

PMT Additional Exercises (Week 5)

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1 Maximum sum

```
1 maxSum :: [Integer] -> Integer
2 maxSum = snd . foldr f (0,0)
3   where f x (c,g) = (c',g')
4         where c' = max 0 (c+x)
5               g' = max g c'
```

Prove that maxSum (Kadane) computes the maximum sum of a *contiguous* subarray. That is:

$$\forall xs:[Int]. \text{maxSum } xs = \max_{0 \leq i \leq j < \#xs} \sum_{k=i}^j xs[k]$$

Remark: this algorithm is usually run left-to-right (i.e. foldl), but produces the same result.

2 Cycle-finding

Remark: representing (potentially) cyclic data structures in Haskell can be a hazard. Search ‘tying the knot’ for more information.

```
1 data Node a = Node { value :: a, targets :: [Node a] }
2
3 findCycle :: [Node a] -> Node a -> Bool
4 findCycle visited node
5 = elem node visited || any (findCycle node:visited) (targets x)
```

A Node represents a node in a connected *directed* graph. Use *cycle*(n) for a predicate indicating a cycle can be reached from a node n, and *reach*(n,m) for n is reachable from m (both nodes).

1. Write down a structural induction principle for the Node data type.
2. (*) Write down a property (provable with induction) sufficient to show that findCycle determines if there is a cycle from a given node.
3. (***) Complete the proof¹

¹Unlike last week, I have a written solution. You should consider this question to be at least as difficult as any exam question for Reasoning.

3 Solution to maximum sum

This is a classic problem in computer science, and as noted, we have implemented Kadane's algorithm, which has linear time complexity.

The first thing we should observe is that c represents the current sum, and g the global. Similar to last week, we will instead prove a property about f :

$$\forall xs:[Int]. \text{foldr } f \ (\emptyset, \emptyset) \ xs = (\max_{0 \leq j < \#xs} \sum_{k=0}^j xs[k], \max_{0 \leq i \leq j < \#xs} \sum_{k=i}^j xs[k])$$

Recall:

1	<code>foldr f z [] = z</code>
2	<code>foldr f z (x:xs) = f x (foldr f z xs)</code>

Base case To show: `foldr f (0,0) [] = (0,0)`

This follows directly from the definition of `foldr`.

Inductive step Fix $xs:[Int]$.

Inductive Hypothesis:

$$\text{foldr } f \ (\emptyset, \emptyset) \ xs = (\max_{0 \leq j < \#xs} \sum_{k=0}^j xs[k], \max_{0 \leq i \leq j < \#xs} \sum_{k=i}^j xs[k])$$

We will call this tuple (c, g) .

To show:

$$\forall x: Int. \text{foldr } f \ (\emptyset, \emptyset) \ x:xs = (\max_{0 \leq j \leq \#xs} \sum_{k=0}^j (x:xs)[k], \max_{0 \leq i \leq j \leq \#xs} \sum_{k=i}^j (x:xs)[k])$$

Claim (*) that (c, g) represent the variables mentioned above at each step of the fold. Alternate I.H.:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{maxSum } x:xs & \\ &= \text{snd} \ . \ \text{foldr } f \ (\emptyset, \emptyset) \ x:xs && \text{by def. maxSum} \\ &= \text{snd} \ . \ f \ x \ (\text{foldr } f \ (\emptyset, \emptyset) \ xs) && \text{by def. foldr} \\ &= \text{snd} \ . \ f \ x \ (c, g) && \text{by I.H.} \\ &= \text{snd} \ . \ (\max \ 0 \ c+x, \max \ g \ (\max \ 0 \ c+x)) && \text{by def. f} \\ &= \max \ g \ (\max \ 0 \ c+x) && \text{by def. snd} \end{aligned}$$

I claim that this is what we want. Cases: either x is in the sum, or not. If it is, the sublist starts at x , thus $c+x$ is the maximum. Otherwise g is the maximum (by problem definition and given by I.H.).

4 Solution to cycle-finding

Remark: this is for reachable nodes. We only have one case (refreshing!)²

$$\forall n: \text{Node}. (\forall m \in \text{targets } n. P(m)) \rightarrow P(n)$$

Want to show: $\forall n: \text{Node}, vs: [\text{Node}]. \text{findCycle } vs \ n \leftrightarrow \text{cycle}(n) \vee \exists v \in vs : \text{reach}(v, n)$ ³

This proof is a sketch only, write the detail in yourself.

²Below, we use $\forall x \in xs. P(x)$ as a shorthand for $\forall x: a. \text{elem } x \ xs \rightarrow P(x)$, where $xs: [a]$ and P some predicate.

³Likewise, $\exists x \in xs. P(x)$ represents *something sensible that I am too lazy to write*. (sufficient to apply double negative to the universally quantified case to note that this is valid)

Inductive step Fix $ts:[Node]$.

Inductive Hypothesis:

$$\forall m \in ts, vs:[Node]. \text{findCycle } vs \ m \leftrightarrow \text{cycle}(m) \vee \exists v \in vs : \text{reach}(v, m)$$

To show:

$$\forall x:a, vs:[Node]. \text{findCycle } vs \ n \leftrightarrow \text{cycle}(n) \vee \exists v \in vs : \text{reach}(v, n)$$

writing n for $Node \ \{value=x, \ targets=ts\}$.

Fix $x:a, vs:[Node]$.

Assume LHS. Want to show $\text{cycle}(n) \vee \exists v \in vs : \text{reach}(v, n)$. Assume $n \notin vs$, otherwise reach immediately follows from elem node visited. So $\exists m \in ts : \text{findCycle } n:vs \ m$. Applying I.H. we get $\text{cycle}(m)$ (so $\text{cycle}(n)$) or $\exists v \in (n:vs) : \text{reach}(v, m)$ (in which case $\exists v \in vs : \text{reach}(v, n)$, or $\text{reach}(n, n)$, i.e. $\text{cycle}(n)$).

Assume $\exists v \in vs : \text{reach}(v, n)$. Then certainly either $n \in vs$ (hence $\text{elem } n \ vs$), or $\exists m \in ts : \exists v \in vs : \text{reach}(v, m)$ (fulfil any case using I.H.). Thus LHS holds.

Finally, for the substance of the proof: assume $\text{cycle}(n)$. Clearly we have $\text{reach}(n, n)$ (n is part of a cycle), or $\exists m \in ts : \text{cycle}(m)$. If the latter holds, then $\forall vs:[Node]. \exists m \in ts : \text{findCycle } vs \ m$ by I.H., so the any case holds. Otherwise, n is in ts (trivial application of the elem case), or $\exists m \in ts : \text{reach}(n, m)$ (by reasoning about cycles and reachability). But now $\text{findCycle } n:vs \ m$ holds since $\exists v(n:vs) : \text{reach}(v, m)$ (I.H.), so $\text{findCycle } vs \ n$ holds by the any case.