

# CMPE 152: Compiler Design

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# Reminders

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- A VARIABLE node in the parse tree contains a pointer to the variable name's symbol table entry.
  - Set in the front end by method `VariableParser::parse()`
  - The method that takes two parameters.
- A symbol table entry contains a pointer to its parent symbol table.
  - The symbol table that contains the entry.

## Reminders, *cont'd*

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- ❑ Each symbol table has a nesting level field.
- ❑ Therefore, at run time, for a given VARIABLE node, the executor can determine the nesting level of the variable.

# Runtime Access to Nonlocal Variables

```
PROGRAM main1;  
VAR i, j : integer;
```

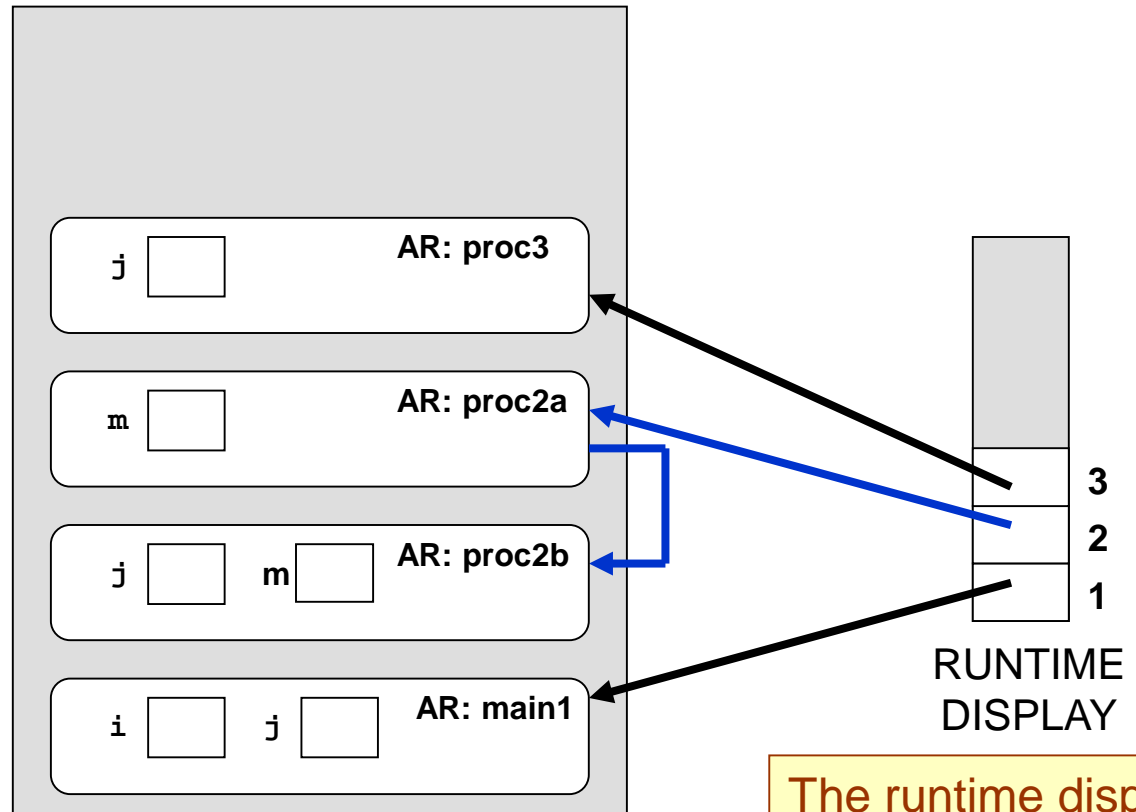
```
PROCEDURE proc2a;  
VAR m : integer;
```

```
PROCEDURE proc3;  
VAR j : integer  
BEGIN  
  j := i + m;  
END;
```

```
BEGIN {proc2a}  
  i := 11;  
  m := j;  
  proc3;  
END;
```

```
PROCEDURE proc2b;  
VAR j, m : integer;  
BEGIN  
  j := 14;  
  m := 5;  
  proc2a;  
END;
```

```
BEGIN {main1}  
  i := 33;  
  j := 55;  
  proc2b;  
END.
```

