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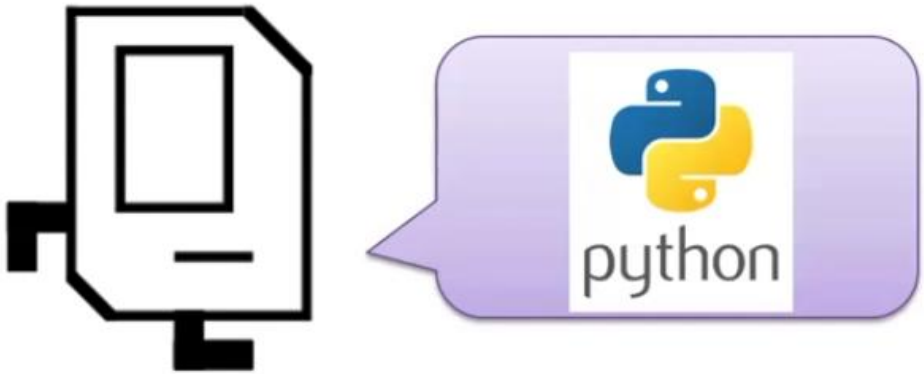

Lecture1 - MeetKarel

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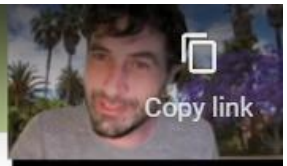

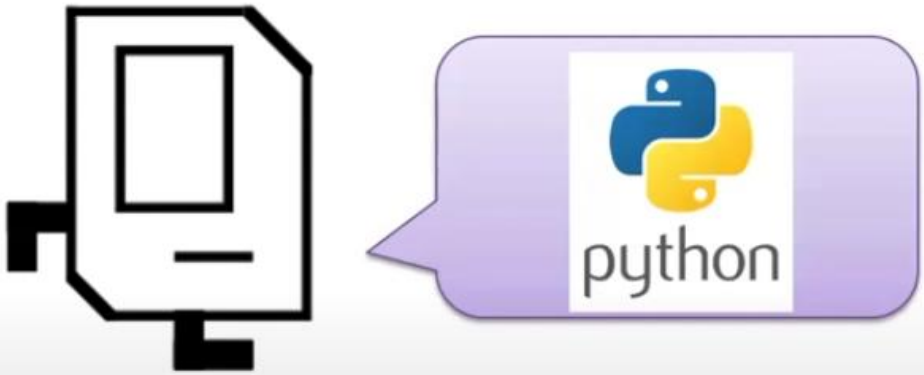

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Piech and Sahami, CS106A, Stanford University

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Why Python?

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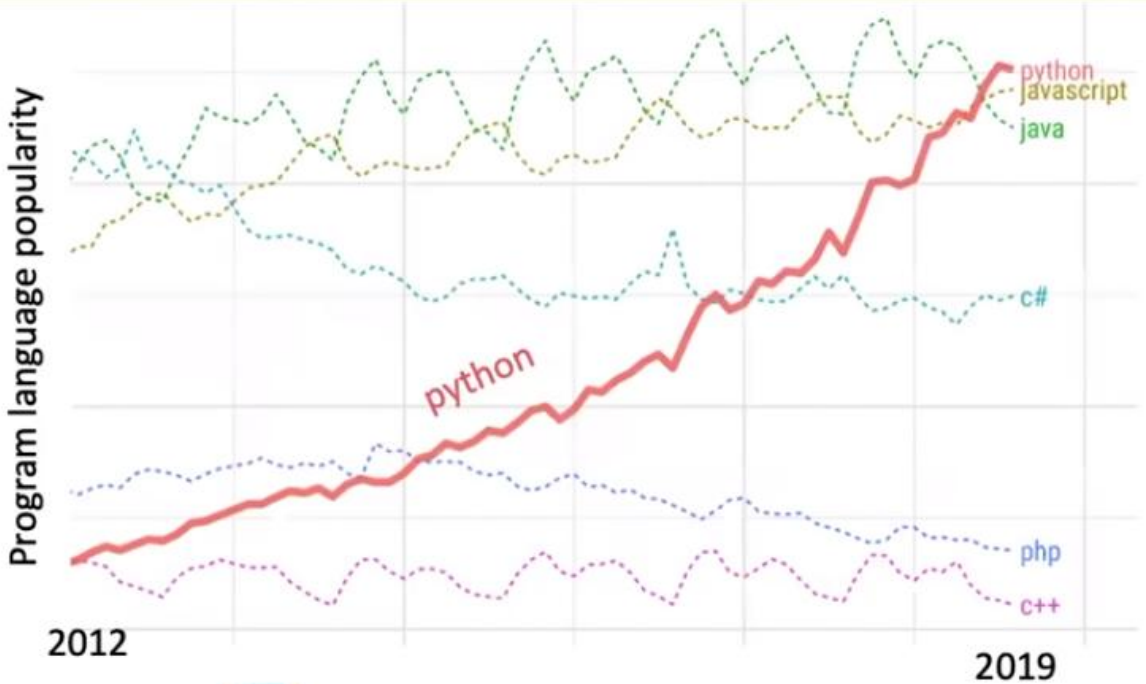

