

TDD, as in Type-Directed Development

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A close-up portrait of Tom Hanks as Forrest Gump. He is wearing a light blue suit jacket over a light blue shirt and a blue and white striped tie. He has a neutral expression and is looking slightly to his left. The background is blurred green foliage.

I'M NOT A SMART MAN

```
public int addFiveAction(  
    params: Map<String, String>) {  
  
    String nbS = params.get("number");  
    if(!nbS.isEmpty()) {  
        int nb = Integer.parseInt(nbS);  
        return nb + 5;  
    } else {  
        return 0;  
    }  
}
```

```
addFiveAction({ "number": "12" });
// 17
```

```
addFiveAction({ "yolo": "12" });
// java.lang.NullPointerException
```

```
addFiveAction({ "number": "yolo" })
// java.lang.NumberFormatException
```



```
int addFiveAction(  
    params: Map<String, String>) {  
    String nbS = params.get("number");  
  
    if(nbS != null) {  
        if(!nbS.isEmpty()) {  
            try {  
                int nb = Integer.parseInt(nbS)  
                return nb;  
            } catch(NumberFormatException e) {  
                return 0;  
            }  
        }  
    } else {  
        return 0;  
    }  
}
```

```
int addFiveAction(  
    params: Map<String, String>) {  
    String nbS1 = params.get("n1");  
    String nbS2 = params.get("n2");  
  
    if(nbS1 != null) {  
        if(!nbS1.isEmpty()) {  
            try {  
                int nb1 = Integer.parseInt(nbS1)  
                if(nbS2 != null) {  
                    if(!nbS2.isEmpty()) {  
                        try {  
                            int nb2 = Integer.parseInt(nbS2);  
                            return nb1 + nb2;  
                        } catch(NumberFormatException e) {  
                            return 0;  
                        }  
                    }  
                } catch(NumberFormatException e) {  
                    return 0;  
                }  
            }  
        } else {  
            return 0;  
        }  
    }  
}
```



Option[A]

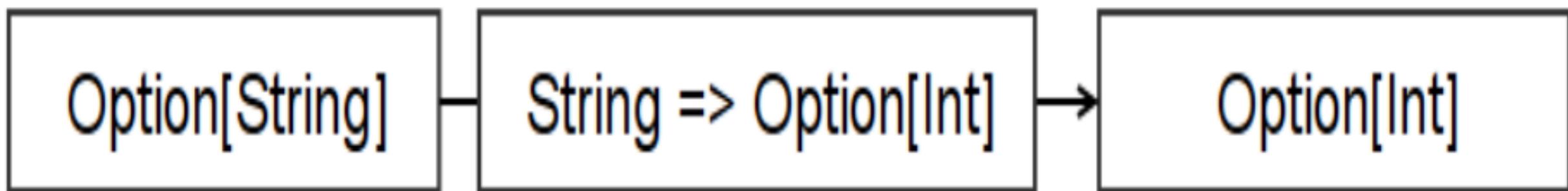
None

Some[A]

```
def parseInt(str: String):  
  Option[Int]
```

```
def get(  
  index: String,  
  vals: Map[String, String]  
): Option[String]
```