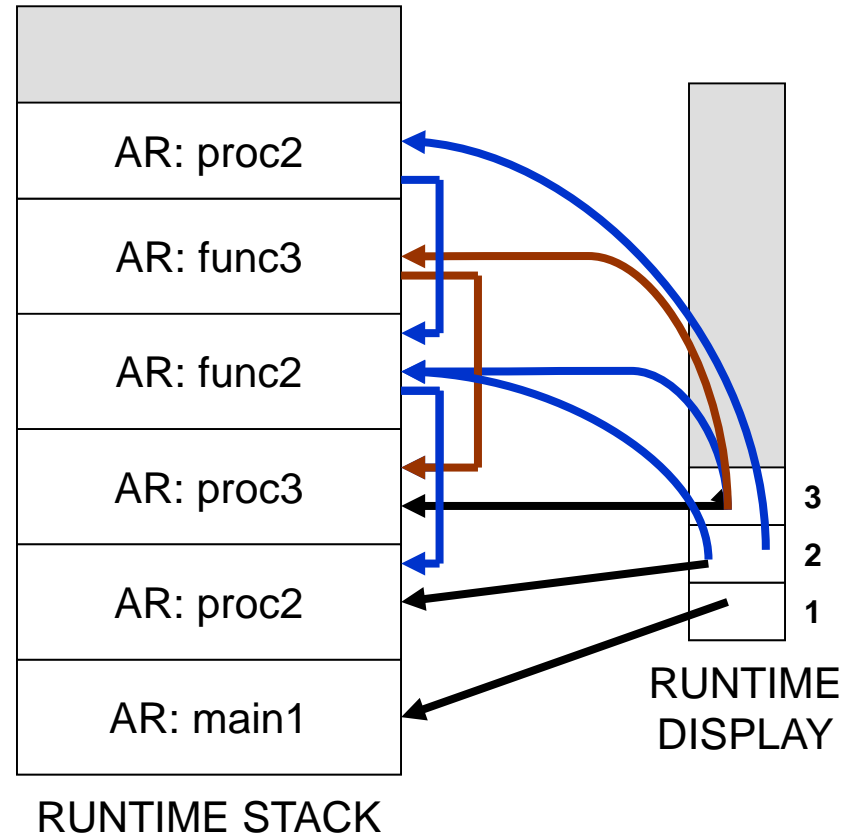
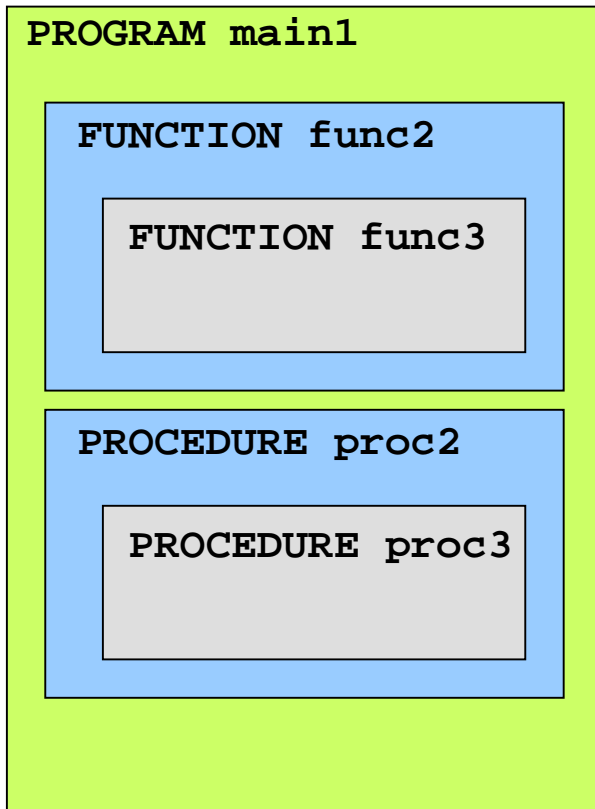


RUNTIME STACK

main1 → proc2b → proc2a → proc3

The runtime display allows faster access to **nonlocal** values.

