Functional Forkshop: Part 1

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About the Forkshop

- Basic forkshop is split into several parts:
 - 1. Type classes, Semigroups and Monoids.
 - 2. Functors and Applicative Functors.
 - 3. Monads.
 - 4. Readers.
 - 5. Comonads.
- Theory and practice. Make sure that you are ready to write the code.
- Target audience is Scala developers learning FP.
- Forkshop is duplicated in Haskell.

Whys

- Functional programming roams (a bit).
 - More projects are using functional programming techniques and idioms (at different scale).
- Some people are still confused by all these functional talks (OptionT, type lambdas etc).
- Having a common language and understanding of some fundamental stuff is important.

Agenda

- Type classes
- Semigroups
- Monoids
- 3 interesting[™] tasks

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- Plan:
 - Write a simple application
 - Evolve it
 - Check different approaches
 - Introduce type classes

Application definition

- We are writing a game.
- With multiple different creatures.
- Everyone introduces themselves.
- Introduction consists of animations and text showing in a bubble.

Meet the hero

```
case class Hero(name: String, job: String, level: Int) {
  def introduce(): String = s"Hi! My name is $name. I am $level level $job."
}

object Game extends App {
  val player = Hero("Valik", "Black Mage", 20)

  someRealShitSounds()
  drawBubble(player.introduce())
  someRealShitAnimations()
}

// Hi! My name is Valik. I am 20 level Black Mage.
```

Every hero needs a monster

```
case class Orc(name: String, level: Int) {
  def introduce(): String =
    s"Lok-tar ogar! Me be $name. Me be strong. Level $level strong!"
}
case class Ooze(level: Int) {
  def introduce(): String = 1.to(level).map(_=>"brlup").mkString("-")
}
```

Game

```
object Game extends App {
  val player = Hero("Valik", "Black Mage", 20)
  val orc = Orc("Garrosh", 105)
  val coze = \log_{10}(2)
  // Introduce player
  someRealShitSounds()
  drawBubble(player.introduce())
  someRealShitAnimations()
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Issues with this code:

- 1. Repetition
- 2. Noise
- 3. Refactoring (all these introduce are not related to each other).

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  someRealShitSounds()
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def introduce(phrase: String): Unit = {
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  drawBubble(phrase)
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  // Introduce orc
  someRealShitSounds()
  drawBubble(orc.introduce())
  someRealShitAnimations()
  // Introduce once
  someRealShitSounds()
  drawBubble(ooze.introduce())
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  introduce(player.introduce())
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  introduce(ooze.introduce())
Cool, but can we introduce(player)?
```

Introducing abstractions

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trait Introducible {
  def introduce(): String
}

case class Hero(...) extends Introducible {
  override def introduce(): String = s"..."
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Game with trait

- No more introduce(_.introduce()).
- We are adaptive. Less code needs to be changed if we need something new in the introduce function (e.g. sound name) just add new 'method' to the trait.
- Refactoring becomes easier.

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```

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   introduce(orc)
   introduce(ooze)
}
```

Here comes the cockatrice

Shawarma to the rescue



