



Haskell

GHCi

- GHCi is GHC's interactive environment that includes an interactive debugger
- Read Evaluate Print Loop(REPL): interprets the whole line as an expression to evaluate

Commands

\$ `ghci` : open GHCi
\$ `:?` : the list of commands available
\$ `:l file.hs` : load files
\$ `:r` : reload files
\$ `:{ ~ :}` : multi-line functions
\$ `:t function` : returns the type
\$ `:fst` : return the first element of length 2 tuple
\$ `:scd` : return the second element of length 2 tuple
\$ `show val` : print value in a string



Functional Programming

About

- All functions must take at least one argument and return a value
 - ex. $y = f(x)$
- All variables are immutable and can not be modified after initialization
 - + Thread safe: no race condition, no need for synchronization
 - + Easier to debug,
 - + Cache-friendly: caches do not need to be frequently updated or invalidated, improving cache hit rates
- All functions are pure and have no side effects
 - calling $f(x)$ with a given x always returns the same value y
 - functions may not use or modify external mutable state/variables
- Functions are just like any other data and can be stored in variables and passed as arguments
 - ex. $f(x) = x + 5$, $y = f$, $z = g(f)$
- The order of execution is of low importance!



Features

- Lazy Evaluation: only evaluates expressions in the order their values are needed
- Left-associative: evaluates function calls from left to right
 - ex. $f \circ g \circ 2 \Rightarrow ((f \circ g) \circ 2) \neq f \circ (g \circ 2)$



- Always call functions before evaluating operators
 - ex. `f 3 * 10` ⇒ `(f 3)*10`
- Only the IO function can print because printing changes the state of the program's environment

```
main :: IO ()
main = do
  let result = poly 5
  putStrLn ("Result: " ++ show result)
```

Types

Basic Types

- Type Signature
 - `func_name :: param_type -> return_type`
 - `func_name :: param1_type -> param2_type -> return_type`
 - Specify the function's type signature first
 - The last type in the line refers to the return type
 - Type Inference: type is inferred if it's not specified, but it's still type strict
- Types
 - `Int`: machine-sized integer type (32 or 64 bits)
 - `Integer`: a superset of Int - no size limit
 - `Float`: 32-bit floating-point number
 - `Double`: 64-bit floating-point number
 - `Bool`: `True` / `False`
 - `Char`
 - `String` = `[Char]`



Operator

- Infix vs Prefix Notation
 - `x = 3 * x^2` ⇒ `x = (*) 3 x^2`
 - `a == b` ⇒ `(==) a b`
 - `6 - 5` ⇒ `(-) 6 5`
- `/=`: not
- `div`: int division
- `^`: exponential
- Methods
 - `max n1 n2`
 - `min n1 n2`



Expressions

If Expressions



- `if cond then statement else statement`
- In functional programming, "if" is an expression, not a statement!
 - every expression must result in a value
 - so without an "else", "if" would fail being an expression



Guards

- Guards: an alternative to multiple conditions
 - evaluated from top to bottom
 - no equal sign after the function signature!
 - a syntactic sugar to provide simpler syntax

```
func param1 param2
| condition_1 = action_1 -- if
| condition_2 = action_2 -- if else
...
| otherwise = action_n -- else
```

Local Bindings

- Local Bindings: define local variables or functions
 - able to define nested functions
- Let expression
 - `let binding in expr`
 - can be used anywhere an expression can appear
 - ex. `result = let x = 5 y = 10 in x + y`
 - scoped only to the expression in which it is defined



```
get_nerd_status gpa study_hrs =
let
  gpa_part = 1 / (4.01 - gpa)
  study_part = study_hrs * 10
  nerd_score = gpa_part + study_part
in
  if nerd_score > 100 then "good"
  else "bad"
```

- Where construct
 - similar to `let` but locates at the end of the function
 - must follow a function definition or guarded expression
 - scoped to the entire function or guarded expressions preceding it

```
get_nerd_status gpa study_hrs =
  if nerd_score > 100 then "good"
  else "bad"
where
  gpa_part = 1 / (4.01 - gpa)
  study_part = study_hrs * 10
  nerd_score = gpa_part + study_part
```

- `let` vs `where` ?
 - Defining a variable for a single expression, use either one
 - Defining a variable for use across multiple expressions (like guards), use `where`



