

- **Types.** Static, and resolved at compile time (before runtime).
- **Data.** At runtime (the real execution).

Data constructor arities

- **Arity.** Number of args.
- **Unary.** Takes 1 argument.
- **Nullary.** Takes no arguments.
- **Binary.** Takes 2 arguments.

```
1 data Example2 =
2   Example2 Int String      -- product of Int and String
3   deriving (Eq, Show)
```

Algebraic and Cardinality

Algebraic datatypes are algebraic since the patterns of argument structures using 2 basic operations: *sum* and *product*. And even **distributive!**

The **cardinality** a datatype is the number of possible values it defines.

1 newtype

A newtype has **no runtime overhead**, as it reuses the representation of the type it contains.

```
1 {-# LANGUAGE GeneralizedNewtypeDeriving #-}      -- with this pragma!
2
3 class TooMany a where
4   tooMany :: a -> Bool
5
6 instance TooMany Int where
7   tooMany n = n > 42
8
9 newtype Goats =                                -- newtype allows us to get it free!
10  Goats Int deriving (Eq, Show, TooMany)         -- but we can actually define it!
```

If you want to do anything other than `TypeConstructor a1 a2 a3 ...` (and as have to be type variables) than you need **Flexible Instances**.

```
1 {-# LANGUAGE FlexibleInstances #-}
2
3 instance TooMany (Int, String) where -- require FlexibleInstances
4   tooMany (x, _) = tooMany x
```

About the **bounds**, well.

```
1 Prelude> let n = Numba (-128)
2 --      Literal 128 is out of the
3 --      Int8 range -128..127 blah blah blah (complaining before negate)
4 Prelude> let n = (-128)
5 Prelude> let x = Numba n -- or use :set -XNegativeLiterals (not prevent the warnings)
```

Record syntax

The whole record must be declared instead of **partially** do it.

```
1 Prelude> let partialAf = Programmer Mac          -- OK
2 Prelude> let partialAf' = Programmer { os = Mac}  -- bottom
3 Prelude> partialAf'
4 Programmer {os = Mac, lang =
5 *** Exception: <interactive>:5:18-39: Missing field in record construction lang
```

And, better to use **Maybe**, rather than a data constructor `Null`. Better to split out the **product type** with the *type constructor*.

```
1 -- Split out the record/product
2 data Car = Car { make :: String
3                , model :: String
4                , year :: Integer }
5                deriving (Eq, Show)
6 -- The Null is still not great, but
7 -- we're leaving it in to make a point
```

```
8 data Automobile = Null
9                 | Automobile Car
10                deriving (Eq, Show)
11 Prelude> make Null -- the typechecker catch us b4 runtime
12 -- Blah blah complaining about type
```

Function type is exponential

The number of inhabitants of $a \rightarrow b$ is b^a .

```
1 -- 3 ^ 3
2 quantFlip1 :: Quantum -> Quantum    -- Yes | No | Both
3 quantFlip1 Yes = Yes
4 quantFlip1 No = Yes
5 quantFlip1 Both = Yes
6
7 quantFlip2 :: Quantum -> Quantum    -- f a1 = b options
8 quantFlip2 Yes= Yes                 -- f a2 = b options
9 quantFlip2 No= Yes                  -- f a3 = b options
10 quantFlip2 Both = No                -- b^a
11
12 quantFlip3 :: Quantum -> Quantum
13 quantFlip3 Yes= Yes
14 quantFlip3 No= Yes
15 quantFlip3 Both = Both
16 -- blah blah blah
```

2 Higher-kinded datatypes

Those that need to be fully applied are $* \rightarrow * \rightarrow *$.

```
1 data Silly a b c d =                -- * -> * -> * -> * -> *
2   MkSilly a b c d deriving Show    -- Silly Int String Int Int Int, or (,,,) )
```

Infix type and data constructors

All infix data constructors (type) start with a **colon** (:).