

AP Cheat Sheet

Basics

- [List](#)
- useful list operations
 - `List.range(n, m)`
 - where n is start and m is end
 - `List.fill(n)("foo")`
 - where n is the number of times it needs to be filled
 - `List.flatten`
 - `val l: List[Int] = List(List(1,2), List(3,4))`
 - `l.flatten`
 - `List(1, 2, 3, 4)`
- referential transparency (RT)
- higher order functions
- recursion, tail recursion
- compose
- curried functions
- partial curry
 - $f : (A, B, C) \Rightarrow D$
 - `def partialCurry(a: A, b: B)(c: C): D = f(a, b, c)`
 - `val c2d: List[C => D] = map2(la, lb)((a, b) => partialCurry(a, b))`
 - `def applyF(g: C => D, c: C): D = g(c)`
 - `map2(c2d, lc)((c2d, lc) => applyFunc(c2d, c))`
- parametric polymorphism
- pattern matching
- covariant
 - `class Foo[+A]`
 - For some class `List[+A]`, making A contravariant implies that for two types A and B where A is a subtype of B , then `List[A]` is a subtype of `List[B]`
- contravariant
 - `class Bar[-A]`
 - For some class `Writer[-A]`, making A contravariant implies that for two types A and B where A is a subtype of B , `Writer[B]` is a subtype of `Writer[A]`
- invariant
 - `class Baz[A]`
 - neither covariant nor contravariant

- construction
 - `:: = List`
 - `#:: = Stream`
- map
 - `def map[B](f: A => B): List[B]`
 - foldRight + construction
 - `foldRight(Nil: Empty[B])((h,t) => f(h)::(t))`
- append
 - `::: = List`
 - `#::: = Stream`
- flatMap
 - `def flatMap[B] (f: A => List[B]) : List[B]`
 - foldRight + appending
 - `foldRight(Nil: Empty[B])((h,t) => f(h)::: (t))`
 - *map* can be implemented via *flatMap*
 - *State*
 - `flatMap (a => State.unit(f(a)))`
 - *Gen*
 - `flatMap (a => Gen.unit(f(a)))`
- filter
 - `def filter(f: A => Boolean): List[A]`
 - foldRight
- zipWith
 - apply a binary *op* to each element from both lists at the *same* position
 - `def zipWith[A,B,C] (f: (A,B)=>C) (l: List[A], r: List[B]): List[C]`
- semi group

Folding

- [Docs](#)
- *reduction*
- fold "is the new" pattern matching with recursion
- *z: initial element*
- *op*: `f: (A, B) => B`
- foldLeft
 - `def foldLeft[A,B] (z: B) (f: (B, A) => B): B`
 - starts from the left side of the list/stream/...
 - `List(1, 2, 3) = Cons(1, Cons(2, Cons(3, Nil)))`
 - `f(3, f(2, f(z, 1)))`
 - *op* is `-`, *z* is 0
 - $((0 - 1) - 2) - 3 = -6$
- foldRight

- `def foldRight[A,B] (z: B) (f: (A, B) => B): B`
- starts from the right side of the list/stream/...
- `List(1, 2, 3) = Cons(1, Cons(2, Cons(3, Nil)))`
- `f(1, f(2, f(3, z)))`
 - *op* is $-$, *z* is 0
 - $1 - (2 - (3 - 0)) = 2$

Algebraic Data Types

Introduction

How many values do they have ...

- Nothing
 - 0
- Unit
 - 1
- Boolean
 - 2 (*true*, *false*)
- Byte
 - 256
- String
 - *many*
- (Byte, Boolean)
 - $2 \times 256 = 512$
- (Byte, Unit)
 - $1 \times 256 = 256$
- (Byte, Byte)
 - $256 \times 256 = 65536$
- (Byte, Boolean, Boolean)
 - $256 \times 2 \times 2 = 1024$
- (Boolean, String, Nothing)
 - $2 \times \textit{many} \times 0 = 0$
- Byte OR Boolean
 - $2 + 256 = 258$
- Boolean OR Unit
 - $2 + 1 = 3$
- Boolean OR (String, Nothing)
 - $2 + \textit{many} \times 0 = 2$

Classes

- Scala

```
class ScalaPerson(val name: String, val age: Int)
```

- Java

```
class JavaPerson {  
  final String name;  
  final Int age;  
}
```

Sum Types

- ADT = **SUM TYPE**
- Sum type
 - This **or** That

```
sealed trait Pet  
case class Cat(name: String) extends Pet  
case class Fish(name: String, color: Color) extends Pet  
case class Squid(name: String, age: Int) extends Pet
```

```
val bob: Pet = Cat("Bob")
```

