

Learning to Program with F#  
Exercises  
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## 0.1 My first Fsharp program

- 0.1.1:** Start an interactive F# session and type the following ending with a newline: `3.14+2.78;;`  
Describe what F# did and if there was an error, find it and repeat.
- 0.1.2:** Repeat Exercise ??, but this time, type the code in a text editor and save the result in a file with the suffix `.fsx`. Run through `fsharpi` from the console, and by first compiling it with `fsharpc` and executing the compiled file using `mono`. Consider whether the result was as expected and why.
- 0.1.3:** Write an expression which concatenates the strings `"hello"`, `" "`, `"world"` and run it in F#.
- 0.1.4:** Type the following expression in F# interactive mode, `3 + 1.0;;` and explain the result. Consider whether you can improve the expression.
- 0.1.5:** Using pen and paper:
- Write the integer  $3_{10}$  on binary form by using the divide-by-2 algorithm.
  - Write the integer  $1001_2$  on decimal form using the multiply-by-2 algorithm.
  - Write the integer  $47_{10}$  on hexadecimal and octal form.
- 0.1.6:** Enter the integer  $47_{10}$  on hexadecimal, octal, and floating-point form in F# and verify that all represents the same value.
- 0.1.7:** Use pen and paper to complete the following table

Decimal	Binary	Hexadecimal	Octal
10			
	10101		
		2f	
			73

such that every row represents the same value written on 4 different forms.

- 0.1.8:** Write the truth table for the boolean expression  $a \text{ or } b \text{ and } c$ , where  $a$ ,  $b$ , and  $c$  are boolean values.
- 0.1.9:** Consider the F#-expression `164uy+230uy`. Explain what `"uy"` means, compute the expression with `fsharpi`, and discuss the result.
- 0.1.10:** Write an F#-expression for a string that contains the characters “edb” solely by using unicode escape codes.
- 0.1.11:** Write an F#-expression which extracts the 3. element and the substring from the 2. to the 4. element in the string “abcdef”.
- 0.1.12:** Using slicing, write an expression in F# which extracts the first and the second word from the string “hello world”.
- 0.1.13:** Consider the F#-expression `"hello\nworld\n"`. Explain what the “`\n`” means, evaluate the expression using F# and discuss the result.
- 0.1.14:** Write an F#-expression for a string which contains the character sequence “`\n`”, but where “`\n`” is not converted to a newline. How many different ways can this be done?