

# Computer Science 312

## Haskell Strings and Tuples

# One More List Operation: Insertion Sort

```
insert :: Ord a => a -> [a] ->[a]
insert item [] = [item]
insert item (x:xs)
    | item <= x = item : x : xs
    | otherwise = x : insert item xs
```

- If the list is empty, wrap a list around the item
- Else if the item  $\leq$  the head of the list, add the item and the head to the tail
- Else add the head to the result of inserting the item into the tail

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Sort the list's tail, and then insert the list's head into the result

```
insertionSort :: Ord a => [a] -> [a]
insertionSort [] = []
insertionSort (x:xs) = insert x (insertionSort xs)
```

# String Literals and The String Type

Strings are just lists of characters

```
Prelude> "Hi there!"  
"Hi there!"
```

```
Prelude> :type "Hi there!"           -- A list of characters  
"Hi there!" :: [Char]
```

```
Prelude> putStrLn "Hi there!"       -- Like Python's print  
Hi there!
```

```
Prelude> putStrLn "Hi\nthere!"  
Hi  
there!
```

# String Operations

- All of the list operations (because strings are just lists of characters)
- The functions in **Data.String**
- Character-based functions in **Data.Char**

# Data.String

```
Prelude> import Data.String
```

```
Prelude Data.String> words "Hi there, Ken"           -- split  
["Hi", "there, ", "Ken"]
```

```
Prelude Data.String> unwords ["Hi", "there, ", "Ken"] -- join  
"Hi there, Ken"
```

```
Prelude Data.String> lines "Hi\nthere, Ken"  
["Hi", "there, Ken"]
```

Operations for search, substring, etc., are in **Data.List**

# Data.List

```
Prelude> import Data.List
```

```
Prelude Data.List> isPrefixOf "Ken" "Ken Lambert"  
True
```

```
Prelude Data.List> isSuffixOf "bert" "Ken Lambert"  
True
```

```
Prelude Data.List> isInfixOf "Lamb" "Ken Lambert"  
True
```

```
Prelude Data.List Data.List> take 3 "Ken Lambert"  
"Ken"
```

```
Prelude Data.List Data.List> drop 4 "Ken Lambert"  
"Lambert"
```

# Convert a String to Uppercase

```
import qualified Data.Char (toUpper)

toUpper :: String -> String
toUpper [] = []
toUpper (x:xs) = Data.Char.toUpper x : toUpper xs
```

You can use either `[]` or `""` for the empty string

**String** is a synonym for **[Char]**

# The **show** Function

```
Prelude> :type show  
show :: Show a => a -> String
```

```
Prelude> show 34  
"34"
```

```
Prelude> show 3.14  
"3.14"
```

Like **str** in Python, wraps quotes around its argument

# Number the Lines of Text

```
numberLines :: String -> String
```

1. Extract a list of lines from the string
2. Prepend a line number to each line in this list
3. Join the lines together into a string

Define a helper function for step #2

# Number the Lines of Text

```
import Data.String (lines, unlines)
```

```
numberLines :: String -> String
```

```
numberLines text = unlines (helper (lines text) 1)
```

↑  
join

↑  
split

↑  
initial line number

# Number the Lines of Text

```
import Data.String (lines, unlines)

numberLines :: String -> String
numberLines text = unlines (helper (lines text) 1) where
  helper :: [String] -> Int -> [String]
  helper [] _ = []
  helper (x:xs) count =
    (show count ++ " " ++ x) : helper xs (count + 1)
```

The `_` symbol matches any pattern, with no binding

# Temporary Variables and **let**

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```

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numberLines :: String -> String
numberLines text = unlines (helper (lines text) 1) where
  helper :: [String] -> Int -> [String]
  helper [] _ = []
  helper (x:xs) count =
    let thisLine = show count ++ " " ++ x
        restOfLines = helper xs (count + 1)
    in
      thisLine : restOfLines
```

# Syntax of **let** / **in**

```
let
  <variable-1> = <expression-1>
  .
  .
  <variable-n> = <expression-n>
in
  <expression>
```

Creates a local context for variables with temporary bindings

# Lists vs Tuples

A list is a sequence of items of the same type

```
Prelude> numbers = [100, 34, 67]
```

```
Prelude> :type numbers  
numbers :: Num a => [a]
```

A tuple is a sequence of items of any types

