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Web programming without tiers

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A Grand Challenge

Design a programming language with
a sound basis in theory that becomes the
leader in its domain.

A Jolly Good Challenge

Design a programming language with
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Wadler's theorem of language adoption

A programming language will be adopted
if and only if
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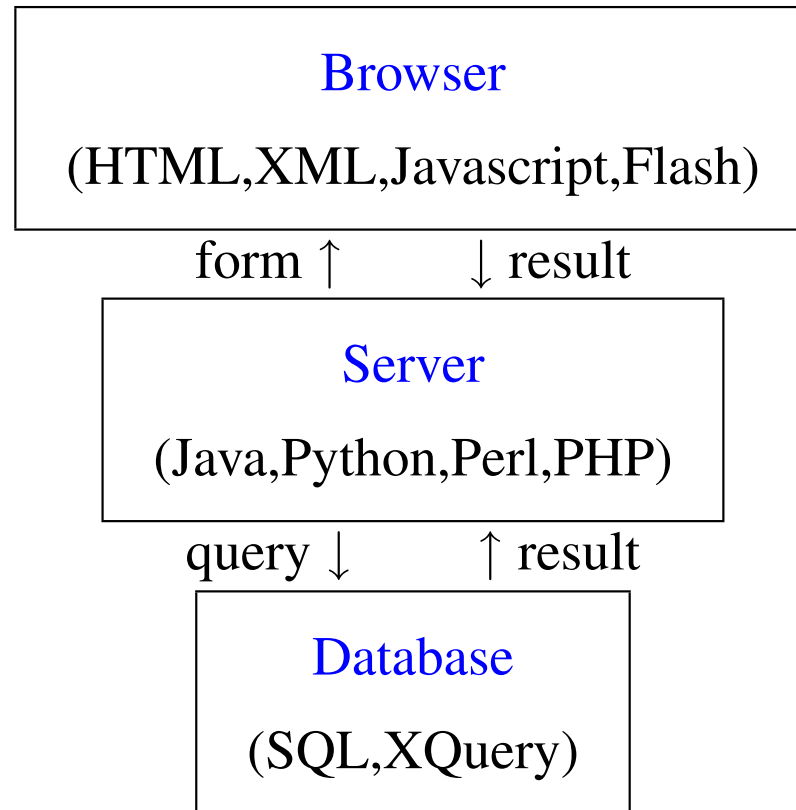
Wadler's theorem of language adoption

A programming language will be adopted
if and only if

it permits its users to

boldly go where no programming language has gone before.

Three-tier model



Links builds on successes of functional programming

- **Databases** Kleisli, LINQ
Compile Links into SQL, XQuery
- **XML** Xduce, XQuery
XML support with regular expression types
- **Continuations** PLT Scheme, Yahoo stores
Continuations for web dialogue
- **Distribution** Erlang, JoCaml
Reliability as in Erlang/OTP
- **Javascript** AJAX
Compile Links into Javascript

Part I

Kleisli:

Comprehensions for Queries

Comprehensions

$[(x, y) \mid x \leftarrow [1, 2, 3], y \leftarrow ['a', 'b']]$

=

$join [[(x, y) \mid y \leftarrow ['a', 'b']] \mid x \leftarrow [1, 2, 3]]$

=

$join [[(x, 'a'), (x, 'b')] \mid x \leftarrow [1, 2, 3]]$

=

$join [[(1, 'a'), (1, 'b')], [(2, 'a'), (2, 'b')], [(3, 'a'), (3, 'b')]]$

=

$[(1, 'a'), (1, 'b'), (2, 'a'), (2, 'b'), (3, 'a'), (3, 'b')]$

Monads and Comprehensions

$$(1) \quad [t \mid ()] = \mathit{unit} \, t$$

$$(2) \quad [t \mid x \leftarrow u] = \mathit{map} \, (\lambda x. t) \, u$$

$$(3) \quad [t \mid (p, q)] = \mathit{join} \, [[t \mid q] \mid p]$$

$$(1') \quad \mathit{unit} \, x = [x]$$

$$(2') \quad \mathit{map} \, f \, xs = [f \, x \mid x \leftarrow xs]$$

$$(3') \quad \mathit{join} \, xss = [x \mid xs \leftarrow xss, x \leftarrow xs]$$

Monad laws and Comprehension laws

$$(I) \quad \textit{join} \cdot \textit{unit} = \textit{id}$$

$$(II) \quad \textit{join} \cdot \textit{map unit} = \textit{id}$$

$$(III) \quad \textit{join} \cdot \textit{join} = \textit{join} \cdot \textit{map join}$$

$$(I') \quad [t \mid (), q] = [t \mid q]$$

$$(II') \quad [t \mid q, ()] = [t \mid q]$$

$$(III') \quad [t \mid (p, q), r] = [t \mid p, (q, r)]$$

Relational Data

BOOKS

title	isbn	year
What Can You Do With a Shoe?	0613733266	1997
Where the Wild Things Are	0060254920	1963

AUTHORS

author	isbn
Beatrice Schenk de Regniers	0613733266
Maurice Sendak	0613733266
Maurice Sendak	0060254920

Relational Query

SQL

```
select b.title, a.author  
from BOOKS b, AUTHORS a  
where b.isbn = a.isbn  
      and b.year < 2000
```

Kleisli (Buneman & Wong & others)

```
{ (title: b.title, author: a.author) |  
  \b <--- BOOKS, \a <--- AUTHORS,  
  b.isbn = a.isbn, b.year < 2000 }
```

LINQ (Hejlsberg & Meijer & others)

```
from b in BOOKS  
from a in AUTHORS  
where b.isbn == a.isbn && b.year < 2000  
select new { title=b.title, author=a.author };
```

An odd relational Query

Kleisli

```
{ (title: b.title, author: a.author) |  
  \b <--- BOOKS, \a <--- AUTHORS,  
  b.isbn = b.isbn, b.year < 2000, odd(b.year) }
```

Optimized Kleisli

```
{ (title: t, author: a) |  
  (title: \t, year: \y, author: \a)  
    <--- { (title: b.title, author: a.author, year: b.year) |  
          \t <--- BOOKS, \a <--- AUTHORS,  
          t.isbn = a.isbn, t.year < 2000 }  
  odd(y) }
```

