

Informatics 1
Functional Programming Lecture 15

Type Classes

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Part I

Type classes

Element

```
elem :: Eq a => a -> [a] -> Bool
```

```
-- higher-order
```

```
elem x ys      = foldr (||) False (map (x ==) ys)
```

```
-- comprehension
```

```
elem x ys      = or [ x == y | y <- ys ]
```

```
-- recursion
```

```
elem x []      = False
```

```
elem x (y:ys) = x == y || elem x ys
```

Using element

```
> elem 1 [2,3,4]
```

```
False
```

```
> elem 'o' "word"
```

```
True
```

```
> elem (1,'o') [(0,'w'),(1,'o'),(2,'r'),(3,'d')]
```

```
True
```

```
> elem "word" ["list","of","word"]
```

```
True
```

```
> elem (\x -> x) [(\x -> -x), (\x -> -(-x))]
```

```
No instance for (Eq (a -> a)) arising from a use of `elem'  
Possible fix: add an instance declaration for (Eq (a -> a))
```

Equality type class

```
class Eq a where  
  (==) :: a -> a -> Bool
```

```
instance Eq Int where  
  (==) = eqInt
```

```
instance Eq Char where  
  x == y          = ord x == ord y
```

```
instance (Eq a, Eq b) => Eq (a,b) where  
  (u,v) == (x,y)   = (u == x) && (v == y)
```

```
instance Eq a => Eq [a] where  
  [] == []          = True  
  [] == y:ys        = False  
  x:xs == []        = False  
  x:xs == y:ys      = (x == y) && (xs == ys)
```

Element, translation

```
data EqDict a      = EqD (a -> a -> Bool)
```

```
eq :: EqDict a -> a -> a -> Bool
```

```
eq (EqD f) = f
```

```
elem :: EqDict a -> a -> [a] -> Bool
```

```
-- comprehension
```

```
elem d x ys      = or [ eq d x y | y <- ys ]
```

```
-- recursion
```

```
elem d x []      = False
```

```
elem d x (y:ys) = eq d x y || elem d x ys
```

```
-- higher-order
```

```
elem d x ys      = foldr (||) False (map (eq d x) ys)
```

Type classes, translation

```
dInt      :: EqDict Int
dInt      = EqD eqInt

dChar     :: EqDict Char
dChar     = EqD f
  where
    f x y  = eq dInt (ord x) (ord y)

dPair     :: (EqDict a, EqDict b) -> EqDict (a,b)
dPair (da,db) = EqD f
  where
    f (u,v) (x,y) = eq da u x && eq db v y

dList     :: EqDict a -> EqDict [a]
dList d   = EqD f
  where
    f [] []      = True
    f [] (y:ys)  = False
    f (x:xs) []  = False
    f (x:xs) (y:ys) = eq d x y && eq (dList d) xs ys
```

Using element, translation

```
> elem dInt 1 [2,3,4]
False
```

```
> elem dChar 'o' "word"
True
```

```
> elem (dPair dInt dChar) (1,'o') [(0,'w'),(1,'o')]
True
```

```
> elem (dList dChar) "word" ["list","of","word"]
True
```

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Part II

Eq, Ord, Show

Eq, Ord, Show

```
class Eq a where
  (==)  :: a -> a -> Bool
  (/=)  :: a -> a -> Bool

  -- minimum definition: (==)
  x /= y = not (x == y)
```

```
class (Eq a) => Ord a where
  (<)    :: a -> a -> Bool
  (<=)   :: a -> a -> Bool
  (>)    :: a -> a -> Bool
  (>=)   :: a -> a -> Bool

  -- minimum definition: (<=)
  x < y  = x <= y && x /= y
  x > y  = y < x
  x >= y = y <= x
```

```
class Show a where
  show  :: a -> String
```

Part III

Booleans, Tuples, Lists

Instances for booleans

```
instance Eq Bool where
```

```
False == False = True
```

```
False == True  = False
```

```
True  == False = False
```

```
True  == True  = True
```

```
instance Ord Bool where
```

```
False <= False = True
```

```
False <= True  = True
```

```
True  <= False = False
```

```
True  <= True  = True
```

```
instance Show Bool where
```

```
show False      = "False"
```

```
show True       = "True"
```

