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1 Definitions

Define the following terms and provide examples or sample code as appropriate.

1.1 Imperative vs Declarative

1.1.1 Imperative

- Series of instructions
- Iterative functions
- Command driven, statement oriented
- Procedural
 - C
 - Pascal
 - Assembly
- Object oriented
 - C++
 - Java

1.1.2 Declarative

- No side effects
- Focus on relations
- “What to get” instead of “How to get”
- Order of statements *shouldn't* matter
- Examples:
 - SQL
 - Prolog
 - Regex

1.2 Scope vs Visibility

1.2.1 Scope

- The set of expressions for which the variable *exists*
- In lexical scoping
 - variables in the scope we were *defined* in
 - and local variables
 - who uses this?
 - * C-family languages
 - * Scheme
 - * Algol
- In dynamic scoping
 - variables in the scope we were *called* in
 - and local variables
 - who uses this?
 - * early LISP
 - * APL
 - * BASH

1.2.2 Visibility

- The set of expressions for which the variable *can be reached*
- If we **declare a local variable** with the *same name* as a variable in enclosing scope
 - that enclosing scope variable is now hidden
 - all references to *name* are to our locally scoped variable instead

1.3 Lexical Scope vs Dynamic Scope

1.3.1 Lexical

- Function scope is enclosed in the scope which *defined us*
 - if you can't find a binding, recursively search in the function that defined you

1.3.2 Dynamic

- Function scope is enclosed in the scope which *called us*
 - if you can't find a binding, recursively search in the function that called you

1.4 Free Variables

- Used locally but **bound in an enclosing scope**
- In the following example:

```
(define (f x y)
  (define z 2)
  (define (g)
    (* x y z)
  )
)
```

- *x, y, z* are free variables in *(g)*
- *(g)* looks them up in its enclosing scope, *(f)*

1.5 Applicative Order Evaluation vs Normal Order Evaluation

1.5.1 Applicative Order Evaluation

- **Strict evaluation**
- Evaluate an expression *before* it is passed in as an argument
 - go as deep as you can until you hit primitives, then evaluate and go back
 - as deep into the nest as possible and work backwards
 - e.g.,

```
(double (* (+ 1 3) 4))
(double (* 4 4))
(double 16)
(* 16 2)
32
```

1.5.2 Normal Order Evaluation

- **Lazy evaluation**
- Evaluate an expression *only* when its value is needed
 - first **expand**, then **reduce**
 - e.g.,

```
(double (* (+ 1 3) 4))  
(* (* (+ 1 3) 4) 2)  
(* (* 4 4) 2)  
(* 16 2)  
32
```

1.6 Special Forms

- **Exceptions** to the usual evaluation order
 - they have their own evaluation rules
 - e.g., take the first argument without evaluating right away, evaluate the second symbol right away
- Use constructs like `(delay foo)`, `(force foo)` behind the scenes

1.7 Tail Recursion

- **Linear iterative processes** in Scheme
- No *deferred operations*
 - **recursive call** is the **last operation** of the procedure
- In Scheme, recursion is *tail optimized*
 - this means that it will run in *constant space*
 - number of steps will **grow linearly**, but memory will **remain constant**
- Even though the *program* is still recursive, the *process* is linear iterative because of tail-recursion optimization
- E.g., to compute a factorial using tail recursion, we do the following:

```
(define (factorial x)  
  (define (iter prod i)  
    (if (> i x)  
        prod  
        (iter (* i prod) (+ i 1))))  
  (iter 1 1))
```

- To compute a factorial using normal recursion, we would do the following instead:

```
(define (factorial x)  
  (if (= x 1)  
      x  
      (* x (factorial - x 1))))
```

1.8 First Class and Higher Order Procedures

1.8.1 First Class Procedures

- When procedures (functions) behave like variables
 - procedures can be *passed as arguments* into other procedures
 - or they can be *returned* from another procedure