Kleisli for bioinformatics

```
localblast-blastp (#name: "scop-blast", #db: "scopseq");
localblast-blastp (#name: "pat-blast", #db: "patseq");
scop-add "scop";
setindex-access (#name:"sid2seq", #file: "scopseq",
                 #key: "#sid");

{(#sf: (#desc: xinfo.#desc.#sf, #hit:x.#accession,
        #pscore:x.#pscore),
  #bridge: (#hit: s, #patent: p.#title, #pscore: p.#pscore))
| \x <- process SEQ using scop-blast, x.#pscore <= PSCORE,
  \xinfo <- process <#sidinfo: x.#accession> using scop,
  \s <- process <#numsid: xinfo.#type.#sf> using scop,
  \y <- process <#key: s> using sid2seq,
  \p <- process y.#seq using pat-blast, p.#pscore <= PSCORE };
```

Kleisli was first to perform “twelve impossible queries” identified by DoE

Workshop for Human Genome Project

XML Data

```
<books>
  <book>
    <title>Where the Wild Things Are</title>
    <author>Maurice Sendak</author>
    <isbn>0060254920</isbn>
    <year>1963</year>
  </book>
  <book>
    <title>What Can You Do With a Shoe?</title>
    <author>Beatrice Schenk de Regniers</author>
    <author>Maurice Sendak</author>
    <isbn>0613733266</isbn>
    <year>1997</year>
  </book>
</books>
```


XML Query

XQuery

```
for $b from input() /books/book  
    $a from $b/author  
where $b/year < 2000  
return  
    <book>{ $b/title, $a }</book>
```

Kleisli

```
{ (title: b.title, author: a) |  
  \b <--- BOOKS, \a <-- t.authors,  
  b.year < 2000 }
```

LINQ

```
from b in BOOKS  
from a in b.authors  
where b.isbn == a.isbn && b.year < 2000  
select (b.title, a.author)
```

Links

- General-purpose, compiles to SQL or XQuery
differs for Kleisli
- No syntactic distinction, one expression may query multiple sources
differs from LINQ
- Other related work
Mnesia in Erlang (Mattsson, Nilsson & Wikstrom)
Natural Expert (Hutchison, Neuhaus, Schmidt-Schauss & Hall)

Part II

Xduce:

Regular expression types for XML

XML data

```
<addrbook>
  <person>
    <name>Haruo Hosoya</name>
    <email>hahosoya@kyoto-u</email>
    <email>hahosoya@upenn</email>
  </person>
  <person>
    <name>Benjamin Pierce</name>
    <email>bcpierce@upenn</email>
    <tel>123-456-789</tel>
  </person>
</addrbook>
```

Hosoya and Pierce

Xduce types

```
type Addrbook = addrbook[Person*]  
type Person = person[Name,Email*,Tel?]  
type Name = name[String]  
type Email = email[String]  
type Tel = tel[String]  
  
type TelBook = telbook[TelPerson*]  
type TelPerson = person[Name,Tel]
```

XML Schema

```
<xs:element name="addrbook">
  <xs:complexType>
    <xs:sequence>
      <xs:element name="Person"
        minOccurs="0" maxOccurs="unbounded"/>
    </xs:sequence>
  </xs:complexType>
</xs:element>
<xs:element name="addrbook">
  <xs:complexType>
    <xs:sequence>
      <xs:element name="name" type="xs:string"/>
      <xs:element name="email" type="xs:string"/>
      <xs:element name="tel" type="xs:string"/>
    </xs:sequence>
  </xs:complexType>
</xs:element>
```

Xduce transformation

```
fun telbook(doc : Addrbook) : TelBook =  
  match doc with  
    addrbook[val persons as Person*] ->  
      telbook[telpersons(persons)]
```

```
fun telpersons (val ps as Person*) : TelPerson* =  
  match ps with  
    person[name[val n as String], Email*,  
            tel[val t as String]],  
    val rest as Person*  
      -> person[name[n], tel[t]],  
          telpersons(rest)  
  | person[name[val n as String], Email*],  
    val rest as Person*  
      -> telpersons(rest)  
  | ()  
      -> ()
```


XQuery transformation

```
<telbook>{  
  for $person in input()/addrbook/person[tel] return  
    <person>{ $person/name, $person/tel }</person>  
}</telbook>
```



XQuery 1.0: An XML Query Language

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3.3.2 Matches

Notation

The judgment

Value matches Type

holds when the given value matches the given type.

Semantics

This judgment is specified by the following rules.

The empty sequence matches the empty sequence type.

$$\frac{}{\text{statEnv} \mid - () \text{ matches } ()}$$

If two values match two types, then their sequence matches the corresponding sequence type.

$$\frac{\begin{array}{l} \text{statEnv} \mid - \text{Value}_1 \text{ matches } \text{Type}_1 \\ \text{statEnv} \mid - \text{Value}_2 \text{ matches } \text{Type}_2 \end{array}}{\text{statEnv} \mid - \text{Value}_1, \text{Value}_2 \text{ matches } \text{Type}_1, \text{Type}_2}$$

Links

- Also use regular expressions for lists

A, A?, A+, A*

A? corresponds to maybe type of Haskell

- XML syntax that works for cut-and-paste

`<greet>Hello, {x}</greet>` vs. `<greet>'Hello, ', x</>`

- Other related work

Xtatic (Gapayev, Levin & Pierce)

Cduce (Benzaken, Castagna & Frisch)

Jwig (Schwartbach & Møller)

Part III

PLT Scheme: Continuations for the Web

Orbitz



Graunke, Findler, Krishnamurthi, Felleisen
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


