

Assignment 3

Haskell

Due Date: Monday, February 27th 2017, 11:59pm

Directions

Answers to English questions should be in your own words; don't just quote from articles or books. We will take some points off for: code with the wrong type or wrong name, duplicate code, code with extra unnecessary cases, or code that is excessively hard to follow. You should always assume that the inputs given to each function will be well-typed, thus your code should not have extra cases for inputs that are not of the proper type. (Assume that any human inputs are error checked before they reach your code. Avoid duplicating code by using helping functions, library functions (when not prohibited in the problems), or by using syntactic sugars and local definitions (using **let** and **where**). It is a good idea to check your code for these problems before submitting. Be sure to test your programs on Eustis to ensure they work on a Unix system.

This is a group assignment. Make a group of 3-4 in WebCourses and use that to turn in the assignment.

Deliverables

For this assignment, turn in the following files:

- TotalHeight.hs
- SplitScreen.hs
- Improve.hs
- FreeQBExp.hs
- Rank.hs
- ToCharFun.hs
- MapInside.hs
- EncryptWith.hs
- ComposeList.hs

For coding problems, put your solution in the appropriate Haskell source file (named with ".hs" or ".lhs" suffix).

Problem 1 (20 pts)

This problem is about the type `WindowLayout`, which is defined in the file `WindowLayout.hs`.

```
module WindowLayout where  
data WindowLayout = Window {wname :: String, width :: Int, height :: Int}  
                  | Horizontal [WindowLayout]  
                  | Vertical [WindowLayout]  
                  deriving (Show, Eq)
```

In Haskell, write a function

```
totalHeight :: WindowLayout -> Int
```

that takes a `<WindowLayout>`, `w1`, and returns the total height of the window layout. The height is defined by cases as follows. The height of a `<WindowLayout>` of form

$$\text{Window } \{wname = nm, width = w, height = h\}$$

is h . The height of a `<WindowLayout>` of the form

$$\text{Horizontal } [wl_1, \dots, wl_n]$$

is 0 if the list is empty, and otherwise is the maximum of the heights of wl_1 through wl_m (inclusive). The height of a `<WindowLayout>` of the form

$$\text{Vertical } [wl_1, \dots, wl_n]$$

is the sum of the heights of wl_1 through wl_m (inclusive), which is 0 if the list is empty.

The file `TotalHeightTests.hs` contains tests that show how the function should work.

Be sure to follow the grammar! In particular, you need to use some helping functions to work on the lists that are part of the `<WindowLayout>` grammar. We will take off points if you do not follow the grammar (and you will spend more time trying to get your code to work).

Problem 2 (20 pts)

This is another problem about Window Layouts. Write a function

```
splitScreen :: String -> WindowLayout -> WindowLayout
```

that takes in a string, name, and a Window Layout, `w1`, and returns a Window Layout that is just like `w1`, except that for each window in `w1` whose `wname` is (`== to`) name is changed to a horizontal window layout with both windows having the same name and half the width of the previous layout. (Hint: Use Haskell's `div` operator to do the division.)

Problem 3 (20 pts)

This problem uses the types `Statement` and `Expression`, which are found in the file `StatementsExpressions.hs`.

```
module StatementsExpressions where

data Statement = ExpStmt Expression
               | AssignStmt String Expression
               | IfStmt Expression Statement
               deriving (Eq, Show)

data Expression = VarExp String
               | NumExp Integer
               | EqualsExp Expression Expression
               | BeginExp [Statement] Expression
               deriving (Eq, Show)
```

Write a function

```
improve :: Statement -> Statement
```

that takes a `Statement`, `stmt`, and returns a `Statement` just like `stmt`, except that two simplifications are made:

1. Each `Statement` of the form `(IfStmt (VarExp "true") s)` is replaced by a simplified version of `s` in the output.
2. Each `Expression` of the form `(BeginExp [] e)` is replaced by a simplified version of `e` in the output.

There are test cases contained in `ImproveTests.hs`.

