

CS 2010
Computer Science I

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This Course is About...

Fundamentals of programming

- From specification to implementation
- Software engineering principles

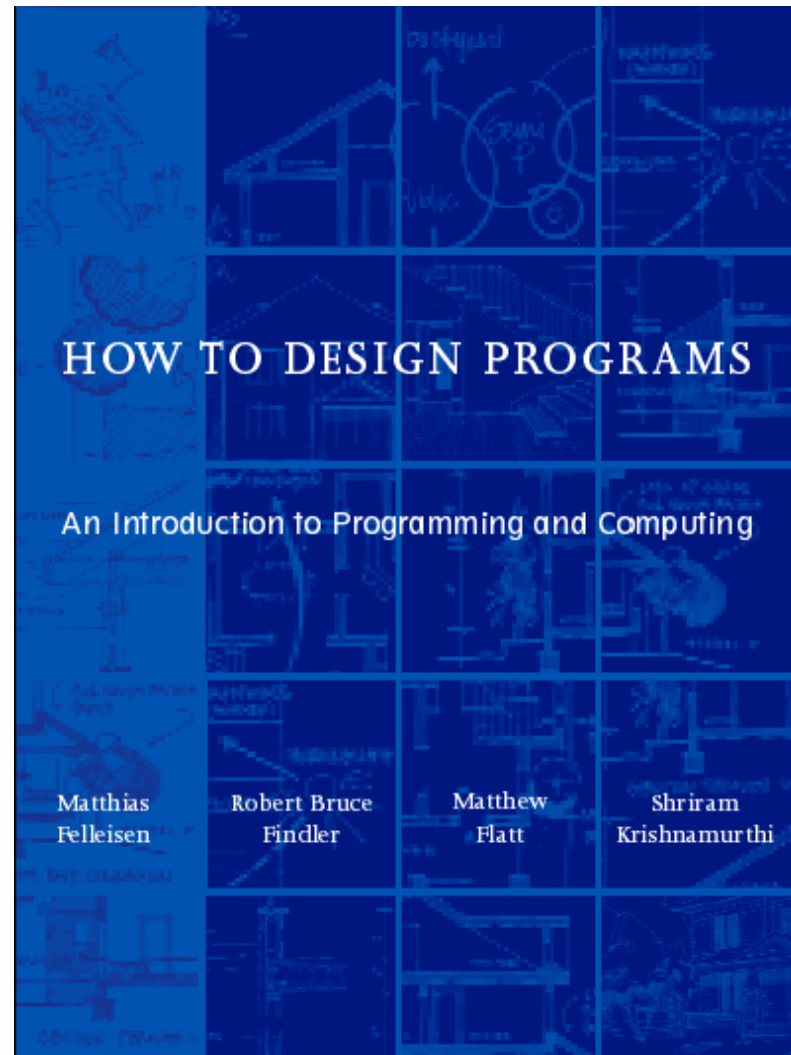
This Course is...

Not about...

- A particular programming language (e.g., Java, C++, Scheme)
- A particular programming tool (e.g., gcc, DrScheme)
- Specific libraries or protocols (e.g., Gtk, XML, HTTP)
- How programs get translated into electronic signals

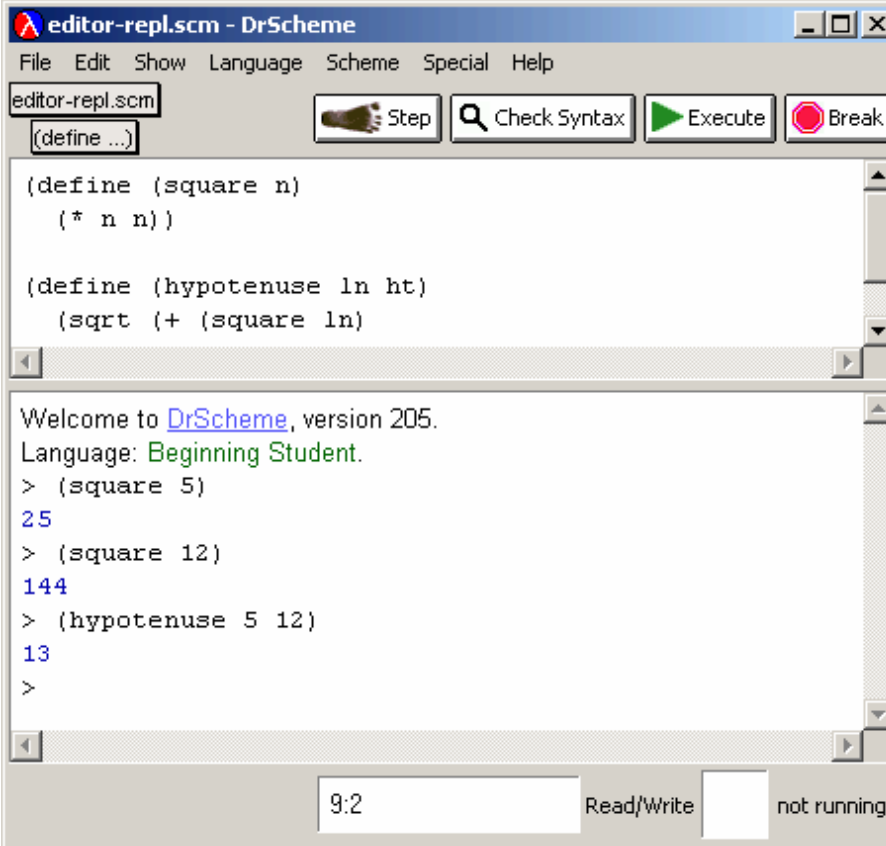
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How to Design Programs