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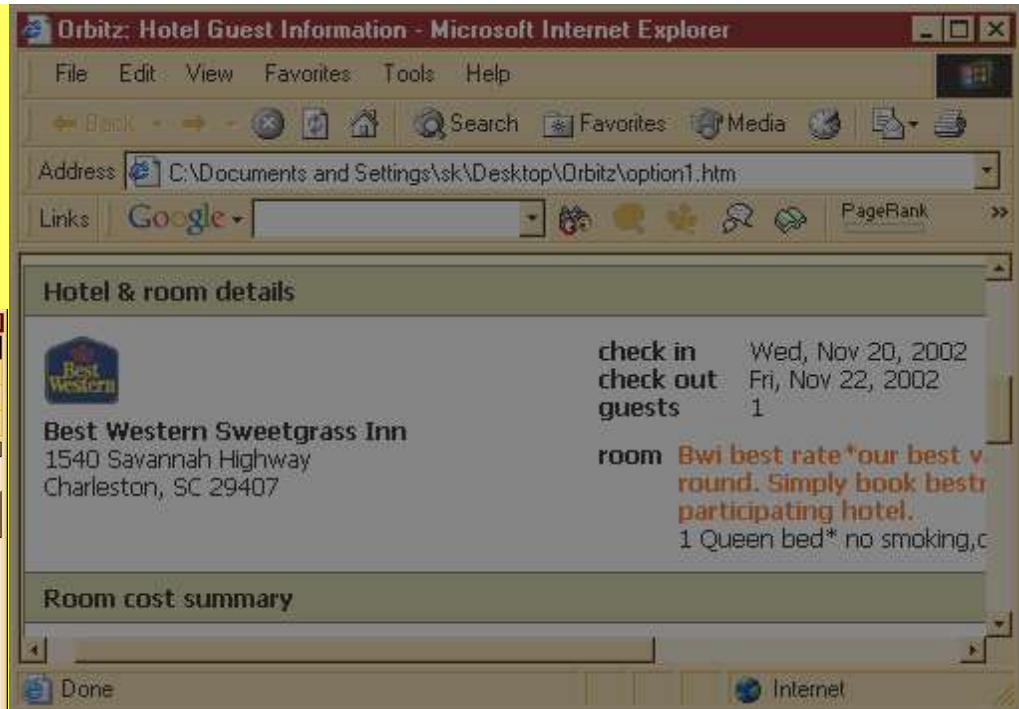
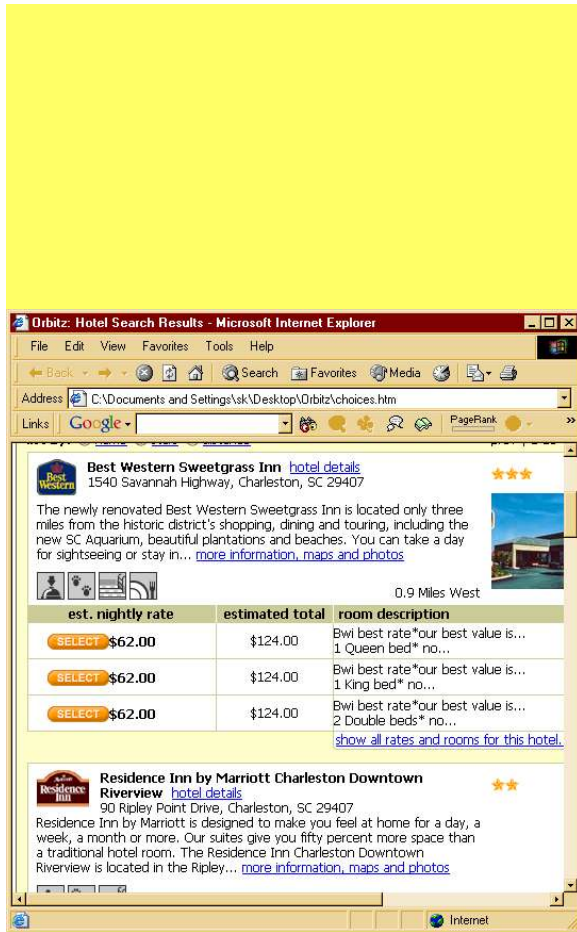
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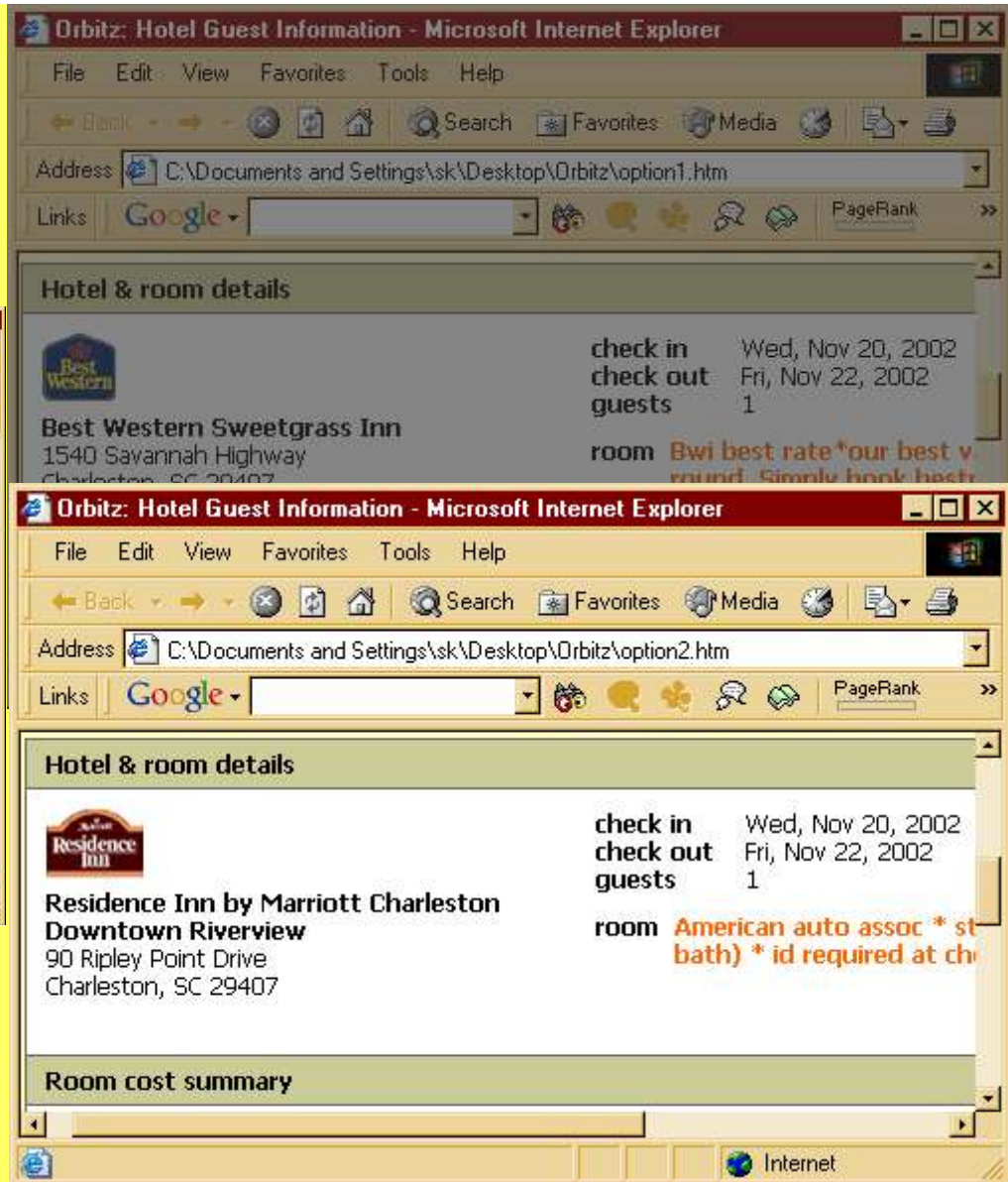
