QuickCheck 2.4.2 Cheat Sheet

Model-Based Testing DIT848/GU and TDA260/Chalmers

Running tests

• $quickCheck :: Testable \ prop \Rightarrow prop \rightarrow IO \ ()$

Tests a property and prints the results to stdout.

• $verboseCheck :: Testable prop \Rightarrow prop \rightarrow IO$ ()

Tests a property and prints the results and all test cases generated to stdout.

Properties

• (==>) :: Testable prop \Rightarrow Bool \rightarrow prop \rightarrow Property

Implication for properties: The resulting property holds if the first argument is False, or if the given property holds.

• $forAll :: (Show \ a, Testable \ prop) \Rightarrow Gen \ a \rightarrow (a \rightarrow prop) \rightarrow Property$

Explicit universal quantification: uses an explicitly given test case generator.

• $expectFailure :: Testable\ prop \Rightarrow prop \rightarrow Property$

Modifies a property so that it is expected to fail for some test cases.

Generator combinators

• $choose :: Random \ a \Rightarrow (a, a) \rightarrow Gen \ a$

Generates a random element in the given inclusive range.

• $suchThat :: Gen \ a \rightarrow (a \rightarrow Bool) \rightarrow Gen \ a$

Generates a value that satisfies a predicate.

• $oneof :: [Gen \ a] \rightarrow Gen \ a$

Randomly uses one of the given generators. The input list must be non-empty.

• $frequency :: [(Int, Gen \ a)] \rightarrow Gen \ a$

Chooses one of the given generators, with a weighted random distribution. The input list must be non-empty.

• $elements :: [a] \rightarrow Gen \ a$

Generates one of the given values. The input list must be non-empty.

• $listOf :: Gen \ a \rightarrow Gen \ [a]$

Generates a list of random length. The maximum length depends on the size parameter.

• $listOf1 :: Gen \ a \rightarrow Gen \ [a]$

Generates a non-empty list of random length. The maximum length depends on the size parameter.

• $sample :: Show \ a \Rightarrow Gen \ a \rightarrow IO \ ()$

Generates some example values and prints them to stdout.