Problem 4 (25 pts)

Consider the data type of quantified Boolean expressions defined as follows, in the file `QExp.hs`.

```
module QExp where

data QExp = Varref String | QExp `Or` QExp
          | Not QExp | Exists String QExp
          deriving (Eq, Show)
```

Your task is to write the function

```
freeQExp :: QExp -> [String]
```

that takes a `QExp`, `qbe`, and returns a list containing just the strings that occur as a free variable reference in `qbe`. The following defines what “occurs as a free variable reference” means. A string `s` *occurs as a variable reference* in a `QExp` if `s` appears in a subexpression of the form `(Varref s)`. Such a string `s` occurs as a free variable reference if and only if it occurs as a variable reference in a subexpression that is outside of any expression of the form `(Exists s e)`, which declares `s`.

Note that the lists returned by `freeQExp` should have no duplicates. In the tests, the `setEq` function constructs a test case that considers lists of strings to be equal if they have the same elements (so that the order is not important).

Don’t use tail recursion on this problem! Instead, use separate helping functions to prevent duplicates.

Problem 5 (20 pts)

In various contests the contestants are awarded places based on some score, and a list of winners is produced. For example, *ebird.org* maintains the lists of the top 100 birders in Florida this year. In such ranked lists, contestants that have the same score are considered tied; for example, if Audrey and Carlos have both seen 187 bird species this year, then they are considered tied, and both are listed as being in (say) 12th place. In this scenario, the next birder, with 186 species, is listed as being in 14th place, as Audrey and Carlos take places 12 and 13 together, even though they are listed as tied for 12th place.

In this problem you will write a general ranking function

```
rank :: (Ord a) => [a] -> [(Int, a)]
```

which for any type `a` that is an instance of the `Ord` class, takes a list of elements of type `a`, things, and returns a list of pairs of `Int`s and `a` elements. The result is sorted (in non-decreasing order) on the `a` elements of things, and the `Int` in each pair is the rank of the element in the pair.

Hint: you can use `sort` from the module `Data.List`. You may also find it helpful to use a helping function so that you have some additional variables, even if you are not using tail recursion.

Problem 6 (5 pts)

In cryptography, one would like to apply functions defined over the type `Int` to data of type `Char`. However, in Haskell, these two types are distinct. In Haskell, write a function.

```
toCharFun :: (Int -> Int) -> (Char -> Char)
```

that takes a function `f`, of type `Int -> Int`, and returns a function that operates on characters. In your implementation you can use the `fromEnum` and `toEnum` functions that Haskell provides (found in the `Enum` instance that is built-in for the type `Char`).

Hint: note that `(fromEnum 'a')` is 97 and `(toEnum 100) :: Char`.

There are test cases contained in the file `ToCharFunTests.hs`.

Problem 7 (10 pts)

Using Haskell's built-in `map` function, write the function

```
mapInside :: (a -> b) -> [[a]] -> [[b]]
```

that for some types `a` and `b` takes a function `f` of type `a -> b`, and a list of lists of type `a`, `l`s, and returns a list of type `[[b]]` that consists of applying `f` to each element inside each list in `l`s, preserving the structure of the lists.

There are test cases contained in the file `MapInsideTests.hs`.

Note that your code must use `map`. For full credit, write a solution that does not use any pattern matching.

As specified on the first page of this homework, turn in both your code file and the output of your testing.

Problem 8 (20 pts)

Write a higher-order function

`encryptWith :: (Int -> Int) -> [String] -> [String]`

that takes a cryptographic function, `f`, and a list of strings `text`, and returns a (poorly) encrypted version of each string in the list by using `toCharFun f` to encrypt each character.

There are test cases contained in the file `EncryptWithTests.hs`.

Problem 9 (15 pts)

Write a function

```
composeList :: [(a -> a)] -> (a -> a)
```

that takes a list of functions, and returns a function which is their composition.

Hint: note that `composeList []` is the identity function.

Don't use `last` or `init` in your solution, as that will make your solution $O(n^2)$.

There are test cases contained in the file `ComposeListTests.hs`.