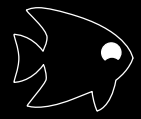

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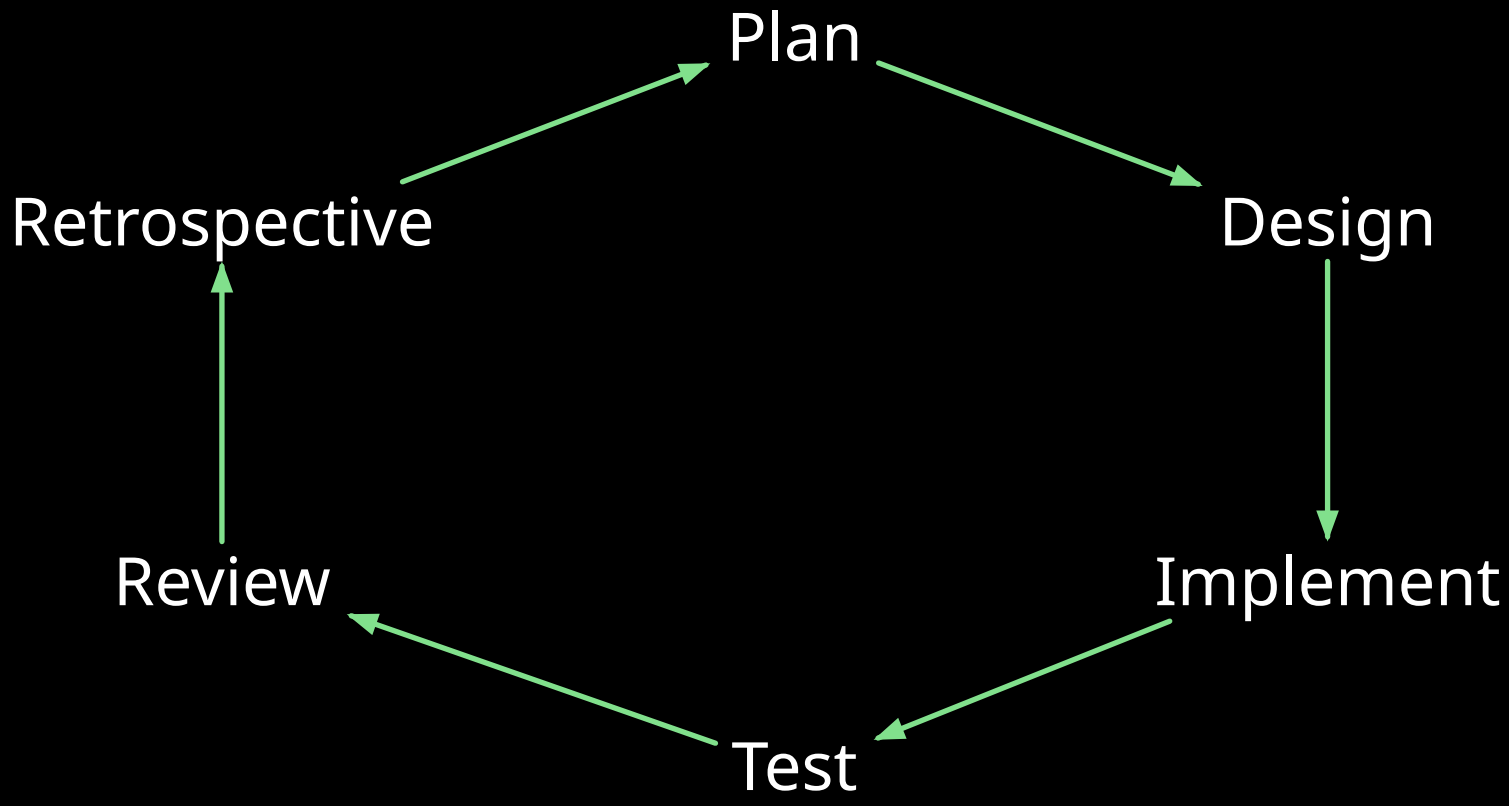
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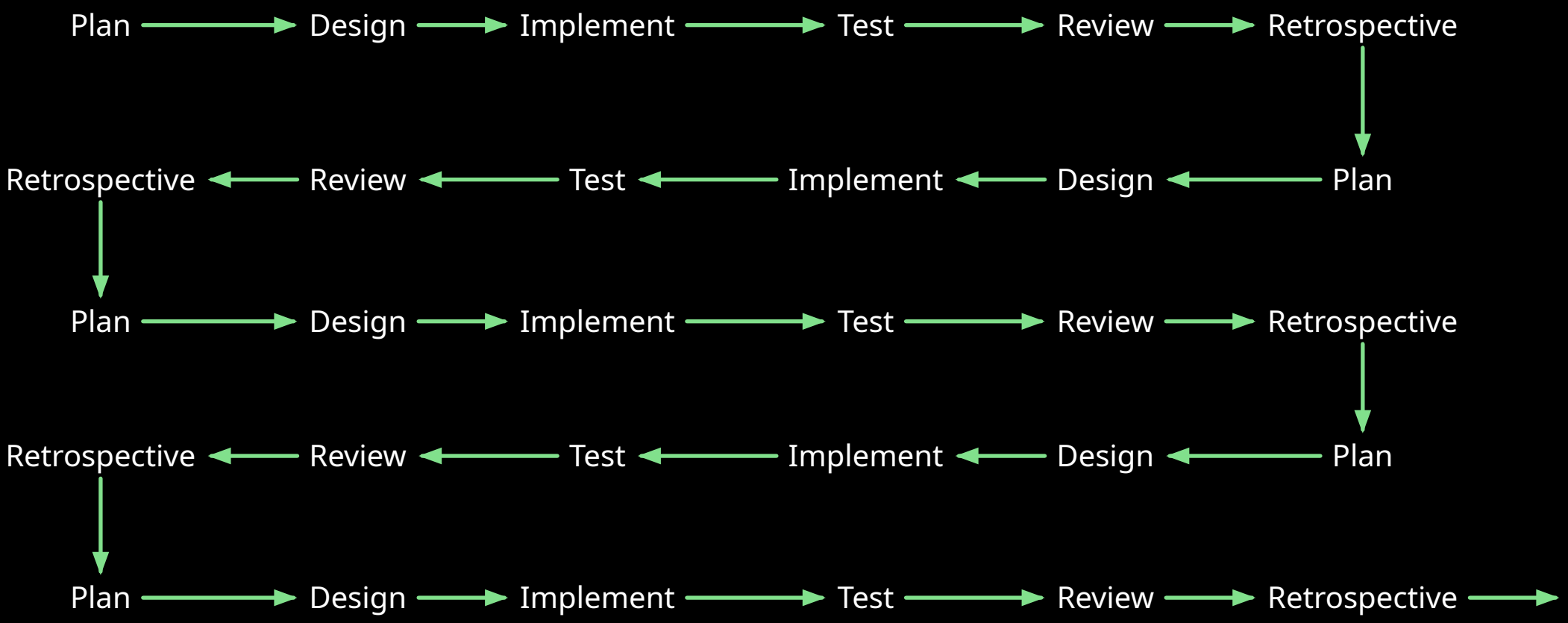
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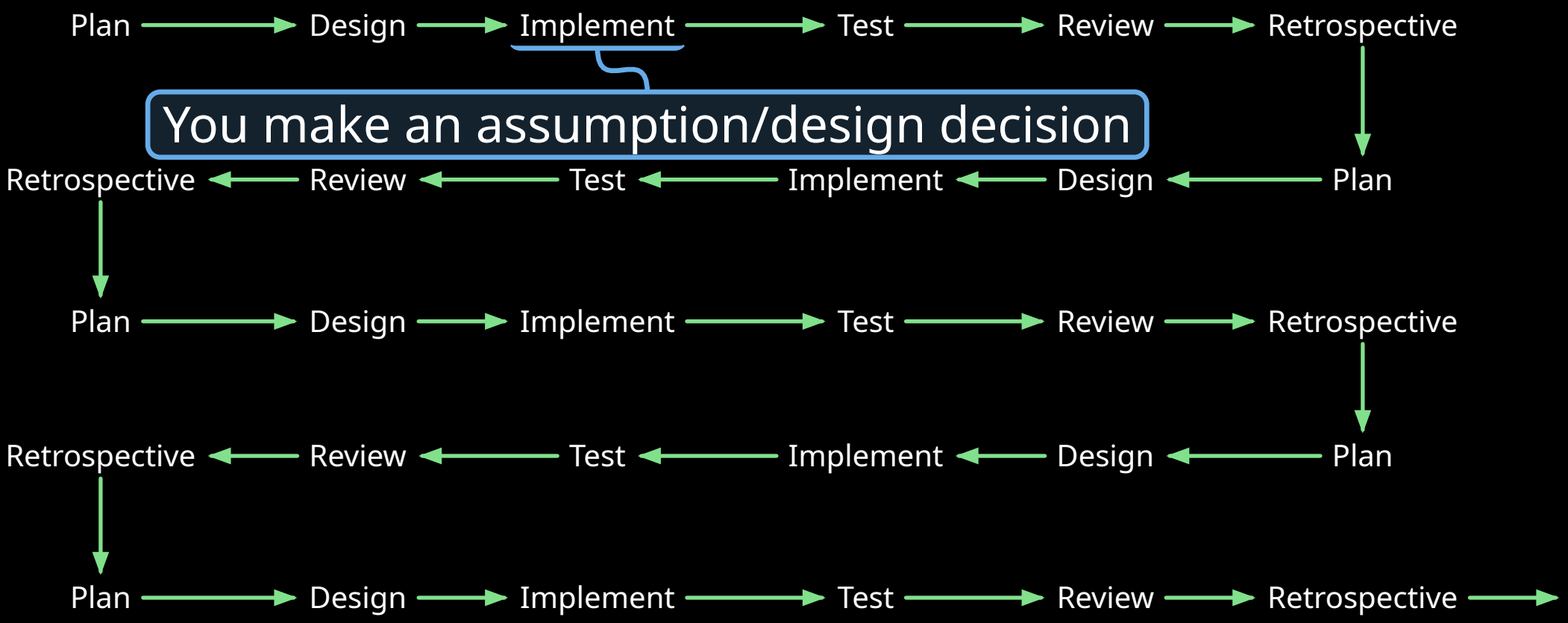
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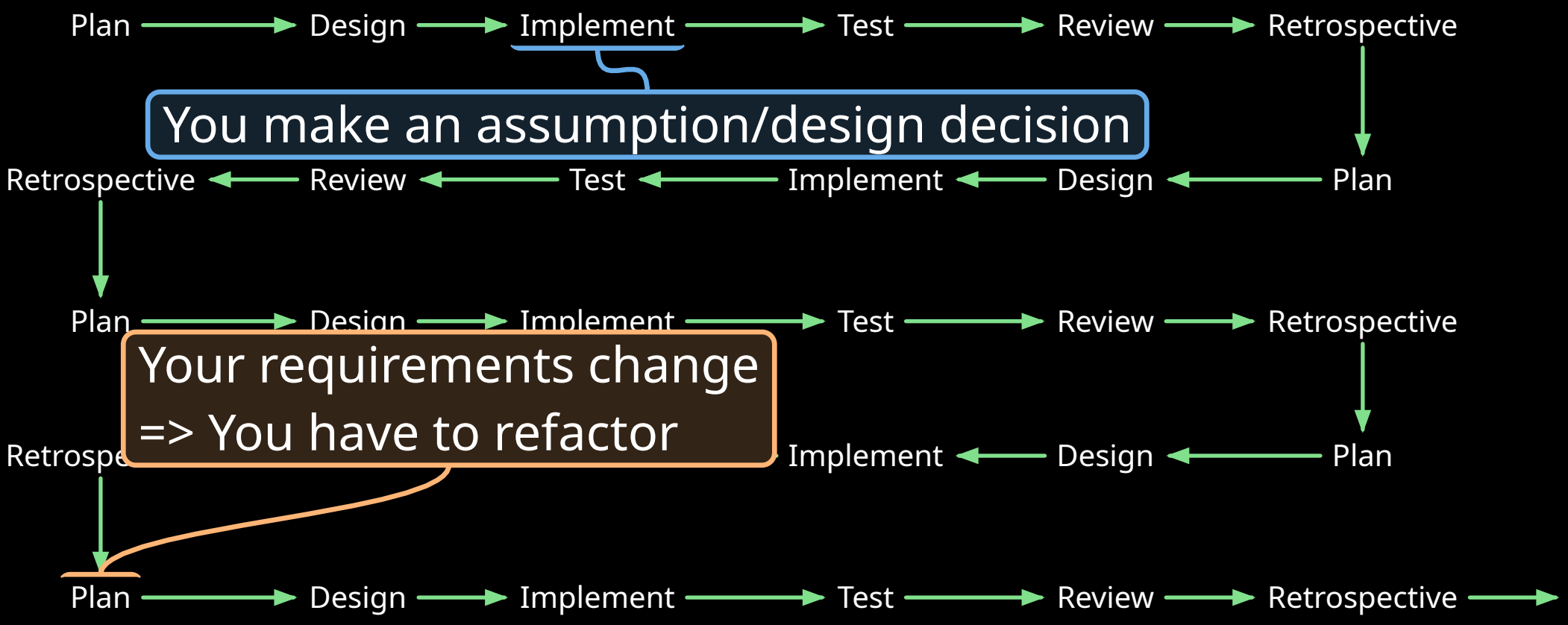
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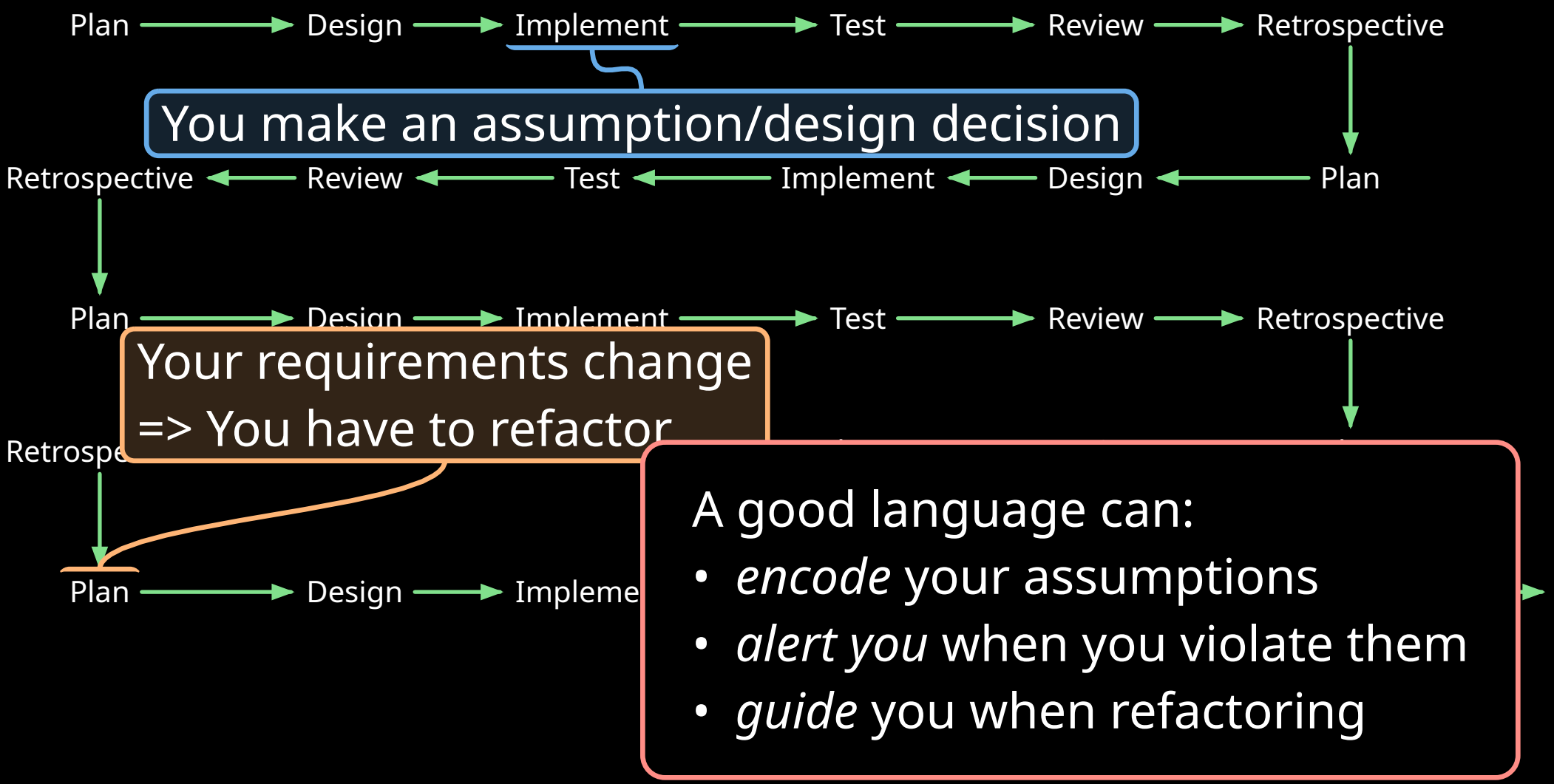
