

Quiz 7 Solution

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1. Draw box-and-pointer diagrams for the following.

```
scheme> '(1 . (2 . (3)))
```

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scheme> '(1 2 . 3)
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```

```
scheme> (cons 1 '(list 2 3))
```

```
scheme> (list (append '(1) '(2) nil) 3)
```

2. Write a function `take` that takes in a list `s` and a positive number `n`, and returns a list `t` such that `(car t)` is the first `n` elements of `s` and `(cdr t)` is the remaining elements of `s`. If `n` is greater than the length of `s`, `(car t)` should be `s` and `(cdr t)` should be `nil`.

```
(define (take s n)
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)
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```
scm> (define a (take '(1 2 3) 2)))
```

```
scm> (car a)
```

```
(1 2)
```

```
scm> (cdr a)
```

```
(3)
```

```
scm> (define b (take '(1 2 3) 4)) ; n > (length s)
```

```
scm> (car b)
```

```
(1 2 3)
```

```
scm> (cdr b)
```

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()
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