

Hands On! Exercises

EXERCISE 1: Try Nightcode InstaREPL

Sthlm Clojure Bridge

- 1. Start Nightcode
- 2. Import myproject (which you created while testing Leiningen setup)
- 3. Open core.clj (myproject -> src -> myproject -> core.clj)
- 4. Click InstREPL button
- 5. Type the Clojure functions below and see what happens

```
(print-str "Hello, World!")
(print-str "Hello, World!" " " "from Clojure")
(+ 3 4)
(- 3 4)
(* 3 4)
```

!!! Make sure you type the lines exactly as you see them above, taking care to put the parentheses in the right locations.

EXERCISE 2: Evaluate file and line

- Open the file welcometoclojurebridge/src/clojurebridge_turtle/walk.clj
- Evaluate the entire file by hitting "Run with REPL" followed by "Reload File"
- See what happens
- Type (forward 40) on the bottom line of walk.clj in the editor. Evaluate this line by selecting line and hitting "Reload Selection"
- See what happens
- Type (right 90) and "enter" in the REPL pane (bottom)

```
Run Build Run with REPL Reload File Reload Selection Clean Stop
Javadoc: (javadoc java-object-or-class-here)
   Exit: Control+D or (exit) or (quit)
Results: Stored in vars *1, *2, *3, an exception in *e

user=> {:trinity {:x 0, :y 0, :angle 90, :color [106 40 126]}}
clojurebridge-turtle.walk=> {:trinity {:length 40}}
clojurebridge-turtle.walk=> (right 90)
{:trinity {:angle 90}}
clojurebridge-turtle.walk=>
```

- See what happens to the turtle
- Take a look Turtles App API (http://j.mp/clojure-turtle-api) and How To Walk Turtles [section 1 and 2] (http://j.mp/clojure-walk-turtles), and try more commands to walk your turtle

EXERCISE 3: Look at Clojure docs

- In the bottom REPL pane, try to look up the documentation for a function you have used
- You can use the (doc function-name) command to do this
- Try (doc +) and (doc forward) on the REPL
- Try other functions we used so far, for example, -, *, or doc



EXERCISE 4: Basic arithmetic

- How many minutes have elapsed since you arrived at the workshop today?
 (!!! keep it simple)
- Convert this value from minutes to seconds.

EXERCISE 5: See turtle names

- 1. Add a turtle using a piece of code in the file
 - Go to walk.clj file
 - Add to the end of the file:

```
(add-turtle :neo)
```

- Select this line and click "Reload Selection"
- 2. (Optional) add a turtle using REPL
 - Type (add-turtle :oracle) followed by enter on the bottom REPL pane
- 3. See turtle names
 - Type (turtle-names) on the bottom REPL pane and see the result

EXERCISE 6: Make a vector

- Go to myproject's core.clj and start InstaREPL
- Make a vector of the high temperatures for the next 7 days in the town where you live.
- Then use the nth function to get the high temperature for next Tuesday.

EXERCISE 7: See turtles states

- Go to walk.clj file
- Try examples of previous two slides on the REPL
- See what values you get

```
!!! Don't forget to hit enter when you type code on the REPL
(state-all)
(def states (state-all))
(first states)
(def st (first states))
st
(get st :trinity)
(get-in st [:trinity :angle])
```

EXERCISE 8: Modeling Yourself

- Use the myproject's core.clj and InstaREPL
- Make a map representing yourself
- Make sure it contains your first name and last name
- Then, add your hometown to the map using assoc or merge.

EXERCISE 9: Y value within a frame (part 1)

- Write a function **y-within-frame** that takes y (vertical position) as an argument.
- You may use if example in the slide.
- The function should return the y value that won't exceed 150.

EXERCISE 10: Y value within a frame (part 2)

The function we wrote in the previous exercise, y-within-frame, has a flaw. If the given y value is -1000, the function will return -960. Since y value of the frame bottom is -150, -960 is beyond that. Your turtle will go invisible area. Let's make it real within-frame function using cond.

- Write a function y-within-frame-cond that takes y (vertical position) as an argument.
- You may use the cond example in the slide.
- The function should return the y value between -150 and 150.



EXERCISE 11: Move turtles using function

- 1. Write a function
 - a. Go to walk.clj
 - b. On the editor, write **forward-right** function (below) which appeared in the slide.
 - c. Select whole forward-right function and hit Eval Selection
- 2. Use a function
 - a. Type (forward-right :trinity) on right REPL pane
 - b. Repeat above at least 8 times (use up arrow and hit enter)

```
(defn forward-right
  "Moves specified turtle forward and tilts its head"
  [turtle]
  (forward turtle 60)
  (right turtle 135))
```

EXERCISE 12: Move turtles using function with parameters

- Go to walk.clj
- On the editor, write **forward-right-with-len-ang** function that takes three arguments: **turtle**, **len**, and **angle** (extension of **forward-right-with-len**)
- Select entire **forward-right-with-len-ang** function and hit Reload Selection
- On the REPL pane, type (forward-right-with-len-ang :trinity 60 120)
- Repeat above, evaluating the function on REPL, many times.