Announcements

- 1. Midterm coming Dec 5
- 2. Midterm during lecture time
- Most of the code used in the class at the EOPL web site: https://eopl3.com

Lecture 9 Representation Strategies for Data Types

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The general form of define-datatype



```
(define-datatype environment environment?
  (empty-env)
  (extend-env
        (bvar symbol?)
        (bval expval?)
        (saved-env environment?))
  (extend-env-rec
        (id symbol?)
        (bvar symbol?)
        (body expression?)
        (saved-env environment?)))
```

(define-datatype type-name type-predicate-name
{ (variant-name { (field-name predicate) }*) }+)

Example uses of define-datatype

```
S-list ::= (\{S-exp\}*)
S-exp ::= Symbol | S-list
```

Lecture 10 Abstract Syntax, Representation, Interpretation

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Nuggets of the lecture

- Syntax is all about structure
- Semantics is all about meaning
- We can use abstract syntax to represent programs as trees
- Parsing takes a program builds a syntax tree
- Unparsing converts abstract tree to a text file
- Big picture of compilers and interpreters

Human vs. the computer



```
LcExp ::= Identifier

::= (lambda (Identifier) LcExp)

::= (LcExp LcExp)
```

Alternative syntax

```
Lc-exp ::= Identifier

::= proc Identifier => Lc-exp

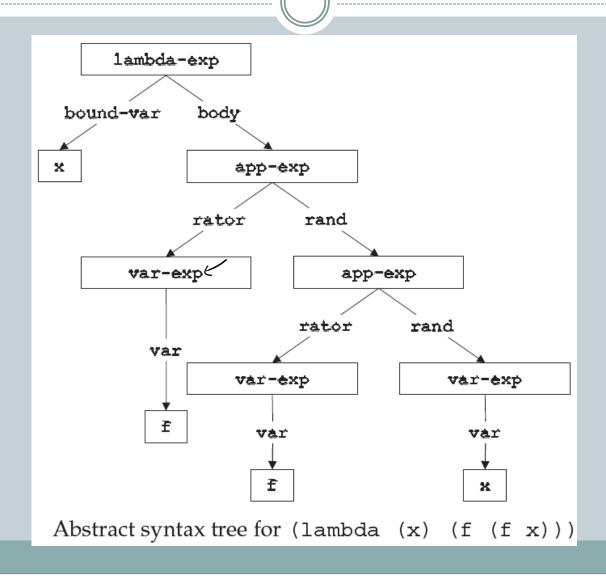
::= Lc-exp (Lc-exp)
```

• The computer

```
(define-datatype lc-exp lc-exp?
  (var-exp
      (var identifier?))
  (lambda-exp
      (bound-var identifier?)
      (body lc-exp?))
  (app-exp
      (rator lc-exp?))
  (rand lc-exp?)))
```

We can use abstract syntax to represent programs as trees

A specific example



Parsing takes a program builds a syntax tree

Parsing expressions

```
parse-expression : SchemeVal \rightarrow LcExp
(define parse-expression
  (lambda (datum)
    (cond
      ((symbol? datum) (var-exp datum))
      ((pair? datum)
       (if (eqv? (car datum) 'lambda)
          (lambda-exp
            (car (cadr datum))
            (parse-expression (caddr datum)))
          (app-exp
            (parse-expression (car datum))
            (parse-expression (cadr datum)))))
      (else (report-invalid-concrete-syntax datum)))))
```

Unparsing goes in the reverse direction

"Unparsing"

The next few weeks

- Expressions
- Binding of variables
- Scoping of variables
- Environment
- Interpreters

Semantics is all about evaluating programs, finding their "value"

