

“Pascal [Java] is for building pyramids – imposing, breathtaking, static structures built by armies pushing heavy blocks into place. Lisp [Haskell] is for building organisms – imposing, breathtaking, dynamic structures built by squads fitting fluctuating myriads of simpler organisms into place.

...

the pyramid must stand unchanged for a millennium; the organism must evolve or perish.”

– *Alan J. Perlis, Foreword to “Structure and Interpretation of Computer Programs”, 1985, 1996*

The plan going forward

- This week: input-output, algebraic data types
- Assignment 3 due next week provides some templates for possible projects (algebraic types, reading files, user interaction)
- Project (groups of 2 or 3):
 - ▶ Proposal: 12 February
 - ▶ Final Project Due: 26 February
 - ▶ Project Demos: 27 Feb - March 4 (by appointment with TAs)
- In class: worked examples (games in Haskell)
- Midterm 2 on 26 February
- Then Logic Programming!!

Some Representative Survey Feedback

- I dislike:
 - How much I need to google to complete the assignments
 - Up until now, the course focus a lot on the theory side
 - Trying to understand how to code by watching someone else
 - We go through the iclicker answers very quickly.
 - Topics build on each other very fast and it feels like sometimes there isn't enough time to solidify the groundwork.
 - Nothing, I believe the way the course is taught right now is perfect and is helping me learn a lot
 - It sometimes is too slow.
 - The pace of the lectures, seems a bit quick sometimes
- I wish:
 - to learn more applications of Haskell or any functional in real world settings (not only theory).
 - I wish the midterm is really easy and I do well in this course :)
 - I wish the answers to the clickers on the slides are posted somewhere

Input-Output (see IOAdder.hs)

- IO t is a type that does input output
- Output putChar, putStr, putStrLn
- Input getChar, getLine
- Do:

```
do v1 <- a1
    v2 <- a2
    ...
    vn <- an
    return (f v1 v2 ... vn)
```

Evaluates each a_i in turn, save value in v_i

$v_i <-$ is optional if you don't want to save
returns value of $(f v_1 v_2 \dots v_n)$

- do could end with calling another function that has a return

Input-Output (see IOAdder2.hs)

- `IO t` is a type for input and output
- `type IO t = World -> (t,World)`
where `World` contains information about state of world.
- `do v1 <- a1`
 ...
 `vn <- an`
 `return (f v1 ... vn)`

Each a_i is of type `IO ti` for some type t_i

v_i is of type t_i

a_i gets world from a_{i-1} , gives value to v_i and world to a_{i+1}

- Type of `do` expression is `IO t` where t is return type of f
- To define a new value use
`let v = exp`
where type of v is type of `exp`

Return

- `IO t` is a type for input and output
- `type IO t = World -> (t,World)`
where `World` contains information about state of world.
- ```
do v1 <- a1
 ...
 vn <- an
 return (f v1 ... vn)
```

returns `(v,world)` where `v` is value of `(f v1 ... vn)`
- How is `return` defined?  
`return v world = (v,world)`  
which is returned as the value for `do`.  
Value of `v` is printed in interactive mode.
- `IO` is a *monad*.

# Clicker Question

Consider the program:

```
foo =
 do
 putStrLn("Test in foo")
 return (3 :: Integer)
```

What is the type of foo?

- A `foo :: [Char]`
- B `foo :: IO [Char]`
- C `foo :: Integer`
- D `foo :: IO Integer`

See TestDo.hs

## Clicker Question

Consider the program:

```
foo =
 do
 putStrLn("Test in foo")
 return 3
```

What output from evaluating `foo` in `ghci`?

- A Test in foo  
3
- B 3  
Test in foo
- C 3
- D "Test in foo"



## Clicker Question

```
foo =
 do
 putStrLn("Test in foo")
 return (3 :: Integer)
bar =
 do
 putStrLn("Test in bar")
 v <- foo
 putStrLn ("v is "++show v)
 return ("v^3 is "++show (v^3))
```

What is the inferred type of bar?

- A bar :: [Char]
- B bar :: IO [Char]
- C bar :: Integer
- D bar :: IO Integer

See TestDo.hs

## Clicker Question

```
foo = do
 putStrLn("Test in foo")
 return 3
bar = do
 putStrLn("Test in bar")
 v <- foo
 w <- v+7 ---this line---
 putStrLn ("v is "++show v)
 return ("v^3 is "++show (v^3))
```

This given an error with `---this line---` included, but not with it removed. Why?

- A `v` is not a number and so cannot be added to 7
- B `v+7` is a `Num` type, not of type `IO t`
- C `w` is not used in the rest of the definition
- D `---this line---` is illegal at the end of the line

## Clicker Question

```
foo = do
 putStrLn("Test in foo")
 return 3
bar2 = do
 putStrLn("Test in bar")
 v <- foo
 w <- 7
 putStrLn ("v is "++show v)
 return ("v^3 is "++show (v^3))
```

What error message does Haskell produce

- A No instance for (Show a0) arising from a use of 'print'
- B Runtime error: '7' is not an IO t0
- C You are not allowed to have 'w <- 7' in a 'do'
- D No instance for (Num (IO t0)) arising from the literal '7'
- E parse error (possibly incorrect indentation or mismatched brackets)

## Clicker Question

```
foo = do
 putStrLn("Test in foo")
 return 3
bar3 = do
 putStrLn("Test in bar")
 v <- foo
 w <- v
 return ("v^2 is "++show (v^2))
```

Why does Haskell produce the error:

No instance for (Num (IO t0)) arising from the literal '3'

- A It is a typo; it should say `w <- v` is wrong
- B It is possible that `w <- v` is legal expression if `v` is of type `(IO t0)` but `v` must also be in the class `Num`
- C The error messages are designed to be confusing
- D "return 3" is illegal in `foo`

## Clicker Question

```
afun :: IO Int
afun =
 do
 aaa <- return 5
 return (aaa+4)
```

What does `ghci` print when `afun` is called:

- A 5
- B 9
- C 5  
9
- D It gives a compilation error.
- E It gives a run time error.