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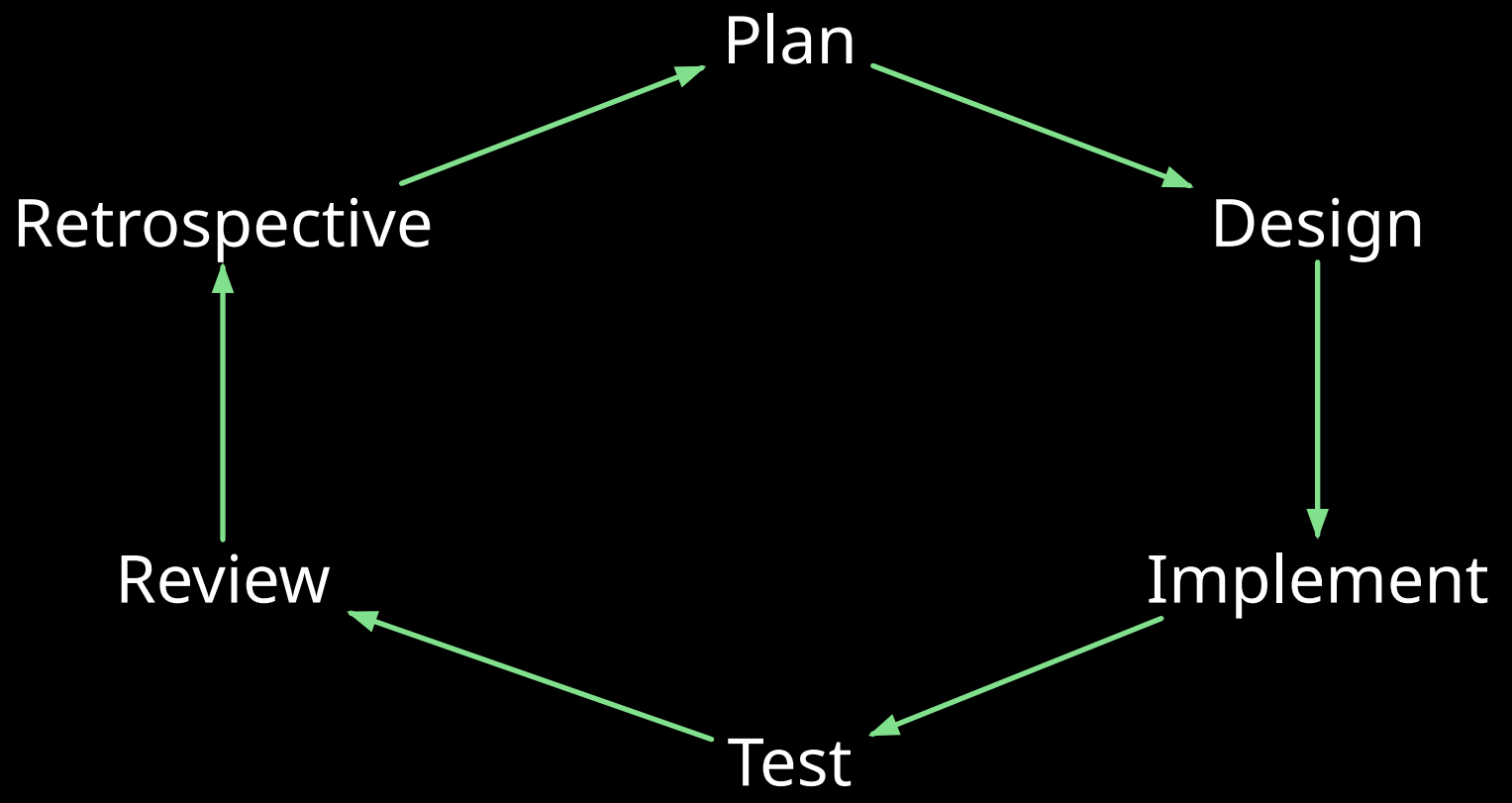
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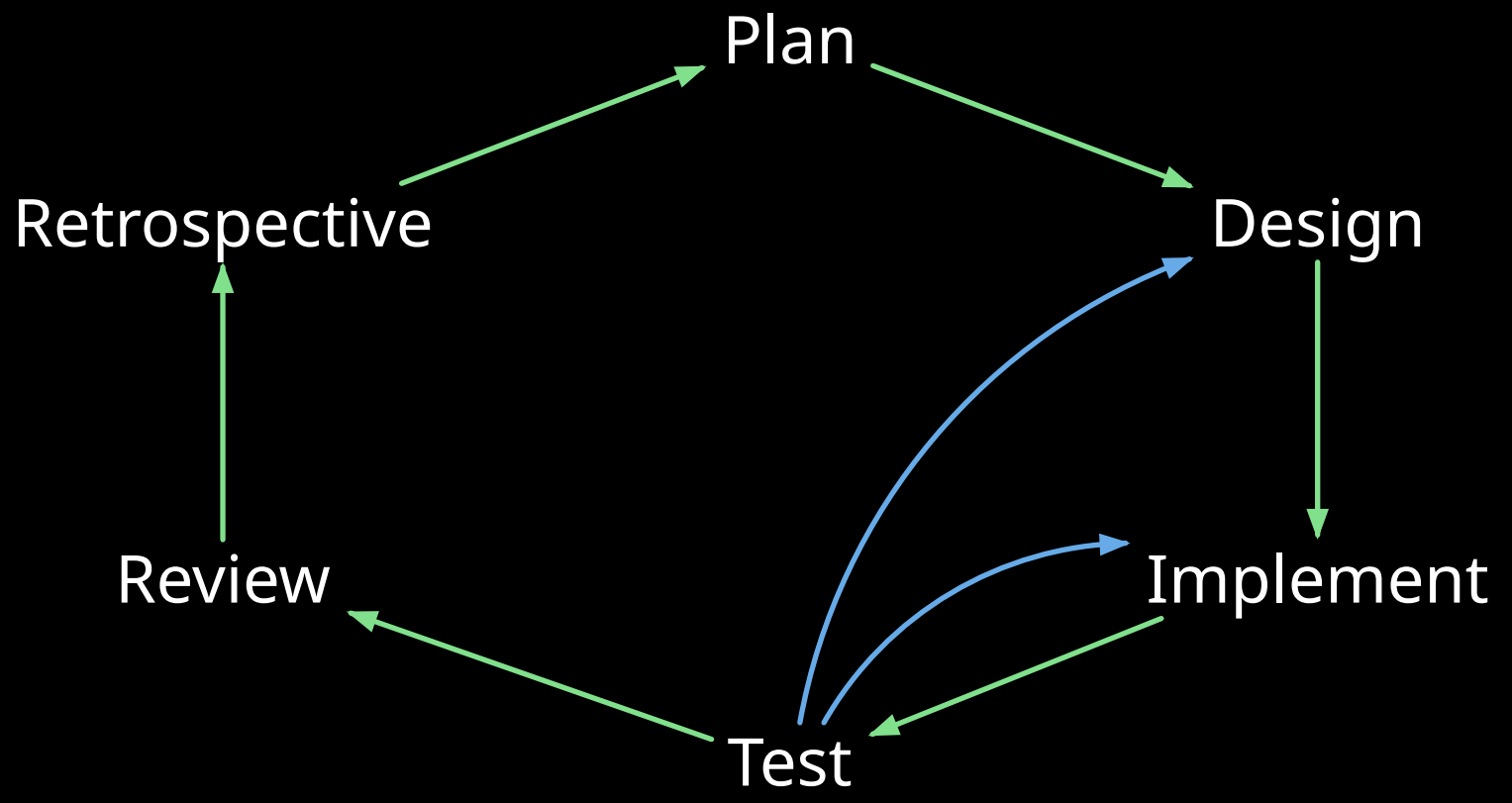
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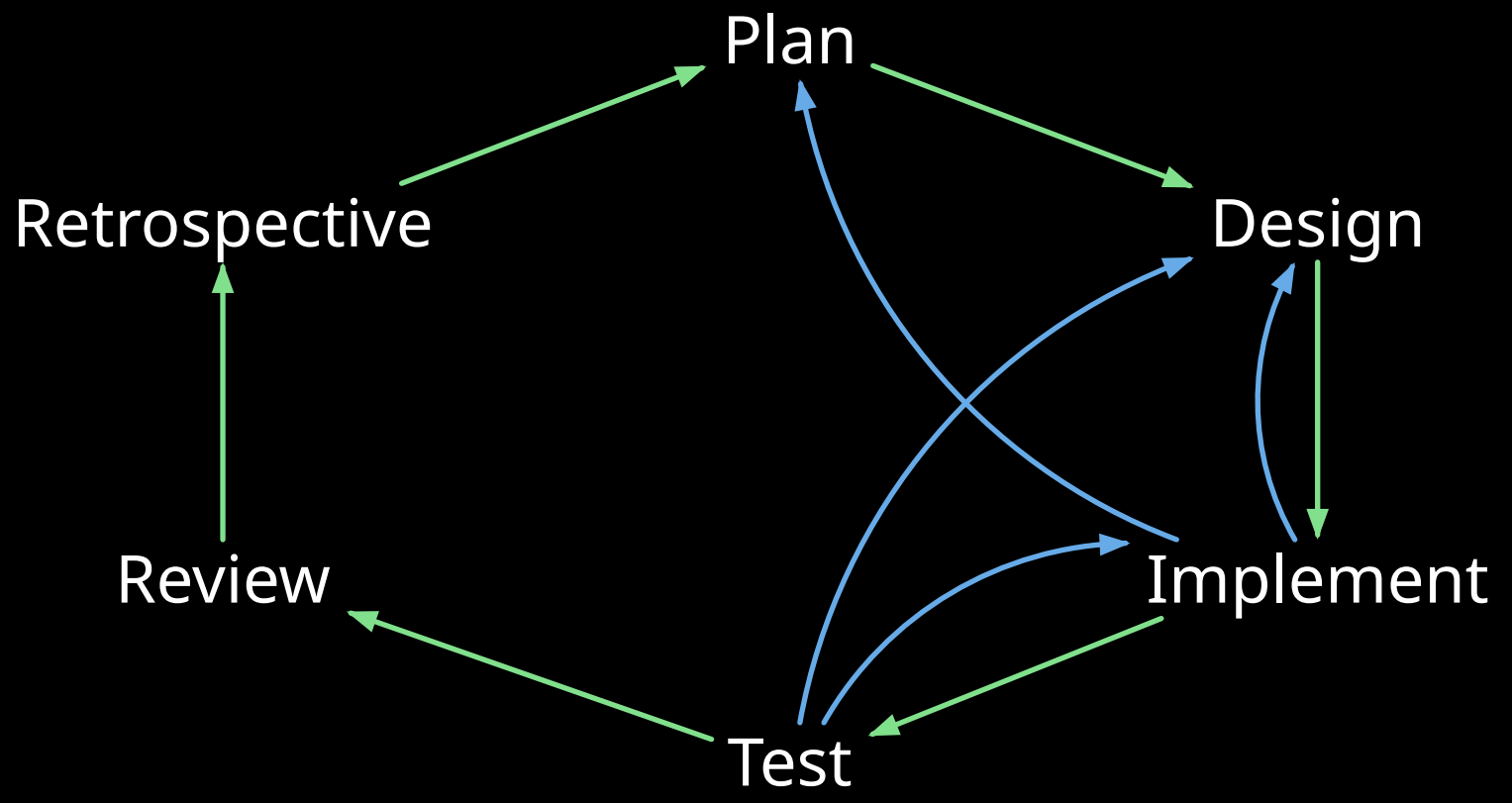
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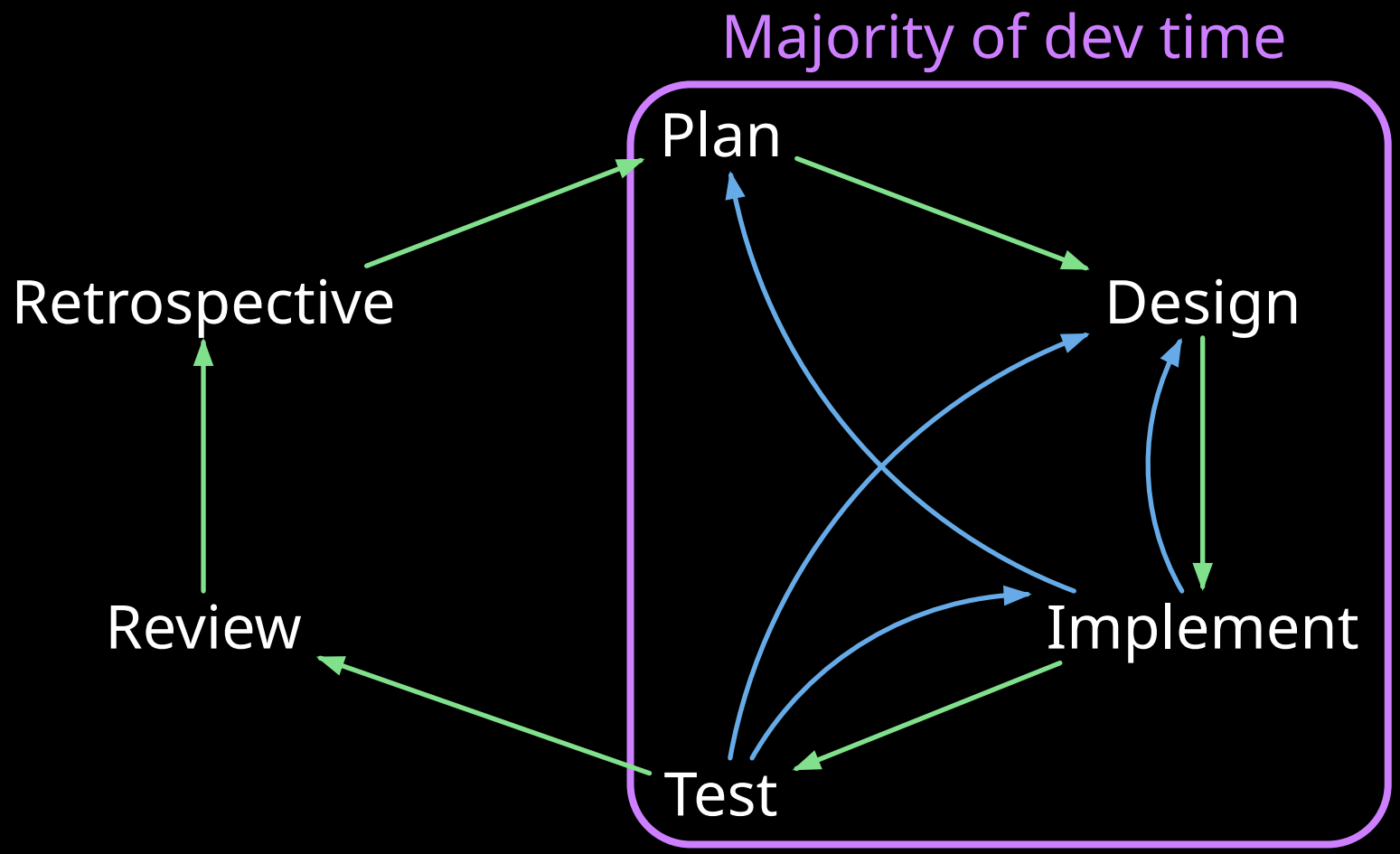
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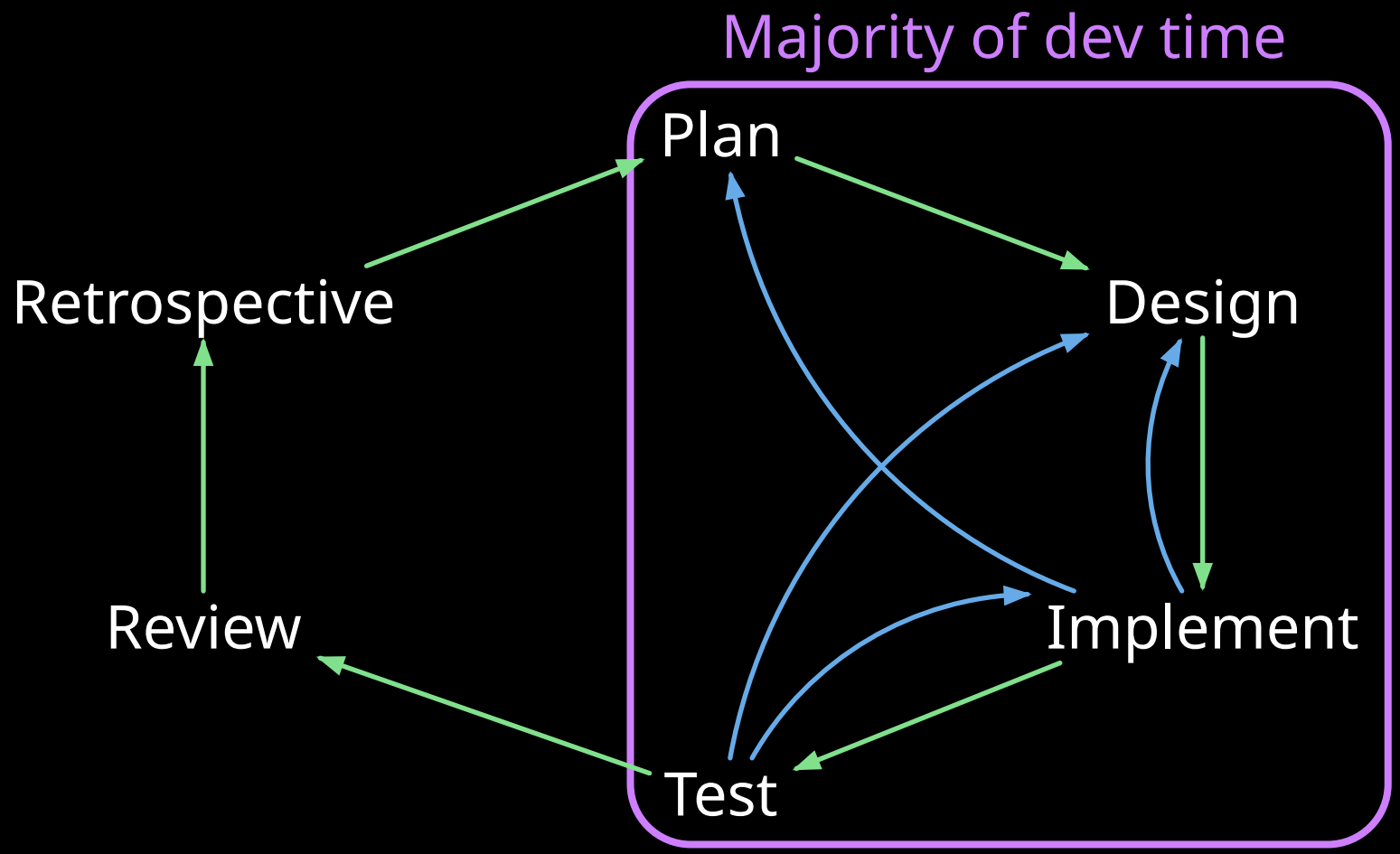
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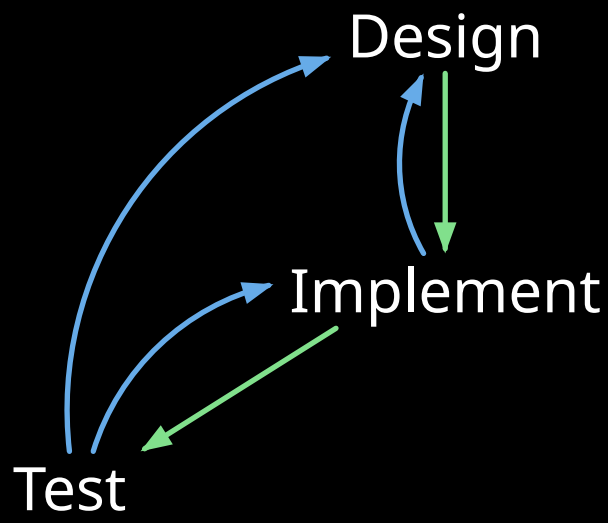

