

CSci 2041:

Advanced Programming Principles

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Exercise #1: Circle area

Write an OCaml function named `circle_area` with type `float -> float` that computes (surprise) the area of a circle given its radius.

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Exercise #2:

With a partner, write an OCaml function named `power` with the type `int -> float -> float`.

`power 3 3.0` should return `27.0`.

`power 3 3.2` should return `32.768`.

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Exercise #3:

We previously wrote `cube` as follows:

```
let cube x = x * x * x
```

Write another version that uses `power`, preferably taking advantage of the curried nature of functions in OCaml.

What is the minimal number of characters needed to do this?

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Exercise #4:

Working in pairs, write an OCaml function named `all` that returns `true` if all elements of the list are `true`.

That is, if there are no elements that are `false`.

Recall `sum`:

```
let rec sum xs =  
  match xs with  
  | [] -> 0  
  | x::rest -> x + sum rest
```

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Exercise #5: Even 2 ways

Write a function `even2ways` that checks if an integer list only contains even values and has an even number of elements.

```
let rec even2ways (xs : int list) : bool = ...
```

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Exercise #6:

Working in pairs, write an OCaml function named `is_empty` that returns `true` if the list is empty, and `false` otherwise.

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Exercise #7:

Working with a *different* partner, write an OCaml function named `head` that returns the front element of the list.

This specification is intentionally incomplete - what decisions must you make to complete this function?

What is its type?

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