

Functional Programing

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Abstract

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1 Introduction

Computational model in Functional Programming: **reduction** (replace expression to values) In Functional Programming, expressions are formed by applying functions to values.

- 1. Functions as in math: $x = y \Rightarrow f(x) = f(y)$
- 2. Functions are values (just like numbers, text ...)

	Functional	Imperative
program construction	function application and composition	statement sequencing
execution	reduction (expression evaluation)	state changes
semantics	lambda calculus	complex (denotational)

Example

 $n \in \mathbb{N}, n \geq 2$ is a prime number if the set of non-trivial factors is empty:

```
n \text{ is prime} \Leftrightarrow \{ m \mid m \in \{2, \dots, n-1\}, n \mod m = 0 \} = \emptyset
```

```
1  -- Is n a prime number?
2  isPrime :: Integer -> Bool
3  isPrime n = factors n == []
4  where
5  factors :: Integer -> [Integer]
6  factors n = [ m | m <- [2..n-1], mod n m == 0 ]
7  
8  
9  main :: IO ()
10  main = do
11  let n = 43
12  print (isPrime n)</pre>
```

2 Haskell Ramp-Up

(Read \equiv as "denotes the same value as")

- Apply f to value e: f e (juxtaposition, "apply", binary operator _, Haskell speak: infixL 10 _)
- \Box has max precedence (10): \mathbf{f} e_1 + e_2 \equiv (\mathbf{f} e_1) + e_2
- \square associates to the left: g f e \equiv (g f) e $\neg\neg(g f)$ is a function)
- Function composition:

```
- (g . f) e \equiv g (f e) - (. is something like mathematical | \circ | 'after')
```

Alternative "apply"-operator \$ (lowest precedence, associates to the right, infixR 0 \$):

```
g \ f \ e \equiv g \ (f \ e) \equiv g \ (f \ e)
```

- Prefix application of binary infix operator \otimes : (\otimes) e_1 $e_2 \equiv e_1 \otimes e_2$
- Infix application of binary function f: e_1 'f' $e_2 \equiv f e_1 e_2$:

```
* 1 'elem' [1,2,3] -- (1 \in {1,2,3})  
* n 'mod' m
```

– User defined operators, built from symbols ! # \$ % & * + / $\mathbf{i} = \mathbf{i}$? \^ |~:.

2.1 Function Application

Any series of identifiers is a function call or, as we often call it, a function application.

```
a b c d
```

This is an application of a function a to three arguments b, c and d.

You may parenthesize function application if you need to.

```
f a b \equiv (f a b) \not\equiv f (a, b)
```

The last one is valid Haskell, but f is a function that takes a pair, (a, b) as an argument.

3 Values and Types

Any Haskell expression e has a type t (e :: t) that is determined at compile time. The **type assignment ::** is either given explicitly or inferred by the compiler.

3.1 Base Types

Type	Description	values	
Int	fixed-prec. integer	0, 1, (-42)	
Integer	arbitrary prec. integer	10^100	
Float, Double	single/double floating point (IEEE)	0.1, 1e02	
Char	Unicode character	"x", "\t", "\\", "\8710"	
Bool	Boolean	True, False	
()	Unit	()	

3.2 Type Constructors

- Build new types from existing types
- Let a, b ... denote arbitrary types (type variables)

Type	Description	values
(a, b)	pairs of values of type a, b	(1, True) :: (Int, Bool)
$(a_1, a_2, \ldots a_n)$	n-tuples	
[a]	list of values of type a	[True, False] :: [Bool], []::[a]
Maybe a	optional value of type a	Just 42 :: Maybe Int
		Nothing :: Maybe a
Either a b	choice	Left 'x' :: Either Char b
		Right pi :: Either a Double
IO a	I/O actions that return	print 42 :: IO ()
	a value of type a	
a -> b	functions from a to b	isLetter :: Char -> Bool

3.3 Currying

Currying is the technique of translating the evaluation of a function that takes multiple arguments into evaluating a sequence of functions, each with a single argument.

•
$$Recall$$
: e_1 ++ e_2 \equiv (++) e_1 e_2

• (++)
$$e_1 e_2 \equiv ((++) e_1) e_2$$

• Function application happens one argument at a time.

• Type of n-ary function is
$$a_1 \rightarrow a_2 \rightarrow \dots a_n \rightarrow b$$

• Type fun -> associates to the right,

```
read above type as a_1 \rightarrow (a_2 \rightarrow (\dots (a_n \rightarrow b)))
```

• Enables Partial Application

3.4 Defining Values (and thus functions)

- = binds names to values. Names must not start with A-Z (Haskell style: camelCase)
- Define constant (0-ary function) c. Value of c is value of expression e. c = e
- Define n-ary function f with arguments x_i . f may occur in e. f x_1 x_2 ... x_n = e
- A Haskell program is a set of bindings.
- Good style: give type assignments for top-level (global) bindings:

3.4.1 Guards

Guards are conditional expressions (something like "switch" in Java). They are a lot more readable and more powerful than if ... then ... else

Guards are introduced by ||:

Guards (q_i) are expressions of type Bool, evaluated top to bottom.