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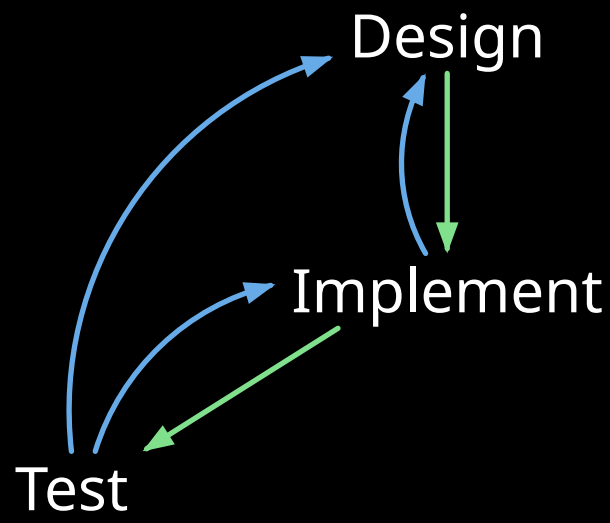

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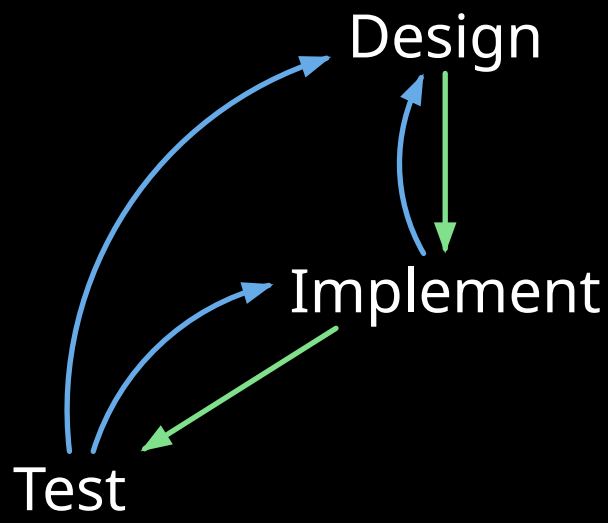

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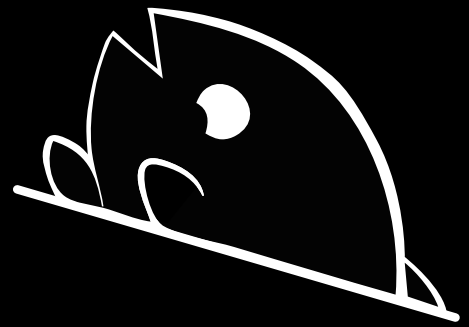
Spade



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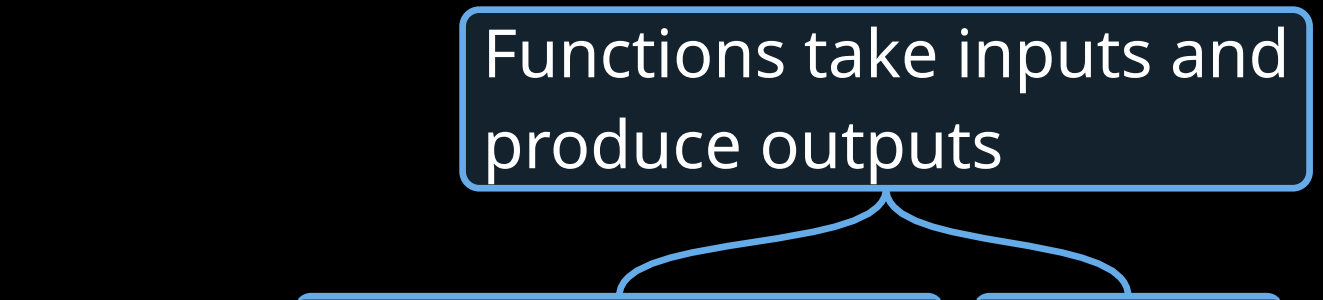
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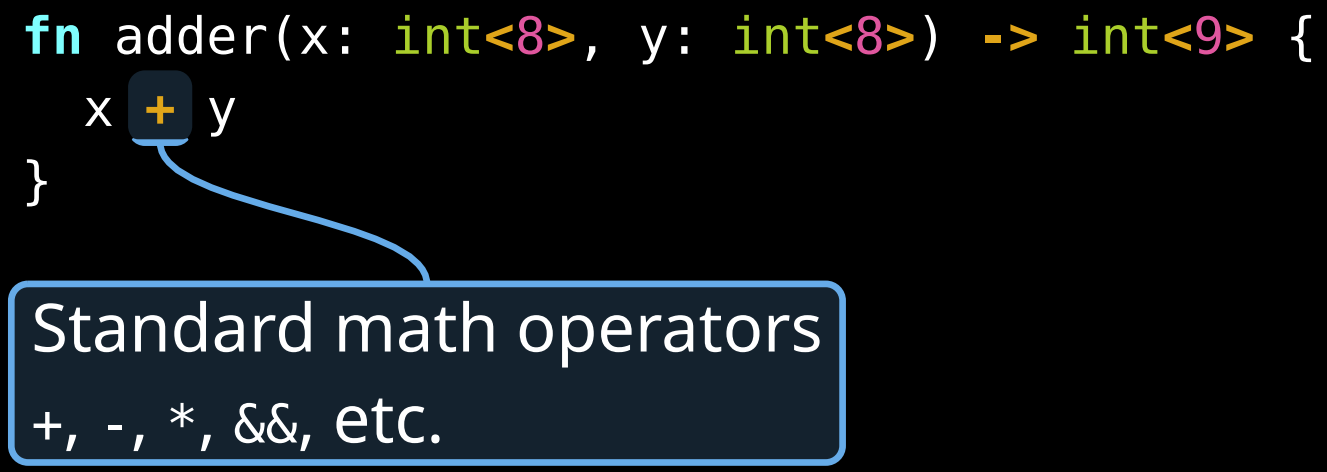
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Standard math operators
+, -, *, &&, etc.

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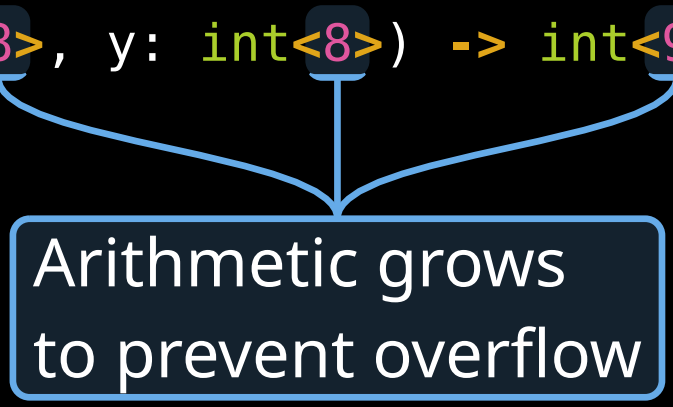

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  trunc(x + y)
}
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`trunc` truncates back down

```
fn multiply_add(x: int<8>, y: int<8>, z: int<16>) -> int<17> {
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`let` defines new variables (like `val` in Scala)

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Typeinference infers types from context

`int<16>` in this case

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  sum = sum + 1
  sum + z
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```
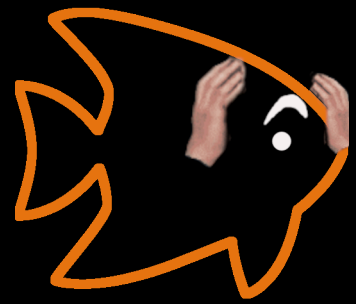

! Variables are immutable:
They can only be assigned once



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fn select(select_a: bool, a: int<8>, b: int<8>) -> int<8> {
    let result = b;
    if select_a {
        result = a;
    }
    result
}
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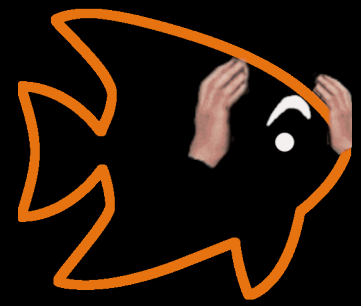
! Mutation



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If **expressions** *return* values

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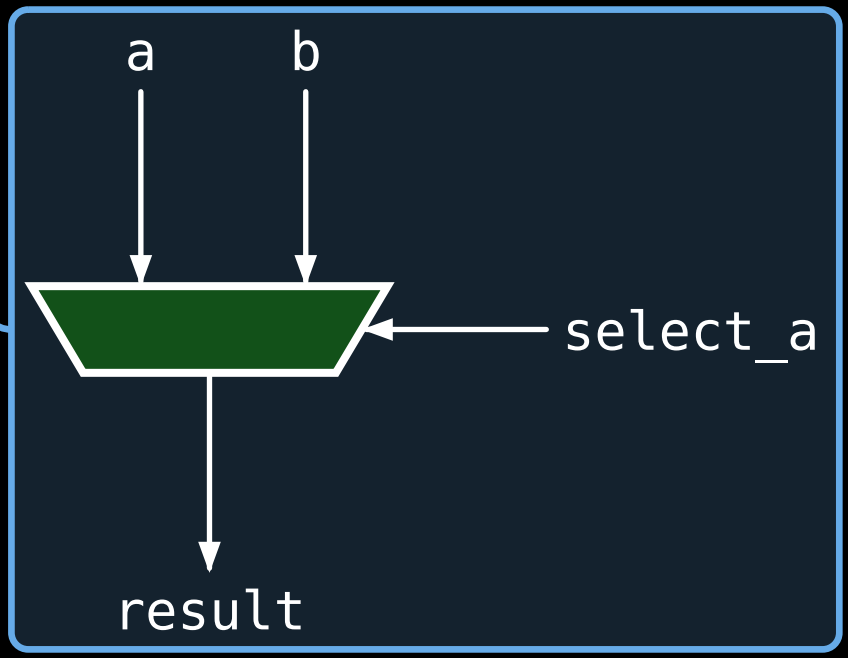

Sequential Logic

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fn blinky(clk: clock, rst: bool) -> bool {
  reg(clk) on = !on;
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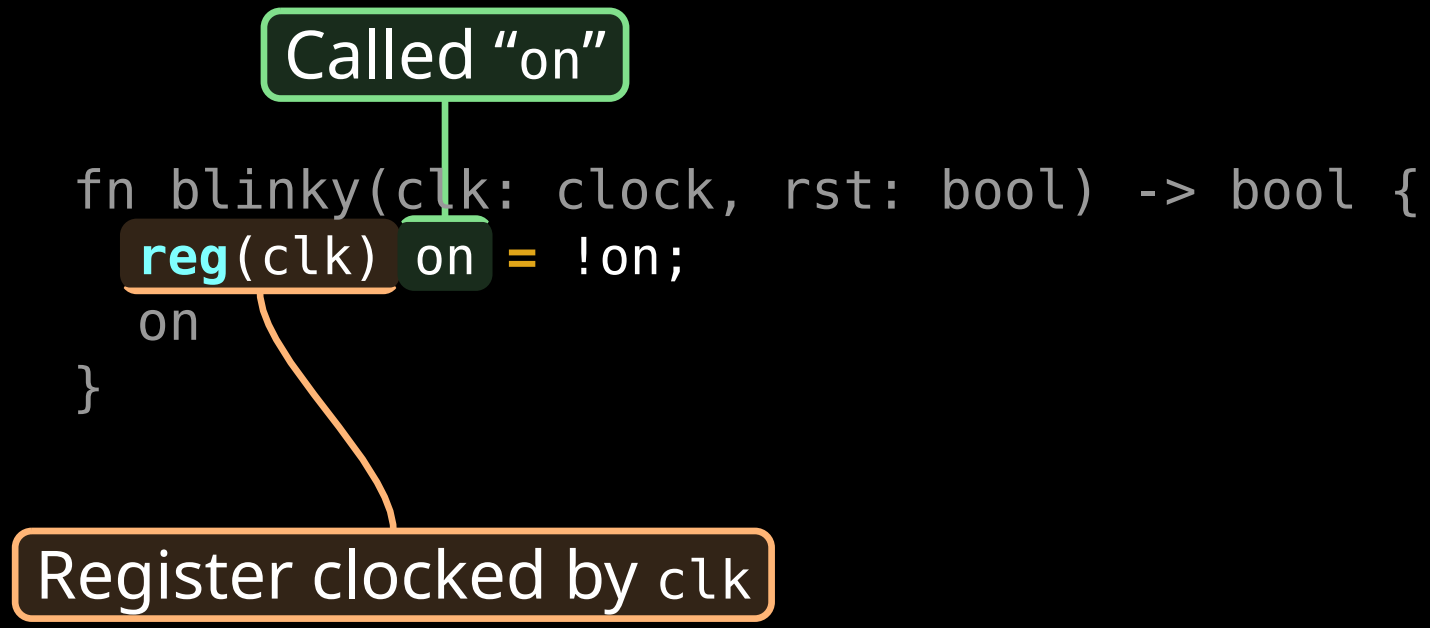
Register clocked by `clk`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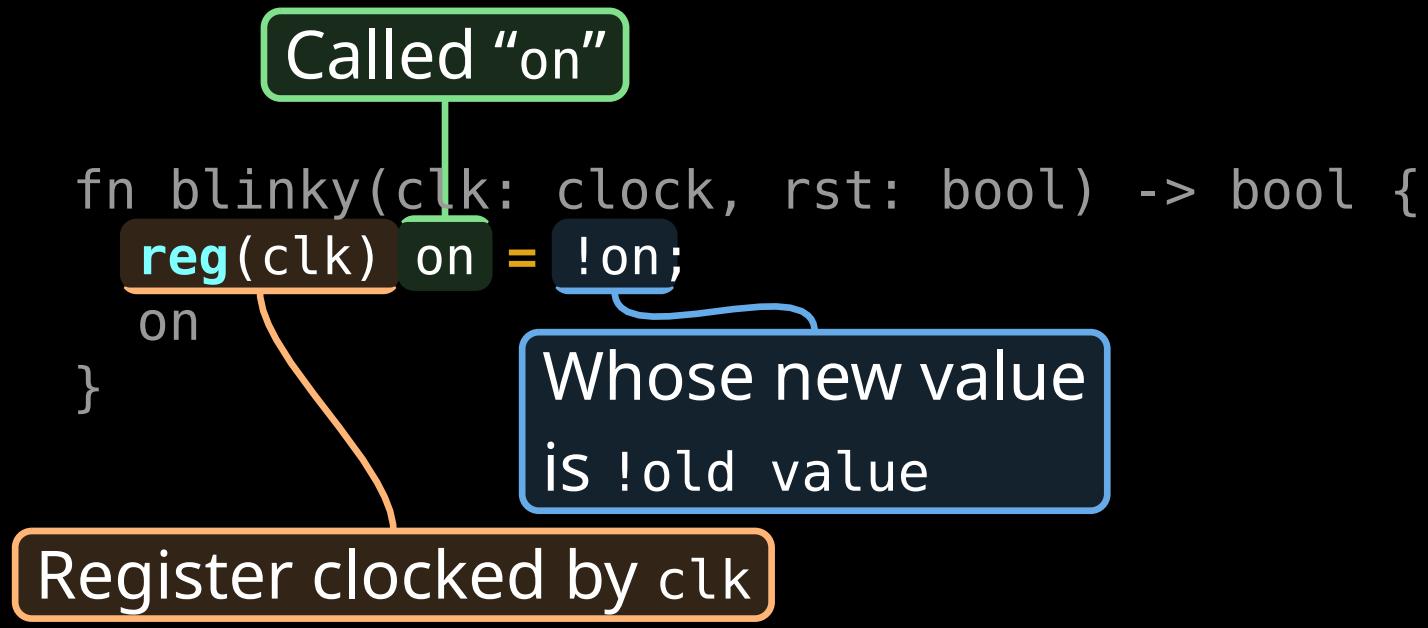
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Whose new value is !old value
Register clocked by clk

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fn blinky(clk: clock, rst: bool) -> bool {
  reg(clk) on reset(rst: false) = !on;
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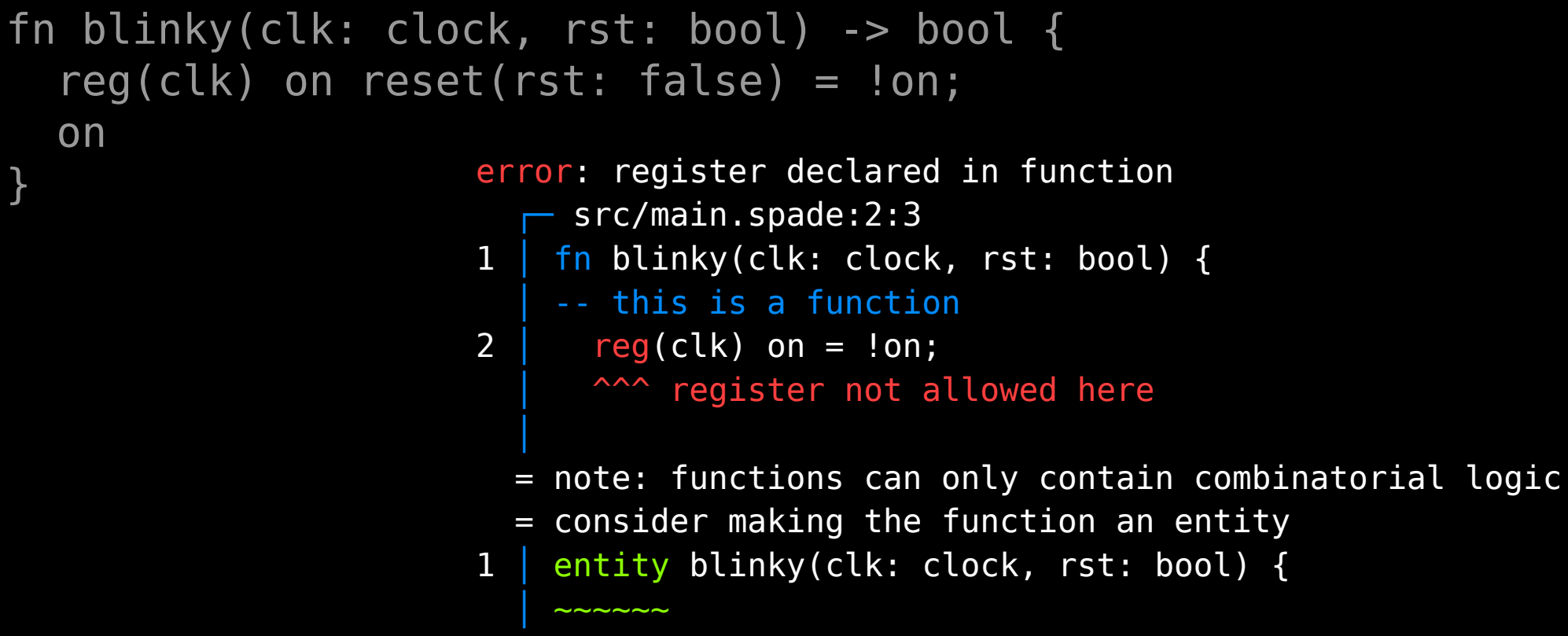
}
```

