 3, 2], [2, 1, 3], [2, 3, 1], [3, 1, 2], [3, 2, 1]]

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4. Define a function:

split :: [*Int*] → [[*Int*], [*Int*]]

that returns all splits of a list into two non-empty parts that append to give the original list. For example, *split* [1, 2, 3, 4] should return:

[([1], [2, 3, 4]), ([1, 2], [3, 4]), ([1, 2, 3], [4])]

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5. Using *split*, define a function:

exprs :: [*Int*] → [*Expr*]

that returns all expressions whose list of values is a given list. For example, *exprs* [1, 2, 3] should return all *e* for which *values* *e* = [1, 2, 3].

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6. Using your answers to the previous parts, define a function:

solve :: [Int] → Int → [Expr]

that returns all expressions whose list of values is a permutation of the given list and whose value is the given value.

For example, *solve* [1, 2, 3, 4] 10 should return all expressions *e* for which *values e* is a permutation of [1, 2, 3, 4] and *eval e* = 10.

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Note: Values in bold parentheses are the percentage weighting of each question as a portion of the total assignment mark.