```
import io.proprietary.monsters.cockatrice._
/* ... */
case class CockatriceWrapper(cockatrice: Cockatrice) extends Introducible {
  override def introduce(): String = {
    import cockatrice._
    s"Haha. I am a ${element.shortName} cockatrice of level ${level}."
object Game extends App {
  /* ... */
  val cockatrice = Cockatrice(level = 666, element = Element.Fire)
  val cockatriceW = CockatriceWrapper(cockatrice)
  introduce(cockatriceW)
 /* ... */
// Haha. I am a fire cockatrice of level 666.
```

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- Extensibility extending all kind of types:
 - types we own
 - types we don't own
 - even built-in types

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with keyword is not commutative

Introducible with CanAttack != CanAttack with Introducible.

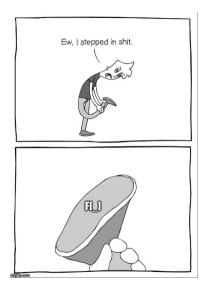
trait + wrapper: extensibility

Extensibility holds, but with several caveats:

- 1. No consistency we wrap only types we don't own.
- 2. Wrappers don't compose very well. You might even wrap your wrappers.
- 3. Bad usability you can't interchangeably use wrapper and the underlying value.

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Dividing data and behaviour

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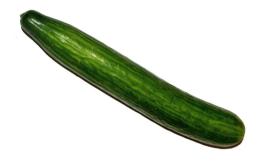
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// Pass data and behaviour separately
object Game extends App {
  /* ... */
  introduce(
    creature = hero.
   impl = Hero.introducibleHero
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```
import io.proprietary.monsters.cockatrice._
// Implement behaviour as a value in companion object
object CockatriceInstances {
  val introducibleCockatrice: Introducible[Cockatrice] = new Introducible[Cockatrice] {
    override def introduce(a: Cockatrice): String =
      s"..."
// Pass data and behaviour separately
object Game extends App {
  /* ... */
  introduce(
    creature = cockatrice.
   impl = CockatriceInstances.introducibleCockatrice
```

But passing implementation around is. . .



Cucumbersome

So implicits:(

```
object Hero {
  val introducibleHero:
      Introducible[Hero] = ???
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def introduce[A] (creature: A.
                 impl: Introducible[A]): Unit = {
  /* ... */
  drawBubble(impl.introduce(creature))
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  def introduce(a: A): String
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                                                           object Introducible {
                                                             def apply[A: Introducible]: Introducible[A] =
                                                               implicitly[Introducible[A]]
def introduce[A](creature: A)
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             (implicit impl: Introducible[A]): Unit = {
  /* ... */
                                                             /* ... */
  drawBubble(impl.introduce(creature))
                                                             drawBubble(Introducible[A].introduce(creature))
  /* ... */
                                                             /* ... */
```

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In Scala this can be achieved in several ways:

- Class inheritance or traits.
- Type classes (traits + implicits).

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But with type classes we don't care about the order.

Type classes: extensibility

Extensibility holds with some gains:

- 1. Consistency we treat our own type the same way we treat external types.
- 2. Usability no wrappers, no interchangeability problem.

Type classes: final thoughts

- 1. Simple idea giving us good properties.
- 2. Found a good use for controversial implicits feature.
- 3. Literal separation of data and values.
- 4. Good for overloading.
- 5. As with any abstraction, not so good for performance.

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Please keep calm and remember that our focus is practical importance :)

Semigroup

Semigroup is a set S with binary closed operation $\cdot: S \times S \to S$ that satisfies associativity property:

$$\forall a, b, c \in S : (a \cdot b) \cdot c = a \cdot (b \cdot c)$$

Operation is closed when $\forall a, b \in S : a \cdot b \in S$.

But it's not that scary

```
package object typeclass {

//
// Laws:
// 1. \forall a, b, c \in A : (a \cdot b) \cdot c = a \cdot (b \cdot c)
//
trait Semigroup[A] {
    def combine(x: A, y: A): A
}

object Semigroup {
    def apply[A: Semigroup]: Semigroup[A] =
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Important!

Semigroup is a pair of the set and the operation.

You can't say that string is a semigroup, you must provide an operation.

And in many cases there is more than one operation for a set to form a semigroup.

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- And as you will see, we really care about these laws.

Instance example

```
package object implicits {
  implicit val stringSemigroup: Semigroup[String] = new Semigroup[String] {
    override def combine(x: String, y: String): String = x + y
  }
}
```

Checking laws - pen and paper in comments

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  implicit val stringSemigroup: Semigroup[String] = new Semigroup[String] {
    override def combine(x: String, y: String): String = x + y
}
}

/*
combine(a, combine(b, c))
= combine(a, b + c)
= a + (b + c)
= (associativity of +)
= (a + b) + c = combine(a + b, c)
= combine(combine(a, b), c)
*/
```