Reset to `false` when `rst` is `true`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```
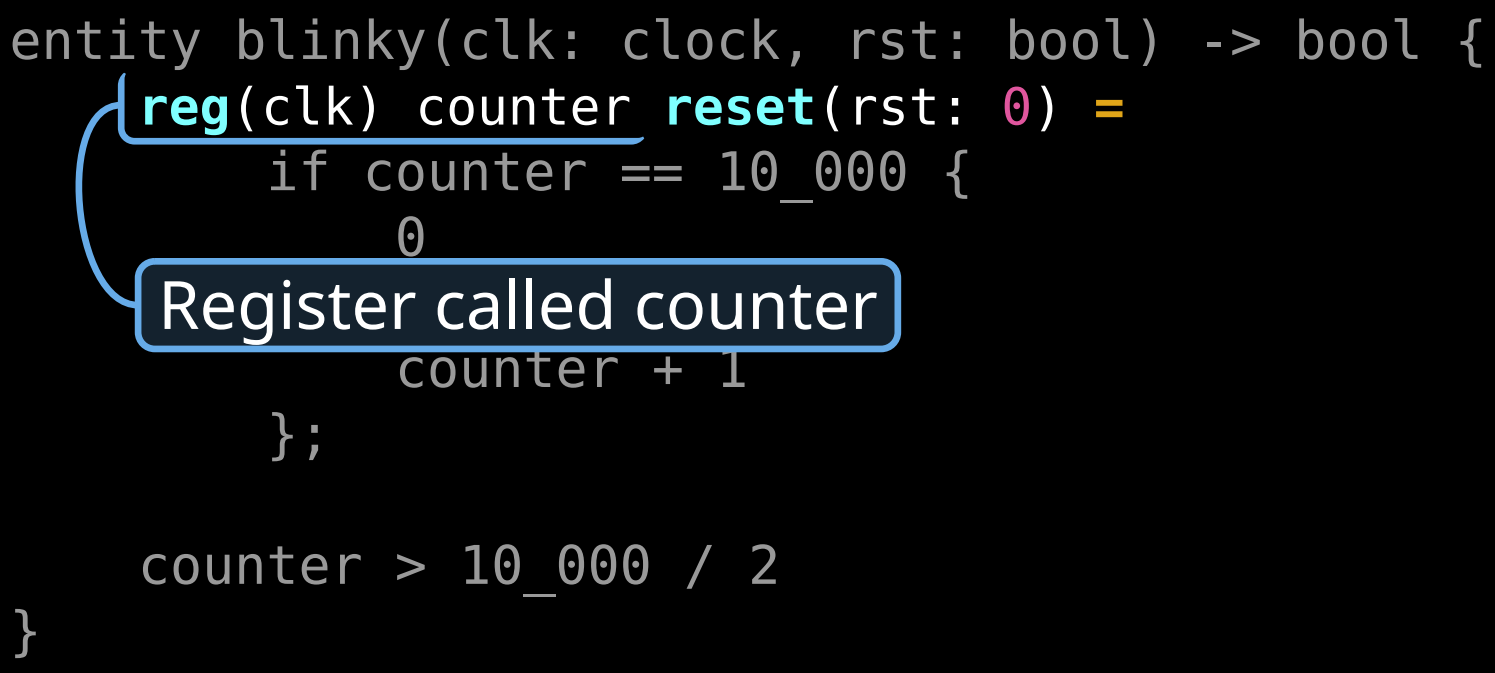

```
entity blinky(clk: clock, rst: bool) -> bool {
    reg(clk) counter reset(rst: 0) =
        if counter == 10_000 {
            0
        } else {
            counter + 1
        };

    counter > 10_000 / 2
}
```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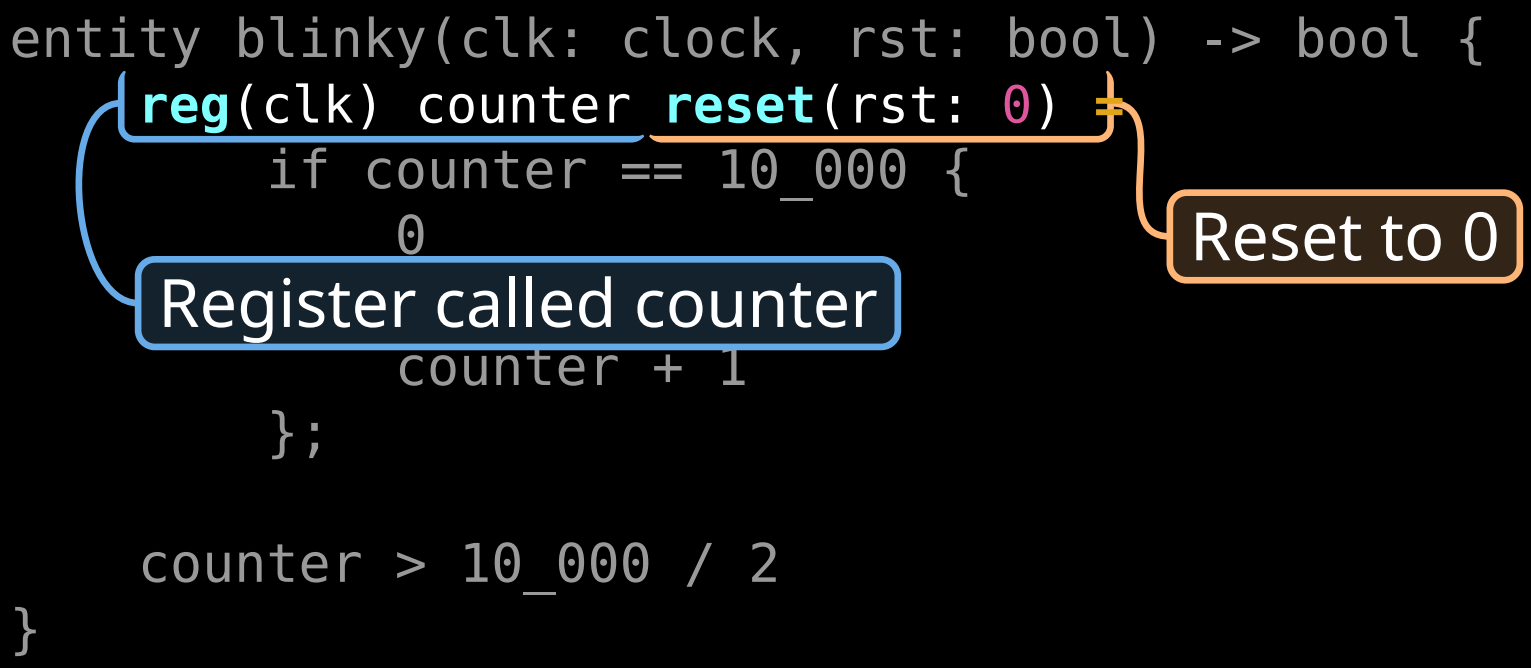
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```

Next value = 0 if at max, otherwise reset to 0

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Output is `true` if the counter is in its upper half

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error: Type of expression is not fully known
   ┌─ src/main.spade:7:8
   │
 7 │     if count == duration {
   │        ^^^^^ The type of this expression is not fully known
   │
   = note: Found incomplete type: Number<_>
```

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entity blinky(clk: clock, rst: bool) -> bool {
    reg(clk) counter: uint<15> reset(rst: 0) =
        if counter == 10_000 {
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    counter > 10_000 / 2
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```

```
error: Expected type uint<15>, got Number<16>
 6 |     reg(clk) count: uint<15> reset(rst: 0) =
   |                              -- Type 15 inferred here
   |
 7 | ┌     if count == duration {
 8 | |       0
 9 | |     } else {
10 | |       count + 1
   | |       --------- Type 16 inferred here
11 | |     };
   | └─────^ Expected uint<15>
   |
   = note: Expected: 15 in: uint<15>
                Got: 16 in: Number<16>
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Let’s try it on

https://play.spade-lang.org

Pipelines and Timing

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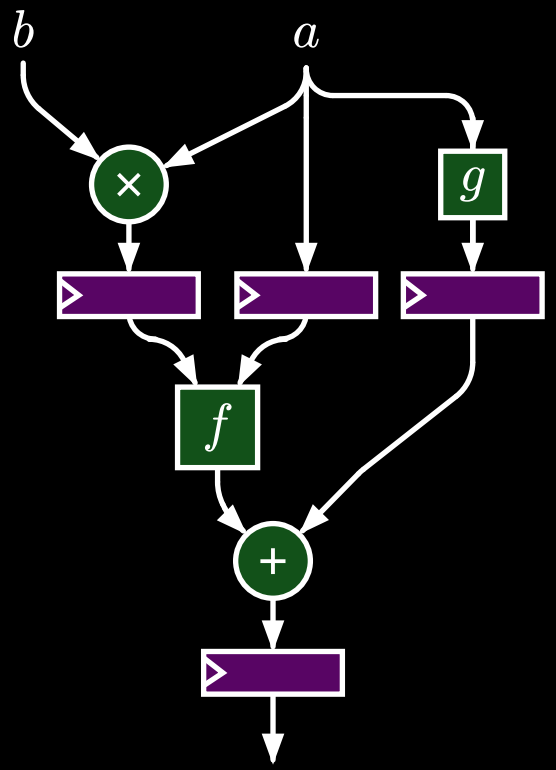

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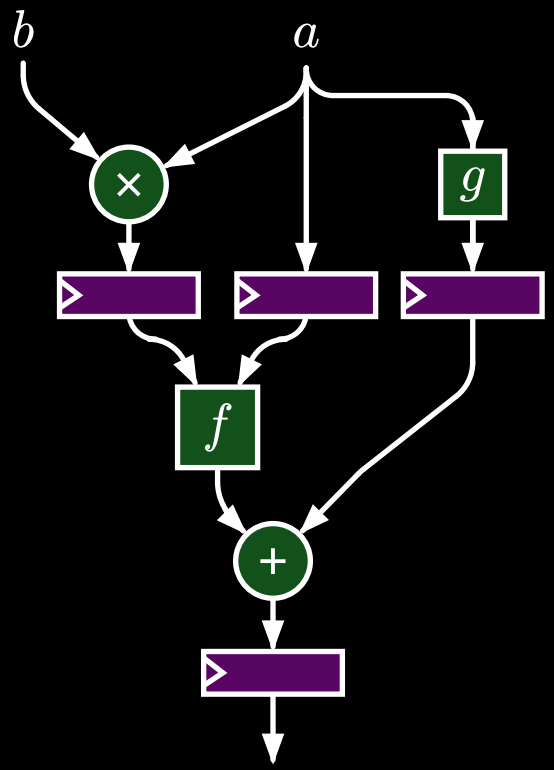

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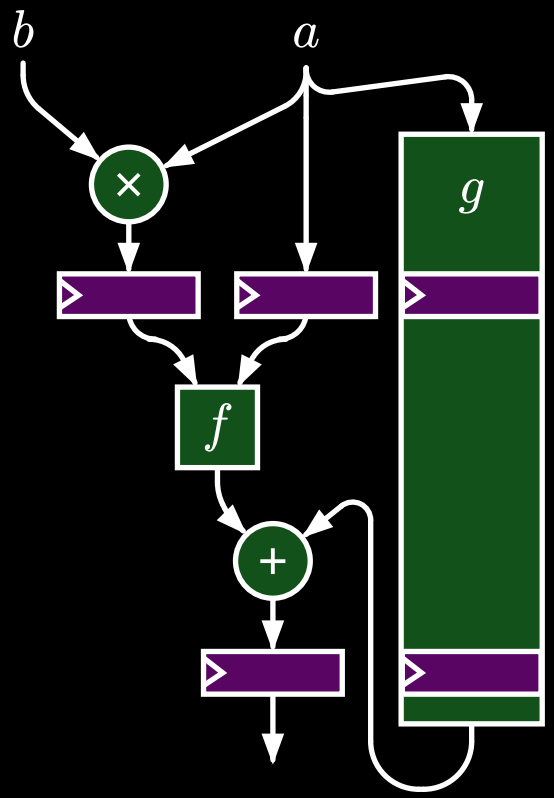

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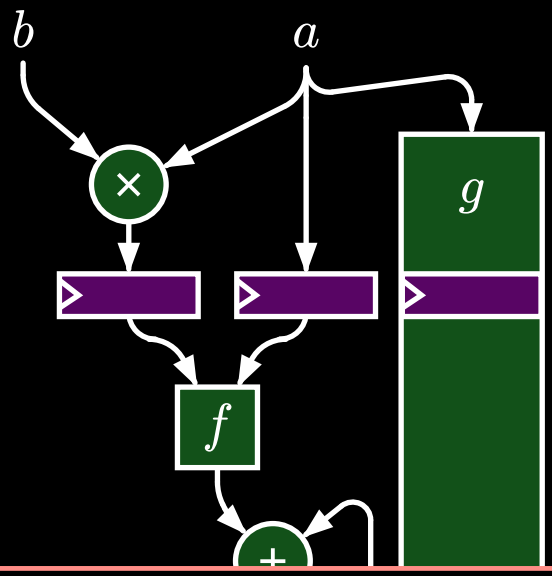


```
error: Expected `inst` and pipeline depth for pipeline instantiation
   ┌─ src/main.spade:3:13
   │
 3 │     let x = g(a);
   │             ^
   │             Expected pipeline instantiation
   │             Because g is a pipeline
   .
   = Consider instantiating the pipeline with a depth
 3 │     let x = inst(/*depth*/) g(a);
   │                 ++++++++++
```

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    -> int<33> {
    let x = inst(2) g(clk, a);
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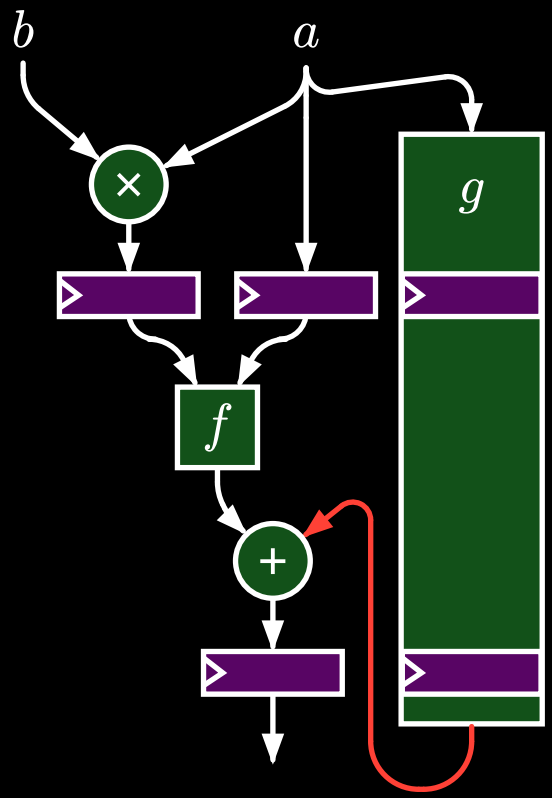
```



Pipelines

```
pipeline(2) X(clk: clock, a: int<32>, b: int<32>)
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    let product = a*b;
reg;

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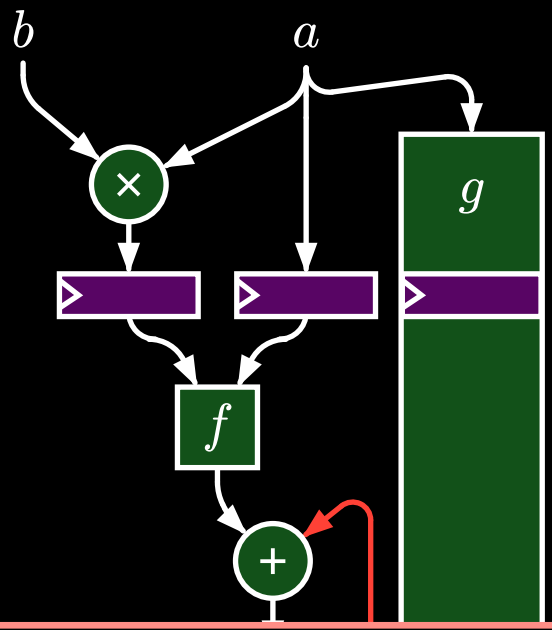
reg;
    sum
}
```




