

- Object-Oriented Programming

## Terminology: Attributes, Functions, and Methods

All objects have **attributes**, which are name-value pairs

Classes are objects too, so they have attributes

**Instance attribute**: attribute of an instance

**Class attribute**: attribute of the class of an instance

- Binding an object to a new name using assignment does not create a new object

## Methods and Functions

**Methods** are functions defined in the suite of a class statement.

However methods that are accessed through an instance will be bound methods. **Bound methods** couple together a function and the object on which that method will be invoked. This means that when we invoke bound methods, the instance is automatically passed in as the first argument.

```
>>> a = Account("Tiffany")
>>> Account.deposit
<function>
>>> a.deposit
<bound method>
```

## Accessing Attributes

There are built-in functions that can help us access attributes.

Using `getattr`, we can look up an attribute using a string instead.

- `getattr(<expression>, <attribute_name (string)>)`
- `getattr(a, 'balance')` is the same as `a.balance`
- `getattr(Account, 'balance')` is the same as `Account.balance`

Using `hasattr`, we can check if an attribute exists.

- `hasattr(<expression>, <attribute_name (string)>)`
- `hasattr(a, 'balance')` returns `True`
- `hasattr(Account, 'balance')` returns `False`

## Assigning Attributes

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We saw this before, but let's formalize the rules for assigning/re-assigning instance and class attributes.

`<expression>.<name> = <value>`

Change attributes for the **object of that dot expression**.

**If the expression evaluates to an instance:** then assignment sets an instance attribute, even if it exists in the class.

**If the expression evaluates to a class:** then assignment sets a class attribute

- Inheritance

## Looking Up Attributes by Name

`<expression> . <name>`

To evaluate a dot expression:

1. Evaluate the `<expression>` to the left of the dot, which **yields the object** of the dot expression
2. `<name>` is matched against the **instance attributes** of that object; if an attribute with that name exists, its value is returned
3. **If not, <name> is looked up in the class**, which yields a class attribute value (if no such class attribute exists, an **AttributeError** is reported)

(demo: `tom_account.interest`,  
`tom_account.noSuchAttribute`)

## Inheritance

Inheritance is a technique for relating classes together

A common use: Two similar classes differ in their degree of specialization

The specialized class may have the same attributes as the general class, along with some special-case behavior

```
class <Name>(<Base Class>):  
    <suite>
```

Conceptually, the new subclass inherits attributes of its base class

The subclass may **override** certain inherited attributes

To look up a name in a class:

1. If it names an attribute in the class, return the attribute value.
2. Otherwise, look up the name in the base class, if there is one.

- Special Methods

In Python, all objects produce two string representations:

- The **str** is legible to humans
- The **repr** is legible to the Python interpreter

`print(obj) --> str(obj) --> 无__str__, 查有没有 __repr__`

`obj --> print(repr(obj))`

The result of calling **str** on the value of an expression is what Python prints using the **print** function:

## Implementing repr and str

The behavior of **repr** is slightly more complicated than invoking `__repr__` on its argument:

- An instance attribute called `__repr__` is ignored! Only class attributes are found
- *Question*: How would we implement this behavior?

```
def repr(x):  
    return x.__repr__()
```

The behavior of **str** is also complicated:

- An instance attribute called `__str__` is ignored
- If no `__str__` attribute is found, uses **repr** string
- *Question*: How would we implement this behavior?

```
def repr(x):  
    return x.__repr__()
```

```
def repr(x):  
    return type(x).__repr__(x)
```

```
def repr(x):  
    return type(x).__repr__()
```

```
def repr(x):  
    return super(x).__repr__()
```

demo\_1

```

# demo_1
class Dog:
    """ A dog """
    def __init__(self):
        self.__repr__ = lambda: 'teddy'
        self.__str__ = lambda: 'a teddy'

    def __repr__(self):
        return 'Dog()'

    def __str__(self):
        return 'a dog'

# (4) replace the built-in repr() and str()
def repr(x):
    return type(x).__repr__(x)

# Note this code (from cs61a) is not the real implementation for str()
def str(x):
    t = type(x)
    if hasattr(t, '__str__'):
        return t.__str__(x)
    else:
        return repr(x)

teddy = Dog()
print(teddy)
print(repr(teddy))
print(str(teddy))
print(teddy.__repr__())
print(teddy.__str__())

a dog
Dog()
a dog
teddy
a teddy

