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## OUTLINE

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- Revision: Lambda Calculus

- Currying  
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- Functional Programming: LISP

## OPERATIONS

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## REWRITING

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## $\alpha$ -REDUCTION

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- ▶ Rename a  $\lambda$  to remove a name conflict

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  - ▶  $y$  must be a *new* variable
  - ▶ You must not choose a symbol that is already in use

# $\beta$ -REDUCTION

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- Solve an abstraction

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- Note. the free occurrences of  $x$  in  $M$  is exactly the set of occurrences which bound to the  $\lambda x.$  in  $(\lambda x.M)$

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► The output of the second function will be  $f(x, y)$ .



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- e.g.  $(\lambda x.(\lambda y.(\lambda z.f(x, y, z)))) \cdot 1 = (\lambda y.(\lambda z.f(1, y, z)))$

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- ▶  $(5 + 7)/2$  is evaluated and returned

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- i.e. the leftmost application happens *first*

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$\lambda x_1 x_2 x_3 \dots x_k. M$   
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- This means the leftmost  $\lambda$  will match with the first input applied to the function

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► Use parentheses to limit the scope of the  $\lambda$  if needed

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 $(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_k, N)$

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- Each  $\beta$ -reduction partially evaluates the function:

- $v_1$  replaces  $x_1$ . The resulting function takes  $k - 1$  arguments:

$$(\lambda x_2 x_3 \dots x_k . N[x_1 : v_1]) v_2 v_3 \dots v_k$$

- ... then  $v_2$  would replace  $x_2$ , etc.



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But... How do we actually *do* anything?

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  - ▶ They must be expressed as functions, known as *encodings*

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### Now we can do conditional logic:

▶  $\text{IFELSE} := \lambda x y f. f x y$  has semantics similar to:

▶ if  $\langle \text{cond} \rangle$  then  $\langle x \rangle$  else  $\langle y \rangle$

▶ If  $\langle \text{cond} \rangle$  is true, return result of  $\langle x \rangle$ , otherwise  $\langle y \rangle$

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## ENCODINGS: TRUTH

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$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{TRUE} \text{ FALSE } A \ B \\
 &= (\lambda fxy.fxy) (\lambda xy.y) \ A \ B && \text{(macro substitution)} \\
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  - ▶  $\text{FALSE} := \lambda xy.y$

- ▶ <https://powcoder.com>
- ▶  $\text{IFELSE} := \lambda fxy.fxy$

- ▶ Boolean operators
  - ▶  $\text{NOT} := \lambda fxy.fyx$
  - ▶  $\text{OR} := \lambda xy.xxy$
  - ▶  $\text{AND} := \lambda xy.xyx$

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- ▶ i.e. NOT outputs  $f$ , except its arguments have swapped around!

ENCODINGS: TRUTH

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*NOT TRUE*

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# ENCODINGS: TRUTH

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*NOT TRUE*

$= (\lambda fxy.fyx)(\lambda xy.x)$  (macro substitution)

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- ▶ Extremal clause: nothing is in the set of natural numbers unless it is obtained by the inductive clause and basis clause

## CHURCH NUMERALS

► Natural numbers in lambda calculus have two constructors:

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► We're now ready to start constructing the natural numbers!

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# CHURCH NUMERALS

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*ONE*

*= SUCCESSOR ZERO*

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*TWO*

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<https://powcoder.com> (macro)

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= ...

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# CHURCH NUMERALS

Assignment *THREE* Project Exam Help  
 = *SUCCESSOR TWO*

= ...

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 =  $\lambda yz. y(y(yz))$

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 = *SUCCESSOR THREE*

= ...

=  $\lambda yz. y(y(y(yz)))$

ARITHMETIC?

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- We have numbers. Do they work?

