Common operations of database query languages.

aka for expression with yield:map, flatMap, filter.

Without: foreach, filter.

aka for loop.

Creating a new collection from an old one.

if expr

expr is an expression resulting in a Boolean.

Filter drops from iteration the values for which expr returns False.

pat <- expr

pat is matched one-by-one against elements of expr, typically a List, but no MatchError is thrown; the element is simply discarded.

If pat is just a variable, the result will be simple iteration.

Before type checking. The only result of expansion must type check.

map, flatMap, filter, and foreach don't need and particular signature.

for (seq) yield expr

seq is a sequence of generators, definitions, and filters, with semicolons between elements.

seq starts with a generator.

pat = expr

This binds pattern pat to the value of expr.

The most common case is defining a simple variable x.

Note there is not necessarily a val. Simple variable binding will be the same as val x = expr.

If your type defines just \mathtt{Map} it allows expressions with a single generator.

If it defines ${\tt flatMap}$ + ${\tt map}$ it allows expressions with multiple generators.

If it defines foreach it allows for loops (both with single and multiple generators).

If it defines filter it allows for filter expressions.