# CS 106A, Lecture 2 Programming with Karel

suggested reading:

Karel, Ch. 3-4

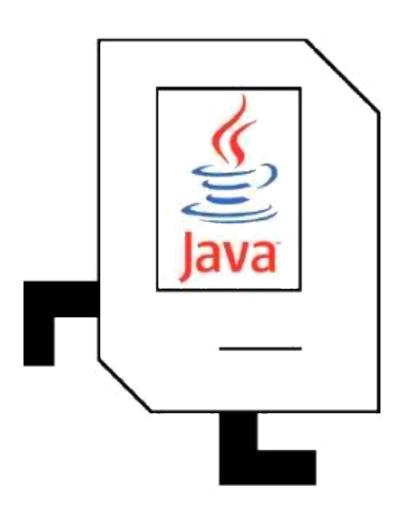
## **Plan For Today**

Meet Karel the Robot

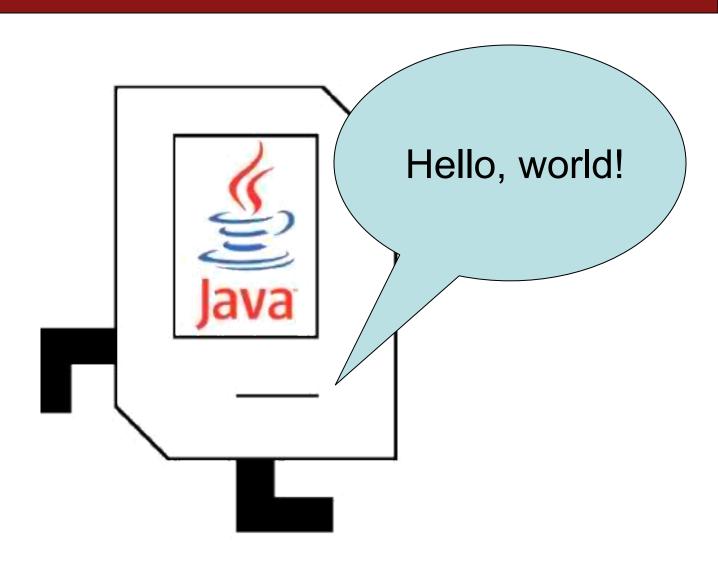


- Control Flow
- Karel Practice

#### **Meet Karel the Robot!**

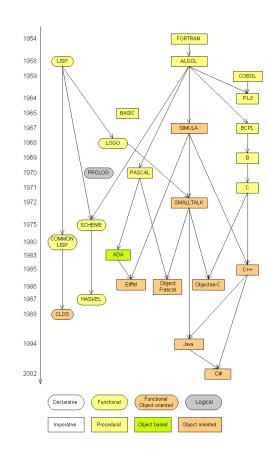


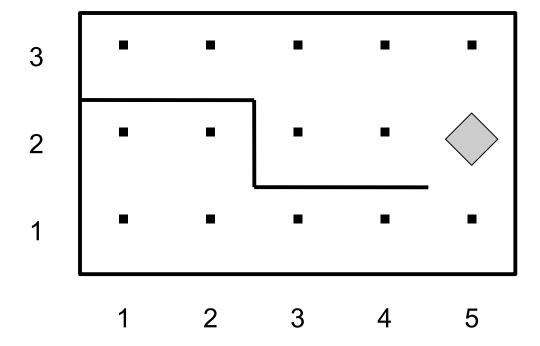
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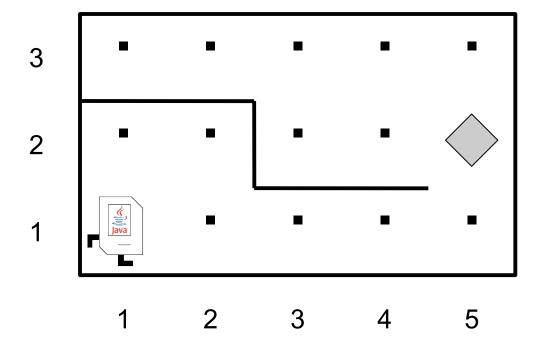