```
error: Use of x before it is ready
  ┌─ src/main.spade:7:15
3 │     let x = inst(2) g(a);
  │         - x is defined here at stage 0 with a latency of 2
  .
7 │     let sum = x + f(a, product);
  │               ^
  │               x is unavailable for another 1 stage
  = help: Consider adding more reg; statements between
          the definition and use of x
```

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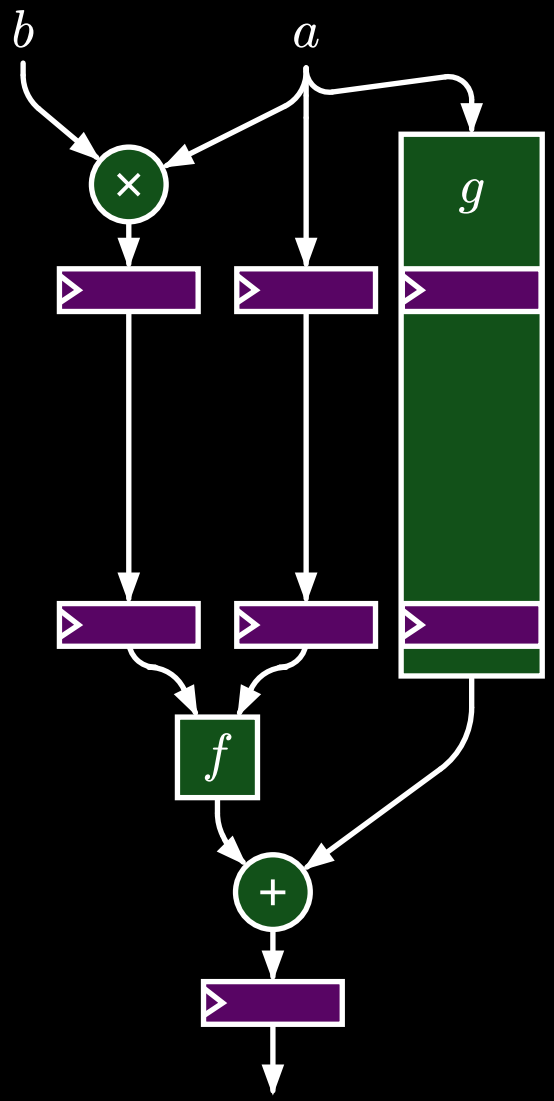

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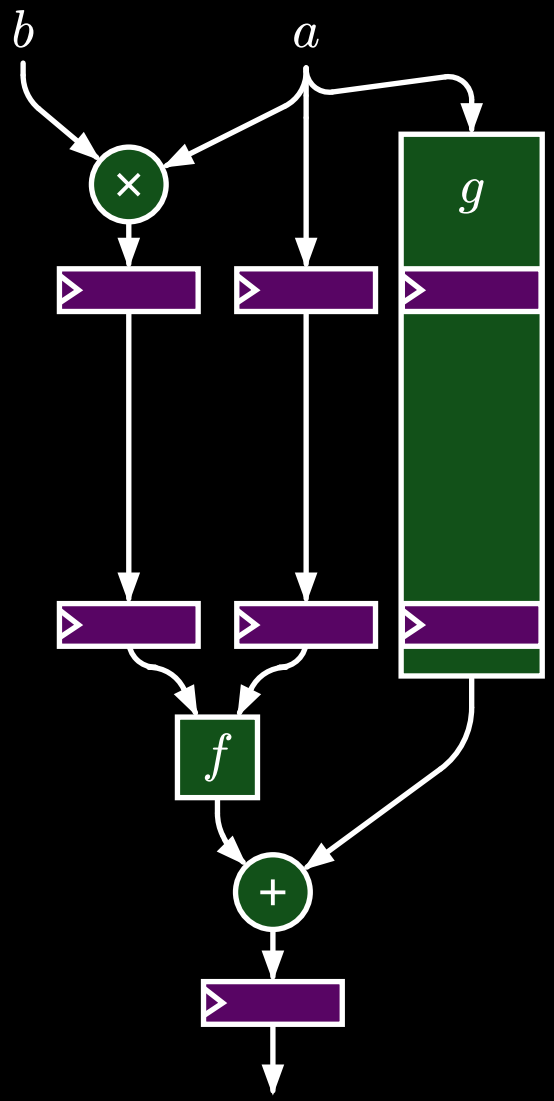

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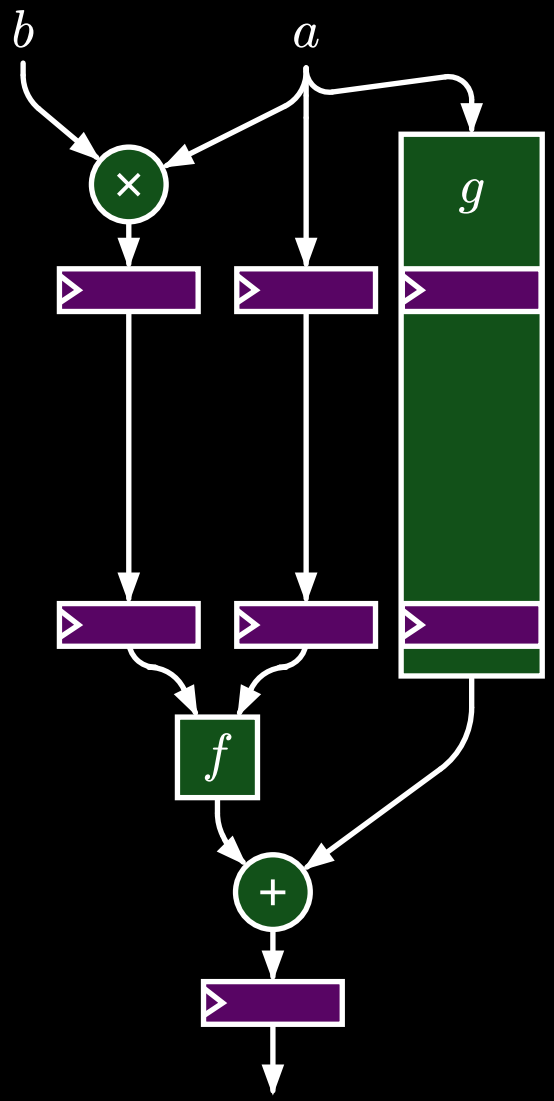

Instantiating Things

Definition:

```
fn trunc(...)
```

```
entity blinky(...)
```

```
pipeline(2) pipe(...)
```

Instantiation:

```
trunc(x + y)
```

```
inst blinky(clk, rst)
```

```
inst(2) pipe(...)
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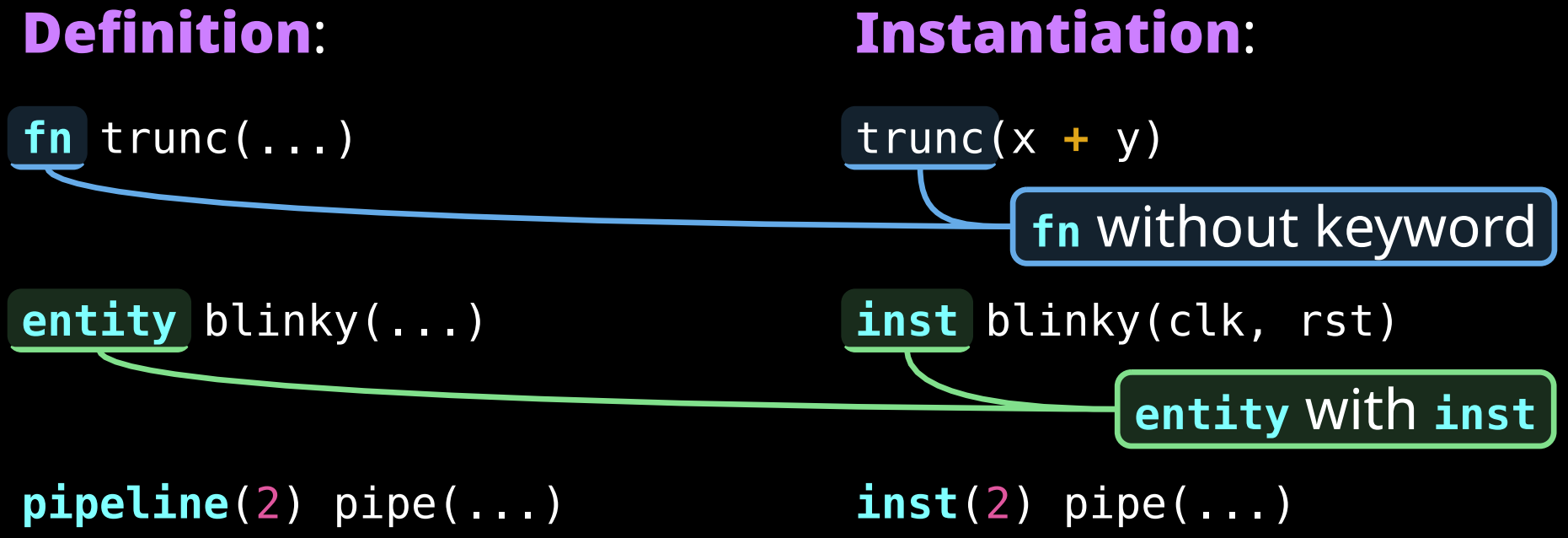
`fn` without keyword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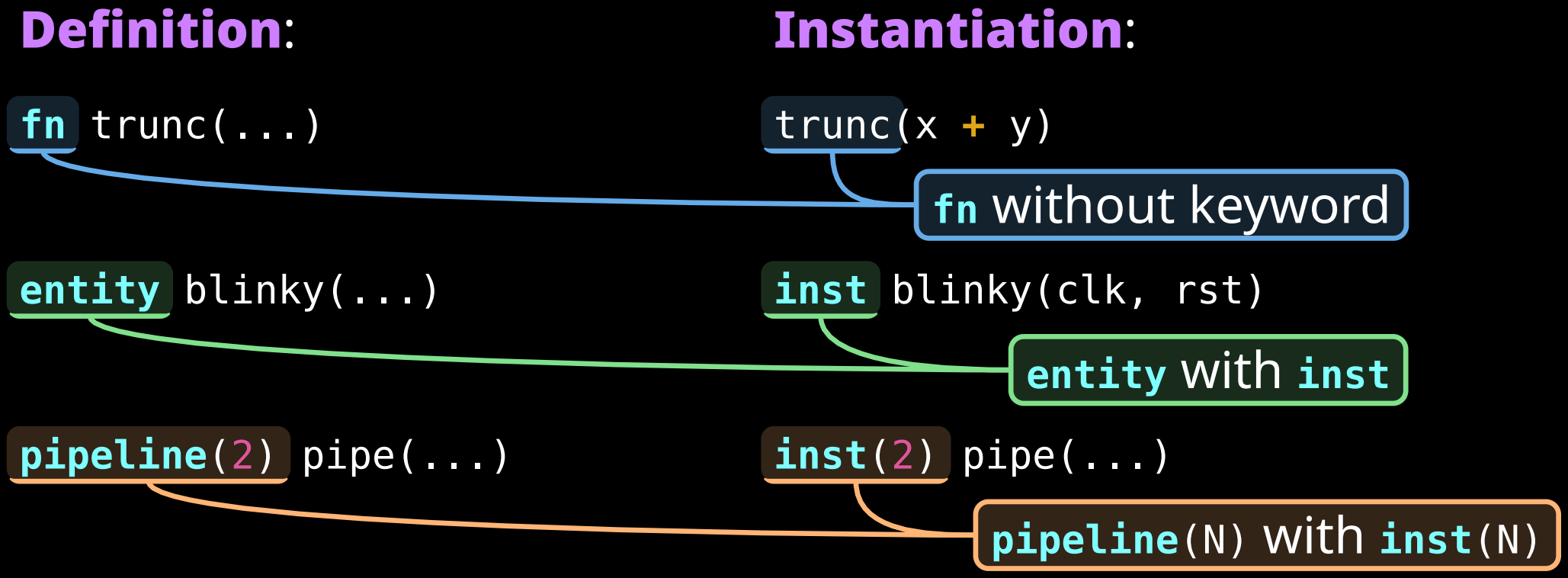
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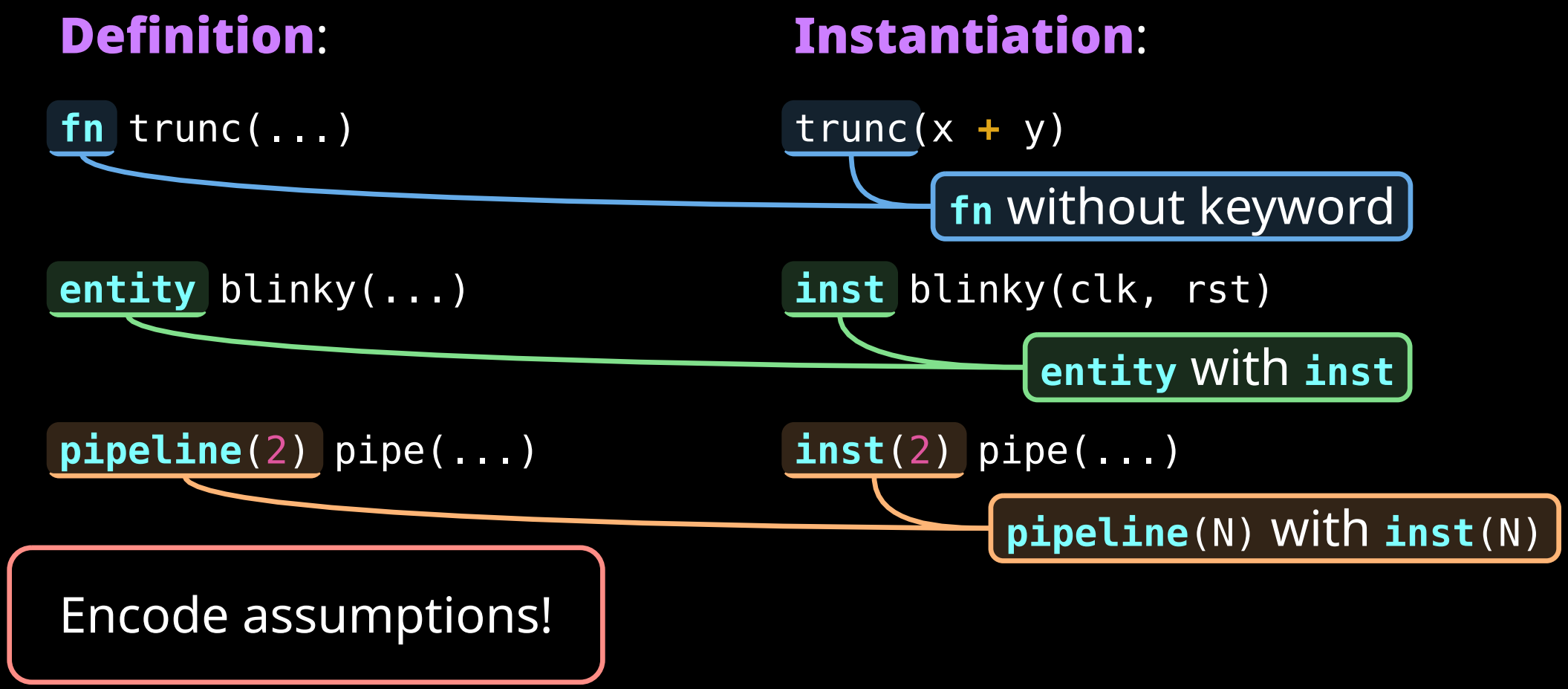
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pipeline(N) with inst(N)
Encode assumptions!

Passing arguments

```
fn create_point(x: int<8>, y: int<8>)
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create_point(5, 7)
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// Named arguments
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// Shorthand named arguments
let x = ...
create_point$(x, y: 7)
```

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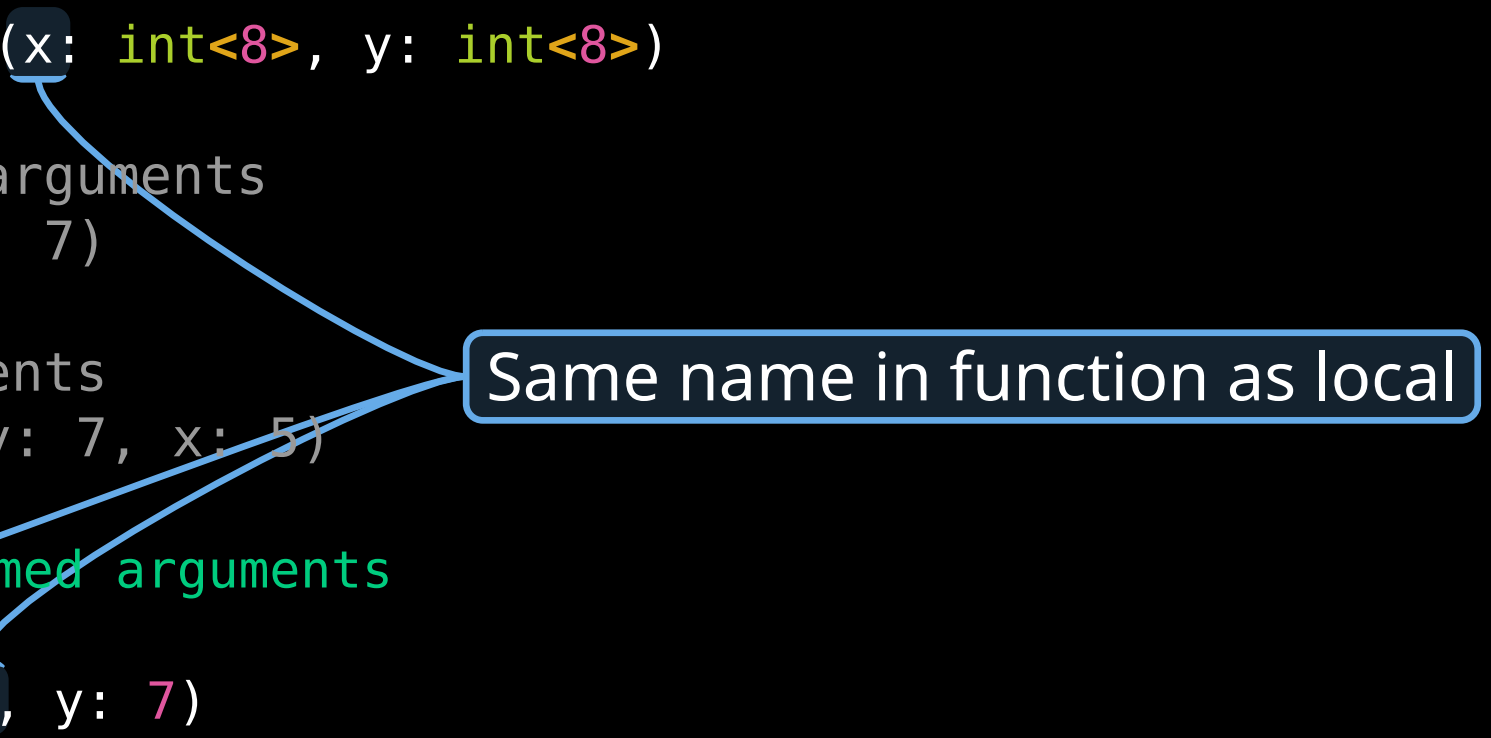

