

Programmering og Problemløsning

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Arbejdsseddel 5 - individuel opgave

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I denne periode skal vi arbejde med abstrakte datatype, biblioteker og applikationer. En abstrakt datatype er et koncept som f.eks. lister, som kan beskrives vha. dets interface med signaturfiler og implementeres som et bibliotek i implementationsfiler. Biblioteker i F# kaldes også for moduler. Denne arbejdsseddels læringsmål er:

- at lave et bibliotek og en tilhørende applikation,
- at kunne oversætte biblioteksfiler og applikationsfiler både med `dotnet fsi` og `run`,
- at kunne arbejde med generiske moduler,

Opgaverne er opdelt i øve- og afleveringsopgaver. I denne periode skal I arbejde individuelt med jeres afleveringsopgaver. Regler for gruppe- og individuelle afleveringsopgaver er beskrevet i ”Noter, links, software m.m.” → ”Generel information om opgaver”.

Øveopgaver (in English)

500 In an earlier assignment, you implemented a small set of functions for vector operations in F#:

(a) addition of vectors

```
add: vec -> vec -> vec
```

(b) multiplication of a vector and a constant

```
mul: vec -> float -> vec
```

(c) rotation of a vector

```
rot: vec -> float -> vec
```

and wrote a small program to test these functions. Convert your earlier programs into a library called `Vec`, consisting of a signature file, an implementation file, and an application file. Create a `.fsproj` project file, and run the code using first `dotnet fsi` and then `dotnet run`.

Afleveringsopgaver (in English)

In the following, you are to work with the abstract datatype known as a *queue*. A queue consists of a sequence that supports the following operations:

- Checking whether the sequence is empty.
- Dequeueing (*Removing*) an element from the front (“left”).
- Enqueueing (*Adding*) an element at the end (“right”).

Queues appear often in real life: Standing in line at a shop counter, orders await in a queue for their turn to be shipped in an online shop, students waiting to be examined at oral examinations. *Purely functional queues* are a data type defined by their element type, the following set of operations, and the properties they must satisfy.

```
// types
type element // type of elements in the queue
type queue // type of queues with such elements
// values and functions
// the empty queue
val emptyQueue: queue
// add an element at the end of a queue
val enqueue: element -> queue -> queue
// check if the queue is empty
val isEmpty: queue -> bool
// remove the element at the front of the queue
// precondition: isEmpty(q) == false
val dequeue: queue -> element * queue
```

These queues are called (*purely*) *functional* because the enqueue and dequeue operations return a *new* queue when they are called, without destroying the old queue. In particular, it is possible to add an element e_1 to a queue q_0 of length 15 resulting in a queue q_1 of length 16, then to add another element e_2 to q_0 resulting in a queue q_2 of length 16, but different from q_1 in the last element, whereupon we have 3 separate queues, each of which we can use in future operations: q_0 , q_1 and q_2 .¹

In this exercise, you are to work with functional queues in F#. We’ll leave off the “functional” below.

5i0 In the following you are to create a dotnet project for the assignment.

- Using the dotnet command line tool, create a new F# console application named 5i.
`dotnet new console -lang "F#" -o 5i`
- Rename the file Program.fs to testQueues.fs.
- Update 5i.fsproj to compile testQueues.fs instead of Program.fs.
- Ensure the project works by running `dotnet build` and `dotnet run`.

¹There are also *ephemeral* (also called *imperative*) queues, where enqueue and replace the original queue with the new queue such that there is always just one “current” queue that changes over time. Ephemeral queues have more limited functionality and are easier to implement efficiently using imperative data structures, which we will encounter later in the course.

5i1 In the following, you are to implement your own queue module using lists in F# to represent the (sequence of elements in) a queue. The module is to be called `IntQueue`.

