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1. Introduction. LossLess is a lisp-like programming language. It is destined to not rely on the C library but for the time being uses *malloc* for some of the heavy lifting of memory management. Some other C features are taken advantage of or worked around while C the language of this implementation but these are not integral to the character of LossLess.

TODO: Remove headers which are no longer necessary.

```
⟨System headers 1⟩ ≡
#include <assert.h>
#include <ctype.h>
#include <limits.h>
#include <setjmp.h>
#include <stdarg.h>
#include <stdool.h>
#include <stdiot.h>
#include <stdib.h>
```

2. The main product of this part of LossLess is a library for dynamic or static linking. Untitled sections are concatenated and included in this library, starting with this one.

```
\langle System headers 1\rangle
\langle Repair the system headers 322\rangle
\langle Preprocessor definitions\rangle
\langle Type definitions 6\rangle
\langle Function declarations 21\rangle
\langle Global variables 15\rangle
```

3. Consumers of the library include this header file of the same type and function declarations, and global variables with an **extern** qualifier.

```
\begin{array}{l} \left\langle \, \text{lossless.h} \quad 3 \, \right\rangle \equiv \\ \left\langle \, \text{System headers 1} \, \right\rangle \\ \left\langle \, \text{Repair the system headers 322} \, \right\rangle \\ \left\langle \, \text{Preprocessor definitions} \, \right\rangle \\ \left\langle \, \text{Type definitions 6} \, \right\rangle \\ \left\langle \, \text{Function declarations 21} \, \right\rangle \\ \left\langle \, \text{External symbols 16} \, \right\rangle \end{array}
```

- 4. Access to LossLess' parts from other languages requires some C macros to be made available through symbols, additional validation on functions, etc. These optional are placed in the file ffi.c and linked into liblossless.so/lossless.dll.
- **5.** Library users may need symbols for C macros.

```
\langle ffi.c \quad 5 \rangle \equiv
#include "lossless.h"
See also section 326.
```

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6. LossLess (and lisp) data all descend from the **cell**; two cells make an *atom*, called **wide**. A pointer to an atom is equivalent to a machine-specific memory address, ie. a normal C pointer or "**char** *".

These (untested) macros are intended to allow LossLess to compile on a wider variety of hardware than the latest 2^{n+1} -bit wintel fruit. Also defined here is **fixed** representing numbers small enough to fit in the value of a pointer with trickery and the **digit** which is used to represent unbounded integers.

```
⟨Type definitions 6⟩ ≡
    typedef intptr_t cell;
    typedef uintptr_t digit;

#if SIZE_MAX ≤ 0xfffffUL
    ⟨Define a 16-bit addressing environment 10⟩
#elif SIZE_MAX ≤ 0xffffffffUL
    ⟨Define a 32-bit addressing environment 9⟩
#elif SIZE_MAX ≤ 0xffffffffffffffUL
    ⟨Define a 64-bit addressing environment 8⟩
#else
#error Tiny computer.
#endif
See also sections 7, 13, 14, 25, 31, 44, 53, 84, 97, 125, 126, 134, 141, 178, 179, 186, and 190.
This code is used in sections 2 and 3.
```

7. Values common to all architectures. If a datum is smaller than INTERN_BYTES it may be directly "interned" rather than pointed at.

```
\langle \text{Type definitions } 6 \rangle + \equiv
#define CELL_MASK (\sim(WIDE_BYTES - 1))
#define BYTE_BITS 8
#define BYTE_BYTES 1
\#define BYTE 0xff
#define TAG_BYTES 1
#define DIGIT_MAX UINTPTR_MAX
#define HALF_MIN (INTPTR_MIN/2)
#define HALF_MAX (INTPTR_MAX/2)
#define INTERN_BYTES (WIDE_BYTES -1)
  typedef intptr_t cell;
  typedef uintptr_t digit;
  typedef struct {
    char buffer[INTERN_BYTES];
    unsigned char length;
  } Ointern;
```

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8. Fixed-integer values are up to 32 bits (signed) on a 64-bit architecture. This choice was arbitrary — the data encoding scheme at present in fact makes 60 bits available — but it's easier to envision dealing with half a word than 15 16^{th} s of a word.

```
\langle Define a 64-bit addressing environment 8\rangle \equiv
#define CELL_BITS 64
#define CELL_BYTES
#define CELL_SHIFT 4
#define WIDE_BITS 128
#define WIDE_BYTES 16
#define FIX_MIN (-0x7fffffff_{LL}-1)
                                         /* 32 bits */
\#define FIX_MAX 0x7fffffffLL
\#define FIX_MASK 0xffffffffLL
#define FIX_SHIFT 32
#define FIX_BASE2 32
#define FIX_BASE8 11
#define FIX_BASE10 10
#define FIX_BASE16 8
  typedef union {
    struct {
      cell low;
      cell high;
    };
    \mathbf{struct}\ \{
      char b[16];
    } value;
  } wide;
  typedef int32_t fixed;
  typedef int32_t half;
```

This code is used in section 6.

9. 16 bit numbers would probably be too small to be of practical use to fixed integers in a 32-bit envionment use 24 (of the presently-available 28) bits to occupy 3 quarters of a word.

```
\langle Define a 32-bit addressing environment 9 \rangle \equiv
#define CELL_BITS 32
#define CELL_BYTES 4
\#define CELL_SHIFT 3
#define WIDE_BITS 64
#define WIDE_BYTES 8
#define FIX_MIN (-0x7fffff_L - 1)
                                      /* 24 bits */
\#define FIX_MAX 0x7fffffL
#define FIX_MASK OxffffffL
#define FIX_SHIFT 8
#define FIX_BASE2 24
#define FIX_BASE8 8
#define FIX_BASE10 8
#define FIX_BASE16 6
  typedef union {
    struct {
      cell low;
      cell high;
    int64_t value;
  } wide:
                            /* 32 - 24 = 8 unused bits */
  typedef int32_t fixed:
  typedef int16_t half;
```

This code is used in section 6.

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10. This section is here because it was easy to write. It remains to be seen how practical it is.

```
\langle Define a 16-bit addressing environment 10 \rangle \equiv
#define CELL_BITS 16
#define CELL_BYTES 2
#define CELL_SHIFT 2
\#define WIDE_BITS 32
\#define WIDE_BYTES 4
#define FIX_MIN (-0x7f - 1)
                               /* 8 bits */
#define FIX_MAX 0x7f
\#define FIX_MASK 0xff
#define FIX_SHIFT 8
\#define FIX_BASE2 8
#define FIX_BASE8 3
#define FIX_BASE10 3
\#define FIX_BASE16 2
  typedef union {
    struct {
      cell low;
      cell high;
    int64_t value;
  } wide;
  typedef int8_t fixed;
  typedef int8_t half;
This code is used in section 6.
```

11. Something like these (unused) macros could merge the heap's tag with the cell data if the machine's pointers are large enough.

12. LossLess is entirely a single threaded program but includes the foundations necessary to support multiple threads. Each global or static variable can be **shared** between all threads or **unique** to each thread.

```
#define shared #define unique __thread
```

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13. Code comes with errors and programming is a way of finding them (and turning them into bugs). Blocks of code which may fail while holding resources set up a "long-jump site" using sigsetjmp(3), a pointer to which is passed to every fallible function that gets called. In general the pointer to a long-jump site is called *failure* and a locally established long-jump site is called *cleanup*. The error code is returned in reason.

```
#define failure_p(O) ((O) \neq LERR_NONE)
\langle \text{Type definitions } 6 \rangle + \equiv
  typedef enum {
    LERR_NONE,
    LERR_AMBIGUOUS,
                          /* Constant etc. incorrectly terminated. */
                            /\ast Two . operators. \ast/
    LERR_DOUBLE_TAIL,
                           /* A . without a tail expression. */
    LERR_EMPTY_TAIL,
                   /* End of file or stream. */
    LERR_EOF.
    LERR_EXISTS,
                      /* New binding conflicts. */
                          /* A . with more than one tail expression. */
    LERR_HEAVY_TAIL,
                         /* A list operation encountered an improper list. */
    LERR_IMPROPER,
    LERR_INCOMPATIBLE,
                             /* Operation on incompatible operand. */
    LERR_INTERNAL,
                         /* Bug in LossLess. */
    LERR_INTERRUPT,
                          /* An operation was interrupted. */
    LERR_LIMIT,
                     /* A software-defined limit has been reached. */
                              /* List tail-syntax (.) not in a list. */
    LERR_LISTLESS_TAIL,
                         /* Closing bracket did not match open bracket. */
    LERR_MISMATCH,
                        /* A keytable or environment lookup failed. */
    LERR_MISSING,
    LERR_NONCHARACTER,
                             /* Scanning UTF-8 encoding failed. */
    LERR OOM.
                   /* Out of memory. */
                         /* Attempt to access past the end of a buffer. */
    LERR_OVERFLOW,
                      /* Unrecognisable syntax (insufficient alone). */
    LERR_SYNTAX,
                              /* Missing ), ] or }. */
    LERR_UNCLOSED_OPEN,
    LERR_UNCOMBINABLE,
                             /* Attempted to combine a non-program. */
    LERR_UNDERFLOW,
                          /* A stack was popped too far. */
    LERR_UNIMPLEMENTED,
                              /* A feature is not implemented. */
                                /* Premature ), ] or \}. */
    LERR_UNOPENED_CLOSE,
                            /* Failed serialisation attempt. */
    LERR_UNPRINTABLE,
                            /* Parser encountered LEXICAT_INVALID. */
    LERR_UNSCANNABLE,
    LERR_LENGTH
  } Verror;
```

14. The numeric codes are suitable for internal use but lisp is a language of processing symbols so at run-time the errors are given names (and, potentially, other metadata).

```
⟨Type definitions 6⟩ +≡
typedef struct {
   char *message;
} Oerror;
```

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```
This list is sorted by the "column" on the right.
\langle Global variables 15\rangle \equiv
  Oerror Ierror[LERR\_LENGTH] \leftarrow \{
        [LERR\_AMBIGUOUS] \leftarrow {"ambiguous-syntax"},
        [LERR\_EXISTS] \leftarrow {"binding-conflict"},
        [LERR\_DOUBLE\_TAIL] \leftarrow \{"double-tail"\},
        [\texttt{LERR\_EOF}] \leftarrow \{\texttt{"end-of-file"}\},
        [LERR\_IMPROPER] \leftarrow {"improper-list"},
        [LERR\_INCOMPATIBLE] \leftarrow \{"incompatible-operand"\},
        [LERR\_INTERRUPT] \leftarrow \{"interrupted"\},
        [LERR\_INTERNAL] \leftarrow \{"lossless-error"\},
        [LERR\_MISMATCH] \leftarrow \{"mismatched-brackets"\},
        [LERR\_MISSING] \leftarrow \{"missing"\},
        [LERR_NONCHARACTER] \leftarrow \{"noncharacter"\},
        [LERR_NONE] \leftarrow {"no-error"},
        [\texttt{LERR\_LISTLESS\_TAIL}] \leftarrow \{\texttt{"non-list-tail"}\},
        [LERR\_00M] \leftarrow {"out-of-memory"},
        [LERR\_OVERFLOW] \leftarrow \{"overflow"\},
        [LERR\_LIMIT] \leftarrow \{"software-limit"\},
        [LERR\_SYNTAX] \leftarrow {"syntax-error"},
        [\texttt{LERR\_HEAVY\_TAIL}] \leftarrow \{\texttt{"tail-mid-list"}\},
        [LERR\_UNCLOSED\_OPEN] \leftarrow \{"unclosed-brackets"\},
        [LERR\_UNCOMBINABLE] \leftarrow {"uncombinable"},
        [LERR\_UNDERFLOW] \leftarrow {"underflow"},
        [LERR\_UNIMPLEMENTED] \leftarrow {"unimplemented"},
        [LERR\_UNOPENED\_CLOSE] \leftarrow \{"unopened-brackets"\},
        [\texttt{LERR\_UNPRINTABLE}] \leftarrow \{\texttt{"unprintable"}\},
        [LERR\_UNSCANNABLE] \leftarrow \{"unscannable-lexeme"\},
        [LERR_EMPTY_TAIL] ← {"unterminated-tail"},
  };
See also sections 19, 32, 40, 45, 54, 75, 94, 124, 148, 158, 187, and 246.
This code is used in section 2.
      \langle \text{External symbols } \mathbf{16} \rangle \equiv
  extern Oerror Ierror[];
See also sections 20, 33, 76, 149, 247, 325, and 327.
This code is used in section 3.
```

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17. When LossLess cannot proceed it aborts its current action and jumps back to the most recently established long-jump site with one of the error codes. If, as is usually the case, the error condition cannot be dealt with by that caller it will clean up its own resources and jump back to the long-jump site given it (passing on the same error code), which it had saved before creating its own.

The outline of a function which protects its resources in this way is shown here. A lot of pieces of code in this implementation have this basic outline so it will be helpful to understand it well enough to be able to ignore it because C is verbose enough.

Nearly all the time the resource in question is S items on top of the run-time stack. In some cases this is also or instead the register Tmp_ier (T). The unwind macro cleans up both, relying on the C compiler to remove the branches of unreachable code, and performs the long jump J with error code E.

In particular, allocated memory generally does *not* need to be freed explicitly if an error occurs while it's in use — as will be seen shortly, allocated memory is immediately tied into a list which is then scanned during garbage collection for unused allocations that can be released.

```
#define unwind(J, E, T, S) do
            assert((E) \neq LERR\_NONE);
            if (T) Tmp_ier \leftarrow NIL;
            if (S) stack\_clear(S);
            siglongjmp (*(J),(E));
         while (0)
#if 0
  \mathbf{void}\ example(\mathbf{sigjmp\_buf}\ *failure)
    sigjmp_buf cleanup;
                                 /* Allocated on C's stack, there is no need to clean this up. */
    Verror reason \leftarrow \texttt{LERR\_NONE};
                                    /* Usually stack_protect or stack_reserve. */
    obtain\_resources(failure);
                                                         /* Establish a new long-jump site. */
    if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1)))
       unwind(failure, reason, false, n);
                                              /* Clean up and abort. */
    use\_resources(\&cleanup);
                                    /* ... */
    free_resources();
                         /* Usually stack_clear — only reached if there was no error. */
  }
\#endif
```

- 18. An error which is handled throughout this code-base but cannot actually occur is external interruption. When signal handling is written and an interrupt occurs this *Interrupt* flag will be set to *true* and any potentially-unbounded or otherwise long-running operation will halt.
- 19. \langle Global variables $15 \rangle + \equiv$ unique bool Interrupt \leftarrow false;
- 20. ⟨External symbols 16⟩ +≡ extern unique bool Interrupt;

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21. Memory. It is possible to compute without recourse to core memory but it isn't very interesting. Memory resources are divided by LossLess into two categories, fixed-size *atoms* and dynamic *segments*. Segments are allocated in co-ordination with the kernel (if there is one) at arbitrary locations by a memory manager which at this time is C's *malloc*.

The very first segment allocated during initialisation is the "heap" from which atoms are allocated. When all the atoms in a heap have been taken an attempt to allocate another will cause garbage collection to reclaim any discarded atoms first (this is also when unused segments are returned to the master allocator).

```
\langle Function declarations 21 \rangle \equiv
  \mathbf{void} * mem\_alloc(\mathbf{void} *, \mathbf{size\_t}, \mathbf{size\_t}, \mathbf{sigjmp\_buf} *);
See also sections 29, 34, 46, 56, 78, 85, 88, 96, 107, 111, 114, 121, 127, 132, 135, 142, 147, 161, 184, 191, 228, 248, 281, 295,
     320, 331, and 335.
This code is used in sections 2 and 3.
22. void *mem_alloc(void *old, size_t length, size_t align, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     void *r;
     if (\neg align) r \leftarrow realloc(old, length);
     else {
        assert(old \equiv \Lambda);
        if (((align-1) \& align) \neq 0 \lor align \equiv 0) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR\_INCOMPATIBLE);
        if ((length \& (align - 1)) \neq 0) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_INCOMPATIBLE);
        r \leftarrow aligned\_alloc(align, length);
     if (r \equiv \Lambda) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_OOM);
     return r;
  }
```

23. There is a lot of blank space here for future versions of LossLess to fill in.

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24. Atoms. Although allocated within a heap which is itself a segment, atoms are (nearly) the most fundamental datum out of which nearly everything else in **LossLess** is constructed, and so they are described here first. An atom consists of two cells (so it's name has already a mistake) the size of a data pointer¹ and "is tagged".

An atom's tag is located in such a way that it has no bearing on the location or size of the atom itself. On machines with a large address space the tag can be squeezed into the actual address of the atom's or as is currently the case in LossLess at an offset within the heap relative to the atom.

The tag is used to identify what the data is in each half of the atom. In particular the garbage collector must be able to identify cells which hold a pointer to another atom or set of atoms, so that they will be marked or copied during collection and not reclaimed.

Because atoms are identified by a real memory address and the size of each atom is itself two full memory addresses, each atom is always allocated on a 4, 8 or 16-byte boundary (for 16, 32 and 64-bit addressing), thus the lower 2, 3 or 4 bits of the address are known to always be zero. LossLess takes advantage of this by using these bits to identify values which do not in fact require heap storage.

If the lowest bit of a pointer (**cell**) is set it identifies one of these *special* variables. Five global constants with the odd values 1, 3, 5, 7 & 13 (9 & 11 are unused). The value 15 (0xf or 0b1111) is even more special: If the lowest 4 bits are exactly this then the rest of the pointer is not all zeros but a fixed-width (signed) integer value.

Finally NIL comes about and makes nothing even more special still. NIL is a **cell** with the literal value zero and so it looks like, and in fact is, a real address. It even looks like and usually is, C's Λ (NULL) pointer. However Λ is a C pointer and need not be zero even though zero from a literal value in the C source code is Λ , the "null pointer". Clear?

This answer to a related question on Stack Overflow clarifies the situation (emphasis added): The "... 'question about how one would assign 0 address to a pointer' formally has no answer. You simply **can't assign a specific address to a pointer in** C/C++. However, in the realm of implementation-defined features, the explicit integer-to-pointer conversion is intended to have that effect."

To keep these almost-but-not-quite-exactly-unlike-zero values straight transforming between a **cell** and a C **pointer** is always explicitly cast even though they occupy the "same" storage.

```
/* Nothing, the empty list, (). */
#define NIL ((cell) 0)
#define LFALSE ((cell) 1)
                                /* Boolean false, #f or #F. */
                               /* Boolean true, #t or #T. */
#define LTRUE ((cell) 3)
                              /* Even less than nothing — the "no explicit value" value. */
#define VOID ((cell) 5)
                              /* Value obtained off the end of a file or other stream. */
#define LEOF ((cell) 7)
#define UNDEFINED ((cell) 13) /* The value of a variable that isn't there. */
                                /* A small fixed-width integer. */
#define FIXED ((cell) 15)
#define null_{-}p(O) ((intptr_t)(O) \equiv 0)
#define special_p(O) (null_p(O) \lor ((intptr_t)(O)) \& 1)
#define boolean_p(O) ((O) \equiv LFALSE \lor (O) \equiv LTRUE)
#define false_p(O) ((O) \equiv LFALSE)
#define true_p(O) ((O) \equiv LTRUE)
\#define void_p(O) ((O) \equiv VOID)
#define eof_p(O) ((O) \equiv LEOF)
#define undefined_p(O) ((O) \equiv UNDEFINED)
#define fix_p(O) (((O) & FIXED) \equiv FIXED)
#define defined_p(O) (\neg undefined_p(O))
\#define predicate(O) ((O)? LTRUE: LFALSE)
```

¹ An instruction pointer does not necessarily need to be related in any way to a data pointer although on the most common architectures they are the same in practice.

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25. The tag of an atom is used by garbage collection to keep track of atoms which are in use and/or have been partially scanned. The remainder of the tag identifies the contents of each of the atom's cells. This is known as the atom's *format*. In total the tag is 8 bits wide — 2 for garbage collector state (LTAG_LIVE & LTAG_DONE) and 6 for the format.

In practice of course everything in a modern computer has an inherent order but neither half of an atom is considered greater or lesser than the other and so they are referred to with the unfamiliar Latin words for left and right, *sinister* and *dexter*¹ to confound the reader's (and writer's) inherent mental bias while still establishing an order with which each concern can be handled in this source code, the intuitive "sindex".

The one format in which the order of each half does "matter" is the pair which for histerical raisins labels the sinister half the car and and the dexter half the cdr. The otherwise fruitless distinction is made between $\sin/\det \arctan \arctan \cot \arctan$ atom is a real pair and when an atom is to be treated as opaque.

The atomic formats are broadly categorised into four groups based on whether each half is or isn't a pointer to an atom and the first 2 of the 6 bits (LTAG_DSIN & LTAG_DDEX) hold this information. The remaining 4 bits are (mostly) arbitrary.

ATOM_TO_TAG finds an atom's tag and is defined below after the heap storage (in which it's located) is introduced.

```
#define LTAG_LIVE 0x80
                             /* Atom is referenced from a register. */
#define LTAG_DONE
                             /* Atom has been partially scanned. */
                    0x40
                             /* Atom's sin half points to an atom. */
#define LTAG_DSIN
                     0x20
#define LTAG_DDEX
                             /* Atom's dex half points to an atom. */
                    0x10
                    (LTAG_DSIN | LTAG_DDEX)
#define LTAG_BOTH
#define LTAG_FORM
                    (LTAG\_BOTH \mid 0xOf)
                             /* A tree is threadable in its dex halves. */
#define LTAG_TDEX 0x02
                             /* A tree is threadable in its sin halves. */
#define LTAG_TSIN
                    0x01
#define LTAG_NONE 0x00
\#define TAG(O) (ATOM_TO_TAG((O)))
\#define TAG_SET_M(O, V) (ATOM_TO_TAG((O)) \leftarrow (V))
\#define ATOM_LIVE_P(O) (TAG(O) & LTAG_LIVE)
#define ATOM_CLEAR_LIVE_M(O) (TAG_SET_M((O), TAG(O) & \simLTAG_LIVE))
\#define ATOM_SET_LIVE_M(O) (TAG_SET_M((O), TAG(O) | LTAG_LIVE))
\#define ATOM_MORE_P(O) (TAG(O) & LTAG_DONE)
\#define ATOM_CLEAR_MORE_M(O) (TAG_SET_M((O), TAG(O) & \simLTAG_DONE))
\#define ATOM_SET_MORE_M(O) (TAG_SET_M((O), TAG(O) | LTAG_DONE))
\#define ATOM_FORM(O) (TAG(O) & LTAG_FORM)
\#define ATOM_SIN_DATUM_P(O) (TAG(O) & LTAG_DSIN)
\#define ATOM_DEX_DATUM_P(O) (TAG(O) & LTAG_DDEX)
#define ATOM_SIN_THREADABLE_P(O) (TAG(O) & LTAG_TSIN)
#define ATOM_DEX_THREADABLE_P(O) (TAG(O) & LTAG_TDEX)
\langle \text{Type definitions } 6 \rangle + \equiv
  typedef unsigned char Otag;
  typedef struct {
    cell sin, dex;
  } Oatom;
```

¹ It also helps that it's a pair whose acronyms are both three runes long, which was not really the primary concern.

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26. These are the formats known to LossLess. The numeric value of each format is relevent except (sort of) FORM_NONE which is zero and the rope and tree formats, which are carefully chosen so that atoms with these formats are *polymorphic*, which means they are distinct but implemented with (mostly) the same API and (mostly) the same implementation to do (mostly) the same thing.

Unallocated atoms' tags are initialised to FORM_NONE. Allocated atoms' tags will be one of the other values here.

```
#define FORM_NONE (LTAG_NONE | 0x00)
#define FORM_ARRAY (LTAG_NONE | 0x01)
#define FORM_COLLECTED (LTAG_NONE | 0x02)
\#\mathbf{define} \ \ \mathsf{FORM\_FIX} \ \ (\mathtt{LTAG\_NONE} \mid ox \mathsf{O3})
#define FORM_HEAP (LTAG_NONE | 0x04)
#define FORM_KEYTABLE (LTAG_NONE | 0x05)
#define FORM_RECORD (LTAG_NONE | 0x06)
#define FORM_RUNE (LTAG_NONE | 0x07)
#define FORM_SEGMENT_INTERN (LTAG_NONE | 0x08)
#define FORM_SYMBOL (LTAG_NONE | 0x09)
#define FORM_SYMBOL_INTERN (LTAG_NONE | 0xOa)
#define FORM_PRIMITIVE (LTAG_DDEX | 0x00)
#define FORM_SEGMENT (LTAG_DDEX | 0x01)
#define FORM_PAIR (LTAG_BOTH | 0x00)
#define FORM_APPLICATIVE (LTAG_BOTH | 0x01)
#define FORM_ENVIRONMENT (LTAG_BOTH | 0x02)
#define FORM_NOTE (LTAG_BOTH | 0x03)
#define FORM_OPERATIVE (LTAG_BOTH | 0x04)
#define FORM_ROPE (LTAG_BOTH | 0x08)
#define FORM_TROPE_SIN (LTAG_BOTH | 0x09)
#define FORM_TROPE_DEX (LTAG_BOTH | 0x0a)
#define FORM_TROPE_BOTH (LTAG_BOTH | 0x0b)
#define FORM_TREE (LTAG_BOTH | 0x0c)
#define FORM_TTREE_SIN (LTAG_BOTH | 0xOd)
#define FORM_TTREE_DEX (LTAG_BOTH | 0x0e)
#define FORM_TTREE_BOTH (LTAG_BOTH | 0xOf)
```

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27. Predicates. Generally objects have a simple, even 1:1 mapping between them and a single format. Notable exceptions are symbols and segments which may be "interned", and trees which can masquerade as ropes or as doubly-linked lists.

Segments also form the basis for some other objects including arrays and records. When a segment is allocated its address is stored in one half of an atom and so the other half is available for use by some of the objects which are built on top of segments.

LossLess data are always held in C in storage or variables with type **cell** and so C's limited type validation is bypassed. To somewhat compensate for this the format of any **cell** arguments to C functions are indicated by initially calling *assert* with a (possibly qualified) predicate.

```
\#define form(O) (TAG(O) & LTAG_FORM)
#define form_p(O, F) (\neg special_p(O) \land form(O) \equiv FORM_\# F)
#define pair_p(O) (form_p((O), PAIR))
#define array_p(O) (form_p(O), ARRAY))
#define null\_array\_p(O) ((O) \equiv Null\_Array)
\#define collected_p(O) (form_p(O), COLLECTED))
#define environment_p(O) (form_p(O), ENVIRONMENT))
#define keytable_p(O) (form_p(O), KEYTABLE) \lor null_array_p(O))
#define note_p(O) (form_p(O), NOTE)
#define record_p(O) (form_p(O), RECORD)
#define rune_p(O) (form_p((O), RUNE))
\#define segment\_intern\_p(O) (form\_p((O), SEGMENT\_INTERN))
#define segment\_stored\_p(O) (form\_p((O), SEGMENT))
#define segment_p(O) (segment\_intern_p(O) \lor segment\_stored_p(O))
#define symbol\_intern\_p(O) (form\_p((O), SYMBOL\_INTERN))
\#define symbol\_stored\_p(O) (form\_p((O), SYMBOL))
#define symbol_p(O) (symbol_intern_p(O) \lor symbol_stored_p(O))
#define character_p(O) (eof_p(O) \lor rune_p(O))
#define arraylike_p(O) (array_p(O) \lor keytable_p(O) \lor record_p(O))
\#define pointer_p(O) (segment\_stored\_p(O) \lor arraylike\_p(O) \lor form\_p((O), HEAP))
#define primitive_p(O) (form_p((O), PRIMITIVE))
\#define closure_p(O) (form_p((O), APPLICATIVE) \lor form_p((O), OPERATIVE))
#define program_p(O) (closure_p(O) \lor primitive_p(O))
\#define applicative\_p(O) ((closure\_p(O) \land form\_p((O), \texttt{APPLICATIVE})) \lor primitive\_applicative\_p(O))
\#define operative\_p(O) ((closure\_p(O) \land form\_p((O), OPERATIVE)) \lor primitive\_operative\_p(O))
```

28. A record is an array of named cells and optionally a segment. Records for internal use are identified by a (negative) integer, user records are not made available yet but will likely be identified by a symbol or closure.

```
TODO: Move fix into the macro.  
#define RECORD_ROPE_ITERATOR -1  
#define RECORD_ENVIRONMENT_ITERATOR -2  
#define RECORD_LEXEME -3  
#define RECORD_LEXAR -4  
#define RECORD_SYNTAX -5  
#define rope\_iter\_p(O)  
(form\_p((O), RECORD) \land record\_id(O) \equiv fix(RECORD\_ROPE\_ITERATOR))  
#define lexeme\_p(O)  
(form\_p((O), RECORD) \land record\_id(O) \equiv fix(RECORD\_LEXEME))  
#define lexar\_p(O)  
(form\_p((O), RECORD) \land record\_id(O) \equiv fix(RECORD\_LEXEME))  
#define syntax\_p(O)  
(form\_p((O), RECORD) \land record\_id(O) \equiv fix(RECORD\_SYNTAX))
```

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29. Fixed-size Integers. No operators are yet made available to work with any sort of numbers, however the fixed-size small integers are minimally defined here for the use of the few objects which do need them internally.

TODO: Figure out negatives vs. logical/arithmetic shift vs. complements.

```
 \begin{split} \# & \mathbf{define} \quad \mathit{fix\_value}(O) \quad ((\mathbf{fixed})((O) \gg \mathsf{FIX\_SHIFT})) \\ & \langle \mathsf{Function} \; \mathsf{declarations} \; 21 \rangle \; + \equiv \\ & \mathbf{cell} \; \mathit{fix}(\mathbf{intmax\_t}); \\ & \mathbf{30.} \quad \mathbf{cell} \; \mathit{fix}(\mathbf{intmax\_t} \; \mathit{val}) \\ & \{ \\ & \mathbf{cell} \; \mathit{r}; \\ & \mathit{assert}(\mathit{val} \geq \mathsf{FIX\_MIN} \land \mathit{val} \leq \mathsf{FIX\_MAX}); \\ & \mathit{r} \leftarrow \mathsf{FIXED}; \\ & \mathit{r} \; | = \mathit{val} \ll \mathsf{FIX\_SHIFT}; \\ & \mathbf{return} \; \mathit{r}; \\ \} \end{split}
```

14 HEAP LOSSLESS §31

31. Heap. A heap is stored as a (singly-linked) list of pages. Each page has a **Oheap** header (as well as the transparent **Osegment** header because every heap page is allocated as a segment) followed immediately by the tags, possibly a gap and then the atoms of that heap extending all the way to the end of the page. An allocation request considers each page in turn until the first page is found with an atom available.

Initially there is a single heap consisting of a single page. When there are no more unused atoms left to allocate in any page garbage collection is performed which reports how many unused atoms were reclaimed. If there are no spare atoms available then another page is allocated and attached to the heap at the back of the list.

Pages within a heap are allocated automatically. At present they will never be detached from the list and reclaimed, and there is no way to initialise another heap. These abilities will be added when LossLess grows threads.

If a compacting garbage collector is being used (again, there is no way to actually convert a heap to compacting or create one yet but the ability will be necessary to support threads) then heap pages are allocated two at a time in pairs 1 which are pointed to each other in addition to their list link. Moreover each second page-half is linked in a list backwards for a trivial optimisation later.

Allocation in a compacting garbage collector is extremely fast at the expense of having half of each heap pair empty: the pointer to the next free atom is simply returned and incremented (unless the page is full). When the heap is full any atoms which are in use are re-allocated in the same linear fashion from the dormant half and the heap is effectively turned up-side down making the dormant halves active and the active halves dormant (and empty).

```
#define HEAP_CHUNK 0x1000
#define HEAP_MASK 0xOfff
#define HEAP_BOOKEND (sizeof(Osegment) + sizeof(Oheap))
#define HEAP_LEFTOVER ((HEAP_CHUNK - HEAP_BOOKEND)/(TAG_BYTES + WIDE_BYTES))
#define HEAP_LENGTH ((int) HEAP_LEFTOVER)
#define HEAP_HEADER ((HEAP_CHUNK/WIDE_BYTES) - HEAP_LENGTH)
#define ATOM_TO_ATOM(O) ((Oatom *)(O))
\# \mathbf{define} \quad \mathtt{ATOM\_TO\_HEAP}(O) \quad (\mathtt{SEGMENT\_TO\_HEAP}(\mathtt{ATOM\_TO\_SEGMENT}(O)))
\# define \ ATOM\_TO\_INDEX(O) \ (((((intptr\_t)(O)) \& \ HEAP\_MASK) \gg CELL\_SHIFT) - HEAP\_HEADER)
\#define ATOM_TO_SEGMENT(O) ((Osegment *)(((intptr_t)(O)) \& \sim HEAP\_MASK))
\#define HEAP_TO_SEGMENT(O) (ATOM_TO_SEGMENT(O))
#define SEGMENT_TO_HEAP(O) ((Oheap *)(O)\rightarrow address)
\#define \text{HEAP\_TO\_LAST}(O) ((Oatom *)(((intptr_t) \text{HEAP\_TO\_SEGMENT}(O)) + \text{HEAP\_CHUNK}))
#define ATOM_TO_TAG(O) (ATOM_TO_HEAP(O)\rightarrow tag[ATOM_TO_INDEX(O)])
\langle \text{Type definitions } 6 \rangle + \equiv
  struct Oheap {
    Oatom *free;
    struct Oheap *next, *pair;
    Otag tag[];
  };
  typedef struct Oheap Oheap;
```

32. There are (conceptually) exactly two heaps, one for the current thread (*Theap*) and one shared between all threads (*Sheap*). New atoms are allocated in the current thread's heap. Upon encountering an atom in another thread's heap that atom will be copied (by the owning thread) into the shared heap so that the requesting thread can gain access to it.

```
\langle Global variables 15\rangle + \equiv shared Oheap *Sheap \leftarrow \Lambda; /* Process-wide shared heap. */ unique Oheap *Theap \leftarrow \Lambda; /* Per-thread private heap. */
```

¹ Not to be confused with pair *objects*.

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```
33. ⟨External symbols 16⟩ +≡
extern shared Oheap *Sheap;
extern unique Oheap *Theap;
34. The accessors here should probably be renamed to lsin and ldex (TODO).
⟨Function declarations 21⟩ +≡
cell lcar(cell);
cell lcdr(cell);
Otag ltag(cell);
void lcar_set_m(cell, cell);
void lcdr_set_m(cell, cell);
void heap_init_sweeping(Oheap *, Oheap *);
void heap_init_compacting(Oheap *, Oheap *, Oheap *);
Oheap *heap_enlarge(Oheap *, sigjmp_buf *);
cell heap_alloc(Oheap *, sigjmp_buf *);
cell atom(Oheap *, cell, cell, Otag, sigjmp_buf *);
```

35. The thread heap is initialised when LossLess is starting but the shared heap remains unallocated until it's required. For book-keeping purposes a heap is allocated in the form of a segment and as a segment is pointed to by an object on a heap the first atom allocated within a new heap page will be that object.

Note that there is currently no way to convert this sweeping heap into a compacting heap (and so it follows that the compacting code is largely untested).

```
 \begin{split} &\langle \text{Initialise storage 35} \rangle \equiv \\ &\quad \textit{Theap} \leftarrow \text{SEGMENT\_TO\_HEAP}(segment\_alloc(-1, \text{HEAP\_CHUNK}, 1, \text{HEAP\_CHUNK}, failure));} \\ &\quad \textit{heap\_init\_sweeping}(\textit{Theap}, \Lambda); \\ &\quad \textit{segment\_init}(\text{HEAP\_TO\_SEGMENT}(\textit{Theap}), \textit{heap\_alloc}(\textit{Theap}, failure));} \\ &\quad \textit{Sheap} \leftarrow \Lambda; \\ \text{See also sections 77, 95, and 150.} \\ &\quad \text{This code is used in section 333.} \end{split}
```

16 HEAP LOSSLESS §36

36. If a heap will use a compacting garbage collector then each of its pages is allocated alongside another page and atoms are copied between them.

On of each pair is linked into a list in one direction and the other pair in the other direction (and each half-page pair links to the other half in its *pair* pointer). In this way after the garbage collector has walked over the entire heap the heap's head pointer can be changed to the head at the other end, effectively turning the heap upside down and beginning allocation from within the newly-emptied half.

Each half of a compacting heap is initialised identically: every atom's tag is initialised to FORM_NONE and its free pointer is set to the first available atom above the header.

```
void heap_init_compacting(Oheap *heap,Oheap *prev,Oheap *pair)
    int i;
    heap \neg pair \leftarrow pair;
    heap \neg free \leftarrow (\textbf{Oatom} *)(((\textbf{intptr}\_t) \text{ HEAP}\_\texttt{TO}\_\texttt{SEGMENT}(heap)) + \text{HEAP}\_\texttt{CHUNK});
    pair \rightarrow free \leftarrow (\mathbf{Oatom} *)(((\mathbf{intptr}_t) \ \mathtt{HEAP}_\mathtt{TO}_\mathtt{SEGMENT}(pair)) + \mathtt{HEAP}_\mathtt{CHUNK});
    for (i \leftarrow 0; i < \texttt{HEAP\_LENGTH}; i \leftrightarrow) {
        heap \neg free --;
        ATOM\_TO\_TAG(heap \neg free) \leftarrow FORM\_NONE;
        pair \rightarrow free --;
        \texttt{ATOM\_TO\_TAG}(pair \neg free) \leftarrow \texttt{FORM\_NONE};
        heap \neg free \neg sin \leftarrow heap \neg free \neg dex \leftarrow \texttt{NIL};
        pair \rightarrow free \rightarrow sin \leftarrow pair \rightarrow free \rightarrow dex \leftarrow NIL;
    heap \neg pair \leftarrow pair;
    pair \rightarrow pair \leftarrow heap;
    if (prev \equiv \Lambda) {
        heap \neg next \leftarrow pair \neg next \leftarrow \Lambda;
    else {
        if ((heap \neg next \leftarrow prev \neg next) \neq \Lambda) {
            assert(heap \neg next \neg pair \neg next \equiv prev \neg pair);
            heap \neg next \neg pair \neg next \leftarrow heap \neg pair;
        pair \rightarrow next \leftarrow prev \rightarrow pair;
        prev \rightarrow next \leftarrow heap;
}
```

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37. A heap which is to be garbage collected with a non-moving mark and sweep algorithm uses less space and has no complicated linkage however collection and allocation are slower than on a compacting heap. The heap is likewise initialised by setting each available atom's tag to FORM_NONE but instead of a pointer that gets incremented free atoms are linked through their dex cell in a list that ends in NIL at the top of the (now full) heap.

18 HEAP LOSSLESS §38

38. Enlarging a heap is practically the same either way. When allocating two heaps there is no need to clean up the first in case the second allocation fails — garbage collection will eventually release the unused segment (if the out of memory condition doesn't abort the whole process first).

```
Oheap *heap_enlarge(Oheap *heap, sigjmp_buf *failure)
  Oheap *new, *pair;
  Osegment *snew, *spair;
  cell owner;
  if (heap \neg pair \equiv \Lambda) {
     snew \leftarrow segment\_alloc(-1, \texttt{HEAP\_CHUNK}, 1, \texttt{HEAP\_CHUNK}, failure);
     new \leftarrow \texttt{SEGMENT\_TO\_HEAP}(snew);
     heap\_init\_sweeping(new, heap);
     owner \leftarrow heap\_alloc(new, failure);
     ATOM\_TO\_TAG(owner) \leftarrow FORM\_HEAP;
     pointer\_set\_m(owner, snew);
     segment_set_owner_m(owner, owner);
  else {
     snew \leftarrow segment\_alloc(-1, \texttt{HEAP\_CHUNK}, 1, \texttt{HEAP\_CHUNK}, failure);
     spair \leftarrow segment\_alloc(-1, \texttt{HEAP\_CHUNK}, 1, \texttt{HEAP\_CHUNK}, failure);
     new \leftarrow \texttt{SEGMENT\_TO\_HEAP}(snew);
     pair \leftarrow \texttt{SEGMENT\_TO\_HEAP}(spair);
     heap_init_compacting(new, heap, pair);
     owner \leftarrow heap\_alloc(new, failure);
     ATOM_TO_TAG(owner) \leftarrow FORM_HEAP;
     pointer_set_m(owner, snew);
     segment\_set\_owner\_m(owner, owner);
     owner \leftarrow heap\_alloc(new, failure);
     ATOM_TO_TAG(owner) \leftarrow FORM_HEAP;
     pointer_set_m(owner, spair);
     segment_set_owner_m(owner, owner);
  return new;
```

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39. Allocating from either type of heap is broadly similar too. In each case the list of heap pages is iterated over until the first one is found with a free atom, which is where they differ. In either case if no atom is found then the appropriate type of garbage collection is performed and, if necessary, the heap is enlarged by another page (or pair of pages).