Data Type

Tuples

- `name = ("str", 1, 3.14)`
- group two or more items of different types into one value in fixed-size
 - ! length of the tuple is 1
- Operations

```
fst two_field_tup : return the first element  
snd two_field_tup : return the second element
```

Lists

- `name = [1, 2, 3]`
- hold zero or more items of the same type

```
primes :: [Int]  
primes = [2, 3, 5]  
  
lol :: [[Int]]  
lol = [[1, 2], [3], [4, 5, 6]]  
  
lot :: [(String, Int)]  
lot = [("foo", 1), ("bar", 2)]  
  
mt = []
```



- Operations

```
length ls  
  
head ls : return the first element of a non-empty list  
tail ls : returns all elements of a list except the first one  
take N ls : take the first N elements from list (same as ls[:N] in Python)  
drop N ls : drop the first N elements from list and return the rest (same as ls[N:] in Python)  
init ls : return all the elements of the list except the last one  
last ls : return the last element of the list  
elem el ls : check if an element is in the list = el `elem` ls  
  
sum ls :  
maximum ls : return a max element  
minimum ls :  
or ls : defaults to False  
and ls : defaults to True (ex. and [] : True)  
cycle ls : return an infinite cycle of the list  
reverse ls : reverse the list  
zip ls1 ls2 : pairs two lists and takes the shortest list  
ex. zip [1, 2] ["A", "B", "C"]  $\Rightarrow$  [(1, "A"), (2, "B")]  
  
all cond ls : return True if the condition is met for all elements in the list  
ex. all (odd) [1, 2, 3], all (< 3) [1, 2, 3]  
  
ls1 ++ ls2 : list concatenation  
ex. reverse_list ls = (reverse_list (tail ls)) ++ [head ls]  
el : ls : consing; prepend a single element from right to left  
ex. "a" : "b" : [] : ["a", "b"]
```



- Ranges

- `[start..end]`
- `[start, step..end]` : step is defined as `step - start`
- ranges are inclusive
- Infinite range: `[start..]`
 - printing an infinite list will hang in an infinite loop! \Rightarrow should use `take N [start..]` to get a subset

```

one_to_ten = [1..10]
odds = [1, 3..10] -- [1, 3, 5, 7, 9]
take 5 [42..] -- take 5 el of infinite array
cycle [1, 3, 5] -- [1, 3, 5, 1, 3, 5, ...]

```

- List Comprehension

- `output = [(f x) | x <- input, (guard1 x), (guard2, x), ...]`
 - identical to Set Builder Notation: $\{x^2 \mid x \in \text{input}, x > 5, x < 20\}$
- `output = [(f x y) | x <- input1, y <- input2, (guard1 x), (guard2, y), ...]`
 - works as a nested loop
 - ex. `prods = [x*y | x <- [3, 7], y <- [2, 4, 6]]` $\Rightarrow [6, 12, 18, 14, 28, 42]$



```

square_nums1 = [x^2 | x <- input_list]
square_nums2 = [x^2 | x <- input_list, x > 5]
square_nums3 = [x^2 | x <- input_list, x > 5, x < 20]

all_products1 = [x*y | x <- list1, y <- list2]
all_products2 = [x*y | x <- list1, y <- list2, even x, odd y, x*y < 15]

div_by_29 = take 5 [x | x <= [1000..], (mod x 29) == 0]

lies = "nerd EAT rockS!"
truth = [c | c <- lies, not (elem c ['A'..'Z'])]

-- Quicksort
qsort [] = []
qsort ls = (qsort less_eq ++ [pivot] ++ (qsort greater))
  where
    pivot = head ls
    rest = tail ls
    less_eq = [a | a <- rest, a <= pivot]
    greater = [a | a <- rest, a > pivot]

```



- ! list of functions using list comprehension

```

inf_list = [\x -> x^z | z <- [1..]] -- infinite list of functions

first_5_funcs = take 5 inf_list
results = map (\f -> f 2) first_5_funcs -- [2, 4, 8, 16, 32]; apply the first 5 functions to the number 2

head inf_list 9 -- 9

```



Generic Types

- `t`: type variable (can be any char)
 - ex. `func :: [t] -> t`: arg and return type `has` to be matched
 - ex. `func :: t1 -> t2 -> (t2, t1)`: `t1` and `t2` being the same type is fine