Instances for pairs

```
instance (Eq a, Eq b) => Eq (a,b) where  
  (x,y) == (x',y') = x == x' && y == y'
```

```
instance (Ord a, Ord b) => Ord (a,b) where  
  (x,y) <= (x',y') = x < x' || (x == x' && y <= y')
```

```
instance (Show a, Show b) => Show (a,b) where  
  show (x,y) = "(" ++ show x ++ ", " ++ show y ++ ")"
```

Instances for lists

```
instance Eq a => Eq [a] where  
  []      == []      = True  
  []      == y:ys    = False  
  x:xs    == []      = False  
  x:xs    == y:ys    = x == y && xs == ys
```

```
instance Ord a => Ord [a] where  
  []      <= ys      = True  
  x:xs    <= []      = False  
  x:xs    <= y:ys    = x < y || (x == y && xs <= ys)
```

```
instance Show a => Show [a] where  
  show []          = "[]"  
  show (x:xs)     = "[" ++ showSep x xs ++ "]"  
  where  
    showSep x []      = show x  
    showSep x (y:ys) = show x ++ "," ++ showSep y ys
```

Deriving clauses

```
data Bool = False | True  
  deriving (Eq, Ord, Show)
```

```
data Pair a b = MkPair a b  
  deriving (Eq, Ord, Show)
```

```
data List a = Nil | Cons a (List a)  
  deriving (Eq, Ord, Show)
```

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Part IV

Sets, revisited

Sets, revisited

```
instance Ord a => Eq (Set a) where  
  s == t    = s `equal` t
```

Note that this differs from the derived instance!

Part V

Numbers

Numerical classes

```
class (Eq a, Show a) => Num a where
  (+), (-), (*)      :: a -> a -> a
  negate            :: a -> a
  fromInteger       :: Integer -> a
  -- minimum definition: (+), (-), (*), fromInteger
  negate x          =   fromInteger 0 - x
```

```
class (Num a) => Fractional a where
  (/)               :: a -> a -> a
  recip            :: a -> a
  fromRational      :: Rational -> a
  -- minimum definition: (/), fromRational
  recip x           =   1/x
```

```
class (Num a, Ord a) => Real a where
  toRational        :: a -> Rational
```

```
class (Real a, Enum a) => Integral a where
  div, mod          :: a -> a -> a
  toInteger         :: a -> Integer
```

A built-in numerical type

```
instance Num Float where  
  (+)          = builtInAddFloat  
  (-)          = builtInSubtractFloat  
  (*)          = builtInMultiplyFloat  
  negate      = builtInNegateFloat  
  fromInteger = builtInFromIntegerFloat
```

```
instance Fractional Float where  
  (/)          = builtInDivideFloat  
  fromRational = builtInFromRationalFloat
```

Natural.hs (1)

```
module Natural (Nat) where  
import Test.QuickCheck  
  
data Nat = MkNat Integer  
  
invariant :: Nat -> Bool  
invariant (MkNat x) = x >= 0  
  
instance Eq Nat where  
    MkNat x == MkNat y = x == y  
  
instance Ord Nat where  
    MkNat x <= MkNat y = x <= y  
  
instance Show Nat where  
    show (MkNat x) = show x
```

Natural.hs (2)

```
instance Num Nat where
  MkNat x + MkNat y = MkNat (x + y)
  MkNat x - MkNat y
    | x >= y      = MkNat (x - y)
    | otherwise   = error (show (x-y) ++ " is negative")
  MkNat x * MkNat y = MkNat (x * y)
  fromInteger x
    | x >= 0      = MkNat x
    | otherwise   = error (show x ++ " is negative")
  negate          = undefined
```

Natural.hs (3)

```
prop_plus :: Integer -> Integer -> Property
prop_plus m n =
    (m >= 0) && (n >= 0) ==> (m+n >= 0)
```

```
prop_times :: Integer -> Integer -> Property
prop_times m n =
    (m >= 0) && (n >= 0) ==> (m*n >= 0)
```

```
prop_minus :: Integer -> Integer -> Property
prop_minus m n =
    (m >= 0) && (n >= 0) && (m >= n) ==> (m-n >= 0)
```