3.4.2 Local Definitions

1. Where bindings: local definitions visible in the entire rhs of a definition.

```
-- Efficient power computation, basic idea: x^2k = (x^2)^k
2
  power :: Double -> Integer -> Double
3
  power x k | k == 1
                       = x
4
             even k
                      = power (x * x) (halve k)
5
             | otherwise = x * power (x * x) (halve k)
6
7
    where
       even n = n \pmod{2} = 0
8
      halve n = n 'div' 2
9
10
  main :: IO ()
  main = print $ power 2 16
```

2. Let expressions: local definitions visible inside one expression.

```
let g_1 = \dots
g_2 = \dots
g_0
in e
```

3.4.3 Lists

• Recursive definitions:

```
    [] is a list (nil), type [] :: [a]
    x:xs is a list, if x :: a, xs :: [a]
    (x is head, xs is tail)
```

```
• Notation: 3:(2:(1:[])) \equiv 3:2:1:[] \equiv [3,2,1] \equiv 3:[2,1]
```

```
• Law: \forall xs :: [a] : (xs \neq [])
head xs : tail xs == xs
```

3.4.4 Pattern Matching

• The idiomatic Haskell way to define a function by cases:

Pattern	Matches If	Bindings in e_r
constant c	$\mathbf{x}_i == \mathbf{c}$	
variable v	always	$v \equiv x_i$
wildcard _	always	
tuple $(p_1, \ldots p_m)$	components of x_i match patterns p	
	$\mathbf{x}_i == []$	
$(p_1: p_2)$	head x_i matches p_1 , tail x_i matches p_2	

```
-- Equivalent definitions of sum (over lists of integers)
1
2
  -- (1) Conditional expression
3
  sum' :: [Integer] -> Integer
  sum' xs = if xs == [] then 0 else head xs + sum' (tail xs)
  -- (2) Guards
  sum'' :: [Integer] -> Integer
8
  sum'' xs | xs == [] = 0
            | otherwise = head xs + sum'' (tail xs)
10
11
   -- (3) Pattern matching
12
  sum''' :: [Integer] -> Integer
13
  sum''' = 0
14
  sum''' (x:xs) = x + sum''' xs
15
16
  main :: IO ()
17
  main = print $ (sum' [1..100], sum'' [1..100], sum'' [1..100])
  -- Finite prefix of a list
1
  take' :: Integer -> [a] -> [a]
2
  take' 0 _ = []
  take' _ [] = []
  take' n (x:xs) = x:take' (n-1) xs
7 | main :: IO ()
8 | main = print $ take' 20 [1,3..]
```

```
-- Mergesort list xs, respecting ordering (<<<)
2
   mergeSort :: (a -> a -> Bool) -> [a] -> [a]
3
                     [] = []
   mergeSort _
                      [x] = [x]
   mergeSort _
5
   mergeSort (<<<) xs = merge (<<<) (mergeSort (<<<) ls)</pre>
                                           (mergeSort (<<<) rs)</pre>
7
     where
8
        (ls, rs) = splitAt (length xs 'div' 2) xs
10
       merge :: (a \rightarrow a \rightarrow Bool) \rightarrow [a] \rightarrow [a] \rightarrow [a]
11
       merge (<<<) []
                             уs
                                         = ys
12
       merge (<<<) xs
                              13
       merge (<<<) 11(x:xs) 12(y:ys)
14
          | x <<< y = x:merge (<<<) xs 12
15
          | otherwise = y:merge (<<<) 11 ys
17
   main :: IO ()
18
   main = print $ mergeSort (>) [1,3..19]
```

3.5 Algebraic Data Types

(also known as Sum-of-Product-Types)

- Recall: [] and (:) are the values constructors for type constructor [a].
- Can define entirely new type T and its constructors K_i :

```
data T a_1 \ a_2 \ \dots \ a_n = K_1 \ b_{11} \ \dots \ b_{1n_1}
K_2 \ b_{21} \ \dots \ b_{2n_2}
K_r \ b_{r1} \ \dots \ b_{r_{n_r}}
```

 b_{ij} types mentioning the type vars $a_1 \dots a_n$

- Defines type constructor T and r value constructors:
 - $\mathtt{K}_i \ :: \ \mathtt{b}_{i_1} \ \overset{}{-}{>} \ \mathtt{b}_{i_2} \ \overset{}{-}{>} \ \ldots \quad \mathtt{b}_{i_n} \ \overset{}{-}{>} \ \mathtt{T} \ \mathtt{a}_1 \ \ldots \quad \mathtt{a}_n$
- Compare [] :: [a] and (:) :: a -> [a] -> [a]
- Sum Type (n=0, $n_i = 0$)

```
-- Demonstrate algebraic data types: sum type
2
   data Weekday = Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat | Sun
     deriving (Eq, Show, Ord, Enum, Bounded)
4
  -- Is this day on a weekend?
6
   weekend :: Weekday -> Bool
   weekend Sat = True
   weekend Sun = True
   weekend _ = False
11
12
   -- The classic rock/paper/scissor game
13
14
   data Move = Rock | Paper | Scissor
15
     deriving (Eq)
17
   data Outcome = Lose | Tie | Win
18
     deriving (Show)
19
20
   -- Outcome of a game round (us vs. them)
21
   outcome :: Move -> Move -> Outcome
22
   outcome Rock
                    Scissor = Win
   outcome Paper Rock
                            = Win
   outcome Scissor Paper
                            = Win
25
   outcome us
                    them
26
     | us == them = Tie
27
     | otherwise = Lose
28
29
   main :: IO ()
31
   main = do
32
     print $ Mon == Sun
33
     print $ Thu < Sat</pre>
34
     print [Mon .. Fri]
     print (minBound :: Weekday)
36
     print $ outcome Rock Rock
```