# Recursive Calls



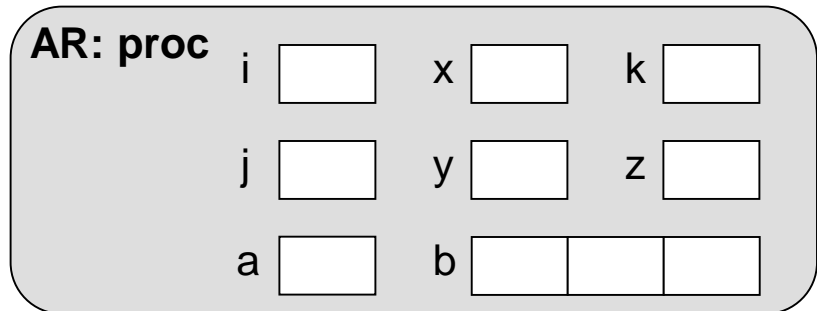
**main1 → proc2 → proc3 → ~~func2~~ → func3 → proc2**

# Allocating an Activation Record

- The activation record for a routine (procedure, function, or the main program) needs one or more “**data cells**” to store the value of each of the routine’s local variables and formal parameters.

```
TYPE arr = ARRAY[1..3] OF integer;
...
PROCEDURE proc(i, j : integer;
               VAR x, y : real;
               VAR a : arr;
               b : arr);

VAR
  k : integer;
  z : real;
```



# Allocating an Activation Record

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               VAR x, y : real;  
               VAR a : arr;  
               b : arr);  
  
VAR  
    k : integer;  
    z : real;
```

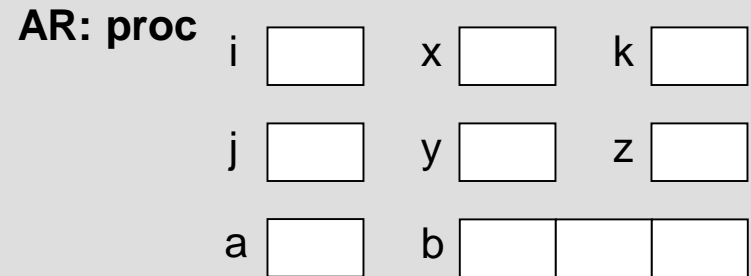
AR: proc

i	<input type="text"/>	x	<input type="text"/>	k	<input type="text"/>
j	<input type="text"/>	y	<input type="text"/>	z	<input type="text"/>
a	<input type="text"/>	b	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

- Obtain the names and types of the local variables and formal parameters from the routine's symbol table.

# Allocating an Activation Record

```
TYPE arr = ARRAY[1..3] OF integer;  
...  
PROCEDURE proc(i, j : integer;  
               VAR x, y : real;  
               VAR a : arr;  
               b : arr);  
  
VAR  
    k : integer;  
    z : real;
```



- Whenever we call a procedure or function:
  - Create an activation record.
  - Push the activation record onto the runtime stack.
  - Allocate the memory map of data cells based on the symbol table.

No more storing  
runtime values  
in the symbol table!

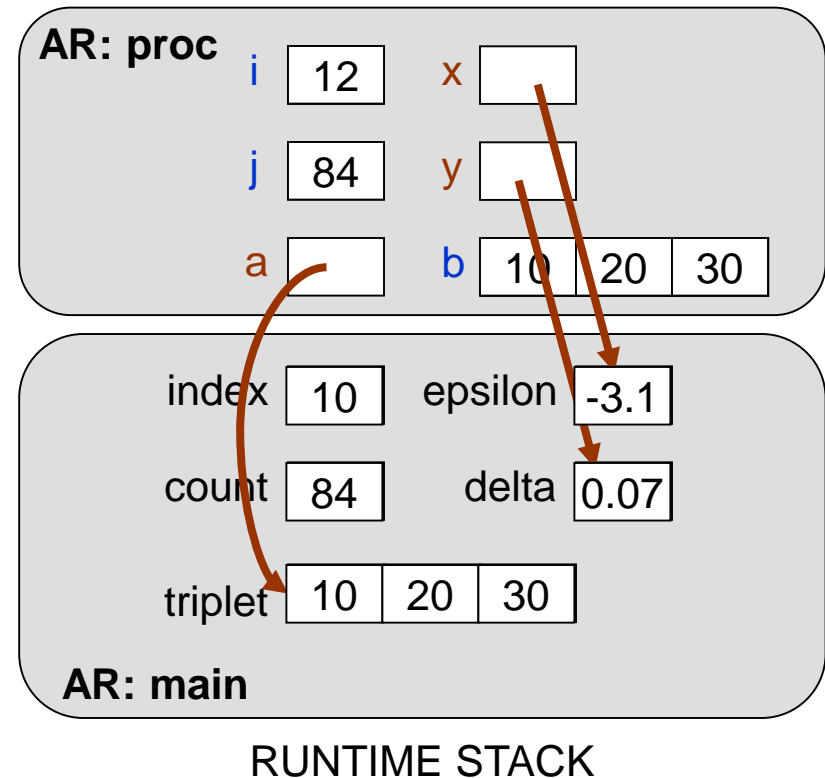


# Passing Parameters During a Call