Type classes

- `Ord`: orderable(comparable) type such as number and string
- `Fractional`

```

bigger x y = if x > y then x else y
:t bigger
-- bigger :: Ord a => a -> a -> a

division x = x /5
:t division
-- Fractional a => a -> a

```

Algebraic Data Types

- `data Name = Variant1 | Variant2 | ...`
 - combination of structs, unions, and enum types
 - ADT type name and variant name must start with an uppercase
 - Every time you define a variant, Haskell implicitly creates a new constructor
- `deriving Show`: required for GHCi

```
data Color = Red | Green | Blue

data Shape =
    Circle { radius :: Float, color :: Color } | -- same as `Circle Float Color`
    Rectangle { width :: Float, height :: Float, color :: Color } |
    Shapeless -- nullary variant
deriving Show

my_circ = Circle { radius = 5.0, color = Blue } -- same as `Circle 5.0 Blue`
```

- ADT with Pattern Matching

```
-- a single function with 4 branches
getArea :: Shape -> Float
getArea (Circle r _) = pi * r^2
getArea (Rectangle w h c) = w * h
getArea (Shapeless) = 0

describe :: Shape -> String
describe (Circle 1 _) = "unit circle"
describe (Circle r Red) = "red circle w/ radius " ++ show r
```

- Linked List using ADT

```
data List =
    Nil |
    Node {
        val :: Integer,
        next :: List
    }
deriving Show

list1 = Nil
list2 = Node 5 list1 -- Node {val = 5, next = Nil}
l_head = Node 3 (Node 2 (Node 1 Nil))

sumList :: List -> Integer
sumList (Nil) = 0
sumList (Node val next) = val + sumList next
```

! Immutability

- To append even a single item at the end of a linked list, you must construct a whole new list!
 - To add one node at position P in a linked list of length N, P+1 nodes have to be newly created, and N-P nodes can be reused
- To add a new node in a balanced BST, we need to generate replacement nodes for the nodes between our new node and the root
 - just need to create O(log n) new nodes!
 - garbage collection reclaims unused values and all other nodes are reused!

Functions



Pattern Matching

- Pattern Matching: define multiple versions of the same function
 - each version of the function must have the same number and types of arguments
 - runs top-to-bottom

```
factorial :: Integer -> Integer
factorial 0 = 1
factorial n = n * factorial (n-1)
```

- Pattern matching with Lists

- `(first:rest)`, `(first:second:rest)`, ... : get a list as an argument
 - ex. `func (x:[])` : get called only if the arg has only one element, `func (x:xs)`
- `ls@(first:rest)` : as-pattern; a reference to the entire value

```
fav [] = "no fav"
fav (x:[]) = "fav: " ++ x
fav (x:y:[]) = "two favs: " ++ x ++ "and" ++ y
fav ("apple":xs) = "fav apple"
fav (x:y:_)= "many favs"
```

💡 Preferred: Pattern matching > Guards > If/Then/Else

Tail Recursion

- Tail Recursion: a type of recursion where the recursive call is the final operation in the function, meaning no additional computation occurs after the recursive call returns
 - optimize the recursive function by reusing the same stack frame for each recursive step
 - can handle deeper recursive calls without running into stack overflow issues, making it more efficient in terms of memory usage compared to non-tail-recursive functions

```
factorialTail :: Integer -> Integer
factorialTail n = helper n 1
  where
    helper 0 acc = acc
    helper n acc = helper (n - 1) (acc * n)
```

▼ ! Fibonacci in O(n)

```
fib n = _fib n 0 1 -- n: how many numbers left to compute
  where
    _fib 0 a _ = a
    _fib n a b = _fib (n-1) b (a+b)
```

Fibonacci into list

```
fibonacci :: Int -> [Int]
fibonacci n = _fibonacci 1 1 n
  where
    _fibonacci :: Int -> Int -> Int -> [Int]
    _fibonacci a b count
      | count <= 0 = []
      | otherwise = a : _fibonacci b (a + b) (count - 1)
```



First-class Functions

- First-class Functions: a function is treated like any other data
 - functions can be stored in variables, passed as arguments to other functions, returned as values by functions, and stored in data structures
 - enable functions to generate new functions from scratch

Higher-order functions

- Higher-order functions: accepts another function as an argument or a function that returns another function as its return value
- Passing functions as arguments

```
insult :: String -> String
insult name = name ++ "is cringe"

praise :: String -> String
praise name = name ++ "is dank"

talk_to :: String -> (String -> String) -> String
talk_to name talk_func
| name == "Carey" = "no commnet"
| otherwise = (talk_func name)

-- $ talk_to "Devan" prasie
```