- E.g.,

```
(define (f g)
  (g 2)
)
(define (h x)
  (+ x 3)
)
(f h) ; this would yield (+ 2 3), which evaluates to 5
```

- This is how *closures* work
 - more on this in a following subsection

1.8.2 Higher Order Procedures

- A procedure which *accepts one or more procedure(s)* as argument(s)
- In other words, a procedure which *uses* the **first class procedures** property of a language
- In the above codeblock, (f g) is an example of a **higher order procedure**

1.9 Closures

- When a nested function is *returned* by its **enclosing scope**
- In practice, the returned function is typically a **lambda** (anonymous procedure)
- E.g.,

```
(define (multBy x)
  (lambda (y) (* x y)) ; lambda captures the free variable x
)

((multBy 12) 3) ; 36

(define (double) (multBy 2))
(define (triple) (multBy 3))

(double 2) ; 4
(triple 2) ; 6
```

1.10 Abstraction Barriers

- **Hide implementation** within complex procedures
 - user does not need to know how they work
 - they need only be guaranteed that they *will* work
- Prevents pollution of the global namespace

- Prevents excess free variables

1.11 Referential Transparency

- The idea that *references* can be substituted for their values without changing result of an expression
- Purely functional languages are referentially transparent
- Imperative languages are *by definition* **not** referentially transparent

1.12 Clause (Prolog)

- **Facts** and **rules** about the domain
- They specify truths and relations between symbols/entries in the domain
 - facts:
 - * cold(ottawa).
 - * rainy(ottawa).
 - rules:
 - * icy(X):- cold(X),rainy(X).
- **Read from a file** or **asserted** in the REPL with `assert()`
- **Removed** with `retract()`

1.13 Unification (Prolog)

- Prolog attempts to unify variables, atoms, and predicates
 - predicates unify with predicates with the same number of functors and if the functors can be unified
 - variables unify with variables and atoms
 - an atom will always unify with itself
- The query succeeds if all *can be unified*
 - fails otherwise

1.14 Resolution (Prolog)

- *Algorithm* to resolve queries
- The algorithm:

Resolve:

Input: A query Q and program P

Output: True if Q can be inferred by P, false otherwise

Algorithm:

Start with a goal G, initially set to Q

Attempt to unify the first subgoal G1 from G

If no unification possible, then backtrack

If no backtrack possible, FAIL

Else, extend the goal G to G' with the following:

If unified with a rule, substitute G1 with the body of that rule

If unified with a fact, remove G1 from F

If G' is empty, SUCCESS

Else, Resolve G'

- **If a clause unifies** with a goal, it satisfies the goal
 - a **fact** satisfies the goal immediately
 - a **rule** substitutes subgoals for the original goal
- **Backtracking** here means the following:
 - attempt another clause to satisfy the subgoal
 - if we are out of clauses to try, undo a previously satisfied subgoal and attempt to satisfy it another way
 - * if we are out of subgoals, we can fail

2 Scheme Comprehension

What is the output of the following expressions/programs?

1. `(+ (* 3 4) (- 5 2 1) (/ 8 2))`
Output: 18
2. `(and (> (+ (* 3 4) (- 5 2 1) (/ 8 2)) 0) (or (= (- 4 5) (+ 3 6 (* 10 -1))) (>= (* (/ 16 4) (+ 1 (* 3 2) (- 31 29))) (+ (* 3 4) (- 5 2 1) (* 8 2)))))`
Output: #t
3. `(let ((1 (+ 2 1)) (e (/ 16 (* 4 4))) (t (length '(5 7)))) (if (< 1 e) t 0))`
Output: 0
4. `((lambda (x y) (+ 3 x (* 2 y))) (+ 3 3) (* 2 2))`
Output: 17
5. `(let ((a (lambda (b c) (* b c))) (b 10) (c 5)) (+ (a 3 2) b c))`
Output: 21
6. `(define (x y z) ((lambda (y z) (- y z)) z y)) (x 3 5)`
Output: 2
7. `(define (foo y) ((lambda (x) y) ((lambda (y) (* y y)) y))) (foo 3)`
Output: 3
8. `((lambda (x) (lambda (y) (+ x y))) 12) ((lambda (z) (* 3 z)) 3)`
Output: 21
9. `((lambda (a b c) (list '(a b c) (list a b c) a 'b c)) 1 2 3)`
Output: ((a b c) (1 2 3) 1 b 3)
10. `((lambda (a) (lambda (b) '(lambda (c) '(a b c)))) 1) 2)`
Output: (lambda (c) '(a b c))
11. `(eval '(let ((a (lambda (x y) (list x y))) (b 2) (c 3)) (list (a b 'c) '(a b c)))) (interaction-environment))`
Output: ((2 c) (a b c))