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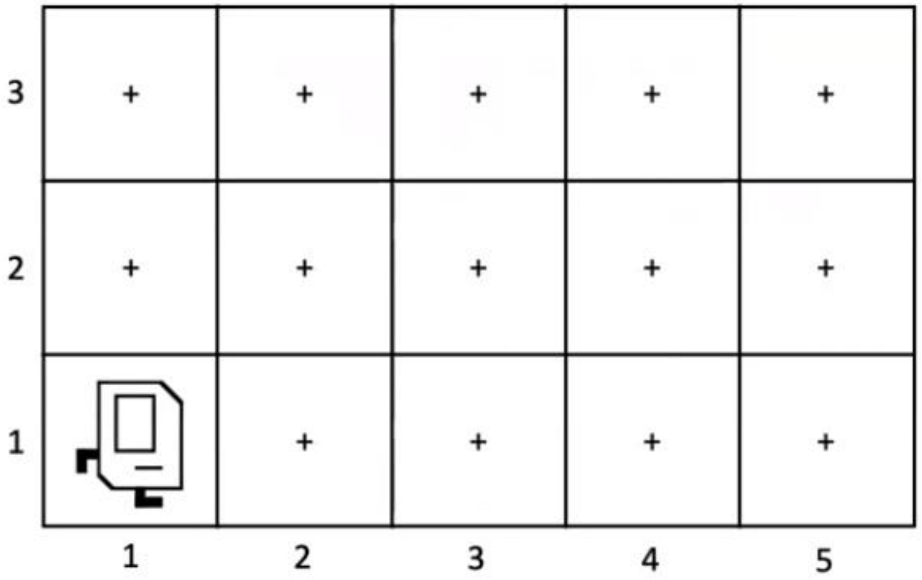
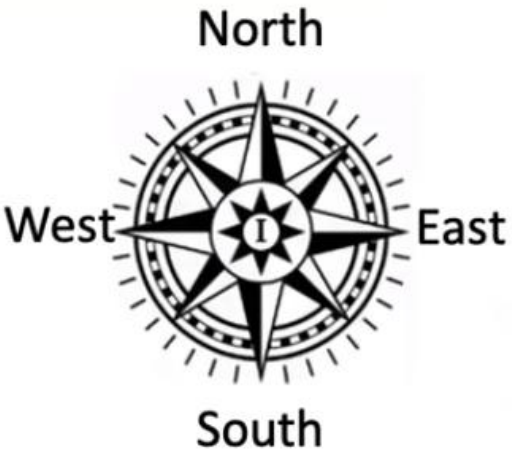
https://stackoverflow.blog/2017/09/06/incredible-growth-python/

Guido van Rossum

Monty Python's Flying Circus 👍

Karel's World





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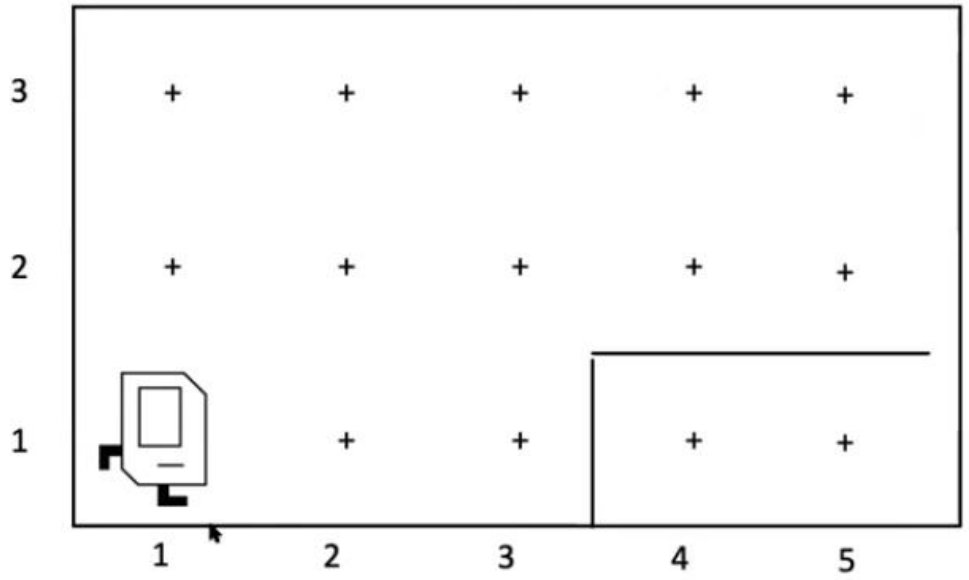
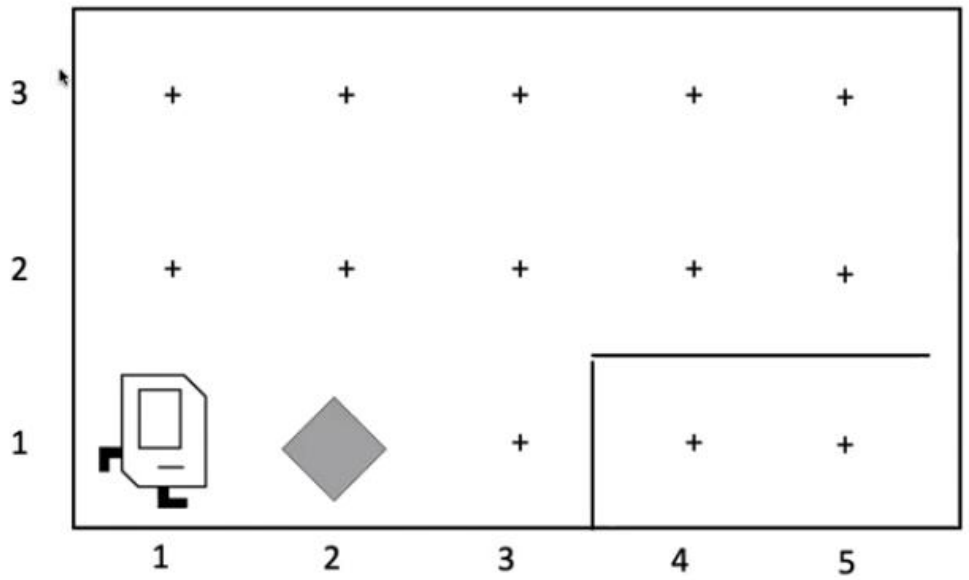


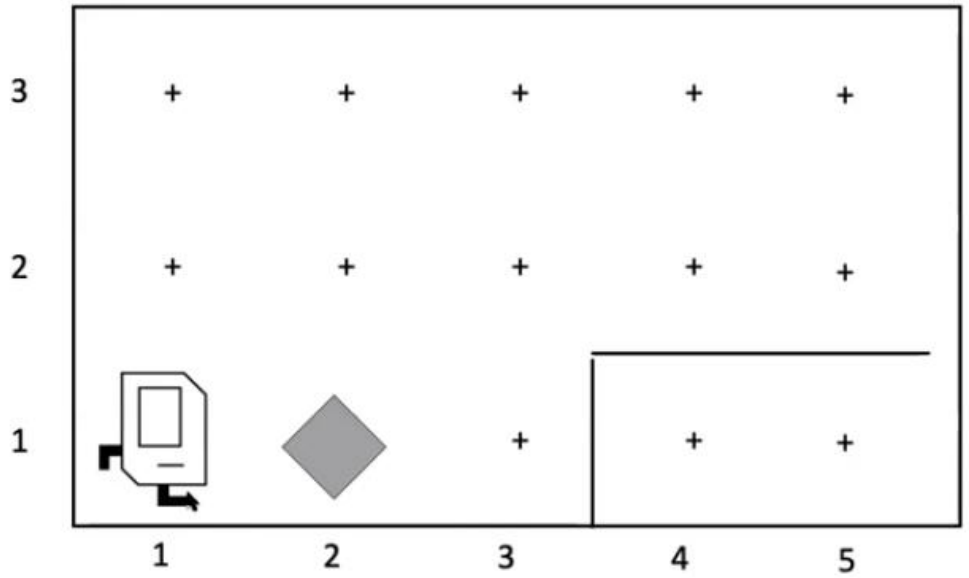
Beepers



Knows Four Commands

```
move()
turn_left()
put_beeper()
pick_beeper()
```

move()



