

Basic Haskell Cheat Sheet

Structure

```
func :: type -> type
func x = expr

fung :: type -> [type] -> type
fung x xs = expr

main = do code
         code
         ...


```

Function Application

<code>f x y</code>	$\equiv (f x) y$	$\equiv ((f x) (x)) (y)$
<code>f x y z</code>	$\equiv ((f x) y) z$	$\equiv (f x y) z$
<code>f \$ g x</code>	$\equiv f (g x)$	$\equiv f . g \$ x$
<code>f \$ g \$ h x</code>	$\equiv f (g (h x))$	$\equiv f . g . h \$ x$
<code>f \$ g x y</code>	$\equiv f (g x y)$	$\equiv f . g x \$ y$
<code>f g \$ h x</code>	$\equiv f g (h x)$	$\equiv f g . h \$ x$

Values and Types

has type	<code>expr :: type</code>
boolean	<code>True False :: Bool</code>
character	<code>'a' :: Char</code>
fixed-precision integer	<code>1 :: Int</code>
integer (arbitrary sz.)	<code>31337 :: Integer</code>
single precision float	<code>31337^~10 :: Integer</code>
double precision float	<code>1.2 :: Float</code>
list	<code>[] :: [a]</code>
	<code>[1,2,3] :: [Integer]</code>
	<code>['a','b','c'] :: [Char]</code>
	<code>"abc" :: [Char]</code>
	<code>[[1,2],[3,4]] :: [[Integer]]</code>
string	<code>"asdf" :: String</code>
tuple	<code>(1,2) :: (Int,Int)</code>
	<code>([1,2], 'a') :: ([Int],Char)</code>
ordering relation	<code>LT, EQ, GT :: Ordering</code>
function (λ)	<code>\x -> e :: a -> b</code>
maybe (just something or nothing)	<code>Just 10 :: Maybe Int</code>
	<code>Nothing :: Maybe a</code>

Values and Typeclasses

given context, has type	<code>expr :: constraint -> type</code>
Numeric (+,-,*)	<code>137 :: Num a => a</code>
Fractional (/)	<code>1.2 :: Fractional a => a</code>
Floating	<code>1.2 :: Floating a => a</code>
Equatable (==)	<code>'a' :: Eq a => a</code>
Ordered ($<=, >, >=, <$)	<code>731 :: Ord a => a</code>

Declaring Types and Classes

type synonym	<code>type MyType = Type</code>
	<code>type PairList a b = [(a,b)]</code>
	<code>type String = [Char] -- from Prelude</code>
data (single constructor)	<code>data MyData = MyData Type Type</code>
	<code>deriving (Class, Class)</code>
data (multi constructor)	<code>data MyData = Simple Type</code>
	<code> Duple Type Type</code>
	<code> Nople</code>
data (record syntax)	<code>data MDt = MDt { fieldA</code>
	<code>, fieldB :: TyAB</code>
	<code>, fieldC :: TyC }</code>
newtype	<code>newtype MyType = MyType Type</code>
\Leftarrow (single constr./field)	<code>deriving (Class, Class)</code>
typeclass	<code>class MyClass a where</code>
	<code>foo :: a -> a -> b</code>
	<code>goo :: a -> a</code>
typeclass instance	<code>instance MyClass MyType where</code>
	<code>foo x y = ...</code>
	<code>goo x = ...</code>

Operators (grouped by precedence)