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- Arithmetic:

- $ADD := \lambda x y p q . x p (y p q)$

- $MULT := \lambda x y z . x (y z)$

- $EXP := \lambda x y . y x$

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## ADDITION EXAMPLE

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## ADDITION EXAMPLE

ADD TWO THREE

$$= (\lambda xypq.xp(y pq)) (\lambda yz.y(yz)) (\lambda yz.y(y(yz)))$$

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## ADDITION EXAMPLE

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*ADD TWO THREE*  
 $= (\lambda xypq.xp(y pq)) (\lambda yz.y(yz)) (\lambda yz.y(y(yz)))$

$= (\lambda xypq.xp(y pq)) (\lambda ab.a(ab)) (\lambda cd.c(c(cd))) \quad (\alpha)$

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## ADDITION EXAMPLE

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*ADD TWO THREE*  
 $= (\lambda xypq.xp(y pq)) (\lambda yz.y(yz)) (\lambda yz.y(y(yz)))$

$= (\lambda xypq.xp(y pq)) (\lambda ab.a(ab)) (\lambda cd.c(c(cd))) \quad (\alpha)$

$= (\lambda xypq.(\lambda ab.a(ab))p(y pq)) (\lambda cd.c(c(cd))) \quad (\beta)$

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## ADDITION EXAMPLE

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$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{ADD TWO THREE} \\
 &= (\lambda x y p q. x p (y p q)) (\lambda y z. y (y z)) (\lambda y z. y (y (y z))) \\
 &= (\lambda x y p q. x p (y p q)) (\lambda a b. a (a b)) (\lambda c d. c (c (c d))) \quad (\alpha) \\
 &= (\lambda y p q. (\lambda a b. a (a b)) p (y p q)) (\lambda c d. c (c (c d))) \quad (\beta) \\
 &= (\lambda y p q. (\lambda b. p (p b)) (y p q)) (\lambda c d. c (c (c d))) \quad (\beta)
 \end{aligned}$$

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## ADDITION EXAMPLE

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$\lambda ADD.TWO.THREE$   
 $= (\lambda xypq.xp(ypq)) (\lambda yz.y(yz)) (\lambda yz.y(y(yz)))$

$= (\lambda xypq.xp(ypq)) (\lambda ab.a(ab)) (\lambda cd.c(c(cd)))$   $(\alpha)$

$= (\lambda ypq.(\lambda ab.a(ab))p(ypq)) (\lambda cd.c(c(cd)))$   $(\beta)$

$= (\lambda ypq.(\lambda b.p(pb))(ypq)) (\lambda cd.c(c(cd)))$   $(\beta)$

$= (\lambda ypq.p(p(ypq))) (\lambda cd.c(c(cd)))$   $(\beta)$

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## ADDITION EXAMPLE

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$$= (\lambda x y p q. x p (y p q)) (\lambda y z. y (y z)) (\lambda y z. y (y (y z)))$$

$$= (\lambda x y p q. x p (y p q)) (\lambda a b. a (a b)) (\lambda c d. c (c (c d))) \quad (\alpha)$$

$$= (\lambda y p q. (\lambda a b. a (a b)) p (y p q)) (\lambda c d. c (c (c d))) \quad (\beta)$$

$$= (\lambda y p q. (\lambda b. p (p b)) (y p q)) (\lambda c d. c (c (c d))) \quad (\beta)$$

$$= (\lambda y p q. p (p (y p q))) (\lambda c d. c (c (c d))) \quad (\beta)$$

$$= \lambda q. p (p ((\lambda c d. c (c (c d))) p q)) \quad (\beta)$$

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## ADDITION EXAMPLE

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$$\begin{aligned}
 & \lambda d d. TWO\ THREE \\
 &= (\lambda x y p q. x p (y p q)) (\lambda y z. y (y z)) (\lambda y z. y (y (y z))) \\
 &= (\lambda x y p q. x p (y p q)) (\lambda a b. a (a b)) (\lambda c d. c (c (c d))) \quad (\alpha) \\
 &= (\lambda y p q. (\lambda a b. a (a b)) p (y p q)) (\lambda c d. c (c (c d))) \quad (\beta) \\
 &= (\lambda y p q. (\lambda b. p (p b)) (y p q)) (\lambda c d. c (c (c d))) \quad (\beta) \\
 &= (\lambda y p q. p (p (y p q))) (\lambda c d. c (c (c d))) \quad (\beta) \\
 &= \lambda q. p (p ((\lambda c d. c (c (c d))) p q)) \quad (\beta) \\
 &= \lambda p q. p (p ((\lambda d. p (p (p d))) q)) \quad (\beta)
 \end{aligned}$$