- Destructured by pattern matching

```
def sayHi(p: Pet): String =  
  p match {  
    case Cat(n) => "Meow " + n + "!"  
    case Fish(n, _) => "Hello fishy " + n + "."  
    case Squid(n, _) => "Hi " + n + "."  
  }
```

Computations that may return many answers

List

```
sealed trait List[+A]  
case object Nil extends List[Nothing]  
case class Cons[+A](head: A, tail: List[A]) extends List[A]
```

Tree

- binary tree type
 - embeds simple elements of type A in the internal nodes

```
sealed trait Tree[+A]  
case class Leaf[A] (value: A) extends Tree[A]  
case class Branch[A] (left: Tree[A], right: Tree[A]) extends Tree[A]
```

- binary tree type
 - embeds lists of elements of type A in the internal nodes
 - list of tree

```
trait TreeOfLists[+A]
case object LeafOfLists extends TreeOfLists[Nothing]
case class BranchOfLists[+A] (
  data: List[A],
  left: TreeOfLists[A],
  right: TreeOfLists[A]
) extends TreeOfLists[A]
```

- binary tree type
 - embeds a collection of elements
 - generalized *TreeOfLists* to use *any* generic collection $C[_]$

```
trait TreeOfCollections[C[+_], +A]
case class LeafOfCollections[C[+_]] () extends TreeOfCollections[C, Nothing]
case class BranchOfCollections[C[+_], +A](
  data: C[A],
  left: TreeOfCollections[C, A],
  right: TreeOfCollections[C, A]
) extends TreeOfCollections[C, A]
```

Stream

```
sealed trait Stream[+A]
case object Empty extends Stream[Nothing]
case class Cons[+A](h: () => A, t: () => Stream[A]) extends Stream[A]
```

Computations that may fail to return a value

Option

```
sealed trait Option[+A]
case object None extends Option[Nothing]
case class Some[A](a: A) extends Option[A]
```

Computation that either returns this or that

Either

```
sealed trait Either[+A, +B]
case class Left[A](a: A) extends Either[A, Nothing]
case class Right[B](b: B) extends Either[Nothing, B]
```

Computations that may fail with an exception

Try

```
sealed trait Try[+A]
case class Success[A](a: A) extends Try[A]
case class Failure[A](t: Throwable) extends Try[A]
```

Options

- [Docs](#)
- Some("value") and None
- for comprehensions
 - for { } yield ()
- map2
- sequence
- Either[+A, +B]
 - Left ; error
 - Right ; result
- getOrElse
 - def getOrElse[B >: A](default: ⇒ B): B
- orElse
 - def orElse[B >: A](alternative: ⇒ Option[B]): Option[B]

Streams

- [Docs](#)
- infinite streams
 - from
 - to
 - fibonacci
- finite streams
- unfold
 - def unfold[A, S](z: S)(f: S => Option[(A, S)]): Stream[A]
- lazily evaluation
 - when an expression is passed as a parameter to a function, it is not evaluated before entering the function body
 - evaluated when it is accessed/read the first time inside the function
 - if the result of such expression is never used inside, then it will never be evaluated
- append
 - def append[B >: A](that: => Stream[B]): Stream[B]
 - lower type bound
 - B is constrained to be a supertype of A
 - allowed to append element of type B to a stream containing elements of type A

- the result is a stream of B elements
- $[B <: A]$ is an upper type bound
 - B is constrained to be a subtype of A
- library function implementations with `foldRight` and *pattern matching*
- *callByValue*
 - default
 - eager evaluation
- *callByName*
 - lazy evaluation
- *callByNeed*
 - lazy evaluation
 - Haskell
 - a memoized variant of call by name where, if the function argument is evaluated, that value is stored for subsequent uses
 - if the argument is side-effect free, this produces the same results as call by name, saving the cost of recomputing the argument

State

- **RNG**
 - SimpleRNG
 - class within `RNG` trait
 - takes a seed
 - `nextInt`
 - (Int, RNG)
 - (A, RNG)
 - $(value, rng)$
- **RAND**
 - `type RAND[A] = RNG => (A, RNG)`
 - `RAND` type alias for `statw`
 - `type RAND[A] = State[RNG, A]`
 - `unit`
 - `def unit[A](a: A): Rand[A]`
 - produces: `rng => (value, next)`
 - `map`
 - `map2`
 - `flatMap`
 - bit tricky because of `f: A => RAND[B]`

```

rng => {
  val (value, rng2) = ra(rng)
  // f(value) will be a RAND, so pass rng2 to get next value and next state
  val (value2, rng3) = f(value)(rng2)
  (value2, rng3)
}