The garbage collector will actually call back into heap_alloc to move atoms and upon completion but not to allocate new atoms, only those which already were on the heap and are being moved into a recently-freed location.

```
cell heap_alloc(Oheap *heap, sigjmp_buf *failure)
   Oheap *h, *next;
   \operatorname{cell} r;
  next \leftarrow heap;
   if (heap \rightarrow pair \neq \Lambda) {
   allocate\_incrementing:
      while (next \neq \Lambda) {
         h \leftarrow next;
         if (ATOM_TO_HEAP(h \rightarrow free) \equiv heap) return (cell) h \rightarrow free +++;
         next \leftarrow h \neg next;
      assert(failure \neq \Lambda);
                                      /* UNREACHABLE during collection. */
      if (qc\_compacting(heap, true) > 0) next \leftarrow heap;
                                                            /* Will succeed or goto failure. */
      else next \leftarrow heap\_enlarge(h, failure);
      goto allocate_incrementing;
  else {
   allocate\_listwise:
      while (next \neq \Lambda) {
         h \leftarrow next;
         if (\neg null\_p(h \rightarrow free)) {
            r \leftarrow (\mathbf{cell}) \ h \neg free;
            h \rightarrow free \leftarrow (\textbf{Oatom} *) h \rightarrow free \rightarrow dex;
            ((\mathbf{Oatom} *) r) \neg dex \leftarrow \mathtt{NIL};
            return r;
         next \leftarrow h \neg next;
      }
      assert(failure \neq \Lambda);
                                     /* UNREACHABLE during collection. */
      if (gc\_sweeping(heap, true) > 0) next \leftarrow heap;
                                                             /* Will succeed or goto failure. */
      else next \leftarrow heap\_enlarge(h, failure);
      goto allocate_listwise;
   }
}
```

40. A pointer to a new atom returned from *heap_alloc* must be formatted before it can be used by *atom* or *cons*. If the new sin or dex value is an atom (as indicated by the new tag) then it may not yet be referenced by a live object and would be discarded if allocation performs garbage collection.

To avoid this there are two registers Tmp_SIN and Tmp_DEX which the value is saved into immediately prior to allocation. Tmp_ier which has already be mentioned is defined here and serves a similar purpose for arrays and segments.

```
\langle \text{Global variables 15} \rangle +\equiv  unique cell Tmp\_SIN \leftarrow \text{NIL}; /* Allocator's storage for SIN/CAR pointer. */ unique cell Tmp\_DEX \leftarrow \text{NIL}; /* Allocator's storage for DEX/CDR pointer. */ unique cell Tmp\_ier \leftarrow \text{NIL}; /* Other temporary safe storage. */
```

20 HEAP LOSSLESS §41

41. This function is one of the few with an unusual error handling mechanism to clear its two registers.

```
#define cons(A, D, F) (atom(Theap, (A), (D), FORM\_PAIR, (F)))
  cell atom(Oheap *heap, cell nsin, cell ndex, Otag ntag, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     \operatorname{cell} r;
     sigjmp_buf cleanup;
     Verror reason \leftarrow LERR\_NONE;
     assert(ntag \neq FORM_NONE);
     if (ntag \& LTAG_DSIN) Tmp\_SIN \leftarrow nsin;
     if (ntag \& LTAG_DDEX) Tmp_DEX \leftarrow ndex;
     if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) goto fail;
     r \leftarrow heap\_alloc(heap, \&cleanup);
     TAG\_SET\_M(r, ntag);
     ((\mathbf{Oatom} *) r) \rightarrow sin \leftarrow (ntag \& \mathsf{LTAG\_DSIN}) ? Tmp\_SIN : nsin;
     ((\mathbf{Oatom} *) r) \neg dex \leftarrow (ntag \& \mathsf{LTAG\_DDEX}) ? Tmp\_DEX : ndex;
     Tmp\_SIN \leftarrow Tmp\_DEX \leftarrow \texttt{NIL};
     return r;
  fail: Tmp\_SIN \leftarrow Tmp\_DEX \leftarrow NIL;
     siglongjmp (*failure, reason);
```

42. These accessors are not macros in part because the assertions have proven helpful while debugging LossLess and will likely continue to do so but also to be able patch in the ability to trap access from one thread to another's heap or to the shared heap (which will need a read lock).

```
Otag ltag(cell o)
   assert(\neg special\_p(o));
   return TAG(o);
cell \ lcar(cell \ o)
   assert(\neg special\_p(o));
   return ((Oatom *) o)\rightarrow sin;
cell lcdr(\mathbf{cell}\ o)
   assert(\neg special\_p(o));
   return ((Oatom *) o)\rightarrow dex;
void lcar_set_m(cell o, cell datum)
   assert(\neg special\_p(o));
   assert(\neg ATOM\_SIN\_DATUM\_P(o) \lor defined\_p(datum));
   ((\mathbf{Oatom} *) o) \rightarrow sin \leftarrow datum;
void lcdr\_set\_m(\mathbf{cell}\ o, \mathbf{cell}\ datum)
   assert(\neg special\_p(o));
   assert(\neg ATOM\_DEX\_DATUM\_P(o) \lor defined\_p(datum));
   ((\mathbf{Oatom} *) o) \neg dex \leftarrow datum;
}
```

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43. Few of these shorthand accessors are actually used and none of them is exposed at run-time but there is a whole page here before the next major section starts and their existence adds no run-time cost.

```
#define lcaar(O) (lcar(lcar(O)))
                    (lcar(lcdr(O)))
#define
          lcadr(O)
#define
          lcdar(O)
                    (lcdr(lcar(O)))
                    (lcdr(lcdr(O)))
#define
         lcddr(O)
                     (lcar(lcar(lcar(O))))
#define
         lcaaar(O)
#define
         lcaadr(O)
                     (lcar(lcdr(O)))
#define
         lcadar(O)
                     (lcar(lcdr(lcar(O))))
#define
         lcaddr(O)
                     (lcar(lcdr(lcdr(O))))
#define
         lcdaar(O)
                     (lcdr(lcar(lcar(O))))
#define
         lcdadr(O)
                     (lcdr(lcdr(O)))
#define
         lcddar(O)
                     (lcdr(lcdr(lcar(O))))
#define
         lcdddr(O)
                     (lcdr(lcdr(lcdr(O))))
#define
         lcaaaar(O)
                      (lcar(lcar(lcar(lcar(O)))))
#define
         lcaaadr(O)
                      (lcar(lcar(lcdr(O)))))
                      (lcar(lcdr(lcdr(lcar(O)))))
#define
         lcaadar(O)
#define
         lcaaddr(O)
                      (lcar(lcdr(lcdr(O)))))
#define
          lcadaar(O)
                      (lcar(lcdr(lcar(lcar(O)))))
#define
                      (lcar(lcdr(lcdr(O)))))
          lcadadr(O)
#define
          lcaddar(O)
                      (lcar(lcdr(lcdr(lcar(O)))))
#define
         lcadddr(O)
                      (lcar(lcdr(lcdr(lcdr(O)))))
#define
         lcdaaar(O)
                      (lcdr(lcar(lcar(lcar(O)))))
#define
         lcdaadr(O)
                      (lcdr(lcar(lcdr(O)))))
         lcdadar(O)
                      (lcdr(lcar(lcdr(lcar(O)))))
#define
         lcdaddr(O)
                      (lcdr(lcdr(lcdr(O)))))
#define
                      (lcdr(lcdr(lcar(lcar(O)))))
#define
          lcddaar(O)
                      (lcdr(lcdr(lcdr(lcdr(O)))))
#define
          lcddadr(O)
#define
         lcdddar(O)
                      (lcdr(lcdr(lcdr(lcar(O)))))
#define lcdddr(O)
                     (lcdr(lcdr(lcdr(lcdr(O)))))
```

22 SEGMENTS LOSSLESS §44

44. Segments. Memory can be allocated in any size (plus overhead) in a segment. A segment is allocated in two parts, the allocated memory itself and an atom on the heap to refer to it.

If the allocation is small enough and the object it's being allocated for permits it (eg. it has no particular memory alignment requirements) then the storage for the segment will be within the atom itself. This is used especially for short symbols and text.

The address of the allocation is referenced by a pointer object. This object is the atom on the heap that contains the allocation's address¹ and owing to the nature of the heap only half of the atom is needed — the other half is a "spare" datum that segment-like objects can use if necessary or helpful.

```
#define pointer(O) ((void *) lcar(O))
\#define pointer\_datum(O) (lcdr(O))
#define pointer\_erase\_m(O) (lcar\_set\_m((O), (cell) \Lambda))
\#define pointer\_set\_datum\_m(O, D) (lcdr\_set\_m((O), (cell)(D)))
#define pointer\_set\_m(O, D) (lcar\_set\_m((O), (cell)(D)))
\#define segint_p(O) (segment_intern_p(O))
\#define segint\_address(O) (segint\_base(O) \rightarrow buffer)
#define segint\_base(O) ((Ointern *)(O))
           segint\_header(O) \quad ((\mathbf{long}) \ 0)
#define
\#define segint\_length(O) ((long) segint\_base(O) \neg length)
\textit{\#define} \ \ \textit{segint\_set\_length\_m}(O, V) \ \ (\textit{segint\_base}(O) \neg \textit{length} \leftarrow (V))
#define
          segint\_owner(O) (O)
\#define seqint\_stride(O) ((long) 1)
\#define segbuf\_base(O) ((Osegment *) pointer(O))
\#define segbuf\_address(O) (segbuf\_base(O) \neg address)
\#define segbuf\_header(O) (segbuf\_base(O) \neg header)
\#define segbuf\_length(O) (segbuf\_base(O) \neg length)
#define segbuf\_next(O) (segbuf\_base(O) \neg next)
\#define segbuf\_owner(O) (segbuf\_base(O) \neg owner)
                                                             /* \equiv O */
#define segbuf\_prev(O) (segbuf\_base(O) \neg prev)
\#define segbuf\_stride(O) (segbuf\_base(O) \neg stride ? segbuf\_base(O) \neg stride : 1)
\#define segment\_address(O) (segint\_p(O)? segint\_address(O): segbuf\_address(O))
\#define segment\_base(O) (segint\_p(O)? segint\_base(O): segbuf\_base(O))
\# \mathbf{define} \quad segment\_header(O) \quad (segint\_p(O) \ ? \ segint\_header(O) : segbuf\_header(O))
\#define segment\_length(O) (segint\_p(O)? segint\_length(O): segbuf\_length(O))
\#define segment\_owner(O) (segint\_p(O)? segint\_owner(O): segbuf\_owner(O))
\#define segment\_stride(O) (segint\_p(O)? segint\_stride(O): segbuf\_stride(O))
#define segment\_set\_owner\_m(O, N) do
            assert(pointer_p(O));
            seqbuf\_owner(O) \leftarrow (N);
         while (0)
\langle \text{Type definitions } 6 \rangle + \equiv
                             /* Must remain pointer-aligned. */
  struct Osegment {
                                             /* Linked list of all allocated segments. */
    struct Osegment *next, *prev;
                              /* Notably absent: header size & alignment. */
    half length, stride;
                     /* The referencing atom; cleared and re-set during garbage collection. */
    char address[];
                         /* Base address of the available space (occupies no header space). */
  typedef struct Osegment Osegment;
```

¹ If LossLess ever needs plain pointers the same atomic structure with a new format will be used.

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45. The process-wide global list of every allocated segment. As soon as memory is successfully allocated it's added to this list. When scanning for live objects during garbage collection fails to re-set the owner (which have all been set to NIL prior to scanning) this list can be scanned for unused allocations to release.

```
⟨Global variables 15⟩ +≡
shared Osegment *Allocations ← Λ;
46. ⟨Function declarations 21⟩ +≡
Osegment *segment_alloc_imp(Osegment *,long,long,long,long,sigjmp_buf *);
cell segment_init(Osegment *,cell);
cell segment_new_imp(Oheap *,long,long,long,long,Otag,sigjmp_buf *);
void segment_release_imp(Osegment *,bool);
void segment_release_m(cell,bool);
cell segment_resize_m(cell,long,long,sigjmp_buf *);
```

24 SEGMENTS LOSSLESS §47

47. The memory underlying an allocated segment is obtained through segment_alloc or its imp. The header size is -1 if the length and stride together define the size to be allocated including the segment's own header (this allows heap pages to (easily) be exactly one operating system page).

If the stride value is zero then the real stride to calculate with is one but zero is stored to indicate that if the segment is subsequently reduced in size enough it can be interned.

The rather unpleasant looking test before aborting with LERR_OOM takes advantage of flagged arithmetic if the C compiler allows for it. Flagged arithmetic uses the flags variously raised after actually performing CPU arithmetic to detect overflow and carry rather than defensively checking that the operands are within range prior to each operation. After removing the noise the function performed appears as $size \leftarrow sizeof(Osegment) + header + (length * stride)$.

If the allocation is new then it's inserted at the end of the Allocations list.

TODO: These arguments should be **size_t** type.

```
#define segment\_alloc(H, L, S, A, F) segment\_alloc\_imp(\Lambda, (H), (L), (S), (A), (F))
  Osegment *segment_alloc_imp(Osegment *old, long header, long length, long stride,
               long align, sigjmp_buf *failure)
      long cstride;
      size_t size;
      Osegment *r;
      assert(header > -1 \land length > 0 \land stride > 0);
      if (header \equiv -1) \ header \leftarrow -sizeof(Osegment);
      assert(old \equiv \Lambda \vee stride \equiv old \neg stride);
      assert(align \equiv 0 \lor old \equiv \Lambda);
      cstride \leftarrow stride ? stride : 1;
      if (length > \texttt{HALF\_MAX} \lor stride > \texttt{HALF\_MAX} \lor
                ckd_{-}mul(\&size, length, cstride) \lor
                ckd\_add(\&size, size, header) \lor ckd\_add(\&size, size, \mathbf{sizeof}(\mathbf{Osegment})))
         siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_OOM);
      r \leftarrow mem\_alloc(old, size, align, failure);
      r \rightarrow length \leftarrow length;
      if (old \equiv \Lambda) {
         r \rightarrow stride \leftarrow stride;
         r \rightarrow owner \leftarrow \text{NIL};
      if (Allocations \equiv \Lambda) Allocations \leftarrow r \rightarrow next \leftarrow r \rightarrow prev \leftarrow r;
         r \rightarrow next \leftarrow Allocations;
         r \rightarrow prev \leftarrow Allocations \rightarrow prev;
         Allocations \neg prev \neg next \leftarrow r;
         Allocations \neg prev \leftarrow r;
      return r;
```

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48. In most cases segment allocations are made by this function which includes the support for creating an interned segment or it allocates the memory and returns a new atom pointing to it.

TODO: These arguments should (probably) not be $\mathbf{size_t}$ but they should probably not be \mathbf{long} either.

```
\#define segment\_new(H, L, S, A, F) segment\_new.imp(Theap, (H), (L), (S), (A), FORM\_SEGMENT, (F))
  cell segment_new_imp(Oheap *heap, long header, long length, long stride, long align, Otag ntag,
             sigjmp_buf *failure)
  {
     \mathbf{cell} \ r;
     long total;
     Osegment *s;
     assert(stride \geq 0);
     assert(ntag \neq FORM\_NONE);
     if (ckd_add(&total, header, length)) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_LIMIT);
     if (stride \equiv 0 \land total \leq INTERN_BYTES) {
        assert(ntag \equiv FORM\_SEGMENT);
        r \leftarrow atom(heap, \texttt{NIL}, \texttt{NIL}, \texttt{FORM\_SEGMENT\_INTERN}, failure);
        segint\_set\_length\_m(r, length);
        return r;
     Tmp\_ier \leftarrow atom(heap, NIL, NIL, FORM\_PAIR, failure);
     s \leftarrow segment\_alloc(header, length, stride, align, failure);
     TAG\_SET\_M(Tmp\_ier, ntag);
     ATOM\_TO\_ATOM(Tmp\_ier) \rightarrow sin \leftarrow (cell) s;
     s \rightarrow owner \leftarrow Tmp\_ier;
     Tmp\_ier \leftarrow \texttt{NIL};
     return s \rightarrow owner;
```

49. When a segment is going to be used as a heap it may not be able to allocate the pointer to it on an existing heap so the memory and atom are allocated directly and *segment_init* sets up their attributes correctly.

```
 \begin{array}{l} \textbf{cell} \ segment\_init(\textbf{Osegment} \ *seg, \textbf{cell} \ container) \\ \{ \\ assert(\neg special\_p(container)); \\ seg \neg owner \leftarrow container; \\ \texttt{ATOM\_TO\_TAG}(container) \leftarrow \texttt{FORM\_HEAP}; \\ \texttt{ATOM\_TO\_ATOM}(container) \neg sin \leftarrow (\textbf{cell}) \ seg; \\ \texttt{ATOM\_TO\_ATOM}(container) \neg dex \leftarrow \texttt{NIL}; \\ \textbf{return} \ container; \\ \} \end{array}
```

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50. A segment can be resized by passing it as an argument to <code>segment_alloc_imp</code>. If the segment was and remains interned then the stored length is simply updated or if the segment was and remains allocated then the allocation is resized.

If a segment changes to/from being interned then a new allocation is requested and the relevant data copied.

```
cell segment_resize_m(cell o, long header, long delta, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     Osegment *new, *old;
     long i, nlength, nstride;
     cell r \leftarrow \text{NIL};
     sigjmp_buf cleanup;
     Verror reason \leftarrow LERR_NONE;
     assert(segment_p(o) \lor arraylike_p(o));
     assert(delta \ge -segment\_length(o));
     if (ckd\_add(\&nlength, segment\_length(o), delta)) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_OOM);
     if (segment\_intern\_p(o) \land nlength \leq INTERN\_BYTES) {
        segint\_set\_length\_m(o, nlength);
        return o;
     else if ((arraylike\_p(o) \lor segment\_stored\_p(o)) \land (segbuf\_base(o) \neg stride \lor nlength > INTERN\_BYTES))
        old \leftarrow segbuf\_base(o);
        nstride \leftarrow segment\_stride(o);
        segment\_release\_m(o, false);
        new \leftarrow segment\_alloc\_imp(old, header, nlength, nstride, 0, failure);
        pointer\_set\_m(o, new);
        return o;
     assert(header \equiv 0);
     assert(segment\_stride(o) \equiv 0);
     assert(null\_p(Tmp\_ier));
     Tmp\_ier \leftarrow o:
     \textbf{if} \ (\textit{failure\_p}(\textit{reason} \leftarrow \textit{sigsetjmp}(\textit{cleanup}, 1))) \ \textit{unwind}(\textit{failure}, \textit{reason}, \textit{true}, 0);\\
     r \leftarrow segment\_new(0, nlength, 0, 0, \&cleanup);
     if (segment\_length(Tmp\_ier) < nlength) nlength \leftarrow segment\_length(Tmp\_ier);
     for (i \leftarrow 0; i < nlength; i++) segment_address(r)[i] \leftarrow segment_address(Tmp_ier)[i];
     Tmp\_ier \leftarrow \texttt{NIL};
     return r;
  }
51. When a segment is released explicitly the pointer to it which is in its heap atom is erased to avoid
the possibility of using deallocated memory.
  void segment_release_m(cell o, bool reclaim)
                                  /* Useful objects piggy-back on segments. */
     assert(pointer\_p(o));
     segment\_release\_imp(pointer(o), reclaim);
```

 $pointer_erase_m(o);$

}

/* For safety. */

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52. When a segment is released by the garbage collector its heap atom has already been lost so it calls the release imp directly to remove the segment from the *Allocations* list and reclaim the underlying storage.

```
 \begin{array}{l} \textbf{void} \ segment\_release\_imp(\textbf{Osegment} \ *o, \textbf{bool} \ reclaim) \\ \{ \\ \textbf{if} \ (o \equiv Allocations) \ Allocations \leftarrow o \neg next; \\ \textbf{if} \ (o \neg next \equiv o) \ Allocations \leftarrow \Lambda; \\ \textbf{else} \ o \neg prev \neg next \leftarrow o \neg next, o \neg next \neg prev \leftarrow o \neg prev; \\ o \neg next \leftarrow o \neg prev \leftarrow o; \ \ /* \ For \ safety. \ */ \\ \textbf{if} \ (reclaim) \ free (o); \\ \} \end{array}
```

28 REGISTERS LOSSLESS §53

53. Registers. To collect unused memory the garbage collector recursively scans the descendents of every live atom. An atom is considered live if it is referenced by an atom held in a *register*. **LossLess** defines a number of registers for various purposes which are explained as they are introduced.

```
enum {
    LGCR_TMPSIN, LGCR_TMPDEX, LGCR_TMPIER,
    LGCR_NULL,
    LGCR_SYMBUFFER, LGCR_SYMTABLE,
    LGCR_STACK,
    LGCR_PROTECT_0, LGCR_PROTECT_1, LGCR_PROTECT_2, LGCR_PROTECT_3,
    LGCR_EXPRESSION, LGCR_ENVIRONMENT, LGCR_ACCUMULATOR, LGCR_ARGUMENTS, LGCR_CLINK,
    LGCR_OPERATORS,
    LGCR_USER, LGCR_COUNT
};
```

54. One register which is defined here is the user register which is not used by LossLess for any purpose but is made available by the LossLess library.

```
⟨Global variables 15⟩ +≡
unique cell *Registers [LGCR_COUNT];
shared cell User_Register ← NIL; /* Unused by LossLess — for library users. */
```

55. This list of pointers to the registers is re-initialised once per thread. Probably. The garbage collector updates the pointer if the atom moves.

```
\langle \text{Save register locations 55} \rangle \equiv
  Registers[LGCR\_TMPSIN] \leftarrow \& Tmp\_SIN;
  Registers[LGCR\_TMPDEX] \leftarrow \& Tmp\_DEX;
  Registers[LGCR\_TMPIER] \leftarrow \& Tmp\_ier;
  Registers[LGCR_NULL] \leftarrow \& Null\_Array;
  Registers[LGCR\_SYMBUFFER] \leftarrow \&Symbol\_Buffer;
  Registers[LGCR\_SYMTABLE] \leftarrow \&Symbol\_Table;
  Registers[LGCR\_STACK] \leftarrow \&Stack;
  Registers[LGCR\_PROTECT\_0] \leftarrow Protect + 0;
  Registers[LGCR\_PROTECT\_1] \leftarrow Protect + 1;
  Registers[LGCR\_PROTECT\_2] \leftarrow Protect + 2;
  Registers[LGCR\_PROTECT\_3] \leftarrow Protect + 3;
  Registers[LGCR\_EXPRESSION] \leftarrow \&Expression;
  Registers[LGCR\_ENVIRONMENT] \leftarrow \&Environment;
  Registers[LGCR\_ACCUMULATOR] \leftarrow \&Accumulator;
  Registers[LGCR\_ARGUMENTS] \leftarrow \&Arguments;
  Registers[LGCR\_CLINK] \leftarrow \& Control\_Link;
  Registers[LGCR\_OPERATORS] \leftarrow \&Root;
  Registers[LGCR\_USER] \leftarrow \& User\_Register;
This code is used in section 333.
```

56. Garbage Collection. LossLess includes two garbage collectors. A small, simple but moderately slow mark-and-sweep collector and a larger and more complicated but faster compacting collector.

When the compacting collector moves a live atom it's replaced with a *collected* atom, sometimes called a tombstone, so that references to it can be correctly updated. This object does not show up outside the garbage collector.

```
\#define collected\_datum(O) (lcar(O))
#define collected\_set\_datum\_m(O, V) (lcar\_set\_m((O), (V)))
\langle Function declarations 21\rangle +\equiv
  size_t gc_compacting(Oheap *, bool);
  void gc_disown_segments(Oheap *);
  cell gc_mark(Oheap *, cell, bool, cell *, size_t *);
  size_t gc_reclaim_heap(Oheap *);
  void gc_release_segments(Oheap *);
  size_t gc_sweeping(Oheap *, bool);
57. To collect a heap by sweeping up the unused atoms
  size_t gc_sweeping(Oheap *heap, bool segments)
     size_t count, remain;
     int i;
     Oatom *a;
     Oheap *p;
     assert((heap \equiv Theap) \lor ((Sheap \neq NIL) \land (heap \equiv Sheap)));
     count \leftarrow remain \leftarrow 0;
     p \leftarrow heap;
     while (p \neq \Lambda) {
        remain += HEAP\_LENGTH;
        p \leftarrow p \neg next;
     if (segments) gc\_disown\_segments(heap);
     for (i \leftarrow 0; i < LGCR\_COUNT; i++)
        if (\neg special\_p(*Registers[i])) *Registers[i] \leftarrow gc\_mark(heap, *Registers[i], false, \Lambda, \&count);
     p \leftarrow heap;
     while (p \neq \Lambda) {
        a \leftarrow \texttt{HEAP\_TO\_LAST}(p);
        p \neg free \leftarrow (\mathbf{Oatom} \ *) \ \mathtt{NIL};
        for (i \leftarrow 0; i < \texttt{HEAP\_LENGTH}; i \leftrightarrow) {
           if (ATOM\_LIVE\_P(a)) ATOM\_CLEAR\_LIVE\_M(a);
           else {
             ATOM\_TO\_TAG(a) \leftarrow FORM\_NONE;
             a \rightarrow sin \leftarrow NIL;
             a \rightarrow dex \leftarrow (\mathbf{cell}) \ p \rightarrow free;
             p \rightarrow free \leftarrow a;
        p \leftarrow p \neg next;
     count += gc\_reclaim\_heap(heap);
     if (segments) gc_release_segments(heap);
     return remain - count;
```

58.

```
size_t gc_compacting(Oheap *heap, bool segments)
      size_t count, remain;
      int i;
      Oheap *last, *p;
      assert((heap \equiv Theap) \lor ((Sheap \neq NIL) \land (heap \equiv Sheap)));
      count \leftarrow remain \leftarrow 0;
      p \leftarrow heap;
      while (p \neq \Lambda) {
         last \leftarrow p;
         remain += HEAP_LENGTH;
         p \rightarrow pair \rightarrow pair \leftarrow \Lambda;
         p \leftarrow p \neg next;
      if (segments) gc\_disown\_segments(heap);
      for (i \leftarrow 0; i < LGCR\_COUNT; i++)
         if (\neg special\_p(Registers[i])) *Registers[i] \leftarrow gc\_mark(last, *Registers[i], true, \Lambda, \& count);
      count += gc\_reclaim\_heap(heap);
      if (segments) gc_release_segments(heap);
      p \leftarrow last;
      while (p \neq \Lambda) {
         p \rightarrow pair \rightarrow free \leftarrow \texttt{HEAP\_TO\_LAST}(p \rightarrow pair);
         for (i \leftarrow 0; i < \text{HEAP\_LENGTH}; i--) {
            ATOM\_TO\_TAG(--p \rightarrow pair \rightarrow free) \leftarrow FORM\_NONE;
               /* warning: operation on p \rightarrow pair \rightarrow free may be undefined */
            p \rightarrow pair \rightarrow free \rightarrow sin \leftarrow p \rightarrow pair \rightarrow free \rightarrow dex \leftarrow NIL;
         heap \leftarrow p;
         p \leftarrow p \neg next;
      if (heap \equiv Theap) Theap \leftarrow last;
      else Sheap \leftarrow last;
      return remain - count;
   }
59.
        size_t gc_reclaim_heap(Oheap *heap)
   {
      \mathbf{size\_t} \ count \leftarrow 0;
      Oheap *h;
      do {
         h \leftarrow heap;
         while (1) {
            segment\_init(HEAP\_TO\_SEGMENT(h), heap\_alloc(heap, \Lambda));
            count ++;
            if (h \rightarrow next \equiv \Lambda) break;
            h \leftarrow h \neg next;
      } while (h \neg pair \neq \Lambda \land (h \equiv Theap \lor h \equiv Sheap));
      return count;
```

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```
60. TODO: Use heap to determine whether this segment might be owned by another heap.
  void gc_disown_segments(Oheap *heapLunused)
    Osegment *s;
    s \leftarrow Allocations;
    while (1) {
      \Lambda)) s \rightarrow owner \leftarrow NIL;
      if ((s \leftarrow s \neg next) \equiv Allocations) break;
  }
61. TODO: Split in two? Rename?
  \mathbf{void} \ \mathit{gc\_release\_segments}(\mathbf{Oheap} \ *\mathit{heap} \mathbf{Lunused})
    Osegment *s, *n;
    s \leftarrow Allocations;
    while (1) {
      n \leftarrow s \neg next;
      if (null\_p(s \neg owner)) segment\_release\_imp(s, true);
      if (n \equiv Allocations) break;
      s \leftarrow n;
  }
```

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```
#define atom\_saved\_p(O) (ATOM_TO_HEAP(O)¬pair \equiv \Lambda)
  cell gc_mark(Oheap *heap, cell next, bool compacting, cell *cycles, size_t *remain)
     bool remember;
     cell copied, parent, tmp;
     long i;
     remember \leftarrow (cycles \neq \Lambda \land \neg null\_p(*cycles));
     parent \leftarrow tmp \leftarrow \texttt{NIL};
     while (1) {
       if (\neg special\_p(next) \land \neg ATOM\_LIVE\_P(next)) {
          (*remain)++;
          ATOM\_SET\_LIVE\_M(next);
          if (\neg compacting) copied \leftarrow next;
          else \{\langle \text{Move the atom to a new heap } 63 \rangle\}
          if (pointer\_p(next)) segment\_set\_owner\_m(next, copied);
          else if (primitive\_p(next)) Iprimitive[primitive(next)].box \leftarrow next;
          next \leftarrow copied;
          \mathbf{if} \ (\texttt{ATOM\_SIN\_DATUM\_P}(next) \land \\
               ATOM_DEX_DATUM_P(next)) {\langle Mark \text{ the car of a pair-like atom } 68 \rangle }
          else if (ATOM_SIN_DATUM_P(next)) { Begin marking a sin-ward atom 64 }
          else if (ATOM_DEX_DATUM_P(next)) { Begin marking a dex-ward atom 66 }}
          else if (arraylike_p(next)) { Begin marking an array 71 }}
       else if (special_p(parent)) break;
       else if (ATOM\_SIN\_DATUM\_P(parent) \land ATOM\_DEX\_DATUM\_P(parent)) {
          if (ATOM\_MORE\_P(parent)) {\langle Continue marking a pair-like atom 69 \rangle }
          else {\langle Finish marking a pair-like atom 70 \rangle }
       else if (ATOM_SIN_DATUM_P(parent)) {\langle Finish marking a sin-ward atom 65 \rangle }
       else if (ATOM_DEX_DATUM_P(parent)) {\langle Finish marking a dex-ward atom 67\rangle}
       else if (arraylike_p(parent)) {
          i \leftarrow array\_progress(parent);
          if (i < array\_length(parent) - 1) {\langle Continue marking an array 72 \rangle}
          else {\langle Finish marking an array 73 \rangle }
       else next \leftarrow parent;
     if (collected\_p(next)) next \leftarrow collected\_datum(next);
     return next;
  }
     \langle Move the atom to a new heap 63 \rangle \equiv
                                          /* TODO: Move last as the tail fills up? */
  copied \leftarrow heap\_alloc(heap, \Lambda);
  *ATOM_TO_ATOM(copied) \leftarrow *ATOM_TO_ATOM(next);
  TAG\_SET\_M(copied, form(next));
                                            /* Without GC flags. */
  collected\_set\_datum\_m(next, copied);
  TAG_SET_M(next, FORM_COLLECTED);
This code is used in section 62.
```

```
64. \langle Begin marking a sin-ward atom 64 \rangle \equiv
   tmp \leftarrow \texttt{ATOM\_TO\_ATOM}(next) \neg sin;
                                                   /* Unlive or recursive. */
   if (remember \land \neg special\_p(tmp) \land \texttt{ATOM\_LIVE\_P}(tmp)) \ gc\_serial(*cycles, tmp);
   ATOM\_TO\_ATOM(next) \rightarrow sin \leftarrow parent;
   parent \leftarrow next;
   next \leftarrow tmp;
This code is used in section 62.
65. \langle Finish marking a sin-ward atom \rangle \equiv
   tmp \leftarrow parent;
   parent \leftarrow ATOM\_TO\_ATOM(tmp) \neg sin;
   if (collected\_p(next)) next \leftarrow collected\_datum(next);
   \texttt{ATOM\_TO\_ATOM}(tmp) \neg sin \leftarrow next;
   next \leftarrow tmp;
This code is used in section 62.
66. \langle \text{Begin marking a dex-ward atom 66} \rangle \equiv
   tmp \leftarrow \texttt{ATOM\_TO\_ATOM}(next) \neg dex;
                                                    /* Unlive or recursive. */
   \textbf{if} \ (\textit{remember} \land \neg \textit{special\_p}(\textit{tmp}) \land \texttt{ATOM\_LIVE\_P}(\textit{tmp})) \ \textit{gc\_serial}(*\textit{cycles}, \textit{tmp});\\
   ATOM\_TO\_ATOM(next) \rightarrow dex \leftarrow parent;
   parent \leftarrow next;
   next \leftarrow tmp;
This code is used in section 62.
67. \langle Finish marking a dex-ward atom 67 \rangle \equiv
   tmp \leftarrow parent;
   parent \leftarrow ATOM\_TO\_ATOM(tmp) \rightarrow dex;
   if (collected\_p(next)) next \leftarrow collected\_datum(next);
   ATOM\_TO\_ATOM(tmp) \rightarrow dex \leftarrow next;
   next \leftarrow tmp;
This code is used in section 62.
68. \langle Mark the car of a pair-like atom 68 \rangle \equiv
   ATOM\_SET\_MORE\_M(next);
   tmp \leftarrow \texttt{ATOM\_TO\_ATOM}(next) \rightarrow sin;
                                                      /* Unlive or recursive. */
   if (remember \land \neg special\_p(tmp) \land \texttt{ATOM\_LIVE\_P}(tmp)) \ gc\_serial(*cycles, tmp);
   ATOM\_TO\_ATOM(next) \rightarrow sin \leftarrow parent;
   parent \leftarrow next;
   next \leftarrow tmp;
This code is used in section 62.
69. Leave parent alone so we come back to this object after completing dex.
\langle Continue marking a pair-like atom 69\rangle \equiv
   ATOM_CLEAR_MORE_M(parent);
                                                         /* Unlive or recursive. */
   tmp \leftarrow \texttt{ATOM\_TO\_ATOM}(parent) \neg dex;
   if (remember \land \neg special\_p(tmp) \land \texttt{ATOM\_LIVE\_P}(tmp)) gc\_serial(*cycles, tmp);
   ATOM\_TO\_ATOM(parent) \rightarrow dex \leftarrow ATOM\_TO\_ATOM(parent) \rightarrow sin;
   if (collected_p(next)) next \leftarrow collected_datum(next);
   ATOM\_TO\_ATOM(parent) \rightarrow sin \leftarrow next;
   next \leftarrow tmp;
This code is used in section 62.
```

```
70. \langle Finish marking a pair-like atom 70 \rangle \equiv
  tmp \leftarrow \texttt{ATOM\_TO\_ATOM}(parent) \neg dex;
  if (collected\_p(next)) next \leftarrow collected\_datum(next);
  \texttt{ATOM\_TO\_ATOM}(parent) \neg dex \leftarrow next;
  next \leftarrow parent;
  parent \leftarrow tmp;
This code is used in section 62.
71. \langle \text{Begin marking an array 71} \rangle \equiv
  i \leftarrow 0;
  if (array\_length(next) > 0) {
     ATOM\_SET\_MORE\_M(next);
     array\_set\_progress\_m(next, i);
                                           /* Unlive or recursive. */
     tmp \leftarrow array\_ref(next, i);
     if (remember \land \neg special\_p(tmp) \land ATOM\_LIVE\_P(tmp)) gc\_serial(*cycles, tmp);
     array\_set\_m(next, i, parent);
     parent \leftarrow next;
     next \leftarrow tmp;
This code is used in section 62.
72. \langle Continue marking an array 72 \rangle \equiv
  assert(ATOM_MORE_P(parent)); /* Not actually useful for arrays. */
  tmp \leftarrow array\_ref(parent, i); /* Unlive or recursive. */
  if (remember \land \neg special\_p(tmp) \land \texttt{ATOM\_LIVE\_P}(tmp)) \ gc\_serial(*cycles, tmp);
  array\_set\_m(parent, i, array\_ref(parent, i - 1));
  if (collected\_p(next)) next \leftarrow collected\_datum(next);
  array\_set\_m(parent, i-1, next);
  next \leftarrow tmp;
  array\_set\_progress\_m(parent, i);
This code is used in section 62.
       \langle Finish marking an array 73 \rangle \equiv
  ATOM_CLEAR_MORE_M(parent);
  tmp \leftarrow array\_ref(parent, i);
  \mathbf{if} \ (\mathit{collected\_p}(\mathit{next})) \ \mathit{next} \leftarrow \mathit{collected\_datum}(\mathit{next});
  array\_set\_m(parent, i, next);
  next \leftarrow parent;
  parent \leftarrow tmp;
This code is used in section 62.
```

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74. Structural Data. Two arrangements of memory available to LossLess have been introduced, fixed-size atoms and dynamically-sized segments. An atom without further specialisation is a standard pair for which a complete API is already available. This section describe formats which combine these into various useful structures.

Owing to its ubiquitous presence and aided by being at the top of the alphabet the first of these will be arrays.

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```
75.
       Arrays.
\langle Global variables 15\rangle + \equiv
  shared cell Null\_Array \leftarrow NIL;
      \langle \text{External symbols } 16 \rangle + \equiv
  extern shared cell Null_Array;
77. \langle \text{Initialise storage } 35 \rangle + \equiv
  Null\_Array \leftarrow array\_new\_imp(0, NIL, FORM\_ARRAY, failure);
78.
\#define array\_progress(O) (fix\_value(pointer\_datum(O)))
#define array\_set\_progress\_m(O, V) (pointer\_set\_datum\_m((O), fix(V)))
\#define array\_length(O) (segment\_length(O))
\#define array\_address(O) ((cell *) segment\_address(O))
\langle Function declarations 21\rangle + \equiv
  cell array_new_imp(long, cell, Otag, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell array_grow(cell, long, cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell array_grow_m(cell, long, cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell array_ref(cell, long);
  void array_set_m(cell, long, cell);
      #define array\_new(L, F) ((L) \equiv 0? Null\_Array: array\_new\_imp((L), NIL, FORM\_ARRAY, (F)))
  cell array_new_imp(long length, cell fill, Otag ntag, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     \mathbf{cell} \ r;
     long i;
     sigjmp_buf cleanup;
     Verror reason \leftarrow LERR_NONE;
     assert(length \geq 0);
     assert(null\_p(Tmp\_ier));
     \textbf{if} \ (\textit{failure\_p}(\textit{reason} \leftarrow \textit{sigsetjmp}(\textit{cleanup}, 1))) \ \textit{unwind}(\textit{failure}, \textit{reason}, \textit{true}, 0);\\
     Tmp\_ier \leftarrow fill;
                           /* Safe because segment_new_imp won't use Tmp_ier. */
     r \leftarrow segment\_new\_imp(Theap, 0, length, sizeof(cell), sizeof(cell), ntaq, & cleanup);
     if (defined_p(Tmp\_ier) \land length > 0) {
        array\_set\_m(r, 0, Tmp\_ier);
        for (i \leftarrow 1; i < length; i++) array\_address(r)[i] \leftarrow array\_address(r)[0];
     Tmp\_ier \leftarrow \texttt{NIL};
     return r;
```

§80 Lossless arrays 37

80. I think the interface between this and *segment_resize_m* kept growing bugs which is why they are currently independent.