3 Normal and Applicative Order

Show the substitution model using normal and applicative order for the following examples:

3.1 First Example

```
(define (f x)(+ x (* 2 x)))  
(define (g y)(* 10 (f y)))  
(g (+ 1 2 3))
```

3.1.1 Applicative Order

```
(g (+ 1 2 3))  
(g 6)  
(* 10 (f 6))  
(* 10 (+ 6 (* 2 6)))  
(* 10 (+ 6 12))  
(* 10 18)  
180
```

3.1.2 Normal Order

```
(g (+ 1 2 3))  
(* 10 (f (+ 1 2 3)))  
(* 10 (+ (+ 1 2 3) (* 2 (+ 1 2 3))))  
(* 10 (+ (+ 1 2 3) (* 2 6)))  
(* 10 (+ 6 12))  
(* 10 18)  
180
```

3.2 Second Example

```
(define (abs x)  
  (if (< x 0) (- x) x))  
(define (square x) (* x x))  
(define (inc x)(+ x 1))  
(+ (abs (- 75 100))(square (inc (abs (* -2 3)))))
```

3.2.1 Applicative Order

```
(+ (abs -25)(square (inc (abs (* -2 3)))))  
(+ (- -25)(square (inc (abs (* -2 3)))))  
(+ 25 (square (inc (abs (* -2 3)))))  
(+ 25 (square (inc (abs -6))))  
(+ 25 (square (inc (- -6))))  
(+ 25 (square (inc 6)))  
(+ 25 (square (+ 6 1)))
```

```
(+ 25 (square 7))
(+ 25 (* 7 7))
(+ 25 49)
74
```

3.2.2 Normal Order

```
(+ (abs (- 75 100))(square (inc (abs (* -2 3)))))
(+ (- (- 75 100))(square (inc (abs (* -2 3)))))
(+ (- (- 75 100))(* (inc (abs (* -2 3)))(inc (abs (* -2 3)))))
(+ (- (- 75 100))(* (+ (abs (* -2 3)) 1)(+ (abs (* -2 3)) 1)))
(+ (- (- 75 100))(* (+ (- (* -2 3)) 1)(+ (- (* -2 3)) 1)))
(+ (- -25)(* (+ (- (* -2 3)) 1)(+ (- (* -2 3)) 1)))
(+ 25 (* (+ (- (* -2 3)) 1)(+ (- (* -2 3)) 1)))
(+ 25 (* (+ (- -6) 1)(+ (- -6) 1)))
(+ 25 (* (+ 6 1)(+ 6 1)))
(+ 25 (* 7 7))
(+ 25 49)
74
```

4 Data Abstraction

```
; make a point
(define (make-point x y)
  (list x y)
)

; define get x of a point
(define (x-point p)
  (car p)
)

; define get y of a point
(define (y-point p)
  (cadr p)
)

; make a line segment
(define (make-segment x1 y1 x2 y2)
  (list (make-point x1 y1) (make-point x2 y2))
)

; get start of segment
(define (start-segment s)
  (car s)
)

; get end of segment
(define (end-segment s)
  (cadr s)
)

; get midpoint of a segment
(define (midpoint-segment s)
```

```

(make-point (/ (+ (x-point (start-segment s))
                  (x-point (end-segment s))) 2)
            (/ (+ (y-point (start-segment s))
                  (y-point (end-segment s))) 2)
            )
)