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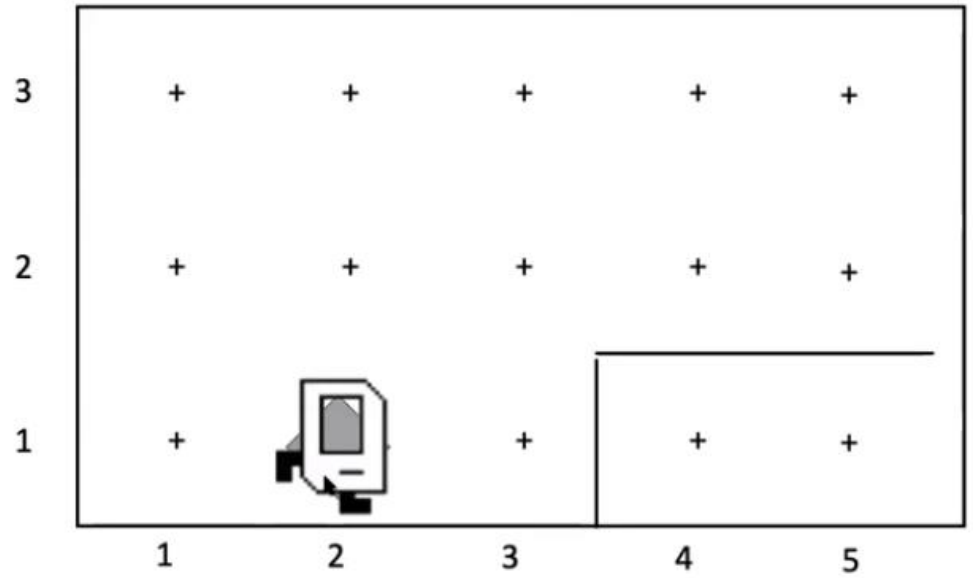

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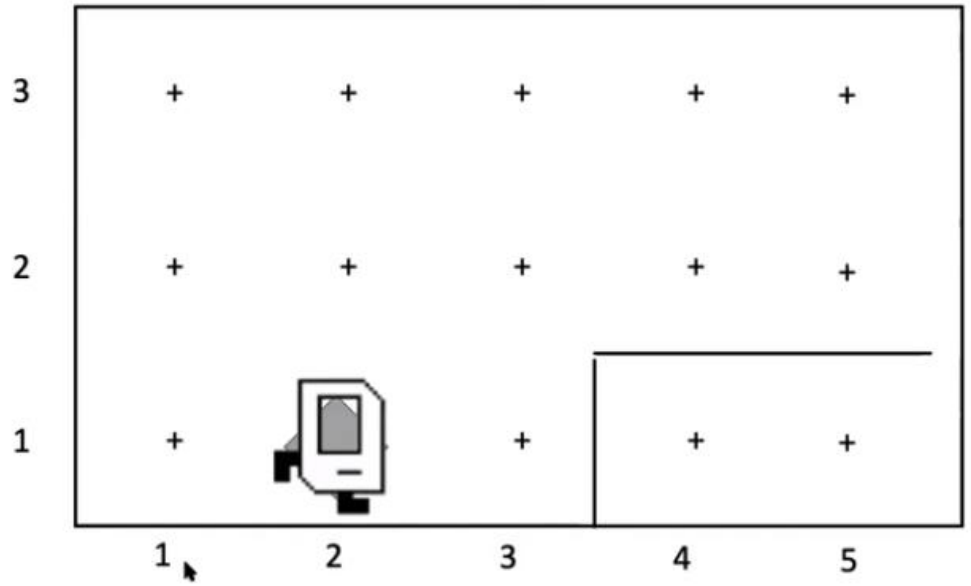

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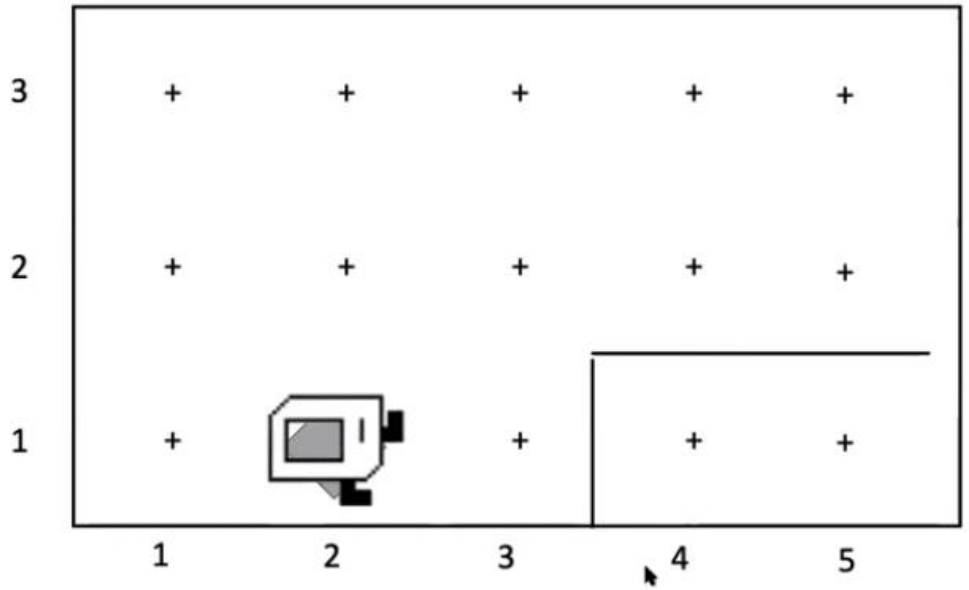