```

```

# demo_2: __add__
class Ratio:
    def __init__(self, n, d):
        self.numer = n
        self.denom = d

    def __repr__(self):
        return 'Ratio({0}, {1})'.format(self.numer, self.denom)

    def __str__(self):
        return '{0}/{1}'.format(self.numer, self.denom)

    def __add__(self, other):
        if isinstance(other, int):
            n = self.numer + self.denom * other
            d = self.denom
            # (5) type coercion: convert one value to match the type of the
            another
            elif isinstance(other, float):

```

```

        return float(self) + other
    elif isinstance(other, Ratio):
        # (2)
        n = self.numer * other.denom + self.denom * other.numer
        d = self.denom * other.denom
        g = gcd(n, d)
        return Ratio(n//g, d//g)

# (4) a+b: a.__add__(b), b.__radd__(a)
__radd__ = __add__

def __float__(self):
    return self.numer/self.denom

def gcd(n, d):
    while n != d:
        n, d = min(n, d), abs(n-d)
    return n

```

- Linked Lists & Trees

## The Link Class

```

class Link:
    empty = ()
    def __init__(self, first, rest=empty):
        assert rest is Link.empty or isinstance(rest, Link)
        self.first = first
        self.rest = rest
>>> lnk = Link(5, Link(6, Link(7)))
>>> lnk.rest.rest.first
7
>>> lnk.rest.rest.rest is Link.empty
True

```

You should not assume the representation here. It could be "I'm empty"

Rest defaults to the empty list

.first -> lst[0]  
.rest -> lst[1:]  
lnk is Link.empty -> not lst

.first gives elements in the list, .rest traverses

Compare to empty list

## You Try:

```

class Link:
    empty = ()
    def __init__(self, first,
                    rest=empty):
        self.first = first
        self.rest = rest

```

```

>>> a = Link(1, Link(2, Link(1)))
>>> b = Link(3, Link(2, Link(1)))
>>> combined = Link(a, Link(b))

```

How would you retrieve the element 3?

1. combined.rest.first.rest
2. combined.rest.rest.first
3. combined.rest.first.first
4. combined.first.rest.rest
5. combined.first.rest.first

- Scheme

## Assigning values to names

The define special form assigns a value to a name:

```
(define <name> <expr>)
```

*How to evaluate:*

**Step 1.** Evaluate the given expression.

**Step 2.** Bind the resulting value to the given name in the current frame.

**Step 3.** Return the name as a symbol.

```
scm> (define x (+ 3 4))
x
scm> x
7
scm> (define x (+ x 5))
x
scm> x
12
```

## Control flow

The if special form allows us to evaluate an expression based on a condition:

```
(if <predicate> <if-true> <if-false>)
```

*How to evaluate:*

**Step 1.** Evaluate the `<predicate>`.

#f is the only Falsy value  
in Scheme

**Step 2.** If `<predicate>` evaluates to anything but `#f`, evaluate `<if-true>` and return the value. Otherwise, evaluate `<if-false>` if provided and return the value.

```
scm> (if #t 3 5)
3
scm> (if 0 (+ 1 0) (/ 1 0))
1
scm> (if (> 10 1) (* 5 6))
30
scm> (if (not 4) 1 (if #f 5 6))
6
```

## Defining functions with names

The second version of define is a shorthand for creating a function with a name:

```
(define (<name> <param1> <param2> ...) <body>)
```

*How to evaluate:*

**Step 1.** Create a lambda procedure with the given parameters and body.

**Step 2.** Bind it to the given name in the current frame.

**Step 3.** Return the function name as a symbol.

```
scm> (define (square x) (* x x))
square
scm> square
(lambda (x) (* x x))
scm> (square 4)
16
scm> (square -10)
100
```

(Demo\_2)

