

Meeting 13: Data Types and Polymorphism



Announcements

HW4 due Friday 10/13

start early! utilize tutoring hours!

Questions

- ① printing and explode — print polymorphic print ok
- ② run time ✓
- ③ what needs to be exploited: ✓
- ④ Go over the type checking
- ✓ ⑤ GetTag vs. in run time
- ✓ ⑥ input() — \ P1 — just for int input returns int
input('') returns pyobj
& tagged with
- ⑦ flattening if-expressions?

$x = []$ if input() else 3

if expression
in PI

⋮

= x

but not
if statements

5) Get Tag vs.

Rule for HW 4 for
what is ok to do in the
runtime
and what to produce
compiled code:

PO (int / bool) should
run fast — don't go
into memory

Big things like lists

can go the runtime

~~is_int(...)~~
in the
runtime

projection: (type, tagged) → outtagged

injection: (type, int) → tagged (proj)

don't call from
your compiler

Why?

meta of the runtime object
PyObj (in C) is values in
PI

unnecessarily (tagged)

calls are expensive

Rule for simplifying P1 is to ^(types) convert

~~Int to Real (---)~~

If Exp(e_1, e_2, e_3)

atomic ::= variable
| constant

flatten_expr : expression \rightarrow (statements, atomic)

e_2 if e_1 else e_3

P1 input

$(fs_1, fa_1) =$
flatten_expr(e_1)

↓ flatten

flattened P1 output

fs_1

if fa_1 :

fs_2

tmp = fa_2

else:

fs_3

tmp = fa_3

tmp

fs

fa

IfStart (a, s₁, s₂)