• Add deriving (c, c, ... c) to data declaration to define canonical operations:

c	operations
Eq	equality $(==,/=)$
Show	printing (show)
Ord	ordering $(<, <=, \max)$
Enum	enumeration
Bounded	minBound, maxBound

• Product Types (r=1)

```
-- Demonstrate algebraic data types: product type
2
   data Sequence a = S Int [a]
3
     deriving (Eq, Show)
4
5
6
  fromList :: [a] -> Sequence a
  fromList xs = S (length xs) xs
   (+++) :: Sequence a -> Sequence a
10
   S lx xs +++ S ly ys = S (lx + ly) (xs ++ ys)
11
12
  len :: Sequence a -> Int
13
   len (S lx _) = lx
14
16
  main :: IO ()
17
  main = do
18
     print $ fromList [0..9]
19
    print $ len (fromList ['a'...'m'] +++ fromList ['n'...'z'])
```

• Sum-of-Product-Types

```
data Maybe a = Just a | Nothing
data Either a b = Left a | Right b
data List a = Nil | Cons a (List a)
```

```
-- Our own formulation of cons lists
   data List a = Nil
     | Cons a (List a)
3
   deriving (Show)
4
5
  -- Haskell's builtin type [a] and List a are isomorphic:
6
             toList . fromList = id
7
   -- and fromList . toList = id
   toList :: [a] -> List a
  toList [] = Nil
  toList (x:xs) = Cons x (toList xs)
11
12
13 | fromList :: List a -> [a]
  fromList Nil = []
14
fromList (Cons x xs) = x:fromList xs
  -- The family of well-known list functions (combinators) can be
   -- reformulated for List a
18
   mapList :: (a -> b) -> List a -> List b
19
  mapList f Nil = Nil
20
  mapList f (Cons x xs) = Cons (f x) (mapList f xs)
21
23 | filterList :: (a -> Bool) -> List a -> List a
  filterList p Nil
                                      = Nil
  filterList p (Cons x xs) | p x = Cons x (filterList p xs)
25
                           | otherwise = filterList p xs
26
27
  liftList :: ([a] -> [b]) -> List a -> List b
28
  liftList f = toList . f . fromList
29
  mapList' :: (a -> b) -> List a -> List b
31
  mapList' f = liftList (map f)
32
33
34 | filterList' :: (a -> Bool) -> List a -> List a
  filterList' p = liftList (filter p)
36
  main :: IO ()
  main = print $ fromList $ filterList' (> 3) $ mapList' (+1) $ toList
```

```
-- Abstract syntax tree for arithmetic expressions of literals
  data Exp a = Lit a
              | Add (Exp a) (Exp a)
3
             | Sub (Exp a) (Exp a)
4
             | Mul (Exp a) (Exp a)
    deriving (Show)
6
  ex1 :: Exp Integer
  ex1 = Add (Mul (Lit 5) (Lit 8)) (Lit 2)
9
10
11
  evaluate :: Num a => Exp a -> a
  evaluate (Lit n) = n
  evaluate (Add e1 e2) = evaluate e1 + evaluate e2
  evaluate (Mul e1 e2) = evaluate e1 * evaluate e2
  evaluate (Sub e1 e2) = evaluate e1 - evaluate e2
16
17
18
  main :: IO ()
20 main = print $ evaluate ex1
```

4 Type Classes

A type class C defines a family of type signatures ("methods") which all instances of C must implement.

```
class {	t C} a where {	t f}_1 :: {	t t}_1 ... {	t f}_n :: {	t t}_n
```

The t_i must mention a.

For any f_i the class may provide default implementations.

```
We have f_i :: C a \Rightarrow t_i
```

(read "if a is instance C then f_i has type t_i ").

C a is called class constraint.

Example:

```
class Eq a where

(==) :: a -> a -> Bool

(/=) :: a -> a -> Bool

x == y = not (x /= y)

x /= y = not (x == y)
```

(These are default implementations. To redefine one of them is sufficient.)

4.1 Class Inheritance

- Defining class (c_1 a, c_2 a, ...) => C a where ... makes type class C a subclass of the C_i .
- C a \Rightarrow t implies C_1 a, C_2 a

4.2 Class Instances

If type t implements the methods of class C, t becomes an **instance of** C:

```
instance {f C} t where  {f f}_1 = <\! {\tt def} \ {\tt of} \ {f f}_1 > \\ {\tt  } {\tt
```

(All defs of f_i may be provided, minimal complete definition <u>must</u> be provided.) Class constraint C t is satisfied from now on.