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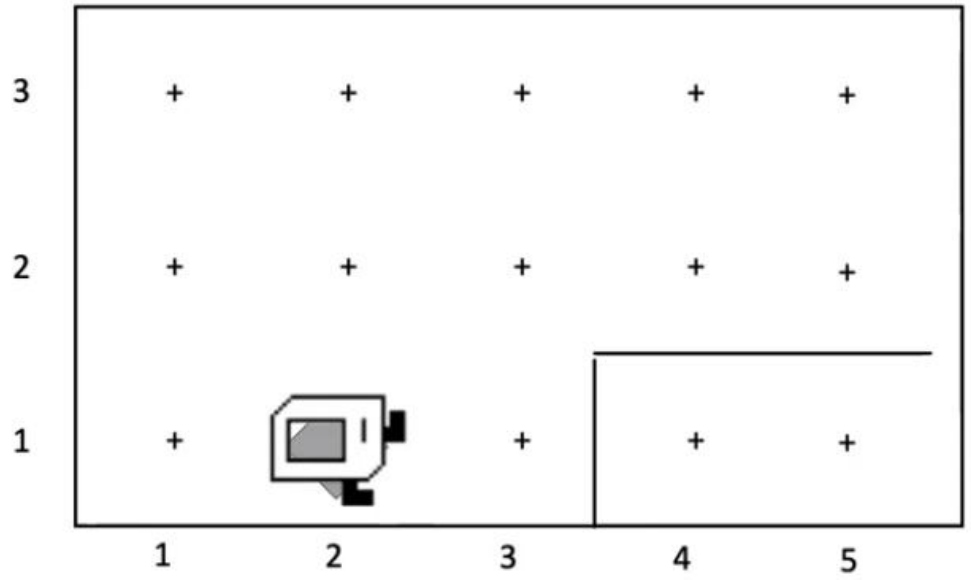

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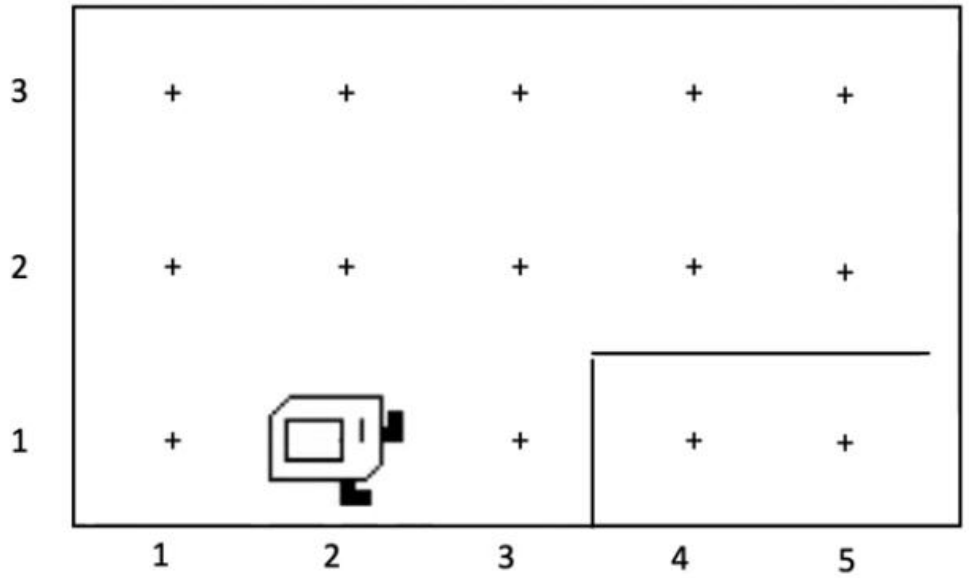

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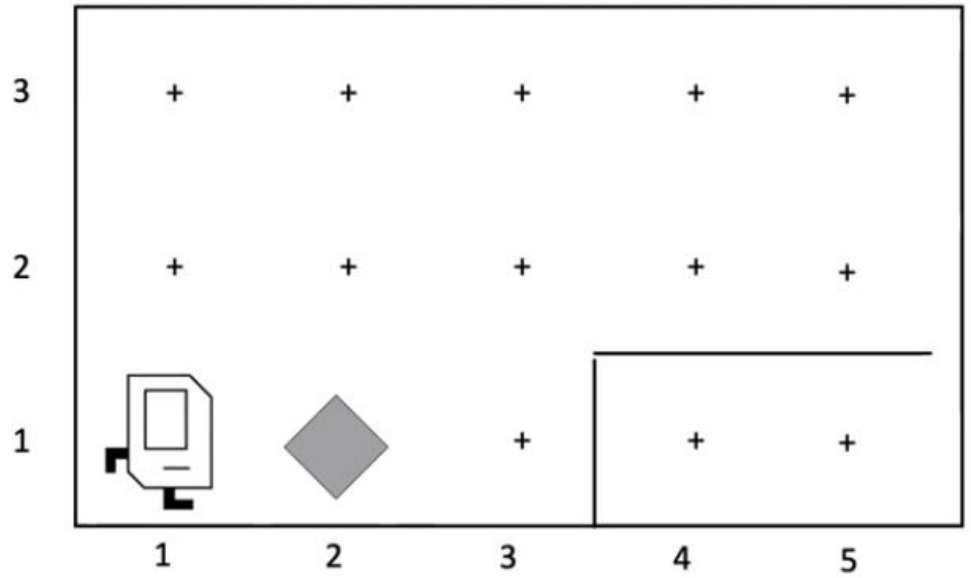

