

# Power Operator for Lists

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## Abstract

This entry defines the power operator  $\text{xs} \sim^n$ , the  $n$ -fold concatenation of  $\text{xs}$  with itself.

Much of the theory is taken from the AFP entry [Combinatorics on Words Basics](#) where the operator is called  $\sim@$ . This new entry uses the standard overloaded  $\sim$  syntax and is aimed at becoming the central theory of the power operator for lists that can be extended easily.

## 1 The Power Operator $\sim$ on Lists

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theory List-Power
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imports Main
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begin
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overloading pow-list == compow :: nat  $\Rightarrow$  'a list  $\Rightarrow$  'a list
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begin
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primrec pow-list :: nat  $\Rightarrow$  'a list  $\Rightarrow$  'a list where
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pow-list 0 xs = [] |
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pow-list (Suc n) xs = xs @ pow-list n xs
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end
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```
context
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begin
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interpretation monoid-mult [] append
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rewrites power u n = u  $\sim^n$ 
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proof –
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show class.monoid-mult [] (@)
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by (unfold-locales, simp-all)
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```
show power.power [] (@) u n = u  $\sim^n$ 
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by(induction n) (auto simp add: power.power.simps)
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qed
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— inherited power properties

**lemmas** *pow-list-zero* = *power.power-0* **and**  
*pow-list-one* = *power.Suc0-right* **and**  
*pow-list-1* = *power-one-right* **and**  
*pow-list-Nil* = *power-one* **and**  
*pow-list-2* = *power2-eq-square* **and**  
*pow-list-Suc* = *power-Suc* **and**  
*pow-list-Suc2* = *power-Suc2* **and**  
*pow-list-comm* = *power-commutes* **and**  
*pow-list-add* = *power-add* **and**  
*pow-list-eq-if* = *power-eq-if* **and**  
*pow-list-mult* = *power-mult* **and**  
*pow-list-commuting-commutes* = *power-commuting-commutes*

**end**

**lemma** *pow-list-alt*:  $xs \sim^n = \text{concat } (\text{replicate } n \text{ } xs)$   
**by** (*induct n*) *auto*

**lemma** *pow-list-single*:  $[a] \sim^m = \text{replicate } m \text{ } a$   
**by**(*simp add: pow-list-alt*)

**lemma** *length-pow-list-single* [*simp*]:  $\text{length}([a] \sim^n) = n$   
**by** (*simp add: pow-list-single*)

**lemma** *nth-pow-list-single*:  $i < m \implies ([a] \sim^m) ! i = a$   
**by** (*simp add: pow-list-single*)

**lemma** *pow-list-not-NilD*:  $xs \sim^m \neq [] \implies 0 < m$   
**by** (*cases m*) *auto*

**lemma** *length-pow-list*:  $\text{length}(xs \sim^k) = k * \text{length } xs$   
**by** (*induction k*) *simp+*

**lemma** *pow-list-set*:  $\text{set } (w \sim^{\text{Suc } k}) = \text{set } w$   
**by** (*induction k*)(*simp-all*)

**lemma** *pow-list-slide*:  $xs @ (ys @ xs) \sim^n @ ys = (xs @ ys) \sim^{\text{Suc } n}$   
**by** (*induction n*) *simp+*

**lemma** *hd-pow-list*:  $0 < n \implies \text{hd}(xs \sim^n) = \text{hd } xs$   
**by**(*auto simp: pow-list-alt hd-append gr0-conv-Suc*)

**lemma** *rev-pow-list*:  $\text{rev } (xs \sim^m) = (\text{rev } xs) \sim^m$   
**by** (*induction m*)(*auto simp: pow-list-comm*)

**lemma** *eq-pow-list-iff-eq-exp*[*simp*]: **assumes**  $xs \neq []$  **shows**  $xs \sim^k = xs \sim^m$   
 $\iff k = m$

**proof**

**assume**  $k = m$  **thus**  $xs \sim^k = xs \sim^m$  **by** *simp*

**next**

**assume**  $xs \text{ } \overset{\sim}{\sim} k = xs \text{ } \overset{\sim}{\sim} m$   
**thus**  $k = m$  **using**  $\langle xs \neq [] \rangle$  [folded length-0-conv]  
**by** (metis length-pow-list mult-cancel2)

**qed**

**lemma** pow-list-Nil-iff-0:  $xs \neq [] \implies xs \text{ } \overset{\sim}{\sim} m = [] \iff m = 0$   
**by** (simp add: pow-list-eq-if)

**lemma** pow-list-Nil-iff-Nil:  $0 < m \implies xs \text{ } \overset{\sim}{\sim} m = [] \iff xs = []$   
**by** (cases xs) (auto simp add: pow-list-Nil pow-list-Nil-iff-0)

**lemma** pow-eq-eq:

**assumes**  $xs \text{ } \overset{\sim}{\sim} k = ys \text{ } \overset{\sim}{\sim} k$  **and**  $0 < k$   
**shows**  $(xs::'a \text{ list}) = ys$