Example:

```
instance Eq Bool where
x == y = x &  y | | (not x &  not y)
```

An instance definition for type constructor t may formulate class constraints for its argument types a, b, ...: instance (C_1 a, C_2 a, ...) => C t where

4.2 Class Instances 4 TYPE CLASSES

```
import Data.Maybe
import Data.Tuple
-- The classic rock/paper/scissor game
data Outcome = Lose | Tie | Win
instance Eq Outcome where
 Lose == Lose = True
 Tie == Tie = True
 Win == Win = True
     == _ = False
instance Enum Outcome where
  fromEnum Lose = 0
  fromEnum Tie = 1
  fromEnum Win = 2
  toEnum 0 = Lose
  toEnum 1 = Tie
  toEnum 2 = Win
instance Show Outcome where
  show Lose = "Lose"
  show Tie = "Tie"
  show Win = "Win"
instance Ord Outcome where
 Lose <= Lose = True
 Lose <= Tie = True
 Lose <= Win = True
 Tie <= Tie = True
 Tie <= Win = True
  Win <= Win = True
  _ <= _ = False
instance Bounded Outcome where
 minBound = Lose
 maxBound = Win
data Move = Rock | Paper | Scissor
instance Eq Move where
 Rock == Rock = True
```

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```
Paper == Paper = True
 Scissor == Scissor = True
  _ == _ = False
-- Lookup table defining a consistent mapping between Move and Int
table :: [(Move, Int)]
table = [(Rock, 0), (Paper, 1), (Scissor, 2)]
instance Enum Move where
 fromEnum o = fromJust $ lookup o table
 toEnum n = fromJust $ lookup n $ map swap table
instance Show Move where
 show Rock = "Rock"
 show Paper = "Paper"
 show Scissor = "Scissor"
instance Ord Move where
 Rock <= Rock = True
 Rock <= Paper = True
 Rock <= Scissor = True
 Paper <= Paper = True
 Paper <= Scissor = True
 Scissor <= Scissor = True
        <= _ = False
instance Bounded Move where
 minBound = Rock
 maxBound = Scissor
outcome :: Move -> Move -> Outcome
outcome Rock     Scissor = Win
outcome Paper Rock = Win
outcome Scissor Paper = Win
outcome us them
  | us == them = Tie
  | otherwise = Lose
main :: IO ()
main = print $ outcome Paper Paper
```

4.2 Class Instances 4 TYPE CLASSES

4.2.1 Deriving Class Instances

Automatically make user-defined data types (data ...) instances of classes $C_i \in \{ Eq, Ord, Enum, Bounded, Show, Read \}:$

```
data T a_1 a_1 ... a_n = ...
                       1 ...
2
       deriving (C_1, C_2, \ldots)
   -- Use deriving the obtain the standard interpretation for the type
1
   → classes
   -- Eq, Ord, Enum, Bounded, Show, Read
   -- The classic rock/paper/scissor game
   data Outcome = Lose | Tie | Win
     deriving (Eq, Ord, Enum, Bounded, Show, Read)
6
  data Move = Rock | Paper | Scissor
8
     deriving (Eq, Enum, Read)
                                   -- Ord, Show defined below;
9
                                   -- Bounded makes no sense
10
   instance Show Move where
                 = "rock"
     show Rock
12
     show Paper = "paper"
13
     show Scissor = "scissor"
14
15
   instance Ord Move where
                                     -- NB: non-conventional,
16
     Rock
            <= Rock
                        = True
                                    -- encodes game rules
17
     Rock
             <= Paper
                         = True
18
     Paper
             <= Paper
                       = True
19
             <= Scissor = True
20
     Scissor <= Scissor = True
21
     Scissor <= Rock
                        = True
22
             <= _
                         = False
23
   outcome :: Move -> Move -> Outcome
   outcome m1 m2 | m1 == m2 = Tie
26
                  | m1 < m2 = Lose
27
                  | otherwise = Win
28
29
  main :: IO ()
30
  main = do
31
32
     print $ outcome Paper Scissor
     print $ [Rock, Paper, Scissor]
33
     print $ (read "Scissor" :: Move)
34
```

5 Domain-Specific Languages

a.k.a. DSLs

- "small" languages designed to easily and directly express the concepts/idioms of a specific domain. Not Turing-complete in general.
- Examples:

Domain	DSLs
OS automation	shell scripts, OSX Automater
Typesetting	Ŀ₽ŢĘX
Queries	SQL
Game Scripting	Unreal Script, Lua
Parsing	Yacc, Bison, ANTLR

- Functional Languages make good hosts for **embedded DSLs**:
 - algebraic data types (e.g. to model ASTs)
 - higher-order functions (abstraction, control constructs)
 - lightweight syntax (layout / whitespace, non-alphabetic ids)

Example: An embedded DSL for integer sets:

(1) DSL as library of functions, implementation details exposed.

```
import Data.List (nub)
   -- A library of functions on integer sets,
  -- implementation fully exposed
   type IntegerSet = [Integer] -- unsorted, duplicates allowed
6
   empty :: IntegerSet
7
   empty = []
   insert :: Integer -> IntegerSet -> IntegerSet
   insert x xs = x:xs
11
12
   delete :: Integer -> IntegerSet -> IntegerSet
13
   delete x xs = filter (/= x) xs
14
15
   (∈) :: Integer -> IntegerSet -> Bool
16
   x \in xs = elem x xs
17
20
   -- "Extending" the library, accessing the exposed
21
   -- implementation. Now we're doomed to stick the
22
   -- list-based representation...
23
24
   (□) :: IntegerSet -> IntegerSet -> Bool
   xs \subseteq ys = all (\x -> x \in ys) xs
26
27
   card :: IntegerSet -> Int
28
   card xs = length (nub xs)
30
31
32
  s1, s2 :: IntegerSet
33
   s1 = insert 1 (insert 2 (insert 3 empty))
34
  s2 = foldr insert empty [1..10]
35
  prog :: Bool
37
  prog = s1 \subseteq s2
38
39
  main :: IO ()
40
  main = print $ prog
```

5.1 Modules

• Group of related definitions (values, types) in a single file (named "M.hs" / "M.lhs"):

```
module M where
type Predicate a = a -> Bool
id :: a -> a
id x = x
```

- \bullet Hierarchy: module A.B.C.M in file A/B/C/M.hs
- Access definitions in other module M: import M

• Explicit export lists hide all other definitions:

```
module M (id) where

...