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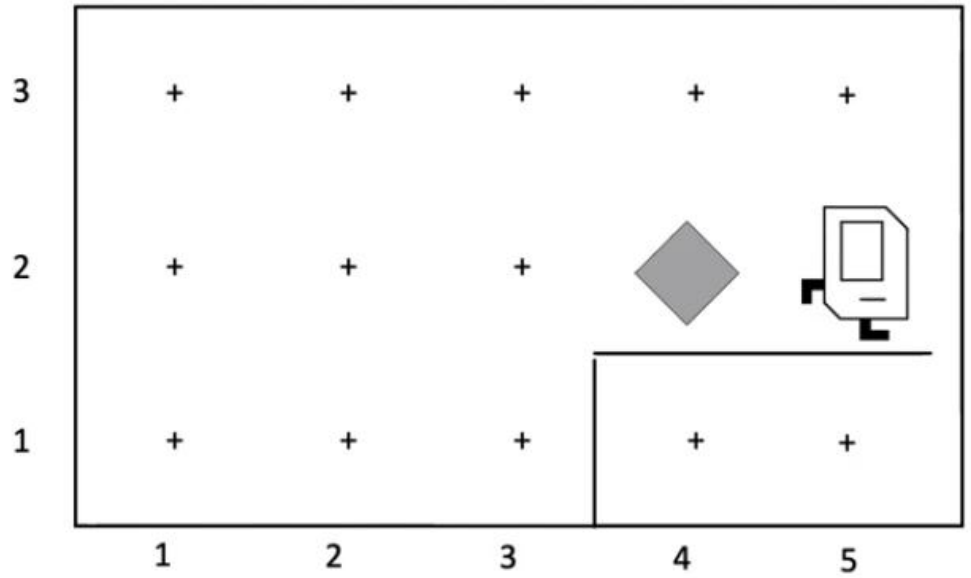

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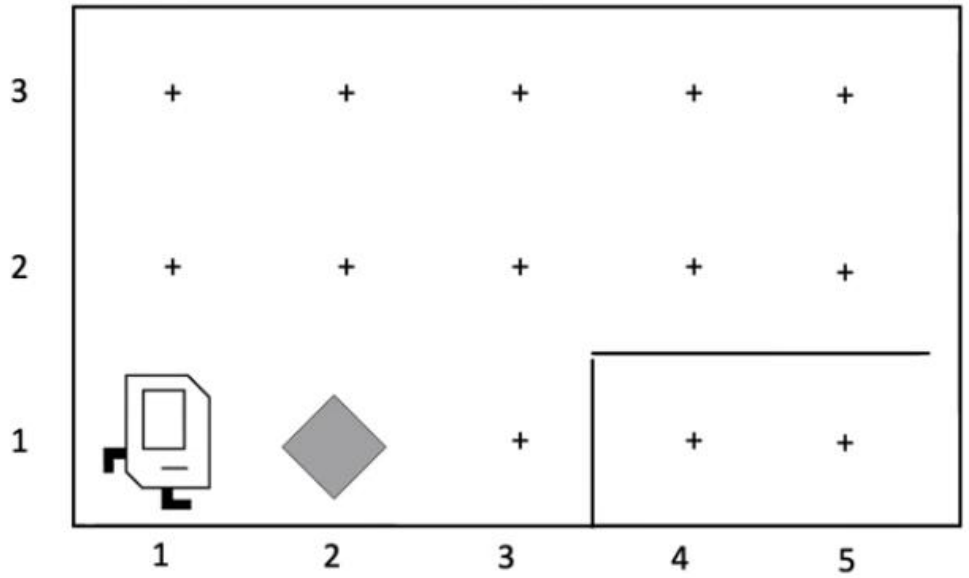

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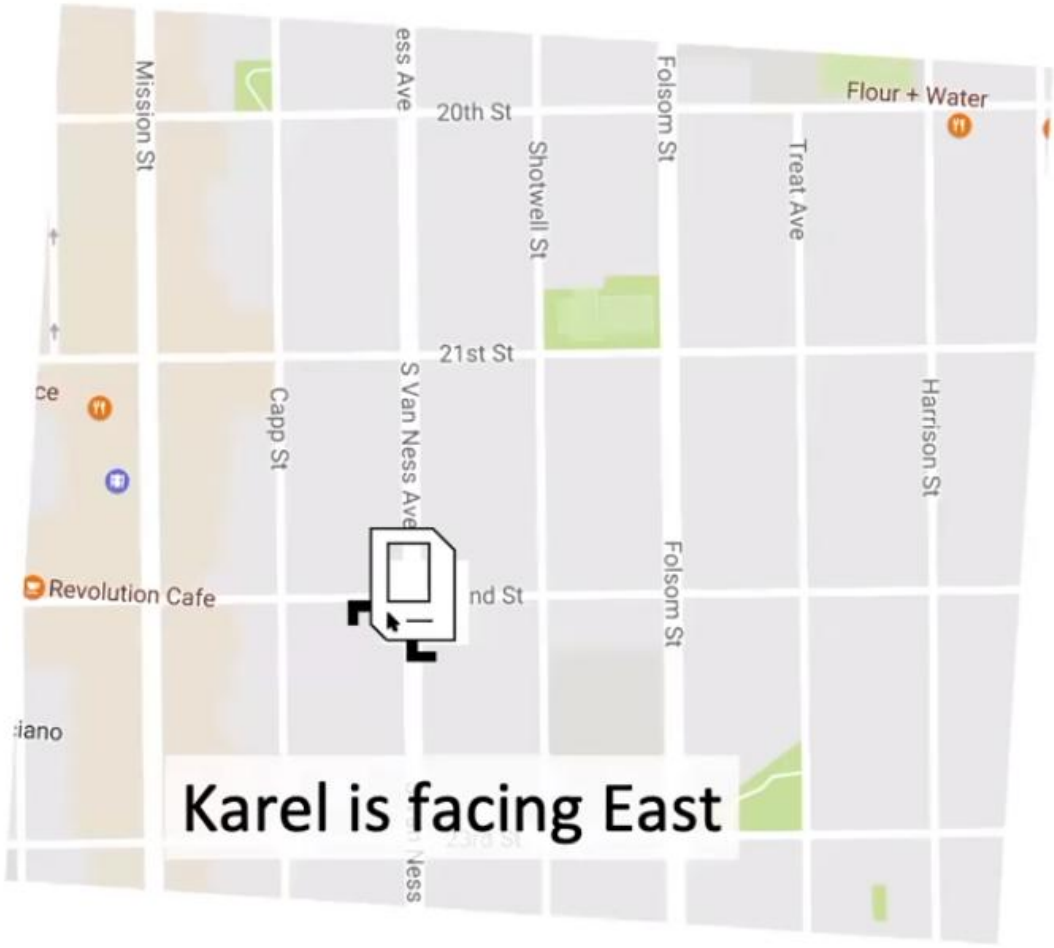

