

Functional Languages 1st practice

1. Download the compiler from here and install.

2. Create a new file with `.hs` extension. Define an integer-valued variable.

3. Load the file in `ghci`.

Hint: the load statement is `:l`. `ghci` also takes the file to be loaded as argument: `ghci First.hs`.

4. Define a string-valued variable.

5. Reload the file.

Hint: the reload statement is `:r`.

6. Define a function which increases its integer parameter by one.

```
inc 5    == 6
inc 0    == 1
inc (-5) == (-4)
```

7. Define a function which checks whether its parameter is even. Function `even` already exists in Haskell, so let's call our function `even'`.

```
even' 2
not (even' 3)
even' (-4)
```

Hint: the modulus function is `mod`.

8. Define a function which checks whether its parameter is odd. Function `odd` already exists in Haskell, so let's call our function `odd'`.

```
not (odd' 2)
odd' 3
not (odd' (-4))
```

9. Can you define `odd'` otherwise? Give a definition which calls `even'`.

10. Define a function which checks whether an integer divides another.

```
2 `divides` 4
not (4 `divides` 2)
3 `divides` 9
```

11. Define a function which calculates the area of a rectangle using two sides.

```
area 6 10 == 60
```

12. Check whether a triangle with three given sides can be drawn.

```
triangleSides 2 1 2
not (triangleSides 3 4 1)
```

Hint: logic operators are `&&` and `||`. Relational operators are `>` `<` `>=` `<=` `==` and `/=`.

13. Check whether three integers are Pythagorean triples.

```
pythagoreanTriple 3 4 5
pythagoreanTriple 5 3 4
not (pythagoreanTriple 2 3 4)
```

Hint: the power operator is `^` as in `2 ^ 3`.

14. Check whether a year is a leap year. A year is considered a leap year if it can be divided by 4 but not 100. However, years divisible by 400 are also leap years:

- 1992, 1996, 2012, 2016 are leap years, as they are divisible by 4 but not 100.
- 1700, 1800, 1900 are not leaps, as they are divisible by 4 and also 100.
- 1600, 2000 are leap years, as they are divisible 100 but also 400.

```
isLeapYear 1992
isLeapYear 1996
isLeapYear 1600
isLeapYear 2000
not (isLeapYear 1700)
not (isLeapYear 1800)
```