currying

Built-in curry and uncurry:

```
curry :: ((a, b) -> c) -> a -> b -> c
```

```
prompt> member
member :: Eq t => (t, [t]) -> Bool
prompt> curry member
curry member :: Eq t => t -> [t] -> Bool
prompt> memberC = curry member
prompt> memberC 1 [1, 2, 3]
True
```

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```
uncurry :: (a -> b -> c) -> (a, b) -> c
```

```
prompt> sum'
sum' :: Num a => a -> a -> a
prompt> uncurry sum'
uncurry sum' :: Num c => (c, c) -> c
prompt> sum'' = uncurry sum'
prompt> sum'' (2, 3)
5
```

functions and operators

Any two-parameter curried function can be used as an operator:

```
prompt> elem 3 [2,3,4]
True
prompt> 3 `elem` [2,3,4]
True
```

Any operator can be used as a function:

```
prompt> (*) 2 3
6
prompt> (:) 2 [3,4]
[2,3,4]
```

sections

```
prompt> map (+2) [1,2,3]
[3.4.5]
prompt> map (2+) [1,2,3]
[3.4.5]
prompt> map (/2) [1,2,3]
[0.5, 1.0, 1.5]
prompt> map (2/) [1,2,3]
[2.0, 1.0, 0.66666666666666666]
prompt> map (:[42]) [1,2,3]
[[1,42], [2,42], [3,42]]
prompt> map (42:) [[1],[2,3],[4,5]]
[[42,1], [42,2,3], [42,4,5]]
```

type synonyms

We can give existing types new names. Syntax:

```
type NewType = OldType
```

NewType becomes an alias (a synonym) for the **existing** type *OldType*.

type String = [Char]

```
type PhoneNumber = String
type Name = String
type PhoneBook = [(Name,PhoneNumber)]
```

user defined datatypes

General Syntax:

data NewType = Cons1 Type1 | Cons2 Type2 ...

| ConsN TypeN

- Defines a **new** type called NewType.
- Type1,...,TypeN are previously defined types.
- Cons1,...,ConsN are <u>constructors</u>. They are used to create a value of NewType type.
- Type is omitted if a constructor does not need any argument (such constructors are called <u>constants</u>).

enumerated types

All constructors are constants (no argument). Example:

```
data Colour = Red | Green | Blue
c = Red
colorName Red = "red"
colorName Green = "green"
colorName Blue = "blue"
prompt> :t c
c :: Colour
prompt> :t colorName
colorName :: Colour -> [Char]
prompt> colorName Blue
"blue"
```

variant types

Create union of different types:

```
data Text = Letter Char | Word [Char]
textLen (Letter _) = 1
textLen (Word w) = length w
prompt> :t textLen
textLen :: Text -> Int
```

A datatype can be recursive, of course: e.g. a linked list (ignore the deriving business for now)

data LList = Nil | Node (Int, LList) deriving Show

```
llist = Node (1, Node (2, Node(3, Nil)))
```

```
llistLen Nil = 0
llistLen (Node (_,rest)) = 1 + llistLen rest
```

llistLen :: LList -> Int

What about a polymorphic linked list?

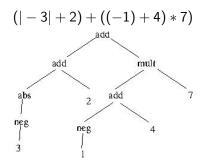
```
data LList a = Nil | Node (a, LList a) deriving Show
```

```
llist1 = Node (1, Node (2, Node(3, Nil)))
llist2 = Node ('1', Node ('2', Node ('3', Nil)))
```

```
llistLen Nil = 0
llistLen (Node (_,rest)) = 1 + llistLen rest
```

llistLen :: LList t -> Int

Example: Tree representation of simple mathematical expressions.



What is the datatype we need?

