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(* The print function only takes strings as parameters *)
- print "hello\n";
hello
val it = () : unit
(* sequencing using ";" *)
- fun foo x = (print "x is "; x)
= ;
val foo = fn : 'a -> 'a
- foo 7;
x is val it = 7 : int
(* converting an int to a string *)
- Int.toString 7;
val it = "7" : string
-fun foo x = (print "x is "; print (Int.toString x); print "\n");
val foo = fn : int -> unit
- foo 7;
x is 7
val it = () : unit
- (* nested defintions using let *)
- fun bar x =
    let val z = x*2
        fun g w = w + 2
    in qz
    end:
val bar = fn : int -> int
(* If you want to return multiple values from
   a function, return a tuple of those values *)
- fun f x y = (x+1, y-1);
val f = fn : int -> int -> int * int
- f 5 8:
val it = (6,7) : int * int
(* Use tuple patterns to bind variables to the
  components of a tuple *)
- let val (a,b) = f 5 8
= in a+b
= end
val it = 13 : int
(* Declaring == as an infix operator *)
- infix ==
= ;
infix ==
(* Defining a function named ==, using infix
  notation *)
- fun [] == [] = true
= (x::xs) == (y::ys) = x = y and also xs == ys
     _ == _ = false
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val == = fn : ''a list * ''a list -> bool
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(* Ignore the above warning about polyEqual. *)
(* Calling == using infix notation *)
-[1,2,3] == [1,2,3];
val it = true : bool
-[1,2,3] == [1,2,4];
val it = false : bool
-[[1,2],[3,4]] == [[1,2],[3,4]];
val it = true : bool
(* Passing an infix operator as a parameter, using
   (op ...) *)
- fun f compare x y = compare (x,y);
val f = fn : ('a * 'b -> 'c) -> 'a -> 'b -> 'c
- f (op ==) [1,2] [1,2]
val it = true : bool
(* When declaring a parameter that you want to use
   as an infix operator, also use (op ...) *)
- fun q (op <) x y = if x < y then "yes" else "no";
val q = fn : ('a * 'b -> bool) -> 'a -> 'b -> string
- q (fn (a,b) => length a < length b) [1,2,3] [4,5]
= ;
val it = "no" : string
(* Declaring an exception *)
- exception e
= ;
exception e
(* Raising an exception *)
- fun head (x::xs) = x
= head = raise e
val head = fn : 'a list -> 'a
(* Handling an exception *)
- fun foo L = (if head L = 7 then 3 else 0) handle e => 25;
val foo = fn : int list -> int
- foo [4,5,6];
val it = 0 : int
- foo [];
val it = 25 : int
(* Carrying a value along with an exception *)
- exception myexception of int;
exception myexception of int
(* Raising that exception *)
- (if 0 = 0 then raise (myexception 20) else 4) handle (myexception n) => n+1;
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