Question on the interview: property based testing

```
object SemigroupSpecification extends Properties("Semigroup") with SemigroupSpecificationSupport {
 include(semigroup[String](stringSemigroup))
trait SemigroupSpecificationSupport {
 def semigroup[A](sg: Semigroup[A])(implicit ar: Arbitrary[A], tag: ClassTag[A]): Properties =
   new Properties(s"Semigroup[${tag.toString}]") {
     // \forall a, b, c \in A : (a \cdot b) \cdot c = a \cdot (b \cdot c)
     property("associativity") = forAll { (a: A, b: A, c: A) =>
       sg.combine(sg.combine(a, b), c) =? sg.combine(a, sg.combine(b, c))
/*
+ Semigroup. Semigroup[java.lang. String]. associativity: OK. passed 100 tests
*/
```

More than one valid instance

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package object implicits {
  implicit val stringSemigroup: Semigroup[String] = new Semigroup[String] {
    override def combine(x: String, y: String): String = x
  }
}
```

More examples

- Numbers with +, *, min, max
- Booleans with conjunction, disjunction, implication etc.
- Square nonnegative matrices with multiplication.
- Lists, Strings, Maps etc. with concatenation/union
- We will see even more examples during practical part.

Contra-examples

- $\{\mathbb{N}, /\}$ is not a Semigroup, because / is not associative.
- The same goes for $\{\mathbb{N}, a^b\}$.
- $\{\mathbb{N}, -\}$ is not a Semigroup, because is not a closed operation, e.g. $\exists a, b \in \mathbb{N} : a b \notin \mathbb{N}$, for example $10 15 = -5 \notin \mathbb{N}$.

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Monoid

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    def apply[A: Monoid]: Monoid[A] = implicitly[Monoid[A]]
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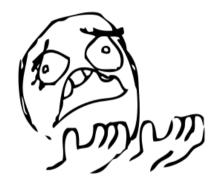
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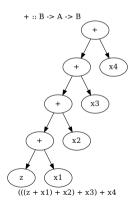
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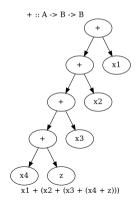
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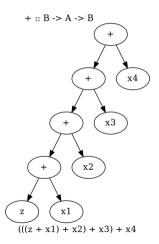
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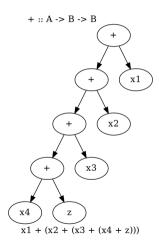


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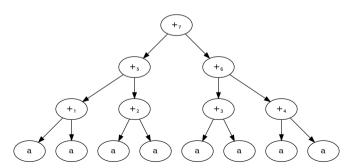
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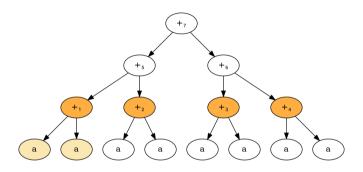
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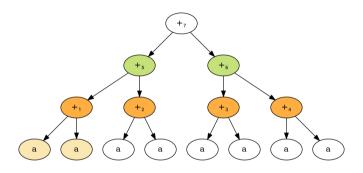
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Evaluating a + a always yields the same result. So there is no point in repeating this calculation 4 times.



The same thing with the upper level. In this particular example, we can avoid 4 operations out of 7. In general, this optimisation leads to the result in $\log n$ operations.

All this means that we can define a function exp:

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def exp[A: Monoid](a: A, n: Int): A = {
    ???
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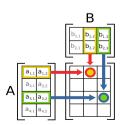
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Profiling results

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10000	5	6
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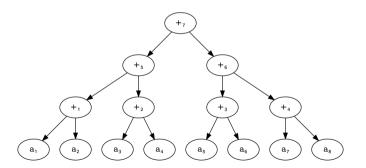
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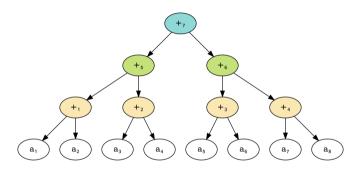
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Benchmarks

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    override def empty: Wrapper[A] = Wrapper(Monoid[A].empty)

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Questions?

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Thank you very much!

We hope you enjoyed this session.