Learning to Program with F# Exercises Department of Computer Science University of Copenhagen

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0.1 Leaf trees

0.1.1 Teacher's guide

0.1.2 Introduction

In the following exercises, we shall investigate the following recursive type definition for trees:

```
type 'a tree = Leaf of 'a | Tree of 'a tree * 'a tree
```

The tree type is generic in the type of information that can be installed in Leaf nodes.

0.1.3 Exercise(s)

- **0.1.3.1:** Write a function leafs: 'a tree -> int that returns the number of leaf nodes appearing in a tree. Evaluate that your function works as expected.
- **0.1.3.2:** Write a function find : ('a -> bool) -> 'a tree -> 'a option that, using a preorder traversal, returns the first value that satisfies the provided predicate. If no such value appears in the tree, the function should return the value None. Evaluate that your function works as expected.
- **0.1.3.3:** Write a function sum : int tree -> int that returns the sum of the integer values appearing in the leafs of the tree. Evaluate that your function works as expected.