```
PROGRAM main;
TYPE
  arr = ARRAY[1..3] OF integer;
VAR
  index, count : integer;
  epsilon, delta : real;
  triplet : arr;

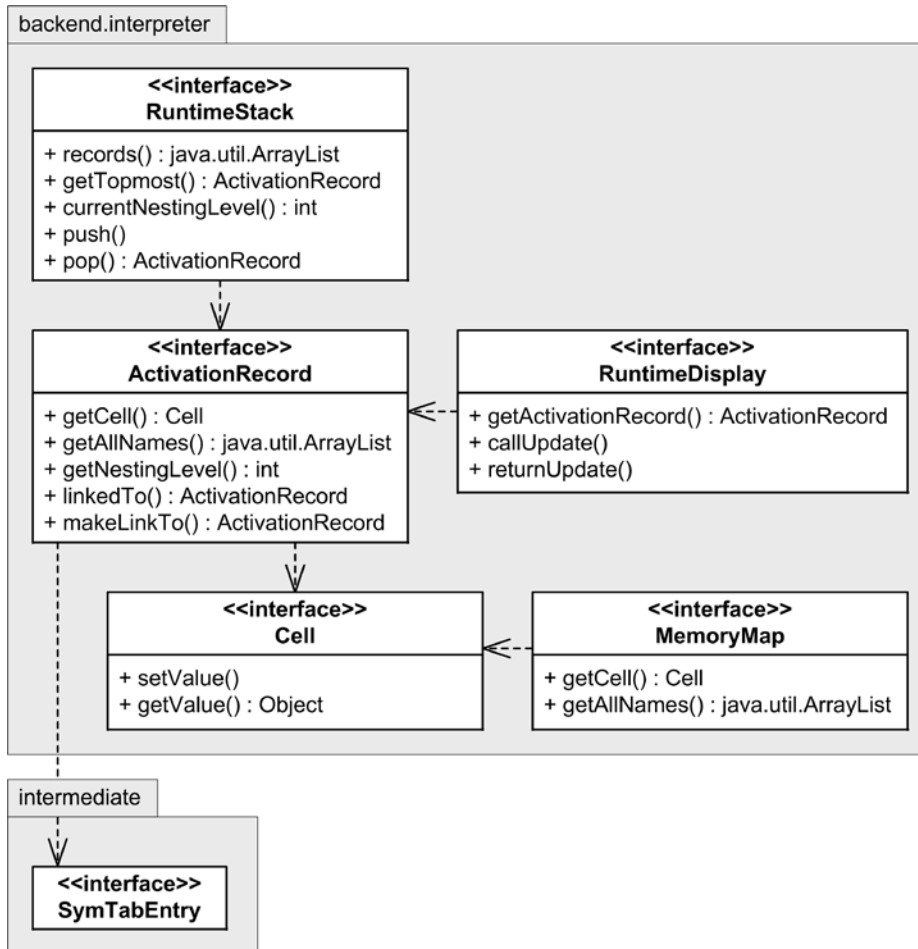
PROCEDURE proc(i, j : integer;
               VAR x, y : real;
               VAR a : arr;
               b : arr);