```

5 Lists and Iteration (Scheme)

Implement or answer questions about the following procedures related to lists and iteration in Scheme:

- a) Define procedures `map`, `filter`, and `reduce`.

```

(define (map f L)
  (cond
    ((null? L) L)
    (else (cons (f (car L)) (map f (cdr L))))
  )
)

(define (filter f L)
  (cond
    ((null? L) L)
    ((f (car L)) (cons (car L) (filter f (cdr L))))
    (else (filter f (cdr L)))
  )
)

(define (reduce f L init)
  (define (helper v L)
    (cond
      ((null? L) v)
      (else (helper (f v (car L)) (cdr L)))
    )
  )
  (helper init L)
)

```

- b) Define a procedure `(last L)` that returns the last element of the list `L`.

```

(define (last L)
  (cond
    ((null? (cdr L)) (car L))
    (else (last (cdr L)))
  )
)

```

- c) Define a procedure `(remaining n L)` that returns a list containing all but the first `n` items in the list.

```

(define (remaining n L)
  (cond
    ((null? L) L)
    ((= n 0) L)
    (else (remaining (- n 1) (cdr L)))
  )
)

```

```
)  
)
```

- d) Define a procedure (`leading n L`) that returns a list containing ONLY the first `n` items.

```
(define (leading n L)  
  (cond  
    ((null? L) L)  
    ((<= n 0) '())  
    (else (cons (car L) (leading (- n 1) (cdr L)))))  
  )  
)
```

- e) Define a procedure `reverse` that takes a list as argument and returns a list of the same elements in reverse order.

```
(define (reverse L)  
  (define (iter f r)  
    (cond  
      ((null? f) r)  
      (else (iter (cdr f) (cons (car f) r))))  
    )  
  )  
  (iter L '())  
)
```

- f) Define a procedure `smallest-it` that takes a list of numbers as argument and uses an iterative process to return the smallest item in the list. You may assume the list is non empty.

```
(define (smallest-it L)  
  (define (iter L s)  
    (cond  
      ((null? L) s)  
      ((not s) (iter (cdr L) (car L)))  
      ((< (car L) s) (iter (cdr L) (car L)))  
      (else (iter (cdr L) s))  
    )  
  )  
  (iter L #f)  
)
```

- g) Define a procedure `smallest-rec` that takes a list of numbers as argument and uses an recursive process to return the smallest item in the list. You may assume the list is non empty.

```
(define (smallest-rec L)  
  (define (min x y)  
    (if (< x y) x y)  
  )  
  (if (null? (cdr L))  
      (car L)  
      (min (car L) (smallest-rec (cdr L))))  
)
```

- h) Use the substitution model for (`smallest-<it/rec> '(5 3 1 7 4 2)`) to show that your answers to the previous two questions are recursive/iterative.

- i) Substitution model for (`smallest-it '(5 3 1 7 4 2)`):

```

(smallest-it '(5 3 1 7 4 2))
(iter '(5 3 1 7 4 2) #f)
(iter '(3 1 7 4 2) 5)
(iter '(1 7 4 2) 3)
(iter '(7 4 2) 1)
(iter '(4 2) 1)
(iter '(2) 1)
(iter '() 1)
1

```

ii) Substitution model for (smallest-rec '(5 3 1 7 4 2)):

```

(smallest-rec '(5 3 1 7 4 2))
(min 5 (smallest-rec '(3 1 7 4 2)))
(min 5 (min 3 (smallest-rec '(1 7 4 2))))
(min 5 (min 3 (min 1 (smallest-rec '(7 4 2)))))
(min 5 (min 3 (min 1 (min 7 (smallest-rec '(4 2))))))
(min 5 (min 3 (min 1 (min 7 (min 4 (smallest-rec '(2)))))))
(min 5 (min 3 (min 1 (min 7 (min 4 2)))))
(min 5 (min 3 (min 1 (min 7 2))))
(min 5 (min 3 (min 1 2)))
(min 5 (min 3 1))
(min 5 1)
1