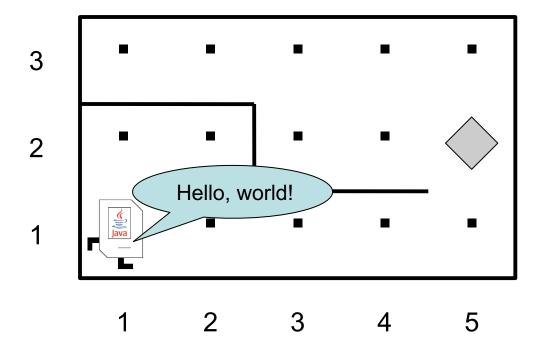
## Programming languages

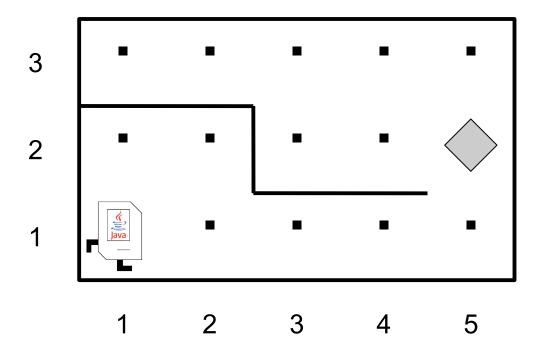
- procedural languages: programs are a series of commands
  - Pascal (1970): designed for education
  - C (1972): low-level operating systems and devices
- functional programming: functions map inputs to outputs
  - Lisp (1958) / Scheme (1975), ML (1973), Haskell (1990)
- object-oriented languages: programs use interacting "objects"
  - Smalltalk (1980): first major object-oriented language
  - C++ (1985): "object-oriented" improvements to C
    - successful in industry; used to build OSes such as Windows
  - Java (1995): designed for embedded systems, web apps
    - Runs on many platforms (Windows, Mac, Linux, cell phones...)
    - The language taught in this course and our textbook