```

- sequence

- foldRight

- \approx

- unit(Nil: List[A])

- op

- map2

- List.fill(n)(int)

- create a list of size n with RAND[Int]

- val int: Rand[Int] = _.nextInt

- same as rng => rng.nextInt

- **STATE**

- make any API purely functional

- state updates are not RT

- return the new state along with the value generated

- this is a more general implementation of RAND

- type Rand[A] = State[RNG, A]

- case class State[S, +A](run: S => (A, S))

- type State[S, +A] = S => (A, S)

- general-purpose functions for capturing states

- unfold and apply state

```

State {
  (s: S) => {
    //must return State[S, B]
  }
}

```

- state2stream

- def state2stream[S,A] (state: State[S,A]) (seed: S) :Stream[A] ; signature

- implementation:

```

state.run(seed) match {
  case(a, s2) => a#::state2stream(state)(s2)
}

```

- construct a stream from the next value (a)

- new "seed" to run is the "next" on the same state

Algebraic Design (Functional Design)

- the following 3 chapters have been introduced as part of AD
 - the process of designing purely functional libraries
- parser combinators is heavily focused on AD and contains exercises related to designing a library
- API can be described by and algebra and obey specific *laws*

Par

- purely functional library for parallel and asynchronous computations
- separate the concern from *describing* a computation to actually *running* it
- *describe*
 - `def unit[A](a: => A): Par[A]`
 - take an unevaluated *A*
 - return a computation that might evaluate in a separate *thread*
 - `(es: ExecutorService) => UnitFuture(a)`
 - wrap it in a future task (something that will get evaluated eventually)
- *extract*
 - `def get[A](a: Par[A]): A`
 - get resulting value from a parallel computation
- combine asynchronous computations without waiting for them to finish
 - avoid combining `unit` and `get`
- `type Par[A] = ExecutorService => Future[A]`
 - takes an executor service and wraps *A* in a future
- `def run[A] (es: ExecutorService) (a: Par[A]) : Future[A] = a(es)`
- *unit*
 - creates computation that immediately results in the value *a*
- *fork*
 - marks a computation for concurrent evaluation
 - evaluation won't occur until forced by `run`
- *lazyUnit*
 - wraps its unevaluated argument in a *Par* and marks it for concurrent evaluation
 - `fork(unit(a))`
 - `asyncF[A,B] (f: A => B) : A => Par[B]`
 - async function that takes a function and converts it to that evaluates its result asynchronously
- *run*
 - fully evaluates given *Par*
 - spawns parallel computations as requested by *fork*
 - extracts the resulting value
- *map2*
 - combines the result of 2 parallel computations with a *binary* function
 - does not evaluate the call to *f* in a separate logical thread

- *fork* is controlling all parallelism
- `fork(map2(a, b)(f))`
 - if we want the evaluation of *f* to occur in a separate thread
- *map*
 - via `map2(pa, unit(()))(a, _ => f(a))`
 - `map(Par[List[A]])(List[A] => Boolean/Int/...)`
- *parMap*
 - combines *N* parallel computations
 - apply a function *f* to every element in a collection *simultaneously*
- *parFilter*
 - filters in parallel
 - `List[Par[List[A]]]` when `map` and `asyncF`
 - `Nil: List[A]` exists but `Nil: A` does not
 - `map` and `apply` `sequence()` and `_.flatten`
- *map3*
 - via `map2()`
 - partially apply function
 - partial curry
 - `def partialCurry(a: A, b: B)(c: C): D = f(a, b, c)`
 - `val c2d: C => D = partialCurry(a, b)`
 - `def applyFully(g: C => D, c: C): D = g(c)`
- *sequence*
 - via `foldRight` and `map2()`
- *choiceN*
- *choice*
 - choose between two forking computations based on the result of an initial computation
 - `def choice[A](cond: Par[Boolean])(t: Par[A], f: Par[A]): Par[A]`
- *chooser*
 - `def chooser[A,B](p: Par[A])(choices: A => Par[B]): Par[B]`
- *join*
 - flattens nested `Par[Par[A]]`
 - `def join[A](a: Par[Par[A]]): Par[A]`
- *flatMap*
 - mapping $f : A \Rightarrow Par[B]$ over `Par[A]` which generates a `Par[Par[B]]` and then *flattening* this nested `Par[Par[B]]` to a `Par[B]`
 - `join(map(p)(f))`

