

Higher Order Functions

1. List Comprehension

a. In Python, we define lists as []

b. List Comprehension in Python

i. Square of xs in the list \rightarrow

1. [x * x for x in range(10)]

c. fun list_map(xs: 'a list, f0: 'a \rightarrow 'b): 'b list =
(* non tail recursive *)

case xs of

nil \Rightarrow nil

| x1 :: xs \Rightarrow f0(x1): list_map(xs, f0)

d. fun list_sum(xs: int list): int =

(* sum up all the ints in a given list xs *)

e. list_sum(fun list_map(xs, fn _ \Rightarrow 1)) \rightarrow compute the length of the list

f. fun list_foldl(xs: 'a list, r0 = 'r, f0: 'r * 'a \rightarrow 'r): 'r =

(* basically list sum by using combinators*)

i. Example

r0 = 0 1 3 6 10 15

xs = 1 2 3 4 5

f0 = +

nil \Rightarrow r0

| x1 :: xs \Rightarrow list_foldl(xs, f0(r0, x1), f0)

g. list_length(xs) = list_foldl(xs, 0, fn(r,x) \Rightarrow r+1)

h. fun list_foldr(xs: 'a list, r0 = 'r, f0: 'a * 'r \rightarrow 'r): 'r =

i. Example

r0 = 15 14 12 9 5 0

xs = 1 2 3 4 5

f0 = +

case xs of

nil \Rightarrow r0

| x1 :: xs \Rightarrow f0(x1, list_foldr(xs, r0, f0))

i. list_length(xs) = list_foldr(xs, 0, fn(x,r) \Rightarrow 1 + r)

j. list_append(xs, ys) =

list_foldr(xs, ys, fn(x,r) \Rightarrow x :: r)

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list_rappend(xs, ys) =
  list_foldl(xs, ys, fn(r,x) => x :: r)
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2. Building on SML library for lists

- a. fun list_foldl(xs: 'a list, r0: 'r, fopr: 'r * 'a -> 'r): 'r =
 (* high order function → because it takes another function *)
 (* more specifically, it is second order function because it takes a first order
 function *)

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case xs of
  nil => nil
| x1 :: xs => list_foldl(xs, fopr(r0, x1), fopr)
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- b. fun list_foldr(xs: 'a list, r0: 'r, fopr: 'a * 'r -> 'r): 'r =
 case xs of
 nil => nil
| x1 :: xs => fopr(x1, list_foldr(xs, r0, fopr))

OR

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fun list_foldr(xs: 'a list, r0: 'r, fopr: 'a * 'r -> 'r): 'r =
  (* tail recursive version *)
  list_foldl(list_reverse(xs), r0, fn(r,x) => fopr(x,r))
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- c. fun list_extend(xs: 'a list, x0: 'a): 'a list =
 list_append(xs, [x0])
- d. fun list_append(xs: 'a list, ys: 'a list): 'a list =
 list_foldr(xs, ys, fn(x,r) => x :: r)
- e. fun list_length (xs: 'a list): int =
 list_foldl(xs, 0, fn(r,x) => r + 1)
- f. fun list_rappend(xs: 'a list, ys: 'a list): 'a list =
 list_foldl(xs, ys, fn(r,x) => x :: r)
- g. fun list_map(xs: 'apple list, fopr: 'apple -> 'banana): 'banana list =
 list_foldr(xs, [], fn(x, r) => fopr(x) :: r)

3. Building on SML library for strings

- a. fun string_foldl (xs: string, r0: 'r, fopr: 'r * char -> 'r): 'r =
 let
 val ln = String.size(xs)
 fun loop(i0: int, r0: 'r): 'r =
 if i0 < ln then loop(i0 + 1, fopr(String.sub(xs,i0), r0))
 else r0
 in
 loop(0, r0)
 end

- b. `fun string_length(xs) =
 string_foldl(xs, 0, fn(r,x) => r + 1)`
- 4. SML library Trees
 - a. `fun tree_max_height(xs: 'a tree): int =
 case xs of
 tree_nil => 0
 | tree_cons(tl, _, tr) => 1 + int_max(tree_max_height(tl),
tree_max_height(tr))`
 - b. `fun tree_min_height(xs: 'a tree): int =
 case xs of
 tree_nil => 0
 | tree_cons(tl, _, tr) => 1 + int_min(tree_min_height(tl),
tree_min_height(tr))`
 - c. `fun tree_fold(xs: 'a tree, r0, fopr: ('r * 'a * 'r) -> 'r): 'r =
 case xs of
 tree_nil => r0
 | tree_cons(tl, x0, tr) => fopr(tree_fold(tl, r0, fopr), x0, tree_fold(tr, r0,
fopr))`
 - d. `fun tree_size (xs: 'a tree): int =
 tree_fold(xs, 0, fn(tl, _, tr) => tl + 1 + tr)`
 - e. `fun tree_height(xs: 'a tree): int =
 tree_fold(xs, 0, fn(tl, _, tr) => 1 + int_max(tl, tr))`
 - f. `fun tree_sizeheight(xs: 'a tree): int * int =
 tree_fold(xs, (0,0), fn(tl, _, tr) =>
 (#1(tl) + 1 + #1(tr), 1 + int_max(#2(tl), #2(tr))))`
- 5. Python
 - a. `xs = (x * x for x in range(10))` → generator object
 - b. `xs = [x * x for x in range(10)]` → list comprehension
 - c. `xs = tuple(x * x for x in range(10))` → tuple
 - d. Translation of syntax
`list_map(list_fromto(0,10), fn x => x * x)`
 - e. `xs = [(i, x * x) for (i,x) in enumerate(range(10))]` → gives index and the value x
by using enumerate