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Example: concat

```
concat xss = [x | xs <- xss, x <- xs]

concat [[1,2], [4,5,6]]
= [x | xs <- [[1,2], [4,5,6]], x <- xs]
= [x | x <- [1,2]] ++ [x | x <- [4,5,6]]
= [1,2] ++ [4,5,6]
= [1,2,4,5,6]</pre>
```

What is the type of concat?



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where a is a type variable



Type variable syntax

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Typically: a, b, c, ...



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(Often called *ML-style polymorphism*)



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$$x = x$$

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replicate :: Int -> a -> [a]
replicate 3 'c' = "ccc"
```



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```
head, last :: [a] -> a
head "list" = 'l',
```



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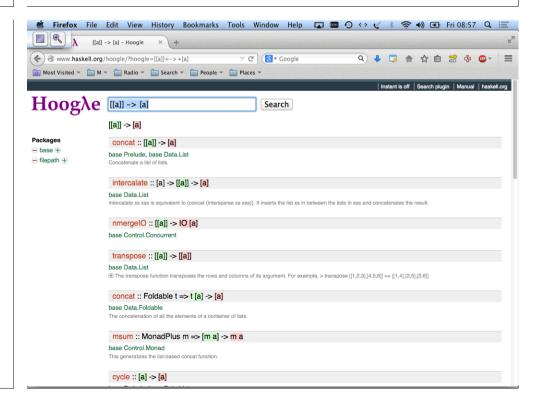
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prop_zip xs ys = length xs == length ys ==>
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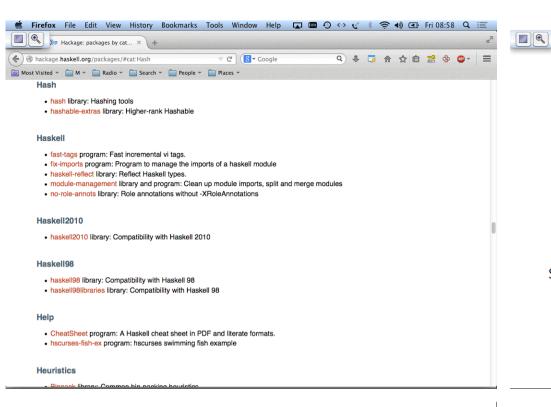




Haskell libraries

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See Haskell pages and Thompson's book for more information.



Further list functions from the Prelude

```
and :: [Bool] -> Bool
and [True, False, True] = False
or :: [Bool] -> Bool
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What exactly is the type of sum, prod, +, *, ==, ...???
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So what is the type of (+) ?



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- Types of class Num offer the basic arithmetic operations:

```
(+) :: Num a => a -> a -> a
(-) :: Num a => a -> a -> a
(*) :: Num a => a -> a -> a
```



Other important type classes



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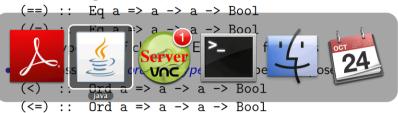
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More on type classes later. Don't confuse with OO classes.



Warning: == []

null xs = xs == []

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```
null :: [a] -> Bool
null xs = xs == []
```



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```
null :: Eq a => [a] -> Bool
null xs = xs == []
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Better:

```
null :: [a] -> Bool
null [] = True
null _ = False
In Prelude!
```



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Now QuickCheck works



Conditional properties have result type Property



4.3 Case study: Pictures

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Conditional properties have result type Property

Example

```
prop_rev10 :: [Int] -> Property
prop_rev10 xs =
  length xs <= 10 ==> reverse(reverse xs) == xs
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```
type Picture = [String]
uarr :: Picture
uarr =
[" # ",
    "####",
    "####",
    " # ",
    " # ",
```



flipH :: Picture -> Picture



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flipV :: Picture -> Picture
flipV pic =
```

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flipV pic = [ reverse line | line <- pic]

rarr :: Picture
rarr = flipV larr

darr :: Picture
darr = flipH uarr</pre>
```

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above :: Picture -> Picture -> Picture
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beside pic1 pic2 =
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above = (++)
beside :: Picture -> Picture -> Picture
beside pic1 pic2 = [ line1 ++ line2 | (line1,line2) <- zip pic1 pic2]</pre>
-- Test properties
prop_aboveFlipV pic1 pic2 =
  flipV (pic1 `above` pic2) == (flipV pic1) `above` (flipV pic2)
prop aboveFlipH pic1 pic2 =
  flipH (pic1 `above` pic2) == (flipH pic1) `above` (flipH pic2)
-- Displaying pictures:
render :: Picture -> String
render pic = concat [line ++ "\n" | line <- pic]
pr :: Picture -> IO()
pr pic = putStr(render pic)
-- Chessboards
```

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Loading package base ... linking ... done.
Prelude> : l Pictures
[1 of 1] Compiling Main
                                    ( Pictures.hs, interpreted )
Ok, modules loaded: Main.
*Main> quickCheck prop aboveFlipV
Loading package array-0.4.0.1 ... linking ... done.
Loading package deepseq-1.3.0.1 ... linking ... done.
Loading package old-locale-1.0.0.5 ... linking ... done.
Loading package time-1.4.0.1 ... linking ... done.
Loading package random-1.0.1.1 ... linking ... done.
Loading package containers-0.5.0.0 ... linking ... done.
Loading package pretty-1.1.1.0 ... linking ... done.
Loading package template-haskell ... linking ... done.
Loading package QuickCheck-2.6 ... linking ... done.
+++ OK, passed 100 tests.
∗Main>
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```



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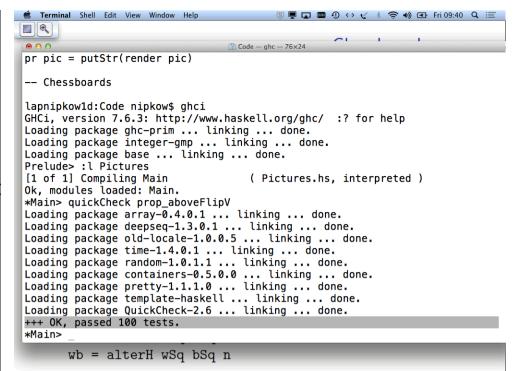
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Exercise

Ensure that the lower left square of chesboard n is always black.



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      2: 3: []

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      1: 2: 3: []

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      x_1 : \ldots : x_n : []
```



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[1, 2, 3] 1: 2: 3: []
[x_1, \ldots, x_n] x_1: \ldots: x_n: []
```

```
Note: x : y : zs = x : (y : zs)
(:) associates to the right
```



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X : XS

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Note: True and False are constructors, too!



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When f is called, the equations are tried in the given order



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```



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```
length [] = 0
length (_ : xs) = length xs + 1
reverse [] = []
```



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ins :: a -> [a] -> [a]
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ins x (y:ys) | x <= y =</pre>
```

Example



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Beyond primitive recursion: Complex patterns

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Alternative definition:

$$zip'$$
 [] [] = []
 zip' (x:xs) (y:ys) = (x,y) : zip' xs ys

zip' is undefined for lists of different length!



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General recursion: Quicksort

```
quicksort :: Ord a => [a] -> [a]
```

