Notes 2.29 - 2.35

Data Abstraction

- Understand the abstraction and prompt before writing corresponding procedures
- When changing things, only change abstraction not the procedures

Square-list

- Similar thinking to reverse
- Comes up often
- How to solve
    - First condition → empty
    - Second condition → number
    - Else, cons the func invoked on car and then cdr
- Can also abstract to work on several procedures, not just square

Map

- Applies procedure to every element of a list
- Often use lambda instead of defining a helper

Conventional Interfaces

- Use accumulate to replace other functions
    - Map, length, append
    - This was especially hard (**2.33**)
- As well as to define other functions
    - Sum-odd-squares, even-fib, etc.
- Apply op to sequence until it is empty, then use initial

- Accumulate, map, lambda together can be very powerful in creating functions

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(define (accumulate op initial sequence)
  (if (null? sequence)
      initial
      (op (car sequence)
          (accumulate op initial (cdr sequence)))))
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Map & Accumulate

- Write a helper function and call it in map
    - In else clause: (op (func (car x)) (func (cdr x)))

- Or use lambda
    - In else clause: (func x)