```
cell array_grow(cell o, long delta, cell fill, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     static int Sobject \leftarrow 1, Sfill \leftarrow 0;
     long i, j, nlength, slength;
     \operatorname{cell} r;
     sigjmp_buf cleanup;
     Verror reason \leftarrow LERR\_NONE;
     assert(arraylike\_p(o) \land o \neq Stack);
     assert(delta \land delta \ge -array\_length(o));
     if (ckd\_add(\&nlength, array\_length(o), delta)) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR\_OOM);
     stack\_protect(1, fill, failure);
     if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) unwind(failure, reason, false, 1);
     r \leftarrow array\_new\_imp(nlength, UNDEFINED, FORM\_ARRAY, \& cleanup);
     slength \leftarrow delta \geq 0? array\_length(SO(Sobject)) : nlength;
     for (i \leftarrow 0; i < slength; i++) array\_set\_m(r, i, array\_ref(SO(Sobject), i));
     if (defined_p(fill)) {
        if (i < nlength) array\_set\_m(r, i, SO(Sfill));
        for (j \leftarrow i+1; j < nlength; j++) array\_address(r)[j] \leftarrow array\_address(r)[i];
     stack\_clear(1);
     return r;
  }
81.
      cell array_grow_m(cell o, long delta, cell fill, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     static int Sfill \leftarrow 0;
                                  /* Also Tmp_ier in case the stack is resizing. */
     bool isstack:
     \mathbf{cell} \ r;
     long i, slength;
     sigjmp_buf cleanup;
     Verror reason \leftarrow LERR_NONE;
     assert(arraylike_p(o));
     assert(delta \land delta \ge -array\_length(o));
     assert(null\_p(Tmp\_ier));
                        /* Safe because Tmp_ier will never be an interned segment. */
     Tmp\_ier \leftarrow o;
     if (\neg(isstack \leftarrow (o \equiv Stack))) stack\_protect(1, fill, failure);
     if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) unwind (failure\_reason\_true\_isstack? 1:0);
     slength \leftarrow array\_length(Tmp\_ier);
     r \leftarrow segment\_resize\_m(Tmp\_ier, sizeof(cell), delta, \&cleanup);
     if (\neg isstack \land delta > 0 \land defined_p(SO(Sfill))) {
        for (i \leftarrow slength; i < array\_length(r); i++)
          if (i \equiv slength) array\_set\_m(r, i, SO(Sfill));
          else array\_address(r)[i] \leftarrow array\_address(r)[slength];
     Tmp\_ier \leftarrow \texttt{NIL};
     if (\neg isstack) stack\_clear(1);
     return r;
```

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```
82. cell array_ref(cell o, long idx)
{
    assert(arraylike_p(o));
    assert(idx ≥ 0 ∧ idx < array_length(o));
    return array_address(o)[idx];
}

83. void array_set_m(cell o, long idx, cell d)
{
    assert(arraylike_p(o));
    assert(idx ≥ 0 ∧ idx < array_length(o));
    assert(defined_p(d));
    array_address(o)[idx] ← d;
}</pre>
```

```
Key-Based Lookup Table. K&R hash function as adapted by pdksh.
\langle \text{Type definitions } 6 \rangle + \equiv
  typedef uint32_t Vhash;
      \langle Function declarations 21\rangle + \equiv
  Vhash hash_cstr(char *, long *, sigjmp_buf *);
  Vhash hash_buffer(char *, long, sigjmp_buf *);
      Vhash hash_cstr(char *buf, long *length, sigjmp_buf *failure)
86.
  {
     Vhash r \leftarrow 0;
     char *p \leftarrow buf;
     while (*p \neq ' \setminus 0')
       if (Interrupt) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_INTERRUPT);
       else r \leftarrow 33 * r + (unsigned char)(*p++);
     *length \leftarrow p - buf;
     return r;
87. Interned symbols call this with NULL but are small so it's safe to ignore interrupts.
  \mathbf{Vhash}\ \mathit{hash\_buffer}(\mathbf{char}\ *\mathit{buf}, \mathbf{long}\ \mathit{length}, \mathbf{sigjmp\_buf}\ *\mathit{failure})
     Vhash r \leftarrow 0;
     long i;
     assert(length \ge 0);
     for (i \leftarrow 0; i < length; i++)
       if (Interrupt \land failure \neq \Lambda) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR\_INTERRUPT);
       else r \leftarrow 33 * r + (unsigned char)(*buf ++);
     return r;
  }
      Maybe store meta-tuple's length in segment's other "unused" field, stride.
#define KEYTABLE_MINLENGTH 8
#define KEYTABLE_MAXLENGTH (INT_MAX \gg 1)
\#define keytable\_free(O) (null\_array\_p(O)? 0: fix\_value(array\_ref((O), array\_length(O) - 1)))
#define keytable\_free\_p(O) (keytable\_free(O) > 0)
#define keytable\_length(O) (null\_array\_p(O)? (long) 0 : array\_length(O) - 1)
\#define keytable\_ref(O,I) (array\_ref((O),(I)))
\#define keytable\_set\_free\_m(O, V) (array\_set\_m((O), array\_length(O) - 1, fix(V)))
\langle Function declarations 21\rangle +\equiv
  \mathbf{cell}\ keytable\_new(\mathbf{long}, \mathbf{sigjmp\_buf}\ *);
  cell keytable_enlarge_m(cell, Vhash(*)(cell, sigjmp_buf *), sigjmp_buf *);
  void keytable_remove_m(cell, long);
  void keytable_save_m(cell, long, cell);
  int keytable_search(cell, Vhash, int(*)(cell, void *, sigjmp_buf *), void *, sigjmp_buf *);
```

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```
cell keytable_new(long length, sigjmp_buf *failure)
  {
     \operatorname{cell} r;
     long f;
     assert(length > 0);
     if (length > KEYTABLE_MAXLENGTH) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_LIMIT);
     else if (length \equiv 0) f \leftarrow 0;
     else if (length \leq \texttt{KEYTABLE\_MINLENGTH}) f \leftarrow (length \leftarrow \texttt{KEYTABLE\_MINLENGTH}) - 1;
     else f \leftarrow (7 * (length \leftarrow 1 \ll (high\_bit(length) - 1)))/10;
     if (length \equiv 0) return Null\_Array;
     r \leftarrow array\_new\_imp(length + 1, \texttt{NIL}, \texttt{FORM\_KEYTABLE}, failure);
     keytable\_set\_free\_m(r, f);
     return r;
  }
       cell keytable_enlarge_m(cell o, Vhash(*hashfn)(cell, sigjmp_buf *), sigjmp_buf *failure)
90.
     static int Sobject \leftarrow 1, Sret \leftarrow 0;
     cell r \leftarrow \texttt{NIL}, \ s;
     long i, j, nlength;
     long nfree;
     Vhash nhash;
     sigjmp_buf cleanup;
     Verror reason \leftarrow LERR\_NONE;
     assert(keytable_p(o));
     nlength \leftarrow keytable\_length(o);
     if (nlength \ge (INT\_MAX \gg 2)) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR\_LIMIT);
     if (nlength \equiv 0) nlength \leftarrow \texttt{KEYTABLE\_MINLENGTH};
     else nlength \ll = 1;
     stack_protect(2, o, NIL, failure);
     if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) unwind(failure, reason, false, 2);
     SS(Sret, r \leftarrow keytable\_new(nlength, \&cleanup));
     nfree \leftarrow (7 * nlength)/10;
                                         /* |70%| */
     for (i \leftarrow 0; i < keytable\_length(SO(Sobject)); i++)
        if (Interrupt) siglongjmp (cleanup, LERR_INTERRUPT);
        else if (\neg null\_p((s \leftarrow array\_ref(SO(Sobject), i)))) {
          nhash \leftarrow hashfn(s, \&cleanup);
          for (j \leftarrow nhash \% nlength; \neg null\_p(keytable\_ref(r, j)); j--)
             if (j \equiv 0) j \leftarrow nlength - 1;
          array\_set\_m(r, j, s);
          nfree --;
     r \leftarrow SO(Sret);
     keytable\_set\_free\_m(r, nfree);
     stack\_clear(2);
     return r;
```

```
91.
      void keytable_save_m(cell o, long idx, cell datum)
  {
     assert(keytable\_p(o));
     assert(idx \ge 0 \land idx < keytable\_length(o));
     assert(keytable\_free\_p(o));
     assert(null\_p(keytable\_ref(o, idx)));
     array\_set\_m(o, idx, datum);
     keytable\_set\_free\_m(o, keytable\_free(o) - 1);
      void keytable_remove_m(cell o, long idx)
92.
     int i, j;
     assert(keytable\_p(o));
     assert(idx \ge 0 \land idx < keytable\_length(o));
     assert(\neg null\_p(keytable\_ref(o,idx)));
     i \leftarrow idx:
     while (1) {
       j \leftarrow i - 1;
       if (j \equiv 0) j \leftarrow keytable\_length(o) - 1;
       array\_set\_m(o, i, array\_ref(o, j));
       if (null\_p(keytable\_ref(o, i))) break;
       i \leftarrow j;
     keytable\_set\_free\_m(o, keytable\_free(o) + 1);
  }
     Return value must not be used if *failure \equiv LERR_MISSING \land keytable_full_p(o).
  int keytable_search(cell o, Vhash hash, int(*match)(cell, void *, sigjmp_buf *), void
             *ctx, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     int p, r;
     assert(keytable\_p(o));
     if (null\_array\_p(o)) return FAIL;
     for (r \leftarrow hash \% keytable\_length(o); \neg null\_p(keytable\_ref(o, r)); r--)  {
       p \leftarrow match(keytable\_ref(o, r), ctx, failure);
       if (p \equiv 0) return r;
       if (r \equiv 0) r \leftarrow keytable\_length(o) - 1;
     return r;
  }
```

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Symbol_Table looks up symbols by hash. symbol_buffer stores TAG_SYMBOL content, Symbols. atom has length/buffer-offset. TAG_SYMBOL_HERE has length in first byte of car, content in rest of car/cdr #define SYMBOL_CHUNK 0x1000 #define SYMBOL_MAX INT_MAX #define SYMBOL_BUFFER_MAX LONG_MAX #define Symbol_Buffer_Length (segment_length(Symbol_Buffer)) #define Symbol_Buffer_Base ((char *) segment_address(Symbol_Buffer)) #define Symbol_Table_Length (keytable_length(Symbol_Table)) #define Symbol_Table_ref(i) (keytable_ref(Symbol_Table, (i))) $\langle \text{Global variables } 15 \rangle + \equiv$ shared cell $Symbol_Buffer \leftarrow NIL$; shared cell $Symbol_Table \leftarrow NIL$: shared int $Symbol_Buffer_Free \leftarrow 0$, $Symbol_Table_Free \leftarrow 0$; \langle Initialise storage 35 $\rangle + \equiv$ $Symbol_Buffer \leftarrow segment_new_imp(Theap, 0, SYMBOL_CHUNK, sizeof(char), 0, FORM_SEGMENT, failure);$ memset(segment_address(Symbol_Buffer), '\0', SYMBOL_CHUNK); /* off-by-many? */ $Symbol_Table \leftarrow keytable_new(0, failure);$ \langle Function declarations 21 $\rangle + \equiv$ int symbol_table_cmp(cell, void *, sigjmp_buf *); long symbol_table_search(Vhash, Osymbol_compare, sigjmp_buf *); Vhash symbol_table_rehash(cell s, sigjmp_buf *); cell symbol_new_buffer(char *, long, sigjmp_buf *); cell symbol_new_imp(Vhash, char *, long, sigjmp_buf *); #define $symint_p(O)$ ($symbol_intern_p(O)$) #define $symint_length(O)$ $(((Ointern *)(O)) \neg length)$ #define $symint_buffer(O)$ (((Ointern *)(O))¬buffer) #define $symint_hash(O)$ $(hash_buffer(symint_buffer(O), symint_length(O), <math>\Lambda))$ #define $symbuf_length(O)$ ((long) lcar(O)) #define $symbuf_set_length_m(O, V)$ $(lcar_set_m((O), (V)))$ #define $symbuf_offset(O)$ ((long) lcdr(O)) #define $symbuf_set_offset_m(O, V)$ $(lcdr_set_m((O), (V)))$ #define $symbuf_store(O)$ ((Osymbol *)(Symbol_Buffer_Base + $symbuf_offset(O)$)) #define $symbuf_buffer(O)$ ($symbuf_store(O) \neg buffer$) #define $symbuf_hash(O)$ $(symbuf_store(O) \neg hash)$ #define $symbol_length(O)$ ($symint_p(O)$? $symint_length(O)$: $symbuf_length(O)$) #define $symbol_buffer(O)$ ($symint_p(O)$)? $symint_buffer(O)$: $symbuf_buffer(O)$) #define $symbol_hash(O)$ ($symint_p(O)$? $symint_hash(O)$: $symbuf_hash(O)$) $\langle \text{Type definitions } 6 \rangle + \equiv$ typedef struct { Vhash hash; **char** buffer[]; } Osymbol; typedef struct { $\mathbf{char} * buf;$

int *length*;

} Osymbol_compare;

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```
98.
      Might need to be made interruptable.
  int symbol_table_cmp(cell sym, void *ctx, sigjmp_buf *failure)
    Osymbol_compare *scmp \leftarrow ctx;
    int i;
    assert(symbol\_p(sym));
    if (symbol\_length(sym) > scmp\neg length) return 1;
    if (symbol\_length(sym) < scmp\neg length) return 1;
    for (i \leftarrow 0; i < scmp \neg length; i++) {
        \textbf{if} \ (\textit{Interrupt}) \ \textbf{siglongjmp} \ (*\textit{failure}, \texttt{LERR\_INTERRUPT}); \\
       if (symbol\_buffer(sym)[i] > scmp¬buf[i]) return 1;
       if (symbol\_buffer(sym)[i] < scmp \neg buf[i]) return 1;
    return 0;
      long symbol_table_search(Vhash hash,Osymbol_compare scmp, sigjmp_buf *failure)
    return keytable_search(Symbol_Table, hash, symbol_table_cmp, &scmp, failure);
100.
      Vhash symbol_table_rehash(cell s, sigjmp_buf *failureLunused)
    Vhash r;
    assert(symbol_{-}p(s));
    r \leftarrow symbol\_hash(s);
    return r;
       #define symbol\_new\_segment(O, F)
         (symbol\_new\_buffer(segment\_address(O), segment\_length(O), (F)))
#define symbol\_new\_const(O) (symbol\_new\_buffer((O), 0, \Lambda))
  cell symbol_new_buffer(char *buf, long length, sigjmp_buf *failure)
    Vhash hash;
    assert(length > 0);
    if (length \equiv 0) hash \leftarrow hash\_cstr(buf, \& length, failure);
    else hash \leftarrow hash\_buffer(buf, length, failure);
    if (length > SYMBOL\_MAX) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR\_LIMIT);
    return symbol_new_imp(hash, buf, length, failure);
```

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```
102. cell symbol_new_imp(Vhash hash, char *buf, long length, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     static int Sret \leftarrow 0;
     cell new, r \leftarrow NIL;
     int boff, i, size, idx;
     Osymbol_compare scmp \leftarrow \{buf, length\};
     sigjmp_buf cleanup;
     Verror reason \leftarrow LERR\_NONE;
     assert(length \geq 0);
  search: idx \leftarrow symbol\_table\_search(hash, scmp, failure);
     if (idx \equiv FAIL \lor (null\_p(keytable\_ref(Symbol\_Table, idx)) \land \neg keytable\_free\_p(Symbol\_Table))) {
        new \leftarrow keytable\_enlarge\_m(Symbol\_Table, symbol\_table\_rehash, failure);
        Symbol\_Table \leftarrow new;
        goto search;
     if (\neg null\_p(keytable\_ref(Symbol\_Table, idx))) return keytable\_ref(Symbol\_Table, idx);
     stack\_reserve(1, failure);
     if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) unwind(failure, reason, false, 1);
     if (length \leq WIDE\_BYTES - 1) \{ \langle Create an interned symbol 103 \rangle \}
     else \{\langle \text{ Create a buffered symbol } 104 \rangle\}
     keytable\_save\_m(Symbol\_Table, idx, r);
     stack\_clear(1);
     return r;
  }
        \langle Create an interned symbol 103\rangle \equiv
  SS(Sret, r \leftarrow atom(Theap, NIL, NIL, FORM\_SYMBOL\_INTERN, \& cleanup));
  symint\_length(r) \leftarrow length;
  for (i \leftarrow 0; i < length; i++) symbol_buffer(r)[i] \leftarrow buf[i];
This code is used in section 102.
        \langle Create a buffered symbol 104\rangle \equiv
104.
  if (ckd_{-}add(\&size, sizeof(Osymbol), length)) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_LIMIT);
  while (size > Symbol\_Buffer\_Length \lor Symbol\_Buffer\_Length - size < Symbol\_Buffer\_Free) {
     if (Symbol\_Buffer\_Length \ge SYMBOL\_BUFFER\_MAX) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR\_LIMIT);
     new \leftarrow segment\_resize\_m(Symbol\_Buffer, 0, SYMBOL\_CHUNK, \& cleanup);
     Symbol\_Buffer \leftarrow new;
  boff \leftarrow Symbol\_Buffer\_Free;
  Symbol\_Buffer\_Free += sizeof(Osymbol) + length;
  SS(Sret, r \leftarrow atom(Theap, NIL, NIL, FORM\_SYMBOL, \& cleanup));
  symbuf\_set\_offset\_m(r, boff);
  symbuf\_set\_length\_m(r, length);
  symbuf\_hash(r) \leftarrow hash;
  for (i \leftarrow 0; i < length; i++) symbol\_buffer(r)[i] \leftarrow buf[i];
This code is used in section 102.
```

105. Trees & Double-Linked Lists.

Basic structure: An LTAG_BOTH atom with a datum in sin and link pair in dex. Link pair is another LTAG_BOTH atom who's contents are NIL or an object with the same form (ie. same threading attributes).

The actual format of the link pair is irrelevant to structure provided it's LTAG_BOTH so its a FORM_TREE with the *lower* sin and dex bits (which do not affect the garbage collecter) raised with the link in question is a thread.

A doubly-linked list looks identical and is distinguished by having its link pair atom be formatted as a FORM_PAIR.

The three formats tree, rope and doubly-linked list are identified by $tree_p$, $rope_p$ and $dlist_p$ respectively. Threading can be identified by $sin_threadable$ or $dex_threadable$ inserted into the predicate name as for example $tree_sin_threadable_p$ (doubly-linked lists cannot be threaded). The shared accessors $treeish_p$ (et al.) and $dryadic_p$ identify an object as either a tree or a rope, or as one of all three.

Accessors which work on any of these objects use the dryad namespace while specific accessors use tree or rope.

NOT TRUE: Accessors to the threads themselves are within the *tree_thread* namespace (except for the predicates). After an atom has been identified as a rope or a tree the way they process their threads is the same so there is no need for a *rope_thread* namespace.

A rope's link pair atom is always a tree variant even though $dlist_p$ will treat a rope who's link pair is a plain FORM_PAIR pair as a doubly-linked list. This arrangement is unintentional and not used.

```
\#define dryad\_datum(O) (lcar(O))
            dryad\_link(O) \quad (lcdr(O))
#define
            dryad\_sin(O) \quad (lcadr(O))
#define
#define
            dryad_{-}dex(O) (lcddr(O))
#define
            dryad\_sin\_p(O) \quad (\neg null\_p(dryad\_sin(O)))
            dryad\_dex\_p(O) \quad (\neg null\_p(dryad\_dex(O)))
#define
            dryad\_set\_sin\_m(O, V) \quad (lcar\_set\_m(lcdr(O), (V)))
#define
            dryad\_set\_dex\_m(O, V) \quad (lcdr\_set\_m(lcdr(O), (V)))
#define
#define
            dryadic_p(O) \quad (\neg special_p(O) \land (form(O) \& FORM_ROPE) \equiv FORM_ROPE)
#define
            dlist_{-}p(O) \quad (dryadic_{-}p(O) \land pair_{-}p(dryad_{-}link(O)))
            treeish_p(O) \quad (dryadic_p(O) \land \neg dlist_p(O))
#define
                                                                   /* Any tree or rope. */
                                                                                             /* Any tree. */
            tree_p(O) (treeish_p(O) \land (form(O) \& FORM\_TREE) \equiv FORM\_TREE)
#define
#define plain\_tree\_p(O) (treeish\_p(O) \land form_p((O), TREE))
\# \mathbf{define} \quad rope\_p(O) \quad (treeish\_p(O) \land (form(O) \ \& \ \mathsf{FORM\_TREE}) \equiv \mathsf{FORM\_ROPE})
                                                                                             /* Any rope. */
#define plain\_rope\_p(O) (treeish\_p(O) \land form_p((O), ROPE))
```

106. The link of a threaded tree which is not NIL may be a descendent link or a thread to a sinward or dexward peer. The format of the link atom indicates whether a non-NIL link is real or a thread.

```
#define treeish\_sin\_threadable\_p(O) (treeish\_p(O) \land (form(O) \& LTAG\_TSIN))
#define treeish\_dex\_threadable\_p(O) (treeish\_p(O) \land (form(O) \& LTAG\_TDEX))
#define tree\_sin\_threadable\_p(O) (tree\_p(O) \land tree ish\_sin\_threadable\_p(O))
#define tree\_dex\_threadable\_p(O) (tree\_p(O) \land treeish\_dex\_threadable\_p(O))
#define tree\_threadable\_p(O) (tree\_sin\_threadable\_p(O) \land tree\_dex\_threadable\_p(O))
#define rope\_sin\_threadable\_p(O) (rope\_p(O) \land treeish\_sin\_threadable\_p(O))
\#define rope\_dex\_threadable\_p(O) (rope\_p(O) \land treeish\_dex\_threadable\_p(O))
\#define rope\_threadable\_p(O) (rope\_sin\_threadable\_p(O) \land rope\_dex\_threadable\_p(O))
\#define treeish\_sin\_has\_thread\_p(O) (treeish\_sin\_threadable\_p(O) \land dryad\_sin\_p(O) \land
              (form(dryad\_link(O)) \& LTAG\_TSIN))
\#define treeish\_dex\_has\_thread\_p(O) (treeish\_dex\_threadable\_p(O) \land dryad\_dex\_p(O) \land
               (form(dryad\_link(O)) \& LTAG\_TDEX))
\# \mathbf{define} \quad tree\_sin\_has\_thread\_p(O) \quad (tree\_p(O) \land tree ish\_sin\_has\_thread\_p(O))
\#define tree\_dex\_has\_thread\_p(O) (tree\_p(O) \land treeish\_dex\_has\_thread\_p(O))
\#define rope\_sin\_has\_thread\_p(O) (rope\_p(O) \land treeish\_sin\_has\_thread\_p(O))
\#define rope\_dex\_has\_thread\_p(O) (rope\_p(O) \land treeish\_dex\_has\_thread\_p(O))
#define tree\_thread\_set\_sin\_thread\_m(O)
          (TAG\_SET\_M(dryad\_link(O), form(dryad\_link(O) | LTAG\_TSIN)))
#define tree\_thread\_set\_sin\_live\_m(O)
         (TAG\_SET\_M(dryad\_link(O), form(dryad\_link(O) \& \sim LTAG\_TSIN)))
#define tree\_thread\_set\_dex\_thread\_m(O)
          (TAG\_SET\_M(dryad\_link(O), form(dryad\_link(O) | LTAG\_TDEX)))
#define tree\_thread\_set\_dex\_live\_m(O)
          (TAG\_SET\_M(dryad\_link(O), form(dryad\_link(O) \& \sim LTAG\_TDEX)))
\#define tree\_thread\_live\_sin(O) (treeish\_sin\_has\_thread\_p(O)? NIL: dryad\_sin(O))
\#define tree\_thread\_live\_dex(O) (treeish\_dex\_has\_thread\_p(O)? NIL: dryad\_dex(O))
#define tree\_thread\_next\_sin(O, F) (anytree\_next\_sin((O), (F)))
#define tree\_thread\_next\_dex(O, F) (anytree\_next\_dex((O), (F)))
107. \langle Function declarations 21\rangle + \equiv
  cell anytree_next_sin(cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell anytree_next_dex(cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell dryad_node_new(bool, bool, bool, cell, cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell treeish_clone(cell, sigjmp_buf *failure);
  cell treeish_edge_imp(cell, bool, sigjmp_buf *);
```

```
108.
        Construction is the same process for all variants of dryad.
  cell dryad_node_new(bool tree, bool sinward, bool dexward, cell datum, cell nsin, cell
             ndex, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     static int Sdatum \leftarrow 2, Snsin \leftarrow 1, Sndex \leftarrow 0;
     Otag ntaq;
     \operatorname{cell} r;
     sigjmp_buf cleanup;
     Verror reason \leftarrow LERR\_NONE;
     ntag \leftarrow tree ? FORM\_TREE : FORM\_ROPE;
     if (sinward) ntag |= LTAG_TSIN;
     if (dexward) ntag = LTAG_TDEX;
     assert(null\_p(nsin) \lor form(nsin) \equiv ntag);
     assert(null\_p(ndex) \lor form(ndex) \equiv ntag);
     stack\_protect(3, datum, nsin, ndex, failure);
     if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 2))) unwind(failure, reason, false, 3);
     r \leftarrow atom(Theap, SO(Snsin), SO(Sndex), FORM\_TREE, & cleanup);
     r \leftarrow atom(Theap, SO(Sdatum), r, ntag, \&cleanup);
     stack\_clear(3);
     return r;
  }
109. Finding the edge of a tree is the same regardless of threading: walk down a tree's links until the
next node in the indicated direction is NIL.
#define treeish\_sinmost(O, F) treeish\_edge\_imp((O), true, (F))
\#define treeish\_dexmost(O, F) treeish\_edge\_imp((O), false, (F))
  cell treeish_edge_imp(cell o, bool sinward, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     \mathbf{cell} \ r;
     assert(treeish\_p(o));
     r \leftarrow o;
     while (sinward? dryad\_sin\_p(r): dryad\_dex\_p(r))
        \textbf{if} \ (\textit{Interrupt}) \ \textbf{siglongjmp} \ (*\textit{failure}, \texttt{LERR\_INTERRUPT}); \\
       else if (null\_p((o \leftarrow sinward ? dryad\_sin(r) : dryad\_dex(r)))) return r;
       else r \leftarrow o:
     return r;
  }
        #define anytree_next_imp(IN,OTHER)
          cell anytree_next_##IN(cell o, sigjmp_buf *failure)
            \mathbf{cell} \ r;
            assert(dryadic\_p(o));
            r \leftarrow dryad_{-}\#\#IN(o);
            if (\neg treeish\_\#\#IN\#\#\_threadable\_p(o) \lor \neg treeish\_\#\#IN\#\#\_has\_thread\_p(o)) return r;
             return treeish_{-}\#\#0THER\#\#most(r, failure);
  anytree\_next\_imp(sin, dex)
  anytree\_next\_imp(dex, sin)
111. \langle Function declarations 21\rangle + \equiv
  void treeish_rethread_imp(cell, cell, Otag, cell);
  cell treeish_rethread_m(cell, bool, bool, sigjmp_buf *);
```

```
112. cell treeish_rethread_m(cell o, bool sinward, bool dexward, sigjmp_buf *failure)
  {
     cell head, next, prev, remember;
     Otag ntag;
     assert(treeish_p(o));
     ntag \leftarrow form(o) \& FORM\_TREE;
     head \leftarrow dryad\_node\_new(ntag \equiv FORM\_TREE, treeish\_sin\_threadable\_p(o), treeish\_dex\_threadable\_p(o),
          NIL, o, NIL, failure);
     if (sinward) ntag |= LTAG_TSIN;
     if (dexward) ntag |= LTAG_TDEX;
     next \leftarrow head;
     remember \leftarrow \texttt{NIL};
     while (1) {
       if (null\_p(next)) break;
       prev \leftarrow tree\_thread\_live\_sin(next);
       if (\neg null\_p(prev)) {
          while (\neg(prev \equiv remember \lor null\_p(tree\_thread\_live\_dex(prev))))
            prev \leftarrow tree\_thread\_live\_dex(prev);
          if (prev \neq remember) {
                                          /* Insert or remove stack */
             dryad\_set\_dex\_m(prev, next);
            tree\_thread\_set\_dex\_live\_m(prev);
            next \leftarrow tree\_thread\_live\_sin(next);
                                                        /* Go to left */
            continue;
          }
          else {
             dryad\_set\_dex\_m(prev, NIL);
             tree\_thread\_set\_dex\_live\_m(prev);
       if (treeish\_sin\_has\_thread\_p(next)) {
          dryad\_set\_sin\_m(next, NIL);
          tree\_thread\_set\_sin\_live\_m(next);
       treeish_rethread_imp(next, prev, ntag, head);
                                /* Go to the right or up */
       remember \leftarrow next;
       next \leftarrow tree\_thread\_live\_dex(next);
     return dryad\_sin(head);
```

```
void treeish_rethread_imp(cell current, cell previous, Otag ntag, cell head)
  TAG\_SET\_M(current, ntag);
  if (null_p(previous)) {
     dryad_set_sin_m(current, NIL);
     tree_thread_set_sin_live_m(current);
  else if (current \equiv head) {
     dryad_set_dex_m(previous, NIL);
     tree_thread_set_dex_live_m(previous);
  else {
    if (ntag \& LTAG\_TSIN \land \neg dryad\_sin\_p(current)) {
       dryad\_set\_sin\_m(current, previous);
       tree\_thread\_set\_sin\_thread\_m(current);
    if (ntag \& LTAG\_TDEX \land \neg dryad\_dex\_p(previous))  {
       dryad\_set\_dex\_m(previous, current);
       tree\_thread\_set\_dex\_thread\_m(previous);
  }
}
```

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114. Doubly-linked lists. These piggy-pack on top of plain unthreaded trees. The list loops around on itself so the link nodes will never be NIL and care is taken to ensure a loop is not inserted "into" itself.

```
\#define dlist\_datum(o) (dryad\_datum(o))
\#define dlist\_prev(o) (dryad\_sin(o))
#define dlist_next(o) (dryad_dex(o))
\langle Function declarations 21\rangle + \equiv
  cell dlist_new(cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell dlist_append_datum_m(cell, cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell dlist_append_m(cell, cell);
  cell dlist_clone(cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell dlist_insert_datum_imp(cell, cell, bool, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell dlist_insert_imp(cell, cell, bool, sigjmp_buf *);
  \mathbf{cell} \ \mathit{dlist\_remove\_m}(\mathbf{cell});
  void dlist\_set\_next\_m(cell, cell);
  void dlist\_set\_prev\_m(cell, cell);
115. cell dlist_new(cell datum, sigjmp_buf *failure)
  {
     \mathbf{cell} \ r;
     r \leftarrow dryad\_node\_new(true, false, false, datum, NIL, NIL, failure);
     TAG\_SET\_M(dryad\_link(r), FORM\_PAIR);
     dryad\_set\_sin\_m(r,r);
     dryad\_set\_dex\_m(r,r);
     return r;
  }
116. void dlist_set_m(cell o, cell datum)
     assert(dlist_p(o));
     lcar\_set\_m(o, datum);
117.
       #define dlist_set(DIRECTION, YIN, YANG)
         void dlist_set_##DIRECTION##_m(cell hither, cell yon)
            assert(dlist\_p(hither));
            assert(dlist\_p(yon));
            YIN##_set_m(dryad_link(hither), yon);
            YANG##\_set\_m(dryad\_link(yon), hither);
  dlist\_set(next, lcdr, lcar)
  dlist\_set(prev, lcar, lcdr)
```

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```
#define dlist\_prepend\_m(O, L) dlist\_append\_m(dlist\_prev(O), (L))
  cell dlist_append_m(cell o, cell l)
     cell after, before;
     assert(dlist_p(o));
     assert(dlist_p(l));
     after \leftarrow dlist\_next(o);
     before \leftarrow dlist\_prev(l);
                                   /* Usually l. */
     dlist\_set\_next\_m(o, l);
     dlist\_set\_prev\_m(after, before);
     return l;
  }
        \#define dlist\_prepend\_datum\_m(O, D, F) dlist\_append\_datum\_m(dlist\_prev(O), (D), (F))
119.
  cell dlist_append_datum_m(cell o, cell d, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     static int Sobject \leftarrow 1, Sdatum \leftarrow 0;
     cell r \leftarrow \texttt{NIL};
     sigjmp_buf cleanup;
     Verror reason \leftarrow LERR_NONE;
     assert(dlist_p(o));
     assert(defined\_p(d));
     stack\_protect(2, o, d, failure);
     if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) unwind(failure, reason, false, 2);
     r \leftarrow dlist\_new(SO(Sdatum), \&cleanup);
     r \leftarrow dlist\_append\_m(SO(Sobject), r);
     stack\_clear(2);
     return r;
  }
120. cell dlist_remove_m (cell o)
     cell next, prev;
     assert(dlist_p(o));
     prev \leftarrow dlist\_prev(o);
     next \leftarrow dlist\_next(o);
     if (prev \equiv next) return NIL;
     dlist\_set\_next\_m(prev, next);
     return next;
  }
```

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121. Records. Not (yet) exposed to userspace, records use a key table to associate a name with an index into an array.

Ordinarily a key-based table is identified by being an array with a fixed integer in its spare slot indicating how many table entries are free. However if the free slot is arraylike then the (first) array is in fact the key-based table describing a record. Losing the number of free entries in the table is safe because a record is defined once and will never grow although care must be taken that searching a key-based table will not reference this value.

A record is defined using a key-based table to relate attribute names to an index value. An instance of a record is an array holding those values who's spare slot points to the key-based table used for lookup. That table is identified by pointing to itself.

