

Advanced Functional Programming TDA342/DIT260

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Aids: You may bring up to two pages (on one A4 sheet of paper) of pre-written notes - a “summary sheet”. These notes may be typed or handwritten. They may be from any source. If this summary sheet is brought to the exam it must also be handed in with the exam (so make a copy if you want to keep it).

Grades: Chalmers: 3: 24p, 4: 36p, 5: 48p, max: 60p
GU: G: 24p, VG: 48p
PhD student: 36p to pass

Remember: Write legibly.
Don't write on the back of the paper.
Start each problem on a new sheet of paper.
Hand in the summary sheet (if you brought one) with the exam solutions.

(20 p)

Problem 1: Types: read, understand and extend Haskell programs which use advanced type system features

You have seen the standard Haskell definition of *Monad* in the course. Let's repeat the core of it here, and call it *Monad1* to be able to differentiate between it and another version below:

```
class Monad1 m where
  return :: a -> m a
  (>>=) :: m a -> (a -> m b) -> m b
```

In this task, you will show that another definition is just as expressive. It uses *join* as primitive instead of bind ($\gg=$), and it has a *Functor* constraint. We will call this class *Monad2*:

```
class Functor m => Monad2 m where
  return :: a -> m a
  join   :: m (m a) -> m a
```

(5 p) (a) Without using do-notation, implement bind using this new monad definition:

```
(>>=) :: Monad2 m => m a -> (a -> m b) -> m b
(>>=) = ?
```

Hint: Every Monad2 is also a Functor!

(5 p) (b) Implement *join1* using the standard monad definition:

```
join1 :: Monad1 m => m (m a) -> m a
join1 = ?
```

Again, don't use do-notation.

If *Monad2* was how monads were defined in Haskell, the instances could also look a bit different.

(3 p) (c) Finish this *Maybe* instance of *Monad2* by implementing *join*:

```
instance Monad2 Maybe where
  return = Just
  join   = ?
```

Do it in this setting's most straightforward way (i.e. don't go via an implementation of ($\gg=$)).

(7 p) (d) Finish this *State* instance of *Monad2* by implementing *fmap* and *join*:

```
newtype State s a = State { runState :: s -> (a, s) }
instance Functor (State s) where
  fmap = ?
instance Monad2 (State s) where
  return a = State $ \s -> (a, s)
  join     = ?
```

Again, do it in the most straightforward way for this setting.

Problem 2: Spec: use specification based development techniques (20 p)

This problem continues the previous problem’s adventure about monads in terms of *join*.

Note: Even if you have not solved problem 1 you can still try to solve this problem.

The monad laws can also be expressed in terms of *join*, *fmap* and *return*:

Units: $join \circ return = id = join \circ fmap \ return$

Associativity: $join \circ fmap \ join = join \circ join$

(a) What is the type of *fmap return* at the use site in the units law and what is the type of the rightmost *join* in the associativity law? (5 p)

(b) Now, consider this implementation of the writer monad: (15 p)

```
instance Functor ((,) w) where
```

```
  fmap f (w, a) = (w, f a)
```

```
instance Monoid w => Monad2 ((,) w) where
```

```
  return a      = (∅      , a)
```

```
  join (w, (w', a)) = (w ∘ w', a)
```

Here, for brevity, we write \emptyset for *mempty* and \circ for *mappend* just as in the appendix. The notation $((,) w)$ is a partial application of the pair type constructor. For example, $((,) w) a$ is the same type as (w, a) .

Show the above unit and associativity laws for this writer monad by equational reasoning.

Problem 3: DSL: implement embedded domain specific languages (20 p)

This is a simple API for digital circuits of type *C*:

```
data C -- To be defined
```

```
-- Primitive operations
```

```
inv  :: C → C      -- inverter (“not”-gate)
```

```
ands :: [C] → C    -- “and”-gate with zero or more inputs and one output
```

```
delay :: C → C     -- delay the output one step
```

```
-- Derived operations
```

```
ors  :: [C] → C    -- “or”-gate with zero or more inputs and one output
```

```
xor  :: C → C → C  -- binary “xor”-gate
```

```
false, true, toggle :: C
```

```
-- Run functions
```

```
run  :: C → [Bool]
```

```
show :: C → String
```