**proof** –

**have**  $\text{length } xs = \text{length } ys$   
**using**  $\text{assms}(1)$  length-pow-list **by** (metis nat-mult-eq-cancel1 [OF  $\langle 0 < k \rangle$ ])  
**thus** ?thesis **by** (metis Suc-pred append-eq-append-conv  $\text{assms}(1,2)$  pow-list.simps(2))

**qed**

**lemma** map-pow-list[simp]:  $\text{map } f (xs \text{ } \overset{\sim}{\sim} k) = (\text{map } f \text{ } xs) \text{ } \overset{\sim}{\sim} k$   
**by** (induction k) simp-all

**lemma** concat-pow-list:  $\text{concat } (xs \text{ } \overset{\sim}{\sim} k) = (\text{concat } xs) \text{ } \overset{\sim}{\sim} k$   
**by** (induction k) simp-all

**lemma** concat-pow-list-single[simp]:  $\text{concat } ([a] \text{ } \overset{\sim}{\sim} k) = a \text{ } \overset{\sim}{\sim} k$   
**by** (simp add: pow-list-alt)

**lemma** pow-list-single-Nil-iff:  $[a] \text{ } \overset{\sim}{\sim} n = [] \iff n = 0$   
**by** (simp add: pow-list-single)

**lemma** hd-pow-list-single:  $k \neq 0 \implies \text{hd } ([a] \text{ } \overset{\sim}{\sim} k) = a$   
**by** (cases k) simp+

**lemma** index-pow-mod:  $i < \text{length}(xs \text{ } \overset{\sim}{\sim} k) \implies (xs \text{ } \overset{\sim}{\sim} k)!i = xs!(i \bmod \text{length } xs)$   
**proof**(induction k)

**have**  $\text{aux}: \text{length}(xs \text{ } \overset{\sim}{\sim} \text{Suc } l) = \text{length}(xs \text{ } \overset{\sim}{\sim} l) + \text{length } xs$  **for**  $l$   
**by** simp

**have**  $\text{aux1}: \text{length } (xs \text{ } \overset{\sim}{\sim} l) \leq i \implies i < \text{length}(xs \text{ } \overset{\sim}{\sim} l) + \text{length } xs \implies i \bmod \text{length } xs = i - \text{length}(xs \text{ } \overset{\sim}{\sim} l)$  **for**  $l$

**unfolding** length-pow-list[of l xs]

**using** less-diff-conv2[of l \* length xs i length xs, unfolded add commute[of length xs l \* length xs]]

$le\text{-add-diff-inverse}$ [of l \* length xs i]

**by** (simp add: mod-nat-eqI)

**case** (Suc k)

**show** ?case

**unfolding**  $aux\ sym[OF\ pow-list-Suc2[symmetric]]\ nth-append\ le-mod-geq$   
**using**  $aux1\ [OF - Suc.premis[unfolded\ aux]]$   
 $Suc.IH\ pow-list-Suc2[symmetric]\ Suc.premis[unfolded\ aux]\ leI[of\ i\ length(xs\ \sim\ k)]$  **by**  $presburger$   
**qed**  $auto$

**lemma**  $unique-letter-word$ : **assumes**  $\bigwedge c. c \in set\ w \implies c = a$  **shows**  $w = [a]\ \sim\ length\ w$   
**using**  $assms$  **proof** ( $induction\ w$ )  
**case** ( $Cons\ b\ w$ )  
**have**  $[a]\ \sim\ length\ w = w$  **using**  $Cons.IH[OF\ Cons.premis[OF\ list.set-intros(2)]]$ .  
**then show**  $b \# w = [a]\ \sim\ length(b \# w)$   
**unfolding**  $Cons.premis[OF\ list.set-intros(1)]$  **by**  $auto$   
**qed**  $simp$

**lemma**  $count-list-pow-list$ :  $count-list\ (w\ \sim\ k)\ a = k * (count-list\ w\ a)$   
**by** ( $induction\ k$ )  $simp+$

**lemma**  $sing-pow-lists$ :  $a \in A \implies [a]\ \sim\ n \in lists\ A$   
**by** ( $induction\ n$ )  $auto$

**lemma**  $one-generated-list-power$ :  $u \in lists\ \{x\} \implies \exists k. concat\ u = x\ \sim\ k$   
**proof**( $induction\ u\ rule: lists.induct$ )  
**case**  $Nil$   
**then show**  $?case$  **by** ( $metis\ concat.simps(1)\ pow-list.simps(1)$ )  
**next**  
**case**  $Cons$   
**then show**  $?case$  **by** ( $metis\ concat.simps(2)\ pow-list-Suc\ singletonD$ )  
**qed**

**lemma**  $pow-list-in-lists$ :  $0 < k \implies u\ \sim\ k \in lists\ B \implies u \in lists\ B$   
**by** ( $metis\ Suc-pred\ in-lists-conv-set\ pow-list-set$ )

**end**