

# Introduction to Functional Programming

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# Overview

- 1 Tuples
- 2 List comprehensions
- 3 Infinite lists



## Warm-up exercises 2

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3. using `map` and `foldr` compute how many elements are altogether in the following list `[[1,2], [3, 4, 5], [6, 7]]`  $\Rightarrow 7$
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## Solutions 2

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1. `Start = foldr (*) 1 [1..5]`
  2. `Start = foldr (++) [] [[1,2], [3, 4, 5], [6, 7]]`
  3. `Start = foldr (+) 0 (map length [[1,2], [3, 4, 5], [6, 7]])`
  4. `Start = map hd [[1,2], [3, 4, 5], [6, 7]]`



# Tuples

```
(1, 'f')           :: (Int, Char)
("world", True, 2) :: (String, Bool, Int)
([1, 2], sqrt)     :: ([Int], Real → Real)
(1, (2, 3))        :: (Int, (Int, Int))
// any number 2-tuples pair, 3-tuples,
// no 1-tuple (8) is just an integer, no need for ()
```

```
fst :: (a, b) → a
fst (x, y) = x
Start = fst (10, "world") // 10
```

```
snd :: (a, b) → b
snd (x, y) = y
Start = snd (1, (2, 3))    // (2, 3)
```

```
f :: (Int, Char) → Int
f (n, x) = n + toInt x
Start = f (1, 'a') // 98
```



# Tuples

```
splitAt :: Int [a] → ([a], [a])  
splitAt n xs = (take n xs, drop n xs)
```

```
Start = splitAt 3 ['hello'] // (['h','e','l'], ['l','o'])
```

```
search :: [(a, b)] a → b | = a  
search [(x, y):ts] s  
| x == s == y  
| otherwise = search ts s
```

```
Start = search [(1,1), (2,4), (3,9)] 3 // 9
```



# Ziping

```
zip2 :: [a] [b] → [(a, b)]  
zip2 [] [] = []  
zip2 [] ys = []  
zip2 xs [] = []  
zip2 [x : xs] [y : ys] = [(x, y) : zip2 xs ys]
```

```
Start = zip2 [1,2,3] ['a'..'c'] // [(1,'a'),(2,'b'),(3,'c')]
```

```
zip :: ([a], [b]) → [(a, b)]  
zip (x, y) = zip2 x y
```

```
Start = zip ([1,2,3], ['a'..'c']) // [(1,'a'),(2,'b'),(3,'c')]
```



# List comprehensions

```
Start :: [Int]
```

```
Start = [x * x \\ x ← [1..10]] // [1,4,9,16,25,36,49,64,81,100]
```

*// expressions before double backslash*

*// generators after double backslash*

*// i.e. expressions of form  $x \leftarrow xs$   $x$  ranges over values of  $xs$*

*// for each value value the expression is computed*

```
Start = map (\x = x * x) [1..10] // [1,4,9,16,25,36,49,64,81,100]
```

*// constraints after generators*

```
Start :: [Int]
```

```
Start = [x * x \\ x ← [1..10] | x rem 2 == 0] // [4,16,36,64,100]
```





# List comprehensions

*// nested combination of generators*  
*// coma combinator - generates every possible combination of the*  
*// corresponding variables, last variable changes faster*  
*// for each x value y traverses the given list*

**Start** :: [(Int,Int)]  
**Start** = [(**x**,**y**) \\**x** ← [1..2], **y** ← [4..6]]  
          // [(1,4),(1,5),(1,6),(2,4),(2,5),(2,6)]

*// parallel combinator of generators is &*

**Start** = [(**x**,**y**) \\**x** ← [1..2] & **y** ← [4..6]]  
          // [(1,4),(2,5)]

*// multiple generators with constraints*

**Start** = [(**x**,**y**) \\**x** ← [1..5], **y** ← [1..x] | isEven **x**]  
          // [(2,1),(2,2),(4,1),(4,2),(4,3),(4,4)]



# List comprehensions - equivalences

```
mapc :: (a → b) [a] → [b]
mapc f y = [ f x \\ x ← y ]
```

```
filterc :: (a → Bool) [a] → [a]
filterc p y = [ x \\ x ← y | p x ]
```

```
zipc :: [a] [b] → [(a, b)]
zipc x y = [(a, b) \\ a ← x & b ← y]
```

```
Start = zipc [1,2,3] [10, 20, 30] // [(1,10),(2,20),(3,30)]
```

*// functions like sum, reverse, isMember, take  
// are hard to write using list comprehensions*



# Generating infinite list

```
// generating infinite list
```

```
Start = [2..] // [2,3,4,5,...]
```

```
Start = [1,3..] // [1,3,5,7,...]
```

```
fromn :: Int → [Int]
```

```
fromn n = [n : fromn (n+1)]
```

```
Start = fromn 8 // [8,9,10,...]
```

```
// intermediate result is infinite
```

```
Start = map ((^)3) [1..]
```

```
// final result is finite
```

```
Start = takeWhile ((>) 1000) (map ((^)3) [1..])
```

```
// [3,9,27,81,243,729]
```



# Infinite lists - repeat

*// generating infinite list with repeat from StdEnv*

```
repeat :: a → [a]
```

```
repeat x = list
```

```
  where list = [x:list]
```

```
Start = repeat 5 // [5,5,5,...]
```

```
repeatn :: Int a → [a]
```

```
repeatn n x = take n (repeat x)
```

```
Start = repeatn 5 8 // [8,8,8,8,8]
```



# Infinite lists - iterate

*// generating infinite list with iterate from StdEnv*

```
iterate :: (a → a) a → [a]
```

```
iterate f x = [x: iterate f (f x)]
```

```
Start = iterate inc 5 // [5,6,7,8,9,...]
```

```
Start = iterate ((+) 1) 5 // [5,6,7,8,9,...]
```

```
Start = iterate ((* 2) 1 // [1,2,4,8,16,...]
```

```
Start = iterate (λ x = x/10) 54321 // [54321,5432,543,54,5,0,0...]
```

```
Start = reverse ( map (λx=x rem 10) (takeWhile ((<)0)  
                                                                    (iterate (λ x = x/10) 54321)))  
// [5,4,3,2,1]
```



# Warm-up exercises 3

Write a function for the following:

1. fibonacci n
2. count the occurrences of a number in a list
3. write a list comprehension for the squares of the elements of a list



# Solutions 3

```
fib :: Int → Int
fib 0 = 1
fib 1 = 1
fib n = fib (n-1) + fib (n-2)
```

```
Start = fib 5 // 8
```

```
fib2 :: Int → Int
fib2 n = fibAux n 1 1
```

```
fibAux 0 a b      = a
fibAux i a b
| i > 0 = fibAux (i-1) b (a+b)
```

```
Start = fib2 5 // 8
```



## Solutions 3

```
CountOccurrences :: a [a] → Int | = a
CountOccurrences a [x : xs] = f a [x : xs] 0
```

**where**

```
  f a [] i = i
  f a [x : xs] i
    | a == x = f a xs i+1
              = f a xs i
```

```
Start = CountOccurrences 2 [2, 3, 4, 2, 2, 4, 2, 1] // 4
```

```
Start = [x*x \\ x ← [1..5]] // [2, 4, 6, 8, 10]
```

