CS380: Modern Functional Programming Prof. Richard Eisenberg Spring 2017

Lists

Use list comprehensions to solve these problems. They are taken from http://projecteuler.net; they are problems 1 and 2.

The following definitions from the Haskell standard library will be helpful:

-- sum xs calculates the sum of all the elements in xs. Thus, sum [1,2,3] equals 6. sum :: Num $a \Rightarrow [a] \rightarrow a$

-- zipWith f xs ys applies the function f to corresponding elements in xs and ys.

-- Thus, zipWith(-)[4,7,10][1,2,3] equals [3,5,7]. If one list is longer than the

-- other, the extra elements in the longer list are ignored.

zipWith :: $(a \rightarrow b \rightarrow c) \rightarrow [a] \rightarrow [b] \rightarrow [c]$

-- $tail \times s$ removes the first element from the list $\times s$ and returns the remainder.

-- Thus, tail [1,2,3] equals [2,3]. tail errors if the list is empty.

 $tail :: [a] \rightarrow [a]$

-- even x is a predicate that determines whether or not x is even. Thus,

-- even 4 is True while even 9 is False.

 $\textit{even} :: \textit{Integral } a \Rightarrow a \rightarrow \textit{Bool}$

-- takeWhile f xs returns the longest prefix of the list xs such that every

-- element in the prefix satisfies predicate f. Thus, takeWhile (<3) [1, 2, 3, 4, 1, 2, 3]-- equals [1, 2].

takeWhile :: $(a \rightarrow Bool) \rightarrow [a] \rightarrow [a]$

1. If we list all the natural numbers below 10 that are multiples of 3 or 5, we get 3, 5, 6 and 9. The sum of these multiples is 23.

Write an expression that evaluates to the sum of all the multiples of 3 or 5 below 1000.

2. Each new term in the Fibonacci sequence is generated by adding the previous two terms. By starting with 1 and 2, the first 10 terms will be: 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 13, 21, 34, 55, 89, ...

We can define the infinite list of Fibonacci numbers in Haskell with

fibs :: [Integer] fibs = 0 : 1 : zipWith (+) fibs (tail fibs)

By considering the terms in the Fibonacci sequence whose values do not exceed four million, write an expression that evaluates to the sum of the even-valued terms.