-- type Predicate a not exported
```

• Abstract data types:

export algebraic data types, but <u>not</u> its constructors:

```
module M (Rose, leaf) where
data Rose a = Node a [Rose a]
leaf :: a -> Rose a [Rose a]
leaf x = Node x []
```

- Export constructors:

```
module M (Rose(Node), leaf) where

...

-- or export all constructors:
module M (Rose(..), leaf) where
```

- Instance definitions (including deriving) are exported with their type.
- Qualified imports to partition name space:

```
import qualified M

...

-- use M.foobar syntax

t :: M.Rose Char

t = M.leaf 'x'
```

• Partially import module:

```
-- only import nub and reverse
import Data.List (nub, reverse)

-- import whole module but without otherwise
import Prelude hiding (otherwise)
otherwise :: Bool
otherwise = False -- harhar
```

• Pass imported modules to importer of own module:

```
module M (..., module Data.List, ...) where
import Data.List (nub)

import qualified M
M.nub
```

```
module SetLanguageShallowCard (IntegerSet,
                                     empty,
2
                                     insert,
3
                                     delete,
                                     member,
5
                                     card) where
6
7
   data IntegerSet = IS (Integer -> Bool) Int -- characteristic function +
   \rightarrow cardinality
   -- constructors
10
   empty :: IntegerSet
11
   empty = IS (\_ -> False)
12
              0
13
   -- empty = IS (const False) 0
14
   {-
   insert :: IntegerSet -> Integer -> IntegerSet
16
   insert \ xs@(IS \ f \ c) \ x = IS \ (\y \rightarrow x == y \ // \ f \ y)
17
                                 (if member xs x then c else c + 1)
18
   -7
19
   delete :: IntegerSet -> Integer -> IntegerSet
20
   delete xs \circ (IS f c) x = IS (y -> y /= x && f y)
21
                                (if member xs x then c - 1 else c)
22
23
   -- observer
24
  member :: IntegerSet -> Integer -> Bool
25
  member (IS f _) x = f x
26
   -- member (IS f _) = f
27
28
   card :: IntegerSet -> Int
29
  card (IS _ c) = c
```

```
--import SetLanguage
  import SetLanguageShallow
2
  --import SetLanguageShallowCard
   -- impossible
5
   -- (SetLanguage/SetLanguageShallow do not export
      data constructor IS)
   {-
  union :: IntegerSet -> IntegerSet -> IntegerSet
   union (IS xs) (IS ys) = IS (xs ++ ys)
11
12
  union :: IntegerSet -> IntegerSet -> IntegerSet
13
   union (IS f) (IS g) = IS (y \rightarrow f y | g y)
14
15
   -}
17
  set12 :: IntegerSet
18
  set12 = (((empty 'insert' 3) 'insert' 2) 'delete' 3) 'insert' 1
19
20
  main :: IO ()
21
  main = print $ set12 'member' 3
```

(2) DSL as library of functions, abstract data type (module).

• Shallow DSL embedding:

Semantics of DSL operations directly expressed in terms of host language value (e.g. list or characteristic function)

- constructors (empty, insert, delete) perform the work, harder to add
- observers (member) trivial

• Deep DSL embedding:

DSL operations build an abstract syntax tree (AST) that represents applications and arguments

- constructors merely build the AST, very easy to add
- observers interpret (traverse) the AST and perform the work

```
module SetLanguageDeepCard (IntegerSet(Empty, Insert, Delete),
                                member,
2
                                card) where
3
   -- constructors
5
6
   data IntegerSet =
7
       Empty
8
     | Insert IntegerSet Integer
9
     | Delete IntegerSet Integer
10
     deriving (Show)
11
12
   -- TODO: build a suitable Show instance for IntegerSet
13
14
   -- observers
15
   member :: IntegerSet -> Integer -> Bool
17
                  _ = False
   member Empty
18
   member (Insert xs x) y = x == y || member xs y
19
   member (Delete xs x) y = x /= y && member xs y
20
21
   card :: IntegerSet -> Int
22
   card Empty
                                     = 0
   card (Insert xs x) | member xs x = card xs
                       | otherwise = card xs + 1
25
   card (Delete xs x) | member xs x = card xs - 1
26
                       | otherwise = card xs
27
   import SetLanguageDeepCard
1
2
   set12 :: IntegerSet
3
   set12 = (((Empty 'Insert' 3) 'Insert' 2) 'Delete' 3) 'Insert' 1
4
5
   main :: IO ()
   main = do
    print $ set12
8
    print $ set12 'member' 3
9
    print $ card set12
10
```