```

i) Define a procedure `makeChange` that takes a cost and a payment as arguments and returns a list of change in the following format: (dollars quarters dimes nickels pennies). *Note:* You can cast a floating point number to an integer using: (inexact->exact (floor floatNum)).

```

(define (makeChange c p)
  (define (iter t d)
    (if (null? d)
        '()
        (cons (inexact->exact (floor (/ t (car d))))
              (iter (modulo t (car d)) (cdr d))
              )
        )
    )
  (if (< p c)
      "Insufficient funds!"
      (iter (* (- p c) 100) '(100 25 10 5 1))
      )
  )

```

j) Define a recursive procedure called (subsets x) that takes a list as a single argument and returns all 2^n subsets of that list, i.e., the *powerset* of the list (order is not important).

```

(define (subsets x)
  (if (null? x) '()
      (append (subsets (cdr x))
              (map (lambda (y) (append (list (car x)) y))
                   (subsets (cdr x))
                   )
              )
      )
  )

```

k) Define a procedure called (`treemerge t1 t2`) that takes two trees (arbitrarily nested lists) and returns the result of merging the two trees using the following guidelines:

- Merging two trees is done by recursing through their structure and multiplying their subtrees
 - The root of `t1` is merged with the root of `t2`
 - The first child is merged with the first child
 - Second with second... etc, etc, etc, ...
- Merging two leaf nodes is done by multiplying their values (you may assume they are numbers).
- Merging a leaf node with a subtree is done by scaling the subtree by the value of the leaf.
- Merging a subtree with an empty tree, is simply the non-empty subtree.

```
(define (tree-scale c t)
  (cond
    ((null? t) '())
    ((list? (car t)) (cons (tree-scale c (car t)) (tree-scale c (cdr t))))
    (else (cons (* c (car t)) (tree-scale c (cdr t)))))
  )

(define (tree-merge t1 t2)
  (cond
    ((null? t1) t2)
    ((null? t2) t1)
    ((and (list? (car t1)) (list? (car t2))) (cons (tree-merge (car t1) (car t2))
                                                    (tree-merge (cdr t1) (cdr t2))))
    ((and (number? (car t1)) (list? (car t2))) (cons (tree-scale (car t1) (car t2))
                                                    (tree-merge (cdr t1) (cdr t2))))
    ((and (list? (car t1)) (number? (car t2))) (cons (tree-scale (car t2) (car t1))
                                                    (tree-merge (cdr t1) (cdr t2))))
    (else (cons (* (car t1) (car t2)) (tree-merge (cdr t1) (cdr t2)))))
  )
```

6 Streams

This will not be on this year's final exam. We can safely forget it exists.

7 Contour Diagrams

7.1 First Example

Given the following code, draw contour diagrams at each stage in the recursion (i.e., one diagram each time it reaches line 03).

```
01| (define (f n)
02|   (define (iter n1 n2 n3 n4 count)
03|     (if (> count n) n1
04|         (iter (+ (* 4 n1) (* 3 n2) (* 2 n3) (* 1 n4)) n1 n2 n3 (+ count 1))))
05|   (if (< n 4) n
06|       (iter 3 2 1 0 4)))
07| (define r (f 6))
```