```
data MathExpr =
   Leaf Int
   | Unary (Int -> Int, MathExpr)
   | Binary (Int -> Int -> Int, MathExpr, MathExpr)
```

The tree in the figure:

```
t = Binary((+),
            Binary((+),
                   Unary(abs,
                          Unary ((0-),
                                 Leaf 3)),
                   Leaf 2),
            Binary((*),
                   Binary((+),
                           Unary((0-)),
                                 Leaf 1),
                           Leaf 4),
                   Leaf 7))
```

Evaluating the tree:

eval (Leaf v) = v eval (Unary (f,t)) = f (eval t) eval (Binary (f,l,r)) = f (eval l) (eval r)

Type of eval?

curried type/value constructors

Type/value constructors are simply functions. And so they may be curried.

Value constructor:

data BTree a = Empty | Node (a, BTree a, BTree a)

BTree is a <u>type constructor</u>. Empty and Node are <u>value</u> constructors.

Curried value constructor:

data BTree a = Empty | Node a (BTree a) (BTree a)

curried type/value constructors

data BTree a = Empty | Node a (BTree a) (BTree a) Example:

prompt> :type t

t :: BTree Integer

curried value constructors

data BTree a = Empty | Node a (BTree a) (BTree a) prompt> :t Node "a" Node "a" :: BTree [Char] -> BTree [Char] -> BTree [Char] prompt> :t Node "a" Empty Node "a" Empty :: BTree [Char] -> BTree [Char] prompt> :t Node "a" Empty (Node "a" Empty Empty) Node "a" Empty (Node "a" Empty Empty) :: BTree [Char]

curried value constructors

```
data BTree a = Empty | Node a (BTree a) (BTree a)
tree2list :: (BTree a) -> [a]
tree2list Empty = []
tree2list (Node v l r) =
   (tree2list l) ++ [v] ++ (tree2list r)
```

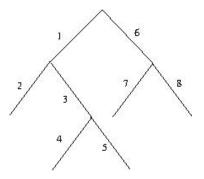
A better solution?

curried value constructors

```
(Ignore the "deriving" business for now).
data Tree a = Leaf a |
              Internal (Tree a) (Tree a) a deriving Show
makeLeafForest = map Leaf
makeForest = map $ Internal (Leaf 42) (Leaf 24)
prompt> makeLeafForest [1,2,3,4,5]
[Leaf 1,Leaf 2,Leaf 3,Leaf 4,Leaf 5]
Prelide> makeForest [1,2,3,4,5]
[Internal (Leaf 42) (Leaf 24) 1,
 Internal (Leaf 42) (Leaf 24) 2.
 Internal (Leaf 42) (Leaf 24) 3,
 Internal (Leaf 42) (Leaf 24) 4,
 Internal (Leaf 42) (Leaf 24) 5]
```

mutually recursive types

Example: a tree with labeled branches:



mutually recursive types

The tree in the figure:

```
lt =
Node(Branch 1
(Node (Branch 2 Empty)
(Branch 3 (Node (Branch 4 Empty)
(Branch 5 Empty)))))
(Branch 6
(Node (Branch 7 Empty)
(Branch 8 Empty)))
```

mutually recursive types

Return the list of branch labels, in order:

listTree Empty = [] listTree (Node l r) = (listBranch l) ++ (listBranch r) listBranch (Branch b t) = b : listTree t

```
listTree :: Tree a -> [a]
listBranch :: Branch a -> [a]
```

- $1. \ {\mbox{A}}$ powerful tool for constructing new types.
- 2. The structure of the datatype suggests the structure of the recursive function on the datatype.

infix value constructors

data Rational = Integer :/ Integer deriving Show r1 = 1 : / 2r2 = 1 : / 3addRat (x0 :/ y0) (x1 :/ y1) = (x0 * y1 + x1 * y0) :/ (y0 * y1)prompt> r1 `addRat` r2 5 :/ 6 Thus (:) :: $a \rightarrow [a] \rightarrow [a]$ is no different.

curried type constructors

data Either a b = Left a | Right b

prompt> :kind Either
Either :: * -> * -> *

But let's not go there ...