Types

```
// Primitive types
int<N>
uint<N>
bool
clock
```

Definition

```
struct Struct {
  x: int<8>,
  y: bool,
}
```

Definition

```
struct Struct {
  x: int<8>,
  y: bool,
}
```

Access

```
value.x
```

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}
```

Access

```
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Instantiation

```
// Positional
Struct(x, y)
// Named
Struct$(x, y)
```

Tuples

Definition

```
(int<8>, bool)
```

Tuples

Definition

```
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```

Access

```
value#0
```

Tuples

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```
(int<8>, bool)
```

Access

```
value#0
```

Instantiation

```
(5, true)
```

Arrays

Definition

```
[int<8>; 3]
```

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Access

```
value[i]

value[0..1]
```

Arrays

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Access

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Instantiation

```
[1, 2, 3]
```

Destructuring

```
let (x, y) = value;
```

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let (x, y) = value;

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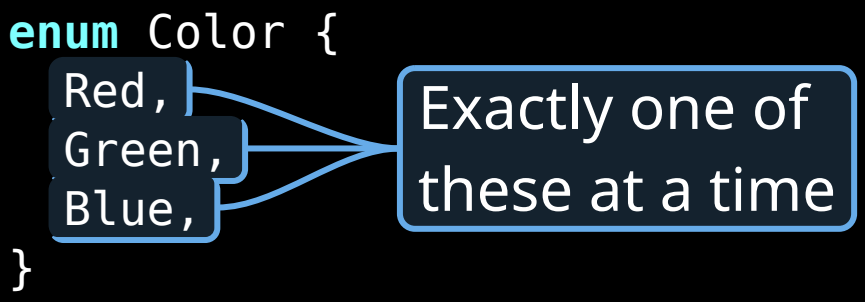
More Interesting Types

```
enum Color {
  Red,
  Green,
  Blue,
}
```


enum Color {
Red,
Green,
Blue,
}
Exactly one of these at a time

```
enum Color {
  Red,
  Green,
  Blue,
}
```

```
fn to_rgb(color: Color) -> [uint<8>; 3] {
  match color {
    Color::Red => [255, 0, 0],
    Color::Green => [0, 255, 0],
    Color::Blue => [0, 0, 255],
  }
}
```

```
enum Color {
  Red,
  Green,
  Blue,
  Grayscale {
    brightness: uint<8>
  },
  Custom {
    r: uint<8>,
    g: uint<8>,
    b: uint<8>
  },
}
```

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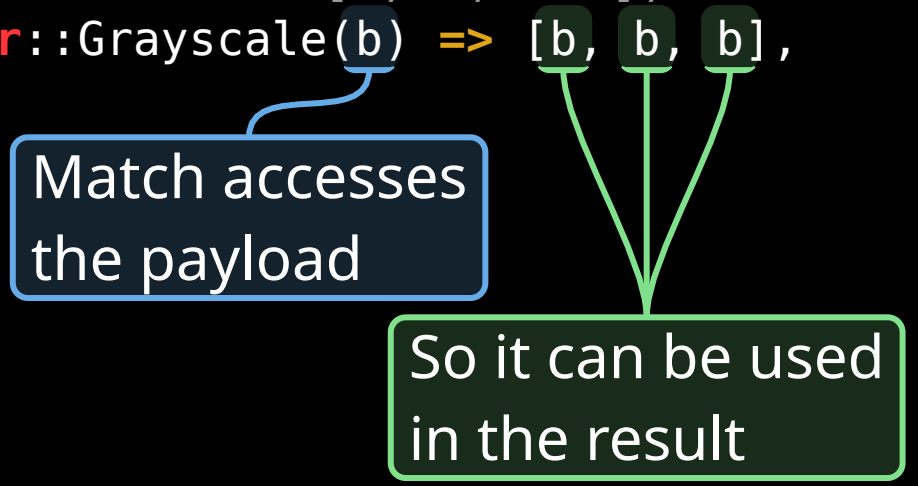

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    Color::Custom$(r, g, b) => [r, g, b],
  }
}
```

Enum Example: `Option`

```
enum Option<T> {
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  Some{val: T}
}
```

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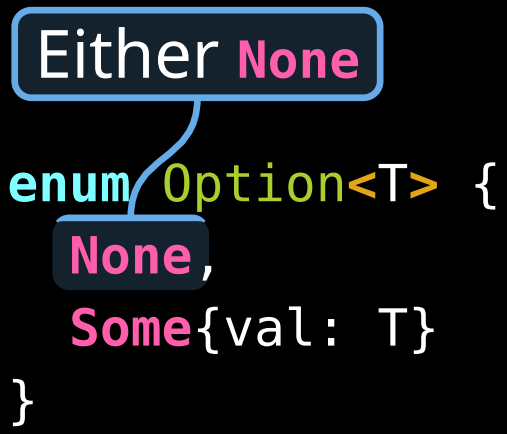

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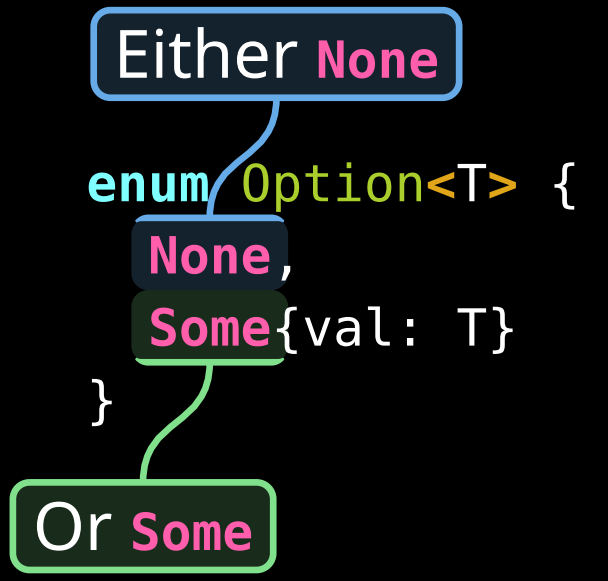

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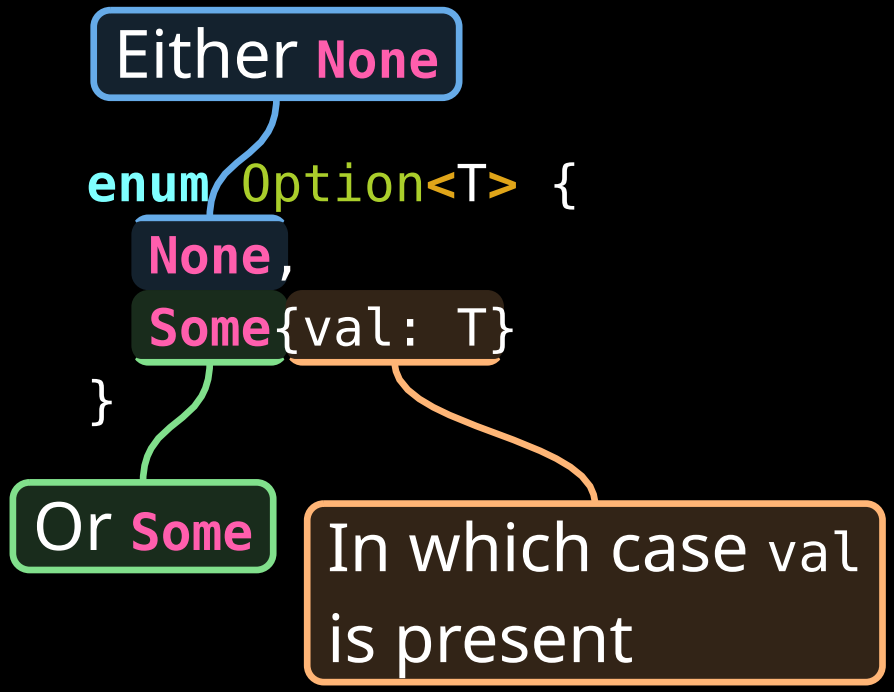

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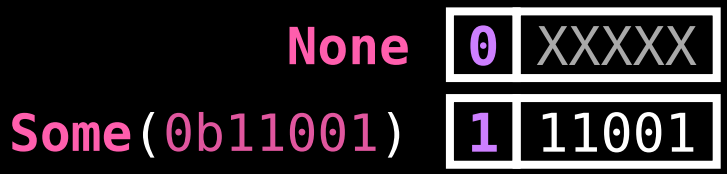

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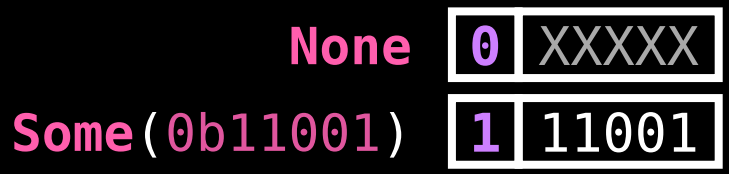

Intuitively: valid signal + validated data

Option Example: MAC

```
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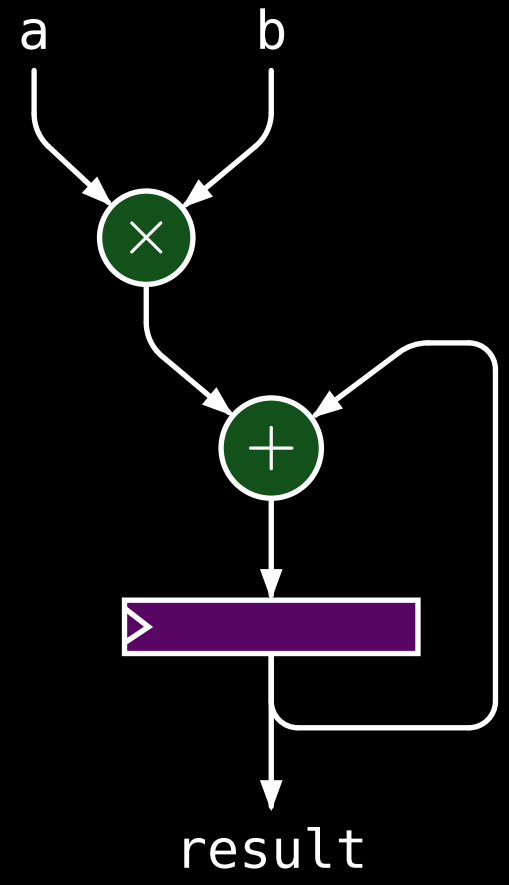
  clk: clock, rst: bool,
  input: (int<16>, int<16>)
) -> int<40> {




}
```



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}
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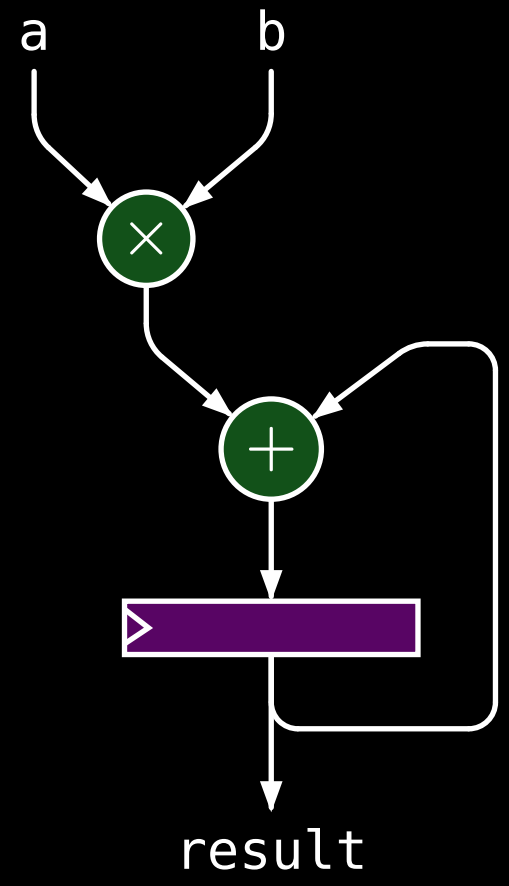

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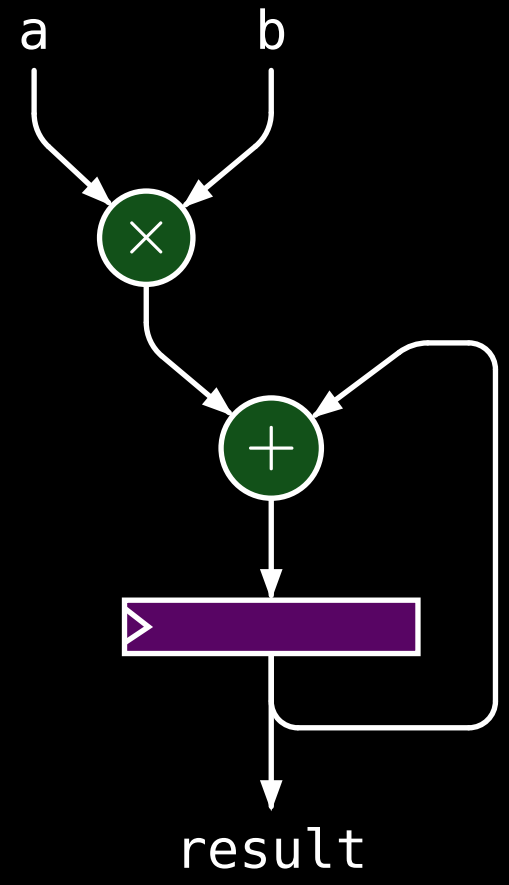

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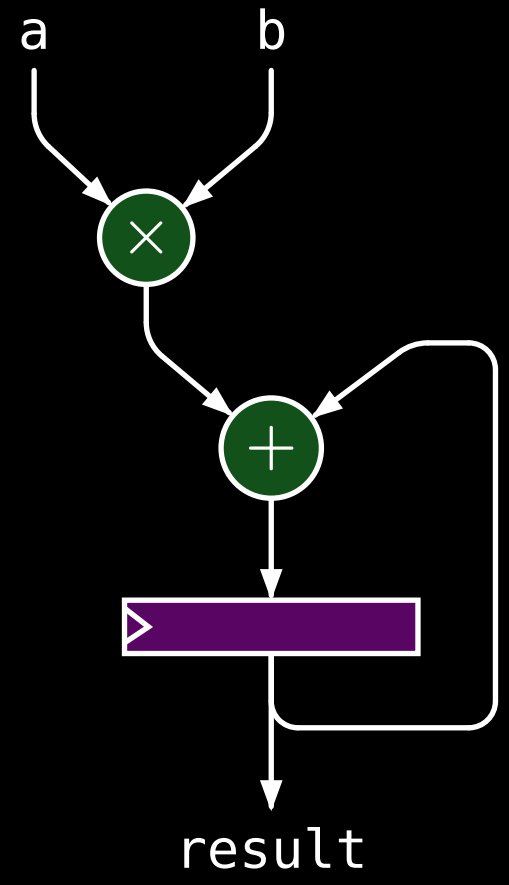

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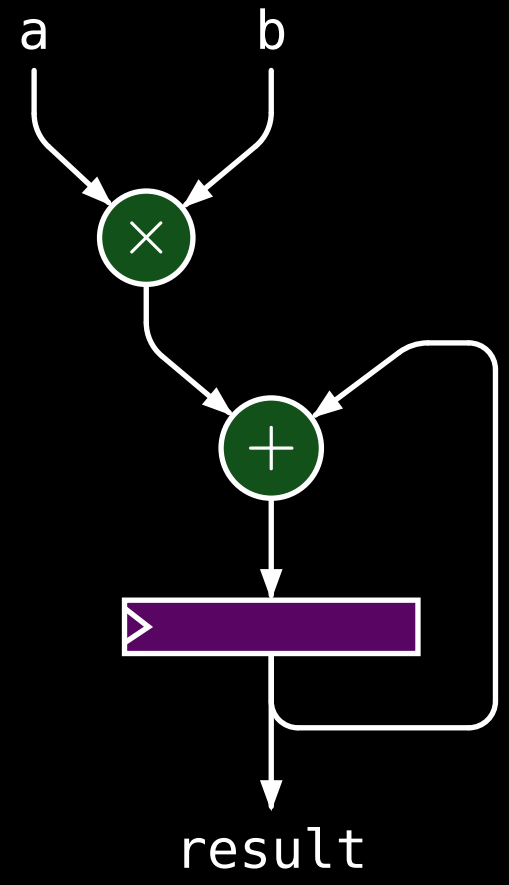

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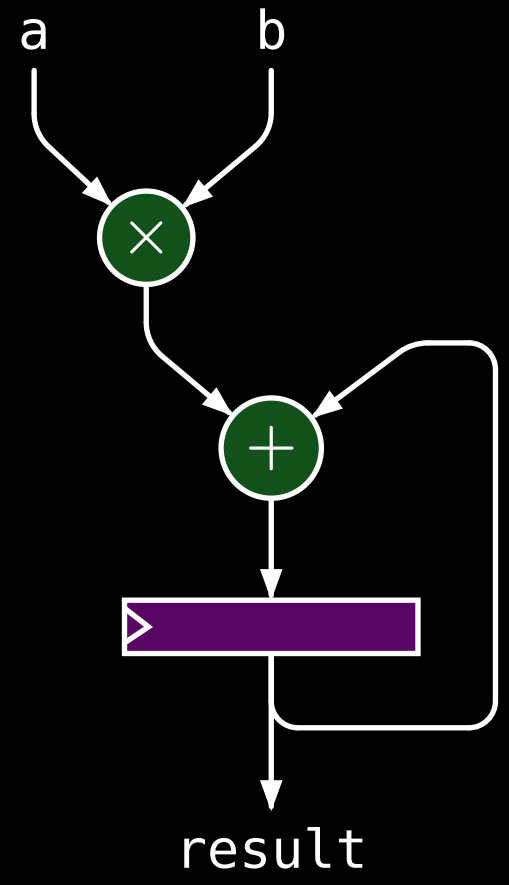

Option Example: MAC

```
entity data_producer(...)
    -> (int<16>, int<16>)
{...}


let mac_in = inst data_producer(...)

let mac_out = inst mac(clk, rst, mac_in);
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❗ **Requirement change**

Data is not produced every clock cycle

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Now `Option<...>`

❗ Type error

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```

Not available every clock cycle anymore

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```

Next compile error

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) -> int<40> {
  let product = match input {
      Some((a, b)) => Some(a * b),
      None => None,
  }]

  reg(clk) sum
      match product {
        Some(product) => sum + product,
        None => sum
      }

  sum
}
```

Once per sample,
or continuous output?

Enum example: FSMs

Make an LED blink thrice whenever a button is pressed

