



Lecture 20

Intermediate Code Generation

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- A major consideration in designing a symbol table is that insertion and retrieval should be as fast as possible

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