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Recall the list induction principle.

$$[P([]) \land \\ \forall a : \alpha. \forall m : [\alpha]. P(m) \Rightarrow P(a : m)] \\ \Rightarrow \forall m : [\alpha]. P(m)$$

Thus, for a property P of lists, to show that $\forall m : [\alpha]. P(m)$ it is enough to show two things:

i.)
$$P([])$$

ii.) $\forall a: \alpha. \forall m: [\alpha]. P(m) \Rightarrow P(a:m)$

Here are some definitions.

$$\begin{aligned} head(h:t) &= h \\ head[] &= \bot \\ \\ last[x] &= x \\ last(h:t) &= last \ t \\ last[] &= \bot \\ \\ reverse[] &= [] \\ reverse(h:t) &= (reverse \ t) + + [h] \\ \\ map \ f \ (h:t) &= (f \ h) : map \ f \ t \\ \\ (f.g) \ x &= f \ (g \ x) \end{aligned}$$

Prove the following by list induction.

- 1.) $\forall m : [\alpha]. \ map(\langle x \to x) \ m = m$
- 2.) $\forall m : [\alpha]. \ map(f \cdot g) \ m = ((map \ f) \cdot (map \ g)) \ m$
- 3.) $\forall m : [\alpha]. \ head (reverse \ m) = last \ m$
- 4.) $\forall m : [\alpha]. \ last (reverse \ m) = head \ m$