In addition the records used for internally-defined objects (which use a slightly different name-to-index lookup mechanism) may optionally point to an arbitrary segment in the first array slot and this segment itself has a spare slot which is not wasted (it uses the pseudo-index -1).

```
#define RECORD_MAXLENGTH (INT_MAX \gg 1)
#define record_next(O) (array_ref((O), 0))
\#define record\_next\_p(O) (segment\_p(record\_next(O)))
                                                                   /* TODO: inadequate test! */
\#define record\_id(O) (record\_next\_p(O) ? pointer\_datum(record\_next(O)) : record\_next(O))
\#define record\_base(O) (record\_next\_p(O) ? segment\_address(record\_next(O)) : (char *) <math>\Lambda)
#define record\_offset(O) (record\_next\_p(O)?1:0)
#define record\_cell(O, I) (array\_ref((O), (I) + 1))
#define record\_set\_cell\_m(O, I, D) (array\_set\_m((O), (I) + 1, (D)))
#define record\_object(T, O, A) (((T)record\_base(O)) \neg A)
#define record\_set\_object\_m(T, O, A, D) (record\_object((T), (O), (A)) \leftarrow (D))
\langle Function declarations 21\rangle + \equiv
  cell record_new(cell, int, int, sigjmp_buf *);
                                                 /* The record form. */
      cell record_new(cell record_form,
  int array_length,
                          /* The width of each object. */
  int segment_length,
                             /* The length of an option segment. */
  sigjmp_buf *failure)
     static int Sform \leftarrow 1, Sret \leftarrow 0;
     cell r \leftarrow \text{NIL}, tmp;
     sigjmp_buf cleanup;
     Verror reason \leftarrow LERR\_NONE;
     assert(symbol\_p(record\_form) \lor fix\_p(record\_form));
     assert(array\_length \ge 0);
     if (array\_length \ge RECORD\_MAXLENGTH) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR\_LIMIT);
     stack_protect(2, record_form, NIL, failure);
     if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) unwind(failure, reason, false, 2);
     if (segment\_length > 0) array\_length +++;
     r \leftarrow array\_new\_imp(array\_length + 1, \texttt{NIL}, \texttt{FORM\_RECORD}, \&cleanup);
     if (segment\_length > 0) {
       SS(Sret, r);
       tmp \leftarrow segment\_new(0, segment\_length, 1, 0, \& cleanup);
       pointer\_set\_datum\_m(tmp, SO(Sform));
       r \leftarrow SO(Sret);
       array\_set\_m(r, 0, tmp);
     else array\_set\_m(r, 0, SO(Sform));
     stack\_clear(2);
     return r;
```

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124. Characters (Runes). To avoid constantly mistyping the shift key when referring to UTF-8 the suffix 'o' is used instead creating "utfo" for "UTF-Octal" (although utfo means "UTF I/O"). To continue the theme utfh is UTF-Hexadecimal or UTF-16 and utft is UTF-Trigintadyodecimal.

```
#define UCP_MAX 0x10ffff
\langle \text{Global variables } 15 \rangle + \equiv
  struct {
                   /* How many bits are supplied by this byte. */
    char size;
                     /* Mask: Encoded bits. */
    uint8\_t data:
                     /* Mask: Leading bits which will be set. */
    uint8\_t lead:
                       /* Maximum code-point value this many bytes can encode. */
    int32_t max;
  \} UTFIO[] \leftarrow {
       \{6, 0x3f, 0x80, 0x0000000\},\
                                     /* Continuation byte. */
       \{7, 0x7f, 0x00, 0x00007f\},\
                                     /* Single ASCII byte. */
                                     /* Start of 2-byte encoding. */
       \{5, 0x1f, 0xc0, 0x0007ff\},\
                                     /* Start of 3-byte encoding. */
       \{4, 0x0f, 0xe0, 0x00ffff\},\
       {3,0x07,0xf0,0x10ffff},
                                     /* Start of 4-byte encoding. */
  };
125.
       Going into the parser from UTFIO_COMPLETE (ie. 0) will exit in any one of these states.
\langle \text{Type definitions } 6 \rangle + \equiv
  typedef enum {
    UTFIO_COMPLETE,
                           /* A code point is complete (or unstarted). */
    UTFIO_INVALID,
                          /* Encountered an invalid byte/encoding. */
                                     /* Continuation byte when expecting a starter byte. */
    UTFIO_BAD_CONTINUATION,
                               /* Starter byte when expecting a continuation byte. */
    UTFIO_BAD_STARTER,
                           /* Overlong encoding was used. */
    UTFIO_OVERLONG,
    UTFIO_SURROGATE,
                            /* Surrogate pair half was encoded. */
    UTFIO_PROGRESS,
       /* Byte is valid but more are required (a final error if EOF was premature). */
    UTFIO_EOF
                    /* EOF encountered prematurely. */
  } Vutfio_parse;
```

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126. The last two code points of each plane are noncharacters: U+...FFFE and U+...FFFF (recall that the byte-order-mark has value U+FEFF) for a total of 34 code points in 17 planes. In addition, there is a contiguous range of another 32 noncharacter code points in the BMP (plane 0): U+FDD0-U+FDEF.

```
/* Values \geq 2^{16} in UTF-16 encoded text. */
#define UCP_SURROGATE_MIN 0xd800
#define UCP_SURROGATE_MAX 0xe000
                                          /* Contained within the "Arabic Presentation */
#define UCP_NONBMP_MIN 0xfdd0
                                          /* ... Forms-A block" by a historic accident. */
\#define UCP_NONBMP_MAX 0xfdef
#define UCP_REPLACEMENT Oxfffd
#define UCP_REPLACEMENT_LENGTH 3
                                             /* The lowest bit doesn't matter. */
#define UCP_NONCHAR_MASK Oxfffe
#define utflo_noncharacter_p(C) (utflo_nonplane_p(C) \lor utflo_nonrange_p(C))
\#define utfio\_nonplane\_p(C) (((C) \neg value \& UCP\_NONCHAR\_MASK) \equiv UCP\_NONCHAR\_MASK)
\#define utfio\_nonrange\_p(C) ((C) \neg value \ge UCP\_NONBMP\_MIN \land (C) \neg value \le UCP\_NONBMP\_MAX)
#define utflo_overlong_p(C) ((C) \neg value \leq UTFIO[(C) \neg offset - 1].max)
\# define \quad utflo\_surrogate\_p(C) \quad ((C) \neg value \geq \texttt{UCP\_SURROGATE\_MIN} \land (C) \neg value \leq \texttt{UCP\_SURROGATE\_MAX})
#define utfio\_too\_large\_p(C) ((C) \neg value > UCP\_MAX)
\langle \text{Type definitions } 6 \rangle + \equiv
  typedef struct {
    int32_t value;
    char offset, remaining;
    char buf[4];
    Vutfio_parse status;
  } Outfio:
127. \langle Function declarations 21\rangle + \equiv
  Vutfio_parse utfio_read(Outfio *, char);
  Vutfio_parse utfio_reread(Outfio *, char);
  Outfio utfio_scan_start(void);
  Outfio utfio_write(int32_t);
128. Outfio utfio_scan_start(void)
    Outfio r \leftarrow \{0\};
    return r;
```

```
Vutfio_parse utfio\_read(\mathbf{Outfio} *ctx, \mathbf{char} \ byte)
   int32_t \ vbyte \leftarrow byte;
   int i;
   for (i \leftarrow 0; i < 4; i++) {
      if ((byte \& \sim UTFIO[i].data) \neq UTFIO[i].lead) continue;
      else if (i \equiv 0) {
         if (ctx \rightarrow remaining) ctx \rightarrow remaining ---;
         else return ctx \rightarrow status \leftarrow \mathtt{UTFIO\_BAD\_CONTINUATION};
      }
      else {
         if (ctx \neg remaining) return ctx \neg status \leftarrow \texttt{UTFIO\_BAD\_STARTER};
         else ctx \rightarrow remaining \leftarrow i - 1;
      ctx \rightarrow buf[(\mathbf{int}) \ ctx \rightarrow offset ++] \leftarrow byte;
      ctx \neg value \mid = (vbyte \& UTFIO[i].data) \ll (6 * ctx \neg remaining);
      if (ctx \neg remaining) return ctx \neg status \leftarrow \texttt{UTFIO\_PROGRESS};
      else if (utfio\_too\_large\_p(ctx) \lor utfio\_noncharacter\_p(ctx))
         return ctx \rightarrow status \leftarrow \mathtt{UTFIO\_INVALID};
      else if (utfio\_surrogate\_p(ctx)) return ctx \neg status \leftarrow \texttt{UTFIO\_SURROGATE};
      else if (utflo\_overlong\_p(ctx)) return ctx \neg status \leftarrow \texttt{UTFIO\_OVERLONG};
      else return ctx \rightarrow status \leftarrow \texttt{UTFIO\_COMPLETE};
   return ctx \rightarrow status \leftarrow \texttt{UTFIO\_INVALID};
}
     Again but without error checking — only for use on known-valid UTF-8.
Vutfio_parse utfio_reread(Outfio *ctx, char byte)
   int32\_t \ vbyte \leftarrow byte;
   int i;
   for (i \leftarrow 0; i < 4; i++)
      if ((byte \& \sim UTFIO[i].data) \neq UTFIO[i].lead) continue;
      else {
         if (ctx \neg remaining) ctx \neg remaining ---;
         else ctx-remaining \leftarrow i-1;
         ctx \rightarrow buf[(\mathbf{int}) \ ctx \rightarrow offset ++] \leftarrow byte;
         ctx \rightarrow value \leftarrow (vbyte \& \mathtt{UTFIO}[i].data) \ll (6 * ctx \rightarrow remaining);
         ctx \rightarrow status \leftarrow ctx \rightarrow remaining? UTFIO_PROGRESS: UTFIO_COMPLETE;
         return ctx→status;
      }
   abort();
                    /* UNREACHABLE */
```

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```
Outfio utfio_write(int32_t c)
{
   int i;
   int32_t mask, next;
   Outfio r \leftarrow \{0\};
   assert(c \ge 0 \land c \le \mathtt{UCP\_MAX});
   r.status \leftarrow \mathtt{UTFIO\_PROGRESS};
   r.value \leftarrow c;
   if (utfio\_surrogate\_p(\&r)) r.status \leftarrow UTFIO\_SURROGATE;
   else if (r.value < 0 \lor utflo\_noncharacter\_p(\&r)) r.status \leftarrow \texttt{UTFIO\_INVALID};
   else if (utflo_too_large_p(\&r)) r.status \leftarrow \mathtt{UTFIO\_OVERLONG};
   if (r.status \equiv \mathtt{UTFIO\_PROGRESS}) r.status \leftarrow \mathtt{UTFIO\_COMPLETE};
   else c \leftarrow \text{UCP\_REPLACEMENT};
   \textbf{if} \ (c \leq \mathtt{UTFIO}[1].max) \ r.buf[(\textbf{int}) \ r.offset ++] \leftarrow c;
   else {
      if (c \leq \mathtt{UTFIO}[2].max) r.remaining \leftarrow i \leftarrow 2;
      else if (c \leq \mathtt{UTFIO}[3].max) r.remaining \leftarrow i \leftarrow 3;
      else r.remaining \leftarrow i \leftarrow 4;
      for (; r.remaining; r.remaining --) {
         mask \leftarrow \mathtt{UTFIO}[r.remaining \equiv i ? i : 0].data;
         mask \ll = 6 * (r.remaining - 1);
         next \leftarrow c \& mask;
         next \gg = 6 * (r.remaining - 1);
         next = UTFIO[r.remaininq \equiv i ? i : 0].lead;
         r.buf[(\mathbf{int}) \ r.offset ++] \leftarrow next;
   return r;
```

132. Of the 11 spare bits, 3 are used to store the length of the UTF-8 encoding and the other 8 a failure code. Lots of magic masks here.

Runes have come through one of the utfio functions above as a Outfio or are a $int32_t$ to put through $utfio_write$ for validation.

```
⟨Function declarations 21⟩ +≡ cell rune_new_utfio(Outfio, sigjmp_buf *);
```

133. Assumes ctx.status is correct so only valid encodings must be UTFIO_COMPLETE (0). Note that any (invalid) character may have status UTFIO_EOF if EOF was encountered in the middle of a multi-byte code point.

Status UTFIO_PROGRESS indicates an otherwise acceptable code point which is split between two rope nodes.

```
/* Only code point bits. */
#define UCPVAL(V) (((V) \& 0x001fffff))
#define UCPLEN(V) (((V) & 0x00e00000) \gg 21)
#define UCPFAIL(V) (((V) & 0xff000000) \gg 24)
                                                           /* Only bottom 3 used. */
#define rune\_raw(O) ((CELL_BITS \geq 32)? (int32_t) lcar(O):
              ((((\mathbf{int32\_t})\ lcar(O)\ \&\ oxffff)\ \ll\ 16)\ |\ ((\mathbf{int32\_t})\ lcdr(O)\ \&\ oxfffff)))
#define rune\_failure\_p(O) (\neg\neg UCPFAIL(rune\_raw(O)))
\#define rune\_failure(O) (UCPFAIL(rune\_raw(O)))
#define rune\_parsed(O) (UCPLEN(rune\_raw(O)))
\#define rune(O) (rune\_failure\_p(O) ? UCP\_REPLACEMENT : UCPVAL(rune\_raw(O)))
\#define rune\_new\_value(V, F) (rune\_new\_utfio(utfio\_write(V), (F)))
  cell rune_new_utfio(Outfio ctx, sigjmp_buf *failure)
    Oatom packed;
    ctx.value = (ctx.offset \ll 21);
    ctx.value = (ctx.status \ll 24);
    if (CELL_BITS \geq 32) {
       packed.sin \leftarrow (cell) ctx.value;
       packed.dex \leftarrow NIL;
    else {
       packed.sin \leftarrow (cell)((ctx.value \& 0xffff0000_{LL}) \gg 16);
       packed.dex \leftarrow (\mathbf{cell})((ctx.value \& 0x0000ffff_{LL}) \gg 0);
    return atom (Theap, packed.sin, packed.dex, FORM_RUNE, failure);
```

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134. Ropes. If the rope contains only correctly-encoded valid code points the length is recorded (and the fact noted) in cplength. Likewise glength counts the number of whole glyphs. Neither of these features is implemented and so is liable to change.

```
\#define rope\_segment(O) (dryad\_datum(O))
\#define rope\_base(O) ((Orope *) segment\_address(rope\_segment(O)))
\#define rope\_blength(O) ((long) segment\_length(rope\_segment(O)) - 1)
#define rope\_cplength(O)
                               (rope\_base(O) \neg cplength)
#define rope\_glength(O) (rope\_base(O) \neg glength)
#define rope\_buffer(O) (rope\_base(O) \rightarrow buffer)
#define rope\_first(O, F)
                              (treeish\_sinmost((O), (F)))
\#define rope\_last(O, F) (treeish\_dexmost((O), (F)))
#define rope_next(O, F) (anytree_next_dex((O), (F)))
#define rope\_prev(O, F)
                               (anytree\_next\_sin((O),(F)))
#define rope_byte(O, B) (rope_buffer(O)[(B)])
\langle \text{Type definitions } 6 \rangle + \equiv
  typedef struct {
     long cplength;
     long glength;
     char buffer[];
  } Orope;
       \langle Function declarations 21\rangle + \equiv
  cell rope_node_new_clone(bool, bool, cell, cell, cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell rope_node_new_length(bool, bool, long, cell, cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell rope_new_ascii(bool, bool, char *, long, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell rope_new_buffer(bool, bool, const char *, long, sigjmp_buf *);
  \mathbf{cell}\ \mathit{rope\_new\_utfo}(\mathbf{bool},\mathbf{bool},\mathbf{char}\ *,\mathbf{long},\mathbf{sigjmp\_buf}\ *);
       Always allocates one more byte than requested to be a \Lambda-terminator in case the rope's buffer ever
leaks into something expecting a C-string. This should never happen but the byte is there anyway as a
safety-valve.
\#define rope\_node\_new\_empty(S, D, F) rope\_node\_new\_length((S), (D), 0, NIL, NIL, (F))
  cell rope_node_new_length(bool sinward, bool dexward, long length, cell nsin, cell ndex, sigjmp_buf
            *failure)
     static int Snsin \leftarrow 1, Sndex \leftarrow 0;
     \mathbf{cell}\ r;
     sigjmp_buf cleanup;
     Verror reason \leftarrow LERR_NONE;
     assert(null\_p(nsin) \lor rope\_p(nsin));
                                                 /* Threading checked by */
     assert(null\_p(nsin) \lor rope\_p(ndex));
                                                  /* dryad_node_new. */
     if (ckd\_add(\&length, length, 1)) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR\_LIMIT);
     stack\_protect(2, nsin, ndex, failure);
     if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) unwind(failure, reason, false, 2);
     r \leftarrow segment\_new(\mathbf{sizeof}(\mathbf{Orope}), length, 0, 0, \& cleanup);
     r \leftarrow dryad\_node\_new(false, sinward, dexward, r, SO(Snsin), SO(Sndex), \& cleanup);
     rope\_cplength(r) \leftarrow rope\_glength(r) \leftarrow -1;
     rope\_buffer(r)[length-1] \leftarrow `\0';
     stack\_clear(2);
     return r;
```

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```
cell rope_node_new_clone(bool sinward, bool dexward, cell o, cell nsin, cell ndex, sigjmp_buf
            *failure)
  {
     static int Sobject \leftarrow 2, Snsin \leftarrow 1, Sndex \leftarrow 0;
     sigjmp_buf cleanup;
     Verror reason \leftarrow LERR_NONE;
     assert(rope\_p(o));
     assert(null\_p(nsin) \lor rope\_p(nsin));
                                                 /* Threading checked by */
     assert(null\_p(nsin) \lor rope\_p(ndex));
                                                 /* dryad_node_new. */
     stack\_protect(3, o, nsin, ndex, failure);
     if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) unwind(failure, reason, false, 3);
     r \leftarrow dryad\_node\_new(false, sinward, dexward, rope\_segment(SO(Sobject)), SO(Snsin), SO(Sndex),
         \& cleanup):
     rope\_buffer(r)[segment\_length(rope\_segment(SO(Sobject)))] \leftarrow ``\";
     stack\_clear(3);
     return r;
  }
       Some internal helpers: A rope can be created by copying the contents of a buffer.
138.
\#define rope\_new\_length(S, D, L, F) rope\_node\_new\_length((S), (D), (L), NIL, NIL, (F))
  cell rope_new_buffer(bool thread_sin, bool thread_dex, const char *buffer, long length, sigjmp_buf
            *failure)
  {
     \mathbf{char} * dst;
     \mathbf{cell} \ r;
     int i;
     r \leftarrow rope\_new\_length(thread\_sin, thread\_dex, length, failure);
     dst \leftarrow rope\_buffer(r);
     for (i \leftarrow 0; i < length; i++) dst[i] \leftarrow buffer[i];
     return r;
  }
139.
      TODO: check that no byte is \geq 0x80?
  cell rope_new_ascii(bool thread_sin, bool thread_dex, char *buffer, long length, sigjmp_buf
            *failure)
  {
     \operatorname{cell} r;
     r \leftarrow rope\_new\_buffer(thread\_sin, thread\_dex, buffer, length, failure);
     rope\_cplength(r) \leftarrow length;
     return r;
  }
140. cell rope_new_utfo(bool thread_sinLunused, bool thread_dexLunused, char
            *bufferLunused,long lengthLunused,sigjmp_buf *failureLunused)
     siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_UNIMPLEMENTED);
```

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```
141.
        Rope Iterator.
\#define ROPE_ITER_TWINE 0
#define ROPE_ITER_LENGTH 1
#define rope_iter(O) ((Orope_iter *) record_base(O))
\#define rope\_iter\_twine(O) (record\_cell((O), ROPE\_ITER\_TWINE))
\#define rope\_iter\_set\_twine\_m(O, D) (record\_set\_cell\_m((O), ROPE\_ITER\_TWINE, (D)))
\langle \text{Type definitions } 6 \rangle + \equiv
  typedef struct {
     int bvalue:
                      /* Value of the last-read byte. */
                         /* Byte offset into twine of next read. */
     long tboffset;
                        /* — " — the entire rope. */
     long boffset;
                         /* Code-point offset into the rope. */
     long cpoffset;
     Outfio cp;
                      /* Code-point parser's working area. */
  } Orope_iter;
142. \langle Function declarations 21\rangle + \equiv
  cell rope_iterate_start(cell, long, sigjmp_buf *);
  int rope_iterate_next_byte(cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell rope_iterate_next_utfo(cell, sigjmp_buf *);
143. cell rope_iterate_start(cell o, long begin, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     static int Sobject \leftarrow 0;
     cell r \leftarrow \text{NIL}, twine;
     sigjmp_buf cleanup;
     Verror reason \leftarrow LERR_NONE;
     assert(rope\_p(o));
     stack\_protect(1, o, failure);
     if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) unwind(failure, reason, false, 1);
     r \leftarrow record\_new(fix(RECORD\_ROPE\_ITERATOR), ROPE\_ITER\_LENGTH, sizeof(Orope\_iter), & cleanup);
     twine \leftarrow SO(Sobject);
     if (begin < 0) {
       twine \leftarrow rope\_first(twine, \&cleanup);
       begin \leftarrow 0;
     rope\_iter\_set\_twine\_m(r, twine);
     rope\_iter(r) \neg bvalue \leftarrow rope\_iter(r) \neg cpoffset \leftarrow 0;
     rope\_iter(r) \neg tboffset \leftarrow rope\_iter(r) \neg boffset \leftarrow begin;
     stack\_clear(1);
     return r;
```

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```
144. int rope_iterate_next_byte(cell o, sigjmp_buf *failure)
  {
     cell twine;
     assert(rope\_iter\_p(o));
     twine \leftarrow rope\_iter\_twine(o);
     if (null_p(twine)) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_EOF);
     while (rope\_iter(o) \neg tboffset \equiv rope\_blength(twine)) {
        twine \leftarrow rope\_next(twine, failure);
        rope\_iter\_set\_twine\_m(o, twine);
        rope\_iter(o) \neg tboffset \leftarrow 0;
        if (null\_p(twine)) return EOF;
     rope\_iter(o) \neg bvalue \leftarrow rope\_buffer(twine)[rope\_iter(o) \neg tboffset ++];
     rope\_iter(o) \neg boffset ++;
     return rope\_iter(o) \rightarrow bvalue;
  }
        Asserts, buggily, that a code point will never be split between two rope twine (although any
coarser unit may be and the rope may be validly not utf-8 encoded).
  cell rope_iterate_next_utfo(cell o, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     int c;
     cell r, start, twine;
     Vutfio_parse res, (*readchar)(Outfio *, char);
     assert(rope\_iter\_p(o));
     twine \leftarrow rope\_iter\_twine(o);
     if (rope\_p(twine) \land rope\_cplength(twine) \ge 0) readchar \leftarrow utfio\_reread;
     else readchar \leftarrow utflo\_read;
     start \leftarrow twine;
     rope\_iter(o) \neg cp \leftarrow utfio\_scan\_start();
     r \leftarrow \mathtt{VOID};
                       /* NIL is a possible value. */
     while (void_p(r)) {
        c \leftarrow rope\_iter(o) \rightarrow bvalue \leftarrow rope\_iterate\_next\_byte(o, failure);
        if (c \equiv EOF) {
           rope\_iter(o) \neg cp.status \leftarrow \mathtt{UTFIO\_EOF};
           if (\neg rope\_iter(o) \neg cp.remaining) return LEOF;
           break;
        res \leftarrow readchar(\&rope\_iter(o) \neg cp, c);
        if (res \equiv \mathtt{UTFIO\_COMPLETE} \lor res \neq \mathtt{UTFIO\_PROGRESS}) break;
     if (rope\_iter\_twine(o) \neq start) \ rope\_iter(o) \neg cp.status \leftarrow \texttt{UTFIO\_PROGRESS};
     rope\_iter(o) \neg cpoffset ++;
     return rune\_new\_utfio(rope\_iter(o) \rightarrow cp, failure);
  }
```

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146. Operational Data.

64 STACK LOSSLESS §147

```
147. Stack.
#define STACK_CHUNK 0x100
\langle Function declarations 21\rangle +\equiv
  void stack_push(cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell stack_pop(long, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell stack_ref (long, sigjmp_buf *);
  \mathbf{void}\ stack\_set\_m(\mathbf{long}, \mathbf{cell}, \mathbf{sigjmp\_buf}\ *);
  cell stack_ref_abs(long, sigjmp_buf *);
  void stack_reserve(int, sigjmp_buf *);
  void stack\_protect(\mathbf{int}, \dots);
148. \langle \text{Global variables } 15 \rangle + \equiv
  unique cell Stack \leftarrow NIL;
  unique long StackP \leftarrow -1;
  unique cell Stack_{-}Tmp \leftarrow NIL;
149. \langle \text{External symbols } 16 \rangle + \equiv
  extern unique long StackP;
150. \langle Initialise storage 35\rangle + \equiv
  Stack \leftarrow array\_new(STACK\_CHUNK, failure);
151. void stack_push(cell o, sigjmp_buf *failure)
      if (StackP \equiv array\_length(Stack)) {
        Stack\_Tmp \leftarrow o;
        Stack \leftarrow array\_grow\_m(Stack, STACK\_CHUNK, NIL, failure);
        o \leftarrow Stack\_Tmp;
        Stack\_Tmp \leftarrow \texttt{NIL};
      array\_set\_m(Stack, ++ StackP, o);
         #define stack\_clear(O) stack\_pop((O), \Lambda)
152.
  \mathbf{cell}\ \mathit{stack\_pop}\left(\mathbf{long}\ \mathit{num}, \mathbf{sigjmp\_buf}\ *\mathit{failure}\right)
      \mathbf{cell} \ r;
      assert(num \geq 1);
      r \leftarrow stack\_ref(num - 1, failure);
      StackP -= num;
      return r;
153. #define SO(O) stack_ref((O), \Lambda)
  \mathbf{cell} \ \mathit{stack\_ref} \ (\mathbf{long} \ \mathit{offset}, \mathbf{sigjmp\_buf} \ *\mathit{failure})
      cell r \leftarrow \texttt{NIL};
      assert(offset \geq 0);
      assert(failure \neq \Lambda \vee StackP \geq offset);
      if (StackP < offset) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_UNDERFLOW);
      else r \leftarrow array\_ref(Stack, StackP - offset);
      return r;
```

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```
#define SS(O, D) stack\_set\_m((O), (D), \Lambda)
  void stack_set_m(long offset, cell datum, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     assert(offset \geq 0);
     assert(failure \neq \Lambda \lor StackP > offset);
    if (StackP < offset) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_UNDERFLOW);</pre>
     else array\_set\_m(Stack, StackP - offset, datum);
  }
155. cell stack_ref_abs(long offset, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     cell r \leftarrow \texttt{NIL};
     assert(offset \geq 0);
     assert(failure \neq \Lambda \lor StackP \geq offset);
     if (StackP < offset) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_UNDERFLOW);</pre>
     else r \leftarrow array\_ref(Stack, offset);
    return r;
156. void stack_set_abs_m(long offset, cell datum, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     assert(offset \geq 0);
     assert(failure \neq \Lambda \lor StackP \geq offset);
     if (StackP < offset) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_UNDERFLOW);
     else array_set_m(Stack, offset, datum);
  }
157. void stack_reserve(int delta, sigjmp_buf *failure)
    int i;
     while (array\_length(Stack) - (StackP + 1) < delta)
       Stack \leftarrow array\_grow\_m(Stack, STACK\_CHUNK, NIL, failure);
     StackP += delta;
     for (i \leftarrow 0; i < delta; i++) array\_set\_m(Stack, StackP - i, NIL);
  }
158. \langle \text{Global variables } 15 \rangle + \equiv
  unique cell Protect[4];
```

66 STACK LOSSLESS §159

```
159. void stack_protect(int num, ...)
   {
     va_list ap;
     int i;
     sigjmp_buf cleanup, *failure;
     Verror reason \leftarrow LERR_NONE;
     assert(num > 0 \land num \le 4);
     va\_start(ap, num);
     for (i \leftarrow 0; i < num; i++) Protect[i] \leftarrow va\_arg(ap, \mathbf{cell});
     failure \leftarrow va\_arg(ap, \mathbf{sigjmp\_buf} *);
     va\_end(ap);
     if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) goto fail;
     stack\_reserve(num, \&cleanup);
     for (i \leftarrow 0; i < num; i++) {
        SS(num - (i + 1), Protect[i]);
        Protect[i] \leftarrow \texttt{NIL};
     }
     return;
  fail:
     for (i \leftarrow 0; i < num; i++) Protect[i] \leftarrow \texttt{NIL};
     \mathbf{siglongjmp} \ (*\mathit{failure}\,, \mathit{reason}\,);
```

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160. Environments.

```
#define env\_layer(O) (lcdr(O))
#define env\_previous(O) (lcar(O))
#define env\_replace\_layer\_m(O, E) (lcdr\_set\_m((O), (E)))
#define env\_root\_p(O) (environment\_p(O) \land null\_p(env\_previous(O)))
\langle Function declarations 21\rangle +\equiv
  Vhash env_rehash(cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  void env_clear(cell, cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell env_define(cell, cell, cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell env_extend(cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell env_here(cell, cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  int env_match(cell, void *, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell env_new_imp(cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell env_search(cell, cell, bool, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell env_set(cell, cell, cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell env_set_imp(cell, cell, cell, bool, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell env_unset(cell, cell, sigjmp_buf *);
       #define env_empty(F) (env_new_imp(NIL, (F)))
  cell env_new_imp(cell o, sigjmp_buf *failure)
    static int Sobject \leftarrow 0;
    cell r \leftarrow \texttt{NIL};
    sigjmp_buf cleanup;
    Verror reason \leftarrow LERR_NONE;
    stack\_protect(1, o, failure);
    if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) unwind(failure, reason, false, 1);
    r \leftarrow keytable\_new(0, \&cleanup);
    r \leftarrow atom(Theap, SO(Sobject), r, FORM\_ENVIRONMENT, & cleanup);
    stack\_clear(1);
    return r;
  }
163.
      cell env_extend(cell o, sigjmp_buf *failure)
    assert(environment_p(o));
    return env_new_imp(o, failure);
  }
      Vhash env_rehash(cell o, sigjmp_buf *failureLunused)
    assert(pair_p(o) \land symbol_p(lcar(o)));
    return symbol\_hash(lcar(o));
      int env\_match(cell binding, void *ctx, sigjmp\_buf *failureLunused)
  {
    cell maybe \leftarrow (\textbf{cell}) \ ctx;
    assert(symbol\_p(maybe));
    assert(pair_p(binding));
    assert(symbol\_p(lcar(binding)));
    return lcar(binding) \equiv maybe ? 0 : -1;
```

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```
cell env_set_imp(cell where, cell label, cell datum, bool new_p, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     static int Swhere \leftarrow 3, Slabel \leftarrow 2, Sdatum \leftarrow 1, Stable \leftarrow 0;
     cell table, r \leftarrow NIL;
     Vhash hash;
     long idx;
     sigjmp_buf cleanup;
     Verror reason \leftarrow LERR_NONE;
     assert(environment_p(where));
     assert(symbol\_p(label));
       /* datum validated by caller — in particular it could be UNDEFINED. */
     stack\_protect(4, where, label, datum, NIL, failure);
     if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) unwind(failure, reason, false, 4);
     hash \leftarrow symbol\_hash(SO(Slabel));
  again: SS(Stable, (table \leftarrow env\_layer(SO(Swhere))));
     idx \leftarrow keytable\_search(table, hash, env\_match, (void *) SO(Slabel), & cleanup);
     if (idx \equiv FAIL \lor null\_p(keytable\_ref(table, idx))) {
       if (\neg new\_p) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_MISSING);
       if (\neg keytable\_free\_p(table)) {
          table \leftarrow keytable\_enlarge\_m(table, env\_rehash, \&cleanup);
          env\_replace\_layer\_m(SO(Swhere), table);
         goto again;
       }
     else if (new_p) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_EXISTS);
     r \leftarrow cons(SO(Slabel), SO(Sdatum), \& cleanup);
     keytable\_save\_m(SO(Stable), idx, r);
     r \leftarrow keytable\_ref(SO(Stable), idx);
     stack\_clear(4);
     return r;
  }
       cell env_define(cell where, cell label, cell datum, sigjmp_buf *failure)
167.
     assert(defined_p(datum));
     return env_set_imp(where, label, datum, true, failure);
168.
       cell env_set(cell where, cell label, cell datum, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     assert(defined_p(datum));
     return env_set_imp(where, label, datum, false, failure);
  }
169. cell env_unset(cell where, cell label, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     return env_set_imp (where, label, UNDEFINED, false, failure);
```

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```
void env_clear(cell where, cell label, sigjmp_buf *failure)
    cell table;
     Vhash hash;
     long idx;
     assert(environment_p(where));
     assert(symbol\_p(label));
     hash \leftarrow symbol\_hash(label);
     table \leftarrow env\_layer(where);
     idx \leftarrow keytable\_search(table, hash, env\_match, (void *) label, failure);
     if (idx \neq FAIL \land \neg null\_p(keytable\_ref(table, idx))) keytable\_remove\_m(table, idx);
171. cell env_here(cell haystack, cell needle, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     cell r \leftarrow \texttt{NIL};
     long idx;
     assert(environment\_p(haystack));
     assert(symbol\_p(needle));
     idx \leftarrow keytable\_search(env\_layer(haystack), symbol\_hash(needle), env\_match, (void *)
          needle, failure);
    if (idx \equiv FAIL) return NIL;
     r \leftarrow keytable\_ref(env\_layer(haystack), idx);
     if (null_{-}p(r) \vee undefined_{-}p(lcdr(r))) return NIL;
     else return r;
  }
        #define env\_look(H, N, F) env\_search((H), (N), false, (F))
  cell env_search(cell haystack, cell needle, bool ascend, sigjmp_buf *failure)
  {
     \mathbf{cell} \ r;
     assert(environment_p(haystack));
     assert(symbol\_p(needle));
     for (; \neg null\_p(haystack); haystack \leftarrow env\_previous(haystack))  {
       r \leftarrow env\_here(haystack, needle, failure);
       if (\neg null\_p(r)) return lcdr(r);
       else if (\neg ascend) break;
    return UNDEFINED;
```

70 Lexemes Lossless §173

173. Lexemes. Non-numeric lexemes on the whole are sufficient on their own without flags. The exception is blank space which can be horizontal or vertical.

```
#define LLF_NONE 0x00
#define LLF_HORIZONTAL 0x01
#define LLF_VERTICAL 0x02
```

174. Numeric lexemes on the other hand pick up bits explaining which base the scanner detected, the presence of a sign, decimal point, etc. This information is squeezed into 8 bits, mostly because I could.

To achieve this the base, 2, 8, 10 or 16 is instead encoded as 2, 8, 0 and 10 which use only the bits 2^1 (2) & 2^3 (8). This algorithm uses bit twiddling to turn the base stuffed in the lexeme's flags into its numeric equivalent.

```
#define LLF_BASE2 0x02
#define LLF_BASE8 0x08
#define LLF_BASE16 0x0a
#define LLF_BASE(O) flag2base(O)
  int flag2base(int f)
                                                    /* 0 2 8 10 */
    f = 5;
                                                    /* 5 7 13 15 */
                                                    /* 6 8 14 16 */
    f++;
    f \leftarrow (f \& \sim 2) \mid (((f \& 8) \gg 2) \oplus (f \& 2));
                                                    /* 6 10 12 16 */
    f \leftarrow (f \& \sim 8) \mid ((f \& 4) \ll 1);
                                                    /* 14 2 12 16 */
                                                    /*10 2 8 16 */
    return f \& 26;
```

175. For comparison here's the reverse algorithm using tests and branching.

```
\label{eq:continuous_bound} \begin{cases} & \text{if } (b \equiv 10) \text{ return } 0; \\ & \text{else if } (b \equiv 16) \text{ return } 10; \\ & \text{else return } b; \\ \end{cases}
```

176. Complex or imaginary components of a number are indicated with an i, j or k suffix. The lexical analyser detects and flags these using the bits at 2^0 and 2^2 in order to fit around the bits which encode the base. In this case no bits set indicates a real number. Macros LLF_COMPLEXITY and LLF_IMAGINATE transform the flag value into a number 0-3 and vice versa.

```
#define LLF_COMPLEXI _{0x}01
#define LLF_COMPLEXJ _{0x}04
#define LLF_COMPLEXK _{0x}05
#define LLF_COMPLEX_P(O) ((O) & _{0x}05)
#define LLF_COMPLEXITY(O) (((O) & 1) | (LLF_COMPLEX_P(O) \gg 1)) /* [_{\square}IJK] \rightarrow [0123] */#define LLF_IMAGINATE(O) (((O) & _{\sim}2) | (((O) & 2) \ll 1)) /* [0123] \rightarrow [_{\square}IJK] */
```

177. With the 4 lower bits in use the remaining 4 indicate whether a sign is present and which, and likewise a decimal point or slash.

```
#define LLF_NEGATIVE 0x10
#define LLF_POSITIVE 0x20
#define LLF_SIGN 0x30
#define LLF_DOT 0x40
#define LLF_SLASH 0x80
#define LLF_RATIO 0xc0
```

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```
Alphabetical order. TODO: Short in-line description and run-time reverse mapping.
\langle \text{Type definitions } 6 \rangle + \equiv
  typedef enum {
    LEXICAT_NONE,
                          /* 0 */
                                                                                            /* ... 4 */
    LEXICAT_CLOSE, LEXICAT_CONSTANT, LEXICAT_CURIOUS, LEXICAT_DELIMITER,
    LEXICAT_DOT, LEXICAT_END, LEXICAT_ESCAPED_STRING, LEXICAT_ESCAPED_SYMBOL,
                                                                                               /* ... 8 */
    LEXICAT_NUMBER, LEXICAT_OPEN, LEXICAT_RAW_STRING, LEXICAT_RAW_SYMBOL,
                                                                                            /* ... 12 */
    LEXICAT_RECURSE_HERE, LEXICAT_RECURSE_IS, LEXICAT_SPACE, LEXICAT_SYMBOL,
                                                                                               /* ... 16 */
    LEXICAT_INVALID
  } Vlexicat;
      A lexeme records where in a rope it began and how many bytes and runes it occupies.
#define LEXEME_TWINE 0
                                  /* The rope twine in which a lexeme started. */
#define LEXEME_LENGTH 1
\#define lexeme(O) ((Olexeme *) record\_base(O))
\#define lexeme\_twine(O) (record\_cell((O), LEXEME\_TWINE))
#define lexeme\_set\_twine\_m(O, D) (record\_set\_cell\_m((O), LEXEME\_TWINE, (D)))
\#define lexeme\_byte(O, I) (rope\_byte(lexeme\_twine(O), lexeme(O) \neg tboffset + (I)))
\langle \text{Type definitions } 6 \rangle + \equiv
  typedef struct {
    long tboffset;
                        /* Byte in the twine where the lexeme began. */
                       /* Lexeme's starting point in the rope, in runes. */
    long cpstart;
    long blength, cplength;
                                 /* Lexeme's length in bytes & runes. */
                     /* Extra detail as described previously. */
    char flags;
    Vlexicat cat;
                        /* The lexeme's category as above. */
  } Olexeme:
180. cell lexeme_new(Vlexicat cat, char flags, cell twine, long tboffset, long blength, long
            cpstart, long cplength, sigjmp_buf *failure)
  {
    static int Stwine \leftarrow 0;
    \mathbf{cell} \ r:
    sigjmp_buf cleanup;
    Verror reason \leftarrow LERR_NONE;
    assert(null\_p(twine) \lor rope\_p(twine));
    stack\_protect(1, twine, failure);
    if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) unwind(failure, reason, false, 1);
    r \leftarrow record\_new(fix(RECORD\_LEXEME), LEXEME\_LENGTH, sizeof(Olexeme), & cleanup);
    lexeme\_set\_twine\_m(r, SO(Stwine));
    lexeme(r) \neg cat \leftarrow cat;
    lexeme(r) \rightarrow flags \leftarrow flags;
    lexeme(r) \rightarrow tboffset \leftarrow tboffset;
    lexeme(r) \rightarrow blength \leftarrow blength;
    lexeme(r) \neg cpstart \leftarrow cpstart;
    lexeme(r) \neg cplength \leftarrow cplength;
    stack\_clear(1);
    return r:
  }
```

72 SYNTAX PARSER LOSSLESS §181

181. Syntax Parser. The completed result of the lexical analyser is given to the syntax parser to transform it from a list of tokens into a tree of operations. Each node in this tree which with some irony doesn't use any of the built-in trees is a syntax object — a record (of only cells) holding the datum which was parsed from the source and a record of where in the stream of lexemes it was found.

```
\#define SYNTAX_DATUM 0
                                   /* The parsed datum. */
                                 /* (Unused) a note for the future use of the evaluator. */
#define SYNTAX_NOTE 1
                                   /* The lexeme which began this datum. */
#define SYNTAX_START 2
#define SYNTAX_END 3
                                /* The lexeme which ended this datum (inclusive). */
#define SYNTAX_VALID 4
                                  /* Whether the source is valid and can be evaluated. */
#define SYNTAX_LENGTH 5
\#define syntax\_datum(O) (record\_cell((O), SYNTAX\_DATUM))
\#define syntax\_end(O) (record\_cell((O), SYNTAX\_END))
#define syntax_note(O) (record_cell((O), SYNTAX_NOTE))
\#define syntax\_start(O) (record\_cell((O), SYNTAX\_START))
\#define syntax\_valid(O) (record\_cell((O), SYNTAX\_VALID))
#define syntax_new(D, S, E, F) syntax_new_imp((D), NIL, (S), (E), true, (F))
#define syntax_invalid(D, S, E, F) syntax_new_imp((D), NIL, (S), (E), false, (F))
  cell syntax_new_imp(cell datum, cell note, cell start, cell end, bool valid, sigjmp_buf *failure)
    static int Sdatum \leftarrow 3, Snote \leftarrow 2, Sstart \leftarrow 1, Send \leftarrow 0;
    cell r \leftarrow \texttt{NIL};
    sigjmp_buf cleanup;
    Verror reason \leftarrow \texttt{LERR\_NONE};
    assert(defined_p(datum));
    assert(null\_p(note) \lor symbol\_p(note));
    assert(dlist\_p(start) \land lexeme\_p(dlist\_datum(start)));
    assert(dlist\_p(end) \land lexeme\_p(dlist\_datum(end)));
                                                                /* \wedge start \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow next \equiv end */
    stack\_protect(4, datum, note, start, end, failure);
    \textbf{if} \ (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) \ unwind(failure, reason, false, 4);\\
    r \leftarrow record\_new(fix(RECORD\_SYNTAX), SYNTAX\_LENGTH, 0, \& cleanup);
    record\_set\_cell\_m(r, SYNTAX\_VALID, predicate(valid));
    record\_set\_cell\_m(r, SYNTAX\_NOTE, SO(Snote));
    record\_set\_cell\_m(r, SYNTAX\_DATUM, SO(Sdatum));
    record\_set\_cell\_m(r, SYNTAX\_START, SO(Sstart));
    record\_set\_cell\_m(r, SYNTAX\_END, SO(Send));
    stack\_clear(4);
    return r;
```

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182. Annotated pairs. These are used by the evaluator (below) to keep track of its partial work. The evaluator should probably be refactored to use syntax nodes instead. At least they should use a numeric identifier rather than a LossLess symbol to avoid this horrific API:

```
#define Sym_APPLICATIVE (symbol_new_const("APPLICATIVE"))
#define Sym_COMBINE_APPLY (symbol_new_const("COMBINE-APPLY"))
#define Sym_COMBINE_BUILD (symbol_new_const("COMBINE-BUILD"))
#define Sym_COMBINE_DISPATCH (symbol_new_const("COMBINE-DISPATCH"))
#define Sym_COMBINE_FINISH (symbol_new_const("COMBINE-FINISH"))
#define Sym_COMBINE_OPERATE (symbol_new_const("COMBINE-OPERATE"))
#define Sym_DEFINITION (symbol_new_const("DEFINITION"))
#define Sym_EVALUATE_DISPATCH (symbol_new_const("EVALUATE-DISPATCH"))
#define Sym_SAVE_AND_EVALUATE (symbol_new_const("SAVE-ENVIRONMENT-AND-EVALUATE"))
#define Sym_ENVIRONMENT_P (symbol_new_const("ENVIRONMENT?"))
#define Sym_ENVIRONMENT_M (symbol_new_const("ENVIRONMENT!"))
#define Sym_EVALUATE (symbol_new_const("EVALUATE"))
#define Sym_OPERATIVE (symbol_new_const("OPERATIVE"))
\langle \text{ Prepare constants \& symbols } 182 \rangle \equiv
  (void) Sym_APPLICATIVE;
  (void) Sym_COMBINE_APPLY;
  (void) Sym_COMBINE_BUILD;
  (void) Sym_COMBINE_DISPATCH;
  (void) Sym_COMBINE_FINISH;
  (void) Sym_{-}COMBINE_{-}OPERATE;
  (void) Sym_{-}CONDITIONAL;
  (void) Sym_DEFINITION;
  (void) Sym_{-}EVALUATE;
 (void) Sym_ENVIRONMENT_P;
 (void) Sym_{-}OPERATIVE;
This code is used in section 333.
      #define note(O) (lcar(O))
183.
#define note\_pair(O) (lcdr(O))
#define note\_car(O) (lcar(note\_pair(O)))
#define note\_cdr(O) (lcdr(note\_pair(O)))
\#define note\_set\_car\_m(O, V) (lcar\_set\_m(note\_pair(O), (V)))
#define note\_set\_cdr\_m(O, V) (lcdr\_set\_m(note\_pair(O), (V)))
 cell note_new(cell label, cell ncar, cell ncdr, sigjmp_buf *failure)
    static int Slabel \leftarrow 3, Sncar \leftarrow 2, Sncdr \leftarrow 1, Stmp \leftarrow 0;
    cell r:
    sigimp_buf cleanup;
    Verror reason \leftarrow LERR_NONE;
    assert(symbol\_p(label));
    assert(defined_p(ncar) \land defined_p(ncdr));
    stack_protect(4, label, ncar, ncdr, NIL, failure);
    if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) unwind(failure, reason, false, 4);
    SS(Stmp, cons(SO(Sncar), SO(Sncdr), \& cleanup));
    r \leftarrow atom(Theap, SO(Slabel), SO(Stmp), FORM_NOTE, & cleanup);
    stack\_clear(4);
    return r;
```

184. Programs (Closures). Programs in LossLess are divided into two categories: *operative* and *applicative*. Programs are also and more formally known as *combiners* when they are the first expression in a list which is being evaluated, which is by *combining* the multiple expressions (*combiner & arguments*) into a single expression (return value).

