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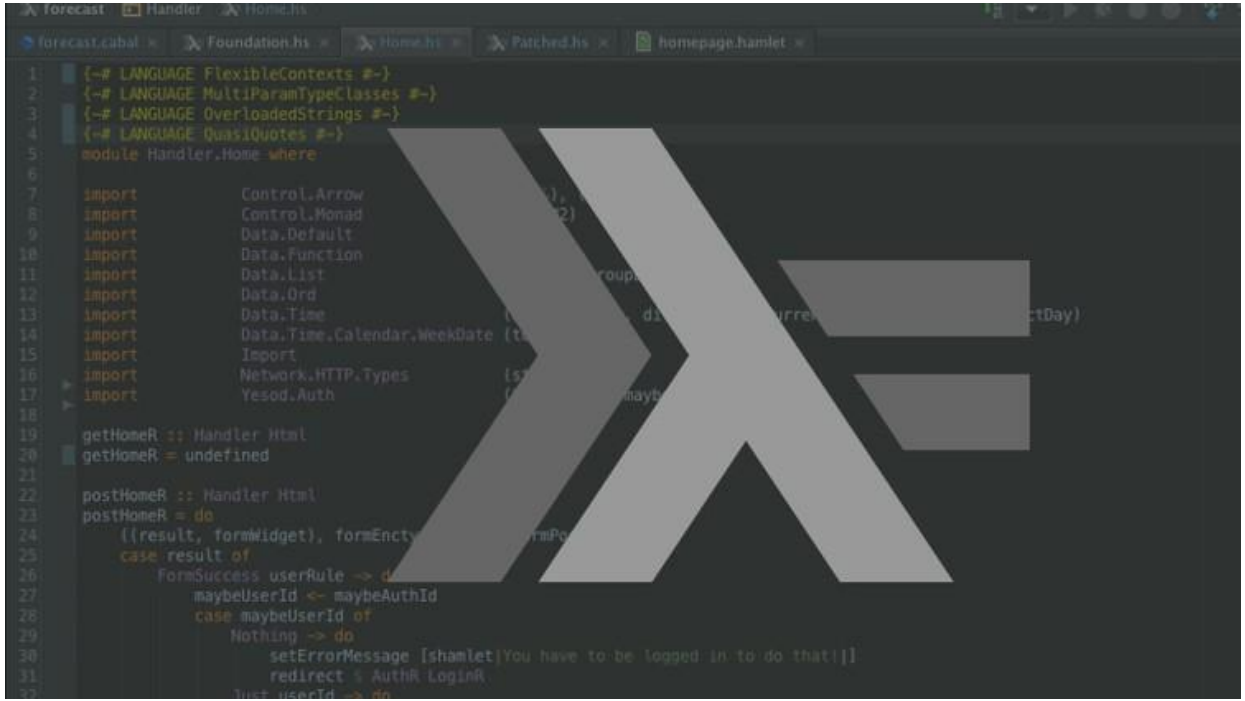

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Binary Tree: data structure in which each node can have a left child and a right child. They cannot have more than two children.

Common **uses** of binary trees are binary search trees, binary heaps, and Huffman coding.

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```haskell
data Bintree = Empty | Node Int Bintree Bintree
    deriving (Show)
```

If we wanted to compute the **height** of the tree:

```haskell
height :: Bintree -> Int

height  Empty = 0
height  (Node _ lc rc) = 1 + max (height lc) (height rc)
```

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Binary Tree of generic data type:

```
data Bintree a = Empty | Node a (Bintree a) (Bintree a)
    deriving (Show)
```

```
t1 :: Bintree Int
t1 = Node 3 (Node 1 Empty Empty) (Node 2 Empty Empty)
```

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