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$$= (\lambda x y p q. x p (y p q)) (\lambda y z. y (y z)) (\lambda y z. y (y (y z)))$$

$$= (\lambda x y p q. x p (y p q)) (\lambda a b. a (a b)) (\lambda c d. c (c (c d))) \quad (\alpha)$$

$$= (\lambda y p q. (\lambda a b. a (a b)) p (y p q)) (\lambda c d. c (c (c d))) \quad (\beta)$$

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*ADD TWO THREE*

$= (\lambda xypq.xp(ypq)) (\lambda yz.y(yz)) (\lambda yz.y(y(yz)))$

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$= \lambda pq.p(p((\lambda d.p(p(pd))))q) \quad (\beta)$

$= \lambda pq.p(p(p(p(pq)))) \quad (\beta)$

$= FIVE$

## MULTIPLICATION EXAMPLE

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## MULTIPLICATION EXAMPLE

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*MULT EIGHT THIRTEEN*

$$= (\lambda xyz.x(yz))(\lambda fx.f(f(f(f(f(f(f(fx)))))))$$
  

$$(\lambda fx.f(f(f(f(f(f(f(f(f(f(fx))))))))))$$

= ...

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## MULTIPLICATION EXAMPLE

*MULT TWO THREE*  
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## MULTIPLICATION EXAMPLE

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{MULT TWO THREE} \\ = (\lambda x y z. x(yz)) \text{ TWO THREE} \end{array}$$

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## MULTIPLICATION EXAMPLE

*MULT TWO THREE*  
 $= (\lambda xyz.x(yz)) \text{ TWO THREE}$

$= (\lambda yz.TWO (yz)) \text{ THREE}$

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## MULTIPLICATION EXAMPLE

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$$\begin{aligned} & \text{MULT TWO THREE} \\ &= (\lambda xyz.x(yz)) \text{ TWO THREE} \end{aligned}$$

$$= (\lambda yz.TWO (yz)) \text{ THREE}$$

$$= \lambda z.TWO (THREE z)$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{MULT TWO THREE} \\
 &= (\lambda x y z. x (y z)) \text{ TWO THREE} \\
 &= (\lambda y z. \text{TWO } (y z)) \text{ THREE} \\
 &= \lambda z. \text{TWO } (\text{THREE } z) \\
 &= \lambda z. (\lambda f x. f (f x)) (\text{THREE } z)
 \end{aligned}$$

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$$= \lambda z. (\lambda f x. f (f x)) (\text{THREE } z)$$

$$= \lambda z. (\lambda x. (\text{THREE } z) ((\text{THREE } z) x))$$

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 &= \lambda z. (\lambda f x. f (f x)) (\text{THREE } z) \\
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 &= \lambda x. (\text{THREE } z) ((\text{THREE } z) x) \\
 &= \lambda z x. (((\lambda f x. f (f (f x))) z) (((\lambda f x. f (f (f x))) z) x))
 \end{aligned}$$

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 &= \lambda x. (\text{THREE } z) ((\text{THREE } z) x) \\
 &= \lambda z x. (((\lambda f x. f (f (f x))) z) (((\lambda f x. f (f (f x))) z) x)) \\
 &= \lambda z x. (\lambda x. z (z (z x))) ((\lambda x. z (z (z x))) x)
 \end{aligned}$$

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 &= \lambda z. (\lambda f x. f (f x)) (\text{THREE } z) \\
 &= \lambda z. (\lambda x. (\text{THREE } z) ((\text{THREE } z) x)) \\
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# RECURSION

In imperative languages, we can easily write recursive code:

```
def factorial(x):
```

```
    if x == 1:
```

```
        return 1
```

```
    return x*factorial(x-1)
```

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... by referencing the method itself by name.