A combiner is a program which condenses zero or more arguments into a single expression. Internally a combiner is further distinguished by whether it has been provided by the implementation or defined at run-time. A *closure* is a combiner which includes the environment that was in place when it was defined and it re-established when the closure program is evaluated.

Given the astonishing compute capabilities which closures enable they have comically simple storage requirements. A list records the run-time environment they were created in with the expression to evaluate and its arguments (*formals*). Applicative and operative closures are identified by their tag.

```
\#define closure\_formals(O) (lcar(O))
\#define closure\_environment(O) (lcadr(O))
#define closure\_body(O) (lcaddr(O))
\langle Function declarations 21\rangle + \equiv
  cell closure_new(bool, cell, cell, sigjmp_buf *);
185.
       Usually (always?) these arguments are actually in registers and the stack dancing is unnecessary.
  cell closure_new(bool is_applicative,
                         /* From register: Accumulator, */
       cell formals,
      sigjmp_buf *failure)
    static int Sformals \leftarrow 3, Senv \leftarrow 2, Sbody \leftarrow 1, Sret \leftarrow 0;
    \mathbf{cell} \ r;
    sigjmp_buf cleanup;
    Verror reason \leftarrow LERR_NONE;
    stack_protect(4, formals, environment, body, NIL, failure);
    if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) unwind(failure, reason, false, 4);
    SS(Sret, cons(SO(Sbody), SO(Sret), \& cleanup));
    SS(Sret, cons(SO(Senv), SO(Sret), \&cleanup));
    SS(Sret, atom(Theap, SO(Sformals), SO(Sret),
         is_applicative ? FORM_APPLICATIVE : FORM_OPERATIVE, & cleanup));
    r \leftarrow SO(Sret);
    stack\_clear(4);
    return r;
```

186. Despite being an incredibly powerful abstraction tool closures cannot actually *do* anything on their own. Closures are built from closures built out of closures which, eventually, must use *primitive* tasks to perform actions — closures are really little more than an elaborate means of structuring memory.

The definition of primitives here is overly simplistic and has a number of deficiencies both in terms of time and space, which will be especially felt on the older and/or smaller architectures which are also being targetted. For now (2022) this is a "temporary solution" until the evaluation process (below) is ready to be considered some form of "complete".

A primitive is a block of C code identified by a **Vprimitive**, an integer offset into an array of **Oprimitive** objects, *Iprimitive*.

```
\#define primitive(O) (fix\_value(lcar(O)))
\#define primitive\_label(O) (lcdr(O))
\#define primitive\_base(O) (&Iprimitive[primitive(O)])
#define primitive\_applicative\_p(O) (primitive\_p(O) \land primitive\_base(O) \neg applicative)
\#define primitive\_operative\_p(O) (primitive\_p(O) \land \neg primitive\_base(O) \neg applicative)
\langle \text{Type definitions } 6 \rangle + \equiv
  typedef enum { \( \) Symbolic primitive identifiers 274 \( \) PRIMITIVE_LENGTH \( \) Vprimitive;
  typedef struct {
    char *label;
                      /* LossLess binding. */
    cell box;
                   /* Heap storage. */
    bool applicative;
                           /* Or operative? */
                           /* Minimum and/or maximum required arguments. */
    char min, max;
  } Oprimitive:
#if 0
           /* Something like this to share segments between raw string and rope/symbol storage? */
  [PRIMITIVE\_FOO] \leftarrow \{ \& Sym\_FOO, NIL, \dots \},
  shared Osegment Sym_{-}FOO \leftarrow \{.address \leftarrow "foo"\};
#endif
```

187. The *Iprimitive* array associates the internal numeric identifier with the LossLess symbol representing the primitive. During initialisation each primitive is bound to its symbol in a pair stored in *Root*, which is the initial environment the run-time is in prior to establishing any closures and is what's returned by (root-environment).

```
⟨Global variables 15⟩ +≡
Oprimitive Iprimitive[] ← {⟨Primitive definitions 275⟩};
shared cell Root ← NIL;

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Root ← env_empty(failure);
for (i ← 0; i < PRIMITIVE_LENGTH; i++) {
    x ← symbol_new_const(Iprimitive[i].label);
    x ← Iprimitive[i].box ← atom(Theap, fix(i), x, FORM_PRIMITIVE, failure);
    env_define(Root, primitive_label(x), x, failure);
}</pre>
This code is used in section 333.
```

¹ It's important only that primitives work and speed is not of the essence.

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190. Lexical Analysis. Source code is first scanned to categorise each byte or contiguous sequence of bytes and create a lexeme object out of them, concatenated together in a doubly-linked list.

The lexical analyser (LEXAR) is a state machine in the form of a record holding at each moment where it is in the source code and what it has most recently seen. Scanning proceeds until the source rope is entirely consumed.

This lexical analyser occasionally needs to examine thext rune to determine what lexeme is being represented. To achieve this it's possible to return a rune into the state machine so that subsequent iteration will return it instead of iterating over the backing rope. This ordinarily simple task is complicated by the need to track where in the rope the lexeme islocated, both by byte/rune position and taking note of the rope twine, which may have changed between runes.

Achieving this uses two pairs of cells in the analyser state machine, each pair consisting of a rune and the twine in which it was encountered.

The first pair is the "peeked" pair. Every returned twine/rune combination is put here before being analysed and until the rune is accepted further peeking will return that rune. If the rune is put back then the combination is moved to the second — "backput" — pair and will not be considered when the analysis state is used to create a complete lexical token but *will* be returned the next time a rune is peeked (after being moved back to the "peeked" pair of attributes).

```
#define LEXAR_STARTER 0
                                  /* Lexeme's starting twine. */
#define LEXAR_ITERATOR 1
                                  /* Current position in rope. */
#define LEXAR_PEEKED_TWINE 2
                                       /* Twine containing the rune under consideration. */
                                       /* The rune under consideration. */
#define LEXAR_PEEKED_RUNE 3
#define LEXAR_BACKPUT_TWINE 4
                                         /* The twine containing an unwanted rune. */
                                        /* The unwanted rune. */
#define LEXAR_BACKPUT_RUNE 5
#define LEXAR_LENGTH 6
#define lexar(O) ((Olexical_analyser *) record\_base(O))
\#define lexar\_starter(O) (record\_cell((O), LEXAR\_STARTER))
\#define lexar\_iterator(O) (record\_cell((O), LEXAR\_ITERATOR))
\#define lexar\_peeked\_rune(O) (record\_cell((O), LEXAR\_PEEKED\_RUNE))
\#define lexar\_peeked\_twine(O) (record\_cell((O), LEXAR\_PEEKED\_TWINE))
          lexar\_backput\_rune(O) (record\_cell((O), LEXAR\_BACKPUT\_RUNE))
#define
          lexar\_backput\_twine(O) (record\_cell((O), LEXAR\_BACKPUT\_TWINE))
#define
\#define lexar\_set\_starter\_m(O, D) (record\_set\_cell\_m((O), LEXAR\_STARTER, (D)))
\#define lexar\_set\_iterator\_m(O, D) (record\_set\_cell\_m((O), LEXAR\_ITERATOR, (D)))
\#define lexar\_set\_peeked\_rune\_m(O, D) (record\_set\_cell\_m((O), LEXAR\_PEEKED\_RUNE, (D)))
\#define lexar\_set\_peeked\_twine\_m(O, D) (record\_set\_cell\_m((O), LEXAR\_PEEKED\_TWINE, (D)))
\#define lexar\_set\_backput\_rune\_m(O, D) (record\_set\_cell\_m((O), LEXAR\_BACKPUT\_RUNE, (D)))
\#define lexar\_set\_backput\_twine\_m(O, D) (record\_set\_cell\_m((O), LEXAR\_BACKPUT\_TWINE, (D)))
\langle \text{Type definitions } 6 \rangle + \equiv
  typedef struct {
                         /* For brevity's sake accessors are not defined for these attributes. */
                      /* Byte offset where this lexeme began. */
    long tbstart;
                      /* Number of bytes scanned so far. */
    long blength;
                      /* — " — runes (into the whole rope). */
/* — " — scanned. */
    long cpstart;
    long cplength;
  } Olexical_analyser;
       \langle Function declarations 21\rangle + \equiv
  cell lexar_append(int, int, Vlexicat, int, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell lexar_clone(cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell lexar_peek(int, sigjmp_buf *);
  void lexar_putback(int);
  cell lexar_start(cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell lexar_take(int, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell lex_rope(cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell lexar_token(int, int, sigjmp_buf *);
```

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192. To begin scanning *lexar_start* is called with the rope to scan and it returns a fresh lexical analyser state machine ready to iterate from the beginning of the rope.

```
cell lexar_start(cell o, sigjmp_buf *failure)
  static int Srope \leftarrow 1, Sret \leftarrow 0;
  \mathbf{cell} \ r:
  sigjmp_buf cleanup;
  Verror reason \leftarrow LERR_NONE;
  assert(rope\_p(o));
  stack_protect(2, o, NIL, failure);
  if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) unwind(failure, reason, false, 2);
  SS(Sret, record\_new(fix(RECORD\_LEXAR), LEXAR\_LENGTH, sizeof(Olexical\_analyser), & cleanup));
  lexar\_set\_iterator\_m(SO(Sret), rope\_iterate\_start(SO(Srope), -1, \& cleanup));
  lexar_set_starter_m(SO(Sret), NIL);
  lexar\_set\_peeked\_twine\_m(SO(Sret), VOID);
  lexar\_set\_backput\_twine\_m(SO(Sret), VOID);
  r \leftarrow SO(Sret);
  lexar(r) \rightarrow tbstart \leftarrow lexar(r) \rightarrow blength \leftarrow lexar(r) \rightarrow cpstart \leftarrow lexar(r) \rightarrow cplength \leftarrow 0;
  stack\_clear(2);
  return r;
}
```

193. Raw strings and symbols scan three lexemes at a time and when each begins the state of the analyser is cloned so that they can be created correctly later.

```
cell lexar_clone(cell o, sigjmp_buf *failure)
  static int Slexar \leftarrow 1, Sret \leftarrow 0;
  cell r, tmp;
  sigjmp_buf cleanup;
  Verror reason \leftarrow LERR_NONE;
  assert(lexar_p(o));
  stack\_protect(2, o, NIL, failure);
  if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) unwind(failure, reason, false, 2);
  SS(Sret, r \leftarrow record\_new(fix(RECORD\_LEXAR), LEXAR\_LENGTH, sizeof(Olexical\_analyser),
        \& cleanup);
  tmp \leftarrow lexar\_starter(SO(Slexar));
  lexar\_set\_starter\_m(r, tmp);
  tmp \leftarrow rope\_iterate\_start(tmp, lexar(\texttt{SO}(Slexar)) \neg tbstart, \& cleanup);
  r \leftarrow SO(Sret);
  lexar\_set\_iterator\_m(r, tmp);
  lexar\_set\_peeked\_twine\_m(r, VOID);
  lexar\_set\_backput\_twine\_m(r, VOID);
  *lexar(r) \leftarrow *lexar(SO(Slexar));
  stack\_clear(2);
  return r;
```

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194. When a rune is obtained, from the put-back buffer or by iteration over the backing rope, or when a rune is put back into the put-back buffer, its position in the source is updated. If the "rune" is in fact LEOF then this takes up no space so care must be taken when it gets put back.

After a lexeme is created and appended the starting location is reset by setting the starter twine to NIL. In most cases the analyser immediately returns the lexeme to the caller but those which do not use *lexar_reset* directly to indicate the beginning of a new lexeme without peeking.

```
#define lexar_reset(L,R) do
          {
             lexar\_set\_starter\_m((L), rope\_iter\_twine((R)));
            lexar(L) \neg tbstart \leftarrow rope\_iter(R) \neg tboffset;
            lexar(L) \neg cpstart \leftarrow rope\_iter(R) \neg cpoffset;
          while (0)
  \mathbf{cell}\ \mathit{lexar\_peek}(\mathbf{int}\ \mathit{Silex}, \mathbf{sigjmp\_buf}\ *\mathit{failure})
     cell irope, ilex, r, tmp;
     assert(lexar_p(SO(Silex)));
     ilex \leftarrow SO(Silex);
     irope \leftarrow lexar\_iterator(ilex);
     if (null_p(lexar_starter(ilex))) lexar_reset(ilex, irope);
     if (\neg void_p(lexar\_backput\_twine(ilex))) {
                                                          /* Something has been put back. */
       assert(void_p(lexar_peeked_twine(ilex)));
                                                          /* Start at the re-included rune. */
       if (\neg eof_p(lexar\_backput\_rune(ilex))) {
          lexar(ilex)-tbstart -= rune\_parsed(lexar\_backput\_rune(ilex));
          lexar(ilex) \neg cpstart = 1;
       lexar_set_peeked_twine_m(ilex, lexar_backput_twine(ilex));
       lexar_set_peeked_rune_m(ilex, lexar_backput_rune(ilex));
       lexar_set_backput_twine_m(ilex, VOID);
     else if (void_p(lexar_peeked_twine(ilex))) {
                                                             /* Nothing is pending. */
       tmp \leftarrow rope\_iterate\_next\_utfo(irope, failure);
       lexar\_set\_peeked\_rune\_m(SO(Silex), tmp);
       lexar\_set\_peeked\_twine\_m(SO(Silex), rope\_iter\_twine(irope));
     else return lexar_peeked_rune(ilex);
                                                     /* A rune is already being examined. */
     r \leftarrow lexar\_peeked\_rune(ilex);
     if (\neg eof_p(r)) {
       lexar(ilex) \rightarrow cplength +++;
       lexar(ilex) \rightarrow blength += rune\_parsed(r);
     return r;
  }
        If a rune is accepted by the scanner lexar_take clears the peeked-at rune from the analyser state.
  cell lexar_take(int Silex, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     \mathbf{cell} \ r;
     assert(lexar_p(SO(Silex)));
     assert(void\_p(lexar\_backput\_twine(SO(Silex))));
     r \leftarrow lexar\_peek(Silex, failure);
     lexar_set_peeked_twine_m(SO(Silex), VOID);
     return r;
  }
```

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196. A rune can only be put back if the "backput" buffer is empty. If so then the twine/rune pair is moved from the peeked buffer and the scanned length count reduced (unless the "rune" was really LEOF).

```
void lexar_putback(int Silex)
{
    cell tmp;
    assert(lexar_p(SO(Silex)));
    assert(¬void_p(lexar_peeked_twine(SO(Silex))));
    assert(void_p(lexar_backput_twine(SO(Silex))));
    tmp \leftarrow lexar_peeked_rune(SO(Silex));
    if (¬eof_p(tmp)) {
        lexar(SO(Silex))¬cplength --;
        lexar(SO(Silex))¬blength -= rune_parsed(tmp);
    }
    lexar_set_backput_rune_m(SO(Silex), tmp);
    lexar_set_backput_twine_m(SO(Silex), lexar_peeked_twine(SO(Silex)));
    lexar_set_peeked_twine_m(SO(Silex), VOID);
}
```

197. When a lexical token is complete *lexar_append* uses the current state of the analyser to create a lexeme and resets the state sufficient that the next scan will begin a new token by setting the starter twine to NIL.

If the token being appended is LEXICAT_SPACE or LEXICAT_INVALID and the previous token matches it then that token is extended rather than appending another one.

```
cell lexar_append(int Silex, int Sret, Vlexicat cat, int flags, sigjmp_buf *failure)
   cell r \leftarrow \text{NIL}, tmp;
   Olexical_analyser *l;
   assert(lexar_p(SO(Silex)));
   if ((cat \equiv \texttt{LEXICAT\_SPACE} \lor cat \equiv \texttt{LEXICAT\_INVALID}) \land (tmp \leftarrow dlist\_datum(\texttt{SO}(Sret))),
            lexeme\_p(tmp)) \land lexeme(tmp) \neg cat \equiv cat \land lexeme(tmp) \neg flags \equiv flags)  {
      lexeme(tmp) \rightarrow blength += lexar(SO(Silex)) \rightarrow blength;
      lexeme(tmp) \neg cplength += lexar(SO(Silex)) \neg cplength;
      r \leftarrow SO(Sret);
   else {
      l \leftarrow lexar(SO(Silex));
      tmp \leftarrow lexeme\_new(cat, flags, lexar\_starter(SO(Silex)), l \rightarrow tbstart, l \rightarrow blength, l \rightarrow cpstart, l \rightarrow cplength,
      r \leftarrow dlist\_append\_datum\_m(SO(Sret), tmp, failure);
      SS(Sret, r);
   l \leftarrow lexar(SO(Silex));
   if (\neg void\_p(lexar\_peeked\_twine(SO(Silex)))) lexar\_take(Silex, failure);
   l \rightarrow blength \leftarrow l \rightarrow cplength \leftarrow 0;
   lexar\_set\_starter\_m(SO(Silex), NIL);
   return dlist\_datum(r);
}
```

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198. The analysis state machine itself is implemented in *lexar_token* which consumes bytes sufficient to emit a single token, possibly leaving a rune in the buffer for the next token.

On top of the state held in the *lexar* object each token uses the following variables.

```
#define RIS(O, V) (rune(O) \equiv (V))
                                              /* Rune is ... */
#define CIS(O, V) (lexeme(O)\neg cat \equiv (V))
                                                    /* Category is ... */
#define lexar\_space\_p(O) (\neg rune\_failure\_p(O) \land
              (RIS((O), '\square') \lor RIS((O), '\t') \lor RIS((O), '\r') \lor RIS((O), '\n')))
\#define lexar\_opening\_p(O) (\neg rune\_failure\_p(O) \land (RIS((O), '(') \lor RIS((O), '\{') \lor RIS((O), '['))))
#define lexar\_closing\_p(O) (\neg rune\_failure\_p(O) \land (RIS((O), ')') \lor RIS((O), '}')') \lor RIS((O), ']')))
#define lexar\_terminator\_p(O) (eof\_p(O) \lor
              lexar\_space\_p(O) \lor lexar\_opening\_p(O) \lor lexar\_closing\_p(O))
#define lexeme\_terminator\_p(O) (CIS((O), LEXICAT_END) \lor
              CIS((O), LEXICAT\_OPEN) \lor CIS((O), LEXICAT\_CLOSE) \lor
              CIS((O), LEXICAT\_SPACE))
  cell lexar_token(int Silex, int Sret, sigjmp_buf *failure)
                                 /* The opening-delimiter lexeme of a raw string/symbol. */
    static int Ssdelim \leftarrow 3;
    static int Sedelim \leftarrow 2;
                                /* — ", — closing. */
                                 /* Remember where a closing delimiter may have begun. */
    static int Srdelim \leftarrow 1;
    static int Sditer \leftarrow 0;
                                 /* Rope iterator over an opening delimiter. */
                /* Current rune. */
                      /* — " — & opening delimiter's value. */
    int32_t d, v;
                       /* The base of the number being scanned. */
    int has\_imagination \leftarrow 0; /* The complexity of a number. */
    int has\_sign \leftarrow 0; /* Whether a number began with a sign, and which. */
                            /* Whether and how a number is rational. */
    int has\_ratio \leftarrow 0;
                        /* See LLF_*. */
    int flags \leftarrow 0;
                                 /* Whether a numeric digit is permitted. */
    int want\_digit \leftarrow MUST;
    Vlexicat cat \leftarrow LEXICAT_NONE; /* The category that is discovered. */
                                        /* The rope and ending-delimiter iterators. */
    Orope_iter *irope, *idelim;
    sigjmp_buf cleanup;
    Verror reason \leftarrow LERR\_NONE;
    cell r, tmp;
    int i;
     ⟨ Perform lexical analysis 199⟩
```

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199. The regular lexar_peek/lexar_putback/lexar_take API is further augmented by lexar_another to check whether the source has terminated with LEOF, possibly prematurely and in many cases it's known that the rune, if there is one, will be immediately taken.

```
#define lexar\_another(V, I, T, A, L, R, F) do
                /* Variable | Iterator | Take? | Allow-invalid? | Label | Return | Failure */
             (V) \leftarrow lexar\_peek((I), (F));
            if (eof_{-}p(V)) goto L;
            else if (\neg(A) \land rune\_failure\_p(V))
              \mathbf{return}\ lexar\_append((I),(R), \mathtt{LEXICAT\_INVALID}, \mathtt{LLF\_NONE},(F));
            else if (T) (V) \leftarrow lexar\_take((I), (F));
         }
         while (0)
\langle \text{ Perform lexical analysis } 199 \rangle \equiv
  c \leftarrow lexar\_peek(Silex, failure);
  if (eof_p(c)) return lexar_append(Silex, Sret, LEXICAT_END, LLF_NONE, failure);
  else if (rune\_failure(c) \equiv UTFIO\_EOF) goto LEXAR\_premature\_eof;
  else if (rune_failure_p(c)) return lexar_append(Silex, Sret, LEXICAT_INVALID, LLF_NONE, failure);
  else switch (rune(c)) {
       (Look for blank space 200)
       (Look for a bracketing token 201)
       \langle \text{Look for a symbol } 202 \rangle
       (Look for a string 203)
       (Look for a curious token 210)
       (Look for a number 211)
  abort();
                /* UNREACHABLE. */
LEXAR\_raw\_eof:
                       /* LEOF encountered while scanning a raw string or symbol. */
  stack\_clear(4);
  Silex -= 4;
  Sret = 4;
LEXAR\_premature\_eof:
                              /* LEOF encountered any where else it should not be. */
  lexar_append(Silex, Sret, LEXICAT_INVALID, LLF_NONE, failure);
  tmp \leftarrow rope\_iter\_twine(lexar\_iterator(SO(Silex)));
  lexar\_set\_starter\_m(SO(Silex), tmp);
  return lexar_append(Silex, Sret, LEXICAT_END, LLF_NONE, failure);
This code is used in section 198.
200. The range of space considered blank can be widened in future implementations of LossLess but
these four will do for now.
\langle \text{Look for blank space 200} \rangle \equiv
case '\': return lexar_append(Silex, Sret, LEXICAT_SPACE, LLF_HORIZONTAL, failure);
case '\r': case '\n': return lexar_append(Silex, Sret, LEXICAT_SPACE, LLF_VERTICAL, failure);
This code is used in section 199.
       From the lexical analyser's perspective all brackets look the same. It is the parser's job to consider
the combination of an opening bracket, closing bracket and their contents.
\langle \, {\rm Look} \ {\rm for} \ {\rm a} \ {\rm bracketing} \ {\rm token} \ {\scriptstyle 201} \, \rangle \equiv
case '(':
               /* List */
case ', [':
                /* Vector */
case '{':
                /* Relation */
  return lexar_append(Silex, Sret, LEXICAT_OPEN, LLF_NONE, failure);
case '.':
  return lexar_append(Silex, Sret, LEXICAT_DOT, LLF_NONE, failure);
case ')': case ']': case '}':
```

return lexar_append(Silex, Sret, LEXICAT_CLOSE, LLF_NONE, failure);

This code is used in section 199.

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202. Strings and Symbols. Symbols are begun by any character which isn't matched by anything else; the syntactic runes above or those below which indicate some other token. Unlike most lisp or scheme implementations only space or brackets terminate a symbol — any other rune (in particular .) is considered part of the symbol token.

At this stage no effort is made to constrain non-printable-ASCII runes, including control characters, and the myriad unicode exceptions and confusables. Some certainly should.

This code is used in section 199.

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203. Strings are delimited by $\langle\langle 1 \rangle\rangle$, special characters within them are escaped with $\langle\langle \# \rangle\rangle$. These were chosed to ease development of LossLess and are subject to change when LossLess is subject to less change.

Symbols with arbitrary labels can also be created using the same escaping rules as strings by preceding the opening $\langle\!\langle \, | \, \rangle\!\rangle$ delimiter with $\langle\!\langle \, \# \, | \, \dots \, | \, \rangle\!\rangle$.

```
⟨Look for a string 203⟩ ≡
case '\'': case '"': return lexar_append(Silex, Silex, LEXICAT_INVALID, LLF_NONE, failure);
case '|': cat ← LEXICAT_ESCAPED_STRING;
string: /* or "comefrom "#|"" with cat ← LEXICAT_ESCAPED_SYMBOL. */
lexar_take(Silex, failure);
while (1) {
   if (Interrupt) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_INTERRUPT);
    lexar_another(c, Silex, true, true, LEXAR_premature_eof, Sret, failure);
   if (rune(c) ≡ '|') return lexar_append(Silex, Sret, cat, LLF_NONE, failure);
   else if (rune(c) ≡ '#') {
        lexar_another(c, Silex, true, true, LEXAR_premature_eof, Sret, failure);
        switch (rune(c)) {⟨Scan an escape sequence 204⟩}
   }
}
break;
See also section 205.
```

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204. Few escape sequences are defined. Anything other than these following a # is an error (except
that the scanner is case insensitive). The macros detect whether the appropriate byte(s) are there.
                          \rightarrow Literal \langle\langle | \rangle\rangle.
             ##
                          \rightarrow Literal \langle\!\langle \# \rangle\!\rangle.
                          \rightarrow Byte of value 0xxy.
             \#xxy
                          \rightarrow Byte of value °xyz.
                          \rightarrow UTF-8 sequence encoding unicode code point of value 0xwxyz.
             #uwxyz
             #(xyz...) \rightarrow (1–6 bytes) UTF-8 encoding of unicode code point with value 0xxyz...
#define lexar\_detect\_octal(V, I, C, R, F)
             lexar\_another((V), (I), true, true, LEXAR\_premature\_eof, (R), (F));
             if (\neg rune\_failure\_p(V) \land rune(V) \ge \text{'0'} \land rune(V) \le \text{'7'}) {
                lexar\_take((I),(F));
                continue;
             (C) \leftarrow \texttt{LEXICAT\_INVALID};
             break;
#define lexar\_detect\_hexadecimal(V, I, C, R, F)
             int32_t v;
             lexar\_another((V), (I), true, true, LEXAR\_premature\_eof, (R), (F));
             v \leftarrow rune(V);
             if (\neg rune\_failure\_p(V) \land ((v \ge '0' \land v \le '9') \lor (v \ge 'a' \land v \le 'f')) \lor (v \ge 'A' \land v \le 'F')))
                lexar\_take((I),(F));
                continue;
             (C) \leftarrow \texttt{LEXICAT\_INVALID};
             break;
\langle Scan an escape sequence 204\rangle \equiv
case '#': case '|': break;
case 'o': case '0':
                           /* Byte in octal. */
  for (i \leftarrow 0; i < 3; i++) lexar_detect_octal(c, Silex, cat, Sret, failure);
case 'x': case 'X':
                            /* Byte in hex. */
  for (i \leftarrow 0; i < 2; i++) lexar_detect_hexadecimal(c, Silex, cat, Sret, failure);
  break:
case 'u': case 'U':
                          /* Unicode code point (rune) in 4 hex digits. */
  for (i \leftarrow 0; i < 4; i++) lexar_detect_hexadecimal(c, Silex, cat, Sret, failure);
  break;
case '(':
                /* Variable length unicode code point (rune). */
  lexar\_detect\_hexadecimal(c, Silex, cat, Sret, failure);
  for (i \leftarrow 5; i; i--) lexar_another (c, Silex, true, true, LEXAR\_premature\_eof, Sret, failure);
  if (rune(c) \equiv ')') break;
  else lexar\_detect\_hexadecimal(c, Silex, cat, Sret, failure);
  if (\neg i \land cat \neq \texttt{LEXICAT\_INVALID})
     lexar\_another(c, Silex, true, true, LEXAR\_premature\_eof, Sret, failure);
  if (rune(c) \neq ")", cat \leftarrow \texttt{LEXICAT\_INVALID};
```

This code is used in section 203.

default: $cat \leftarrow LEXICAT_INVALID$;

break;

break;

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205. Strings of arbitrary bytes are delimited by arbitrary delimiters which are themselves delimited by a pair of \$\$s. The delimiter is everything between a pair of $\langle \$ \rangle$ symbols — for the time being constrained to ASCII letters, numbers and $\langle - \rangle$ & $\langle - \rangle$ — and may be empty as in $\langle \$ \rangle$. Successfully scanning a raw string appends three lexemes: "LEXICAT_DELIMITER | LEXICAT_RAW_STRING | LEXICAT_DELIMITER".

Arbitrary symbols can be defined with the same mechanism by preceding the opening delimiter with $\langle\!\langle \# \rangle\!\rangle$, as with escaped strings, and the result then includes the LEXICAT_RAW_SYMBOL lexeme instead of LEXICAT_RAW_STRING.

```
\langle \text{Look for a string } 203 \rangle + \equiv
case '$': cat \leftarrow LEXICAT_RAW_STRING;
                /* or "comefrom "#$"" with cat \leftarrow \texttt{LEXICAT\_RAW\_SYMBOL}. */
delimiter:
  (Scan a delimiter 206)
  stack\_reserve(4, failure);
  if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) unwind(failure, reason, false, 4);
  Silex += 4:
  Sret += 4;
  tmp \leftarrow lexar\_append(Silex, Sret, LEXICAT\_DELIMITER, LLF\_NONE, \&cleanup);
  lexar\_reset(SO(Silex), lexar\_iterator(SO(Silex)));
  SS(Ssdelim, tmp);
  (Scan a raw string for its closing delimiter 207)
        A raw string delimiter is "everything" from one \langle \! \langle \$ \rangle \! \rangle to another.
  TODO: Broaden the range of permitted code-points from [a-zA-Z0-9_-].
\langle \text{Scan a delimiter } 206 \rangle \equiv
  lexar_take(Silex, failure);
  while (1) {
     if (Interrupt) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_INTERRUPT);
     lexar\_another(c, Silex, true, false, LEXAR\_premature\_eof, Sret, failure);
     v \leftarrow rune(c);
     if (v \equiv '\$') break;
     else if (\neg((v \ge \texttt{'a'} \land v \le \texttt{'z'}) \lor (v \ge \texttt{'A'} \land v \le \texttt{'Z'}) \lor (v \ge \texttt{'0'} \land v \le \texttt{'9'}) \lor v \equiv \texttt{'\_'} \lor v \equiv \texttt{'-'}))
        return lexar_append(Silex, Sret, LEXICAT_INVALID, LLF_NONE, failure);
This code is used in section 205.
        Scanning a raw string bypasses the usual lexar API to iterate over the rope by bytes instead of
runes. Each byte is accepted and ignored unless it's \langle\!\langle \$ \rangle\!\rangle which begins scanning for the closing delimiter.
\langle Scan a raw string for its closing delimiter 207\rangle \equiv
  lexar(SO(Silex)) \rightarrow tbstart \leftarrow rope\_iter(lexar\_iterator(SO(Silex))) \rightarrow tboffset;
  while (1) {
     if (Interrupt) siglongjmp (cleanup, LERR_INTERRUPT);
     tmp \leftarrow lexar\_clone(SO(Silex), \& cleanup);
        /* Remember where we are if the delimiter is about to start. */
     SS(Sedelim, tmp);
     v \leftarrow rope\_iterate\_next\_byte(lexar\_iterator(SO(Silex)), \&cleanup);
     lexar(SO(Silex)) \rightarrow blength ++;
     if (v \equiv EOF) goto LEXAR\_raw\_eof;
     else if (v \neq `\$`) continue;
                   /* Think "$abc$...$ab$ab$abc$". */
redelimiter:
     (Scan a potential closing delimiter 208)
delimited:
  (Finish and return a raw string/symbol combination 209)
This code is used in section 205.
```

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208. A literal \$ may be the beginning of a closing delimiter or it may be part of the string, as may anything following the \$ up to the closing delimiter's closing \$.

To deal with this irritating state of affairs whenever a \$ is first encountered its position has already been saved in the stack at *Sedlim*. While scanning for a closing delimiter the state which may have to be saved if this turns out not to be a closing delimiter but a \$ suggests another one might be starting is saved at *Srdelim*.

With that book-keeping out the way the rope underlying the opening delimiter is iterated along with the source rope until the closing delimiter is complete or a conflict between the two indicates that the string is not finished.

```
\langle Scan a potential closing delimiter 208 \rangle \equiv
  tmp \leftarrow rope\_iterate\_start(lexeme\_twine(SO(Ssdelim)), lexeme(SO(Ssdelim)) \neg tboffset, \& cleanup);
  SS(Sditer, tmp);
                                                  /* \langle \langle \$ \rangle  — Will not fail (or be multi-byte). */
  rope_iterate_next_byte(tmp, failure);
  while (1) {
     if (Interrupt) siglongjmp (cleanup, LERR_INTERRUPT);
     SS(Srdelim, lexar\_clone(SO(Silex), \& cleanup));
                                                                 /* Where the delimiter might re-start. */
     v \leftarrow rope\_iterate\_next\_byte(lexar\_iterator(SO(Silex)), failure);
     if (v \equiv EOF) goto LEXAR\_raw\_eof;
     else {
        lexar(SO(Silex)) \neg cplength ++;
        d \leftarrow rope\_iterate\_next\_byte(SO(Sditer), \& cleanup);
                                                                         /* Will not fail. */
        if (v \neq d) {
           if (v \equiv '\$') {
             SS(Sedelim, SO(Srdelim));
             lexar(SO(Silex)) \rightarrow blength += lexar(SO(Silex)) \rightarrow cplength;
             lexar(SO(Silex)) \rightarrow cplength \leftarrow 0;
             goto redelimiter;
           else break;
        else if (v \equiv "") goto delimited;
  lexar(SO(Silex)) \rightarrow blength += lexar(SO(Silex)) \rightarrow cplength;
  lexar(SO(Silex)) \rightarrow cplength \leftarrow 0;
This code is used in section 207.
```

209. After a closing delimiter is successfully scanned the saved analyser state clones are used to create the three lexemes covering the string and its delimiters.

TODO: gcc warns that *irope* and *idelim* are set but not used — are they a holdover from earlier buggier days?

```
 \langle \text{Finish and return a raw string/symbol combination } 209 \rangle \equiv irope \leftarrow rope\_iter(lexar\_iterator(\$O(Silex))); \\ idelim \leftarrow rope\_iter(lexar\_iterator(\$O(Sedelim))); \\ lexar(\$O(Silex)) \neg cplength ++; \\ lexar(\$O(Silex)) \neg blength \leftarrow lexar(\$O(Silex)) \neg cplength; \\ lexar(\$O(Silex)) \neg tbstart += lexar(\$O(Sedelim)) \neg blength; \\ lexar(\$O(Sedelim)) \neg cplength \leftarrow 0; \\ lexar\_append(Sedelim, Sret, cat, \texttt{LLF\_NONE}, \& cleanup); \\ r \leftarrow lexar\_append(Silex, Sret, \texttt{LEXICAT\_DELIMITER}, \texttt{LLF\_NONE}, \& cleanup); \\ stack\_clear(4); \\ \textbf{return } r;
```

This code is used in section 207.

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210. Curios. Apart from strings, symbols and numbers (to follow) there are curious tokens which are "all bets are side off" tokens that begin with the rune $\langle\!\langle \# \rangle\!\rangle$. That is to say that the exact rules of how to parse a token beginning with a # are custom to each curious token.

The curious tokens that LossLess understands, working in tandem with the syntax parser, are:

Note that curiously signed numbers ($\pm \#[bodx]...$) are not scanned for here. Any other rune following a # is considered an error for now.

This code is used in section 199.

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211. Numbers. A number might be encountered bare by beginning with an ASCII-encoded Arabic digit 0–9 or it might be signed or be curiously encoded in a base other than 10.

An initial - or + may be the beginning of a number or a symbol. These succeeded by a digit 0-9 is a number, by . requires further testing and anything else was a symbol, which the syntax parser may reject.

```
#define UCP_INFINITY 0x211e
#define UCP_NAN_0 0x2116
#define UCP_NAN_1 0x20e0
\langle \text{Look for a number 211} \rangle \equiv
case '-': case '+':
  has\_sign \leftarrow (c \equiv `-`)? LLF_NEGATIVE : LLF_POSITIVE;
  lexar_take(Silex, failure);
  lexar\_another(c, Silex, false, false, false\_symbol, Sret, failure);
                                                                             /* See what's next. */
  switch (rune(c)) {\langle Look for a signed number 212 \rangle \}
See also sections 219, 220, and 221.
This code is used in section 199.
212. \pm followed by is the start of a number.
\langle \text{Look for a signed number } 212 \rangle \equiv
case '0': case '1': case '2': case '3': case '4':
case '5': case '6': case '7': case '8': case '9':
  want\_digit \leftarrow CAN;
  goto number;
See also sections 213, 215, 216, and 217.
This code is used in section 211.
        \langle\!\langle \pm \# \rangle\!\rangle might be a signed curious number or it might be a tokenisation error. \langle\!\langle \pm . \rangle\!\rangle might be a
signed vague number or a signed vague symbol.
\langle Look for a signed number 212\rangle +=
case '#': lexar_take(Silex, failure);
  lexar\_another(c, Silex, true, false, LEXAR\_premature\_eof, Sret, failure);
  switch (rune(c)) {\langle Detect a curious number 214 \rangle \}
                                                                 /* Now with has_sign set. */
  return lexar_append(Silex, Sret, LEXICAT_INVALID, LLF_NONE, failure);
case '.': lexar_take(Silex, failure);
  has\_ratio \leftarrow LLF\_DOT;
  want\_digit \leftarrow \texttt{MUST};
  lexar\_another(c, Silex, false, false, noisy\_false\_symbol, Sret, failure);
  v \leftarrow rune(c);
  if (v \geq 0, \land v \leq 9) goto number;
  goto noisy_false_symbol;
  WARN();
```

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A curious number, ie. one in any base, may or may not be signed. In both cases this same section of code is included so if the conclusion were to be reached with a standard C goto there would be two destinations in the lexar_token function with the same label. To get around this, this inelegant case/if/else adaptation of Duff's device¹ is used in place of a goto into the final block.

In effect the "if (1)" can be ignored if else is read as "goto case '[xX]' after it has set base".