NaturalTest.hs

```
module NaturalTest where  
import Natural
```

```
m, n :: Nat  
m = fromInteger 2  
n = fromInteger 3
```


Test run

```
ghci NaturalTest
```

```
Ok, modules loaded: NaturalTest, Natural.
```

```
> m
```

```
2
```

```
> n
```

```
3
```

```
> m+n
```

```
5
```

```
> n-m
```

```
1
```

```
> m-n
```

```
*** Exception: -1 is negative
```

```
> m*n
```

```
6
```

```
> fromInteger (-5) :: Nat
```

```
*** Exception: -5 is negative
```

```
> MkNat (-5)
```

```
Not in scope: data constructor `MkNat`
```

Hiding—the secret of abstraction

```
module Natural (Nat) where ...
```

```
> ghci NaturalTest
> let m = fromInteger 2
> let s = fromInteger (-5)
*** Exception: -5 is negative
> let s = MkNat (-5)
Not in scope: data constructor `MkNat`
```

VS.

```
module NaturalUnabs (Nat (MkNat)) where ...
```

```
> ghci NaturalUnabs
*NaturalUnabs> let p = MkNat (-5)  -- breaks invariant
*NaturalUnabs> invariant p
False
```

Part VI

Seasons

Seasons

```
data Season = Winter | Spring | Summer | Fall
```

```
next :: Season -> Season
```

```
next Winter = Spring
```

```
next Spring = Summer
```

```
next Summer = Fall
```

```
next Fall    = Winter
```

```
warm :: Season -> Bool
```

```
warm Winter = False
```

```
warm Spring = True
```

```
warm Summer = True
```

```
warm Fall    = True
```

Eq, Ord

```
instance Eq Season where  
  Winter == Winter = True  
  Spring == Spring = True  
  Summer == Summer = True  
  Fall   == Fall   = True  
  _      == _      = False
```

```
instance Ord Season where  
  Spring <= Winter = False  
  Summer <= Winter = False  
  Summer <= Spring = False  
  Fall   <= Winter = False  
  Fall   <= Spring = False  
  Fall   <= Summer = False  
  _      <= _      = True
```

Show

```
instance Show Season where  
  show Winter = "Winter"  
  show Spring = "Spring"  
  show Summer = "Summer"  
  show Fall   = "Fall"
```

Class Enum

```
class Enum a where
  toEnum          :: Int -> a
  fromEnum        :: a -> Int
  succ, pred      :: a -> a
  enumFrom        :: a -> [a]           -- [x..]
  enumFromTo      :: a -> a -> [a]     -- [x..y]
  enumFromThen    :: a -> a -> [a]     -- [x,y..]
  enumFromThenTo  :: a -> a -> a -> [a] -- [x,y..z]

-- minimum definition: toEnum, fromEnum
succ x          = toEnum (fromEnum x + 1)
pred x         = toEnum (fromEnum x - 1)
enumFrom x
  = map toEnum [fromEnum x ..]
enumFromTo x y
  = map toEnum [fromEnum x .. fromEnum y]
enumFromThen x y
  = map toEnum [fromEnum x, fromEnum y ..]
enumFromThenTo x y z
  = map toEnum [fromEnum x, fromEnum y .. fromEnum z]
```

Syntactic sugar

```
-- [x..]      = enumFrom x
-- [x..y]     = enumFromTo x y
-- [x,y..]    = enumFromThen x y
-- [x,y..z]   = enumFromThenTo x y z
```


Enumerating Int

```
instance Enum Int where
  toEnum  x          = x
  fromEnum x         = x
  succ  x           = x+1
  pred  x           = x-1
  enumFrom x        = iterate (+1) x
  enumFromTo x y    = takeWhile (<= y) (iterate (+1) x)
  enumFromThen x y = iterate (+(y-x)) x
  enumFromThenTo x y z
                    = takeWhile (<= z) (iterate (+(y-x)) x)
```

```
iterate :: (a -> a) -> a -> [a]
iterate f x = x : iterate f (f x)
```

```
takeWhile :: (a -> Bool) -> [a] -> [a]
takeWhile p [] = []
takeWhile p (x:xs) | p x = x : takeWhile p xs
                   | otherwise = []
```