```
module ExprDeepNum (Expr(..),
                        eval) where
2
3
   -- constructors
5
   data Expr =
6
       Val Integer
7
     | Add Expr Expr
8
     | Mul Expr Expr
     | Sub Expr Expr
     deriving (Show)
11
12
   instance Num Expr where
13
     fromInteger n = Val n
14
     e1 + e2 = Add e1 e2
15
     e1 - e2 = Sub e1 e2
     e1 * e2 = Mul e1 e2
^{17}
18
     abs e = undefined
19
     signum e = undefined
20
21
22
   -- observer
23
24
  eval :: Expr -> Integer
25
  eval (Val n) = n
26
  eval (Add e1 e2) = eval e1 + eval e2
27
  eval (Mul e1 e2) = eval e1 * eval e2
  eval (Sub e1 e2) = eval e1 - eval e2
```

```
import ExprDeepNum
2
   -- e1 = 8 * 7 - 14
   e1 :: Expr
   e1 = Sub (Mul (Val 8) (Val 7)) (Val 14)
6
   e2 :: Expr
   e2 = 8 * 7 - 14
  main :: IO ()
10
  main = do
11
     print $ eval e1
12
     print $ negate e2
13
     print $ eval e2
14
```

5.2 Generalized Algebraic Data Types (GADTs)

Idea:

- Encode the type of a DSL expression (here: Integer or Bool) in its **Haskell representation type**.
- Use Haskell's type checker to ensure at compile time that only well-typed DSL expressions are built.

```
Language extensions:
```

```
\{-\# LANGUAGE GADTs \#-\}
```

• Define new parameterized type T, its constructors k_i and their type signatures:

```
{-# LANGUAGE GADTs #-}
2
  module ExprDeepGADTTyped (Expr(..),
                              eval) where
4
5
  -- Expr a: an expression that, if evaluated, will yield a value of type
6
   \hookrightarrow a
  data Expr a where
            :: Integer
    ValI
                                               -> Expr Integer
    ValB :: Bool
                                              -> Expr Bool
10
            :: Expr Integer -> Expr Integer -> Expr Integer
11
            :: Expr Bool -> Expr Bool
                                             -> Expr Bool
12
    EqZero :: Expr Integer
                                              -> Expr Bool
13
           :: Expr Bool -> Expr a -> Expr a -> Expr a
14
16
   instance Show (Expr a) where
17
     show (ValI n)
                       = show n
18
     show (ValB b)
                      = show b
19
     show (Add e1 e2) = show e1 ++ " + " ++ show e2
20
     show (And e1 e2) = show e1 ++ " \wedge " ++ show e2
21
     show (EqZero e) = show e ++ " == 0"
22
     show (If p e1 e2) = "if " ++ show p ++ " then " ++ show e1 ++ " else "
23
     \rightarrow ++ show e2
24
25
   -- NB: this is *typed* evaluation of expressions:
26
  eval :: Expr a -> a
27
  eval (ValI n)
                    = n
  eval (ValB b)
                    = b
29
  eval (Add e1 e2) = eval e1 + eval e2
30
  eval (And e1 e2) = eval e1 && eval e2
31
  eval (EqZero e) = eval e == 0
32
eval (If p e1 e2) = if eval p then eval e1 else eval e2
```

```
import ExprDeepGADTTyped
2
  e1 :: Expr Integer
  e1 = If (EqZero (Add (ValI 0) (ValI 0))) (ValI 42) (ValI 43)
5
   -- e2 yields compile-time type error
6
7
  e2 :: Expr Bool
  e2 = EqZero (ValB True)
  main :: IO ()
11
  main = do
12
     print $ e1
13
     print $ eval e1
14
```

Shallow embedding of a String Matching DSL 5.3

• Pattern:

- 1. Given a String, a pattern returns the list of matches. Match failure? Returns the empty list.
- 2. A match consists of a value (e.g. the matched characters, tokens, parse trees) and the residual String left to match.

Thus: type Pattern a = String -> [(a, String)]

5.3.1 DSL design

Pattern		DSL function
match lit. char	"x"	lit :: Char -> Pattern Char
match empty string	ϵ	empty :: a -> Pattern a
fail always	Ø	fail :: Pattern a
alternative		alt :: Pattern a -> Pattern a -> Pattern a
sequence		seq :: (a -> b -> c) ->
		Pattern a -> Pattern b -> Pattern c
repetition	*	rep :: Pattern a -> Pattern [a]

```
module PatternMatching (Pattern,
                         module Prelude,
                        lit, empty, fail,
                         alt, seq, rep, rep1,
```

```
alts, seqs, lits, app) where
import Prelude hiding (seq, fail)
-- Given a string, a pattern returns the (possibly empty) list of
-- possible matches. A match consists of a match value (e.g., matched
-- the matched character(s), token, or parse tree) and the residual
\rightarrow string
-- left to match:
type Pattern a = String -> [(a, String)]
-- BASIC PATTERNS
-- match character c, returning the matched character
lit :: Char -> Pattern Char
lit _c []
lit c (x:xs) \mid c == x = [(c, xs)]
              | otherwise = []
-- match the empty string, return v
empty :: a -> Pattern a
empty v xs = [(v, xs)]
-- fail always (yields empty list of matches)
fail :: Pattern a
fail _ = []
-- COMBINE PATTERNS
-- match p or q
alt :: Pattern a -> Pattern a -> Pattern a
alt p q xs = p xs ++ q xs
-- match p and q in sequence (use f to combine match values)
seq :: (a -> b -> c) -> Pattern a -> Pattern b -> Pattern c
seq f p q xs = concat (map (\((v1, xs1) ->
                         map (\(v2, xs2) -> (f v1 v2, xs2))
                             (q xs1))
                         (p xs))
-- An alternative (more consise and readable) implementation of seq
```