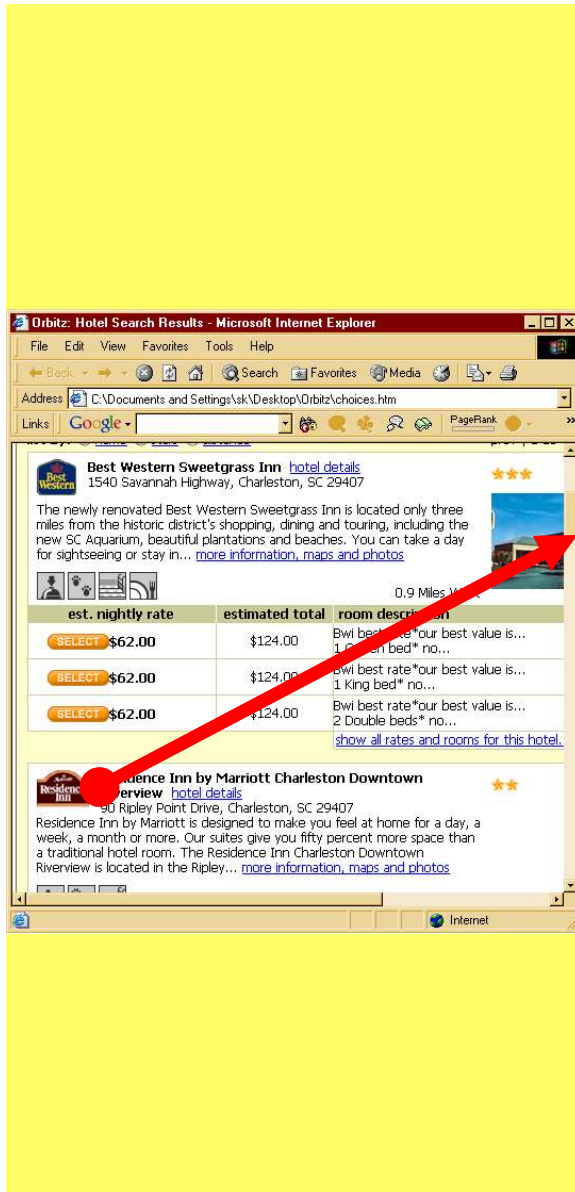
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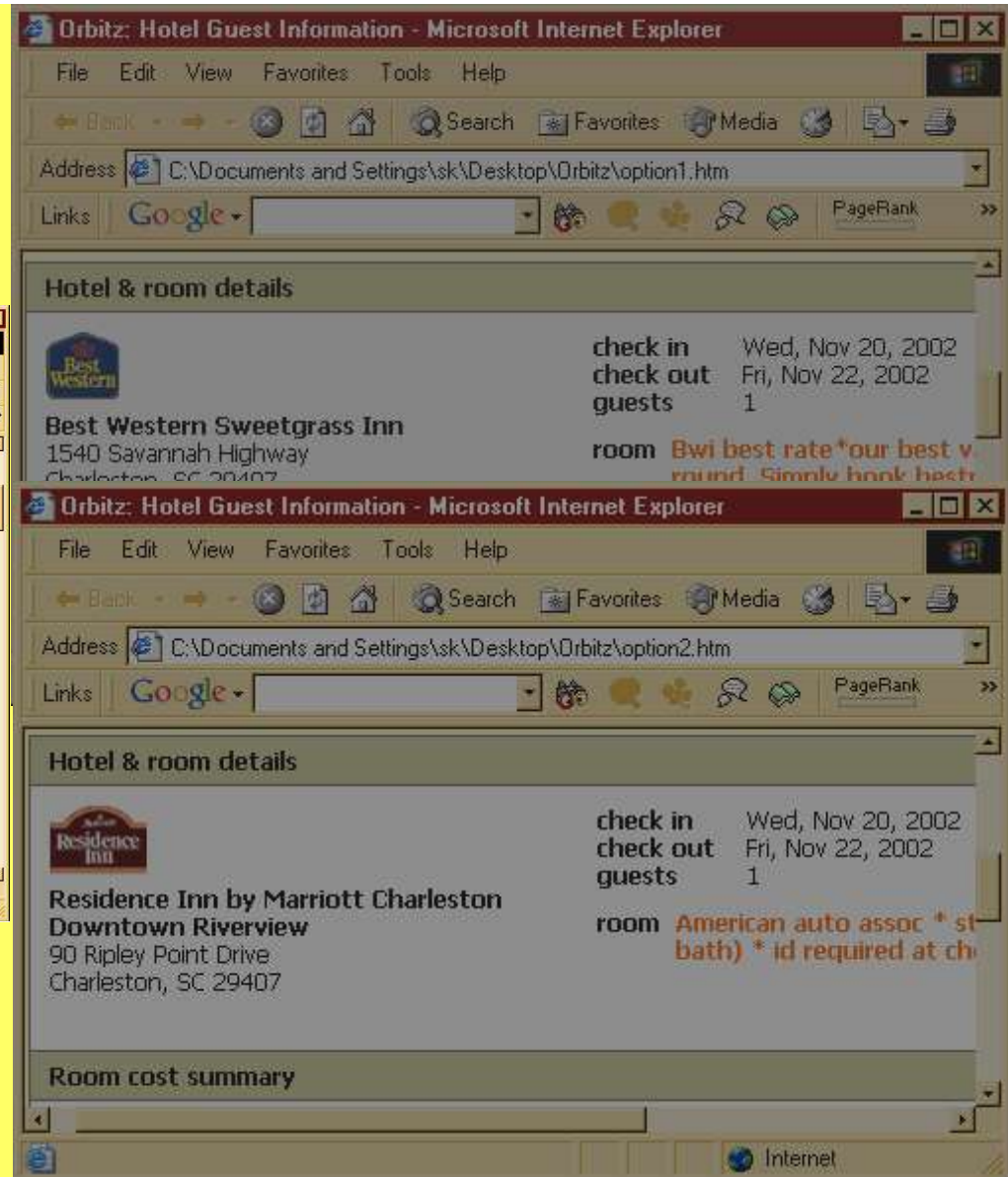
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bath) * id required at ch