```
\langle \text{ Detect a curious number } 214 \rangle \equiv
case 'b': case 'B': if (1) base \leftarrow 2; else
case 'd': case 'D': if (1) base \leftarrow 10; else
case 'o': case '0': if (1) base \leftarrow 8; else
                                                      /* comefrom the other cases to after this. */
case 'x': case 'X': if (1) base \leftarrow 16;
  flags \leftarrow has\_sign \mid base2flag(base);
  lexar\_append(Silex, Sret, \texttt{LEXICAT\_CURIOUS}, flags, failure); want\_digit \leftarrow \texttt{MUST};
  goto number;
This code is used in sections 210 and 213.
infinity symbol is unambiguous.
```

215. $\langle\!\langle \pm i \rangle\!\rangle$ might begin the number $\langle\!\langle \pm inf \rangle\!\rangle$ or it might indicate an ambiguous symbol. A literal

```
\langle \text{Look for a signed number } 212 \rangle + \equiv
case 'i': case 'I': lexar_take(Silex, failure);
  lexar_another(c, Silex, false, false, noisy_false_symbol, Sret, failure);
  v \leftarrow rune(c);
  if (v \equiv 'n' \lor v \equiv 'N') {
     lexar\_take(Silex, failure);
     lexar\_another(c, Silex, false, false, false\_symbol, Sret, failure);
     v \leftarrow rune(c):
     if (v \equiv 'f' \lor v \equiv 'F') goto infinity;
  goto false_symbol;
case UCP_INFINITY:
  goto infinity;
```

Scanning $\pm nan$ is the same as $\pm inf$ apart from the letters. A literal not-a-number symbol is likewise unambiguous but consists of two the distinct runes UCP_NAN_0 followed by UCP_NAN_1.

```
\langle \text{Look for a signed number } 212 \rangle + \equiv
case 'n': case 'N': lexar\_take(Silex, failure);
  lexar\_another(c, Silex, false, false, noisy\_false\_symbol, Sret, failure);
  v \leftarrow rune(c);
  if (v \equiv 'a' \lor v \equiv 'A') {
     lexar_take(Silex, failure);
     lexar_another(c, Silex, false, false, false_symbol, Sret, failure);
     v \leftarrow rune(c);
     if (v \equiv 'n' \lor v \equiv 'N') goto nan;
  goto false_symbol;
case UCP_NAN_0: lexar_take(Silex, failure);
  lexar\_another(c, Silex, false, false, noisy\_false\_symbol, Sret, failure);
  if (rune(c) \equiv UCP_NAN_1) goto nan;
  goto noisy_false_symbol;
```

¹ https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Duff%27s_device

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217. If something that initially looked like a number turned out to be a symbol the analyser continues to scan as though it were always a symbol but emits a warning indicating that the scanner/parser might be confused.

```
This warning mechanism is poorly concieved (TODO). \langle \text{Look for a signed number 212} \rangle +\equiv noisy\_false\_symbol: WARN(); default: false\_symbol: lexar\_putback(Silex); goto symbol;
```

218. When scanning a number the analyser, for readability's sake the analyer allows sequential digits to be separated by an underscore rune $\langle \ \ \ \rangle$. Although readability's sake dictates that this would be used every third rune or so the reality is that LossLess must accept more. When a _ rune is permissable $want_digit$ is set to the false value CAN and when it is not to the truth MUST. When not only can a _ be accepted but neither can a digit it is set to the other truth CANNOT.

```
#define CANNOT -1
#define CAN 0
#define MUST 1
```

goto number;

219. Curious numbers aside, numbers might not be a number — the not-a-number symbol, or this block is jumped into by signed $\pm nan$ (see above). has_ratio is set to ensure that a . or / rune is no longer considered valid.

```
\langle \text{Look for a number 211} \rangle + \equiv
case UCP_NAN_0: lexar_take(Silex, failure);
  lexar_another(c, Silex, false, false, false_symbol, Sret, failure);
  if (rune(c) \neq UCP_NAN_1) goto noisy_false_symbol;
nan:
  lexar\_take(Silex, failure);
  lexar\_another(c, Silex, false, false, LEXAR\_premature\_eof, Sret, failure);
  if (rune(c) \equiv '.') has_ratio \leftarrow LLF_DOT; /* Not really a ratio. */
  else cat \leftarrow LEXICAT_INVALID;
  want\_digit \leftarrow \texttt{MUST};
  goto number;
        Similarly a number might be infinity.
\langle \text{Look for a number 211} \rangle + \equiv
case UCP_INFINITY:
infinity:
  lexar\_take(Silex, failure);
  has\_ratio \leftarrow LLF\_RATIO;
                                     /* Not really a ratio. */
  want\_digit \leftarrow \texttt{CANNOT};
```

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221. Normal numbers, though, begin with one of the standard 10 digits. When scanning a number is finished a lexeme is finally emitted unless a(nother) digit is required.

```
\langle \text{Look for a number 211} \rangle + \equiv
case '0': case '1': case '2': case '3': case '4':
case '5': case '6': case '7': case '8': case '9':
  want\_digit \leftarrow CAN;
number:
  lexar_take(Silex, failure);
  while (1) {
     if (Interrupt) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_INTERRUPT);
     lexar\_another(c, Silex, false, false, finish, Sret, failure);
     switch ((v \leftarrow rune(c))) {\langle Scan \text{ the body of a number } 222 \rangle \}
  }
finish:
  if (want\_digit \equiv MUST) cat \leftarrow LEXICAT\_INVALID;
  else if (cat \equiv LEXICAT_NONE) cat \leftarrow LEXICAT_NUMBER;
  flags \leftarrow has\_sign \mid base2flag(base) \mid has\_imagination;
  lexar_append(Silex, Sret, cat, flags, failure);
  if (eof_p(c)) {
     lexar\_reset(SO(Silex), lexar\_iterator(SO(Silex)));
     return lexar_append(Silex, Sret, LEXICAT_END, LLF_NONE, failure);
  return dlist\_datum(SO(Sret));
        All types of scanning for number eventually end up here, which checks that a digit's representation
fits within the current base or permits a lone _ to pass, toggling want_digit.
\langle \text{Scan the body of a number } 222 \rangle \equiv
case 'a': case 'b': case 'c': case 'd': case 'e': case 'f':
case 'A': case 'B': case 'C': case 'D': case 'E': case 'F':
  if (base < 16) cat \leftarrow \texttt{LEXICAT\_INVALID};
case '9': case '8':
  if (base < 10) cat \leftarrow \texttt{LEXICAT\_INVALID};
case '7': case '6': case '5':
case '4': case '3': case '2':
  if (base < 8) cat \leftarrow \texttt{LEXICAT\_INVALID};
case '1': case '0':
  lexar\_take(Silex, failure);
  if (want\_digit < CAN) cat \leftarrow LEXICAT\_INVALID;
  want\_digit \leftarrow CAN;
  break;
case '_': lexar_take(Silex, failure);
  if (want\_digit \neq CAN) cat \leftarrow LEXICAT\_INVALID;
  want\_digit \leftarrow \texttt{MUST};
  break:
See also sections 223, 224, and 226.
```

This code is used in section 221.

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223. A single number lexeme can include a lone . or /, followed by a number following the regular scanning rules, to represent a ratio.

```
 \begin{split} &\langle \text{Scan the body of a number } 222 \rangle + \equiv \\ &\text{case } '/\text{':} \\ &\text{if } (has\_ratio) \ cat \leftarrow \texttt{LEXICAT\_INVALID}; \\ &\text{else if } (1) \ has\_ratio \leftarrow \texttt{LLF\_SLASH}; \\ &\text{else} \\ &\text{case } '.\text{':} \\ &\text{if } (has\_ratio) \ cat \leftarrow \texttt{LEXICAT\_INVALID}; \\ &\text{else if } (1) \ has\_ratio \leftarrow \texttt{LLF\_DOT}; \\ &\text{else if } (1) \ has\_ratio \leftarrow \texttt{LLF\_DOT}; \\ &\text{lexar\_take}(Silex, failure); \\ &\text{want\_digit} \leftarrow \texttt{MUST}; \\ &\text{break}; \end{split}
```

224. A normal rational, infinite or non-number can be succeeded by i, j or k which represents a number's imaginary or quaterniate component. At this stage of analysis such a rune terminates scanning this lexeme and it is left up to the parser to ensure that successive numeric components are valid (that is to say that at the moment such numbers are in LossLess wholly imaginary, or unimplemented).

```
⟨ Scan the body of a number 222⟩ +≡
case 'i': case 'j': case 'k': lexar_take(Silex, failure);
has_imagination ← LLF_IMAGINATE(v - 'i');
goto finish;
```

225. If a rune less numeric than a NaN is encountered while scanning a number then it's put back into the analyser and the number lexeme ends.

```
226. \langle Scan the body of a number 222\rangle +\equiv default: lexar\_putback(Silex); if (\neg lexar\_terminator\_p(c)) cat \leftarrow \texttt{LEXICAT\_INVALID}; goto finish;
```

227. The only practical way to use the lexical analyser so far is this *lex_rope* which expects an entire rope to have been read in already.

```
cell lex_rope(cell src, sigjmp_buf *failure)
  static int Ssource \leftarrow 3, Siter \leftarrow 2, Snext \leftarrow 1, Sret \leftarrow 0;
  cell r \leftarrow \texttt{NIL}, tmp;
  sigjmp_buf cleanup;
  Verror reason \leftarrow LERR_NONE;
  assert(rope\_p(src));
  stack_protect(4, src, NIL, NIL, NIL, failure);
  if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) unwind(failure, reason, false, 4);
  SS(Siter, tmp \leftarrow lexar\_start(SO(Ssource), \&cleanup));
  SS(Sret, tmp \leftarrow dlist\_new(NIL, \&cleanup));
  SS(Snext, tmp);
  while (1) {
     tmp \leftarrow lexar\_token(Siter, Snext, \& cleanup);
     assert(lexeme\_p(tmp));
     if (lexeme(tmp) \neg cat \equiv \texttt{LEXICAT\_END}) break;
  r \leftarrow dlist\_remove\_m(SO(Sret));
  stack\_clear(4);
  return r;
```

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228. Syntax parser. The only entry point to the syntax parser is *parse* which accepts the list of lexemes produced by the lexical analyser and returns a syntax tree with, if any, the failures encountered while scanning it.

```
⟨ Function declarations 21⟩ +≡
cell parse(cell, bool *, sigjmp_buf *);
cell transform_lexeme_segment(cell, long, long, bool, int, bool *, sigjmp_buf *);
char parse_ascii_hex(cell, sigjmp_buf *);
```

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229. A flat list of lexemes is transformed into a syntax tree in order. The parser keeps track of the lexeme at which translation began (*Sstart*) and that currently under consideration (*Sllex*). An (unused for now) empty environment (*Senv*) is created to hold the symbols used to build recursive structures; this environment is entirely separate from the run-time environments used by the evaluator (but does it need to be? TODO: discuss).

As parsing proceeds completed nodes are added to a stack (Swork) awaiting inclusion in a list. When an opening token ($(, [or { }))$ is encountered that lexeme is added instead and when a closing token ((,]) or) is encountered nodes are removed from this stack until the corresponding opening lexeme is reached

If an invalid or unexpected lexeme is encountered or any other problem occurs its location is noted in a list of failures in *Sfail*, parsing continues and the caller is informed that the syntax is ultimately invalid.

```
#define parse\_fail(S, E, L, F) do
            cell _{-}x \leftarrow cons(fix((E)),(L),(F));
            SS((S), cons(x, SO(S), (F)));
            (L) \leftarrow lcdr(lcar(SO(S)));
          while (0)
  cell parse(cell llex, bool *valid, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     static int Sstart \leftarrow 6;
                                   /* Where we started. */
                                  /* Where we are now. */
     static int Sllex \leftarrow 5;
                                 /* Namespace for syntactic recursion (#=/##). */
     static int Senv \leftarrow 4;
                                  /* Stack of remaining work. */
     static int Swork \leftarrow 3;
     static int Sbuild \leftarrow 2;
                                   /* Temporary workspace. */
     static int Stmp \leftarrow 1;
                                  /* Temporarier workspace. */
     static int Sfail \leftarrow 0;
                                  /* The litany of failure. */
     \operatorname{cell} r, \ lex, \ x, \ y, \ z;
                                 /* Work space so temporary it's ignored by the garbage collector. */
     Vlexicat cat \leftarrow LEXICAT_NONE;
                                               /* The current lexeme's category. */
     Verror pfail \leftarrow LERR\_NONE;
                                          /* Any failure while constructing a list. */
     char *buf \leftarrow \Lambda;
                           /* Buffer space for parsing strings and symbols. */
                                       /* Whether a . has been seen (and a temporary m). */
     bool has\_tail \leftarrow false, m;
     long offset \leftarrow 0, a, b, c, i;
                                         /* Short-lived temporary variables. */
     sigjmp_buf cleanup;
     Verror reason \leftarrow LERR_NONE;
                                 /* ... of lexemes. */
     assert(dlist_p(llex));
     lex \leftarrow dlist\_datum(dlist\_prev(llex));
     assert(lexeme\_p(lex));
     assert(lexeme(lex) \rightarrow cat \equiv LEXICAT\_END);
                                                        /* Not saved in cat. */
     stack\_protect(2, llex, llex, failure);
     if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) unwind(failure, reason, false, 2);
     stack\_reserve(5, \&cleanup);
     if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) unwind(failure, reason, false, 7);
     SS(Senv, env\_empty(\&cleanup));
     llex \leftarrow SO(Sllex);
     (Construct a syntax tree from a list of lexemes 230)
     r \leftarrow \mathtt{SO}(Sbuild):
     if (\neg *valid) r \leftarrow cons(r, SO(Sfail), \& cleanup);
     stack\_clear(7);
     return r;
  }
```

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The main parser loop iterates along the lexeme list one at a time and ends when it reaches the terminating/starting LEXICAT_END lexeme. After this the parsed syntax tree will be left in Sbuild and Swork should be empty.

```
\langle \text{Construct a syntax tree from a list of lexemes } 230 \rangle \equiv
  while (cat \neq LEXICAT\_END) {
     if (Interrupt) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_INTERRUPT);
     lex \leftarrow dlist\_datum(llex);
     assert(lexeme_p(lex));
     cat \leftarrow lexeme(lex) \neg cat;
     switch (cat) {\langle Process the next lexeme 231 \rangle }
     SS(Sllex, llex \leftarrow dlist\_next(SO(Sllex)));
                                     /* I think... */
  assert(null\_p(SO(Swork)));
  if (\neg null\_p(SO(Swork))) {
     SS(Stmp, SO(Sbuild));
     SS(Sbuild, NIL);
     while (\neg null\_p(SO(Swork))) {
       SS(Sbuild, cons(lcar(SO(Swork)), SO(Sbuild), \&cleanup));
       SS(Swork, lcdr(SO(Swork)));
     x \leftarrow syntax\_invalid(SO(Sbuild), SO(Sstart), SO(Sllex), \& cleanup);
     parse\_fail(Sfail, LERR\_SYNTAX, x, \& cleanup);
     SS(Sbuild, cons(x, SO(Stmp), \&cleanup));
  if (\neg null\_p(SO(Sfail))) *valid \leftarrow false;
This code is used in section 229.
       The simplest lexemes to handle are spaces which are ignored and invalid lexemes which are also
ignored but only recording the failure.
\langle \text{Process the next lexeme } 231 \rangle \equiv
                                      /* Space is meaningless<sup>1</sup>. */
case LEXICAT_SPACE: break;
case LEXICAT_INVALID: default: x \leftarrow syntax\_invalid(lex, llex, llex, \&cleanup);
  if (cat \equiv LEXICAT\_INVALID) parse_fail(Sfail, LERR_UNSCANNABLE, x, & cleanup);
  else parse\_fail(Sfail, LERR\_INTERNAL, x, \& cleanup);
  SS(Swork, cons(x, SO(Swork), \&cleanup));
  break:
See also sections 232, 233, 237, 238, and 245.
This code is used in section 230.
232. Almost as simple is the two (four) boolean constants #f & #t (and #F & #T) which are appended
```

to the work queue.

```
\langle \text{Process the next lexeme } 231 \rangle + \equiv
case LEXICAT_CONSTANT: a \leftarrow lexeme\_byte(lex, 1);
  x \leftarrow predicate(a \equiv 't' \lor a \equiv 'T');
  y \leftarrow dlist\_datum(dlist\_next(llex));
  if (\neg lexeme\_terminator\_p(y)) {
     z \leftarrow syntax\_invalid(x, llex, llex, \&cleanup);
     parse\_fail(Sfail, LERR\_AMBIGUOUS, z, \& cleanup);
  else z \leftarrow syntax\_new(x, llex, llex, \&cleanup);
  SS(Swork, cons(z, SO(Swork), \&cleanup));
  break;
```

 $^{^{1}}$ There's $literally\ everything\ in\ space.$

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233. Building a list involves multiple lexemes working in tandem. A LEXICAT_OPEN lexeme is appended to the list waiting for a LEXICAT_CLOSE lexeme to consume it (and everything after it). A LEXICAT_DOT lexeme is also appended to the working list as-is and is also consumed en route to the LEXICAT_OPEN which started the list.

LEXICAT_END works similarly to LEXICAT_CLOSE in the way it consumes list items except that encountering a pending LEXICAT_OPEN (or a LEXICAT_DOT) indicates an error and the beginning of the list is instead indicated by the working list being entirely consumed.

```
\langle \text{Process the next lexeme 231} \rangle + \equiv
case LEXICAT_OPEN: case LEXICAT_DOT: SS(Swork, cons(llex, SO(Swork), \&cleanup));
  break:
case LEXICAT_END: assert(dlist_next(llex) \equiv SO(Sstart));
case LEXICAT_CLOSE: pfail \leftarrow LERR_NONE;
  has\_tail \leftarrow false;
  SS(Sbuild, NIL);
                         /* Work in progress. */
  c \leftarrow 0;
  while (1) {\langle Finalise items stacked into Swork 234 \rangle}
  x \leftarrow SO(Sbuild):
                         /* Built object. */
  y \leftarrow \mathtt{SO}(Stmp);
                        /* Starting lexeme. */
                       /* Terminating lexeme. */
  z \leftarrow SO(Sllex);
  if (pfail \neq LERR\_NONE) {
     SS(Sbuild, syntax\_invalid(x, y, z, \& cleanup));
     x \leftarrow SO(Sbuild);
     parse\_fail(Sfail, LERR\_SYNTAX, x, \& cleanup);
  else SS(Sbuild, syntax_new(x, y, z, \& cleanup));
                                 /* Put it back on the head of Swork to carry on parsing. */
  if (cat \neq LEXICAT\_END)
     SS(Swork, cons(SO(Sbuild), SO(Swork), \&cleanup));
  break;
234. Looping until the working queue is consumed — as expected if the current lexeme is a (the)
LEXICAT_END — the list is built item by item into Sbuild. If the queue of work is fully consumed and
the current lexeme is not LEXICAT_END this indicates an attempt to close a list which was not opened.
\langle Finalise items stacked into Swork 234\rangle \equiv
  c++;
  if (Interrupt) siglongjmp (cleanup, LERR_INTERRUPT);
  llex \leftarrow SO(Sllex):
  if (null_p(SO(Swork))) {
     if (cat \neq \texttt{LEXICAT\_END}) parse_fail(Sfail, pfail \leftarrow \texttt{LERR\_UNOPENED\_CLOSE}, llex, & cleanup);
     SS(Stmp, SO(Sstart));
     break;
  }
                               /* The next working item to copy or process. */
  x \leftarrow lcar(SO(Swork));
  if (\neg syntax_p(x)) { Finish building the list or fix its tail 235 \}
  SS(Sbuild, cons(lcar(SO(Swork)), SO(Sbuild), \& cleanup));
  SS(Swork, lcdr(SO(Swork)));
```

This code is used in section 233.

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235. LEXICAT_DOT can only appear under constrained circumstances (or not at all). If LEXICAT_OPEN is found and the current lexeme *is* LEXICAT_END that indicates a list was begun and not ended.

```
\langle Finish building the list or fix its tail 235\rangle \equiv
  assert(dlist_p(x) \land lexeme_p(dlist_datum(x)));
  x \leftarrow dlist\_datum(x);
                                /* Opener ... */
  if (lexeme(x) \neg cat \equiv LEXICAT\_DOT) {
     if (lexeme(lex) \rightarrow cat \neq \texttt{LEXICAT\_CLOSE} \lor lexeme\_byte(lex, 0) \neq `)`)
        parse\_fail(Sfail, pfail \leftarrow \texttt{LERR\_LISTLESS\_TAIL}, llex, \& cleanup);
     else if (has\_tail) parse\_fail(Sfail, pfail \leftarrow LERR\_DOUBLE\_TAIL, llex, & cleanup);
     else {
        has\_tail \leftarrow true;
        if (null\_p(SO(Sbuild))) parse_fail(Sfail, pfail \leftarrow LERR\_EMPTY\_TAIL, llex, & cleanup);
        else if (\neg null\_p(lcdr(SO(Sbuild)))) parse_fail(Sfail, pfail \leftarrow LERR\_HEAVY\_TAIL, llex, & cleanup);
           SS(Sbuild, lcar(SO(Sbuild)));
           SS(Swork, lcdr(SO(Swork)));
           continue;
     }
                /* Found the/a LEXICAT_OPEN. */
  else {
     if (cat \equiv \texttt{LEXICAT\_END}) parse\_fail(Sfail, pfail \leftarrow \texttt{LERR\_UNCLOSED\_OPEN}, llex, \& cleanup);
     else \{\langle \text{Complete parsing a list-like syntax } 236 \rangle\}
     SS(Stmp, lcar(SO(Swork)));
     SS(Swork, lcdr(SO(Swork)));
     break;
This code is used in section 234.
```

236. After collecting all the items in a list-like construction the opening and closing brackets are checked that they match and which bracket it is indicates what object to create. Paired parentheses $\langle (\ldots) \rangle$ surround a list and parsing is complete. Square brackes $\langle [\ldots] \rangle$ mark an array which the list is converted into and braces $\langle \{\ldots\} \rangle$ produce a relation, which is unimplemented.

```
\langle Complete parsing a list-like syntax 236\rangle \equiv
                                              /* ... Closer */
  lex \leftarrow dlist\_datum(SO(Sllex));
  assert(rope\_p(lexeme\_twine(lex)));
                                    /* (, [ or {. */
  a \leftarrow lexeme\_byte(x, 0);
                                      /* ASCII tricks \rightarrow what we want. */
  a \leftarrow ((a+1) \& \sim 1) + 1;
  if (cat \equiv LEXICAT\_END) b \leftarrow '\0';
                                           /* What we got. */
  else b \leftarrow lexeme\_byte(lex, 0);
  if (a \neq b) parse_fail(Sfail, pfail \leftarrow LERR_MISMATCH, llex, & cleanup);
  else if (a \equiv ')') {
     x \leftarrow array\_new\_imp(c, \mathtt{UNDEFINED}, \mathtt{FORM\_ARRAY}, \& cleanup);
     y \leftarrow \mathtt{SO}(Sbuild);
     for (i \leftarrow 0; i < c; i++, y \leftarrow lcdr(y)) array_set_m(x, i, lcar(y));
     SS(Sbuild, x);
  else if (a \equiv ')') parse\_fail(Sfail, pfail \leftarrow LERR\_UNIMPLEMENTED, llex, & cleanup);
This code is used in section 235.
```

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237. A simple LEXICAT_SYMBOL can be read directly into a segment and converted into a symbol.

```
\langle \text{Process the next lexeme } 231 \rangle + \equiv
case LEXICAT_SYMBOL: y \leftarrow dlist\_datum(dlist\_next(SO(Sllex)));
  if (\neg lexeme\_terminator\_p(y)) {
     z \leftarrow syntax\_invalid(lex, llex, llex, \&cleanup);
     parse\_fail(Sfail, LERR\_AMBIGUOUS, z, \& cleanup);
  else {
     a \leftarrow lexeme(lex) \neg blength;
     SS(Sbuild, x \leftarrow segment\_new(0, a, 0, 0, \&cleanup));
     buf \leftarrow segment\_address(x);
     lex \leftarrow dlist\_datum(SO(Sllex));
     x \leftarrow rope\_iterate\_start(lexeme\_twine(lex), lexeme(lex) \neg tboffset, \& cleanup);
     for (i \leftarrow 0; i < a; i++) buf [i] \leftarrow rope\_iterate\_next\_byte(x, & cleanup);
     y \leftarrow symbol\_new\_buffer(buf, a, \&cleanup);
     z \leftarrow syntax\_new(y, SO(Sllex), SO(Sllex), \& cleanup);
     buf \leftarrow \Lambda;
  SS(Swork, cons(z, SO(Swork), \& cleanup));
  break;
```

238. A similar process is used to read the body of symbols and strings which are included raw (delimited) or with embeddeded escape characters. In the first case a buffer of the appropriate size can be created, filled and used directly. In the latter it must be processed to convert any escape character combinations within it.

Unlike a plain symbol for convenience these four cases all use the more heavy-weight method outlined in *transform_lexeme_segment* to copy and optionally transform a lexeme into a segment.

```
\langle \text{Process the next lexeme } 231 \rangle + \equiv
case LEXICAT_ESCAPED_SYMBOL: offset++;
                                                      /* |...| */
                                                      /* #|...| */
case LEXICAT_ESCAPED_STRING: offset ++;
  SS(Stmp, llex);
case LEXICAT_DELIMITER:
  if (cat \equiv LEXICAT\_DELIMITER) {
                                              /* [#]$xxx$...$xxx$ */
  \langle Validate the lexical triplet in a delimited string/symbol \left. 239 \right\rangle \}
                                                                                /* Sets z if there was an error. */
  if (null_p(lex)) SS(Sbuild, z);
  else {
     m \leftarrow true;
     x \leftarrow transform\_lexeme\_segment(lex, offset, lexeme(lex) \neg blength, (offset \neq 0), Sfail, \&m, \&cleanup);
     SS(Sbuild, x);
     if (\neg m) SS(Sbuild, syntax\_invalid(SO(Sbuild), SO(Sllex), SO(Stmp), & cleanup));
     else {
       if (cat \equiv \texttt{LEXICAT\_RAW\_STRING} \lor cat \equiv \texttt{LEXICAT\_ESCAPED\_STRING})
          y \leftarrow rope\_new\_buffer(true, true, segment\_address(x), segment\_length(x), \& cleanup);
       else y \leftarrow symbol\_new\_segment(x, \&cleanup);
       SS(Sbuild, syntax\_new(y, SO(Sllex), SO(Stmp), \& cleanup));
  SS(Swork, cons(SO(Sbuild), SO(Swork), \&cleanup));
  if (cat \neq \texttt{LEXICAT\_ESCAPED\_SYMBOL} \land cat \neq \texttt{LEXICAT\_ESCAPED\_STRING}) SS(Sllex, SO(Stmp));
  offset \leftarrow 0;
                    /* Must always begin at zero. */
  break;
```

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239. A delimited string or symbol consists of two LEXICAT_DELIMITERS with a LEXICAT_RAW_STRING or LEXICAT_RAW_SYMBOL in the middle. No other combination of these lexemes is valid and the contents of the delimiters must match exactly. These are not actually verified but is what is created by the lexical analyser.

Strictly speaking there's no need to enforce requiring a terminating lexeme after an escapable or delimited string or symbol but is done for consistency with plain symbols and also to catch some ambiguous potential mistakes such as $\langle | \text{foreshort } 4|2 \rangle \rangle$.

```
\langle \text{Validate the lexical triplet in a delimited string/symbol } 239 \rangle \equiv
  SS(Sbuild, x \leftarrow dlist\_next(llex));
                                                 /* String/symbol content. */
                                            /* Closing delimiter. */
  SS(Stmp, y \leftarrow dlist\_next(x));
  lex \leftarrow dlist\_datum(x);
  cat \leftarrow lexeme(lex) \neg cat;
  if (cat \equiv \texttt{LEXICAT\_INVALID}) {
                                              /* Source ended without the closing delimiter. */
     z \leftarrow syntax\_invalid(lex, SO(Sllex), SO(Sbuild), \& cleanup);
     parse\_fail(Sfail, \texttt{LERR\_UNSCANNABLE}, z, \& cleanup);
     SS(Stmp, SO(Sbuild));
     lex \leftarrow \texttt{NIL};
  }
  else {
     assert(cat \equiv \texttt{LEXICAT\_RAW\_STRING} \lor cat \equiv \texttt{LEXICAT\_RAW\_SYMBOL});
     z \leftarrow dlist\_next(y);
     assert(lexeme(dlist\_datum(y)) \neg cat \equiv \texttt{LEXICAT\_DELIMITER});
     if (\neg lexeme\_terminator\_p(dlist\_datum(z))) {
        z \leftarrow syntax\_invalid(lex, lcar(SO(Swork)), SO(Stmp), & cleanup);
        parse_fail(Sfail, LERR_AMBIGUOUS, z, & cleanup);
        lex \leftarrow NIL;
  }
```

This code is used in section 238.

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240. To create a string or symbol object from source the opening delimiter's *offset* bytes are skipped then *length* bytes are read by iterating over the source rope.

Note that *transform_lexeme_segment* iterates over *bytes* not runes to accommodate both raw data and regular data, which has already had its runes' underlying bytes validated by the lexical analyser.

This function has an awful name (TODO).

```
cell transform_lexeme_segment(cell o, long offset, long length, bool escape, int Sfail,
          bool *valid, sigjmp_buf *failure)
{
  static int Ssrc \leftarrow 2, Sdst \leftarrow 1, Siter \leftarrow 0;
  cell r \leftarrow \text{NIL}, tmp;
  char *buf, b;
  long i, j, k;
  int32_t cp;
  Outfio ucp;
  sigjmp_buf cleanup;
  Verror reason \leftarrow LERR\_NONE;
  assert(lexeme_{-}p(o));
  assert(offset \ge 0 \land offset < lexeme(o) \neg blength);
  assert(length \ge 1 \land lexeme(o) \neg blength - offset \le length);
  stack_protect(3, o, NIL, NIL, failure);
  if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) unwind(failure, reason, false, 3);
  Sfail += 3;
  SS(Siter, rope\_iterate\_start(lexeme\_twine(SO(Ssrc)), lexeme(SO(Ssrc)) \neg tboffset, \& cleanup));
  if (offset) length -= offset +1;
  while (offset --) rope\_iterate\_next\_byte(SO(Siter), \& cleanup);
  SS(Sdst, segment\_new(0, length, 0, 0, \& cleanup));
  buf \leftarrow segment\_address(SO(Sdst));
  \langle \text{Copy, transforming, } length \text{ bytes after } offset 241 \rangle
  r \leftarrow SO(Sdst);
  stack\_clear(3);
  return r;
```

241. If the data will not include escape sequences the rope can be simply copied, otherwise each byte is examined and copied or transformed. The segment written to is reduced in size as necessary prior to being returned.

```
 \begin{array}{l} \langle \operatorname{Copy, transforming, } \mathit{length} \  \, \mathrm{bytes \ after \ } \mathit{offset \ 241} \rangle \equiv \\ & \quad \mathrm{if} \  \, (\neg \mathit{escape}) \\ & \quad \mathrm{for} \  \, (i \leftarrow 0; \  \, i < \mathit{length}; \  \, i + \! ) \  \, \mathit{buf} \, [i] \leftarrow \mathit{rope\_iterate\_next\_byte}(\mathtt{SO}(\mathit{Siter}), \&\mathit{cleanup}); \\ & \quad \mathrm{else} \  \, \{ \\ & \quad \, j \leftarrow 0; \\ & \quad \mathrm{for} \  \, (i \leftarrow 0; \  \, i < \mathit{length}; \  \, i + \! ) \  \, \{ \\ & \quad \, b \leftarrow \mathit{rope\_iterate\_next\_byte}(\mathtt{SO}(\mathit{Siter}), \&\mathit{cleanup}); \\ & \quad \mathrm{if} \  \, (b \neq ' \, \sharp') \  \, \mathit{buf} \, [j + \! + \! ] \leftarrow \mathit{b}; \\ & \quad \, \mathrm{else} \  \, \{ \\ & \quad \, i + \! ; \\ & \quad \, b \leftarrow \mathit{rope\_iterate\_next\_byte}(\mathtt{SO}(\mathit{Siter}), \&\mathit{cleanup}); \\ & \quad \, \, \mathrm{switch} \, \, (b) \  \, \{ \langle \operatorname{Append \ an \ escaped \ byte \ sequence \ 243} \rangle \} \\ & \quad \, \mathrm{if} \  \, (i \neq j) \  \, \mathrm{SS}(\mathit{Sdst}, \mathit{segment\_resize\_m}(\mathtt{SO}(\mathit{Sdst}), 0, j - i, \&\mathit{cleanup})); \\ & \quad \, \} \\ & \quad \, \mathrm{This \ code \ is \ used \ in \ section \ 240}. \end{array}
```

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This macro and function converts one or two ASCII-encoded hex digits into their numeric value. #define $hexscii_to_int(O)$ (((O) \geq 'a')? (O) - 'a': ((O) \geq 'A')? (O) - 'A': (O) - 'O') #define $int_to_hexscii(O, C)$ ((O) < 10 ? (O) + '0' : ((C) ? (O) + 'A' : (O) + 'a')) char parse_ascii_hex(cell o, sigjmp_buf *failure) int b, r; $assert(rope_iter(o));$ $b \leftarrow rope_iterate_next_byte(o, failure);$ $r \leftarrow hexscii_to_int(b) \ll 4;$ $b \leftarrow rope_iterate_next_byte(o, failure);$ $r \mid = hexscii_to_int(b);$ return (char) r; 243. The lexical analyser has ensured all escape sequences are validly encoded so these sequences need

no special effort.

```
\langle Append an escaped byte sequence 243 \rangle \equiv
case '#': case '|': buf[j++] \leftarrow b;
  break;
case 'o': case '0':
                               /* A byte represented by 3 octal digits. */
  buf[j] \leftarrow (rope\_iterate\_next\_byte(SO(Siter), \&cleanup) - `o`) \ll 6;
  buf[j] = (rope\_iterate\_next\_byte(SO(Siter), \&cleanup) - `o`) \ll 3;
  buf[j] = (rope\_iterate\_next\_byte(SO(Siter), \&cleanup) - `o`);
  i += 3;
  j++;
  break;
case 'x': case 'X':
                              /* A byte represented by 3 hex digits. */
  i += 2;
  \textit{buf}\left[j+\!\!+\!\!\right] \leftarrow \textit{parse\_ascii\_hex}(\texttt{SO}(\textit{Siter}), \& \textit{cleanup});
  break:
See also section 244.
```

This code is used in section 241.

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244. Although the source is well-encoded, the value representing an escaped rune may not be a valid unicode code point. Such non-characters are appended instead as UCP_REPLACEMENT (U+FFFD).

Note that a literal rune with value U+FFFD is *not* a parser error.

```
\langle Append an escaped byte sequence 243 \rangle + \equiv
case 'u': case 'U':
                            /* A UTF-8 encoded byte sequence represented by 4 hex digits. */
  cp \leftarrow 0;
  cp \leftarrow parse\_ascii\_hex(SO(Siter), \& cleanup) \ll 8;
  cp \mid = parse\_ascii\_hex(SO(Siter), \&cleanup);
  goto escaped_rune;
case '(':
                /* A UTF-8 encoded byte sequence represented by 1-6 hex digits. */
  cp \leftarrow 0;
  rope\_iterate\_next\_byte(SO(Siter), \&cleanup);
                                                         /* ( */
  while ((b \leftarrow rope\_iterate\_next\_byte(SO(Siter), \&cleanup)) \neq `)`) {
     i++;
     cp \ll = 4;
     cp \mid = hexscii_to_int(b);
  }
  i += 2;
escaped\_rune: ucp \leftarrow utflo\_write(cp);
  tmp \leftarrow rune\_new\_utflo(ucp, \&cleanup);
  if (rune\_failure\_p(tmp)) {
     *valid \leftarrow false;
     tmp \leftarrow fix(j);
     parse_fail(Sfail, LERR_NONCHARACTER, tmp, & cleanup);
     ucp \leftarrow utflo_write(UCP\_REPLACEMENT);
     tmp \leftarrow rune\_new\_utflo(ucp, \&cleanup);
  for (k \leftarrow 0; \ k < rune\_parsed(tmp); \ k++) \ buf[j++] \leftarrow ucp.buf[k];
245. This early implementation of LossLess doesn't support parsing numbers or syntactic recursion.
\langle \text{Process the next lexeme } 231 \rangle + \equiv
case LEXICAT_CURIOUS: case LEXICAT_NUMBER:
case LEXICAT_RECURSE_HERE: case LEXICAT_RECURSE_IS:
  z \leftarrow syntax\_invalid(lex, llex, llex, \&cleanup);
  parse\_fail(Sfail, LERR\_UNIMPLEMENTED, z, \& cleanup);
  SS(Swork, cons(z, SO(Swork), \&cleanup));
  break;
```

§246 Lossless Evaluator 103

246. Evaluator. The evaluator is based distantly on that presented by Steele and Sussman in "Design of LISP-Based Processors'.

There are five registers used by the evaluator. The argument to evaluate — the expression which is to be computed — is saved in Expression (EXPR) and with Arguments (ARGS) they represent the state of the data being evaluated. Alongside those Control_Link (CLINK) then represents the state of the computation evaluating it in the form of a stack of partial work to later resume.

The run-time's current environment is in *Environment* (ENV) and the result of computation (or the partial result while computation is incomplete) in the *Accumulator* ACC.

As a general rule the shorter names are used within the evaluator to avoid being overwhelmed by verbosity.

```
#define ACC Accumulator
#define ARGS Arguments
#define CLINK Control_Link
#define ENV Environment
#define EXPR Expression
\langle \text{Global variables } 15 \rangle + \equiv
  unique cell Accumulator \leftarrow NIL;
  unique cell Arguments \leftarrow NIL;
  unique cell Control\_Link \leftarrow NIL;
  unique cell Environment \leftarrow NIL;
  unique cell Expression \leftarrow NIL;
       The accumulator (the answer) is the only part of the evaluator externally visible.
\langle \text{External symbols } 16 \rangle + \equiv
  extern unique cell Accumulator;
  extern unique cell Environment;
       \#define evaluate\_desyntax(O) (syntax\_p(O) ? syntax\_datum(O) : (O))
#define evaluate\_incompatible(L, F) do
           lprint("incompatibility_at_line_\%d\n",(L));
           siglongjmp (*(F), LERR_INCOMPATIBLE);
         while (0)
\langle Function declarations 21\rangle + \equiv
  void evaluate(cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  void evaluate_program(cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  void combine(sigjmp_buf *);
  void validate_formals(bool, sigjmp_buf *);
  void validate_arguments(sigjmp_buf *);
  void validate_operative(sigjmp_buf *);
  void validate_primitive(sigjmp_buf *);
```

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249. Evaluation begins by saving the whole expression in *Arguments*. The control link and arguments registers must be empty.

The evaluation algorithm is written here taking very little advantage of syntax C offers, not even passing the result of one function as the direct argument of another. This is primarily because that's how the algorithm was originally written by Sussman & Steele (their goal was to write code to be translated directly to silicon) however it is also easier to describe and, in the author's opinion, understand than it would be if it were presented in a "higher-level" form than what is effectively dressed up machine code.

The algorithm as a whole consists of labeled chunks (as they will be referred to) of code which terminate by branching to another chunk. There is no "returning" to a partially-complete chunk. With few exceptions each chunk either carries out the next stage of evaluation or performs a conditional jump into another section (this is a restriction useful¹ to silicon which is not necessary in C but remains for familiarity).

Broadly speaking the algorithm takes the form of a loop starting at the *Begin* chunk after the expression to evaluate has been prepared in *Expression*. *Begin* dispatches based on the format of the expression — symbols are looked up in the environment, pairs are combined and re-evaluated and other atoms remain themselves. After evaluation is complete control will proceed to either *Finish* or *Return* and *evaluate* will **return** if computation has indeed finished, or dispatch to another chunk as directed by the head of the control link stack.