```
-- based on list comprehension syntax:
 -- seq f p q xs = [ (f v1 v2, xs2) | (v1, xs1) <- p xs, (v2, xs2) <- q
  \rightarrow xs1 ]
-- match p repeatedly (including 0 times)
rep :: Pattern a -> Pattern [a]
rep p = alt (seq (:) p (rep p)) (empty [])
-- match p repeatedly, but at least once
rep1 :: Pattern a -> Pattern [a]
rep1 p = seq (:) p (rep p)
-- CONVENIENCE
-- build "or" choice pattern from a list of alternatives
alts :: [Pattern a] -> Pattern a
alts = foldr alt fail
-- build "and" sequence pattern from a list of patterns
seqs :: [Pattern a] -> Pattern [a]
seqs = foldr (seq (:)) (empty [])
-- match a string (= sequence of characters)
lits :: String -> Pattern String
lits cs = seqs [ lit c | c <- cs ]</pre>
-- apply function f to match value (for match post-processing)
app :: (a -> b) -> Pattern a -> Pattern b
app f p xs = [ (f v1, xs1) | (v1, xs1) \leftarrow p xs ]
{-
-- Using rep leads to longest match first:
rep p xs
      = alt (seq (:) p (rep p)) (empty []) xs
      = seq (:) p (rep p) xs ++ empty [] xs
      = seq (:) p (rep p) xs ++ [([], xs)]
       = [(v1:v2, xs2) | (v1,xs1) \leftarrow p xs, (v2,xs2) \leftarrow rep p xs1] ++ [([], xs2) \leftarrow rep p xs2] ++ [([], xs2) \leftarrow rep xs2] ++ [([], xs2] \leftarrow rep
  \rightarrow xs)]
```

```
rep P'a' "aab"
  = [(v1:v2, xs2) | (v1,xs1) \leftarrow P'a' \text{ "aab"}, (v2,xs2) \leftarrow rep P'a' xs1]

→ ++ [([], "aab")]

  = [(v1:v2, xs2) | (v1,xs1) \leftarrow [('a',"ab")], (v2,xs2) \leftarrow rep P'a' xs1
\rightarrow ] ++ [([], "aab")]
  = [('a':v2,xs2) | (v2,xs2) \leftarrow rep P'a' "ab"] ++ [([], "aab")]
-}
```

```
import Prelude ()
   import PatternMatching
  fortytwo :: Pattern (Char, Char)
5
   fortytwo = seq (,) (lit '4') (lit '2')
6
   digit :: Pattern Char
   digit = lit '0' 'alt' lit '1' 'alt' lit '2' 'alt' lit '3' 'alt'
9
           lit '4' 'alt' lit '5' 'alt' lit '6' 'alt' lit '7' 'alt'
           lit '8' 'alt' lit '9'
11
12
   number :: Pattern String
13
   number = rep digit
14
   smiley :: Pattern String
16
   smiley = seq (:) (alt (lit ':') (lit ';'))
17
                     (seq (:) (lit '-')
18
                               (seq (:) (alt (lit '(') (lit ')'))
19
                                        (empty [])))
20
21
   main :: IO ()
22
   main = do
23
     print $ fortytwo "42 rules"
24
     print $ rep digit "42 rules"
25
     print $ smiley ";-)"
26
```

```
import Prelude ()
import PatternMatching
-- Make use of the fact that the pattern matching DSL is *embedded*
-- into Haskell: define new functions (abstractions) that combine
-- simple patterns
```

```
-- Example:
-- Match a fully parenthesized arithmetic expression over integers,
-- e.g. ((4*10)+2)
-- Variant 1: return list of matched characters
digit :: Pattern Char
digit = alts [ lit d | d <- ['0'...'9'] ]
number :: Pattern String
number = rep1 digit
op :: Pattern String
op = alts [ lits o | o <- ["+", "-", "*", "/"] ]
expr :: Pattern String
expr = alts [ number, app concat (seqs [lits "(", expr, op, expr, lits
→ ")"]) ]
-- Variant 2: return a simple AST for the matched expression
data Expr a =
    Num a
  | Op (Expr a) String (Expr a)
  deriving (Show)
number' :: Pattern (Expr Integer)
number' = app (Num . read) (rep1 digit)
expr' :: Pattern (Expr Integer)
expr' = alts [ number', seq (\_ (e1,(o,(e2,_))) \rightarrow Op e1 o e2)
                             (lit '(') (seq (,)
                                       expr' (seq (,)
                                             op (seq (,)
                                                expr' (lit ')'))))
             ]
main :: IO ()
main = do
  print $ rep1 digit "1234.56"
  print $ lits "abc" "abcdef"
  print $ expr "((4*10)+2)"
  print $ expr' "((4*10)+2)"
```

6 Lazy Evaluation

To execute a program, Haskell reduces expressions to values. Haskell uses normal order reduction to select the next expression to reduce:

- 1. The outermost reducible expression (redex) is reduced first
- $2. \Rightarrow$ Function applications are reduced first before their arguments.
- 3. If no further redex is found, the expression is in normal form and reduction terminates.

