

map

- The most famous of all higher-order functions:

```
let rec map f lis = if lis=[] then []  
                   else (f (hd lis)) :: map f (tl lis);;
```

- `map (fun x->x+1) [1;2;3]` = `[2;3;4]`
- `let incrBy n lis = map (fun x -> x+n) lis`
- `let incrBy n = map (fun x -> x+n)`

- Type of map? $(\alpha \rightarrow \beta) \rightarrow \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \beta \text{ list}$

map exercises

- **addpairs: (int * int) list → int list**

let addpairs = map (fun (x,y) → x+y)

- **appendString: string → string list → string list concatenates the first argument to the end of every string in the second argument**

let appendString s = map (fun s' → s' ^ s)

- **incrall: int list list → int list list increments every element of every list in its argument**

let incrall = map (map inc)

fold_right

- Usually called reduce, but called fold_right in OCaml:

```
let rec fold_right (f:'a->'b->'b) (lis:'a list) (z:'b) : 'b
  = if lis=[] then z else f (hd lis) (fold_right f (tl lis) z)
```

- `fold_right (fun s s' -> s @ s') ["a"; "b"; "c"] ""`

= "abc"

- `fold_right (fun x y -> x+y) [3;4;5] 0`

= 12

- `fold_right (fun x y -> x::y) [3;4;5] []`

= [3;4;5]

- `let h f lis = fold_right (fun x y -> (f x)::y) lis []`

= map f lis

Currying (cont.)

- Can define functions `curry` and `uncurry`:

```
let curry (f:'a * 'b -> 'c) : ('a -> 'b -> 'c) =
```

fun a -> fun b -> f(a,b)

```
let uncurry (f:'a -> 'b -> 'c) : ('a * 'b -> 'c) =
```

fun (a,b) -> fun a b

```
usecurried (curry f_uncurried);;  
useuncurried (uncurry f_curried);;
```

More h-o function examples

- `reverse (f: 'a -> 'b -> 'c) : ('b -> 'a -> 'c)`

`reverse (fun x y -> x-y) 3 5 = 2`

let reverse f = fun a -> fun b -> f b a

or, let reverse f a b = f b a

- `twice (f: 'a -> 'a) : ('a -> 'a)`

`twice (fun x -> x+1) 3 = 5`

let twice f = fun a -> f (f a)

or, let twice f a = f (f a)

Representing sets as functions

```
type intset = int -> bool
```

```
let emptyset : intset = fun n -> false
```

```
let member (n:int) (s:intset) : bool = s n
```

```
let add (n:int) (s:intset) : intset =
```

```
fun n' -> n' = n || s n'
```

Representing sets as functions (cont.)

```
let union (s1:intset) (s2:intset) : intset =
```

fun n → s1 n || s2 n

```
let intersection (s1:intset) (s2:intset) : intset =
```

fun n → s1 n && s2 n

```
let remove (n:int) (s:intset) : intset =
```

fun n' → s n' && n' <> n

```
let complement (s:intset) : intset =
```

fun n → not (s n)

```
let intsAbove (n:int) : intset =
```

fun n' → n' > n

Representing dictionaries as functions

- Similarly, implementing an *environment* (a.k.a. *dictionary*), as in our mps, means defining a representation “`type environment = something`”, and operations:
 - `let emptyEnv : environment`
 - `fetch (id:id) (env:environment) : value`
 - `extend (id:id) (v:value) (env:environment) : environment`
- These operations need to act in an “environment-like” way, e.g.
 - `fetch "x" emptyEnv` **throws an exception**
 - `fetch "x" (extend "x" (IntConst 3) emptyEnv)` **returns** `IntConst 3`