The *run* function should return an infinite list of booleans representing the logic outputs of the circuit for all time steps. Here is a selection of the properties it should satisfy:

```
prop_inv   i c = run (inv c) !! i ≠ run c !! i
```

```
prop_delay0 c = not (run (delay c) !! 0)
```

```
prop_delay i c = run (delay c) !! (i + 1) == run c !! i
```

```
prop_true i = run true !! i
```

```
prop_toggle i = run toggle !! i == (i `mod` 2 == 1)
```

(a) Implement the derived operations while keeping the type *C* abstract. (10 p)

(b) Implement the type *C*, the primitive operations and *run* using a deep embedding. (10 p)

A Library documentation

A.1 Monoids

```
class Monoid a where  
  empty :: a  
  mappend :: a → a → a
```

Monoid laws (variables are implicitly quantified, and we write \emptyset for *empty* and \diamond for *mappend*):

```
 $\emptyset \diamond m == m == m \diamond \emptyset$   
 $(m_1 \diamond m_2) \diamond m_3 == m_1 \diamond (m_2 \diamond m_3)$ 
```

Example: lists form a monoid:

```
instance Monoid [a] where  
  empty = []  
  mappend xs ys = xs ++ ys
```

A.2 Monads and monad transformers

```
class Monad m where  
  return :: a → m a  
  (>>=) :: m a → (a → m b) → m b  
  fail :: String → m a  
class Monad m ⇒ MonadPlus m where  
  mzero :: m a  
  mplus :: m a → m a → m a
```

Reader monads

```
type ReaderT e m a  
runReaderT :: ReaderT e m a → e → m a  
class Monad m ⇒ MonadReader e m | m → e where  
  ask :: m e -- Get the environment  
  local :: (e → e) → m a → m a -- Change the environment locally
```

Writer monads

```
type WriterT w m a  
runWriterT :: WriterT w m a → m (a, w)  
execWriterT :: (Monad m) ⇒ WriterT w m a → m w  
class (Monad m, Monoid w) ⇒ MonadWriter w m | m → w where  
  tell :: w → m () -- Output something  
  listen :: m a → m (a, w) -- Listen to the outputs of a computation.
```

State monads

```
type StateT s m a  
type State s a  
runStateT :: StateT s m a → s → m (a, s)  
runState :: State s a → s → m (a, s)  
class Monad m ⇒ MonadState s m | m → s where  
  get :: m s -- Get the current state  
  put :: s → m () -- Set the current state  
  state :: (s → (a, s)) → m a -- Embed a simple state action into the monad
```

Error monads

```
type ErrorT e m a
runErrorT :: ErrorT e m a → m (Either e a)

class Monad m ⇒ MonadError e m | m → e where
  throwError :: e → m a           -- Throw an error
  catchError :: m a → (e → m a) → m a -- In catchError x h if x throws an error,
                                         -- it is caught and handled by h.
```

A.3 Some QuickCheck

```
-- Create Testable properties:
  -- Boolean expressions: ( $\wedge$ ), ( $\vee$ ), not, ...
(==>) :: Testable p ⇒ Bool → p → Property
forAll :: (Show a, Testable p) ⇒ Gen a → (a → p) → Property
  -- ... and functions returning Testable properties

-- Run tests:
quickCheck :: Testable prop ⇒ prop → IO ()

-- Measure the test case distribution:
collect :: (Show a, Testable p) ⇒ a → p → Property
label   :: Testable p ⇒ String → p → Property
classify :: Testable p ⇒ Bool → String → p → Property
collect x = label (show x)
label s   = classify True s

-- Create generators:
choose   :: Random a ⇒ (a, a) → Gen a
elements :: [a] → Gen a
oneof    :: [Gen a] → Gen a
frequency :: [(Int, Gen a)] → Gen a
sized    :: (Int → Gen a) → Gen a
sequence :: [Gen a] → Gen [a]
vector   :: Arbitrary a ⇒ Int → Gen [a]
arbitrary :: Arbitrary a ⇒ Gen a
fmap      :: (a → b) → Gen a → Gen b
instance Monad (Gen a) where ...

-- Arbitrary — a class for generators
class Arbitrary a where
  arbitrary :: Gen a
  shrink    :: a → [a]
```