From Function1#compose to Kleisli

Different Ways of Function Composition

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Abstract (1/2)

Fine-grained composability of functions is one of the core advantages of FP.

Treating "Functions as Data" means that we can ...

- store a function in a val
- pass it as args to other (higher order) functions (HOFs)
- return a function from other functions
- process/manipulate a function like data
- organize functions in data structures like List, Option etc.
- wrap a function in a case class

In this talk I demonstrate different ways of function composition (and manipulation - what is often the same).

I only deal with *scala.Function1*, because due to currying we can regard any function (except *Function0*) as a *Function1*. Curried functions are easier to compose.

Abstract (2/2)

I start with the methods on Function1: *compose* and *andThen*. Then I show how to fold a List of functions.

Then I turn to function composition with Monoids.

Functions are Functors (if *Functor* for *Function1* is defined), i.e they can be mapped over.

Functions are Monads (if *Monad* for *Function1* is defined), i.e they can be flatMapped over.

With *map* and *flatMap* we can write for-comprehensions over functions. As Monads, we can use them in any monadic context.

Next I implement my own *mycats.Kleisli* similar to *cats.data.Kleisli* and show its usage with *flatMap*, *flatMapF*, *andThen* and *compose*.

Finally I show the *Reader* Monad, a *Kleisli* simplified with *Id*.

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1. Preliminaries

- **1.1** Kind Projector
- 1.2 Partial Unification

1.1 Kind Projector - Compiler Plugin

Enable *kind-projector* in *build.sbt*:

```
addCompilerPlugin("org.spire-math" %% "kind-projector" % "0.9.7")
```

Kind projector on Github:

https://github.com/non/kind-projector

See: demo.Demo01aKindProjector

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This is a type lambda (analogous to a partially applied function on the value level).

The type alias must be defined inside def eitherFunctor[L] because the type parameter L is used in the type alias. This is done inside a structural type where f is returned through a type projection.

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1.2 Compiler Flag -Ypartial-unification

Enable partial unification in *build.sbt*:

```
scalacOptions += "-Ypartial-unification"
```

See: demo.Demo01bPartialUnification

This code doesn't compile without -Ypartial-unification. Why?

```
def foo[F[ ], A](fa: F[A]): String = fa.toString
foo { x: Int => x * 2 }
[error] no type parameters for method foo: (fa: F[A])String exist
        so that it can be applied to arguments (Int => Int)
[error] --- because ---
[error] argument expression's type is not compatible with formal parameter type:
[error] found : Int => Int
[error] required: ?F[?A]
       foo { x: Int => x * 2 }
[error]
[error]
[error] type mismatch:
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[error] required: F[A]
        foo((x: Int) \Rightarrow x * 2)
[error]
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This code doesn't compile without -*Ypartial-unification*. Why?

def foo requires a type constructor F[_] with "one hole". It's kind is: * --> *.

foo is invoked with a function Int => Int. Int => Int is syntactic sugar for Function1[Int, Int]. Function1 like Either has two holes. It's kind is: * --> * --> *.

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Note that the partial unification fixes the types always in a <u>left-to-right order</u> which is a good fit for most cases where we have <u>right-biased types</u> like *Either*, *Tuple2* or *Function1*. (It is not a good fit for the very rare cases when you use a left-biased type like Scalactic's *Or* data type (a left-biased *Either*).)

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Very good explanations of partial unification by Miles Sabin and Daniel Spiewak can be found at these links:

https://github.com/scala/scala/pull/5102 https://gist.github.com/djspiewak/7a81a395c461fd3a09a6941d4cd040f2

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wrap a function in a case class MyWrapper

We can define methods on *MyWrapper* which manipulate the wrapped function and return the manipulation result again wrapped in a new instance of *case class MyWrapper*.

```
case class MyWrapper[A, B](run: A => B) {
  def map[C](f: B => C): MyWrapper[A, C] = ???
  def flatMap[C](f: B => MyWrapper[A, C]): MyWrapper[A, C] = ???
  // other methods ...
}
```

3. Curried functions

See: demo.Demo03CurriedFunctions

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If uncurried again, we get the original function back.