## Lambda Expressions

The lambda special form returns a lambda procedure.

```
(lambda (<param1> <param2> ...) <body>)
```

*How to evaluate:*

**Step 1.** Create a lambda procedure with the given parameters and body.

**Step 2.** Return the lambda procedure.

```
scm> (lambda (x) (* x x))
(lambda (x) (* x x))
scm> ((lambda (x) (* x x)) 5)
25
scm> (define square (lambda (x) (* x x)))
square
scm> (square 4)
16
```

The body expression is evaluated when the lambda procedure is applied.

```

scm> (define x 5)
x
scm> (lambda (x y) (print 2))
(lambda (x y) (print 2))
scm> ((lambda (x) (print x)) 1)
1
scm> (define f (lambda () #f))
f
scm> (if f x (+ x 1))
5
scm> (if (f) (print 5) 6)
6
scm> (+ (if 1 2 3) (if 4 5 6))
7

```

## Pairs

**cons: construct**  
**car and cdr: historical reason (Lisp on IBM 704)**

- Pairs are created using the **cons** expression in Scheme
- **car** selects the first element in a pair
- **cdr** selects the second element in a pair
- The second element of a pair must be another pair, or **nil (empty)**

```

scm> (define x (cons 1 (cons 3 nil)))
x
scm> x
(1 3)
scm> (car x)
1
scm> (cdr x)
(3)

```

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# Symbolic Programming

Symbols normally refer to values; how do we refer to symbols?

```
>(define a 1)
>(define b 2)
>(list a b)
(1 2)
```

No sign of "a" and "b" in the resulting value

Quotation is used to refer to symbols directly in Lisp.

```
>(list 'a 'b)
(a b)
>(list 'a b)
(a 2)
```

Short for (quote a), (quote b):  
Special form to indicate that the expression itself is the value.

Quotation can also be applied to combinations to form lists.

```
>'(a b c)
(a b c)
>(car '(a b c))
a
>(cdr '(a b c))
(b c)
```

## Tail calls

```
(define (fact n)
  (define (fact-tail n result)
    (if (<= n 1)
        result
        (fact-tail (- n 1) (* n result))))
  (fact-tail n 1))

fact(4)
```

Number of frames the same regardless of input size!

- Interpreter

Demo\_4

```
f4: fact-tail
n: 1
result: 24
rv: 24
```

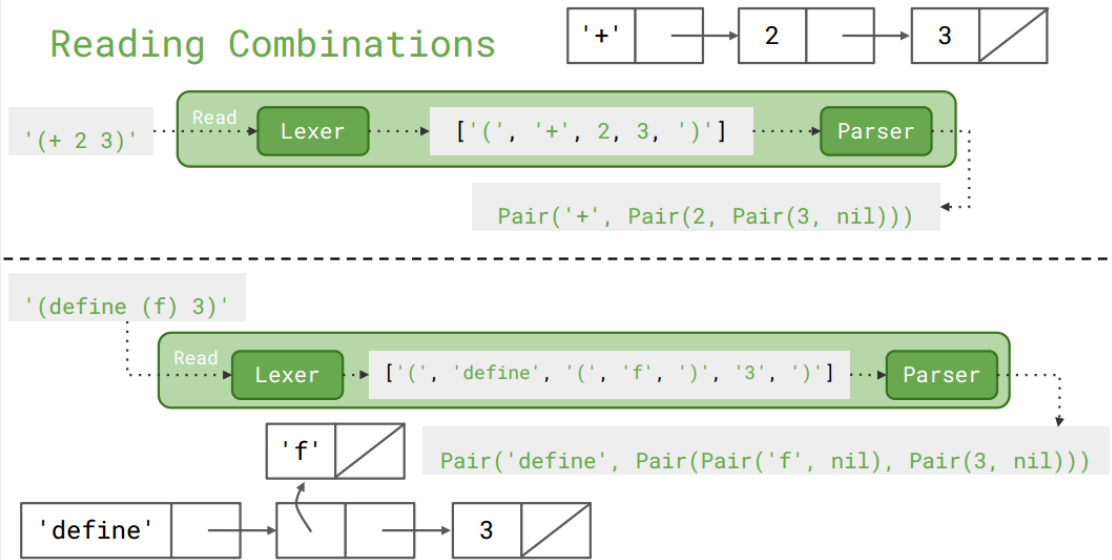
f4: fact-tail  
n: 1  
result: 24  
rv: 24