List index, function composition	<code>!!</code>	<code>.</code>
raise to: Non-neg. Int, Int, Float	<code>~, ^~, **</code>	
multiplication, fractional division	<code>*, /</code>	
integral division ($\Rightarrow -\infty$), modulus	<code>'div'</code> ,	<code>'mod'</code>
integral quotient ($\Rightarrow 0$), remainder	<code>'quot'</code> ,	<code>'rem'</code>
addition, subtraction	<code>+, -</code>	
list construction, append lists	<code>:,</code>	<code>++</code>
list difference	<code>\\"</code>	
comparisons:	<code>>, >=, <, <=, ==, /=</code>	
list membership	<code>'elem'</code> ,	<code>'notElem'</code>
boolean and	<code>&&</code>	
boolean or	<code> </code>	
sequencing: bind and then	<code>>>=,</code>	<code>>></code>
application, strict apl., sequencing	<code>\$,</code>	<code>\$!, 'seq'</code>
NOTE: Highest precedence (first line) is 9, lowest precedence is 0.		
Operator listings aligned left, right, and center indicate left-, right-, and non-associativity.		
Defining fixity:	<code>non associative</code>	<code>infix 0-9 'op'</code>
	<code>left associative</code>	<code>infixl 0-9 ++</code>
	<code>right associative</code>	<code>infixr 0-9 -!</code>
	<code>default (when none given)</code>	<code>infixl 9</code>

Functions \equiv Infix operators

<code>f a b</code>	$\equiv a \cdot f \cdot b$
<code>a + b</code>	$\equiv (+) a b$
<code>(a +) b</code>	$\equiv ((+) a) b$
<code>(+ b) a</code>	$\equiv (\lambda x \rightarrow x + b) a$

Expressions / Clauses

if expression	\approx	guarded equations	
<code>if boolExpr</code>		<code>foo ... boolExpr = exprA</code>	
<code>then exprA</code>		<code> otherwise = exprB</code>	
<code>else exprB</code>			
nested if expression	\approx	guarded equations	
<code>if boolExpr1</code>		<code>foo ... boolExpr1 = exprA</code>	
<code>then exprA</code>		<code> boolExpr2 = exprB</code>	
<code>else if boolExpr2</code>		<code> otherwise = exprC</code>	
<code>then exprB</code>			
<code>else exprC</code>			
case expression	\approx	function pattern matching	
<code>case x of pat1 -> exA</code>		<code>foo pat1 = exA</code>	
<code>pat2 -> exB</code>		<code>foo pat2 = exB</code>	
<code>- -> exC</code>		<code>foo _ = exC</code>	
2-variable case expression	\approx	function pattern matching	
<code>case (x,y) of</code>		<code>foo pat1 patA = exprA</code>	
<code>(pat1,patA) -> exprA</code>		<code>foo pat2 patB = exprB</code>	
<code>(pat2,patB) -> exprB</code>		<code>foo _ _ = exprC</code>	
<code>- - -> exprC</code>			
let expression	\approx	where clause	
<code>let nameA = exprA</code>		<code>foo ... = mainExpression</code>	
<code>nameB = exprB</code>		<code>where nameA = exprA</code>	
<code>in mainExpression</code>		<code>nameB = exprB</code>	
do notation	\approx	desugared do notation	
<code>do patA <- action1</code>		<code>action1 >> \patA -></code>	
<code>action2</code>		<code>action2 >></code>	
<code>patB <- action3</code>		<code>action3 >> \patB -></code>	
<code>action4</code>		<code>action4</code>	
Pattern Matching	\approx	(fn. declaration, lambda, case, let, where)	
fixed	number 3	3	character 'a' 'a'
	ignore value	-	empty string ""
list	empty	[]	
	head x and tail xs	(x:xs)	
	tail xs (ignore head)	(_:xs)	
	list with 3 elements	[a,b,c]	
	list where 2nd element is 3	(x:3:xs)	
tuple	pair values a and b	(a,b)	
	ignore second element	(a,_)	
	triple values a, b and c	(a,b,c)	
mixed	first tuple on list	((a,b):xs)	
maybe	just constructor	Just a	
	nothing constructor	Nothing	
custom	user-defined type	MyData a b c	
	ignore second field	MyData a _ c	
	user-defined record type	MyR { f1=x, f2=y }	
as-pattern	tuple s and its values	s@(a,b)	
	list a, its head and tail	a@(x:xs)	