```
val sumUncurried: (Int, Int, Int) => Int = Function.uncurried(sumCurried)
// sumUncurried: (Int, Int, Int) => Int = scala.Function$$$Lambda$6605/301079867@1
```

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```
def filter2[A](la: List[A])(p: A => Boolean) = ??? // curried

scala> filter2(List(0,1,2))(_ < 2)
res5: List[Int] = List(0,1)</pre>
```

4. Function1#compose and Function1#apply

See: demo.Demo04ComposingFunctions

Trait Function1

```
trait Function1[-T1, +R] {

    def apply(a: T1): R
    def compose[A](g: A => T1): A => R = { x => apply(g(x)) }
    def andThen[A](g: R => A): T1 => A = { x => g(apply(x)) }
    override def toString = "<function1>"
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```
scala> val f: Int => Int = _ + 10
f: Int => Int = $$Lambda$4204/320646851@733dc5b7

scala> val g: Int => Int = _ * 2
g: Int => Int = $$Lambda$4205/1093482910@3a179009

scala> (f compose g apply 1) == f(g(1))
res6: Boolean = true

scala> (f andThen g apply 1) == g(f(1))
res7: Boolean = true
```

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// Function1#compose
val fComposed1: String => String = d2s compose div10By compose plus2 compose s2i
val res1 = fComposed1("3") // 2.0 !!!
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// Function1#andThen
val fComposed2: String => String = s2i andThen plus2 andThen div10By andThen d2s
val res2 = fComposed2("3") // 2.0 !!!
```

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Folding functions is not a commutative operation! Hence *foldRight* and *foldLeft* return different results.

5. Monoidal Function Composition

See: demo.Demo05ComposingWithMonoid

Trait Monoid

```
trait Monoid[A] {
    def empty: A
    def combine(x: A, y: A): A

    def combineAll(as: List[A]): A = // combines all functions in a List of funct
        as.foldLeft(empty)(combine)
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When composing functions with Monoid the functions must have the same input and output type. You cannot compose functions of type $A \Rightarrow B$, only functions of type $A \Rightarrow A$.

Default Monoid Instance for *Function1*

```
// This one is the default Function1-Monoid in Cats
// It requires A to be a Monoid too.
//
implicit def function1Monoid[A: Monoid]: Monoid[A => A] = new Monoid[A => A] {
    override def empty: A => A =
        _ => Monoid[A].empty
    override def combine(f: A => A, g: A => A): A => A =
        a => Monoid[A].combine(f(a), g(a))
}
```

Default Monoid Instance for *Function1*

```
// This one is the default Function1-Monoid in Cats
// It requires A to be a Monoid too.
//
implicit def function1Monoid[A: Monoid]: Monoid[A => A] = new Monoid[A => A] {
    override def empty: A => A =
        _ => Monoid[A].empty
    override def combine(f: A => A, g: A => A): A => A =
        a => Monoid[A].combine(f(a), g(a))
}
```

- This instance defines a Monoid for Functions of type $A \Rightarrow A$.
- It requires type *A* to be a Monoid too.
- *empty* defines a function which ignores it's input and returns *Monoid[A].empty*.
- *combine* takes two functions f and g, invokes f(a) and g(a) on it's input and returns the combined result.

Composition with Monoid

```
val f: Int => Int = _ + 1
val g: Int => Int = _ * 2
val h: Int => Int = _ + 100
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Another Monoid instance yields a different result.

Instance for *function1ComposeMonoid*

```
implicit def function1ComposeMonoid[A]: Monoid[A => A] = new Monoid[A => A] {
  override def empty: A => A = identity
  override def combine(f: A => A, g: A => A): A => A = f compose g
}
```

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• This instance composes the Functions with *Function1#compose*.

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Instance for *function1AndThenMonoid*

```
implicit def function1AndThenMonoid[A]: Monoid[A => A] = new Monoid[A => A] {
  override def empty: A => A = identity
  override def combine(f: A => A, g: A => A): A => A = f andThen g
}
```

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}
```

• This instance composes the Functions with *Function1#andThen*.

6. Function1 as Functor

See: demo.Demo06Functor

Functor

A Functor is any Context F[_] that provides a function *map* ... and abides by the Functor laws (which are not presented here).

```
trait Functor[F[_]] {
   def map[A, B](fa: F[A])(f: A => B): F[B]
}
```

Functor instance

A Functor instance for *Functions* (found automatically by the compiler if defined in implicit scope, i.e inside the *Functor* companion object):

```
implicit def function1Functor[P]: Functor[Function1[P, ?]] =
  new Functor[Function1[P, ?]] {
    override def map[A, B](f: Function1[P, A])(g: A => B): Function1[P, B] =
        f andThen g
}
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A Functor instance for *Either* (just for comparison):

```
implicit def eitherFunctor[L]: Functor[Either[L, ?]] =
  new Functor[Either[L, ?]] {
    override def map[A, B](fa: Either[L, A])(f: A => B): Either[L, B] =
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}
```

Using the *Function1* Functor:

```
val f: Int => Int = _ + 3
val g: Int => Int = _ * 2
val h = Functor[Function1[Int, ?]].map(f)(g)
val res = h(2) // 10
```

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in a specific way for *Functor[Function1]*:

```
implicit class FunctorSyntaxFunction1[P, A](fa: Function1[P, A]) {
  def map[B](f: A => B): Function1[P, B] = Functor[Function1[P, ?]].map(fa)(f)
}
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}
```

or in a generic way for any *Functor[F[_]]*:

```
implicit class FunctorSyntax[F[_]: Functor, A](fa: F[A]) {
  def map[B](f: A => B): F[B] = Functor[F].map(fa)(f)
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This allows for convenient invocation of *map* as if *map* were a method of *Function1*:

```
val f: Int => Int = _ + 3
val g: Int => Int = _ * 2
val h = f map g
val res = h(2) // 10
```

```
val s2i: String => Int = _.toInt
val plus2: Int => Int = _ + 2
val div10By: Int => Double = 10.0 / _
val d2s: Double => String = _.toString
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composed with *map*:

```
val fMapped = s2i map plus2 map div10By map d2s // requires -Ypartial-unification
val res1 = fMapped("3") // 2.0 !!!
```

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Function1 can also be seen as a Monad ...

7. Function1 as Monad

See: demo.Demo07Monad

Monad

A Monad is any Context F[_] that provides the functions *pure* and *flatMap* ... and abides by the Monad laws (which are not presented here).

```
trait Monad[F[_]] extends Functor[F] {
  def pure[A](a: A): F[A]
  def flatMap[A, B](fa: F[A])(f: A => F[B]): F[B]
}
```

Monad instance

A Monad instance for *Functions* (found automatically by the compiler if defined in implicit scope, i.e inside the *Monad* companion object):

```
implicit def function1Monad[P]: Monad[P => ?] = new Monad[P => ?] {
  override def pure[A](r: A): P => A = _ => r
  override def flatMap[A, B](f: P => A)(g: A => P => B)
    : P => B = p => g(f(p))(p)
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Alternative instance definition:

```
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  override def pure[A](r: A): Function1[P, A] = _ => r
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  : Function1[P, B] = p => g(f(p))(p)
}
```

A Monad instance for *Either* (just for comparison):

```
implicit def eitherMonad[L]: Monad[Either[L, ?]] = new Monad[Either[L, ?]] {
   override def pure[A](r: A): Either[L, A] = Right(r)
   override def flatMap[A, B](fa: Either[L, A])(f: A => Either[L, B])
   : Either[L, B] = fa flatMap f
}
```

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in a specific way for *Monad[Function1]*:

```
implicit class MonadSyntaxFunction1[P, A](f: Function1[P, A]) {
  def flatMap[B](g: A => P => B): P => B = Monad[Function1[P, ?]].flatMap(f)(g)
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```

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```
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```

This allows for convenient invocation of *flatMap* as if *flatMap* were a method of *Function1*:

```
val h = f flatMap g
```

instead of:

```
val h = Functor[Function1[Int, ?]].flatMap(f)(g)
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```

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FlatMapping over *Function1*:

alternatively with a for-comprehension:

Another Reader Monad example - a bit more realistic ...

```
val users: Map[Int, String] = Map(
          1 -> "dade", 2 -> "kate", 3 -> "margo")
val passwords: Map[String, String] = Map(
          "dade" -> "zerocool", "kate" -> "acidburn", "margo" -> "secret")
case class Db(usernames: Map[Int, String], passwords: Map[String, String])
val db = Db(users, passwords)
type DbReader[A] = Db => A // ^= Function1[Db, A]
def findUsername(userId: Int): DbReader[Option[String]] =
  db => db.usernames.get(userId)
def checkPassword(username: String, password: String): DbReader[Boolean] =
  db => db.passwords.get(username).contains(password)
def checkLogin(userId: Int, password: String): DbReader[Boolean] = // ^= Function1
  for {
    optUsername <- findUsername(userId)</pre>
    passwordOk <- optUsername
      .map(name => checkPassword(name, password))
      .qetOrElse(( :Db) => false)
  } vield password0k
val login10k = checkLogin(1, "zerocool")(db) // true
val login40k = checkLogin(4, "davinci")(db) // false
```

Example taken from "Scala with Cats" (see chapter Resources for link)

8. Kleisli composition done manually

See: demo.Demo08KleisliDoneManually

```
// Functions: A => F[B], where F is Option in this case
val s2iOpt: String => Option[Int] = s => Option(s.toInt)
val plus2Opt: Int => Option[Int] = i => Option(i + 2)
val div10ByOpt: Int => Option[Double] = i => Option(10.0 / i)
val d2sOpt: Double => Option[String] = d => Option(d.toString + " !!!")
```

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Let's try map.

```
val fMapped: String => Option[Option[Option[Option[String]]]] = str =>
    s2iOpt(str) map { i1 =>
    plus2Opt(i1) map { i2 =>
        div10ByOpt(i2) map {
        d => d2sOpt(d)
    }
}}
```

We get nested *Options*. So lets try *flatMap* on the *Option* context.

