

Introduction to Functional Programming
Exercises on structural induction

1. Prove the statements of **Lecture X** by structural induction.

2. Let

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fun foldl f e [] = e
  | foldl f e (h::t) = foldl f ( f(x,e) ) t
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(a) For all $f : \alpha * \beta \rightarrow \beta$, $b : \beta$, and $l_0, l_1 : \alpha \text{ list}$, show that

$$\text{foldl } f \ b \ (l_0 @ l_1) = \text{foldl } f \ (\text{foldl } f \ b \ l_0) \ l_1 \quad : \beta$$

(b) For $\oplus : \beta * \beta \rightarrow \beta$ an associative function show that, for all $b_0, b_1 : \beta$ and $l : \alpha \text{ list}$,

$$\text{foldl } \oplus \ (b_1 \oplus b_0) \ l = (\text{foldl } \oplus \ b_1 \ l) \oplus b_0 \quad : \beta$$

3. Let

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fun foldr f e [] = e
  | foldr f e (h::t) = f( h , foldr f e t )
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(a) For all $l_0, l_1 : \alpha \text{ list}$, show that

$$\text{foldr } (\text{op}::) \ l_0 \ l_1 = l_1 @ l_0 \quad : \alpha \text{ list}$$

(b) For $\otimes : \beta * \beta \rightarrow \beta$ an associative function and $e : \beta$ such that $\otimes(e, x) = x$ for all $x : \beta$, show that

$$(\text{foldr } \otimes \ e \ l) \otimes b = \text{foldr } \otimes \ b \ l$$

and

$$\text{foldr } (\text{fn}(l, b) \Rightarrow \text{foldr } \otimes \ b \ l) \ e \ l = \text{foldr } \otimes \ e \ (\text{map } (\text{foldr } \otimes \ e) \ l) \quad : \beta$$

for all $b : \beta$ and $l : \beta \text{ list}$.