

02157 Functional Programming - Assignment 2

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Task 1

1.

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type T = | A of T list
         | B of bool
         | C of T*T
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2.

Rules for generating values of type T:

1. If a list $[t_1; t_2; \dots; t_n]$ is of type `T list` then the tree `A` is a member of `T`.
2. For every boolean `b`, the tree `B` is a member of `T`.
3. If t_1 and t_2 in (t_1, t_2) are of type `T`, then the tree `C` is a member of `T`.
4. The tree `T` contains no other values than the trees generated by Rules 1, 2 and 3.

3.

In this section it is going to be shown how the rules defined are going to be used to generate values of `T`.

Value 1: A []

Step a: The tree `A []` is a member of `T` by Rule 1.

Value 2: B true

Step a: The tree `B true` is a member of `T` by Rule 2.

Value 3: C(A [B false; B true], B true)

Step a: The tree `B false` is a member of `T` by Rule 2.

Step b: The tree `B true` is a member of `T` by Rule 2.

Step c: The tree `A [B false; B true]` is a member of `T` by Step a and Step b and Rule 1.

Step d: The tree `C(A [B false; B true], B true)` is a member of `T` by Step c, Step b and Rule 3.

Value 4: C(A [B true; C(A [B true], B true); B false], A [B true; C(A [B true], B true); B false])

Step a: The tree `B false` is a member of `T` by Rule 2.

Step b: The tree `B true` is a member of `T` by Rule 2.

Step c: The tree `A [B true]` is a member of `T` by Step b and Rule 1.

Step d: The tree `C(A [B true], B true)` is a member of `T` by Step c and Step b and Rule 3.

Step e: The tree `A [B true; C(A [B true], B true); B false]` is a member of `T` by Step b, Step d, Step a and Rule 1.

Step f: The tree `C(A [B true; C(A [B true], B true); B false], A [B true; C(A [B true], B true); B false])` is a member of `T` by Step e and Rule 3.

4.



Figure 1: Value 1



Figure 2: Value 2

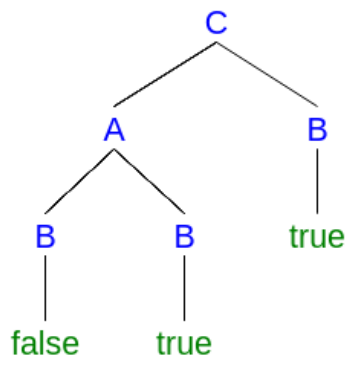


Figure 3: Value 3

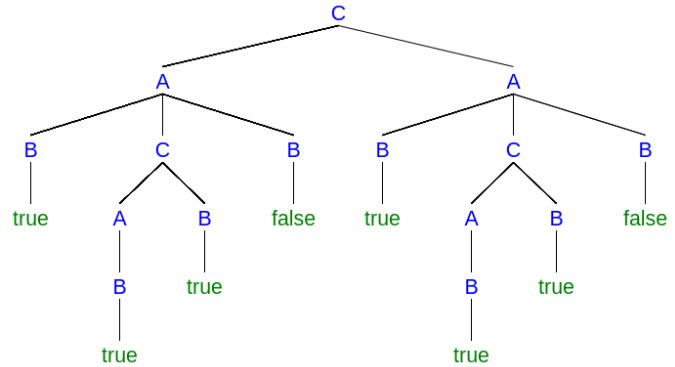


Figure 4: Value 4