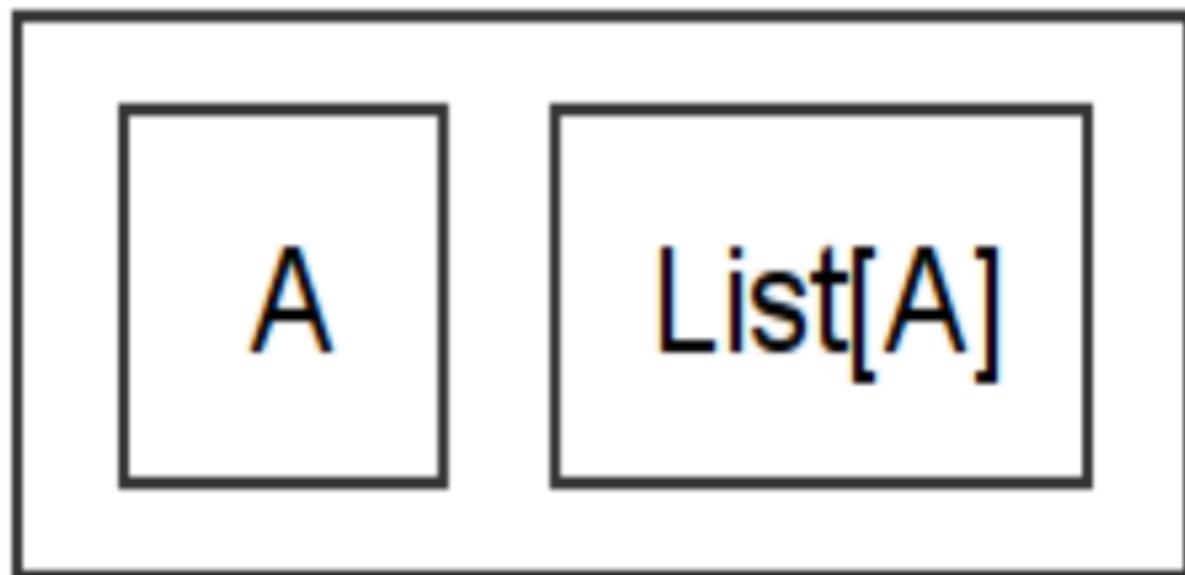
```
def getInt(  
    index: String,  
    vals: Map[String, String]  
) : Option[Int]
```

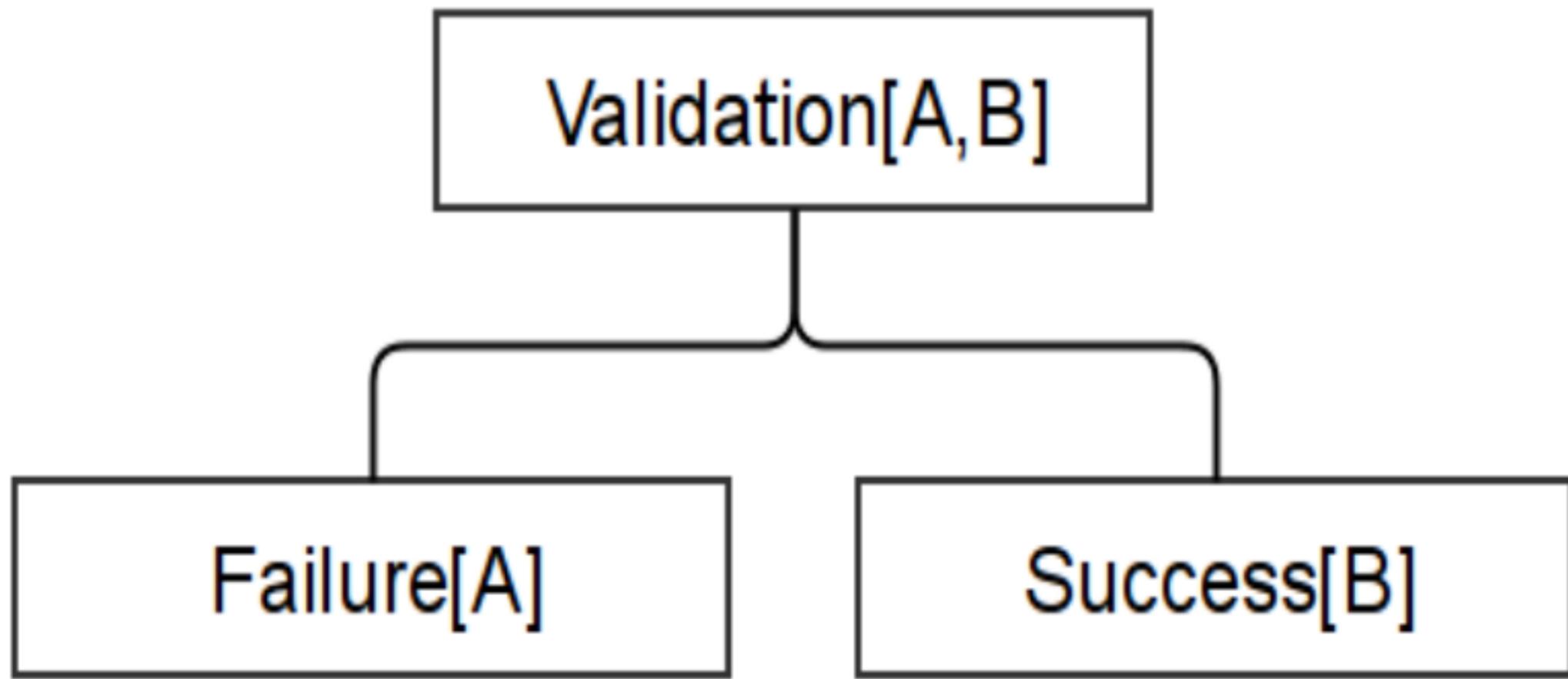


```
def addNumbersAction(  
    params: Map[String, String]  
) : Int = {  
    val i1 = getInt("n1", params)  
    val i2 = getInt("n2", params)  
    i1.getOrElse(0) + i2.getOrElse(0)  
}
```



