Tangible Value in Haskell

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• http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=faJ8N0gigzw

- http://conal.net/papers/Eros/
- http://journal.conal.net/# [[separating IO from logic -- example]]
- http://conal-elliott.blogspot.com/search/label/TV





applications: libraries:

1. user-friendly 1. programmer-friendly
2. usable 2. composable
3. concrete 3. abstract
4. visual 4. syntactic

UNIX philosophy

- Write programs that do one thing and do it well
- Write programs to work together
- Write programs to handle text streams, because that is a universal interface

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godfat ~/p/l/l/l/proc> ls | sort | cat -n 1 bind.rb 2 chain.rb 3 compose.rb 4 curry.rb





module Grading where

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import Data.List (sort)
import Data.Map (Map,empty,keys,insertWith,findWithDefault)
import Text.Printf
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import Interface.TV import Interface.TV.OFun() -- work around GHC bug. ticket #1145

grades = do src <- readFile "tasks"</pre> let pairs = map (split.words) (lines src) grades = foldr insert empty pairs mapM (draw grades) (sort (keys grades)) where insert (s, g) = insertWith (++) s [g] split [name,mark] = (name, read mark) draw g s = printf " $s\t\s\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\ensuremath{s}\t\e$ where marks = findWithDefault (error "No such student") s g

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gradingStrOut = oLambda (fileIn "tasks") stringOut gradingStrT :: TV KIO GradingStr gradingStrT = tv gradingStrOut gradingStr

grades 3 = runTV gradingStrT





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type TV a = (0ut a, a)

type Out $a = \dots$ put :: Put a -> Out a opair :: Out a -> Out b -> Out (a, b) olambda :: In a -> Out b -> Out (a->b)

type In a = ... get :: Get a -> In a ipair :: In $a \rightarrow In b \rightarrow In (a,b)$

Eros

• TV • TypeCompose • DeepArrow GuiTV DataDriven • wxHaskell Phooey • wxWidgets

To explore

- Tangible polymorphism?
- Direct structural tweaks
- Symmetric In/Out (ilambda)
- "GUIs are types" as GUI design guide
- TVs as composable MVC