```
while True:
  if btn:
    for i in range(0, 3):
      led_on()
      wait(delay)
      led_off()
      wait(delay)
```

```
enum State {

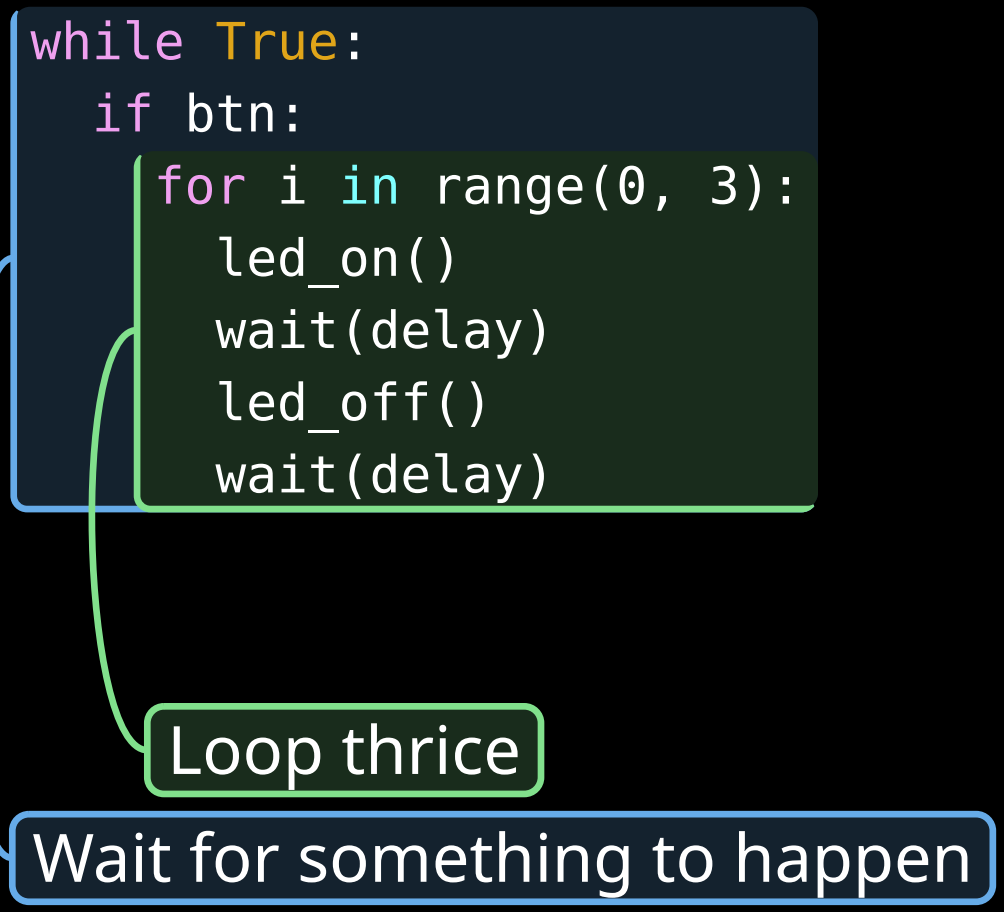

}
```

```
while True:
  if btn:
    for i in range(0, 3):
      led_on()
      wait(delay)
      led_off()
      wait(delay)
```

```
enum State {
  Idle,

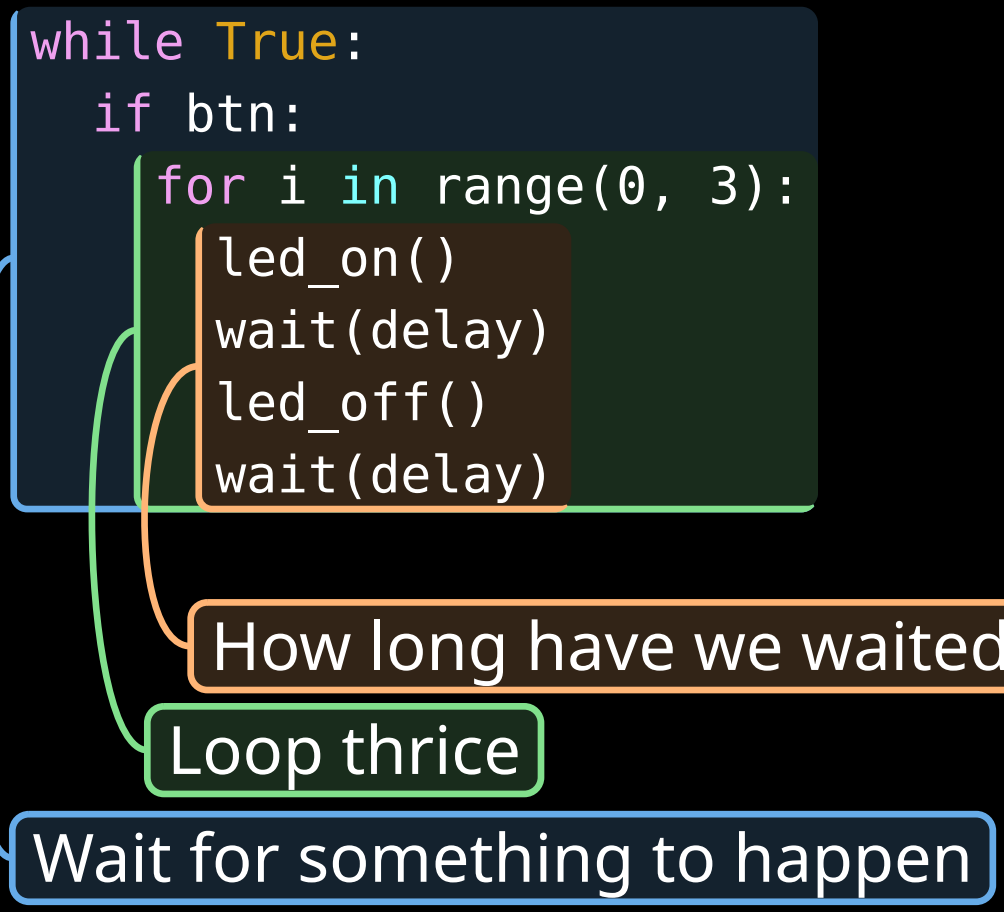
}
```

Wait for something to happen




```
enum State {
  Idle,
  Blink {
    blinks_left: uint<3>,

  }
}
```




```
enum State {
  Idle,
  Blink {
    blinks_left: uint<3>,
    on_duration: uint<15>,
  }
}
```

```
while True:
  if btn:
    for i in range(0, 3):
      led_on()
      wait(delay)
      led_off()
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```

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enum State {
  Idle,
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    blinks_left: uint<3>,
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}
```

```
entity blink_thrice(clk: clock, rst: bool, btn: bool)
    -> bool
{



}
```

```
entity blink_thrice(clk: clock, rst: bool, btn: bool)
    -> bool
{
  reg(clk) state reset(rst: State::Idle) =



}
```

```
entity blink_thrice(clk: clock, rst: bool, btn: bool)
    -> bool
{
  reg(clk) state reset(rst: State::Idle) =
    match (state, input) {



    }


}
```

```
entity blink_thrice(clk: clock, rst: bool, btn: bool)
    -> bool
{
  reg(clk) state reset(rst: State::Idle) =
    match (state, input) {
      (State::Idle, false) =>

    }


}
```

Match works on tuples

```
entity blink_thrice(clk: clock, rst: bool, btn: bool)
    -> bool
{
  reg(clk) state reset(rst: State::Idle) =
    match (state, input) {
      (State::Idle, false) =>



    }


}
```

And supports patterns

```
entity blink_thrice(clk: clock, rst: bool, btn: bool)
    -> bool
{
  reg(clk) state reset(rst: State::Idle) =
    match (state, input) {
      (State::Idle, false) => State::Idle,



    }


}
```

```
entity blink_thrice(clk: clock, rst: bool, btn: bool)
    -> bool
{
  reg(clk) state reset(rst: State::Idle) =
    match (state, input) {
      (State::Idle, false) => State::Idle,
      (State::Idle, true) =>
        State::Blink$(blinks_left: 2, duration: 10_000),


    }


}
```

```
entity blink_thrice(clk: clock, rst: bool, btn: bool)
    -> bool
{
  reg(clk) state reset(rst: State::Idle) =
    match (state, input) {
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      (State::Blink$(blinks_left, duration), _) => ???,

    }


}
```

We don’t care about the input while blinking

```
entity blink_thrice(clk: clock, rst: bool, btn: bool)
    -> bool
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  reg(clk) state reset(rst: State::Idle) =
    match (state, input) {
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      (State::Idle, true) =>
        State::Blink$(blinks_left: 2, duration: 10_000),

      (State::Blink$(blinks_left, duration), _) => ???,

    }


}
```

Back to idle
or more blinks?

```
entity blink_thrice(clk: clock, rst: bool, btn: bool)
    -> bool
{
  reg(clk) state reset(rst: State::Idle) =
    match (state, input) {
      (State::Idle, false) => State::Idle,
      (State::Idle, true) =>
        State::Blink$(blinks_left: 2, duration: 10_000),

      (State::Blink$(blinks_left, duration), _) => ???,

    }


}
```

Are we done waiting?

```
entity blink_thrice(clk: clock, rst: bool, btn: bool)
    -> bool
{
  reg(clk) state reset(rst: State::Idle) =
    match (state, input) {
      (State::Idle, false) => State::Idle,
      (State::Idle, true) =>
        State::Blink$(blinks_left: 2, duration: 10_000),

      (State::Blink$(blinks_left: 0, duration: 0), _) =>
          State::Idle,

    }


}
```

```
entity blink_thrice(clk: clock, rst: bool, btn: bool)
    -> bool
{
  reg(clk) state reset(rst: State::Idle) =
    match (state, input) {
      (State::Idle, false) => State::Idle,
      (State::Idle, true) =>
        State::Blink$(blinks_left: 2, duration: 10_000),

      (State::Blink$(blinks_left: 0, duration: 0), _) =>
          State::Idle,
      (State::Blink$(blinks_left, duration: 0), _) =>
          State::Blink$(blinks_left: trunc(blinks_left-1), duration: 10_000),

    }


}
```

```
entity blink_thrice(clk: clock, rst: bool, btn: bool)
    -> bool
{
  reg(clk) state reset(rst: State::Idle) =
    match (state, input) {
      (State::Idle, false) => State::Idle,
      (State::Idle, true) =>
        State::Blink$(blinks_left: 2, duration: 10_000),

      (State::Blink$(blinks_left: 0, duration: 0), _) =>
          State::Idle,
      (State::Blink$(blinks_left, duration: 0), _) =>
          State::Blink$(blinks_left: trunc(blinks_left-1), duration: 10_000),

    }


}
```

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    match (state, input) {
      (State::Idle, false) => State::Idle,
      (State::Idle, true) =>
        State::Blink$(blinks_left: 2, duration: 10_000),

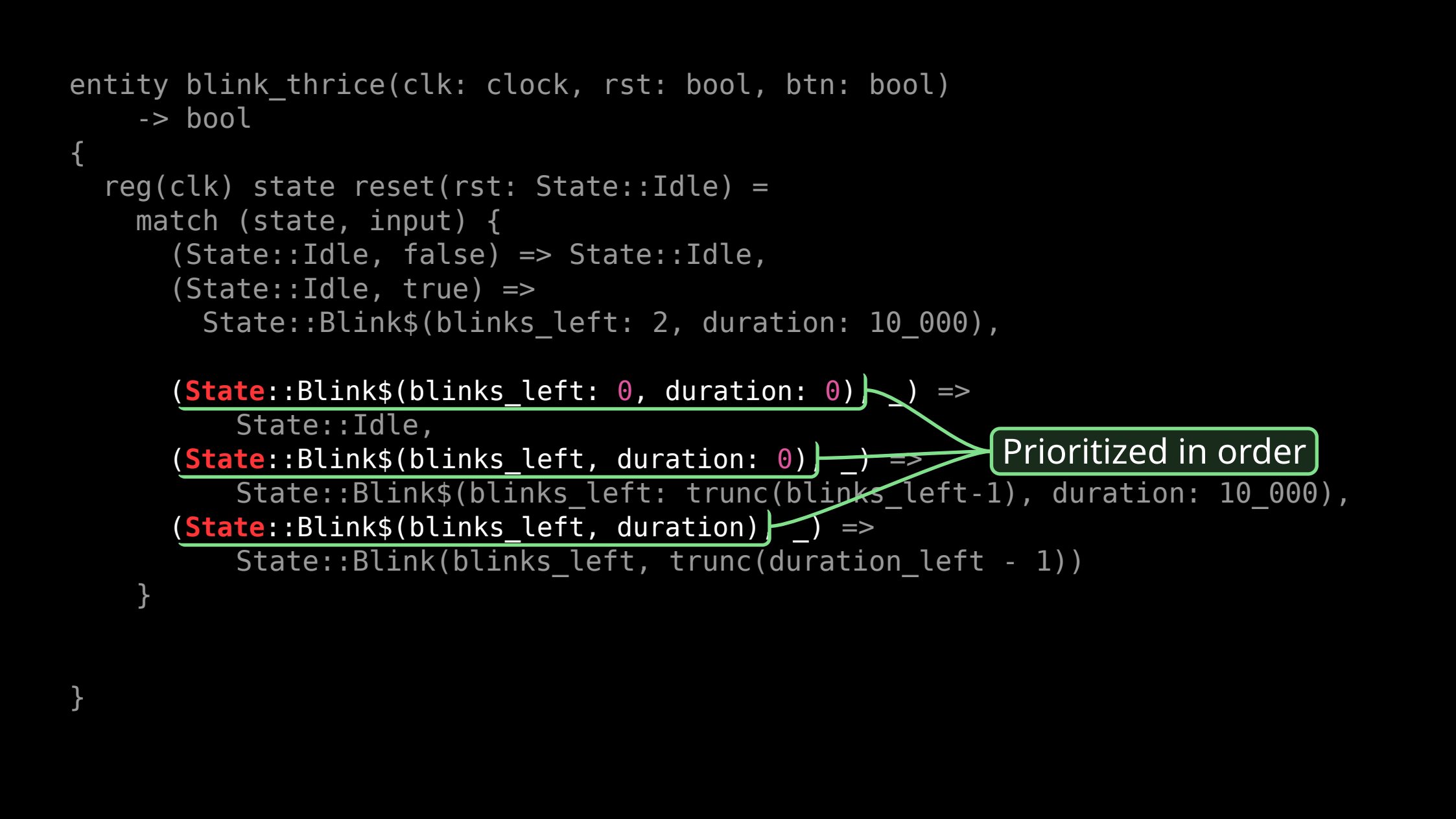
      (State::Blink$(blinks_left: 0, duration: 0), _) =>
          State::Idle,
      (State::Blink$(blinks_left, duration: 0), _) =>
          State::Blink$(blinks_left: trunc(blinks_left-1), duration: 10_000),
      (State::Blink$(blinks_left, duration), _) =>
          State::Blink(blinks_left, trunc(duration_left - 1))
    }


}
```

```
entity blink_thrice(clk: clock, rst: bool, btn: bool)
    -> bool
{
  reg(clk) state reset(rst: State::Idle) =
    match (state, input) {
      (State::Idle, false) => State::Idle,
      (State::Idle, true) =>
        State::Blink$(blinks_left: 2, duration: 10_000),

      (State::Blink$(blinks_left: 0, duration: 0), _) =>
          State::Idle,
      (State::Blink$(blinks_left, duration: 0), _) =>
          State::Blink$(blinks_left: trunc(blinks_left-1), duration: 10_000),
      (State::Blink$(blinks_left, duration), _) =>
          State::Blink(blinks_left, trunc(duration_left - 1))
    }


}
```



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    -> bool
{
  reg(clk) state reset(rst: State::Idle) =
    match (state, input) {
      (State::Idle, false) => State::Idle,
      (State::Idle, true) =>
        State::Blink$(blinks_left: 2, duration: 10_000),

      (State::Blink$(blinks_left: 0, duration: 0), _) =>
          State::Idle,
      (State::Blink$(blinks_left, duration: 0), _) =>
          State::Blink$(blinks_left: trunc(blinks_left-1), duration: 10_000),
      (State::Blink$(blinks_left, duration), _) =>
          State::Blink(blinks_left, trunc(duration_left - 1))
    }


}
```

The compiler will check your work. Missing cases are errors

```
entity blink_thrice(clk: clock, rst: bool, btn: bool)
    -> bool
{
  reg(clk) state reset(rst: State::Idle) =
     ...

  match state {


  }
}
```

```
entity blink_thrice(clk: clock, rst: bool, btn: bool)
    -> bool
{
  reg(clk) state reset(rst: State::Idle) =
     ...

  match state {
    State::Idle => false,

  }
}
```

```
entity blink_thrice(clk: clock, rst: bool, btn: bool)
    -> bool
{
  reg(clk) state reset(rst: State::Idle) =
     ...

  match state {
    State::Idle => false,
    State::Blink$(blinks_left: _, duration_left) => ...,
  }
}
```

```
entity blink_thrice(clk: clock, rst: bool, btn: bool)
    -> bool
{
  reg(clk) state reset(rst: State::Idle) =
     ...

  match state {
    State::Idle => false,
    State::Blink$(blinks_left: _, duration_left) =>
        duration_left < 10_000 / 2,
  }
}
```

```
entity blink_thrice(clk: clock, rst: bool, btn: bool)
    -> bool
{
  reg(clk) state reset(rst: State::Idle) =
     ...

