

Homework assignment #4

Grading will be partially automated. Please ensure that you submit exactly one file named *homework2.zip*, containing a single file named *homework2.hs*. Do not alter the function names provided, and strictly adhere to the specified type signatures. Any deviations will result in automated testing failures and impact your grade.

Consider a robot moving a 2D plane, guided by movement orders transmitted through a local antenna. Orders carry specific instructions, consisting of a **length** measured in units, and an **angle** measured in degrees relative to the X-axis. The robot starts its journey at the origin, position $(0,0)$, where the antenna is located. To keep track of the signal strength, the robot has a **light** that changes colour depending on the connection strength.

There are four light colors:

- **Green:** Indicates that the distance between the robot and the antenna is less than 20 (<20).
- **Yellow:** Indicates that the distance between the robot and the antenna falls within the range of 20 to 30 ($20 \leq \text{distance} < 30$).
- **Orange:** Indicates that the distance between the robot and the antenna falls within the range of 30 to 40 ($30 \leq \text{distance} < 40$).
- **Red:** Indicates that the distance between the robot and the antenna is greater than or equal to 40 (≥ 40).

When the robot's light turns **Red**, it finishes executing its current order but becomes unable to accept any further commands.

The goal is to track the robot's final position on the grid.



Task 1

Write function `trackRobotV1` passing around the state as an argument. Assume a Cartesian coordinate system where each position is represented by a pair of `Float` values, and the initial position is $(0.0, 0.0)$. The type `Robot` is as defined below. The list of commands are executed from head to tail.

```

data Light    = Green | Yellow | Orange | Red deriving (Eq, Show)

type Position = (Float, Float)
type Robot    = (Light, Position)
type Command  = (Float, Integer)
type Commands = [Command]

trackRobotV1 :: Commands -> Robot -> Robot

```

Task 2

In [Lecture #12](#), we've created a custom type `ST` for *state transformers* and made it into a monad. We've also seen that this is already implemented in library `Monad.Control.State` with the following type synonym:

```

newtype ST a = S (s -> (a,s))
type State s a = ST a

```

Write a function `trackRobotV2` that behaves similarly to `trackRobotV1` but uses the `State` monad defined in `Monad.Control.State`. Remember, readability is key.

```

import Control.Monad.State

trackRobotV2 :: Commands -> State Robot Robot

```

If you need help understanding the code above, you may want to check the lecture notes again and Graham Hutton book [Section 12.3, Part "The State Monad"](#). Another useful link to understand functors, applicatives and monads, in a very graphical way, is the [blog post](#) by Aditya Bhargava.

Task 3

A safety protocol has been installed in the robot. As soon as the light turns **Orange**, the robot halts (without completing the current command) and returns to the origin. The robot remains responsive to subsequent instructions for further movement. Write `trackRobotV3`.

```

trackRobotV3 :: Commands -> State Robot Robot

```

Main template

```

main :: IO ()
main = do
    let commands = [(2, 45), (8, 90), (12, 180),
                    (25, 90), (5, 0), (10, 90),
                    (5, 0), (10, 45), (1, 135)]
        init = (Green, (0, 0))
        finalPositionV1 = trackRobotV1 commands init
        finalPositionV2 = evalState (trackRobotV2 commands) init
        finalPositionV3 = evalState (trackRobotV3 commands) init
    putStrLn $ "Final position V1: " ++ show finalPositionV1
    putStrLn $ "Final position V2: " ++ show finalPositionV2
    putStrLn $ "Final position V3: " ++ show finalPositionV3

```