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```
val flatMappedOnOpt1: String => Option[String] = input =>
    s2iOpt(input) flatMap { i1 =>
        plus2Opt(i1) flatMap { i2 =>
            div10ByOpt(i2) flatMap { d =>
                  d2sOpt(d)
        }}}
val res1: Option[String] = flatMappedOnOpt1("3") // Some(2.0)
```

or with a for-comprehension (this looks nicer):

```
val flatMappedOnOpt2: String => Option[String] = input => for {
   i1 <- s2iOpt(input)
   i2 <- plus2Opt(i1)
   d <- div10ByOpt(i2)
   s <- d2sOpt(d)
} yield s
val res2: Option[String] = flatMappedOnOpt2("3") // Some(2.0)</pre>
```

with *flatMap* (this works):

or with a for-comprehension (this looks nicer):

```
val flatMappedOnOpt2: String => Option[String] = input => for {
   i1 <- s2iOpt(input)
   i2 <- plus2Opt(i1)
   d <- div10ByOpt(i2)
   s <- d2sOpt(d)
} yield s
val res2: Option[String] = flatMappedOnOpt2("3") // Some(2.0)</pre>
```

<u>But:</u> We still have to bind the variables *i1*, *i2*, *d* and *s* to names. We would like to build a function pipeline with some kind of *andThenF*.

s2iOpt andThenF plus2Opt andThenF div10ByOpt andThenF d2sOpt

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```
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```

Using *kleisli*:

```
val kleisliComposed1: String => Option[String] =
   kleisli(kleisli(s2iOpt, plus2Opt), div10ByOpt), d2sOpt)
val resKleisli1 = kleisliComposed1("3") // 2.0 !!!
```

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```

This works, but is still not exactly what we want. *kleisli* should behave like a method of *Function1*.

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Using it:

```
val kleisliComposed2: String => Option[String] =
   s2iOpt kleisli plus2Opt kleisli div10ByOpt kleisli d2sOpt
kleisliComposed2("3") foreach println // 2.0 !!!
```

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```

(s2iOpt andThenF plus2Opt andThenF div10ByOpt andThenF d2sOpt) foreach println

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Using it:

9. case class Kleisli

See: demo.Demo09KleisliCaseClass

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I tinkered my own impl in *mycats.Kleisli* which works much like the Cats impl: see next slide.

case class Kleisli

```
case class Kleisli[F[ ], A, B](run: A => F[B]) {
 def apply(a: A): F[B] = run(a)
 def map[C](f: B => C)(implicit F: Functor[F]): Kleisli[F, A, C] =
    Kleisli { a => F.map(run(a))(f) }
 def flatMap[C](f: B => Kleisli[F, A, C])(implicit M: Monad[F]): Kleisli[F, A, C]
    Kleisli { a => M.flatMap(run(a))(b => f(b).run(a)) }
  def flatMapF[C](f: B => F[C])(implicit M: Monad[F]): Kleisli[F, A, C] =
    Kleisli { a => M.flatMap(run(a))(f) }
  def andThen[C](f: B => F[C])(implicit M: Monad[F]): Kleisli[F, A, C] =
    flatMapF(f)
 def andThen[C](that: Kleisli[F, B, C])(implicit M: Monad[F]): Kleisli[F, A, C] =
    this and Then that.run
  def compose[Z](f: Z => F[A])(implicit M: Monad[F]): Kleisli[F, Z, B] =
    Kleisli(f) and Then this.run
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    that andThen this
```

The case class methods delegate to the wrapped *run* function and return the resulting *run* function rewrapped in a *Kleisli* instance.

Kleisli companion object with Monad instance

```
object Kleisli { self =>

def pure[F[_], A, B](b: B)(implicit F: Monad[F]): Kleisli[F, A, B] =
    Kleisli { _ => F.pure(b) }

object ops {

implicit def kleisliMonad[F[_] : Monad, A]: Monad[Kleisli[F, A, ?]] =
    new Monad[Kleisli[F, A, ?]] {

    override def pure[B](b: B): Kleisli[F, A, B] = self.pure(b)

    override def flatMap[B, C](kl: Kleisli[F, A, B])(f: B => Kleisli[F, A, C])
    : Kleisli[F, A, C] = kl flatMap f
}
}
```

Kleisli#flatMap