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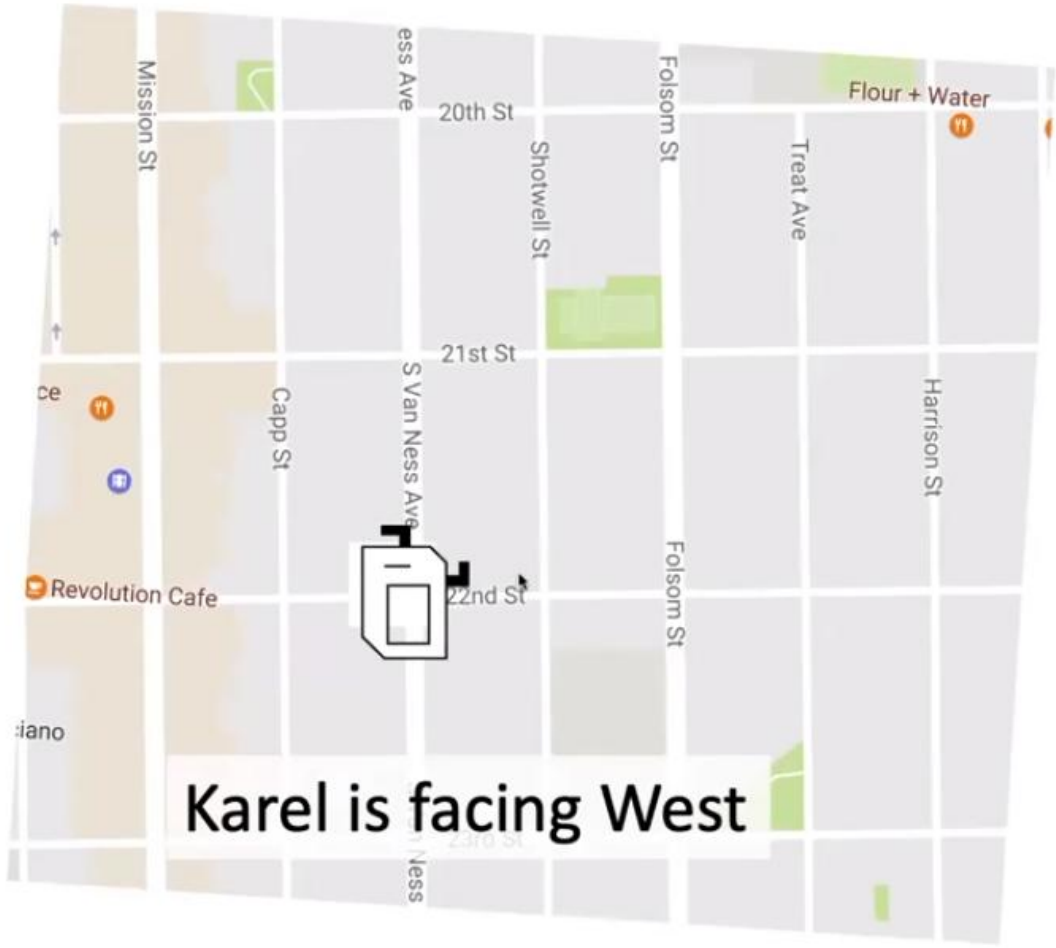
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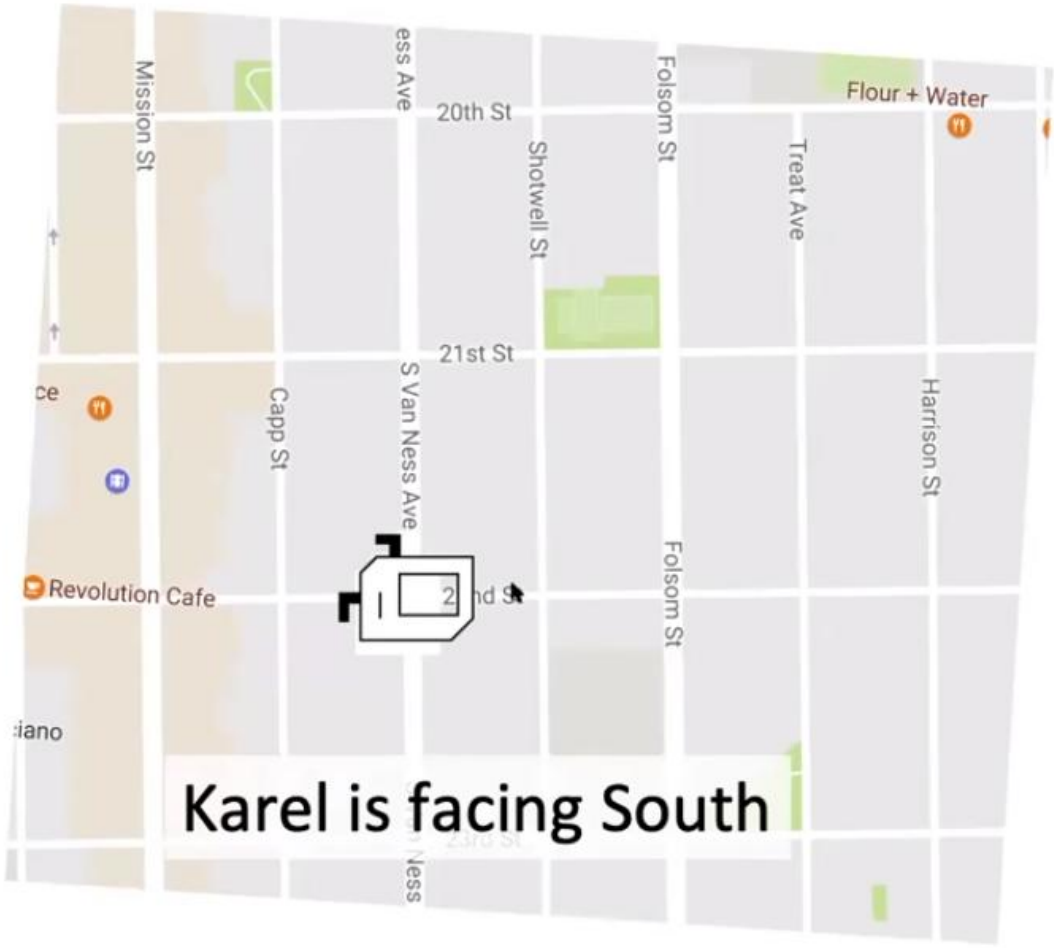
Karel is facing West