  match state {
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        duration_left < 10_000 / 2,
  }
}
```
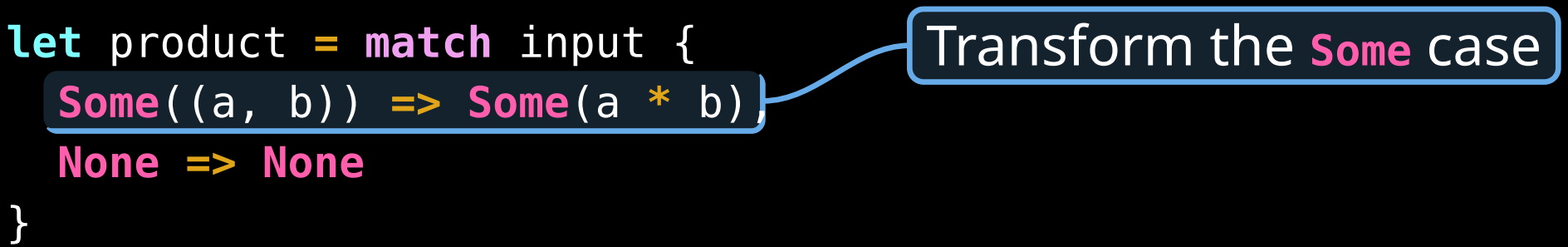
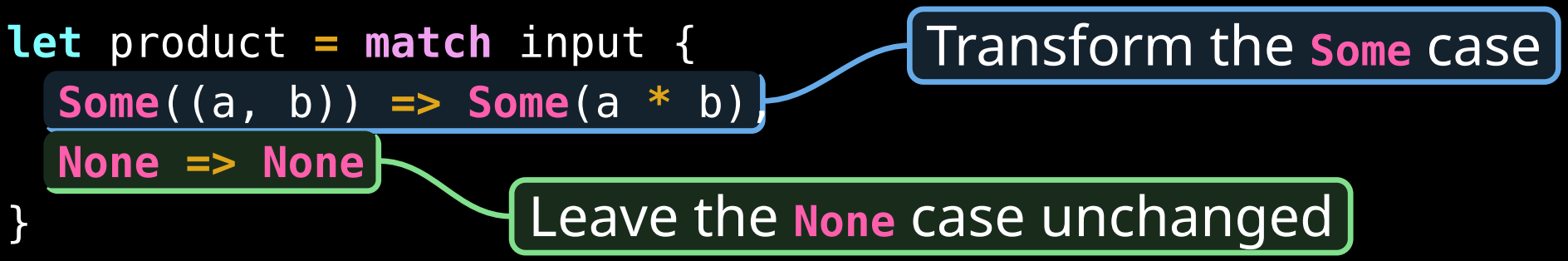
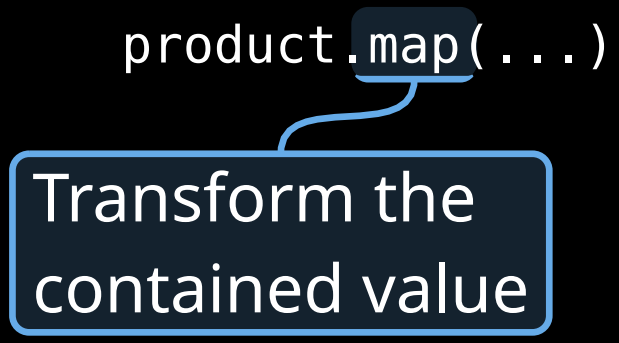

Methods

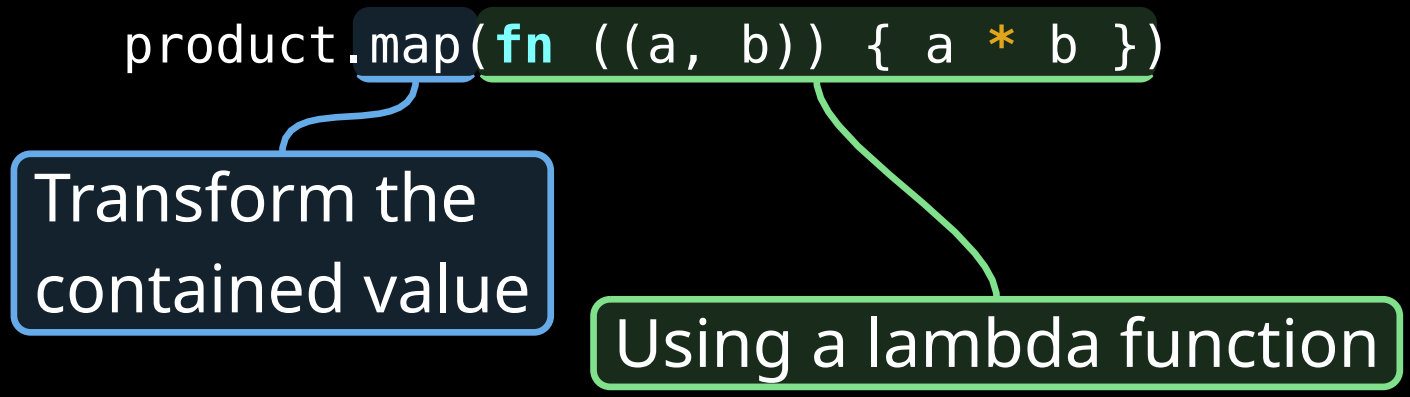
```
let product = match input {
  Some((a, b)) => Some(a * b),
  None => None
}
```


let product = match input {
Some((a, b)) => Some(a * b),
None => None
}
Transform the Some case


let product = match input {
Some((a, b)) => Some(a * b),
None => None
}
Transform the Some case
Leave the None case unchanged

```
product.map(...)
```


product.map(...)
Transform the contained value


product.map(fn ((a, b)) { a * b })
Transform the contained value
Using a lambda function

```
fn to_rgb(color: Color) -> [uint<8>; 3] {
  match color {
    Color::Red => [255, 0, 0],
    Color::Green => [0, 255, 0],
    Color::Blue => [0, 0, 255],
    Color::Grayscale(b) => [b, b, b],
    Color::Custom$(r, g, b) => [r, g, b],
  }
}
```

```
impl Color {
  fn to_rgb(self) -> [uint<8>; 3] {
    match self {
      Color::Red => [255, 0, 0],
      Color::Green => [0, 255, 0],
      Color::Blue => [0, 0, 255],
      Color::Grayscale(b) => [b, b, b],
      Color::Custom$(r, g, b) => [r, g, b],
    }
  }
}
```

```
struct port Rv<T> {
  data: &Option<T>,
  ready: inv &bool
}
```

```
let camera_feed = ...;
let eth_pins = camera_feed
  .inst into_ethernet_bytes(clk, rst);
```

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let camera_feed = ...;
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```

```
error Option<_> has no method into_ethernet_bytes
  ┌─ src/main.spade:3
  │
2 │ let pins = camera_feed
  │            ~~~~~~~~~~~ This has type Option<_>
3 │   .inst into_ethernet_bytes()
  │         ^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^ No such method
  │
  help: The method exists for Rv<_>
```

```
let camera_feed = ...;
let eth_pins = camera_feed
  .inst into_rv_fifo::<1024>()
  .inst into_ethernet_bytes(clk, rst);
```

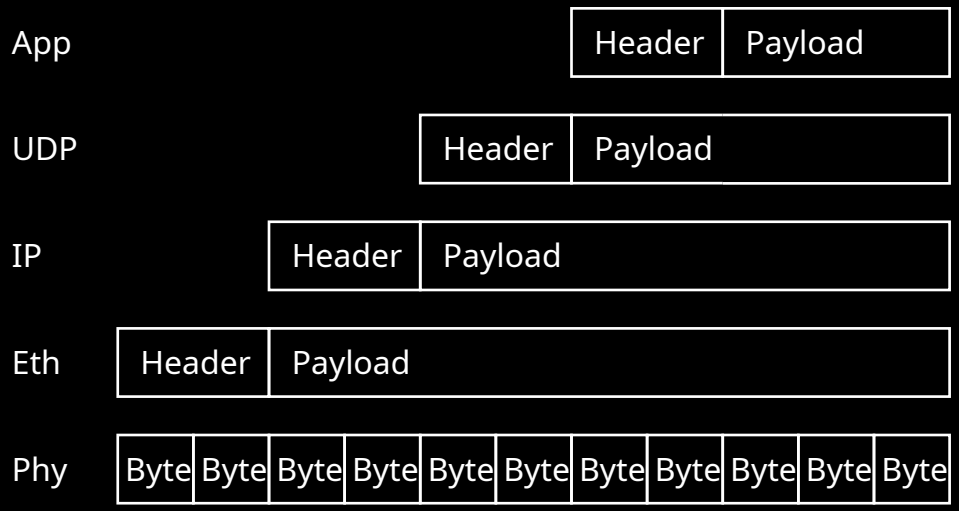
```
let camera_feed = ...;
let eth_pins = camera_feed
  .inst into_rv_fifo::<1024>()
  .inst packetize$(len: 1480)
  .inst into_ethernet_bytes(clk, rst);
```

```
let camera_feed = ...;
let eth_pins = camera_feed
  .inst into_rv_fifo::<1024>()
  .inst packetize$(len: 1480)
  .inst into_ethernet_bytes(clk, rst);
```

```
error Rv<PixelsPackets> has no method
      into_ethernet_bytes
   ┌─ src/main.spade:5
   │
2  │   let eth_pins = udp_stream
   │ ┌──────────────────────────────────────'
3  │ │       .inst into_rv_fifo::<1024>()
4  │ │       .inst packetize$(len: 1480)
   │ └──────' This has type Rv<PixelPackets>
5  │         .inst into_ethernet_bytes(clk, rst)
   │               ^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^ No such method
   │
 help: The method exists for Rv<IpPackets>
```

```
let camera_feed = ...;
let eth_pins = camera_feed
  .inst into_rv_fifo::<1024>()
  .inst packetize$(len: 1480)

.inst into_ethernet_bytes(clk, rst);
```



```
let camera_feed = ...;
let eth_pins = camera_feed
  .inst into_rv_fifo::<1024>()
  .inst packetize$(len: 1480)
  .inst into_udp$(
    dest_port: 1337, source_port: None,
  )
  .inst into_ethernet_bytes(clk, rst);
```

```
let camera_feed = ...;
let eth_pins = camera_feed
  .inst into_rv_fifo::<1024>()
  .inst packetize$(len: 1480)
  .inst into_udp$(
    dest_port: 1337, source_port: None,
  )
  .inst into_ip$(
    source_ip: IpAddr([172, 30, 0, 1]),
    dest_ip: IpAddr([172, 30, 0, 1]),
  )
  .inst into_ethernet_bytes(clk, rst);
```

```
let camera_feed = ...;
let eth_pins = camera_feed
  .inst into_rv_fifo::<1024>()
  .inst packetize$(len: 1480)
  .inst into_udp$(
    dest_port: 1337, source_port: None,
  )
  .inst into_ip$(
    source_ip: IpAddr([172, 30, 0, 1]),
    dest_ip: IpAddr([172, 30, 0, 1]),
  )
  .inst into_ethernet$(
    dest_mac: MacAddr(0xa0ce_c8ae_653c]),
    source_mac: MacAddr(0x0208_2083_53D1]),
  )
  .inst into_ethernet_bytes(clk, rst);
```

```
let camera_feed = ...;
let eth_pins = camera_feed
  .inst into_rv_fifo::<1024>()
  .inst packetize$(len: 1480)
  .inst into_udp$(
    dest_port: 1337, source_port: None,
  )
  .inst into_ip$(
    source_ip: IpAddr([172, 30, 0, 1]),
    dest_ip: IpAddr([172, 30, 0, 1]),
  )
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    dest_mac: MacAddr(0xa0ce_c8ae_653c]),
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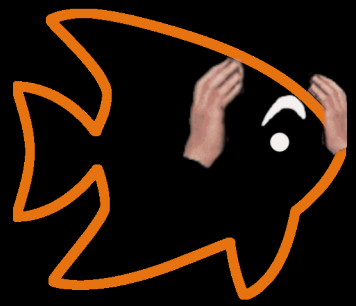
  )
  .inst into_ethernet_bytes(clk, rst);
```

Oh no, we forgor💀 about timing.



```
let camera_feed = ...;
let eth_pins = camera_feed
  .inst into_rv_fifo::<1024>()
  .inst buffer_headers()
  .inst packetize$(len: 1480)
  .inst into_udp$(
    dest_port: 1337, source_port: None,
  )
  .inst into_ip$(
    source_ip: IpAddr([172, 30, 0, 1]),
    dest_ip: IpAddr([172, 30, 0, 1]),
  )
  .inst into_ethernet$(
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    dest_port: 1337, source_port: None,
  )
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    dest_ip: IpAddr([172, 30, 0, 1]),
  )
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    source_mac: MacAddr(0x0208_2083_53D1]),
  )
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  .inst buffer()
```

HeaderPayloadStream → UdpStream

```
let camera_feed = ...;
let eth_pins = camera_feed
  .inst into_rv_fifo::<1024>()
  .inst buffer_headers()
  .inst packetize$(len: 1480)
  .inst into_udp$(
    dest_port: 1337, source_port: None,
  )
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    source_ip: IpAddr([172, 30, 0, 1]),
    dest_ip: IpAddr([172, 30, 0, 1]),
  )
  .inst into_ethernet$(
    dest_mac: MacAddr(0xa0ce_c8ae_653c]),
    source_mac: MacAddr(0x0208_2083_53D1]),
  )
  .inst into_ethernet_bytes(clk, rst);
```

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let camera_feed = ...;
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  .inst packetize$(len: 1480)
  .inst into_udp$(
    dest_port: 1337, source_port: None,
  )
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  .inst packetize$(len: 1480)
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    dest_port: 1337, source_port: None,
  )
  .inst into_ip$(
    source_ip: IpAddr([172, 30, 0, 1]),
    dest_ip: IpAddr([172, 30, 0, 1]),
  )
  .inst into_ethernet$(
    dest_mac: MacAddr(0xa0ce_c8ae_653c]),
    source_mac: MacAddr(0x0208_2083_53D1]),
  )
  .inst into_ethernet_bytes(clk, rst);
```

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Type safe transformations

```
let camera_feed = ...;
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  .inst into_rv_fifo::<1024>()
  .inst packetize$(len: 1480)
  .inst into_udp$(
    dest_port: 1337, source_port: None,
  )
  .inst into_ip$(
    source_ip: IpAddr([172, 30, 0, 1]),
    dest_ip: IpAddr([172, 30, 0, 1]),
  )
  .inst into_ethernet$(
    dest_mac: MacAddr(0xa0ce_c8ae_653c]),
    source_mac: MacAddr(0x0208_2083_53D1]),
  )
  .inst append_lower_priority(inst handle_arp_icmp(...))
  .inst into_ethernet_bytes(clk, rst);
```

Respond to pings and Address Resolution Requests

Tooling

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Will make or break a language

Compiler

- Takes your Spade, emits Verilog
- More importantly, provides helpful and guiding **error messages**

The Swim build tool

- Manages dependencies
- Runs synthesis tools
- Installs CAD tools

Editor Integration with LSP

Provide that 0.1 second interactivity where possible

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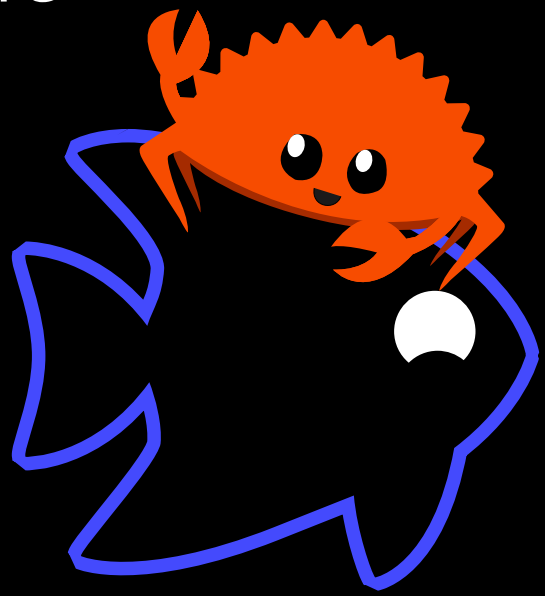

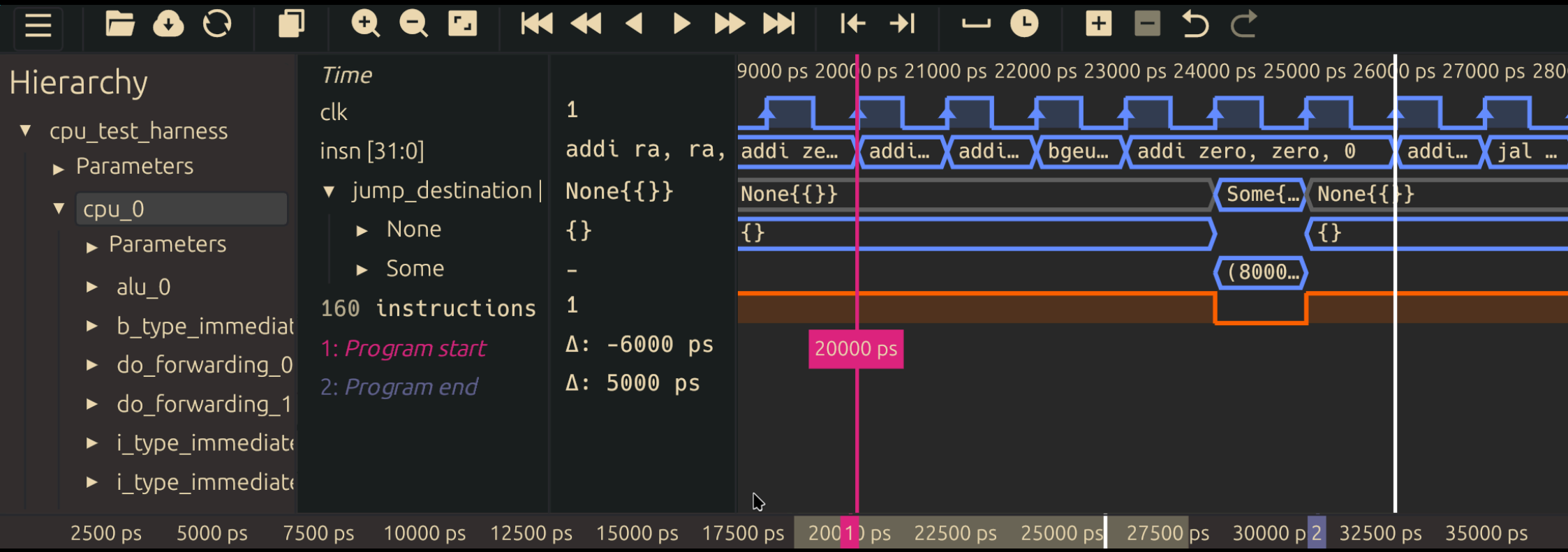
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cpu_0
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i_type_immediate
Time
clk
1
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160 instructions
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Surrounding tooling

- Documentation generation
- Auto-formatting
- More powerful LSP

Conclusions

Use your language to

- *encode* your assumptions
- *alert you* when you violate them
- *guide* you when refactoring

Lab time!

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