```
void evaluate(cell o, sigjmp_buf *failure)
  assert(null_p(CLINK) \land null_p(ARGS));
  assert(environment_p(ENV));
  EXPR \leftarrow o;
  LOG(ACC \leftarrow VOID);
Begin:
  EXPR \leftarrow evaluate\_desyntax(EXPR);
  if (pair_p(EXPR)) goto Combine_Start;
  else if (\neg symbol\_p(EXPR)) goto Finish;
  LOG(ACC \leftarrow env\_search(ENV, EXPR, true, failure));
  if (undefined_p(ACC)) {
    lprint("looking_for_");
    serial(EXPR, SERIAL\_ROUND, 1, NIL, \Lambda, failure);
    lprint("\n");
    LOG(ACC \leftarrow VOID);
    siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_MISSING);
  goto Return;
Evaluate: LOG(EXPR \leftarrow note\_car(CLINK));
  LOG(CLINK \leftarrow note\_cdr(CLINK));
  goto Begin;
\langle \text{ Evaluate a complex expression } 252 \rangle
Finish: LOG(ACC \leftarrow EXPR);
Return:
             /* Check CLINK to see if there is more work after one full evaluation. */
  if (null_p(CLINK)) return;
                                   /* Accumulator (ACC) has the result. */
  else if (\neg note\_p(CLINK)) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_INTERNAL);
  else if (note(CLINK) \equiv Sym\_EVALUATE) goto Evaluate;
  else if (note(CLINK) \equiv Sym\_COMBINE\_APPLY) goto Combine\_Apply;
  else if (note(CLINK) \equiv Sym\_COMBINE\_BUILD) goto Applicative\_Build;
  else if (note(CLINK) \equiv Sym\_COMBINE\_DISPATCH) goto Combine\_Dispatch;
  else if (note(CLINK) \equiv Sym\_COMBINE\_FINISH) goto Combine\_Finish;
  else if (note(CLINK) \equiv Sym_{-}COMBINE_{-}OPERATE) goto Combine_{-}Operate;
  else if (note(CLINK) \equiv Sym_OPERATIVE) goto Operative_Closure;
  else if (note(CLINK) \equiv Sym\_APPLICATIVE) goto Applicative\_Closure;
  else if (note(CLINK) \equiv Sym_{-}CONDITIONAL) goto Conditional;
```

¹ I expect.

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```
else if (note(CLINK) \equiv Sym_ENVIRONMENT_P) goto Validate_Environment;
    else if (note(CLINK) \equiv Sym_EVALUATE\_DISPATCH) goto Evaluate\_Dispatch;
    else if (note(CLINK) \equiv Sym\_SAVE\_AND\_EVALUATE) goto Save\_And\_Evaluate;
    else if (note(CLINK) \equiv Sym\_ENVIRONMENT\_M) goto Restore\_Environment;
    else if (note(CLINK) \equiv Sym\_DEFINITION) goto Mutate\_Environment;
    else siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_INTERNAL);
                                                       /* Unknown note. */
  }
250. void evaluate_program(cell o, sigjmp_buf *failure)
    static int Sprogram \leftarrow 0;
    cell program;
    bool syntactic;
    sigjmp_buf cleanup;
    Verror reason \leftarrow LERR_NONE;
    stack\_protect(1, o, failure);
    if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) unwind(failure, reason, false, 1);
    program \leftarrow env\_search(Root, symbol\_new\_const("do"), true, \&cleanup);
    syntactic \leftarrow syntax\_p(\texttt{SO}(Sprogram));
    if (syntactic) {
       program \leftarrow cons(program, syntax\_datum(SO(Sprogram)), \& cleanup);
       program \leftarrow syntax\_new(program, syntax\_start(SO(Sprogram)), syntax\_end(SO(Sprogram)),
           \& cleanup);
    else program \leftarrow cons(program, SO(Sprogram), \& cleanup);
    stack\_clear(1);
    evaluate(program, failure);
251. While building and debugging the evaluator it has proven invaluable to get a trace of the activity
but it is exceptionally noisy. However LossLess is still in development so the macro is still here, disabled.
#define LOG(cmd) cmd
\#define DONTLOG(cmd) do
           printf("%s\n", \#cmd);
           cmd:
         while (0)
```

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252. A "complex expression" is a list who's first element is an applicative or operative combiner, which is to say a function/procedure or some other code who's arguments are (applicative) or are not (operative) themselves evaluated before calling it.

Combine_Start is entered when a pair is evaluated. First the list of partially evaluated arguments (of which the result of combining this pair (calling this function) will be part), the current environment and the combiner's own arguments are saved in the control stack. The combiner is left to be evaluated so that Combine_Dispatch later knows where to dispatch to.

```
\langle Evaluate a complex expression 252 \rangle \equiv
Combine\_Start:
                     /* Save any ARGS in progress and ENV on CLINK to resume later. */
  LOG(CLINK \leftarrow cons(ARGS, CLINK, failure));
  LOG(CLINK \leftarrow cons(ENV, CLINK, failure));
                                 /* Save the combination's arguments. */
  LOG(ARGS \leftarrow lcdr(EXPR));
  LOG(CLINK \leftarrow note\_new(Sym\_COMBINE\_DISPATCH, ARGS, CLINK, failure));
  LOG(EXPR \leftarrow lcar(EXPR));
                                 /* Prepare to evaluate the combiner. */
  goto Begin;
Combine\_Dispatch:
                        /* Apply or operate based on the evaluated combinator expression. */
  LOG(ARGS \leftarrow note\_car(CLINK));
                                        /* Restore the combination's arguments. */
  LOG(CLINK \leftarrow note\_cdr(CLINK));
  if (operative_p(ACC)) goto Combine_Operate;
  else if (applicative_p(ACC)) goto Applicative_Start;
  else siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_UNCOMBINABLE);
See also sections 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, and 266.
This code is used in section 249.
```

253. When combination finished with its result in the accumulator the previous arguments and environment are popped from the control link stack.

254. Arguments to an applicative combiner are evaluated by the caller. This process begins in the *Applicative_Start* chunk by copying the unevaluated arguments into the expression register (in reverse) to validate that they are indeed a proper list. Control then repeatedly enters *Applicative_Pair* for each argument expression or *Combine_Apply* when the entire list has been evaluated.

```
\langle Evaluate a complex expression 252 \rangle + \equiv
                      /* Save the applicative for later and evaluate its arguments. */
Applicative\_Start:
  LOG(CLINK \leftarrow note\_new(Sym\_COMBINE\_APPLY, ACC, CLINK, failure));
  LOG(EXPR \leftarrow NIL);
Reverse\_Arguments:
  if (pair_p(ARGS)) {
    LOG(ACC \leftarrow lcar(ARGS));
    LOG(EXPR \leftarrow cons(ACC, EXPR, failure));
    LOG(ARGS \leftarrow lcdr(ARGS));
    goto Reverse_Arguments;
  else if (\neg null\_p(ARGS)) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_IMPROPER);
Applicative\_Dispatch:
                          /* ie. comefrom above & Applicative_Build. */
  if (pair_p(EXPR)) goto Applicative_Pair;
  else goto Combine_Apply;
```

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255. The chunk *Applicative_Pair* extracts the next expression and returns to *Begin* to evaluate it, noting in the control link stack that the result will be used to continue building a combination's arguments.

```
\langle \text{Evaluate a complex expression } 252 \rangle +\equiv Applicative\_Pair: /* Evaluate the next argument in the list. */ LOG(ACC \leftarrow lcdr(EXPR)); LOG(CLINK \leftarrow note\_new(Sym\_COMBINE\_BUILD, ACC, CLINK, failure)); LOG(EXPR \leftarrow lcar(EXPR)); goto Begin;
```

256. Possibly misnamed (*Combine_Build? Sym_APPLICATIVE_BUILD?*), *Applicative_Build* is where control will arrive at following evaluation of the expression extracted by *Applicative_Pair* above. The result is appended to the growing arguments, which have now been re-reversed and will end up in the correct order, and control returns to *Applicative_Dispatch* to continue evaluating arguments or combine them into the result.

```
⟨ Evaluate a complex expression 252⟩ +≡

Applicative_Build: /* Continue building a combination after evaluating one expression. */

LOG(ARGS ← cons(ACC, ARGS, failure));

LOG(EXPR ← note_car(CLINK));

LOG(CLINK ← note_cdr(CLINK));

goto Applicative_Dispatch;
```

257. After evaluating all of the arguments control will eventually be passed to *Combine_Apply* to restore the saved applicative combiner from the control link stack and then proceed to combination. An operative combiner skips all of the above evaluation and jumps straight in to *Combine_Operate* with the combiner already in the accumulator.

```
⟨ Evaluate a complex expression 252⟩ +≡
Combine_Apply: /* Restore the saved applicative. */
LOG(ACC ← note_car(CLINK));
LOG(CLINK ← note_cdr(CLINK));
Combine_Operate:
LOG(CLINK ← note_new(Sym_COMBINE_FINISH, EXPR, CLINK, failure));
combine(failure);
goto Return; /* May have pushed further work to CLINK. */
```

258. Since a computer is at heart little more than a glorified transistor LossLess would be incomplete without conditional logic, implemented here.

```
\langle Evaluate a complex expression 252\rangle + \equiv
                    /* Evaluate the consequent or alternate of a conditional operative. */
Conditional:
  LOG(EXPR \leftarrow note\_car(CLINK));
  LOG(CLINK \leftarrow note\_cdr(CLINK));
  LOG(EXPR \leftarrow false\_p(ACC) ? lcdr(EXPR) : lcar(EXPR));
  goto Begin;
259. \langle Evaluate a complex expression 252 \rangle + \equiv
Validate\_Environment:
  if (\neg environment\_p(ACC)) evaluate_incompatible(__LINE__, failure);
  LOG(EXPR \leftarrow note\_car(CLINK));
  LOG(CLINK \leftarrow note\_cdr(CLINK));
#if 0
            /* Test whether the environment can be mutated. */
  if (\neg null\_p(EXPR))
     \mathbf{if} \ (\neg environment\_can\_p(\mathtt{ACC}, true\_p(lcar(\mathtt{EXPR})), lcdr(\mathtt{EXPR}))) \\
        evaluate_incompatible(__LINE__, failure);
#endif
  goto Return;
```

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```
\langle \text{Evaluate a complex expression } 252 \rangle + \equiv
Save\_And\_Evaluate: LOG(EXPR \leftarrow note\_car(CLINK));
  LOG(CLINK \leftarrow note\_cdr(CLINK));
  \texttt{LOG}(\texttt{CLINK} \leftarrow note\_new(Sym\_ENVIRONMENT\_M, \texttt{ACC}, \texttt{CLINK}, failure));
  goto Begin;
Restore\_Environment: LOG(ENV \leftarrow note\_car(CLINK));
  LOG(CLINK \leftarrow note\_cdr(CLINK));
  goto Return;
        \langle Evaluate a complex expression 252 \rangle + \equiv
Mutate\_Environment: LOG(EXPR \leftarrow note\_car(CLINK));
  LOG(CLINK \leftarrow note\_cdr(CLINK));
  LOG(ARGS \leftarrow lcar(EXPR));
  \texttt{LOG}(\texttt{EXPR} \leftarrow \mathit{lcdr}(\texttt{EXPR}));
  if (true_p(ARGS)) LOG(env_define(ENV, EXPR, ACC, failure));
  else LOG(env\_set(ENV, EXPR, ACC, failure));
  goto Return;
262. \langle Evaluate a complex expression 252 \rangle + \equiv
Evaluate\_Dispatch: LOG(EXPR \leftarrow note\_cdr(CLINK));
                                                                /* For assert — replaced by Evaluate. */
  assert(note\_p(\texttt{EXPR}) \land note(\texttt{EXPR}) \equiv Sym\_COMBINE\_FINISH);
  LOG(ENV \leftarrow ACC);
  goto Evaluate;
263. Primitive combiners are implemented right here in the evaluator (combine is only called from a
single location in evaluate).
  void combine(sigjmp_buf *failure)
     bool flag;
     int count;
     cell nsin, ndex;
     cell value;
     if (primitive_p(ACC)) {
        if (Iprimitive[primitive(ACC)].applicative \lor Iprimitive[primitive(ACC)].min \equiv -1)
          validate\_primitive(failure);
       switch (primitive(ACC)) {\langle Implement primitive programs 264 \rangle \}
     else if (applicative\_p(ACC)) LOG(CLINK \leftarrow note\_new(Sym\_APPLICATIVE, ACC, CLINK, failure));
     else if (operative\_p(ACC)) LOG(CLINK \leftarrow note\_new(Sym\_OPERATIVE, ACC, CLINK, failure));
  }
264. \langle Implement primitive programs 264 \rangle \equiv
default: siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_INTERNAL);
See also sections 267, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 283, 284, 285, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, and 294.
This code is used in section 263.
```

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265. Primitive in *Iprimitive*[primitive(ACC)] has from . min to . max arguments, to put into EXPR. If . min is -1 only . max is checked (for eg. 1 or 3 arguments).

This should be merged with validate_arguments and moved prior to evaluation (TODO).

```
void validate_primitive(sigjmp_buf *failure)
  int count;
  count \leftarrow 0;
  EXPR \leftarrow NIL;
  while (pair_p(ARGS)) {
     count ++;
     if (Iprimitive[primitive(ACC)].max \neq 0 \land count > Iprimitive[primitive(ACC)].max)
       evaluate_incompatible(__LINE__, failure);
     EXPR \leftarrow cons(lcar(ARGS), EXPR, failure);
     ARGS \leftarrow lcdr(ARGS);
  if (Iprimitive[primitive(ACC)].min \ge 0 \land count < Iprimitive[primitive(ACC)].min)
     evaluate_incompatible(__LINE__, failure);
  if (Iprimitive[primitive(ACC)].max \land Iprimitive[primitive(ACC)].max \neq
          Iprimitive[primitive(ACC)].min) EXPR \leftarrow cons(fix(count), EXPR, failure);
  ARGS \leftarrow EXPR;
  EXPR \leftarrow NIL;
}
```

266. Entering a closure is similar regardless of whether it's applicative or operative, except that an operative closure needs access to the caller's environment in addition to its own.

The closure is "opened" by extending its environment and restoring its body to the *Environment* and *Expression* registers respectively and re-entering the evaluator (with the appropriate instructions added to the control link stack).

```
TODO: Refactor into one chunk?
```

```
\langle Evaluate a complex expression 252 \rangle + \equiv
Operative\_Closure:
                          /* EXPR has unevaluated arguments, ARGS unused. */
  LOG(EXPR \leftarrow note\_car(CLINK));
                                            /* Closure */
  \texttt{LOG}(\texttt{CLINK} \leftarrow note\_cdr(\texttt{CLINK}));
  LOG(ACC \leftarrow lcar(EXPR));
  LOG(ARGS \leftarrow cons(ACC, ARGS, failure));
                                                    /* (Formals . Arguments) */
  LOG(EXPR \leftarrow lcdr(EXPR));
  \texttt{LOG}(\texttt{ACC} \leftarrow \texttt{ENV});
  LOG(ENV \leftarrow lcar(EXPR));
                                    /* Environment */
  LOG(EXPR \leftarrow lcdr(EXPR));
  LOG(ENV \leftarrow env\_extend(ENV, failure));
  LOG(EXPR \leftarrow lcar(EXPR));
                                     /* Body */
  LOG(validate_operative(failure)); /* Sets in ENV as required. */
  goto Begin;
Applicative\_Closure: LOG(EXPR \leftarrow note\_car(CLINK));
                                                                  /* Closure */
  LOG(CLINK \leftarrow note\_cdr(CLINK));
                                    /* Formals */
  LOG(ACC \leftarrow lcar(EXPR));
  LOG(EXPR \leftarrow lcdr(EXPR));
  LOG(ENV \leftarrow lcar(EXPR));
                                    /* Environment */
  LOG(EXPR \leftarrow lcdr(EXPR));
  LOG(ENV \leftarrow env\_extend(ENV, failure));
  LOG(EXPR \leftarrow lcar(EXPR));
                                     /* Body */
  LOG(validate_arguments(failure)); /* Copies from ARGS to ENV. */
  goto Begin;
```

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267. Each kind of closure is created similarly — by validating its *formals* expression (ie. the argument names) and copying those, the body of code and the current run-time environment into the appropriately tagged object.

The do primitive (notably *not* the symbol representing it but the already-evaluated primitive itself) is prepended to the closure body in a manner which definitely needs improvement. This not only saves an unnecessary environment search at run-time but also means that the meaning of *this* do is fixed by the evaluator and cannot be overridden in *any* environment.

```
\langle \text{Implement primitive programs } 264 \rangle + \equiv
case PRIMITIVE_LAMBDA:
                                  /* Return an applicative closure. */
                              /* Return an operative closure. */
case PRIMITIVE_VOV:
  flag \leftarrow (primitive(ACC) \equiv PRIMITIVE\_LAMBDA);
  if (null\_p(ARGS)) evaluate\_incompatible(\__LINE\_\_, failure);
  LOG(ACC \leftarrow lcar(ARGS));
                                   /* Formals */
  LOG(EXPR \leftarrow lcdr(ARGS));
                                    /* Body */
  cell lame \leftarrow symbol\_new\_const("do");
  lame \leftarrow env\_search(Root, lame, true, failure);
  LOG(EXPR \leftarrow cons(lame, EXPR, failure));
  LOG(validate_formals(flag, failure));
  LOG(ACC \leftarrow closure\_new(flag, ARGS, ENV, EXPR, failure));
  break;
```

268. At this stage in evaluation the source code representing the formals is in the accumulator and the argument list is empty — these are swapped so the arguments are in the *Arguments* register — and the *Expression* register is occupied with the closure's body.

```
void validate_formals(bool is_applicative, sigjmp_buf *failure) { static int Svargs \leftarrow 2, Svenv \leftarrow 1, Svcont \leftarrow 0; cell arg, state; sigjmp_buf cleanup; Verror reason \leftarrow LERR_NONE; LOG(ARGS \leftarrow ACC); /* TODO: Also check all symbols are unique. */ LOG(ACC \leftarrow NIL); if (is_applicative) {\langle Validate applicative (lambda) formals 269\rangle} else {\langle Validate operative (vov) formals 270\rangle}
```

§269 LOSSLESS EVALUATOR 111

269. The *formals* argument to an applicative (lambda) expression take the shape of a symbol or a (possibly improper) list of symbols. The symbols, which have bypassed the evaluator, are copied first into the accumulator (backwards) with their syntax wrapping removed, then copied back into the accumulator to restore their original order.

Each symbol should be unique but this is not validated (TODO).

```
 \begin{array}{l} & \text{ while } (\text{pair\_p}(\text{evaluate\_desyntax}(\text{ARGS})) \equiv \\ & \text{ while } (pair\_p(\text{evaluate\_desyntax}(\text{ARGS}))) \; \{\\ & arg \leftarrow lcar(\text{evaluate\_desyntax}(\text{ARGS}));\\ & \text{ LOG}(\text{ARGS} \leftarrow lcdr(\text{evaluate\_desyntax}(\text{ARGS}));\\ & assert(\text{syntax\_p}(\text{arg}));\\ & arg \leftarrow \text{syntax\_datum}(\text{arg});\\ & \text{ if } (\neg \text{symbol\_p}(\text{arg})) \; \text{ evaluate\_incompatible}(\_\_\text{LINE\_\_}, failure);\\ & \text{ LOG}(\text{ACC} \leftarrow cons(\text{arg}, \text{ACC}, failure));\\ & \}\\ & \text{ if } (\text{symbol\_p}(\text{evaluate\_desyntax}(\text{ARGS}))) \; \text{ LOG}(\text{ARGS} \leftarrow \text{evaluate\_desyntax}(\text{ARGS}));\\ & \text{ else } \text{ if } (\neg null\_p(\text{evaluate\_desyntax}(\text{ARGS}))) \; \text{ evaluate\_incompatible}(\_\_\text{LINE\_\_}, failure);\\ & \text{ while } (\neg null\_p(\text{ACC})) \; \{\\ & \text{ LOG}(\text{ARGS} \leftarrow cons(lcar(\text{ACC}), \text{ARGS}, failure));\\ & \text{ LOG}(\text{ACC} \leftarrow lcdr(\text{ACC}));\\ & \} \end{aligned}
```

This code is used in section 268.

112 EVALUATOR LOSSLESS §270

270. The formals (or *informals*) argument to an operative (vov) expression is a list of lists of two symbols. The first such symbol is a variable name to bind to; the second symbol is what to bind to it, one of the caller's environment, (unevaluated) arguments or (unimplemented) continuation delimiter.

Each piece of state can be referenced once, and at least one piece of state must be (TODO: not demanding this may be profitable for global operators without arguments), and this is validated although each binding (variable) name must be unique and this is not (TODO).

```
#define Sym_VOV_ARGS (symbol_new_const("vov/args"))
#define Sym_VOV_ARGUMENTS (symbol_new_const("vov/arguments"))
#define Sym_VOV_CONT (symbol_new_const("vov/cont"))
#define Sym_VOV_CONTINUATION (symbol_new_const("vov/continuation"))
#define Sym_VOV_ENV (symbol_new_const("vov/env"))
#define Sym_VOV_ENVIRONMENT (symbol_new_const("vov/environment"))
#define save\_vov\_informal(O, S) do
            if (\neg null\_p(SO(S))) evaluate_incompatible(__LINE__, failure);
            else LOG(SS((S), (O)));
          while (0)
\langle \text{ Validate operative (vov) formals } 270 \rangle \equiv
  stack\_reserve(3, failure);
  if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) unwind(failure, reason, false, 3);
  ARGS \leftarrow evaluate\_desyntax(ARGS);
  while (pair_p(ARGS)) {
     arg \leftarrow lcar(ARGS);
     arg \leftarrow evaluate\_desyntax(arg);
     if (\neg pair_p(arg)) evaluate_incompatible(__LINE___, failure);
     state \leftarrow lcdr(arg);
     arg \leftarrow lcar(arg);
     arg \leftarrow evaluate\_desyntax(arg);
     if (\neg symbol\_p(arg) \lor \neg pair\_p(state) \lor \neg null\_p(lcdr(state)))
       evaluate_incompatible(__LINE__, failure);
     state \leftarrow lcar(state);
     state \leftarrow evaluate\_desyntax(state);
     if (state \equiv Sym_VOV\_ARGS \lor state \equiv Sym_VOV\_ARGUMENTS)
       save\_vov\_informal(arg, Svargs);
     else if (state \equiv Sym_VOV_ENV \lor state \equiv Sym_VOV_ENVIRONMENT)
       save\_vov\_informal(arg, Svenv);
     else if (state \equiv Sym_VOV_CONT \lor state \equiv Sym_VOV_CONTINUATION)
       save\_vov\_informal(arg, Svcont);
     else evaluate_incompatible(__LINE__, failure);
     \texttt{LOG}(\texttt{ARGS} \leftarrow lcdr(\texttt{ARGS}));
  if (\neg null\_p(ARGS) \lor (null\_p(SO(Svarqs)) \land null\_p(SO(Svenv)) \land null\_p(SO(Svcont))))
     evaluate_incompatible(__LINE__, failure);
  ARGS \leftarrow cons(SO(Svcont), ARGS, failure);
  ARGS \leftarrow cons(SO(Svenv), ARGS, failure);
  ARGS \leftarrow cons(SO(Svargs), ARGS, failure);
  stack\_clear(3);
This code is used in section 268.
```

271. A closure object is simply the three pieces of virtual machine state saved in an opaque list.

§272 LOSSLESS EVALUATOR 113

272. From the *Applicative_Closure* evaluator chunk, the arguments have been evaluated and the number of them is validated while each is bound — in the extended environment — to the symbol named in the formals which have been saved in the accumulator.

Although the *env_define* call here will have the effect of forcing the formals symbols to be unique, this is the wrong place to rely on it.

```
void validate_arguments(sigjmp_buf *failure)
  static int Sname \leftarrow 1, Sarg \leftarrow 0;
  cell arg, name;
  sigjmp_buf cleanup;
  Verror reason \leftarrow LERR_NONE;
  stack\_reserve(2, failure);
  if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) unwind(failure, reason, false, 2);
  LOG(SS(Sname, evaluate\_desyntax(ACC)));
  LOG(SS(Sarg, ARGS));
  while (pair_p(SO(Sname))) {
    LOG(name \leftarrow lcar(SO(Sname)));
    LOG(SS(Sname, lcdr(SO(Sname))));
    if (null\_p(SO(Sarg))) evaluate_incompatible(__LINE__, failure);
    LOG(arg \leftarrow lcar(SO(Sarg)));
    LOG(SS(Sarq, lcdr(SO(Sarq))));
    LOG(env_define(ENV, name, arg, failure));
  if (\neg null\_p(SO(Sname))) {
    LOG(assert(symbol\_p(SO(Sname))));
    LOG(env\_define(ENV, SO(Sname), SO(Sarg), failure));
  else if (\neg null\_p(SO(Sarg))) evaluate_incompatible(__LINE__, failure);
  stack\_clear(2);
}
```

114 EVALUATOR LOSSLESS §273

273. An operative closure has in place of its formals a list of three symbols (or NIL). Their location in the list determines what will be bound to that symbol so the order must match that in *validate_formals* above.

The run-time environment of the caller has been saved in the accumulator prior to the closure's environment being restored and extended. Note that the arguments *still* have not been seen by the evaluator and so retain the syntax wrapping.

```
void validate_operative(sigjmp_buf *failure)
  static int Sinformal \leftarrow 0;
  sigjmp_buf cleanup;
  Verror reason \leftarrow LERR_NONE;
  assert(pair_p(ARGS));
  stack_push(lcar(ARGS), failure);
  if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) unwind(failure, reason, false, 1);
  ARGS \leftarrow lcdr(ARGS);
  assert(pair_p(SO(Sinformal)));
  if (symbol_{-}p(lcar(SO(Sinformal)))) LOG(env\_define(ENV, lcar(SO(Sinformal)), ARGS, failure));
  SS(Sinformal, lcdr(SO(Sinformal)));
  assert(pair_p(SO(Sinformal)));
  if (symbol\_p(lcar(SO(Sinformal)))) LOG(env\_define(ENV, lcar(SO(Sinformal)), ACC, failure));
  SS(Sinformal, lcdr(SO(Sinformal)));
  assert(pair_p(SO(Sinformal)));
  if (symbol\_p(lcar(SO(Sinformal)))) siglongjmp (cleanup, LERR\_UNIMPLEMENTED);
       /* Continuation */
  assert(null\_p(lcdr(SO(Sinformal))));
  stack\_clear(1);
}
```

§274 LOSSLESS PRIMITIVES 115

274. Primitives. Core primitives are primarily operatives and some applicatives to manipulate lists, the environment and closures. Primitives which are applicative have their argument lists checked for length. Operatives enforce a maximum number of arguments (which may be zero) if the minimum indicated is -1 or that they will process the argument list entirely (minimum is zero) and the maximum value is not used.

```
\langle Symbolic primitive identifiers 274\rangle \equiv
  PRIMITIVE_BREAK,
  PRIMITIVE_CAR,
  PRIMITIVE_CDR,
  PRIMITIVE_CONS,
  PRIMITIVE_CURRENT_ENVIRONMENT,
  PRIMITIVE_DEFINE_M,
  PRIMITIVE_DO,
  PRIMITIVE_DUMP,
  PRIMITIVE_EVAL,
  PRIMITIVE_IF,
  PRIMITIVE_LAMBDA,
  PRIMITIVE_NULL_P,
  PRIMITIVE_PAIR_P,
  PRIMITIVE_ROOT_ENVIRONMENT,
  PRIMITIVE_SET_M,
  PRIMITIVE_VOV ,
See also section 287.
This code is used in section 186.
275. \langle Primitive definitions 275 \rangle \equiv
  [PRIMITIVE\_BREAK] \leftarrow \{"break", NIL, false, -1, 0, \},
        [PRIMITIVE\_CURRENT\_ENVIRONMENT] \leftarrow \{"current-environment", NIL, false, -1, 0, \},
        [PRIMITIVE\_DO] \leftarrow \{"do", NIL, false, 0, 0, \},
        [PRIMITIVE\_DEFINE\_M] \leftarrow \{"define!", NIL, false, 0, 0, \},
        [PRIMITIVE\_IF] \leftarrow \{"if", NIL, false, -1, 3, \},
        [PRIMITIVE\_LAMBDA] \leftarrow \{"lambda", NIL, false, 0, 0, \},
        [PRIMITIVE\_ROOT\_ENVIRONMENT] \leftarrow \{"root-environment", NIL, false, -1, 0, \},
        [PRIMITIVE\_SET\_M] \leftarrow \{"set!", NIL, false, 0, 0, \},
        [PRIMITIVE\_VOV] \leftarrow \{"vov", NIL, false, 0, 0, \},
  [PRIMITIVE\_CAR] \leftarrow \{"car", NIL, true, 1, 1, \},
        [\mathtt{PRIMITIVE\_CDR}] \leftarrow \{\mathtt{"cdr"}, \mathtt{NIL}, \mathit{true}, 1, 1, \},
        [\mathtt{PRIMITIVE\_CONS}] \leftarrow \{\texttt{"cons"}, \mathtt{NIL}, \mathit{true}, 2, 2, \},
        [PRIMITIVE\_DUMP] \leftarrow \{"dump", NIL, true, 1, 1, \},
        [PRIMITIVE\_EVAL] \leftarrow \{"eval", NIL, true, 1, 2, \},
        [PRIMITIVE\_NULL\_P] \leftarrow \{"null?", NIL, true, 1, 1, \},
        [PRIMITIVE\_PAIR\_P] \leftarrow \{"pair?", NIL, true, 1, 1, \}
```

See also section 288.

This code is used in section 187.

116 PRIMITIVES LOSSLESS §276

276. The pair constructor cons along with its accessors car, cdr, etc. ARGS has been scanned sufficient to be certain it is a proper list (or NIL).

```
\langle Implement primitive programs 264 \rangle + \equiv
case PRIMITIVE_CONS: LOG(Tmp\_DEX \leftarrow lcar(ARGS));
  LOG(ARGS \leftarrow lcdr(ARGS));
  LOG(Tmp\_SIN \leftarrow lcar(ARGS));
  LOG(ARGS \leftarrow lcdr(ARGS));
  assert(null_{-}p(ARGS));
  LOG(ACC \leftarrow cons(Tmp\_SIN, Tmp\_DEX, failure));
                                                               /* Tmp_* reset by cons. */
  break:
case PRIMITIVE_CAR: LOG(EXPR \leftarrow lcar(ARGS));
  LOG(ARGS \leftarrow lcdr(ARGS));
  assert(null\_p(ARGS));
  if (\neg pair_p(\texttt{EXPR})) evaluate_incompatible(__LINE__, failure);
  LOG(ACC \leftarrow lcar(EXPR));
case PRIMITIVE_CDR: LOG(EXPR \leftarrow lcar(ARGS));
  LOG(ARGS \leftarrow lcdr(ARGS));
  assert(null_p(ARGS));
  if (\neg pair_p(EXPR)) evaluate_incompatible(__LINE___, failure);
  LOG(ACC \leftarrow lcdr(EXPR));
  break;
```

277. Perform a list of evaluations sequentially, terminating with the result of the last in the accumulator. This validates that the body of the expression is a proper list building up instructions to evaluate in a new list in the accumulator.

To avoid reversing and re-reversing the list a pointer to the tail is kept in the *Expression* register which is otherwise empty. This algorithm is rather odd in that the new control link node is created with the accumulator (the list head) in its tail position which is then replaced. This is so that the evaluator does not require any temporary storage other than the five evaluator registers.

```
\langle \text{Implement primitive programs 264} \rangle + \equiv
case PRIMITIVE_DO:
                             /* (Operative) */
  LOG(EXPR \leftarrow note\_new(Sym\_EVALUATE, VOID, NIL, failure));
  LOG(ACC \leftarrow EXPR);
  while (\neg null\_p(ARGS)) {
     if (\neg pair_p(ARGS)) evaluate_incompatible(__LINE__, failure);
     LOG(value \leftarrow note\_new(Sym\_EVALUATE, evaluate\_desyntax(lcar(ARGS)), NIL, failure));
     LOG(note\_set\_cdr\_m(ACC, value));
     LOG(ACC \leftarrow value);
     LOG(ARGS \leftarrow lcdr(ARGS));
     ARGS \leftarrow evaluate\_desyntax(ARGS);
  LOG(note\_set\_cdr\_m(ACC, CLINK));
  LOG(CLINK \leftarrow EXPR);
  break;
        \langle \text{Implement primitive programs } 264 \rangle + \equiv
case PRIMITIVE_CURRENT_ENVIRONMENT: assert(null_p(ARGS));
  LOG(ACC \leftarrow ENV);
case PRIMITIVE_ROOT_ENVIRONMENT: assert(null_p(ARGS));
  LOG(ACC \leftarrow Root);
  break;
```

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279. Set the stage to evaluate an expression and branch to the evaluation of one of two other expressions depending on its outcome's truth.

The test is saved in the *Expression* register with the consequent and alternate (in case the test evaluates to false) expressions saved in a pair in the control link stack. An alternate expression is optional and in such a case a false test result will evaluate to VOID.

```
\langle \text{Implement primitive programs } 264 \rangle + \equiv
case PRIMITIVE_IF:
                            /* (Operative) */
  LOG(count \leftarrow fix\_value(lcar(ARGS)));
  LOG(ARGS \leftarrow lcdr(ARGS));
  if (count \equiv 3) validated_argument(ACC, ARGS, false, defined_p, failure);
  else if (count \equiv 1) LOG(ACC \leftarrow VOID); /* No alternate */
  else evaluate_incompatible(__LINE__, failure);
  validated_argument(EXPR, ARGS, false, defined_p, failure);
  LOG(EXPR \leftarrow cons(EXPR, ACC, failure));
  validated_argument(ACC, ARGS, false, defined_p, failure);
  LOG(CLINK \leftarrow note\_new(Sym\_CONDITIONAL, EXPR, CLINK, failure));
  LOG(CLINK \leftarrow note\_new(Sym\_EVALUATE, ACC, CLINK, failure));
  break;
280. Debugging.
\langle Implement primitive programs 264\rangle + \equiv
case PRIMITIVE_DUMP: lprint("DUMP<sub>□</sub>");
  ACC \leftarrow lcar(ARGS);
  serial(ACC, SERIAL\_DETAIL, 42, NIL, \Lambda, failure);
  lprint("\n");
case PRIMITIVE_BREAK: breakpoint();
  break;
281. \langle Function declarations 21 \rangle + \equiv
  void breakpoint(void);
282. void breakpoint(void)
    printf(\verb"Why\_did_\_we_\_ever\_allow_\_GNU?\\\verb""");
```

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```
283.
       (define! jenv; jsym; jexpr;)
  or (define! jenv; (jsym; . jformals; . jbody; ) == (define! jenv; jsym; (lambda jformals; . jbody; ))
  == (define! ¡env¿ ¡pair?¿ . ¡rest¿) == (define! ¡env¿ ,(car ¡pair¿) (lambda ,(cdr ¡pair) . ¡rest¿))
\langle Implement primitive programs 264 \rangle + \equiv
case PRIMITIVE_DEFINE_M: case PRIMITIVE_SET_M: flaq \leftarrow (primitive(ACC) \equiv PRIMITIVE\_DEFINE_M);
  if (\neg pair_p(ARGS)) evaluate_incompatible(__LINE___, failure);
  LOG(ACC \leftarrow lcar(ARGS));
                                 /* Environment to mutate. */
  ARGS \leftarrow lcdr(ARGS);
  if (\neg pair_p(ARGS)) evaluate_incompatible(__LINE__, failure);
  EXPR \leftarrow lcar(ARGS);
                            /* Binding label. */
  EXPR \leftarrow evaluate\_desyntax(EXPR);
                          /* Applicative closure: (label . formals) */
  if (pair_p(EXPR)) {
                                     /* Closure body. */
     LOG(ARGS \leftarrow lcdr(ARGS));
     LOG(value \leftarrow lcdr(EXPR));
                                     /* Applicative formals. */
     LOG(EXPR \leftarrow lcar(EXPR));
                                      /* Real binding label. */
     EXPR \leftarrow evaluate\_desyntax(EXPR);
     LOG(ARGS \leftarrow cons(value, ARGS, failure));
     LOG(ARGS \leftarrow cons(Iprimitive[PRIMITIVE\_LAMBDA].box, ARGS, failure));
  else if (symbol_p(EXPR)) {
    LOG(ARGS \leftarrow lcdr(ARGS));
     if (\neg pair_p(ARGS)) evaluate_incompatible(__LINE__, failure);
    LOG(value \leftarrow lcar(ARGS));
                                     /* Value (after evaluation). */
     LOG(ARGS \leftarrow lcdr(ARGS));
     if (\neg null\_p(ARGS)) evaluate_incompatible(__LINE__, failure);
     LOG(ARGS \leftarrow value);
  else evaluate_incompatible(__LINE__, failure);
  LOG(EXPR \leftarrow cons(predicate(flag), EXPR, failure));
  LOG(CLINK \leftarrow note\_new(Sym\_DEFINITION, EXPR, CLINK, failure));
  LOG(CLINK \leftarrow note\_new(Sym\_SAVE\_AND\_EVALUATE, ARGS, CLINK, failure));
  LOG(CLINK \leftarrow note\_new(Sym\_ENVIRONMENT\_P, EXPR, CLINK, failure));
  LOG(CLINK \leftarrow note\_new(Sym\_EVALUATE, ACC, CLINK, failure));
  break;
284.
       #define primitive_predicate(O) do {
            ACC \leftarrow lcar(ARGS);
            ARGS \leftarrow lcdr(ARGS);
            assert(null\_p(ARGS));
            ACC \leftarrow predicate(O(ACC));
          } while (0); break
\langle \text{Implement primitive programs 264} \rangle + \equiv
case PRIMITIVE_NULL_P: primitive_predicate(null_p);
case PRIMITIVE_PAIR_P: primitive_predicate(pair_p);
       \langle \text{Implement primitive programs } 264 \rangle + \equiv
case PRIMITIVE_EVAL: LOG(count \leftarrow fix\_value(lcar(ARGS)));
  LOG(ARGS \leftarrow lcdr(ARGS));
  if (count \equiv 2) validated_argument(ACC, ARGS, false, environment_p, failure);
  else if (count \equiv 1) LOG(ACC \leftarrow ENV);
  else evaluate_incompatible(__LINE__, failure);
  LOG(EXPR \leftarrow lcar(ARGS)); /* Expression to evaluate. */
  LOG(CLINK \leftarrow note\_new(Sym\_EVALUATE\_DISPATCH, EXPR, CLINK, failure));
  break;
```

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```
286. #define validated\_argument(VAR, ARGS, NULLABLE, PREDICATE, FAILURE) do {  \{ (VAR) \leftarrow lcar(ARGS); \\ (ARGS) \leftarrow lcdr(ARGS); \\ if ((\neg(NULLABLE) \land null\_p(VAR)) \lor \neg PREDICATE(VAR)) \\ evaluate\_incompatible(\_\_LINE\_\_, (FAILURE)); \\ \} \\ while (0)
```

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287. Object primitives.