- (a) Given the description of the abstract datatype `Queue` above, write a signature file `intQueue.fsi` for the functional queues.
- (b) Write an implementation file `intQueue.fs`, implementing the signature file above using lists in F# where the elements are F# integers.
- (c) Add `intQueue.fsi` and `intQueue.fs` to `5i.fsproj`, so they are compiled *before* `testQueues.fs`.
- (d) In `testQueues.fs`, show your implementation works by using your queue. As a minimum, you should add the following series of tests of your `IntQueue` module:

```
let intQueueTests () =
    let q0 = IntQueue.emptyQueue
    let emptyTestResult = IntQueue.isEmpty q0
    emptyTestResult
    |> printfn "An empty queue is empty: %A"

    let e1,e2,e3 = 1,2,3
    let q1 = q0 |> IntQueue.enqueue e1
                |> IntQueue.enqueue e2
                |> IntQueue.enqueue e3
    let nonEmptyTestResult = IntQueue.isEmpty q1

    nonEmptyTestResult
    |> printfn "A queue with elements is not empty: %A"

    let (e,q2) = IntQueue.dequeue q1
    let dequeueTestResult = e = e1
    dequeueTestResult
    |> printfn "First in is first out: %A"

    let allTestResults =
        emptyTestResult &&
        nonEmptyTestResult &&
        dequeueTestResult

    allTestResults
    |> printfn "All IntQueue tests passed: %A"
    // Return the test results as a boolean
    allTestResults

// Run the IntQueue tests
let intQueueTestResults = intQueueTests ()
```

5i2 A problem with the queue specification above is that there is a precondition on the `dequeue` operation: A programmer must always ensure that the argument to `dequeue` is nonempty before calling `dequeue`. In other words, even though the F# type system does not flag it as an error, it *is* an error (by the programmer) to call `dequeue` with the empty queue.

In the following, you are to implement another version of your queue module using lists in F# to represent the (sequence of elements in) a queue, with error handling. The module is to

be called `SafeIntQueue`, the signature file `safeIntQueue.fsi` and the implementation file `safeIntQueue.fs`.

Change the queue specification such that `SafeIntQueue.dequeue` returns an `(element option) * queue` value and remove the precondition. Add the new module to `5i.fsproj` and in `testQueues.fs`, add a corresponding test suite that shows your implementation works; that is, its operations perform queuing and dequeuing, and, additionally `SafeIntQueue.dequeue(emptyQueue)` returns `None`.

- 5i3 A queue is an abstract datatype, and as such the operations of a queue should not depend on the type of elements. In the following you are to implement a *generic queue*, so it is possible to create queues of any type, e.g. queues of `int`, queues of `float`, queues of `string` or even queues of `queue`.

The module is to be called `Queue`, the signature file `queue.fsi` and the implementation file `queue.fs`. Add the new module to `5i.fsproj` and in `testQueues.fs`, add a corresponding test suite that shows your implementation works; that is, its operations perform queuing and dequeuing, and additionally that you can build queues of different types with the same generic library. As a minimum, demonstrate queues of `int`, `float` and `string`.

Krav til afleveringen

Afleveringen skal bestå af

- en zip-fil, der hedder `5i.zip`
- en opgavebesvarelse i pdf-format.

Zip-filen skal indeholde:

- filen `README.txt` som er en tekstfil indeholdende jeres navn og en beskrivelse af hvordan man bygger projektet og kører jeres test.
- en `src` mappe med følgende og kun følgende filer:

`5i.fsproj`,
`intQueue.fsi`, `intQueue.fs`,
`safeIntQueue.fsi`, `safeIntQueue.fs`,
`queue.fsi`, `queue.fs`,
`testQueues.fs`

svarende til afleveringsopgaverne. Funktionerne skal være dokumenteret med ifølge dokumentationsstandarden ved brug af `<summary>`, `<param>` og `<returns>` XML tagsne.

- pdf-dokumentet skal være lavet med \LaTeX , benytte `opgave.tex` skabelonen, ganske kort dokumentere din løsning og indeholde evt. figurer.

God fornøjelse.