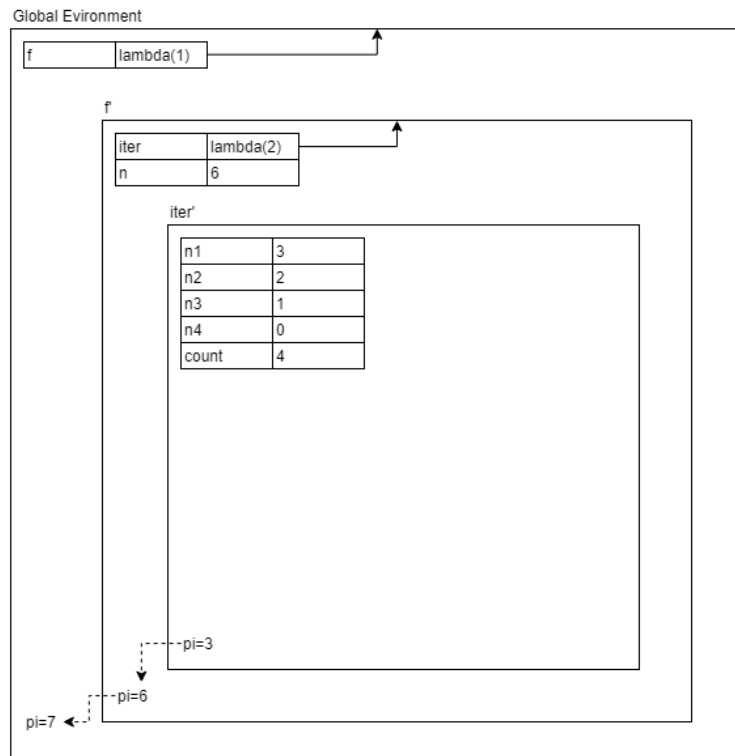


Figure 1: First recursive stage.

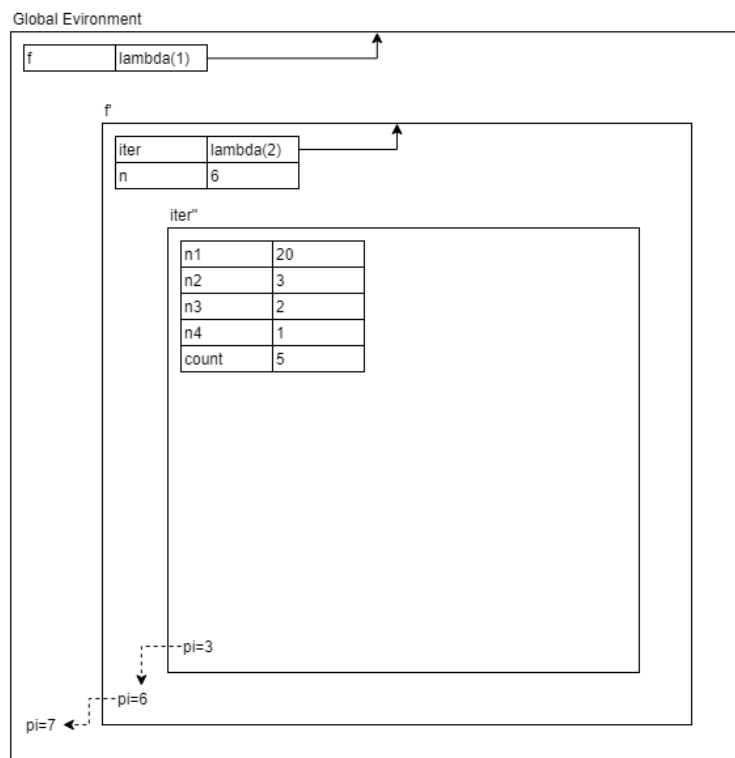


Figure 2: Second recursive stage.