Enumerating Seasons

```
instance Enum Season where
```

```
fromEnum Winter = 0
```

```
fromEnum Spring = 1
```

```
fromEnum Summer = 2
```

```
fromEnum Fall   = 3
```

```
toEnum 0 = Winter
```

```
toEnum 1 = Spring
```

```
toEnum 2 = Summer
```

```
toEnum 3 = Fall
```

Deriving Seasons

```
data Season = Winter | Spring | Summer | Fall  
  deriving (Eq, Ord, Show, Enum)
```

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Seasons, revisited

```
next :: Season -> Season
next x = toEnum ((fromEnum x + 1) `mod` 4)

warm :: Season -> Bool
warm x = x `elem` [Spring .. Fall]

-- [Spring .. Fall] = [Spring, Summer, Fall]
```

Part VII

Shape

Shape

```
type Radius = Float
```

```
type Width  = Float
```

```
type Height = Float
```

```
data Shape = Circle Radius  
          | Rect Width Height
```

```
area :: Shape -> Float
```

```
area (Circle r) = pi * r^2
```

```
area (Rect w h) = w * h
```

Eq, Ord, Show

```
instance Eq Shape where
```

```
Circle r == Circle r' = r == r'
```

```
Rect w h == Rect w' h' = w == w' && h == h'
```

```
_ == _ = False
```

```
instance Ord Shape where
```

```
Circle r <= Circle r' = r < r'
```

```
Circle r <= Rect w' h' = True
```

```
Rect w h <= Rect w' h' = w < w' || (w == w' && h <= h')
```

```
_ <= _ = False
```

```
instance Show Shape where
```

```
show (Circle r) = "Circle " ++ showN r
```

```
show (Radius w h) = "Radius " ++ showN w ++ " " ++ showN h
```

```
showN :: (Num a) => a -> String
```

```
showN x | x >= 0 = show x
```

```
        | otherwise = "(" ++ show x ++ ")"
```

Deriving Shapes

```
data Shape = Circle Radius  
           | Rect Width Height  
deriving (Eq, Ord, Show)
```

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Part VIII

Expressions

Expression Trees

```
data Exp = Lit Int
        | Exp :+: Exp
        | Exp :* Exp
```

```
eval :: Exp -> Int
eval (Lit n)      = n
eval (e :+: f)    = eval e + eval f
eval (e :* f)     = eval e * eval f
```

```
> eval (Lit 2 :+: (Lit 3 :* Lit 3))
11
> eval ((Lit 2 :+: Lit 3) :* Lit 3)
15
```

Eq, Ord, Show

```
instance Eq Exp where
```

```
  Lit n    == Lit n'    = n == n'  
  e :+: f  == e' :+: f' = e == e' && f == f'  
  e :* f   == e' :* f'  = e == e' && f == f'  
  _        == _        = False
```

```
instance Ord Exp where
```

```
  Lit n    <= Lit n'    = n <= n'  
  Lit n    <= e' :+: f' = True  
  Lit n    <= e' :* f'  = True  
  e :+: f  <= e' :+: f' = e < e' || (e == e' && f <= f')  
  e :+: f  <= e' :* f'  = True  
  e :* f   <= e' :* f'  = e < e' || (e == e' && f <= f')  
  _        <= _        = False
```

```
instance Show Exp where
```

```
  show (Lit n)    = "Lit " ++ showN n  
  show (e :+: f)  = "(" ++ show e ++ ":+:" ++ show f ++ ")"  
  show (e :* f)   = "(" ++ show e ++ ":*:" ++ show f ++ ")"
```

Deriving Expressions

```
data Exp = Lit Int
         | Exp :+: Exp
         | Exp :* Exp
deriving (Eq, Ord, Show)
```

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