

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

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

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

# Scheme 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**

$1 + 2$

$(+ 1 2)$

$4 + 2 \times 3$

$(+ 4 (* 2 3))$

$\cos(0) + 1$

$(+ (\cos 0) 1)$



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- Move open parenthesis in function calls

**Old**

`f(0)`

**New**

`(f 0)`

`f(2+3)`

`(f (+ 2 3))`

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```
→ 3
```

# Beyond Numbers: Booleans

Numbers are not the only kind of values:

<b>Old</b>	<b>New</b>
$1 < 2 \rightarrow \text{true}$	$( < 1 2 ) \rightarrow \text{true}$
$1 > 2 \rightarrow \text{true}$	$( > 1 2 ) \rightarrow \text{false}$
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$2 \geq 2 \rightarrow \text{true}$	$( \geq 1 2 ) \rightarrow \text{true}$

# 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`

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
`(image+  )` → 

`(offset-image+  5 5 )` → 






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→ `(image=?  )`  
→ `true`

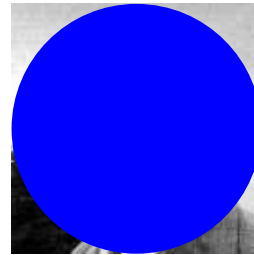
# Programming with Images

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

(anonymize



→ ... →



# Conditionals

# Conditionals in Algebra

General format of conditionals in algebra:

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{ll} \textit{answer} & \textit{question} \\ \dots & \\ \textit{answer} & \textit{question} \end{array} \right.$$

Example:

$$\text{abs}(x) = \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} x & \text{if } x > 0 \\ -x & \text{otherwise} \end{array} \right.$$

$$\text{abs}(10) = 10$$

$$\text{abs}(-7) = 7$$



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```
(define (abs x)
  (cond
    [(> x 0) x]
    [else (- x)]))
(abs 10) "should be" 10
(abs -7) "should be" 7
```

## Completing max-image

- Use `cond` to complete `max-image`

```
(define (max-image a b)
  (cond
    [(bigger-image? a b) a]
    [else b]))
```

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```
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```
(- 1 (cond
      [true 0]
      [(< 10 12) 10]
      [(>= 10 12) 12])) → (- 1 0) → 1
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(* 1 (cond
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Example:

```
(+ 1 (cond
  [false 1]
  [true 17])) → (+ 1 (cond
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→ (+ 1 17) → 18
```

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First question isn't a value, yet

```
(cond  
  [question answer]  
  ...  
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```

→

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Example:

```
(+ 1 (cond
      [(< 1 2) 5]
      [else 8])) → (+ 1 (cond
      [true 5]
      [else 8]))
                → (+ 1 5) → 6
```

## Evaluation Rules for cond

Only question is false answers

`(cond`  
  `[false 10])` → *error: all questions false*

# Finding Images

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## Image Tests in Conditionals

Now we can combine such operators with `cond`:

```
; detect-person : image image image -> image  
; Returns a or b, depending on which is in i  
(define (detect-person i a b)  
  (cond  
    [(image-inside? i a) a]  
    [(image-inside? i b) b])))
```

`(detect-person`



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Need an operator that reports *where* an image exists

# Finding an Image Position

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**Must return a single value**

Correct contract:

find-image : image image -> posn

- A `posn` is a *compound value*

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A `posn` is a value, just like a number, symbol, or image

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```
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Example:

$$(\text{make-posn } (+ \ 1 \ 2) \ 200) \rightarrow (\text{make-posn } 3 \ 200)$$

## Posn Examples

```
(make-posn (+ 1 2) (+ 3 4))
```

```
(posn-x (make-posn (+ 1 2) (+ 3 4)))
```

```
; pixels-from-corner : posn -> num
```

```
(define (pixels-from-corner p)
```

```
  (+ (posn-x p) (posn-y p)))
```

```
(pixels-from-corner (make-posn 1 2))
```

```
; flip : posn -> posn
```

```
(define (flip p)
```

```
  (make-posn (posn-y p) (posn-x p)))
```

```
(flip (make-posn 1 2))
```

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# Programmer-Defined Compound Data

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```
(snake-weight (make-snake X Y Z)) → Y
```

```
(snake-food (make-snake X Y Z)) → Z
```