  ...
BEGIN {main}
  ...
  proc(index + 2, count, epsilon,
       delta, triplet, triplet);
END.
```



- ❑ **Value parameters:** A copy of the value is passed.
- ❑ **VAR parameters:** A reference to the actual parameter is passed.

# Memory Management Interfaces



## □ Implementations:

- Runtime stack:  
`vector<ActivationRecord *>`

- Runtime display:  
`vector<ActivationRecord *>`

- Memory map:  
`map<string, Cell *>`

## □ Class `MemoryFactory` creates:

- runtime stack
- runtime display
- memory map
- cell

# Class RuntimeStackImpl

- ❑ In namespace `backend::interpreter::memoryImpl`
- ❑ Implemented by `vector<ActivationRecord *>`
- ❑ Methods
  - `push(ActivationRecord *ar)`  
Push an activation record onto the runtime stack.
  - `ActivationRecord pop()`  
Pop off the top activation record.
  - `ActivationRecord *get_topmost(int nesting_level)`  
Return the topmost activation record at a given nesting level. (Uses the runtime display!)

# Class RuntimeDisplayImpl

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- ❑ In package `backend::interpreter::memoryImpl`
- ❑ Implemented by `vector<ActivationRecord *>`
- ❑ Methods
  - `ActivationRecord *get_activation_record(int nesting_level)`  
Get the activation record at a given nesting level.
  - `call_update(int nesting_level, ActivationRecord *ar)`  
Update the display for a call to a routine at a given nesting level.
  - `return_update(int nesting_level)`  
Update the display for a return from a routine at a given nesting level.

# Class MemoryMapImpl

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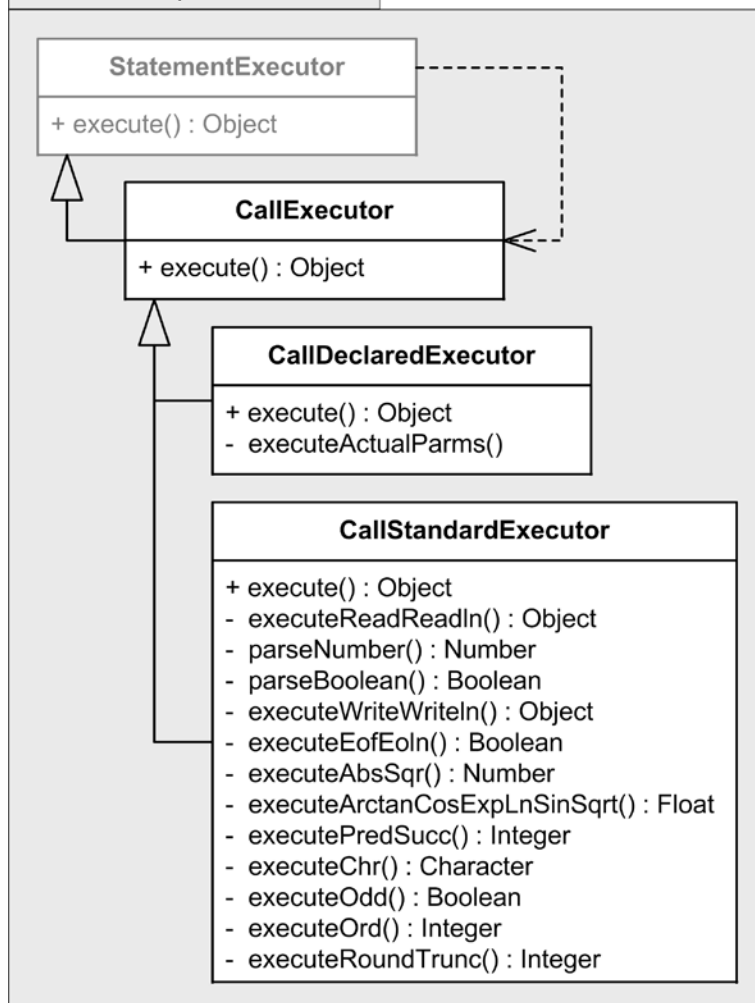
- ❑ In package `backend.interpreter.memoryimpl`
- ❑ Implemented by `map<string, Cell *>`
- ❑ Methods
  - `MemoryMapImpl(SymTab *symtab)`  
Allocate the memory cells based on the names and types of the local variables and formal parameters in the symbol table.