Programming Environment

DrScheme



The screenshot shows the DrScheme programming environment. The window title is "editor-repl.scm - DrScheme". The menu bar includes "File", "Edit", "Show", "Language", "Scheme", "Special", and "Help". The toolbar contains buttons for "Step", "Check Syntax", "Execute", and "Break". The editor area shows the following Scheme code:

```
(define (square n)
  (* n n))

(define (hypotenuse ln ht)
  (sqrt (+ (square ln)
```

The REPL area shows the following interaction:

```
Welcome to DrScheme, version 205.
Language: Beginning Student.
> (square 5)
25
> (square 12)
144
> (hypotenuse 5 12)
13
>
```

The status bar at the bottom shows the cursor position "9:2", the file permissions "Read/Write", and the state "not running".

What is Scheme?

- **Scheme** is a programming language
 - Used to implement DrScheme, for example
- The language for this course matches a subset of Scheme
- The course content is not Scheme-specific

**Getting Started:
Arithmetic, Algebra, and Computing**

Arithmetic is Computing

- Fixed, pre-defined rules for *primitive operators*:

$$2 + 3 = 5$$

$$4 \times 2 = 8$$

$$\cos(0) = 1$$

Arithmetic is Computing

- Fixed, pre-defined rules for *primitive operators*:

$$2 + 3 \rightarrow 5$$

$$4 \times 2 \rightarrow 8$$

$$\cos(0) \rightarrow 1$$

- Rules for combining other rules:
 - Evaluate sub-expressions first

$$4 \times (2 + 3) \rightarrow 4 \times 5 \rightarrow 20$$

- Precedence determines subexpressions:

$$4 + 2 \times 3 \rightarrow 4 + 6 \rightarrow 10$$

Algebra as Computing

- Definition:

$$f(x) = \cos(x) + 2$$

- Expression:

$$f(0) \rightarrow \cos(0) + 2 \rightarrow 1 + 2 \rightarrow 3$$

- First step uses the ***substitution*** rule for functions

Notation

- Why do some primitive operators go in the middle, like $+$, while others go at the front, like \cos ?
- What are the precedence rules?
- How do we know which arguments go with which operators?
- Which parentheses are redundant?
- When does $=$ mean definition and when does it mean a computation step?
- ...

Simplified Expression Notation

- Put all operators at the front
- Start every operation with an open parenthesis
- Put a close parenthesis after the last argument
- Never add extra parentheses

Old

New

1 + 2

(+ 1 2)

4 + 2 × 3

(+ 4 (* 2 3))

cos(0) + 1

(+ (cos 0) 1)

Simplified Definition Notation

- Use the keyword `define` instead of `=`
- Put `define` at the front, and group with parentheses
- Move open parenthesis from after function name to before

Old

$f(x) = \cos(x) + 2$

New

`(define (f x) (+ (cos x) 2))`

- Move open parenthesis in function calls

Old

$f(0)$

New

`(f 0)`

$f(2+3)$

`(f (+ 2 3))`

Evaluation is the Same as Before

```
(define (f x) (+ (cos x) 2))
```

```
(f 0)
```

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(f 0)
```

```
→ (+ (cos 0) 2)
```

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```
(f 0)
```

```
→ (+ (cos 0) 2)
```

```
→ (+ 1 2)
```


Evaluation is the Same as Before

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(define (f x) (+ (cos x) 2))
```

```
(f 0)
```

```
→ (+ (cos 0) 2)
```

```
→ (+ 1 2)
```

```
→ 3
```

Beyond Numbers: Booleans

Numbers are not the only kind of values:

Old

New

$1 < 2 \rightarrow \text{true}$

$(< 1 2) \rightarrow \text{true}$

$1 > 2 \rightarrow \text{true}$

$(> 1 2) \rightarrow \text{false}$

$1 > 2 \rightarrow \text{true}$

$(> 1 2) \rightarrow \text{false}$

$2 \geq 2 \rightarrow \text{true}$

$(\geq 1 2) \rightarrow \text{true}$

Beyond Numbers: Booleans

Old

true and false

true or false

$1 < 2$ and $2 > 3$

$1 \leq 0$ and $1 = 1$

$1 \neq 0$

New

`(and true false)`

`(or true false)`

`(and (< 1 2) (> 2 3))`

`(or (<= 1 0) (= 1 1))`

`(not (= 1 0))`

Beyond Numbers: Symbols

`(symbol=? 'apple 'apple)` → `true`

`(symbol=? 'apple 'banana)` → `false`

Beyond Numbers: Images

`(filled-rect 35 35 'red)` → 

`(filled-circle 25 25 'blue)` → 

`(image+  )` → 

`(offset-image+  5 5 )` → 

`(image=? (image+  ))` 

→ `(image=?  `)

→ `true`

Programming with Images

```
(define (anonymize i)
  (offset-image+
   i
   0 0
   (filled-circle (image-width i)
                  (image-height i)
                  'blue))))
```



Use the stepper to see all steps