```
def flatMap[C](f: B => Kleisli[F, A, C])(implicit M: Monad[F]): Kleisli[F, A, C] =
    M.flatMap(run(a))(b => f(b).run(a))
}
```

flatMap composes this.run: $A \Rightarrow F[B]$ with the function $f: B \Rightarrow Kleisli[F, A, C]$ yielding a new Kleisli[F, A, C] wrapping a new function $F(A) \Rightarrow F(C)$.

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}
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        }   }
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```

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}
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val kleisli2: String => Option[String] = input => for {
   i1 <- Kleisli(s2iOpt).run(input)
   i2 <- Kleisli(plus2Opt).run(i1)
   d <- Kleisli(div10ByOpt).run(i2)
   s <- Kleisli(d2sOpt).run(d)
} yield s
kleisli2("3") foreach println</pre>
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```
val kleisli4: Kleisli[Option, String, String] =
   Kleisli(s2iOpt) flatMapF plus2Opt flatMapF div10ByOpt flatMapF d2sOpt
kleisli4.run("3") foreach println
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10. Reader Monad

See: demo.Demo10Reader

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```
type Id[A] = A

type ReaderT[F[_], A, B] = Kleisli[F, A, B]
val ReaderT = Kleisli

type Reader[A, B] = Kleisli[Id, A, B]

object Reader {
  def apply[A, B](f: A => B): Reader[A, B] = ReaderT[Id, A, B](f)
}
```

```
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val reader1: String => String = input => for {
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Again *flatMap* is not the best choice as we have to declare all these intermediate identifiers in the for-comprehension.

```
val reader2 =
  Reader(s2i) andThen Reader(plus2) andThen Reader(div10By) andThen Reader(d2s)
println(reader2("3"))  // 2.0 !!!
```

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println(reader2("3"))  // 2.0 !!!
```

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val reader3 =
  Reader(s2i) andThen plus2 andThen div10By andThen d2s
println(reader3("3"))  // 2.0 !!!
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  Reader(s2i) andThen plus2 andThen div10By andThen d2s
println(reader3("3"))  // 2.0 !!!
```

All methods of *Kleisli* are available for Reader, because *Kleisli* **is** *Reader* with *Id*.

The Reader example from before runs with minor changes.

```
val users: Map[Int, String] = Map(
              1 -> "dade", 2 -> "kate", 3 -> "margo" )
val passwords: Map[String, String] = Map(
              "dade" -> "zerocool", "kate" -> "acidburn", "margo" -> "secret" )
case class Db(usernames: Map[Int, String], passwords: Map[String, String])
val db = Db(users, passwords)
type DbReader[A] = Reader[Db, A] // ^= Kleisli[Id, Db, Boolean]
def findUsername(userId: Int): DbReader[Option[String]] =
  Reader { db => db.usernames.get(userId) }
def checkPassword(username: String, password: String): DbReader[Boolean] =
  Reader { db => db.passwords.get(username).contains(password) }
def checkLogin(userId: Int, password: String): DbReader[Boolean] =
  for {
    optUsername <- findUsername(userId)</pre>
    passwordOk <- optUsername
      .map(name => checkPassword(name, password))
      .getOrElse(Kleisli.pure[Id, Db, Boolean](false))
  } vield password0k
val loginOk1 = checkLogin(1, "zerocool").run(db) // true
val login0k2 = checkLogin(4, "davinci").run(db) // false
```

Example taken from "Scala with Cats" (see chapter Resources for link)

11. Resources

Resources (1/2)

- Code and Slides of this Talk: https://github.com/hermannhueck/composing-functions
- "Scala with Cats"
 Book by Noel Welsh and Dave Gurnell
 https://underscore.io/books/scala-with-cats/
- "Functional Programming in Scala"
 Book by Paul Chiusano and Dave Gurnell
 https://www.manning.com/books/functional-programming-in-scala
- Cats documentation for Kleisli: https://typelevel.org/cats/datatypes/kleisli.html

Resources (2/2)

- Miles Sabin's pull request for partial unification: https://github.com/scala/scala/pull/5102
- "Explaining Miles's Magic: Gist of Daniel Spiewak on partial unification https://gist.github.com/djspiewak/7a81a395c461fd3a09a6941d4cd040f2
- "Kind Projector Compiler Plugin: https://github.com/non/kind-projector

Thanks for Listening

ABQ

https://github.com/hermannhueck/use-applicative-where-applicable