f4: fact-tail  
n: 2  
result: 12  
rv: 12

f4: fact-tail  
n: 3  
result: 6  
rv: 6

f4: fact-tail  
n: 4  
result: 24  
rv: 24

## Reading Combinations

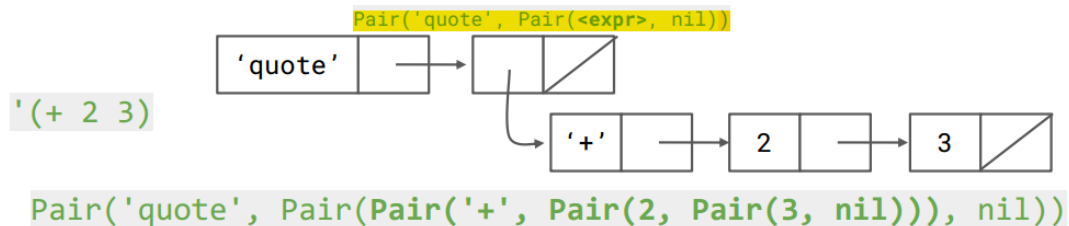


## Special Case: quote

Recall that the quote special form can be invoked in two ways:

(quote <expr>)	'<expr>
<pre>scm&gt; 'hello hello scm&gt; (quote hello) hello</pre>	<pre>scm&gt; '(1 2 3 4) (1 2 3 4) scm&gt; (quote (1 2 3 4)) (1 2 3 4)</pre>

The special `'` syntax gets converted by the reader into a `quote` expression, which is a list with 2 elements:



## Counting eval/apply calls: built-in procedures

How many calls to eval and apply are made in order to evaluate this expression?

`(+ 2 (* 4 1) 5)`

- `eval`(Pair('+',
 Pair(2,
 Pair(Pair('\*', Pair(4, Pair(1, nil))),
 Pair(5, nil))))))
  - `eval`('+')
  - `eval`(2)
  - `eval`(Pair('\*', Pair(4, Pair(1, nil))))
    - `eval`('\*')
    - `eval`(4)
    - `eval`(1)
    - `apply`(BuiltinProc(scheme\_mul), [4, 1])
  - `eval`(5)
  - `apply`(BuiltinProc(scheme\_add), [2, 4, 5])

**# calls:**  
eval: 8  
apply: 2

- Macros

## Evaluating Macros

Recall evaluation procedure used for regular call expressions:

1. Evaluate the operator sub-expression, which evaluates to a regular procedure.
2. Evaluate the operand expressions in order.
3. Apply the procedure to the evaluated operands.

Macros, on the other hand, do the following:

1. Evaluate the operator sub-expression, which evaluates to a macro procedure.
2. Apply the macro procedure to the operand expressions without evaluating them first.
3. Evaluate the expression returned by the macro procedure in the frame the macro was called in

## For Macro

Demo\_6

Scheme doesn't have for loops, but thanks to macros, we can add them.

```
scm> (for x in '(1 2 3 4) do (* x x))
(1 4 9 16)
scm> (map (lambda (x) (* x x)) '(1 2 3 4))
(1 4 9 16)
```

```
(define-macro (for sym in vals do expr)
  (list 'map (list 'lambda (list sym) expr) vals))
```

## Quasi-quoting

Quasiquotation allows you to have some parts of a list be read literally and some parts be evaluated.

It's especially useful for constructing code in macros.

```
(define-macro (for sym vals expr)
  (list 'map (list 'lambda (list sym) expr) vals))

(define-macro (for sym vals expr)
  `(map (lambda (,sym) ,expr) ,vals))
```

Short for  
(quasiquote ...)

Short for (unquote ...)

Much cleaner, right?

- Streams
- SQL