So far, we haven't directly seen iteration or recursion in the lambda calculus.

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Next week, we'll use this to compute recursive functions in the lambda calculus.

## OUTLINE

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- Revision - Lambda Calculus

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- Functional Programming: LISP

# LISP

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- ▶ LISP is the second oldest programming language in common use
- ▶ Invented in 1958 by John McCarthy
- ▶ Was very popular in the AI boom
- ▶ Is a functional programming language
- ▶ Is a practical implementation of the Lambda Calculus
- ▶ Has many dialects (e.g. Clojure, Common Lisp, Racket, Scheme, etc.)

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# LISP = LIST PROCESSING

- ▶ LISP has atoms

- ▶ Numbers, e.g. 10
- ▶ Identifiers, e.g. Foo
- ▶ Strings, e.g. "filename"

- ▶ LISP has lists

- ▶ can contain other lists
- ▶ can contain atoms
- ▶ can contain nothing (empty)

- ▶ very small syntax:

`<object> ::= <atoms> | <list>`

`<list> ::= "(" { <object> } ")"`

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## LIST EXAMPLES IN LISP

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```
(1 2 3)
()
(+ 1 2)
(* (+ 1 2) (- 2 3))
(sq 1 2)
(setq a 100)
(defun sq (n) (* n n))
(let ((a 6)) a)
(if t 5 6)
(cons 5 6)
(cons (cons 6 7))
```

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## CONCEPTS OF LISP

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- ▶ LISP has a data structure model

- ▶ Lists

- ▶ Atoms

- ▶ Even programs are written as lists.

- ▶ Even *LISP* is written as a list.

- ▶ No other data structures

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# EVALUATION

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- ▶ Prefix notation of function calls as lists
  - ▶ Operation is first element
  - ▶ Second and following elements are arguments

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- ▶ Examples:

```
(+ 4 2)
(+ 3 (+ 3 2))
(sq (* 4 2))
```

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# NUMERICAL FUNCTIONS

- ▶ Numerical operations:
  - ▶ Addition: (+ 1 2)
  - ▶ Subtraction: (- 1 2)
  - ▶ Multiplication: (\* 1 2)
  - ▶ Division: (/ 1 2)
- ▶ Square root: (sqrt x)
- ▶ Base Exponent: (expt x y)
- ▶ Trigonometric Functions: (sin x)
- ▶ Absolute Value: (abs x)
- ▶ Modulo: (mod x y)
- ▶ Rounding: (round x)

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## INTERACTION

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- ▶ Interaction with lisp is done in a *read-eval-print loop*
- ▶ Loop consists of the following steps:
  - ▶ Parse input and construct LISP object
  - ▶ Evaluate LISP object to produce output
  - ▶ Print output object
- ▶ Example:

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$$\frac{2}{3} (+ 1 2)$$

# VARIABLES

- Variables can be defined by:

(set! <var> <value>)

- Semantics

<var> := <value>

- Occurrence of variable symbol replaces variable symbol by the value of the variable

- Example:

```
>> (set! a (+ 5 3))
```

```
8
```

```
>> a
```

```
8
```

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## QUOTE

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- If lists should not be evaluated, use function quote

```
>> (setq a (+ 1 2))
```

```
3
>> (setq a (quote (+ 1 2)))
(+ 1 2)
```

- There is a short-hand form, using a single quotation mark

```
>> (setq a '(+ 1 2))
(+ 1 2)
```

## CONDITION FUNCTION

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► Definition: `(if <cond> <true-value> <false-value>)`

► Boolean values in LISP are given by two symbols

► Symbol `nil` (equal to the empty list) represents false

► `T` represents true

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```
>> (if nil 1 2)
```

```
2
```

```
>> (if (= 10 10) 1 2)
```

```
1
```

```
>> (if () 1 2)
```

```
2
```