Room cost summary

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The image displays two screenshots of the Orbitz website. The top screenshot shows the search results for 'Best Western Sweetgrass Inn' in Charleston, SC. The bottom screenshot shows the detailed view of the 'Best Western Sweetgrass Inn'.

Search Results (Top Screenshot):

- Best Western Sweetgrass Inn** hotel details
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The screenshot shows a Microsoft Internet Explorer window titled "Orbitz: Hotel Reservation Information". The address bar shows the path "C:\Documents and Settings\sk\Desktop\Orbitz\clickthrough.htm". The form is for a hotel reservation at the Residence Inn by Marriott Charleston Downtown Riverview. It includes fields for guest information, travel dates, and room details.

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Est. total cost \$214.20*

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check-in Wed, Nov 20, 2002
check-out Fri, Nov 22, 2002
guests 1
number of nights 2

Shriram Krishnamurthi

☒ save this traveler profile in "My Stuff"

*phone number
401-453-5890

optional special request
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Est. total cost \$214.20*

Residence Inn by Marriott Charleston Downtown Riverview

90 Ripley Point Drive
Charleston, SC 29407

check-in Wed, Nov 20, 2002
check-out Fri, Nov 22, 2002
guests 1
number of nights 2

Shriram Krishnamurthi

☒ save this traveler profile in "My Stuff"

*phone number
401-453-5890

optional special request
no special request

Frequent guest information

☒ no frequent guest program
☐ stored frequent guest program

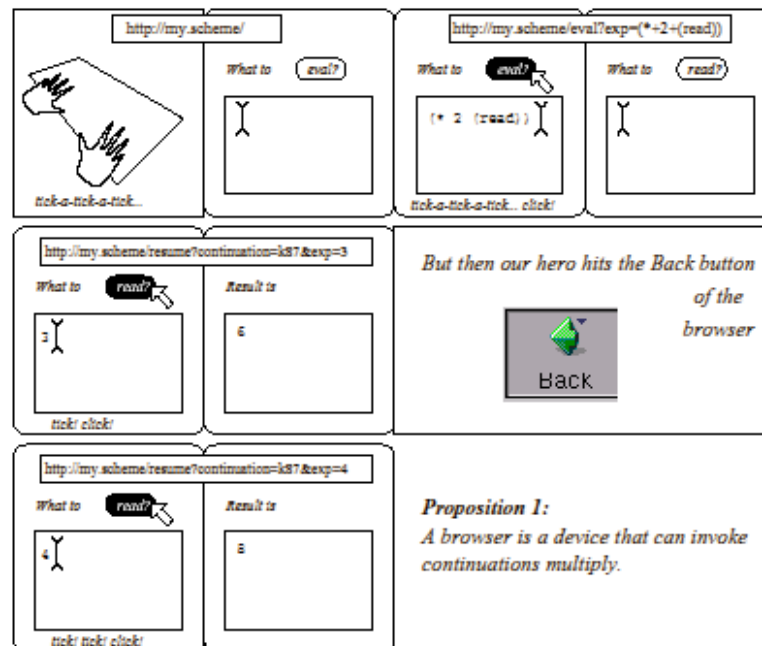
Room cost summary

Internet

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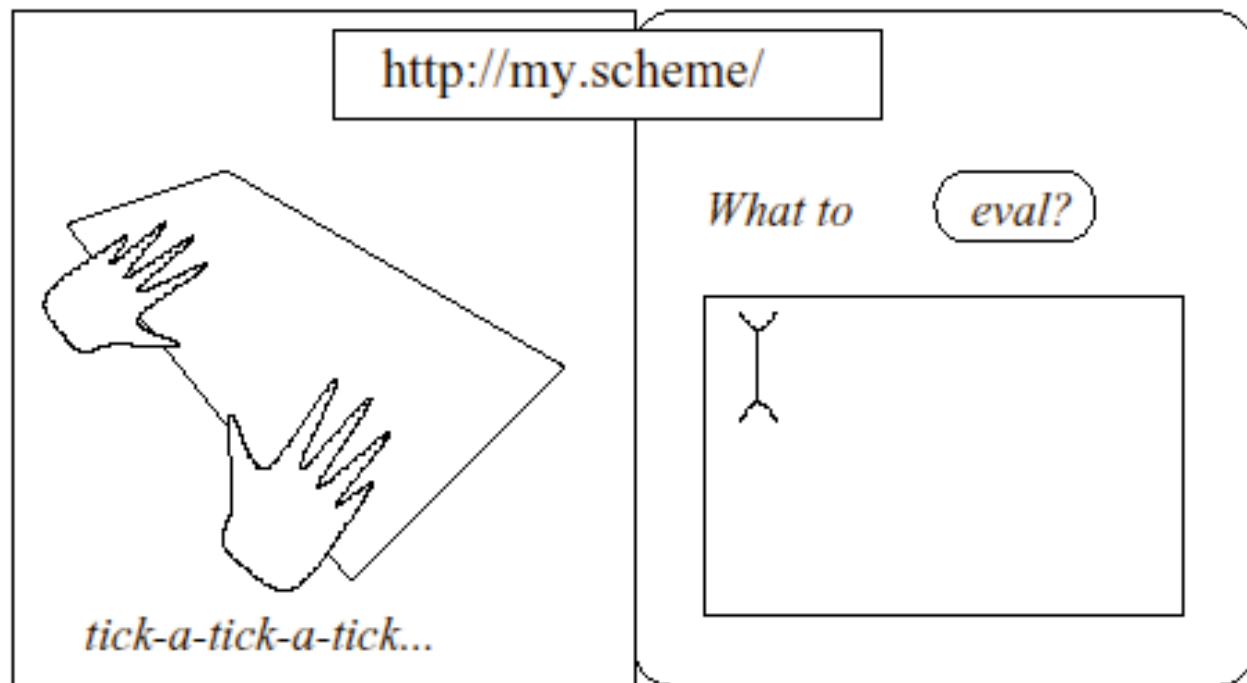
The Influence of Browsers on Evaluators or, Continuations to Program Web Servers [revised 31 DEC 2000]