Prelude functions

(A few types have been simplified)
to their list instances, e.g.: `foldr`

Misc

```
id      :: a -> a           id x ≡ x -- identity
const   :: a -> b -> a     (const x) y ≡ x
undefined :: a               undefined ≡ ⊥ (lifts error)
error   :: [Char] -> a      error cs ≡ ⊥ (lifts error cs)
not     :: Bool -> Bool    not True ≡ False
flip    :: (a -> b -> c) -> b -> a -> c
                  flip f $ x y ≡ f y x
```

Lists

```
null   :: [a] -> Bool      null [] ≡ True -- ⊥?
length :: [a] -> Int       length [x,y,z] ≡ 3
elem   :: a -> [a] -> Bool elem `elem` [x,y] ≡ True -- ∈?
head   :: [a] -> a          head [x,y,z,w] ≡ x
last   :: [a] -> a          last [x,y,z,w] ≡ w
tail   :: [a] -> [a]         tail [x,y,z,w] ≡ [y,z,w]
init   :: [a] -> [a]         init [x,y,z,w] ≡ [x,y,z]
reverse :: [a] -> [a]       reverse [x,y,z] ≡ [z,y,x]
take   :: Int -> [a] -> [a] take 2 [x,y,z] ≡ [x,y]
drop   :: Int -> [a] -> [a] drop 2 [x,y,z] ≡ [z]
takeWhile, dropWhile :: (a -> Bool) -> [a] -> [a]
                      takeWhile (/= z) [x,y,z,w] ≡ [x,y]
zip   :: [a] -> [b] -> [(a, b)]
                  zip [x,y,z] [a,b] ≡ [(x,a),(y,b)]
```

Infinite Lists

```
repeat  :: a -> [a]          repeat x ≡ [x,x,x,x,x,...]
cycle   :: [a] -> [a]         cycle xs ≡ xs++xs++xs+...
                                cycle [x,y] ≡ [x,y,x,y,x,y,...]
iterate :: (a -> a) -> a -> [a]
                  iterate f x ≡ [x,f x,f (f x),...]
```

Higher-order / Functors

```
map    :: (a->b) -> [a] -> [b]
                  map f [x,y,z] ≡ [f x, f y, f z]
zipWith :: (a -> b -> c) -> [a] -> [b] -> [c]
                  zipWith f [x,y,z] [a,b] ≡ [f x a, f y b]
filter  :: (a -> Bool) -> [a] -> [a]
                  filter (/=y) [x,y,z] ≡ [x,z]
foldr   :: (a -> b -> b) -> b -> [a] -> b
                  foldr f z [x,y] ≡ x `f` (y `f` z)
foldl   :: (a -> b -> a) -> a -> [b] -> a
                  foldl f x [y,z] ≡ (x `f` y) `f` z
```

Special folds

```
and   :: [Bool] -> Bool      and [p,q,r] ≡ p && q && r
or    :: [Bool] -> Bool      or [p,q,r] ≡ p || q || r
sum   :: Num a => [a] -> a   sum [i,j,k] ≡ i+j+k
product :: Num a => [a] -> a product [i,j,k] ≡ i*j*k
maximum :: Ord a => [a] -> a maximum [9,0,5] ≡ 9
minimum :: Ord a => [a] -> a minimum [9,0,5] ≡ 0
concat  :: [[a]] -> [a]       concat [xs,ys,zs] ≡ xs++ys++zs
```

Tuples

```
fst    :: (a, b) -> a        fst (x,y) ≡ x
snd    :: (a, b) -> b        snd (x,y) ≡ y
curry  :: ((a, b) -> c) -> a -> b -> c
                  curry (\(x,y) -> e) ≡ \x y -> e
uncurry :: (a -> b -> c) -> (a, b) -> c
                  uncurry (\(x,y) -> e) ≡ \(x,y) -> e
```

