- **call/cc** is an abbreviation for **call-with-current-continuation**

- call/cc is a procedure that takes one argument; the argument is a *receiver*.

- this receiver is a procedure that takes one argument; that argument (in this case) is a *continuation*.

- A continuation is a procedure (that takes one argument); that continuation embodies the execution context of the application of **call/cc**. The continuation is an escape procedure.

- The application **(call/cc receiver)** has the same effect as **(receiver continuation)**, where the continuation is

  - an escape procedure that embodies the execution context of the entire **call/cc** expression.