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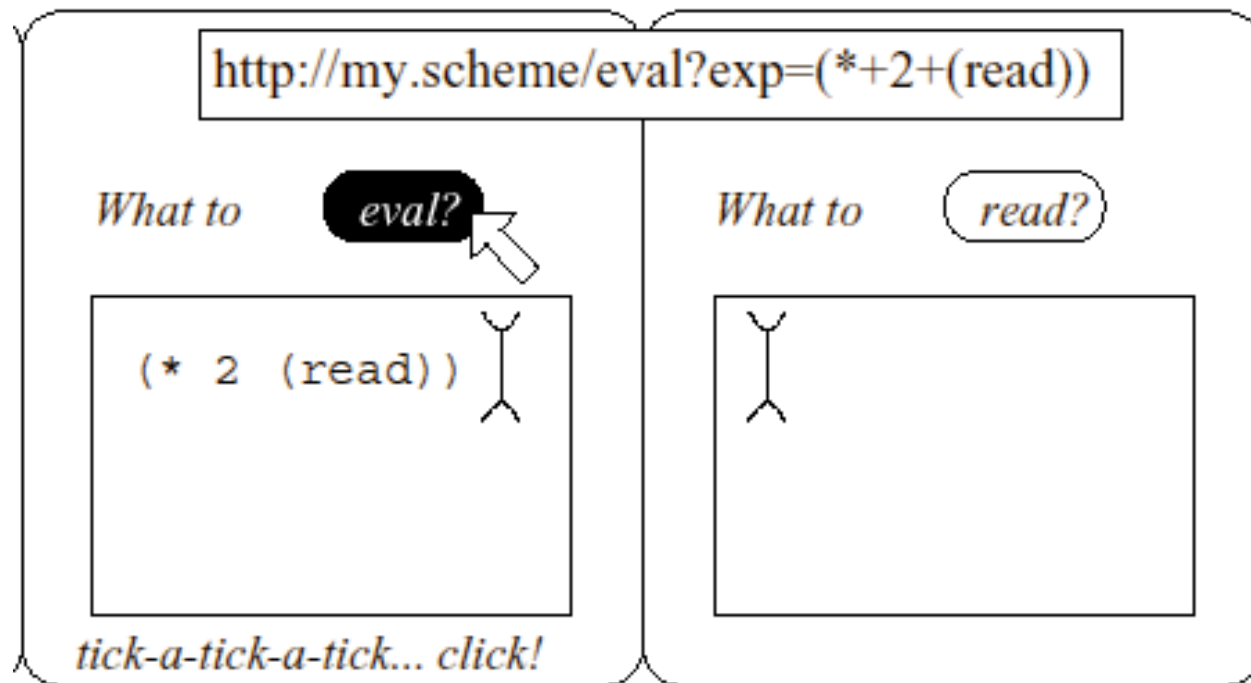


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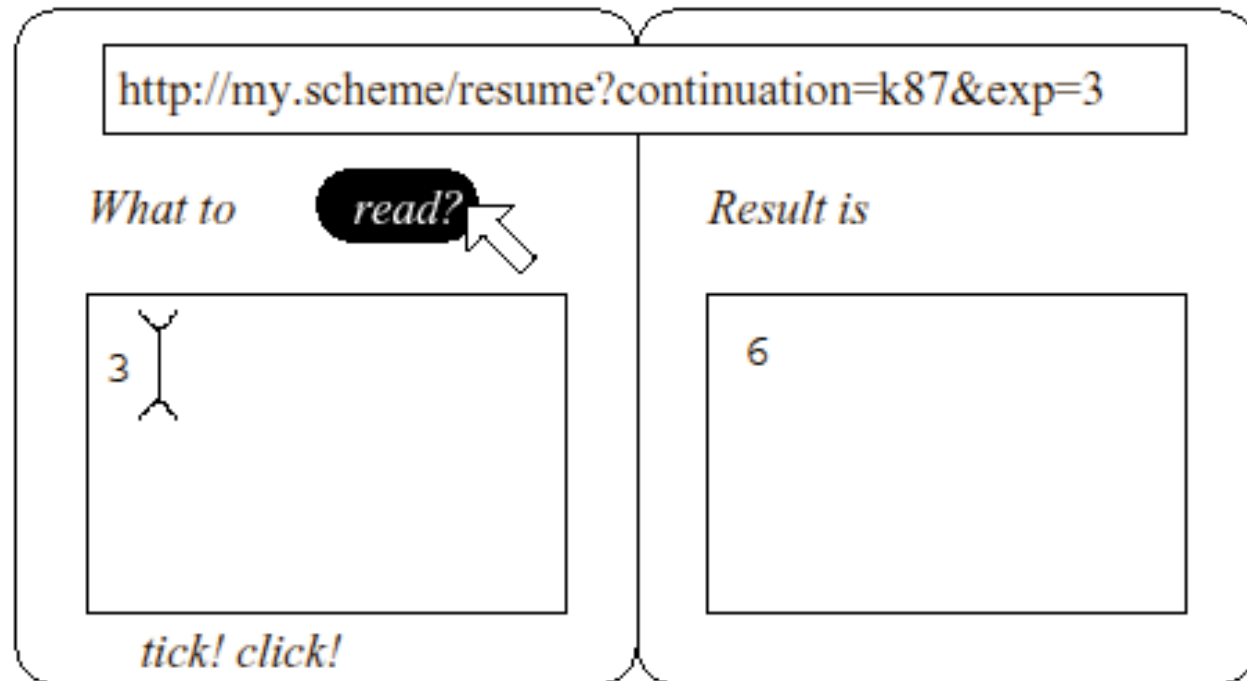
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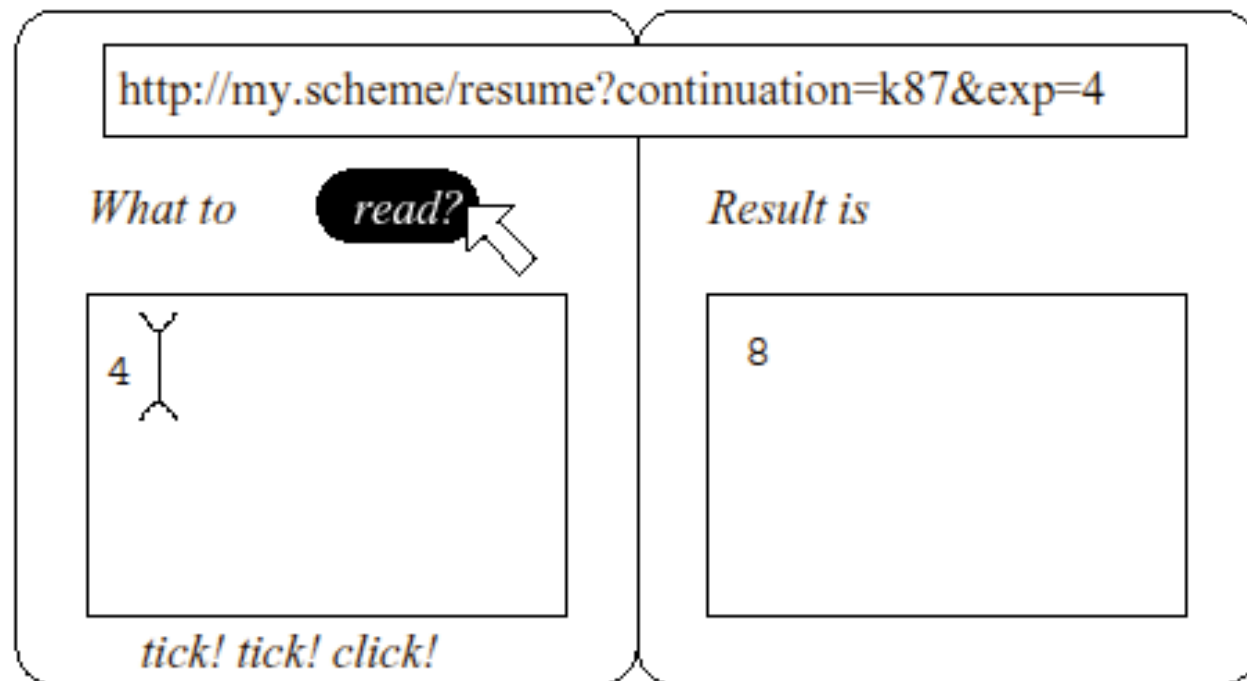
Continuations