Numeric

```
abs    :: Num a => a -> a    abs (-9) ≡ 9
even, odd :: Integral a => a -> Bool  even 10 ≡ True
gcd, lcm :: Integral a => a -> a -> a  gcd 6 8 ≡ 2
recip   :: Fractional a => a -> a    recip x ≡ 1/x
pi      :: Floating a => a            pi ≡ 3.14...
sqrt, log :: Floating a => a -> a    sqrt x ≡ x**0.5
exp, sin, cos, tan, asin, acos :: Floating a => a -> a
truncate, round :: (RealFrac a, Integral b) => a -> b
ceiling, floor :: (RealFrac a, Integral b) => a -> b
```

Strings

```
lines   :: String -> [String]
                  lines "ab\ncd\ne" ≡ ["ab","cd","e"]
unlines :: [String] -> String
                  unlines ["ab","cd","e"] ≡ "ab\ncd\ne\n"
words   :: String -> [String]
                  words "ab cd e" ≡ ["ab","cd","e"]
unwords :: [String] -> String
                  unwords ["ab","cd","ef"] ≡ "ab cd ef"
```

Read and Show classes

```
show  :: Show a => a -> String    show 137 ≡ "137"
read   :: Show a => String -> a    read "2" ≡ 2
```

Ord Class

```
min    :: Ord a => a -> a -> a    min 'a' 'b' ≡ 'a'
max    :: Ord a => a -> a -> a    max "b" "ab" ≡ "b"
compare :: Ord a => a -> a -> Ordering  compare 1 2 ≡ LT
```

Libraries / Modules

```
importing
  (qualified)           import Some.Module
  (subset)              import qualified Some.Module as SM
  (hiding)              import Some.Module hiding (foo, goo)
  (typeclass instances) import Some.Module ()
declaring
  module Module.Name
    ( foo, goo )
  where
  ...
./File/On/Disk.hs      import File.On.Disk
```

Tracing and monitoring (unsafe)

Debug.Trace

```
Print string, return expr  trace string $ expr
Call show before printing  traceShow expr $ expr
Trace function  f x y | traceShow (x,y) False = undefined
call values    f x y = ...
```

IO – Must be “inside” the IO Monad

Write char c to stdout	putChar c
Write string cs to stdout	putStr cs
Write string cs to stdout w/ a newline	putStrLn cs
Print x, a show instance, to stdout	print x
Read char from stdin	getChar
Read line from stdin as a string	getLine
Read all input from stdin as a string	getContents
Bind stdin/out to foo :: String -> String	interact foo
Write string cs to a file named fn	writeFile fn cs
Append string cs to a file named fn	appendFile fn cs
Read contents from a file named fn	readFile fn

List Comprehensions

Take pat from list. If boolPredicate, add element expr to list:
`[expr | pat <- list, boolPredicate, ...]`

[x x <- xs]	≡ xs
[f x x <- xs, p x]	≡ map f \$ filter p xs
[x x <- xs, p x, q x]	≡ filter q \$ filter p xs
[x+y x <- [a,b], y <- [i,j]]	≡ [a+i, a+j, b+i, b+j]
[x boolE]	≡ if boolE then [x] else []

GHC - Glasgow Haskell Compiler (and Cabal)

compiling program.hs	\$ ghc program.hs
running	\$./program
running directly	\$ run_haskell program.hs
interactive mode (GHCi)	\$ ghci
GHCi load	> :l program.hs
GHCi reload	> :r
GHCi activate stats	> :set +s
GHCi help	> ?:
Type of an expression	> :t expr
Info (oper./func./class)	> :i thing
Installed GHC packages	\$ ghc-pkg list [pkg_name]
Activating some pragma	{-# LANGUAGE Pragma #-}
Same, via GHC call	\$ ghc -XSomePragma ...
install package pkg	\$ cabal install pkg
update package list	\$ cabal update
list packages matching pat	\$ cabal list pat
information about package	\$ cabal info pkg
help on commands	\$ cabal help [command]
run executable/test/bench	\$ cabal run/test/bench [name]
initialize sandbox	\$ cabal sandbox init
add custom sandbox source	\$ cabal sandbox add-source dir