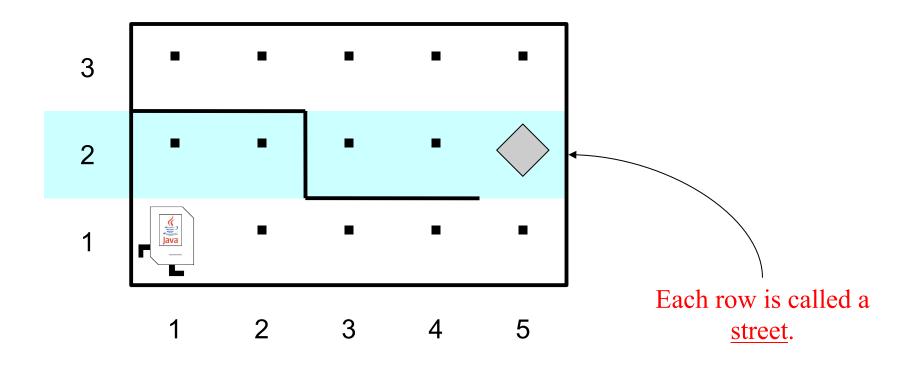




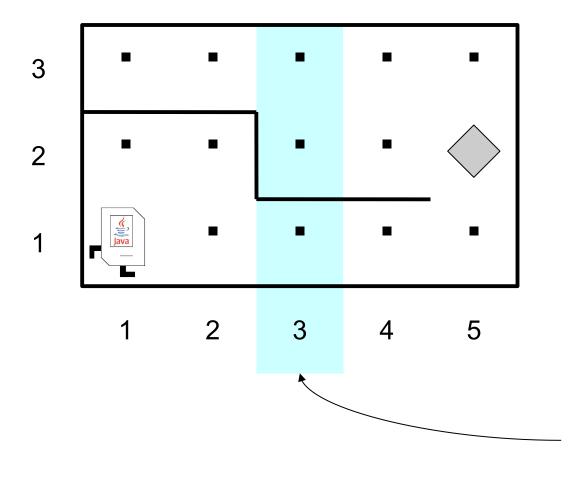




# Streets (rows)

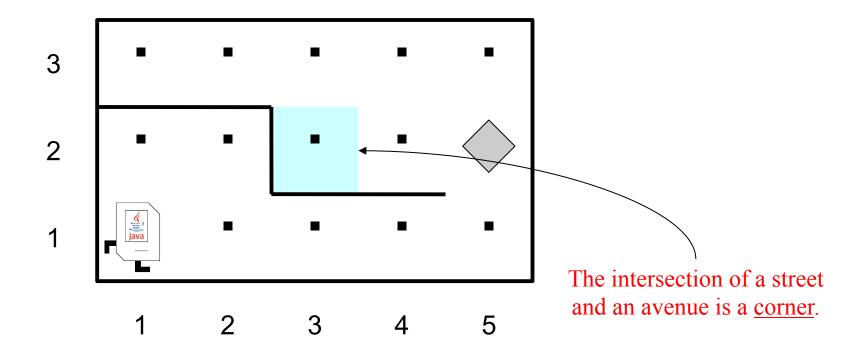


# Avenues (columns)

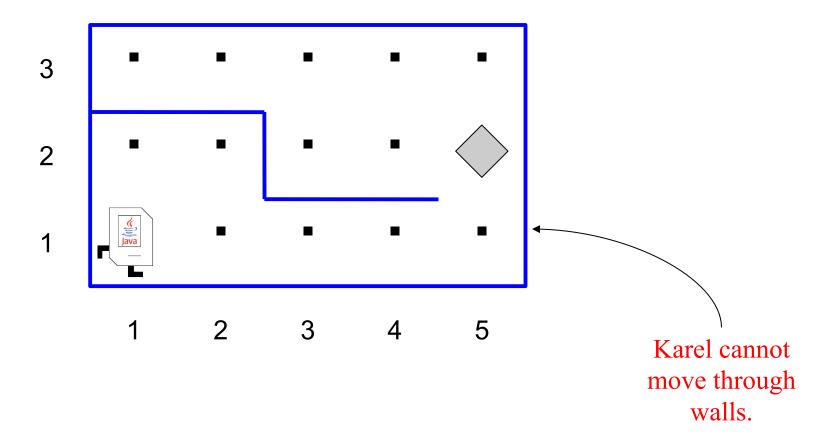


Each column is called an avenue.

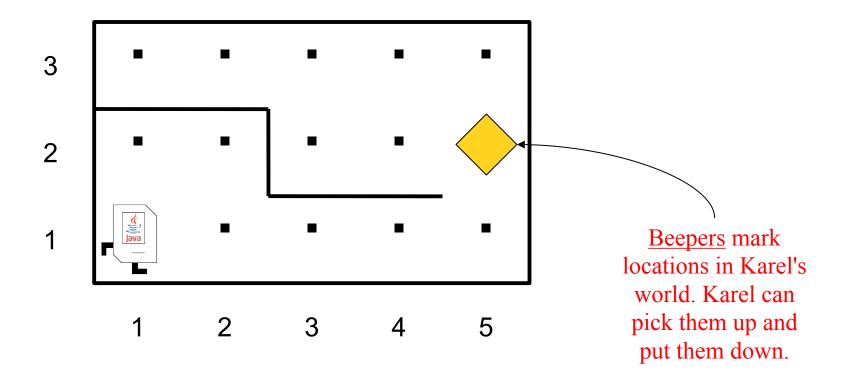
# Corners (locations)



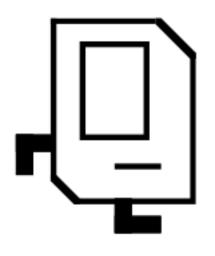
#### Walls



## Beepers



#### **Karel Knows 4 Commands**



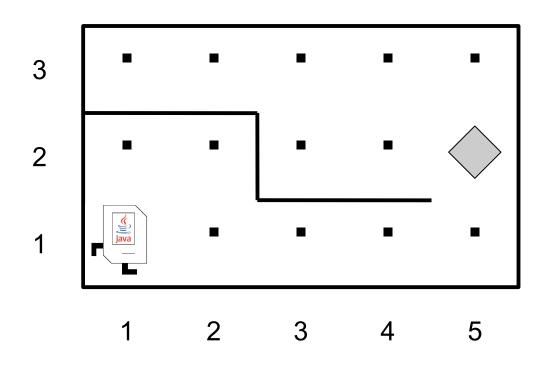
move

turnLeft

putBeeper

pickBeeper

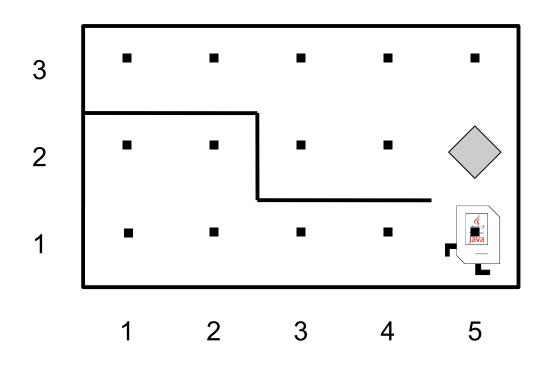
#### Karel commands: move



move turnLeft pickBeeper putBeeper

- move makes Karel move forward one square in the direction it is facing.