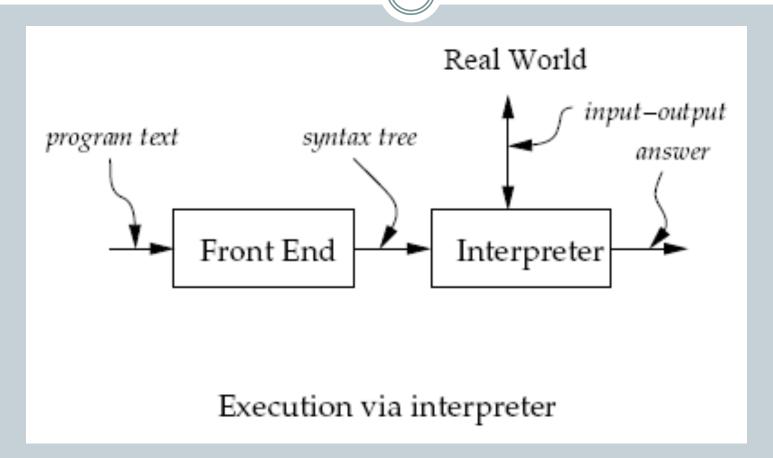
Notation

Assertions for specification

(value-of
$$exp \ \rho$$
) = val

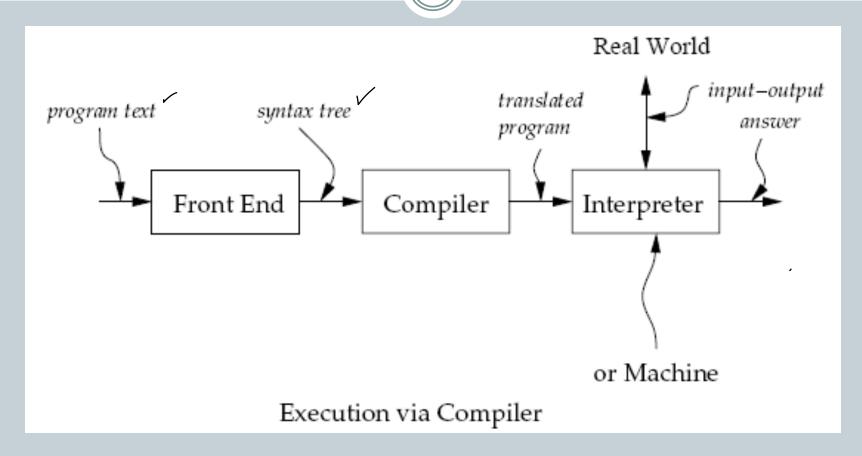
 Use rules from earlier chapters and specifications to compute values

The big picture – interpreter



Source language (defined language), implementation language (defining language), target language,

The big picture – compiler



Source language (defined language), implementation language (defining language), target language, bytecode, virtual machine

About compilation

Compilation

- Analyzer
 - Scanning (lexical scanning)
 - Generates
 - Lexemes
 - Lexical items
 - Tokens
 - × Parsing
 - Generates
 - AST
 - Syntactic structure
 - Grammatical structure
- o Translator
- All this work simplified
 - Lexical analyzers (lex)
 - Parser generators (yacc)
 - o Use scheme ☺

```
int main()
{
    printf("hello, world");
    return 0;
}
```

Evaluating programs, requires understanding the expressions of the language

LET: our pet language

```
Program ::= Expression
            a-program (exp1)
Expression ::= Number
             const-exp (num)
Expression ::= - (Expression, Expression)
             diff-exp (exp1 exp2)
Expression ::= zero? (Expression)
             zero?-exp (exp1)
Expression ::= if Expression then Expression else Expression
            if-exp (exp1 exp2 exp3)
Expression ::= Identifier
            var-exp (var)
Expression ::= let Identifier = Expression in Expression
            let-exp (var exp1 body)
```

An example program

Input

```
"-(55, -(x,11))"
```

Scanning & parsing

```
(scan&parse "-(55, -(x,11))")
```

The AST

```
Program ::= Expression
            a-program (exp1)
Expression ::= Number
             const-exp (num)
Expression ::= -(Expression, Expression)
            diff-exp (exp1 exp2)
Expression := zero? (Expression)
            zero?-exp (exp1)
Expression ::= if Expression then Expression else Expression
            if-exp (exp1 exp2 exp3)
Expression ::= Identifier
             var-exp (var)
Expression ::= let Identifier = Expression in Expression
            let-exp (var exp1 body)
```