Laws

- `map(unit(x))(f) == unit(f(x))`
- `map(unit(x))(id) == unit(id(x))`
- `map(y)(id) == y`

- `fork(x) == x`

Property Testing

- **Scala Check**
 - define a property that specifies the behaviour of a method or some unit of code
 - all test data are generated automatically in a random fashion
 - *for All*
 - creates universally quantified properties directly
 - takes a function as parameter, and creates a property out of it that can be tested with the `check` method
 - `p1.check`
 - function should return `Boolean` or another property, and can take parameters of any types
 - used the most
 - combining existing properties into a new one
 - `p1 && p2`
 - `p1 || p2`

Generators

- **Scala Check's Gen**
- `val intList: Gen[List[Int]] = Gen.listOf(Gen.choose(0, 100))`
 - a *generator* of a list of integers between 0 and 100
- combine *generators* with `for {} yield()`
- *Arbitrary* generator
 - `val evenInteger = Arbitrary.arbitrary[Int] suchThat (_ % 2 == 0)`
- homework implements this with *State*
 - stays RT and pure
 - *Gen.choose*(*n*, *m*) - random number between start and stop


```
def choose (start: Int, stopExclusive: Int): Gen[Int] = {
  Gen(State(rng => RNG.nonNegativeInt(rng) match {
    case (value, next) => ( value % (stopExclusive-start) + start , next )
  })))
}
```
 - *Gen.boolean* - random true or false


```
def boolean: Gen[Boolean] = Gen(State(rng => RNG.boolean(rng)))
```
 - *Gen.double* - random double


```
def double: Gen[Double] = Gen(State(rng => RNG.double(rng)))
```
 - *Gen.listOfN*
 - using `sequence` and `List.fill(n)(this.sample)`

- `def sequence[S, A](sas: List[State[S, A]]): State[S, List[A]]`
- use case of *flatMap*

```
def listOfN (size: Gen[Int]): Gen[List[A]] =
  size.flatMap(n => listOfN(n))
```
- coin toss (**this** or **that**)

```
def union (that: Gen[A]): Gen[A] =
  Gen.boolean.flatMap(x => if(x) this else that)
```

Properties

- `val prop1 = forAll(intList)(ns => ns.reverse.reverse == ns)`
- `val prop2 = forAll(intList)(ns => ns.reverse.headOption == ns.lastOption)`
 - passing properties
- `val prop3 = forAll(intList)(ns => ns.reverse == ns)`
- *Gen* is essentially a wrapped *State* of special kind
- type constraint `[A :Arbitrary]` means that the type *A* has to implement the *Arbitrary* trait

Parser Combinators

- AD^2
 - lots of design decisions
 - design chapter

Functional Design (Patterns)

- design patterns

Monoids

- [Docs](#)
- abstraction
- set that has
 - *closed, associative* binary operation
 - *identity* element
- *closed*
 - *Integers* are closed with $+$, $-$, $*$, but not $/$
 - *Positive* numbers are not closed with $-$ (subtraction)
- *identity* element of ...
 - $+$; addition
 - 0
 - $*$; multiplication

- 1
- *max* (-infinity), *min* (+infinity)
- `||` (false), `&&` (true)
- *concatenation, append*
 - *List*
 - *Nil*
 - *String*
 - `""`
 - *FingerTree*
 - *Empty*
- *Option*
 - `None`
 - `orElse`
- *endomorphism*
 - function having the same argument and return type is called an endofunction
- *homomorphism*
 - between monoids M and N , for all values x and y
 - `M.op(f(x), f(y)) == f(N.op(x, y)) => concat(x.length, y.length) == concat(x, y).length`
 - on `List[A]` or `String`
- *isomorphism*
 - *homomorphism* in both directions between two monoids
 - monoid *isomorphism* between M and N has two *homomorphism* f and g , where both
 - `f andThen g` and `g andThen f` are identity functions
 - `String` and `List[Char]` are *isomorphic* with concatenation

Foldables

- [Docs](#)
- `trait Foldable[F[_]]`
- `F[_]` is the type constructor
 - one argument
- *foldLeft*
- *foldRight*
- *foldMap*
 - `def foldMap[A, B](as: F[A])(f: A => B)(mb: Monoid[B]) : B`
 - is similar to *fold* but maps every A value into B and then combines them using the given `Monoid[B]` instance
- *concatenate*

Functors (=Mappable)

- [Docs](#)