Turn Left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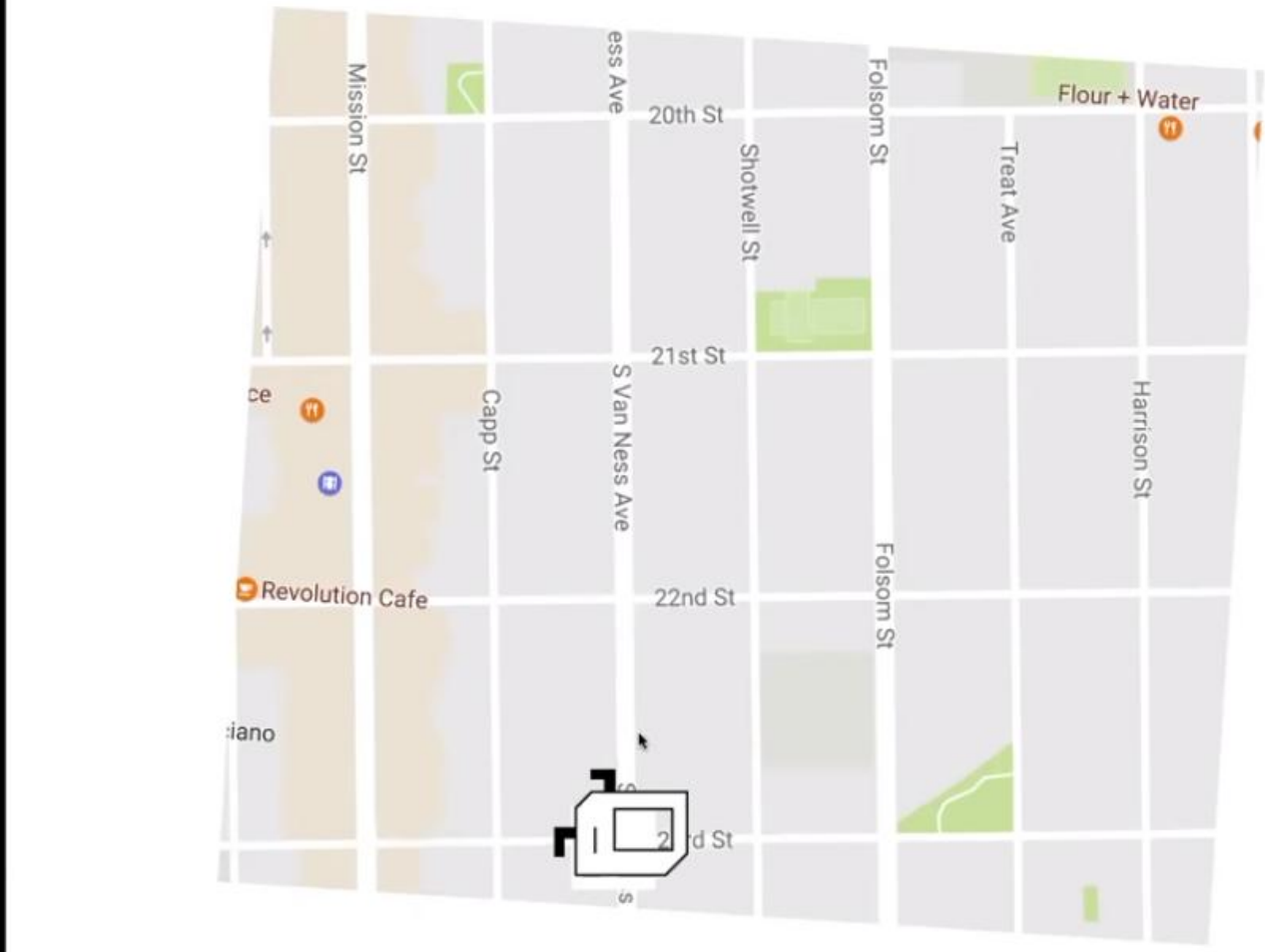
Karel is facing South

Move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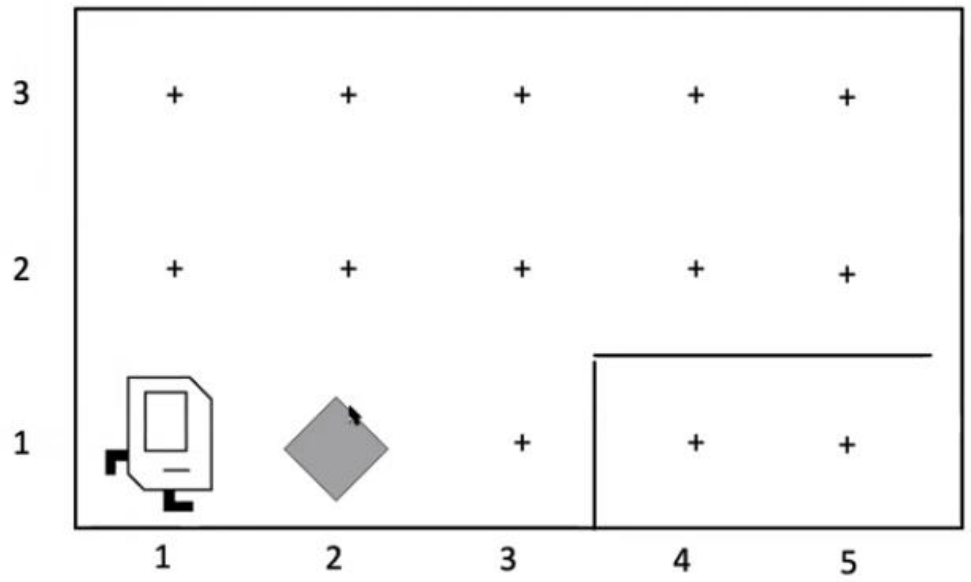