- Returning functions from other functions

```
get_pickup_func :: Int -> (String -> String)
get_pickup_func born
| bron >= 1997 = pickup_genz
| otherwise = pickup_other
where
  pickup_genz name = name ++ "genz"
  pickup_other name = name ++ "other"

pickup_fn = get_pickup_func 2003
pickup_fn "Jay" -- "Jay genz"
-- same as..
get_pickup_func 1971 "Carey" -- "Carey other"
```



- Mapper: `map :: (a -> b) -> [a] -> [b]`

```
cube :: Double -> Double
cube x = x^3
map cube [2, 4, 10]

data Tree = Empty | Node Integer [Tree]
max_tree_value Empty = 0
max_tree_value (Node v []) = v
max_tree_value (Node value child) = max value (maximum (map max_tree_value child))
```

- Filter: `filter :: (a -> Bool) -> [a] -> [a]`

- Reducer

- `foldl :: (a -> b -> a) -> a -> [b] -> a`: process from left to right
 - `foldl (\acc el -> expr) init ls`
- `foldr :: (a -> b -> b) -> b -> [a] -> b`: process from right to left
 - `foldr (\el acc -> expr) init ls`



```
adder acc x = acc + x
foldl adder 0 [7, -4, 2]
```

```

get_every_nth n ls = foldl (\acc (i, x) -> if i `mod` n == 0 then acc ++ [x] else acc) [] (zip [1..] ls)

longest_run :: [Bool] -> Int -- count the longest consecutive True value
longest_run ls = fst (foldl (\(m, curr) x -> if x then ((max (curr+1) m), curr+1) else (m, 0)) (0, 0) ls)

```

Lambda Functions

- use lambdas in higher-order function
- `\param_1 ... param_n -> expression`
 - ex. `(\x y -> x^3 + y^2) 10 3`
- Closure:** the combination of a function that we want to run in the future with a list of free variables and their captured values at the time it was created
 - Free variable:** any variable that is not an explicit parameter to the lambda
 - variables are captured and stored along with the lambda so the lambda knows what values to use in later

```

slope m b = (\x -> m*x + b) -- free variables are m and b, not x since its value is passed into the lambda
twoPlusOne = slope 2 1
-- twoPlusOne closure: {m: 2, b: 1, function: \x -> m*x + b}
twoPlusOne 9 -- uses the captured values in the closure

```



- Hiding

```

foo x y = (\z -> x + y - z)
foo 5 6 7 -- foo 5 6 (\z -> 5 + 6 - z) = (\z -> 5 + 6 - z) 7 = 4

bar x y = (\x -> x + y) -- y is the only free variable
bar 5 6 7
-- bar 5 6 (\x -> x + 6) = (\x -> x + 6) 7 = 13

```



Partial Function

- Idea: when a function is called with less than the full number of args, the function returns a new version of itself that takes just the missing parameters
 - ex. $f(x, y, z) = x + y + z \Rightarrow f' = f(10, 20) \Rightarrow f'(z) = 10 + 20 + z$

```

product_of x y z = x * y * z

product_5 = product_of 5
product_5 2 3 -- 30

product_5_6 = product_of 5 6
product_5_6 2 -- 60

cuber = map (\x -> x^3) -- since map takes in two arguments, this creates a new mapper function that always
cuber [2, 3, 5]

```



- Currying

- transforms a function of multiple arguments to a series of nested functions which each takes a single argument
- every function with two or more parameters can be represented in curried form
 - ex. $y = f(a, b, c) \Rightarrow y = (f_1 a) b) c \Rightarrow y = f(a)(b)(c)$
- all the functions with more than one parameter are automatically curried in Haskell
 - ex. `((mult 2) 3) 5` = `mult 2 3 5`

```

mult3 :: Int -> Int -> Int -> Int
mult3 x y z = x * y * z

```

```
mult3 :: Int -> (Int -> (Int -> Int))
mult3 = \x -> (\y -> (\z -> x * y * z))

f = mult3 5 -- returns closures; f = (\y -> (\z -> 5 * y * z))
```

! more...

```
addFive = (+ 5) = addFive a = a + 5
f = (\g h i -> i h g) ["Carey"] [131] : g = ["Carey"], h = [131]
```

