

## Lab 05: Lists

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Create a separate file for each question. Keep them in your “Labs” folder, with the name `lab ij.qk` for **Lab ij**, **Question k**.

Download the headers for each function from the file `lab-interface05.rkt`.

After you have completed a question (except class exercises), including creating tests for it, you can obtain feedback by submitting it and requesting a public test. Follow the instructions given in the Style Guide.

### Language level: Beginning Student

1. *[Class exercise with lab instructor assistance]*

Create the function *add-prefix*. This function consumes a list of strings, *los*, and a string, *pre*, and produces a list of strings formed from the elements of *los* with the prefix *pre* added in front of each string.

For example:

```
(add-prefix (cons "Dinner" (cons "Lawrence" empty)) "Kraft ")  
=> (cons "Kraft Dinner" (cons "Kraft Lawrence" empty))
```

2. Create a function *count-even-strings* that consumes a list of strings, *los*, and produces the number of strings in the list that have an even length.

For example:

```
(count-even-strings  
  (cons "cs" (cons "115" (cons "" empty)))) => 2
```

3. Create a function *longest-string-length* that consumes a list of strings, *los*, and produces the length of the longest string in *los*. The longest string in the empty list has length 0.

For example:

```
(longest-string-length (cons "Hello" (cons "World!" (cons ""  
  (cons "Pasloe" empty)))))  
=> 6
```

4. Create a function *or-with-lists?*<sup>2</sup> that consumes a list of Booleans, *lob*, and produces true when at least one element of the list is true. This is essentially recreating the built-in special form *or*.

For example:

```
(or-with-lists? (cons false (cons true empty))) => true
```

5. Create a function *strings-with-prefix* that consumes a list of strings, *los*, and a prefix, *pre*, and produces a list of all the strings in *los* that begin with *pre*.

For example:

```
(strings-with-prefix (cons "Wise Wolf" (cons "Man" (cons "wise  
Donkey" (cons "" empty)))) "Wise ")  
=> (cons "Wise Wolf" empty)
```

6. Create a function *next-list* that consumes a list, *alist*, and an item, *item*, and produces either the element in *alist* that appears after the **first** occurrence of *item* or the string "none" if item is either the last element in *alist* or not in *alist*.

For example:

```
(next-list (cons 2 (cons "a" (cons -4 (cons 2 empty)))) 2)  
=> "a"
```

## Optional open-ended questions

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Create a function that consumes a list of Boolean values, representing the binary encoding of a number (true = 1 and false = 0), and produces the binary encoding of a number one greater. Consider functions that double a binary number or make a binary number one smaller.

If you used the built-in special form *or* for question 4, try to recreate your function without using it. If you didn't use *or*, try to recreate your function using *or*.

## Helpful tips

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### String documentation

The [string documentation](#) has helpful information on strings and characters. You may find it under the heading Resources on the course website.

### List templates

Beginning from the [list template](#) ensures that you will use structural recursion. It also makes the thought process of designing functions easier!