  - `Cell get_cell(string name)`  
Return the memory cell with the given name.
  - `vector<string> get_all_names()`  
Return the list of all the names in this memory map.

# Class ActivationRecordImpl

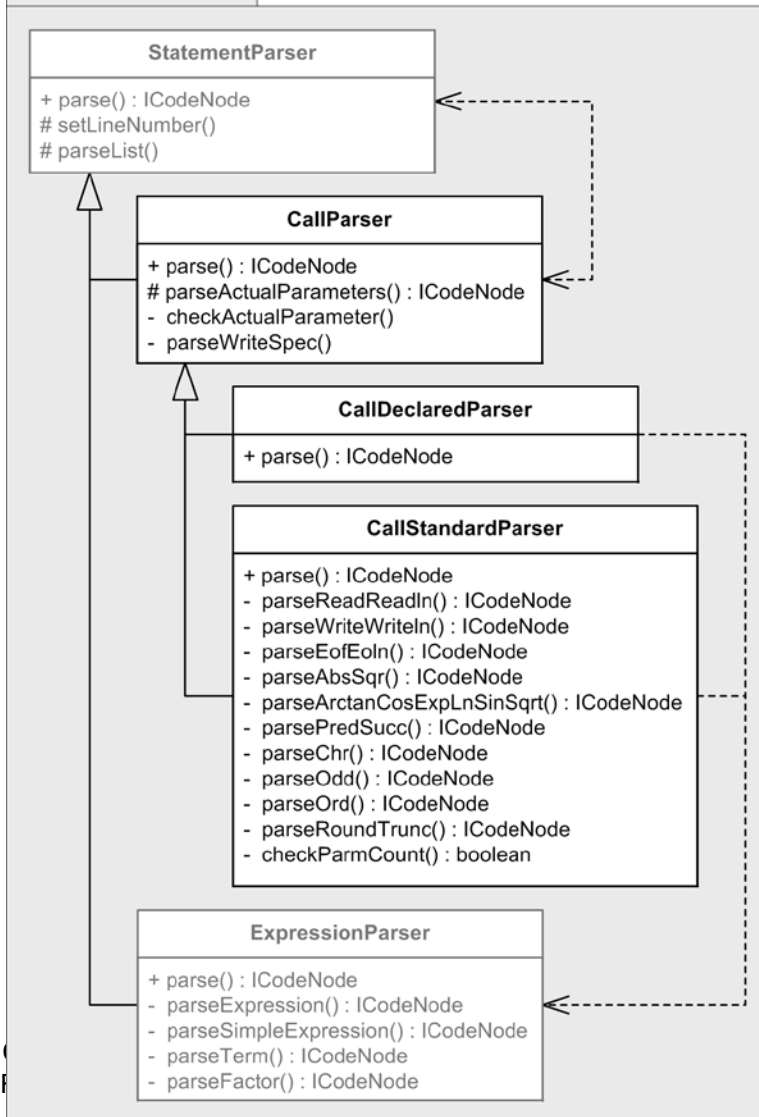
- ❑ In namespace `backend::interpreter::memoryimpl`
- ❑ Fields
  - `int nesting_level`
  - `MemoryMap *memory_map`  
Values of the local variables and formal parameters
  - `ActivationRecord *link`  
Link to the previous topmost activation record with the same nesting level in the runtime stack
- ❑ Method `Cell *get_cell(string name)`
  - Return a reference to a memory cell in the memory map that is keyed by the name of a local variable or formal parameter.

# Executing Procedure and Function Calls

backend.interpreter.executors



frontend.pascal.parsers



# Class CallDeclaredExecutor

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## □ Method `execute()`

- Create a new activation record based on the called routine's symbol table.
- Execute the actual parameter expressions.
- Initialize the memory map of the new activation record.
  - The symbol table entry of the name of the called routine points to the routine's symbol table.
  - Copy values of actual parameters passed by value.
  - Set pointers to actual parameters passed by reference.



# Class CallDeclaredExecutor *cont'd*

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- Method `execute()` *cont'd*
  - Push the new activation record onto the runtime stack.
  - Access the root of the called routine's parse tree.
    - The symbol table entry of the name of the called routine points to the routine's parse tree.
  - Execute the routine.
  - Pop the activation record off the runtime stack.

# Class CallDeclaredExecutor

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- Function `execute_actual_parms()`
  - Obtain the formal parameter cell in the new activation record:

```
Cell *formal_cell = new_ar->get_cell(formal_id->get_name());
```

# Class CallDeclaredExecutor

## □ Method `execute_actual_parms()` *cont'd*

### ■ Value parameter:

```
CellValue *cell_value =  
    expression_executor.execute(actual_node);  
  
assignment_executor.assign_value(actual_node, formal_id,  
                                formal_cell, formal_typespec,  
                                cell_value, value_typespec);
```

Set a copy of the value of the actual parameter into the memory cell for the formal parameter.

# Class CallDeclaredExecutor

## □ Method `execute_actual_parms()` *cont'd*

### ■ VAR (reference) parameter:

```
Cell *actual_cell =  
    expression_executor.execute_variable(actual_node);  
  
formal_cell->set_value(new CellValue(actual_cell));
```

Set a reference to the actual parameter  
into the memory cell for the formal parameter.

### ■ Method `ExpressionExecutor::executeVariable()` executes the parse tree for an actual parameter and returns the reference to the value.

# struct CellValue

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- What each memory cell can hold.
  - Declared in `wci::backend::interpreter::Cell.h`

```
struct CellValue
{
    DataValue *value;
    Cell *cell;
    Cell **cell_array;
    MemoryMap *memory_map;

    ...
};
```

# Class Cell

```
class Cell
{
public:
    /**
     * Destructor.
     */
    virtual ~Cell() {}

    /**
     * Defined by an implementation subclass.
     * @return the value in the cell.
     */
    virtual CellValue *get_value() const = 0;

    /**
     * Set a new value into the cell.
     * Defined by an implementation subclass.
     * @param new_value the new value.
     */
    virtual void set_value(CellValue *new_value) = 0;
};
```

# Runtime Error Checking

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## □ Range error

- Assign a value to a variable with a subrange type.
- Verify the value is within range
  - Not less than the minimum value and not greater than the maximum value.
- Method `StatementExecutor::check_range()`

## □ Division by zero error

- Before executing a division operation, check that the divisor's value is not zero.

# Pascal Interpreter

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- Now we can execute entire Pascal programs!
  - Demo



# Assignment #4: Complex Type

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- ❑ Add a built-in complex data type to Pascal.
  - Add the type to the global symbol table.
  - Implement as a record type with real fields **re** and **im**.
- ❑ Declare complex numbers:

```
VAR  
    x, y, z : complex;
```

- ❑ Assign values to them:

```
BEGIN  
    z.re := 3.14;  
    z.im := -8.2;  
    ...
```

# Assignment #4, *cont'd*

- Do complex arithmetic:

```
z := x + y;
```

- The backend executor does all the work of evaluating complex expressions. Use the following rules:

- $(a + bi) + (c + di) = (a + c) + (b + d)i$
- $(a + bi) - (c + di) = (a - c) + (b - d)i$
- $(a + bi)(c + di) = (ac - bd) + (ad + bc)i$
- $\frac{a+bi}{c+di} = \frac{(ac+bd)+(bc-ad)i}{c^2+d^2}$

## Assignment #4, *cont'd*

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- Start with the C++ code from Chapter 12.
- Examine `wci::intermediate::syntabimpl::Predefined` to see how the built-in types like `integer` and `real` are defined.
- Examine `wci::frontend::pascal::parsers::RecordTypeParser` to see what information is entered into the symbol table for a `record` type.