- `trait Functor[F[_]]`
- *map*
 - when a value is wrapped in a structure, a function cannot be applied to that value
 - is parameterized on the type constructor `F`
- *implicit* parameter
 - `def mapLaw[A,F[_]] (fn :Functor[F]) (implicit arb: Arbitrary[F[A]]): Prop`
 - `forAll { (fa :F[A]) => fn.map[A,A] (fa) (x=>x) == fa }`
 - it states that when you use this method (`mapLaw`) there must exist an implicit conversion rule from `F[A]` instances to `Arbitrary[F[A]]` instances
 - `scalacheck` needs to know that `F[A]` is an instance (or can be made an instance) of `Arbitrary` in order to be able to generate random instances
 - $F[]$
 - law holds for any type A and a typeconstructor `F[_]`

Monads (=FlatMappable Wrapper)

- [Docs](#)
- monad transformer
- wrapper
 - `def unit[A] (x: A): Monad[A]`
- *flatMap*
 - first `map` , then `flatten`
 - To *flatMap* an object of type `M[A]` , `f: A-> M[B]` is provided,
 - *flatMap* then uses this function to transform A into $M[B]$, resulting in a $M[M[B]]$, and then it will *flatten* the whole thing into $M[B]$
- *unit* and *flatMap* as a minimal setting
- *map*, or *map2* can be defined via *flatMap*
- can extend *Functor*
- *map3monad* signature
 - `def map3monad[M[_]: Monad, A,B,C,D] (a :M[A], b: M[B], c: M[C]) (f: (A,B,C) => D) :M[D]`
 - `implicitly[Monad[M]]`

Monadic Evaluators

- research paper
- Haskell to Scala
- variation 1 and 2
 - basic evaluator
 - exceptions
 - state
 - output

Lenses

- research paper

Finger Trees

- research paper
 - Haskell
- binary search tree (worst case)
 - $O(n)$
- 2 - 3 finger trees
 - sequence supporting access
 - ends in amortized constant time
 - reduce $O(n)$ to $O(1)$
 - concatenation and splitting
 - $O(\log(n))$ in the time of the smaller piece
- balanced
- nodes of Finger Tree - spine
- nodes of 2-3 tree
 - node has 2 or 3 leaves
 - all leaves at the same level
 - Node $a = \text{Node2 } a \ a \mid \text{Node3 } a \ a \ a$
- nodes of digits - fingers
- makes use of *laziness*
 - we implemented as an eager data structure
- have an efficient list like data structure
 - can serve as
 - *Sequence*
 - *Priority Queue*
 - *Search Tree*
 - *Priority Search Queue*
- *Op*
 - *reduction*
 - a function that collapses a structure of type $F[A]$ into a single value of type A
 - empty subtrees are replaced by constants
 - intermediate results are combined by using a *binary operation*
 - *skewed* reduction
 - only nested to the *right* or to the *left*
 - dequeue operations
 - *concatenation*
 - polymorphic recursion

- *addL*
 - *addR*
 - *splitting*
- *isomorphic* monoid type
 - via **newtype** declaration for each monoid structure of interest
- numerical representation hence *Digit(a)*
- *Digit*
 - `type Digit[A] = List[A]`
 - object `Digit` extends `Reduce[Digit]`
 - *reduceR*
 - `foldRight`
 - *reduceL*
 - `foldLeft`
 - *toList*
- *Node*
 - sealed trait `Node[+A]`
 - object `Node` extends `Reduce[Node]`
 - *Node2*
 - `case class Node2[A] (l :A, r :A) extends Node[A]`
 - *Node3*
 - `case class Node3[A] (l: A, m: A, r: A) extends Node[A]`
 - Operations(under object)
 - *reduceR*
 - *reduceL*
- *FingerTree*
 - sealed trait `FingerTree[+A]`
 - object `FingerTree` extends `Reduce[FingerTree]`
 - *Empty*
 - `case class Empty () extends FingerTree[Nothing]`
 - *Single*
 - takes
 - `data: A`
 - `case class Single[A] (data: A) extends FingerTree[A]`
 - *Deep*
 - takes
 - `pr: Digit[A]`
 - `m: FingerTree[Node[A]]`
 - `sf: Digit[A]`
 - `case class Deep[A] (pr: Digit[A], m: FingerTree[Node[A]], sf: Digit[A]) extends FingerTree[A]`
 - Operations (under object)
 - *reduceR*
 - *reduceL*

- *addL*
- *addR*
- *deepL*
- *deepR*
- *toTree*

- `Digit.toTree(FingerTree.toList.listOperation)`
 - `filter`
 - `map`