```
\langle Symbolic primitive identifiers 274 \rangle + \equiv
  PRIMITIVE_NEW_TREE_PLAIN_NODE, PRIMITIVE_NEW_TREE_BIWARD_NODE,
       PRIMITIVE_NEW_TREE_SINWARD_NODE, PRIMITIVE_NEW_TREE_DEXWARD_NODE,
       PRIMITIVE_TREE_SIN_HAS_THREAD_P, PRIMITIVE_TREE_DEX_HAS_THREAD_P,
       PRIMITIVE_TREE_DEX_IS_LIVE_P, PRIMITIVE_TREE_SIN_IS_LIVE_P, PRIMITIVE_TREE_P,
       PRIMITIVE_TREE_PLAIN_P, PRIMITIVE_TREE_RETHREAD_M, PRIMITIVE_TREE_SIN_THREADABLE_P,
       PRIMITIVE_TREE_DEX_THREADABLE_P, PRIMITIVE_TREE_DATUM,
  PRIMITIVE_NEW_ROPE_PLAIN_NODE, PRIMITIVE_ROPE_P, PRIMITIVE_ROPE_PLAIN_P,
       PRIMITIVE_ROPE_SIN_THREADABLE_P, PRIMITIVE_ROPE_DEX_THREADABLE_P,
       PRIMITIVE_ROPE_SEGMENT ,
288. \langle Primitive definitions 275 \rangle + \equiv
  [PRIMITIVE\_NEW\_TREE\_PLAIN\_NODE] \leftarrow \{"new-tree\%plain-node", NIL, true, 3, 3, \},
       [PRIMITIVE\_NEW\_TREE\_BIWARD\_NODE] \leftarrow \{"new-tree\%bi-threadable-node", NIL, true, 3, 3, \},
       [PRIMITIVE\_NEW\_TREE\_DEXWARD\_NODE] \leftarrow \{"new-tree%sin-threadable-node", NIL, true, 3, 3, \},
       [PRIMITIVE\_NEW\_TREE\_SINWARD\_NODE] \leftarrow \{"new-tree%dex-threadable-node", NIL, true, 3, 3, \},
       [PRIMITIVE\_TREE\_SIN\_HAS\_THREAD\_P] \leftarrow \{"tree/sin-has-thread?", NIL, true, 1, 1, \}, \}
       [PRIMITIVE\_TREE\_DEX\_HAS\_THREAD\_P] \leftarrow \{"tree/dex-has-thread?", NIL, true, 1, 1, \}, \}
       [PRIMITIVE\_TREE\_SIN\_IS\_LIVE\_P] \leftarrow \{"tree/live-sin", NIL, true, 1, 1, \},
       [PRIMITIVE\_TREE\_DEX\_IS\_LIVE\_P] \leftarrow \{"tree/live-dex", NIL, true, 1, 1, \}, \}
       [PRIMITIVE\_TREE\_P] \leftarrow \{"tree?", NIL, true, 1, 1, \},
       [PRIMITIVE\_TREE\_PLAIN\_P] \leftarrow \{"tree\%plain?", NIL, true, 1, 1, \},
       [PRIMITIVE\_TREE\_RETHREAD\_M] \leftarrow \{"tree/rethread!", NIL, true, 3, 3, \}, \}
       [PRIMITIVE\_TREE\_SIN\_THREADABLE\_P] \leftarrow \{"tree\%sin-threadable?", NIL, true, 1, 1, \}, \}
       [PRIMITIVE\_TREE\_DEX\_THREADABLE\_P] \leftarrow \{"tree\%dex-threadable?", NIL, true, 1, 1, \},
       [PRIMITIVE\_TREE\_DATUM] \leftarrow \{"tree/datum", NIL, true, 1, 1, \},
  [PRIMITIVE\_ROPE\_P] \leftarrow \{"rope?", NIL, true, 1, 1, \},
       [PRIMITIVE\_ROPE\_PLAIN\_P] \leftarrow \{"rope\%plain?", NIL, true, 1, 1, \},
       [PRIMITIVE\_ROPE\_SIN\_THREADABLE\_P] \leftarrow \{ "rope%sin-threadable?", NIL, true, 1, 1, \},
       [PRIMITIVE\_ROPE\_DEX\_THREADABLE\_P] \leftarrow \{"rope%dex-threadable?", NIL, true, 1, 1, \},
       [PRIMITIVE\_NEW\_ROPE\_PLAIN\_NODE] \leftarrow \{"new-rope%plain-node", NIL, true, 1, 3, \},
       [PRIMITIVE\_ROPE\_SEGMENT] \leftarrow \{"rope/segment", NIL, true, 1, 1, \}
       \langle Implement primitive programs 264 \rangle + \equiv
case PRIMITIVE_ROPE_P: ACC \leftarrow predicate(rope\_p(lcar(ARGS)));
case PRIMITIVE_ROPE_PLAIN_P: ACC \leftarrow predicate(plain\_rope\_p(lcar(ARGS)));
\textbf{case} \ \texttt{PRIMITIVE\_ROPE\_SIN\_THREADABLE\_P:} \ \ \texttt{ACC} \leftarrow \textit{predicate}(\textit{rope\_sin\_threadable\_p}(\textit{lcar}(\texttt{ARGS})));
case PRIMITIVE_ROPE_DEX_THREADABLE_P: ACC \leftarrow predicate(rope\_dex\_threadable\_p(lcar(ARGS)));
  break;
```

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```
290. (Implement primitive programs 264) +\equiv
case PRIMITIVE_NEW_ROPE_PLAIN_NODE: count \leftarrow fix\_value(lcar(ARGS));
  ARGS \leftarrow lcdr(ARGS);
  if (count \equiv 3) {
     validated_argument(ndex, ARGS, true, plain_rope_p, failure);
     validated_argument(nsin, ARGS, true, plain_rope_p, failure);
  else if (count \neq 1) evaluate_incompatible(__LINE___, failure);
  else nsin \leftarrow ndex \leftarrow NIL;
  validated_argument(ACC, ARGS, true, rope_p, failure);
  if (null\_p(ACC)) ACC \leftarrow rope\_node\_new\_length(false, false, 0, nsin, ndex, failure);
  else ACC \leftarrow rope\_node\_new\_clone(false, false, ACC, nsin, ndex, failure);
  break;
291. \langle Implement primitive programs 264 \rangle + \equiv
case PRIMITIVE_TREE_P: ACC \leftarrow predicate(tree\_p(lcar(ARGS)));
  break:
case PRIMITIVE_TREE_PLAIN_P: ACC \leftarrow predicate(plain\_tree\_p(lcar(ARGS)));
  break;
case PRIMITIVE_TREE_SIN_THREADABLE_P: ACC \leftarrow predicate(tree\_sin\_threadable\_p(lcar(ARGS)));
case PRIMITIVE_TREE_DEX_THREADABLE_P: ACC \leftarrow predicate(tree\_dex\_threadable\_p(lcar(ARGS)));
  break;
292.
        \langle Implement primitive programs 264 \rangle + \equiv
case PRIMITIVE_TREE_SIN_HAS_THREAD_P:
  if (\neg tree\_sin\_threadable\_p(lcar(ARGS))) ACC \leftarrow LFALSE;
  else ACC \leftarrow tree\_sin\_has\_thread\_p(lcar(ARGS));
  break:
case PRIMITIVE_TREE_DEX_HAS_THREAD_P:
  \mathbf{if} \ (\neg tree\_dex\_threadable\_p(lcar(\mathtt{ARGS}))) \ \mathtt{ACC} \leftarrow \mathtt{LFALSE};
  else ACC \leftarrow tree\_dex\_has\_thread\_p(lcar(ARGS));
  break:
case PRIMITIVE_TREE_SIN_IS_LIVE_P: ACC \leftarrow predicate(dryad\_sin\_p(lcar(ARGS)));
  break;
case PRIMITIVE_TREE_DEX_IS_LIVE_P: ACC \leftarrow predicate(dryad\_dex\_p(lcar(ARGS)));
  break;
```

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```
293.
       \langle \text{Implement primitive programs } 264 \rangle + \equiv
case PRIMITIVE_NEW_TREE_PLAIN_NODE: validated_argument(ndex, ARGS, true, plain_tree_p, failure);
  validated_argument(nsin, ARGS, true, plain_tree_p, failure);
  ACC \leftarrow tree\_node\_new(lcar(ARGS), nsin, ndex, failure);
#endif
  break;
case PRIMITIVE_NEW_TREE_BIWARD_NODE:
  validated_argument(ndex, ARGS, true, tree_threadable_p, failure);
  validated_argument(nsin, ARGS, true, tree_threadable_p, failure);
#if 0
  ACC \leftarrow tree\_threadable\_node\_new(lcar(ARGS), nsin, ndex, failure);
#endif
  break:
case PRIMITIVE_NEW_TREE_SINWARD_NODE:
  validated_argument(ndex, ARGS, true, tree_sin_threadable_p, failure);
  validated_argument(nsin, ARGS, true, tree_sin_threadable_p, failure);
  if (tree\_dex\_threadable\_p(nsin) \lor tree\_dex\_threadable\_p(ndex))
     evaluate_incompatible(__LINE__, failure);
\#if 0
  ACC \leftarrow tree\_sin\_threadable\_node\_new(lcar(ARGS), nsin, ndex, failure);
#endif
  break;
case PRIMITIVE_NEW_TREE_DEXWARD_NODE:
  validated_argument(ndex, ARGS, true, tree_dex_threadable_p, failure);
  validated_argument(nsin, ARGS, true, tree_dex_threadable_p, failure);
  if (tree\_sin\_threadable\_p(nsin) \lor tree\_sin\_threadable\_p(ndex))
     evaluate_incompatible(__LINE__, failure);
#if 0
  ACC \leftarrow tree\_dex\_threadable\_node\_new(lcar(ARGS), nsin, ndex, failure);
#endif
  break;
case PRIMITIVE_TREE_RETHREAD_M: validated_argument(ndex, ARGS, false, boolean_p, failure);
  validated_argument(nsin, ARGS, false, boolean_p, failure);
  if (\neg tree\_p(lcar(ARGS))) evaluate_incompatible(__LINE__, failure);
#if 0
  ACC \leftarrow treeish\_rethread\_m(lcar(ARGS), true\_p(nsin), true\_p(ndex), failure);
\#endif
  break;
294. \langle Implement primitive programs 264 \rangle + \equiv
case PRIMITIVE_TREE_DATUM: validated_argument(value, ARGS, false, tree_p, failure);
  ACC \leftarrow dryad\_datum(value);
  break;
```

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```
295.
       Serialisation.
#define serial\_printable\_p(O) ((O) \ge ' \cup ' \land (O) < 0x7f)
\#define SERIAL_SILENT 0
#define SERIAL_HUMAN 1
#define SERIAL_ROUND 2
#define SERIAL_DETAIL 3
\langle Function declarations 21\rangle + \equiv
  void gc_serial(cell, cell);
  void serial(cell, int, int, cell, cell *, sigjmp_buf *);
  void serial_append_imp(cell, char *, int, sigjmp_buf *);
  int serial_cycle(cell, cell);
  char *serial_deduplicate(cell, int, cell, cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  void serial_escape(char *, int, cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  void serial_imp(cell, int, int, bool, cell, cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  void serial_rope(cell, int, int, cell, cell, sigjmp_buf *);
296.
  what: 3 debug: all detail 2 round-trip: strings/symbols formatted, impossible-to-print objects abort
1 descriptive: (unimplemented) 0 silent (to collect a list of recursive points)
  how: strings escaped vs. raw maximum depth numeric base
  buffer is a segment where the serialised result will be put. Can only be NIL if detail is 0 or dprint is
enabled.
  void serial(cell o, int detail, int maxdepth, cell buffer, cell *cycles, sigjmp_buf *failure)
    static int Sobject \leftarrow 0;
    size_t count;
    Oheap *h, *heap;
    bool compacting;
                                      /* In case of special_p(o). */
    cell ignored \leftarrow Null\_Array;
    sigjmp_buf cleanup;
    Verror reason \leftarrow LERR\_NONE;
    assert(defined_p(o));
    assert(maxdepth \geq 0);
    if (detail) assert(null_p(buffer));
    else assert((LDEBUG_P \land null_p(buffer)) \lor segment_p(buffer));
    if (cycles \equiv \Lambda) cycles \leftarrow \&ignored;
    stack\_protect(1, o, failure);
    if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) unwind(failure, reason, false, 1);
    if (\neg special\_p(o)) {
       (Determine which heap an object is in 297)
       (Look for cyclic data structures 298)
    if (detail) serial_imp(SO(Sobject), detail, maxdepth, true, buffer, *cycles, failure);
    stack\_clear(1);
  }
```

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\langle Determine which heap an object is in 297\rangle \equiv
  heap \leftarrow Theap;
  h \leftarrow Sheap;
  while (h \neq \Lambda)
     if (h \equiv ATOM_TO_HEAP(o)) {
        heap \leftarrow Sheap;
        break;
     else h \leftarrow h \neg next:
This code is used in section 296.
        \langle \text{Look for cyclic data structures } 298 \rangle \equiv
  *cycles \leftarrow array\_new\_imp(8, LFALSE, FORM\_ARRAY, \&cleanup);
  pointer\_set\_datum\_m(*cycles, fix(0));
  compacting \leftarrow (ATOM\_TO\_HEAP(o) \neg pair \neq \Lambda);
                    /* Ignored. */
  count \leftarrow 0:
  *cycles \leftarrow gc\_mark(heap, *cycles, compacting, \Lambda, \& count);
  \mathtt{SS}(Sobject, gc\_mark(heap, \mathtt{SO}(Sobject), compacting, cycles, \& count));
  if (compacting) gc_compacting(heap, false);
  else gc\_sweeping(heap, false);
  if (null_p(*cycles)) siglongjmp (cleanup, LERR_OOM);
  count \leftarrow 2 * fix\_value(pointer\_datum(*cycles));
  *cycles \leftarrow array\_grow\_m(*cycles, count - array\_length(*cycles), LFALSE, failure);
  count /= 2;
  pointer\_set\_datum\_m(*cycles, fix(count));
#if 0
  serial.imp(SO(Sobject), SERIAL\_SILENT, maxdepth, false, \Lambda, *cycles, failure);
  pointer\_set\_datum\_m(*cycles, fix(0));
  for (i \leftarrow 0; i < count; i \leftrightarrow) {
     j \leftarrow fix\_value(pointer\_datum(*cycles));
     if (true\_p(array\_ref(*cycles, i + count))) {
        if (i \neq j) array\_set\_m(*cycles, j++, array\_ref(*cycles, i));
        pointer\_set\_datum\_m(*cycles, fix(j));
  for (; i < j * 2; i++) array\_set\_m(*cycles, j, LFALSE);
#endif
This code is used in section 296.
299. When it's collecting the object being serialised, the garbage collector is instructed to call this
function whenever it encounters a reference it has already seen in that round of collection.
  void gc_serial(cell cycles, cell found)
     int i, len;
     sigjmp_buf cleanup;
     Verror reason \leftarrow LERR_NONE;
     if (null_p(cycles)) return;
     if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(cleanup, 1))) return;
                                                                         /* FIXME: The error is lost. */
     len \leftarrow fix\_value(pointer\_datum(cycles));
     for (i \leftarrow 0; i < len; i++)
        if (array\_ref(cycles, i) \equiv found) return;
     if (len \ge array\_length(cycles)) array\_grow\_m(cycles, array\_length(cycles), LFALSE, & cleanup);
     array\_set\_m(cycles, len, found);
     pointer\_set\_datum\_m(cycles, fix(len + 1));
```

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```
300.
       #define serial\_append(B, C, L, F) do
            if (LDEBUG_P \wedge null_p(B))
               for (int i \leftarrow 0; i < (L); i \leftrightarrow j lput((C)[i]);
            else serial\_append\_imp((B), (C), (L), (F));
          }
          while (0)
  void serial_append_imp(cell buffer, char *content, int length, sigjmp_buf *failure)
    int i, off;
     assert(segment_p(buffer));
     off \leftarrow fix\_value(pointer\_datum(buffer));
     i \leftarrow segment\_length(buffer) - off - 1;
     if (i > length) i \leftarrow length;
     for (; i \ge 0; i--) segment_address(buffer)[off + i] \leftarrow content[i];
     segment\_address(buffer)[off + i] \leftarrow '\0';
     pointer\_set\_datum\_m(buffer, fix(off + i));
     if (i \neq length) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_OVERFLOW);
  }
       Uses C stack (calls itself) but doesn't have to.
  Buffer may be NIL if debugging and LDEBUG_P so lprint/lput will work.
  void serial_imp(cell o, int detail, int maxdepth, bool prefix, cell buffer, cell cycles, sigjmp_buf
            *failure)
     cell p;
     int i, length \leftarrow 0;
     char *append \leftarrow \Lambda, buf[FIX\_BASE10 + 2];
     assert(maxdepth \geq 0);
     assert((LDEBUG_P \land null_p(buffer)) \lor segment_p(buffer));
     assert(array_p(cycles));
     if (special_p(o)) {\langle Serialise a unique object 302 \rangle \}
     else if (symbol_p(o)) {\langle Serialise a symbol_{303} \rangle \}
     else append \leftarrow serial\_deduplicate(o, detail, buffer, cycles, failure);
     if (append \equiv \Lambda) {
       \langle Serialise an object 307\rangle
                                       /* An unterminated if /else if chain. */
                   /* Will go away when \langle Serialise an object 307\rangle is complete. */
          lprint("%2x?\n", form(o));
          assert(¬"unknown⊔type");
     }
     if (append \equiv \Lambda) {
       siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_UNPRINTABLE);
     if (\neg length) {
       length \leftarrow append[0];
       append ++;
     if (detail) serial_append(buffer, append, length, failure);
```

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302. \langle Serialise a unique object 302\rangle \equiv
  if (null\_p(o)) append \leftarrow "\002()";
  else if (false\_p(o)) append \leftarrow "\002#f";
  \mathbf{else} \ \mathbf{if} \ (\mathit{true\_p}(o)) \ \mathit{append} \leftarrow \texttt{"\002\#t"};
  else if (void_p(o)) { /* Licence to disappear. */
     if (detail \equiv SERIAL\_DETAIL) append \leftarrow "\007#<void>";
#if 0
     else if (detail \neq SERIAL\_ROUND) append \leftarrow "\000";
#endif
  }
  else if (eof_p(o)) { /* The terminator will not be back. */
     if (detail \equiv SERIAL\_DETAIL) append \leftarrow "\021\#\schwarzenegger>";
  else if (undefined_p(o)) { /* Ecce res qui est faba. */
     if (detail \equiv SERIAL\_DETAIL) append \leftarrow "\006#<zen>";
  \mathbf{else} \ \{
     assert(fix_p(o));
     i \leftarrow fix\_value(o);
     if (\neg i) append \leftarrow "\0010";
     else {
        if (i < 0) i \leftarrow -i;
        append \leftarrow buf + FIX\_BASE10 + 2;
        *--append \leftarrow '\0';
                                   /* Terminator. */
        *--append \leftarrow 0;
                              /* Length. */
        while (i) {
           *(append - 1) \leftarrow *(append) + 1;
           *append \longrightarrow (i\%10) + '0';
          i /= 10;
        }
     if (fix\_value(o) < 0) {
        *(append - 1) \leftarrow *(append) + 1;
        *append \longrightarrow '-';
  }
This code is used in section 301.
303. \langle Serialise a symbol 303 \rangle \equiv
  append \leftarrow symbol\_buffer(o);
  length \leftarrow symbol\_length(o);
  if (detail \land maxdepth)
     for (i \leftarrow 0; i < length; i++)
        if (\neg serial\_printable\_p(append[i])) {
          if (detail) {
             serial_append(buffer, "#|", 2, failure);
             serial_escape(append, length, buffer, failure);
             serial_append(buffer, "|", 1, failure);
           append \leftarrow "\0";
           length \leftarrow 0;
           break;
This code is used in section 301.
```

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```
void serial_escape(char *append, int length, cell buffer, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     int i, j;
     char ascii[4] ← {'#', 'x', '\0', '\0'};
     for (i \leftarrow 0; i < length; i++) {
        if (append[i] \equiv "") serial\_append(buffer, """, 2, failure);
        else if (append[i] \equiv ', ',') serial\_append(buffer, "#|", 2, failure);
        else if (append[i] \equiv \' \' \lor append[i] \equiv \' \' \lor serial\_printable\_p(append[i]))
          serial\_append(buffer, append + i, 1, failure);
        else {
          j \leftarrow (append[i] \& oxf0) \gg 4;
          ascii[2] \leftarrow int\_to\_hexscii(j, false);
          j \leftarrow (append[i] \& o_x Of) \gg 0;
          ascii[3] \leftarrow int\_to\_hexscii(j, false);
          serial\_append(buffer, ascii, 4, failure);
       }
     }
  }
       int serial_cycle(cell cycles, cell candidate)
305.
  {
     int r;
     for (r \leftarrow 0; \ r < fix\_value(pointer\_datum(cycles)); \ r++)
       if (array\_ref(cycles, r) \equiv candidate) return r;
     return -1;
  }
306. The first time a cycle is encountered identify and print it, later occurrences refer back to it.
  char *serial_deduplicate(cell o, int detail, cell buffer, cell cycles, sigjmp_buf *failure)
  {
     assert((LDEBUG_P \land null_p(buffer)) \lor segment_p(buffer));
     assert(array\_p(cycles));
     c \leftarrow serial\_cycle(cycles, o);
     if (c \equiv -1) return \Lambda;
     i \leftarrow c + fix\_value(pointer\_datum(cycles));
     if (\neg detail) array\_set\_m(cycles, i, LTRUE);
     else if (true\_p(array\_ref(cycles, i))) {
        serial_append(buffer, "##", 2, failure);
        serial\_imp(fix(c), SERIAL\_ROUND, 1, true, buffer, cycles, failure);
     else {
        serial_append(buffer, "#=", 2, failure);
        serial\_imp(fix(c), SERIAL\_ROUND, 1, true, buffer, cycles, failure);
        serial\_append\,(\,buf\!f\!er\,,\, \verb"$\sqcup$"\,,\, 1,failure\,);
        array\_set\_m(cycles, i, LTRUE);
        return \Lambda;
     return "\0";
  }
```

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```
This is a long chain of if/else if beginning here. Not sure I like that.
\langle \text{ Serialise an object } 307 \rangle \equiv
  if (pair_p(o)) {
     if (\neg maxdepth \land detail \neq SERIAL\_ROUND) append \leftarrow "\005(...)";
     else if (maxdepth) {
        if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "(", 1, failure);
        serial\_imp(lcar(o), detail, maxdepth - 1, true, buffer, cycles, failure);
        for (o \leftarrow lcdr(o); pair_p(o); o \leftarrow lcdr(o)) {
          if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "\", 1, failure);
          serial\_imp(lcar(o), detail, maxdepth - 1, true, buffer, cycles, failure);
        if (\neg null\_p(o)) {
          if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "\(\_\_\'\], 1, failure);
          serial\_imp(o, detail, maxdepth - 1, true, buffer, cycles, failure);
        if (detail) serial_append(buffer, ")", 1, failure);
        append \leftarrow "\0";
  }
See also sections 308, 309, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, and 319.
This code is cited in section 301.
This code is used in section 301.
308.
        \langle \text{ Serialise an object } 307 \rangle + \equiv
  else
     if (array_p(o)) {
        if (\neg maxdepth \land detail \neq SERIAL\_ROUND) append \leftarrow "\005[...]";
        else if (maxdepth) {
          if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "[", 1, failure);
          for (i \leftarrow 0; i < array\_length(o); i++) {
             serial\_imp(array\_ref(o, i), detail, maxdepth - 1, true, buffer, cycles, failure);
             if (detail \land i < array\_length(o) - 1) serial\_append(buffer, "\_\", 1, failure);
          if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "] ", 1, failure);
          append \leftarrow "\0";
        }
     }
309.
        \langle \text{ Serialise an object } 307 \rangle + \equiv
  else
     if (rope_p(o)) {
       if (detail \equiv SERIAL\_DETAIL) {
          serial_append(buffer, "", (int) sizeof (""), failure);
          serial_rope(o, detail, maxdepth, buffer, cycles, failure);
          serial_append(buffer, "", (int) sizeof (""), failure);
        else {
          if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "|", 1, failure);
          serial\_rope(o, detail, maxdepth, buffer, cycles, failure);
          if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "|", 1, failure);
        }
        append \leftarrow "\0";
```

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```
void serial_rope(cell o, int detail, int maxdepth, cell buffer, cell cycles, sigjmp_buf *failure)
  {
     cell p;
     assert(rope\_p(o));
     if (maxdepth < 0 \land detail \equiv SERIAL_ROUND) siglongimp (*failure, LERR_UNPRINTABLE);
     else if (maxdepth < 0) {
       if (detail) serial\_append(buffer, "...", 3, failure);
     else {
       p \leftarrow rope\_prev(o, failure);
       if (null_p(p)) {
          if (detail \equiv SERIAL\_DETAIL) serial\_append(buffer, "() ", 2, failure);
       else if (serial\_deduplicate(p, detail, buffer, cycles, failure) \equiv \Lambda)
          serial\_rope(p, detail, maxdepth - 1, buffer, cycles, failure);
       if (detail \equiv SERIAL\_DETAIL) serial\_append(buffer, "_ | ", 2, failure);
       if (detail) serial_escape(rope_buffer(o), rope_blength(o), buffer, failure);
       if (detail \equiv SERIAL\_DETAIL) serial\_append(buffer, "|_{\square}", 2, failure);
       p \leftarrow rope\_next(o, failure);
       if (null_p(p)) {
          if (detail \equiv SERIAL\_DETAIL) serial\_append(buffer, "()", 2, failure);
       else if (serial\_deduplicate(p, detail, buffer, cycles, failure) \equiv \Lambda)
          serial\_rope(p, detail, maxdepth - 1, buffer, cycles, failure);
  }
311.
        \langle \text{ Serialise an object } 307 \rangle + \equiv
  else
     if (primitive_p(o) \land detail \neq SERIAL_ROUND) {
       if (detail) {
          serial_append(buffer, "#{primitive, 13, failure);
          serial\_append(buffer, Iprimitive[primitive(o)].label, (int) strlen(Iprimitive[primitive(o)].label),
               failure);
          serial_append(buffer, "}", 1, failure);
       append \leftarrow "\0";
     }
312.
        \langle \text{ Serialise an object } 307 \rangle + \equiv
  else
     if (environment_p(o) \land detail \neq SERIAL_ROUND) {
       if (\neg maxdepth) append \leftarrow "\015<ENVIRONMENT>";
       else {
          if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "#{environment<sub>□</sub>", 14, failure);
          serial\_imp(env\_layer(o), detail, maxdepth-1, true, buffer, cycles, failure);
          serial\_imp(env\_previous(o), detail, maxdepth-1, true, buffer, cycles, failure);
          if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "}", 1, failure);
          append \leftarrow "\0";
     }
```

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```
table free/length (id . value) (id \leftarrow hash \% length).
\langle Serialise an object 307\rangle + \equiv
  else
     if (keytable_p(o) \land detail \neq SERIAL_ROUND) {
       if (\neg maxdepth) append \leftarrow "\014#{table_\dots\}";
       else {
          if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "#{table<sub>□</sub>", 8, failure);
          serial\_imp(fix(keytable\_free(o)), SERIAL\_ROUND, 1, true, buffer, cycles, failure);
          if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "/", 1, failure);
          serial\_imp(fix(keytable\_length(o)), \texttt{SERIAL\_ROUND}, 1, true, buffer, cycles, failure);
          for (i \leftarrow 0; i < keytable\_length(o); i++) {
             if (\neg null\_p(keytable\_ref(o, i))) {
               if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "\(\_\)(", 2, failure);
               serial\_imp(fix(i), detail, maxdepth - 1, true, buffer, cycles, failure);
               if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "\ld \ld \ld \", 3, failure);
               serial\_imp(keytable\_ref(o, i), detail, maxdepth - 1, true, buffer, cycles, failure);
               if (detail) serial_append(buffer, ")", 1, failure);
          if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "}", 1, failure);
          append \leftarrow "\0";
       }
     }
        \langle Serialise an object 307\rangle + \equiv
314.
  else
     if (closure_p(o) \land detail \neq SERIAL_ROUND) {
       if (\neg maxdepth) append \leftarrow "\016\#\{closure_{\bot}...\}";
       else {
          if (detail) {
             serial_append(buffer, "#{", 2, failure);
             if (applicative\_p(o)) serial\_append(buffer, "applicative\_", 12, failure);
             else serial_append(buffer, "operative<sub>□</sub>", 10, failure);
          serial\_imp(closure\_formals(o), detail, maxdepth-1, true, buffer, cycles, failure);
          if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "\u00cd", 1, failure);
          serial\_imp(closure\_body(o), detail, maxdepth-1, true, buffer, cycles, failure);
          if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "_in_", 4, failure);
          serial\_imp(closure\_environment(o), detail, maxdepth - 1, true, buffer, cycles, failure);
          if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "}", 1, failure);
          append \leftarrow "\0";
     }
```

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315.
        \langle \text{ Serialise an object } 307 \rangle + \equiv
  else
     if (dlist_p(o) \land detail \neq SERIAL_ROUND) {
       if (\neg maxdepth) append \leftarrow "\006<LIST>";
          if (prefix) {
             if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "#{dlist_\u00c4", 8, failure);
             serial\_imp(dlist\_datum(o), detail, maxdepth - 1, true, buffer, cycles, failure);
             p \leftarrow dlist\_next(o);
             while (p \neq o) {
               if (detail) serial\_append(buffer, "<math>\sqcup::\sqcup", 4, failure);
               serial\_imp(p, detail, maxdepth, false, buffer, cycles, failure);
               p \leftarrow dlist\_next(p);
             if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "}", 1, failure);
          else serial\_imp(dlist\_datum(o), detail, maxdepth - 1, true, buffer, cycles, failure);
          append \leftarrow "\0";
     }
316.
        \langle Serialise an object 307\rangle + \equiv
  else
     if (note_p(o) \land detail \neq SERIAL_ROUND) {
       if (\neg maxdepth) append \leftarrow "\006<NOTE>";
       else {
          serial\_imp(note(o), detail, maxdepth-1, true, buffer, cycles, failure);
          if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "", (int) sizeof (""), failure);
          serial\_imp(note\_car(o), detail, maxdepth - 1, true, buffer, cycles, failure);
          if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "\under\", (int) sizeof ("\under\"), failure);
          serial\_imp(note\_cdr(o), detail, maxdepth - 1, true, buffer, cycles, failure);
          if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "", (int) sizeof (""), failure);
          append \leftarrow "\0";
     }
317.
        \langle Serialise an object 307\rangle + \equiv
  else
     if (syntax_p(o) \land detail \neq SERIAL_ROUND) {
       if (\neg maxdepth) append \leftarrow "\010<SYNTAX>";
       else {
          if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "#{syntax_", 9, failure);
          serial\_imp(syntax\_datum(o), detail, maxdepth-1, true, buffer, cycles, failure);
          if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "\u00c4", 1, failure);
          serial\_imp(syntax\_start(o), detail, maxdepth-1, true, buffer, cycles, failure);
          if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "\u00cd", 1, failure);
          serial\_imp(syntax\_end(o), detail, maxdepth - 1, true, buffer, cycles, failure);
          if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "}", 1, failure);
          append \leftarrow "\0";
     }
```

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318.
        \langle Serialise an object 307\rangle + \equiv
  else
     if (lexeme_p(o) \land detail \neq SERIAL_ROUND) {
        if (\neg maxdepth) append \leftarrow "\015\#{lexeme_{\sqcup}...}";
          if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "#{lexeme_\", 9, failure);
          serial\_imp(fix(lexeme(o) \neg cat), SERIAL\_ROUND, 1, true, buffer, cycles, failure);
          if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "\u0", 2, failure);
          serial\_imp(fix(lexeme(o) \neg tboffset), \mathtt{SERIAL\_ROUND}, 1, true, buffer, cycles, failure);
          if (detail) serial_append(buffer, ":", 1, failure);
          serial\_imp(fix(lexeme(o) \neg blength), SERIAL\_ROUND, 1, true, buffer, cycles, failure);
          if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "⊔of⊔", 4, failure);
          serial\_imp(lexeme\_twine(o), SERIAL\_ROUND, maxdepth-1, true, buffer, cycles, failure);
          if (detail) serial_append(buffer, "}", 1, failure);
          append \leftarrow "\0";
     }
319. \langle Serialise an object 307\rangle + \equiv
  else
     if (keytable_p(o)) {
        append \leftarrow \Lambda;
```

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320. Miscellanea. \langle Function declarations 21 $\rangle +\equiv$ int high_bit(digit); **321.** int $high_bit(digit \ o)$ { int $i \leftarrow \texttt{CELL_BITS}$; while (-i) if $(o \& (1_{\text{ULL}} \ll i))$ return i + 1; return o; } **322.** \langle Repair the system headers $322 \rangle \equiv$ #ifdef __GNUC__ /* & clang */ #define Lunused __attribute__((_unused__)) #else#define Lunused /* noisy compiler */ #endif /* &clang */ #ifdef __GNUC__ #define Lnoreturn_attribute_ ((_noreturn_)) $\#\mathbf{else}$ #ifdef _Noreturn #define Lnoreturn _Noreturn#else#define Lnoreturn /* noisy compiler */ #endif #endif #ifdef LDEBUG #define LDEBUG_P true #else #define LDEBUG_P false#endif $\#\mathbf{if} \ \mathtt{EOF} \equiv -1$ #define FAIL -2 $\#\mathbf{else}$ #define FAIL -1#endif #**define** $ckd_-add(r, x, y)$ __builtin_add_overflow((x), (y), (r)) #define $ckd_sub(r, x, y) __builtin_sub_overflow((x), (y), (r))$

#define $ckd_mul(r, x, y)$ __builtin_mul_overflow((x), (y), (r))

This code is used in sections 2 and 3.

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```
323.
        Junkyard.
324.
        Symbols.
325.
        Constants.
\langle External symbols 16 \rangle + \equiv
  cell lapi_NIL(void);
  cell lapi_FALSE(void);
  cell lapi_{-}TRUE(\mathbf{void});
  \mathbf{cell}\ lapi_{-}VOID(\mathbf{void});
  \mathbf{cell}\ lapi\_EOF(\mathbf{void});
  cell lapi_UNDEFINED(void);
326. \langle \text{ffi.c} \ 5 \rangle + \equiv
  cell lapi_NIL(void)
     return NIL;
  cell lapi\_FALSE(void)
     return LFALSE;
  cell lapi_TRUE(void)
     return LTRUE;
  cell lapi_VOID(void)
     return VOID;
  cell lapi\_EOF(void)
     {\bf return} \ {\tt LEOF};
  cell lapi_UNDEFINED(void)
     return UNDEFINED;
327. Accessors.
\langle \text{External symbols } 16 \rangle + \equiv
  bool lapi_null_p(\mathbf{cell});
  bool lapi\_false\_p(\mathbf{cell});
  bool lapi\_true\_p(\mathbf{cell});
  bool lapi\_pair\_p(\mathbf{cell});
  bool lapi\_symbol\_p(\mathbf{cell});
  cell lapi_cons(bool, cell, cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell lapi_car(cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  cell lapi_cdr(cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  void lapi_set_car_m(cell, cell, sigjmp_buf *);
  void lapi_set_cdr_m(cell, cell, sigjmp_buf *);
```

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```
328.
       bool lapi_null_p(\mathbf{cell}\ o)
    return null_{-}p(o);
  bool lapi_false_p(cell o)
     return false_p(o);
  bool lapi\_true\_p(\mathbf{cell}\ o)
     return true_{-}p(o);
  bool lapi\_pair\_p(\mathbf{cell}\ o)
     return pair_{-}p(o);
  bool lapi_symbol_p(cell o)
     return symbol_{-}p(o);
329. cell lapi_cons(bool share, cell ncar, cell ncdr, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     if (\neg defined\_p(ncar) \lor \neg defined\_p(ncdr)) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR\_INCOMPATIBLE);
     return atom(share? Sheap: Theap, ncar, ncdr, FORM_PAIR, failure);
  cell lapi_car(cell o, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     if (\neg pair_p(o)) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_INCOMPATIBLE);
     return lcar(o);
  cell\ lapi\_cdr(cell\ o, sigjmp\_buf\ *failure)
     if (\neg pair_p(o)) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_INCOMPATIBLE);
     return lcdr(o);
  \mathbf{void}\ lapi\_set\_car\_m(\mathbf{cell}\ o, \mathbf{cell}\ value, \mathbf{sigjmp\_buf}\ *failure)
    if (\neg pair_p(o) \lor \neg defined_p(value)) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_INCOMPATIBLE);
     lcar\_set\_m(o, value);
  void lapi_set_cdr_m(cell o, cell value, sigjmp_buf *failure)
    if (\neg pair_p(o) \lor \neg defined_p(value)) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_INCOMPATIBLE);
     lcdr\_set\_m(o, value);
```

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```
330. cell lapi_env_search(cell env, cell label, sigjmp_buf *failure)
  {
     \mathbf{cell} \ r;
     if (null\_p(env)) env \leftarrow Environment;
     if (\neg environment_p(env) \lor \neg symbol_p(label)) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_INCOMPATIBLE);
     r \leftarrow env\_search(env, label, true, failure);
     if (undefined_p(r)) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_MISSING);
     else return r;
  void lapi_env_define(cell env, cell label, cell value, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     if (null\_p(env)) env \leftarrow Environment;
     if (\neg environment\_p(env) \lor \neg symbol\_p(label) \lor \neg defined\_p(value))
       siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_INCOMPATIBLE);
     env\_define(env, label, value, failure);
  void lapi_env_set(cell env, cell label, cell value, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     if (null\_p(env)) env \leftarrow Environment;
     if (\neg environment\_p(env) \lor \neg symbol\_p(label) \lor \neg defined\_p(value))
       siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_INCOMPATIBLE);
     env_set(env, label, value, failure);
  }
  void lapi_env_clear(cell env, cell label, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     if (null\_p(env)) env \leftarrow Environment;
     if (\neg environment_p(env) \lor \neg symbol_p(label)) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_INCOMPATIBLE);
     env\_clear(env, label, failure);
  void lapi_env_unset(cell env, cell label, sigjmp_buf *failure)
     if (null\_p(env)) env \leftarrow Environment;
     if (\neg environment_p(env) \lor \neg symbol_p(label)) siglongjmp (*failure, LERR_INCOMPATIBLE);
     env_unset(env, label, failure);
331.
       \langle Function declarations 21\rangle + \equiv
  cell\ lapi\_Accumulator(cell);
  cell lapi_User_Register(cell);
332. cell lapi_Accumulator(cell new)
     if (defined_p(new)) Accumulator \leftarrow new;
     return Accumulator;
  cell lapi_User_Register(cell new)
     if (defined_p(new)) User_Register \leftarrow new;
     return User_Register;
```

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```
333. TODO.
  void mem_init(void)
     sigjmp\_buf failed, *failure \leftarrow \&failed;
     Verror reason \leftarrow LERR\_NONE;
    \mathbf{cell} \ x:
     int i;
     if (failure\_p(reason \leftarrow sigsetjmp(failed, 1))) {
       fprintf(stderr, "FATAL_{\sqcup}Initialisation_{\sqcup}error_{\sqcup}\%u:_{\sqcup}\%s.\n", reason, Ierror[reason].message);
       abort();
     (Save register locations 55)
     (Initialise storage 35)
     (Register primitive operators 188)
     (Prepare constants & symbols 182)
     ENV \leftarrow env\_extend(Root, failure);
334. int lprint(char *format, ...)
     va_list args;
    int r;
     assert(LDEBUG_P);
     va\_start(args, format);
    r \leftarrow vfprintf(stdout, format, args);
     va\_end(args);
     return r;
  int lput(int c)
     assert(LDEBUG_P);
     return putchar(c);
  }
335. \langle Function declarations 21 \rangle + \equiv
  void mem\_init(\mathbf{void});
  int lprint(char *, ...);
  int lput(int);
336. #define WARN() fprintf(stderr, "WARNING: \_You\_probably\_don't\_want\_to\_do\_that.\n");
abort: 130, 199, 333.
                                                            anytree\_next\_imp: 110.
                                                            anytree\_next\_sin: 106, 107, 110, 134.
ACC: 246, 249, 252, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259,
     260, 261, 262, 263, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269,
                                                            ap: 159.
     272, 273, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 283, 284,
                                                            append: 301, 302, 303, 304, 307, 308, 309, 311,
     285, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294.
                                                                 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319.
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align: \underline{22}, \underline{47}, \underline{48}.
                                                            Applicative\_Dispatch: 254, 256.
                                                            applicative\_p\colon \ \underline{27},\ 252,\ 263,\ 314.
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                                                            Applicative\_Pair: 254, 255, 256.
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                                                            arg: 268, 269, 270, 272.
any tree\_next\_dex \colon \ \ 106, \ \underline{107}, \ 110, \ 134.
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