Function Definition

```
def name():
    function statements
```

This adds a new command to Karels vocabulary

Anatomy of a Program

Import Packages

Program

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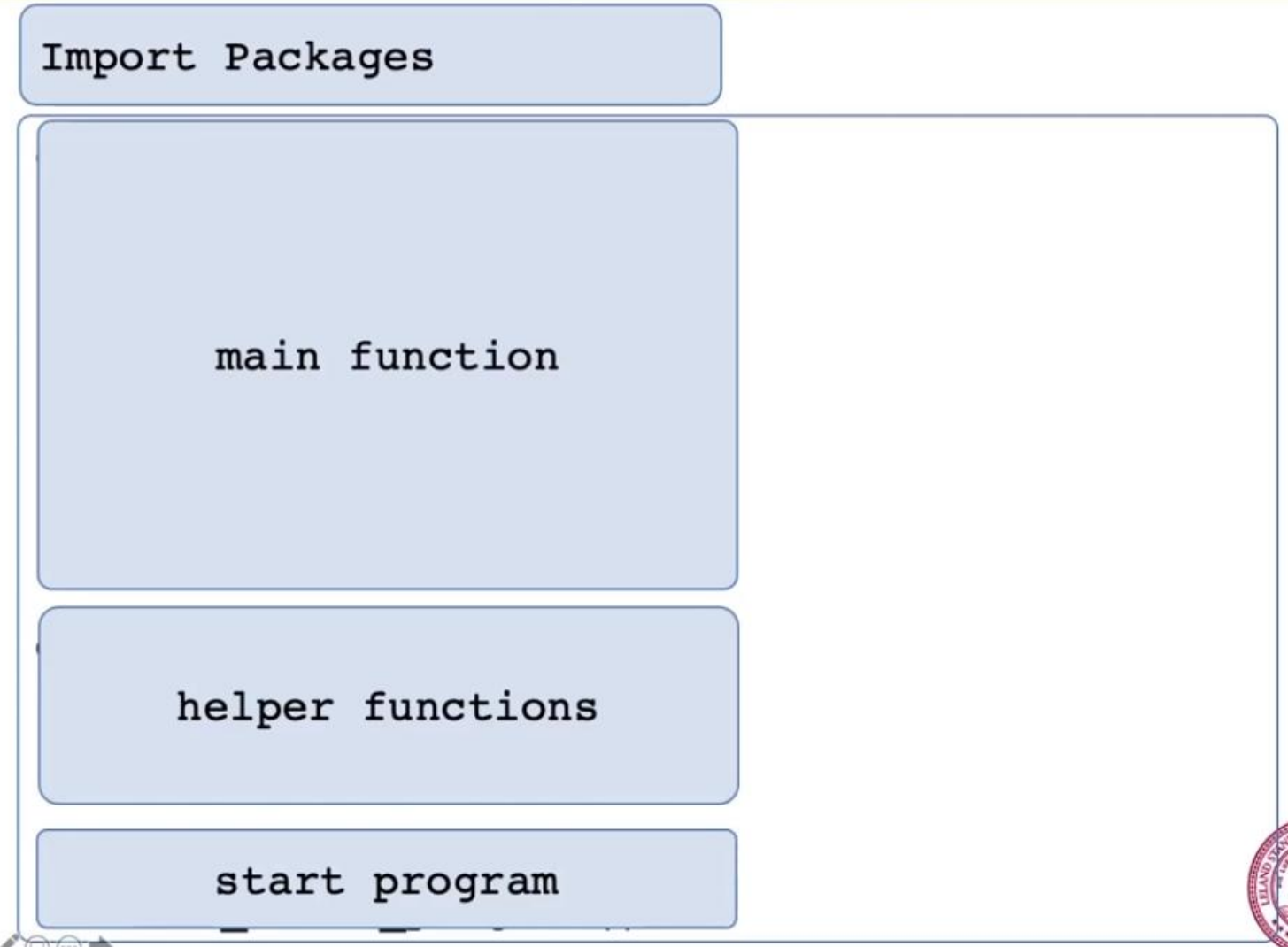

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helper functions

start program

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    run_
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This piece of the program's ***source code*** is called a ***function***.

Now, some terminology, this whole thing

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This line of code gives the ***name*** of the function (here, `run`)

And this one saying that this functions name is main.

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```

This line of code gives the ***name*** of the function (here, `turn_right`)

This line of code gives the name to another function.

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if __name__ == "__main__":
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```
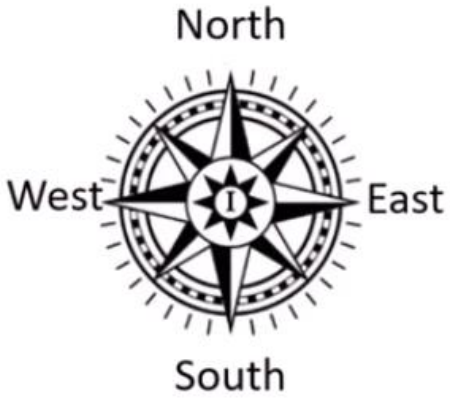

This is called a ***code block***

This whole chunk is called a code block.

Recall, Karel's World



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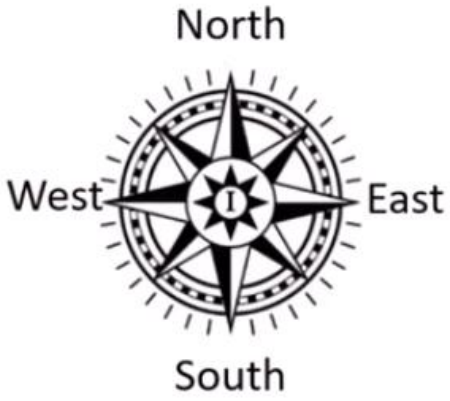

- Grid, where "corner" is intersection of each street/avenue
- Karel is currently on corner (1, 1)
- If Karel moved forward, Karel would be on corner (2, 1)
- Karel's beeper bag can have 0, 1, or more (up to infinite) beepers

First Lesson in Programming Style

```
from karel.stanfordkarel import *

"""
File: StepUpKarel.py
--------------------
Karel program, where Karel picks up a beeper,
jumps up on a step and drops the beeper off.
"""

def main():
    move()
    pick_beeper()
    move()
    turn_left()
    move()
    turn_right()
    move()
    put_beeper()
    move()

# Karel turns to the right
def turn_right():
    turn_left()
    turn_left()
    turn_left()
```

with you called step
up carol and the idea of step

Focus on One Steeple

```
def ascend_hurdle():
    turn_left()
    while right_is_blocked():
        move()
    turn_right()

def descend_hurdle():
    turn_right()
    move_to_wall()
    turn_left()

def jump_hurdle():
    ascend_hurdle()
    move()
    descend_hurdle()
```


A Whole Program:
SteepChaseKarel.py