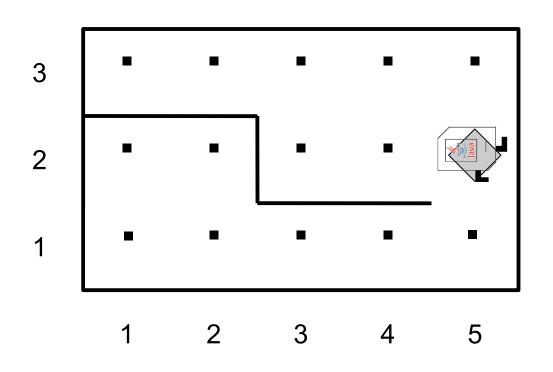
#### Commands: turnLeft



move
turnLeft
pickBeeper
putBeeper

- turnLeft makes Karel rotate 90° counter-clockwise.
- There is no turnRight command. (Why not?)

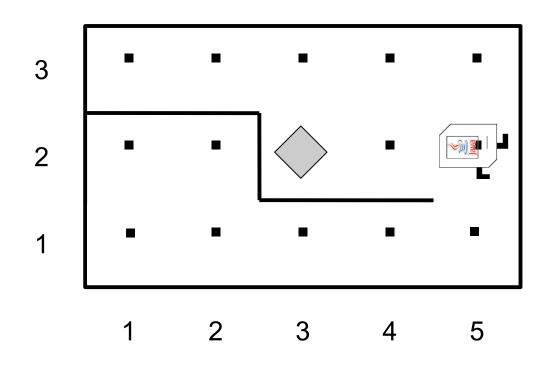
## Commands: pickBeeper



move
turnLeft
pickBeeper
putBeeper

pickBeeper makes Karel pick up the beeper at the current corner.
 Karel can hold multiple beepers at a time in its "beeper bag".

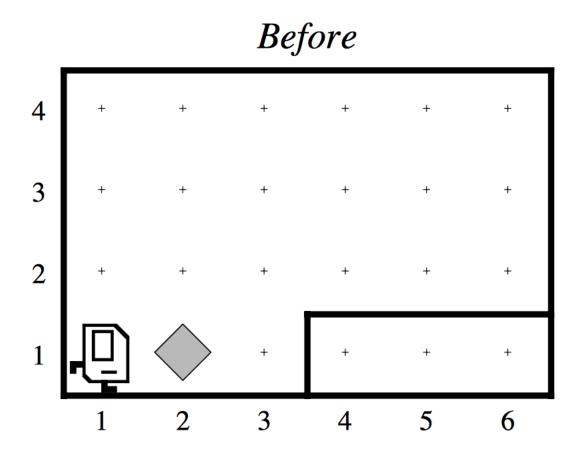
#### Commands: putBeeper



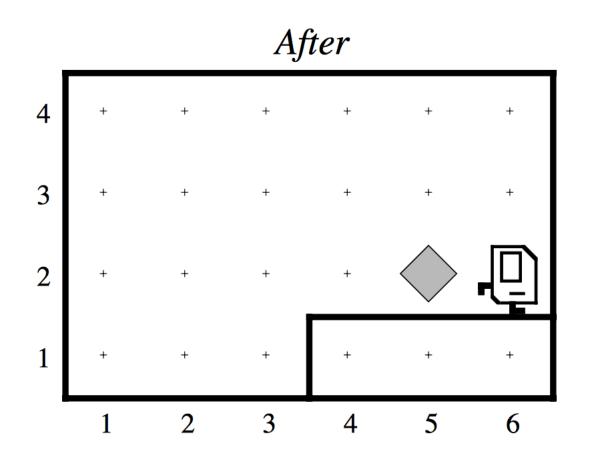
move turnLeft pickBeeper putBeeper

- putBeeper makes Karel put a beeper down at its current location.
  - pickBeeper and putBeeper are used to move beepers around.

# **Our First Karel Program**



## **Our First Karel Program**



## **Karel Summary**

- Karel lives in a grid world with walls and beepers.
- 4 commands: move, turnLeft, pickBeeper and putBeeper.
- Seems simple; but you can do amazing things with Karel!