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## PREDICATES

### ► Type checking predicates

- (atom x) checks whether x is not a list
- (integer? x) checks whether x is an integer
- (number? x) checks whether x is a number
- (string? x) checks whether x is a string

### ► Numerical predicates

- (odd? x) checks whether x is integer and odd
- (even? x) checks whether x is integer and even

### ► Equality

- (equal? x y) checks structural equality
- (eq? x y) checks atom equality
- (eq x y) checks identity
- (= x y) checks numerical equality

### ► Logical operators

- (or x y) logical OR
- (and x y) logical AND

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## FUNCTIONS

- Function declaration:

```
(defun <name> (<arg1> ... <argn>) body)
```

- Translates to:

```
(setq <name> '(lambda (<arg1> ... <argn>) body))
```

```
>> (defun factorial (x)
      (if (= x 0)
```

```
    1
```

```
    (* x (factorial (- x 1)))))
```

```
FACTORIAL
```

```
>> (factorial 4)
```

```
24
```

- Next week we'll do this in lambda calculus directly - without the impurity of defining variables





## BINDINGS (2)

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- Let allows local bindings of variables
- Bindings might be nested – innermost variable is taken

`>> (let ((a 3))`  
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`(let ((a 5))`

`3`  
`))`  
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## LIST CONSTRUCTION

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- Construction with `cons`: `(cons <element> <list>)`
  - `cons` returns a new list with `<element>` as first element, followed by elements in `<list>`

- Construction with `list`: `(list <elem1> ... <elemn>)`

```
>> (cons 1 nil)
```

```
(1)
```

```
>> (cons 'a '(b c))
```

```
(a b c)
```

```
>> (list 1 2 3)
```

```
(1 2 3)
```

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# LIST ACCESS

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- ▶ Access first element: `(first <list>)`
- ▶ Access all but first element: `(rest <list>)`

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```
>> (first '(a b c))
a
```

```
>> (rest '(a b c))
(b c)
```

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## $\lambda$ IN LISP

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```
>> ((lambda (x) (+ x 1)) 4)
5
>> ((lambda (x y z) (* (+ x x) z)) 1 3 5)
10
```

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# $\lambda$ IN HASKELL

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```
>> (\x -> x + 1) 4
5
>> (\x y z -> (x + x) * z) 1 3 5
10
```

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# λ IN PYTHON

```

>>> (lambda x: x + 1) 4
5
>>> (lambda x: lambda y: lambda z: (x + x) * z)(1)(1)
10
>>> f = lambda x: lambda y: lambda z: (x + x) * z
>>> f
<function <lambda> at 0x02F66270>
>>> f(1)
<function <lambda>.<locals>.<lambda> at 0x02F66150>
>>> f(1)(3)
<function <lambda>.<locals>.<lambda>.<locals>.<lambda> at 0x02F66150>
>>> f(1)(3)(5)
10

```

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## λ IN PYTHON

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```

>>> NOT = lambda f: lambda x: lambda y: f(y)(x)
>>> TRUE = lambda x: lambda y: x
>>> FALSE = lambda x: lambda y: y
>>> IF = lambda f: lambda x: lambda y: f(x)(y)
>>> IF (NOT(TRUE)) ("a") ("b")
'a'
>>> IF (NOT(NOT(TRUE))) ("a") ("b")
'b'

```

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# REVIEW

- ▶ Lambda Calculus revision
  - ▶ Application, Abstraction
  - ▶ Rewriting
  - ▶  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  reductions
- ▶ Currying
  - ▶ Multiple arguments
  - ▶ Associativity
- ▶ Encodings
  - ▶ Boolean logic
  - ▶ Church numerals, arithmetic
- ▶ Functional programming
  - ▶ Introduction to LISP
  - ▶ Brief look  $\lambda$  in other languages

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