Non-empty list





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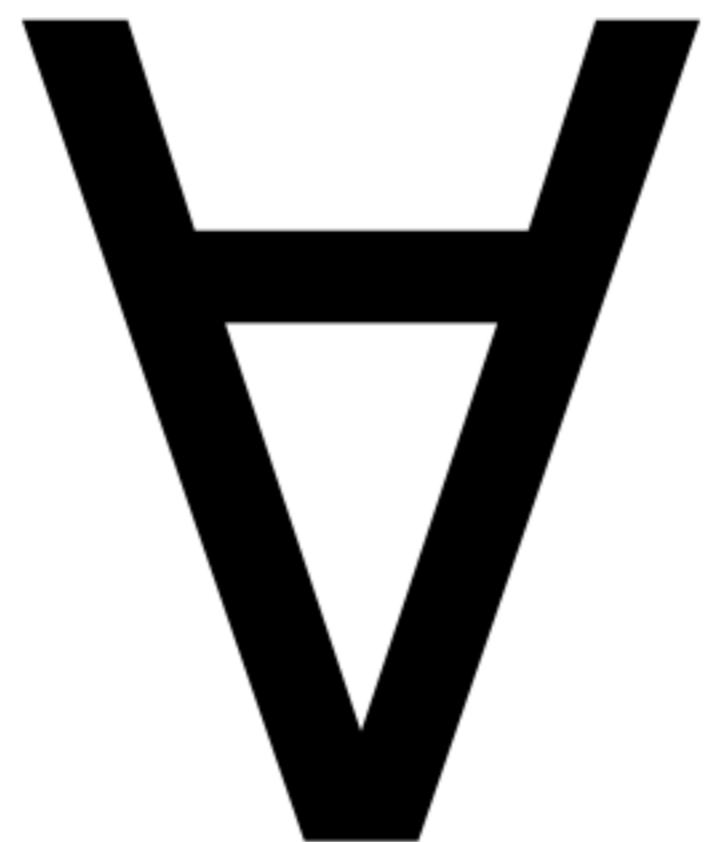
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Why not tests?



« there exists »



« for all »



Type inference

```
val myVar =  
    "obviously a string"
```

```
val myVar = List( "obviously"  
    , "a"  
    , "list"  
    , "of"  
    , "strings"  
)
```

Type \Leftrightarrow Property

Program \Leftrightarrow Proof



Expressive type systems

Parametricity

```
def reverse(  
    xs: List[A]  
) : List[A]
```


**Type-
Directed
Development**

Confidence

Small bites

Types are the
best doc

Hoogle

Types can't
always prove
everything

And that's ok

```
reverseProp ::  
  Eq a =>  
  [a] -> [a] -> Bool  
reverseProp xs ys =  
  reverse (xs ++ ys) ==  
  reverse ys ++ reverse xs
```

```
λ> quickCheck reverseProp  
+++OK, passed 100 tests.
```

Types *then*

Property-based
tests *then*

Unit tests

Thanks

Parametricity

<http://haskell.org>

<http://scala.org>

<http://rustlang.org>