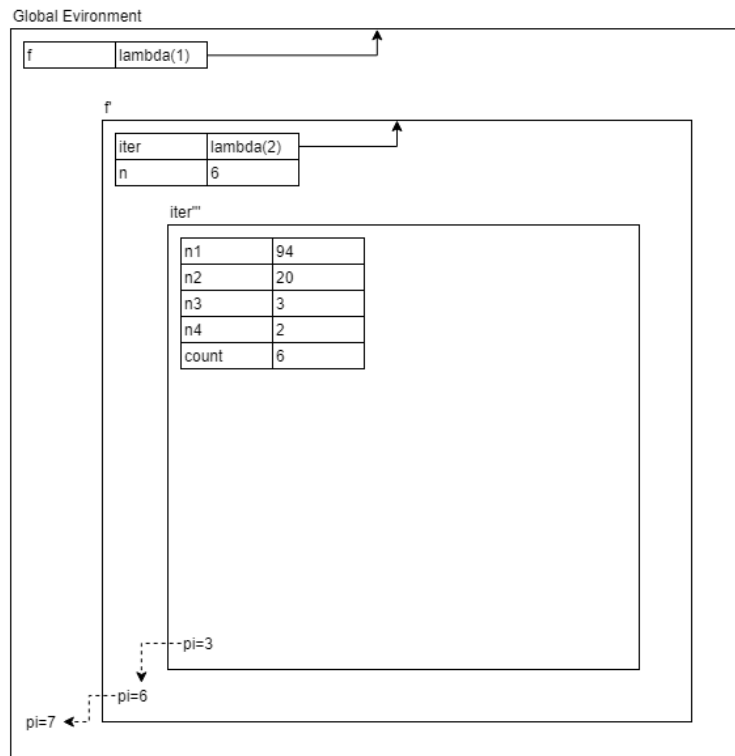


Figure 3: Third recursive stage.

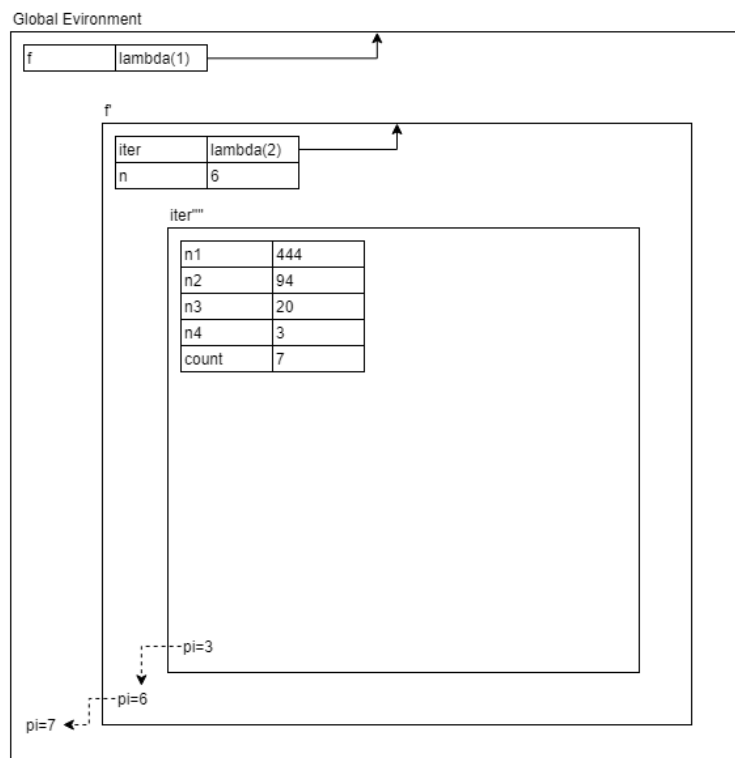


Figure 4: Fourth and final recursive stage.

7.2 Second Example

Given the following code, draw contour diagrams for each non-base-case stage in the recursion (i.e., one diagram each time it reaches line 03). Then do the same for **dynamic scoping** instead of lexical scoping. Does the output of the code change? Why or why not?

```
01| (define (f-rec n)
02|   (if (< n 4) n
03|       (+ (* 4 (f-rec (- n 1)))
04|          (* 3 (f-rec (- n 2)))
05|          (* 2 (f-rec (- n 3)))
06|          (* 1 (f-rec (- n 4)))
07|          )))
08| (define r (f-rec 6))
```

7.2.1 Lexical Scoping

7.2.2 Dynamic Scoping

7.2.3 Does the Output Change?

8 Meta-Circular Interpreter

9 Prolog