```
Prelude> studentInfo = ("Stanley", 19, 3.56)
```

```
Prelude> :type studentInfo  
studentInfo :: (Num b, Fractional c) => ([Char], b, c)]
```

# Pattern Matching with Tuples

```
Prelude> studentInfo = ("Stanley", 19, 3.56)
Prelude> :type studentInfo
studentInfo :: (Num b, Fractional c) => ([Char], b, c)]
```

Extract components with a pattern:

```
Prelude> (name, age, gpa) = studentInfo
```

```
Prelude> name
"Stanley"
```

```
Prelude> age
19
```

```
Prelude> gpa
3.56
```

# Association Lists

- Like a Python dictionary, associates a set of keys with values
- The key/value pairs are tuples within a list

```
Prelude> students = [("Stanley", 3.56), ("Ann", 4.0),  
                    ("Bill", 2.95)]
```

```
Prelude> :type students  
students :: Fractional b => [(Char, b)]
```

```
Prelude> (name, gpa) = head students
```

```
Prelude> name  
"Stanley"
```

```
Prelude> gpa  
3.56
```

# Built-in Functions to Build A-Lists

**zip** – turns a list of keys and a list of values into an association list

**unzip** – turns an association list into a tuple of a list of keys and a list of values

```
Prelude> :type zip
zip :: [a] -> [b] -> [(a, b)]

Prelude> :type unzip
unzip :: [(a, b)] -> ([a], [b])
```

# Defining and Using **zip**

```
zip :: [a] -> [b] -> [(a, b)]  
zip [] [] = []  
zip (x:xs) (y:ys) = (x, y) : zip xs ys
```

```
Prelude> students = zip ["Stan", "Ann", "Bill"]  
                        [3.56, 4.00, 2.95]
```

```
Prelude> students  
[("Stan", 3.56), ("Ann", 4.0), ("Bill", 2.95)]
```

# Built-in Function to Access Items

**lookup** – returns the value, of the form **Just <value>**, at a given key, if present, or **Nothing** otherwise

```
Prelude> students
[("Stan",3.56),("Ann",4.0),("Bill",2.95)]

Prelude> lookup "Bill" students
Just 2.95

Prelude> lookup "Ken" students
Nothing

Prelude> :type lookup
lookup :: Eq a => a -> [(a, b)] -> Maybe b
```

# Maybe, or Maybe Not

**Maybe** is a *union type*, meaning that it can be either of two values:

1. **Nothing**, or

2. **Just a**, where **a** is a value of any type

```
data Maybe a = Nothing | Just a
              deriving (Eq, Show)
```

```
lookup :: Eq a => a -> [(a, b)] -> Maybe b
lookup key aList = helper aList where
  helper :: [(a, b)] -> Maybe b
  helper [] = Nothing
  helper ((k, v):restOfPairs)
    | key == k = Just v
    | otherwise = helper restOfPairs
```

# Why is there anything at all, rather than nothing?

```
Prelude> let name1 = Just "Ken"      -- Construct optional values
```

```
Prelude> let name2 = Nothing
```

```
Prelude> :type name1                -- Examine their types
name1 :: Maybe [Char]
```

```
Prelude> :type name2
name2 :: Maybe a
```

```
Prelude> let Just name = name1      -- Extract the data
```

```
Prelude> name
"Ken"
```

# Using **maybe** with **Maybe** values

Syntax:

```
maybe <a default value> <a function> <a Maybe value>
```

```
Prelude> :type maybe
maybe :: b -> (a -> b) -> Maybe a -> b

Prelude> maybe "" id name1      -- Return the data or a default
"Ken"

Prelude> maybe "" id name2
""
```

If the third argument is **Nothing**, the default value is returned.

Otherwise, the function is applied to the data within the **Maybe** value, and its result is returned.

**id** is a built-in identity function

# From the **Doctor** Program

Python version:

```
def changePerson(sentence):  
    newlist = map(lambda word: replacements.get(word, word),  
                  sentence.split())  
    return " ".join(newlist)
```

Haskell version:

```
changePerson :: String -> String  
changePerson sentence = unwords (map myLookup (words sentence))  
  where  
    myLookup :: String -> String  
    myLookup word =  
      maybe word id (lookup (makeUppercase word) replacements)
```

For next time

Introduction to higher-order functions