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-- Naive implementation of basic data base functionality
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-- Remarks: elements have to be of type class Ord!
--           implementation is incomplete, various operations
--           missing

module Database (
    Database,
    newDB,          -- Ord a => Database a
                    -- return an empty database
    insertItemDB,   -- Ord a => Database a -> a -> Database a
                    -- insert item into database
    deleteItemDB,   -- Ord a => Database a -> a -> Database a
                    -- delete item from database. If item not
                    -- in Database, return orig. Database
    changeItemDB,   -- Ord a => Database a -> a -> a -> Database a
                    -- update item
    searchDB        -- Ord a => Database a -> (a -> Bool) -> [a]
                    -- 'search db p' returns all entries e of the
                    -- data base for which 'p e' evaluates to 'True'
) where

type Database a = [a]

newDB:: Ord a => Database a
newDB = []

-- insert a new item into database. Assumes items are
-- ordered, resulting list is also ordered
insertItemDB:: Ord a => Database a -> a -> Database a
insertItemDB [] item = [item]
insertItemDB (d:db) item
| d < item = (d : (insertItemDB db item))
| otherwise = d: (insertItemDB db item)

-- find all items in data base for which predicate
-- yields 'True'
searchDB:: Ord a => Database a -> (a -> Bool) -> [a]
searchDB db searchCrit =
    [item | item <- db, searchCrit item]

-- assumes list sorted. Search through list until either
-- item is found or head of list smaller than item
deleteItemDB:: Ord a => Database a -> a -> Database a
deleteItemDB [] item = []
deleteItemDB (d:db) item
| item == d = db
| item < d = (d:db)
| otherwise = d : (deleteItemDB db item)

changeItemDB:: Ord a => Database a -> a -> a -> Database a
changeItemDB [] oldItem newItem = []
changeItemDB (d:db) oldItem newItem
| oldItem == d = (newItem: db)
| oldItem < d = (d:db)
| otherwise = d : (changeItemDB db oldItem newItem)

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