```
fst :: (a, b) -> a
fst (x, y) = x
sqr :: Num a => a -> a
sqr x = x * x

-- ->: reduces to
fst (sqr (1+3), sqr 2) -> sqr (1 + 3) [fst]
-> (1+3) * (1+3) [sqr]
-> 4 * 4 [+/+]
-> 16 [*]
```

Haskell avoids the duplication of work through graph reduction. Expression are shared (referenced more than once) instead of duplicated.

Lazy evaluation: normal order reduction and sharing.

6.1 WHNF

An expression e is in weak head normal form (WHNF) if it is of the following form

1. v (where v is an atomic value

```
Integer, Bool, Char, ...
)
2. c e1 e2 ... en
  (where c is an n-ary constructor, like
  (:)
)
3. f e1 e2 ... em
  (where f is an n-ary function, m < n)</pre>
```

Haskell reduces values to WHNF only (stop criterium for reduction) unless we request reduction to normal form (e.g. when printing results).

Example expressions in WHNF:

```
42 --1.
(sqr 2, sqr 4) --2. (,)
f x : map f xs --2. (:)
Just (40+2) --2. Just
(* (40+2)) --3. * binär
(\x -> 40+2) --3. unary function w/o args
```

6.2 Lazy Evaluation and Bottom

 $f x1 \dots xi-1 bottom xi+1 \dots xn = bottom$

Some Haskell expressions have the value bottom. Examples:

```
error, undefined, bomb
```

. Lazy evaluation admits functions that return a non-bottom value even if they receive bottom as argument (also: non-strict functions). N-ary function f is strict in its i-th argument, if

```
Examples:

• const :: a -> b -> a --strict in first, non-strict in second argument

• (&&) :: Bool -> Bool -> Bool -- dito
```

If a function pattern matches on an argument, Haskell semantics define it to be strict in that argument.

Example:

```
data T = T Int
f :: T -> Int
f (T x) = 42

f undefined -> undefined
f (T undefined) -> 42
```

7 Infinite Lists (Data Structures)

One consequence of lazy evaluation: programs can handle infinite Lists as long as any run will inspect only a finite prefix of such a list. Enables a modular programming style:

- 1. generator functions produce an infinite number of solutions / approximations / ...
- 2. test functions select one (or finite number of) solutions from this infinite list.

7.1 Example: Newton-Raphson square root approximation

Iteratively approximate the square root of x:

1.
$$a_0 = \frac{x}{2}$$

$$2. \ a_{i+1} = \frac{a_i + \frac{x}{a_i}}{2}$$

```
-- Demonstrate modular program construction through laziness:
  -- value generation (here: iterate) and consume/test (here: within)
  -- can be implemented separately.
  -- Can replace test (within \rightarrow relative) without modifying the
   \rightarrow generator.
  -- See John Hughes, "Why Functional Programming Matters", Section 4.1
5
  import Prelude hiding (iterate)
  -- [x, f x, f (f x), f (f (f x)), \ldots]
  iterate :: (a -> a) -> a -> [a]
  iterate f x = x : iterate f (f x)
  -- Consume list until two adjacent elements are
10
   -- 1. within eps of each other
11
  -- 2. differ by a factor less than eps
12
  within :: (Ord a, Num a) => a -> [a] -> a
13
   within eps (x1:x2:xs) | abs (x1 - x2) \le eps = x2
14
                          | otherwise
                                                  = within eps (x2:xs)
16
   relative :: (Ord a, Fractional a) => a -> [a] -> a
17
   relative eps (x1:x2:xs) | abs (x1/x2 - 1) \le eps = x2
18
                            otherwise
                                                      = relative eps (x2:xs)
19
   -- Square root of x using the Newton-Raphson algorithm:
20
       a0 = x / 2
21
        ai+1 = (ai + x / ai) / 2
22
   -- Why does this work? If the approximations ai converge to some
23
   -- limit a, then:
24
      a = (a + x / a) / 2
25
   -- 2a = a + x / a
26
       a = x / a
27
   -- a^2 = x
28
       a = \sqrt{x}
29
   sqroot :: Double -> Double
30
   sqroot eps x = within eps (iterate next a0)
31
                  relative
32
    where
33
       -- initial approximation
34
       a0 :: Double
35
       a0 = x / 2
36
       -- find next ai+1, given ai
37
       next :: Double -> Double
38
       next a = (a + x / a) / 2
39
40
  main :: IO ()
41
  main = print $ sqroot 0.001 81
```

7.2 Example: Tic-Tac-Toe game tree

Build the (potentially huge) tree of possible moves for the Tic-Tac-Toe board game. Evaluate promise of game position. Plan:

1. Find representation of game position (board + player next up)

```
|1|2|3| next: x
|4|5|6| square #6: open
|0|x|0| spare #9: occupied by player 0
```

- 2. Provide pretty-printing for game positions.
- 3. Define initial position and possible moves:

```
moves :: Position -> [Position]
```

4. Evaluate a given position:

```
static :: Position -> Int
(1 / -1: x/0 won the game, 0 draw)
```