


# Structure and Interpretation of Computer Programs

*COMP200*

# SUMMARY

What have we learned?

- **type**: a set of values
  - every value has a type
- procedure types include 
  - number of arguments required
  - type of each argument
  - type of result of the procedure
- **types**: a mathematical theory for reasoning **efficiently** about programs
  - useful for preventing certain common types of errors
  - basis for many analysis and optimization algorithms

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parameter

actual  
pattern

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number → number

# PROCEDURE ABSTRACTION

## Other Common Patterns

$$1 + 2 + \dots + 100 = (100 * 101)/2$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{100} k$$

$$1 + 4 + 9 + \dots + 100^2 = (100 * 101 * 201)/6$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{100} k^2$$

$$1 + 1/3^2 + 1/5^2 + \dots + 1/101^2 = \pi^2/8$$

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procedure

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# HIGHER ORDER PROCEDURES

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  (sum (lambda (x) x) a (lambda (x) (+ x 1)) b))
```

```
(define (sum-squares1 a b)
  (sum square a (lambda (x) (+ x 1)) b))
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(number → number) → (number → number)

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## Using Derivatives

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(define deriv  
  (lambda (f)  
    (lambda (x)  
      (/ (- (f (+ x epsilon)) (f x))  
         epsilon))))
```

```
(define square  
  (lambda (y) (* y y)))
```

```
(define epsilon 0.001)
```

```
((deriv square) 5)
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      ((lambda (y) (* y y)) x)))
  epsilon) 5)
```

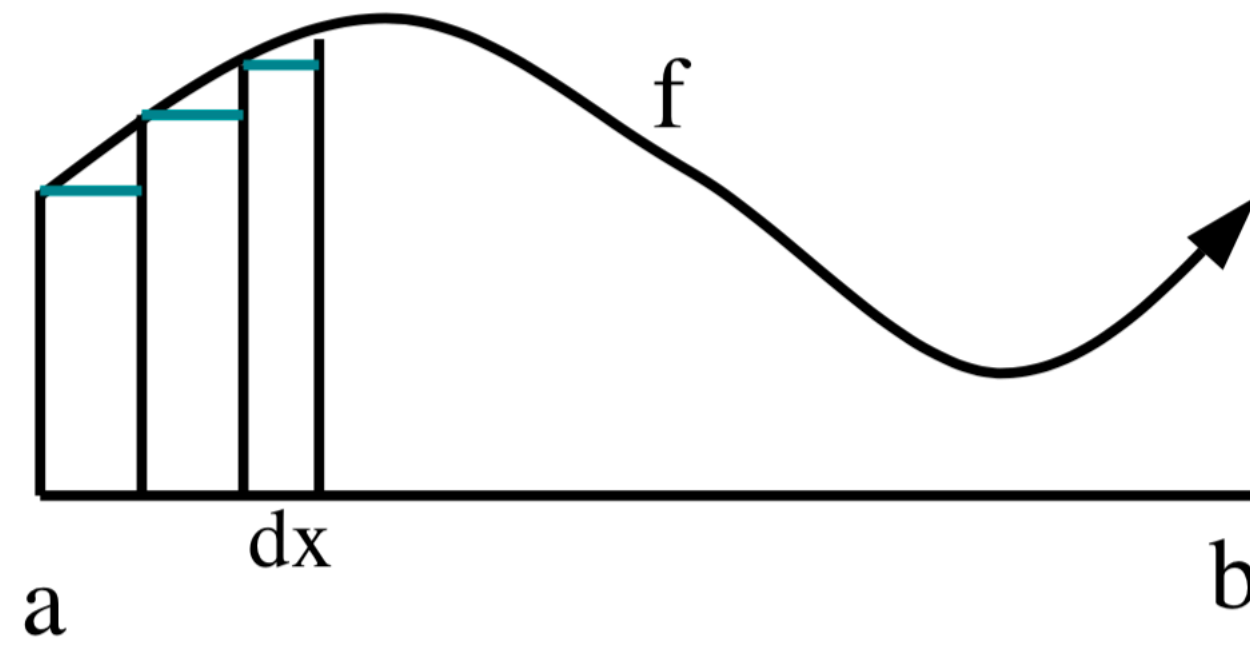
```
(lambda (x)
  (/ (- ((lambda (y) (* y y)) (+ 5 epsilon))
      ((lambda (y) (* y y)) 5)))
  epsilon)
```

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Why?

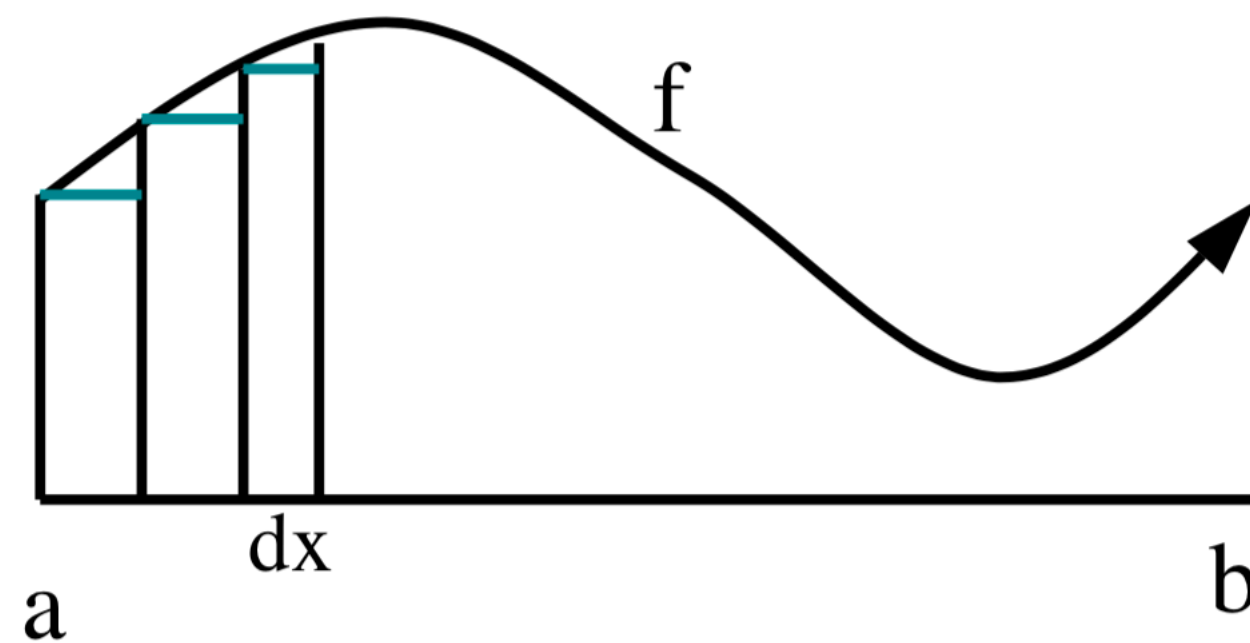
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## Integration



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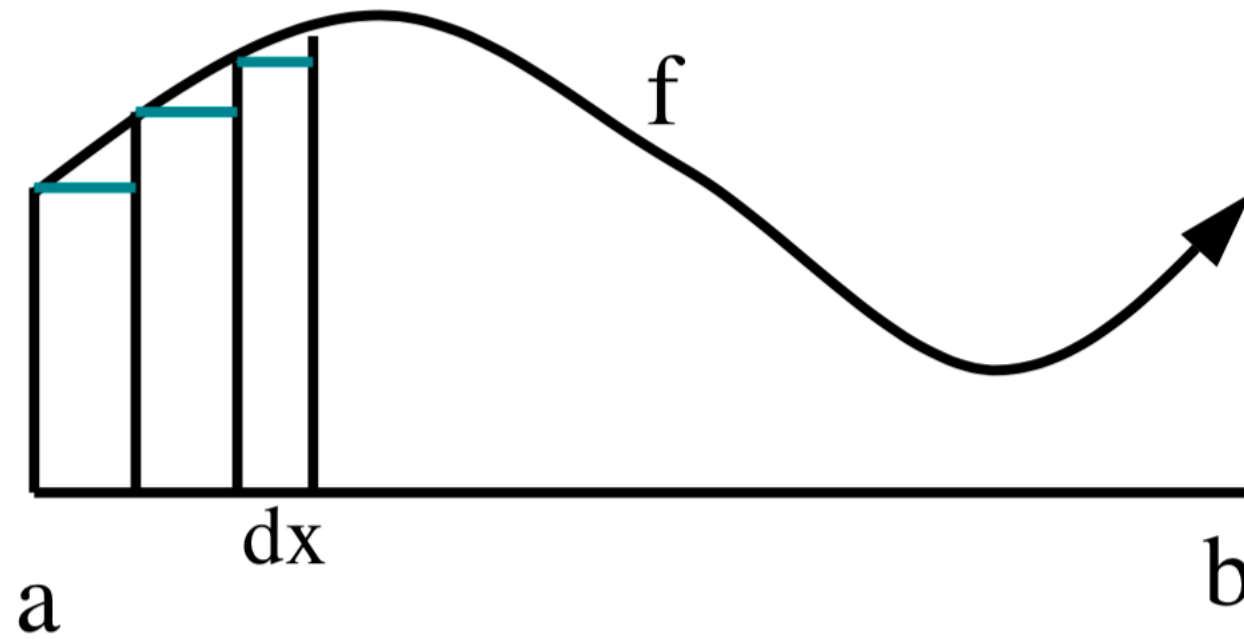
## Integration



$$dx (f(a) + f(a + dx) + f(a + 2dx) + \cdots + f(b))$$

# HIGHER ORDER PROCEDURES

## Integration



```
(define (sum term a next b)
  (if (> a b)
      0
      (+ (term a)
          (sum term (next a) next b)))))
```

```
(define (integral f a b n)
  (let ((delta (/ (- b a) n)))
    (* (sum f a (lambda (x) (+ x delta)) b) delta)))
```

$$dx (f(a) + f(a + dx) + f(a + 2dx) + \cdots + f(b))$$

# HIGHER ORDER PROCEDURES

## Integration

```
(define my-atan  
  (lambda (a)  
    (integral (lambda (x) (/ 1 (+ 1 (square x)))) 0 a 1000)))
```

```
(my-atan 2.0)
```

```
(my-atan 3.0)
```

# HIGHER ORDER PROCEDURES

## Fixed Points

$$\sqrt{x} = x/\sqrt{x}$$

$$f : y \mapsto x/y$$

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$$f : y \mapsto x/y$$

if we can find a  $y = \sqrt{x}$

then  $f(y) = y$

such a  $y$  is called a fixed point of  $f$



# HIGHER ORDER PROCEDURES

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```
(define (close? u v)
  (< (abs (- u v)) 0.0001))
```

```
(define (fixed-point f i-guess)
  (define (try g)
    (if (close? (f g) g)
        (f g)
        (try (f g))))
  (try i-guess))
```

# HIGHER ORDER PROCEDURES

## Fixed Points

```
(fixed-point (lambda (x) (+ 1 (/ 1 x)))) 1)
```

1.6180

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$x = 1 + (1/x)$  when  $x = (1 + \sqrt{5})/2 = 1.6180$

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```

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(define (my-sqrt x)
  (fixed-point
    (lambda (y) (/ x y)) 1))
```

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```

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(define (my-sqrt x)
  (fixed-point
    (lambda (y) (/ x y)) 1))
```

What happens if we try: `(my-sqrt 2)`

# HIGHER ORDER PROCEDURES

## Fixed Points

```
(define (average-damp f)
  (lambda (x)
    (average x (f x))))
```

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```

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# HIGHER ORDER PROCEDURES

## Fixed Points

```
(define (average-damp f)
  (lambda (x)
    (average x (f x))))
```

```
((average-damp square) 10)
((lambda (x) (average x (square x))) 10)
(average 10 (square 10))
```

```
(define (fixed-point f i-guess)
  (define (try g)
    (if (close? (f g) g)
        (f g)
        (try (f g))))
  (try i-guess))
```

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  1))
```

```
(define (cbrt x)
  (fixed-point
    (average-damp
      (lambda (y) (/ x (square y)))))
  1))
```

# HIGHER ORDER PROCEDURES

## Example

```
(define hop1  
  (lambda (f x)  
    (+ 2 (f (+ x 1)))))
```

```
(hop1 square 3)
```

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```

```
(hop1 square 3)  
(+ 2 (square (+ 3 1)))  
(+ 2 (square 4))  
(+ 2 (* 4 4))  
(+ 2 16)  
18
```

```
(hop1 (lambda (x) (* x x)) 3)
```

# HIGHER ORDER PROCEDURES

Example

```
(define hop1  
  (lambda (f x)  
    (+ 2 (f (+ x 1)))))
```

(number → number), number → number

↑  
procedure

↑  
number

↑  
number

# HIGHER ORDER PROCEDURES

Example

```
(define compose  
  (lambda (f g x)  
    (f (g x))))
```

```
(compose square double 3)
```

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```
(compose square double 3)  
(square (double 3))  
(square (* 3 2))  
(square 6)  
(* 6 6)  
36
```



# HIGHER ORDER PROCEDURES

Example

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```

```
(compose  
  (lambda (p)  
    (if p "hi" "bye"))  
  (lambda (x)  
    (> x 0)))  
-5)
```

boolean → string

number → boolean

number

result:

string

# HIGHER ORDER PROCEDURES

## Example

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(define compose  
  (lambda (f g x)  
    (f (g x))))
```

```
(compose < square 5)  
(compose square double "hi")
```

# HIGHER ORDER PROCEDURES

## Example

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  (lambda (f g x)  
    (f (g x))))
```

$(A \rightarrow B), (C \rightarrow A), C \rightarrow B$

- Meaning of **type variables**

All places where a given type variable appears must match when you fill in the actual operand types.

- The constraints are:

- F and G must be functions of one argument
- the argument type of G matches the type of X
- the argument type of F matches the result type of G
- the result type of compose is the result type of F