*But then our hero hits the Back button
of the*



browser

Continuations



also used by Paul Graham for Yahoo stores

Links

- [What are the right scopes?](#) session scope vs. global scope
key question for web applications!
- [“Scalable”](#)
state stored in client, not in server
- [Mechanisms](#)
hooks to choose implementation technique
URL parameters vs. hidden fields
cryptographically protect state kept in client
- [Other related work](#)
Mawl (Ramming, Atkins, Ball, Bruns, Cox)
WASH (Thiemann)

Part IV

Erlang:

Communication via values

Erlang: An area server

```
start() ->
    register(area_server,
        spawn(fun() -> loop(0) end)).
loop(Tot) ->
    receive
        {Pid, {square, X}} ->
            Pid ! X*X,
            loop(Tot + X*X);
        {Pid, {rectangle, [X,Y]}} ->
            Pid ! X*Y,
            loop(Tot + X*Y);
        {Pid, areas} ->
            Pid ! Tot,
            loop(Tot)
    end.
```

Armstrong, Viriding, Williams & Wikström

Erlang: Generic server

```
start(Name, Data, Fun) ->
    register(Name,
        spawn(fun() -> loop(Data, Fun) end)).
Rpc(Name, Query) ->
    Tag = ref(),
    Name ! {query, self(), Tag, Query},
    receive
        {Tag, Reply} -> Reply
    end.
loop(Data, Fun) ->
    receive
        {query, Pid, Tag, Query} ->
            {Reply, Data1} = Fun(Query, Data),
            Pid ! {Tag, Reply},
            loop(Data1, Fun)
    end.
```

Erlang: Instantiating the Generic Server

```
start() ->
    start(area_server, 0, handler/2).
handler({square, X}, Tot) ->
    {X*X, Tot + X*X};
handler({rectangle, [X,Y]}, Tot) ->
    {X*Y, Tot + X*Y};
handler(areas, Tot) ->
    {Tot, Tot}.
```

Erlang: Instantiating a Replicated Server

```
start() ->
    start_replicated(area_server, 0, handler/2).
handler({square, X}, Tot) ->
    {X*X, Tot + X*X};
handler({rectangle, [X,Y]}, Tot) ->
    {X*Y, Tot + X*Y};
handler(areas, Tot) ->
    {Tot, Tot}.
```

Links

- Regular expressions for session types

```
session AreaServer =  
  (square[Int] | rectangle[Int,Int] | areas[]) *  
session InitializedAreaServer =  
  initialize[ ],  
  (square[Int] | rectangle[Int,Int] | areas[]) *
```

- User interface as a process

```
session DOM =  
  (root[HTML] | todolist[li[String]*]) *
```

- Resumption-passing style

Server processes hibernate on client

- Other related work

JoCaml (Fournet & Gonthier)

Timber (Carlsson, Nordlander & Kieburtz)

Part V

Javascript:

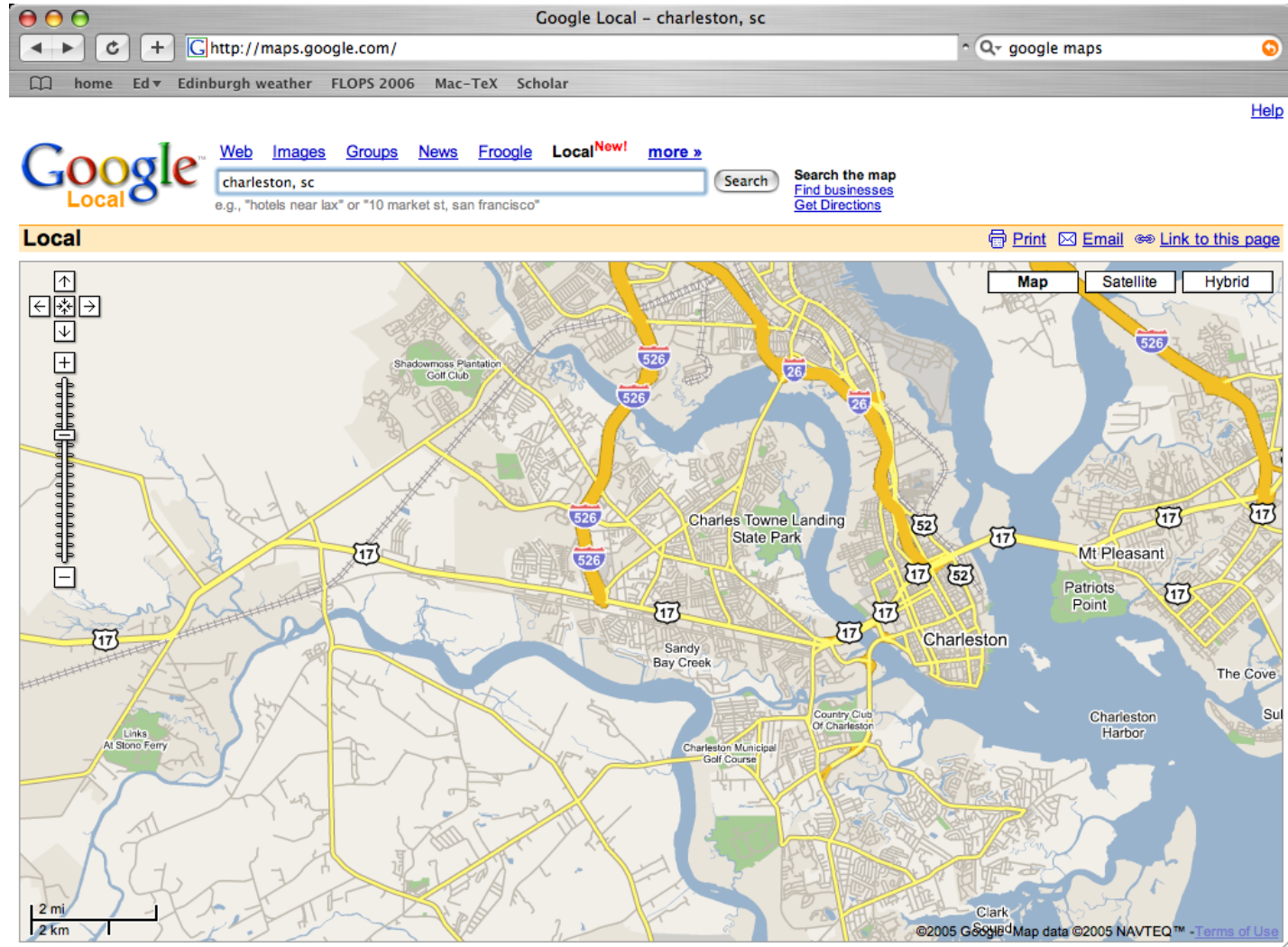
The world's most-widely deployed
functional language

Javascript is a functional language

```
Array.prototype.reduce=function(templateFunction) {  
    var l=this.length;  
    var s='';  
    for (var i=0;i<l;i++) s+=templateFunction(this[i]);  
    return s;  
}  
function wrap(tag) {  
    var stag='<'+tag+'>';  
    var etag='</'+tag.replace(/s.*/,'')+>';  
    return function(x) {  
        return stag+x+etag;  
    }  
}  
document.write(  
    '<TABLE><TR>'+  
        arr.reduce(wrap('TD class="small"'))+  
    '</TR></TABLE>'  
);
```

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AJAX

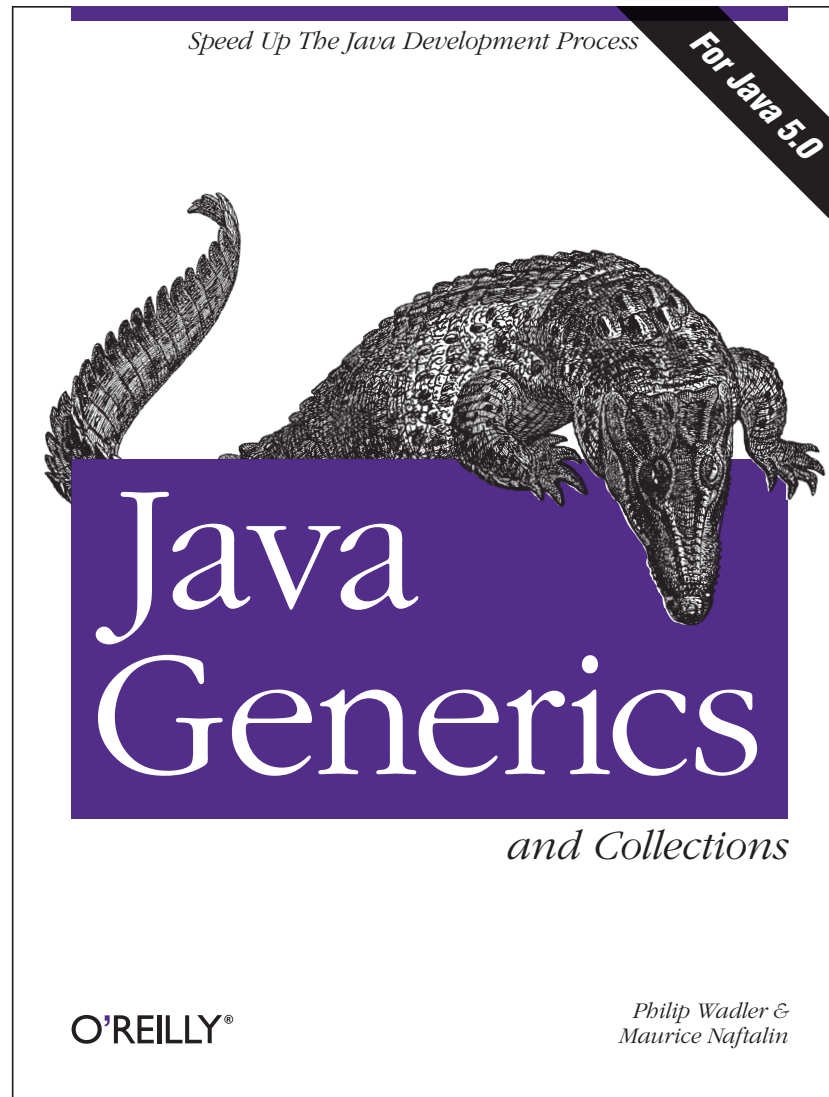


Part VI

Java:

Another widely deployed
functional language

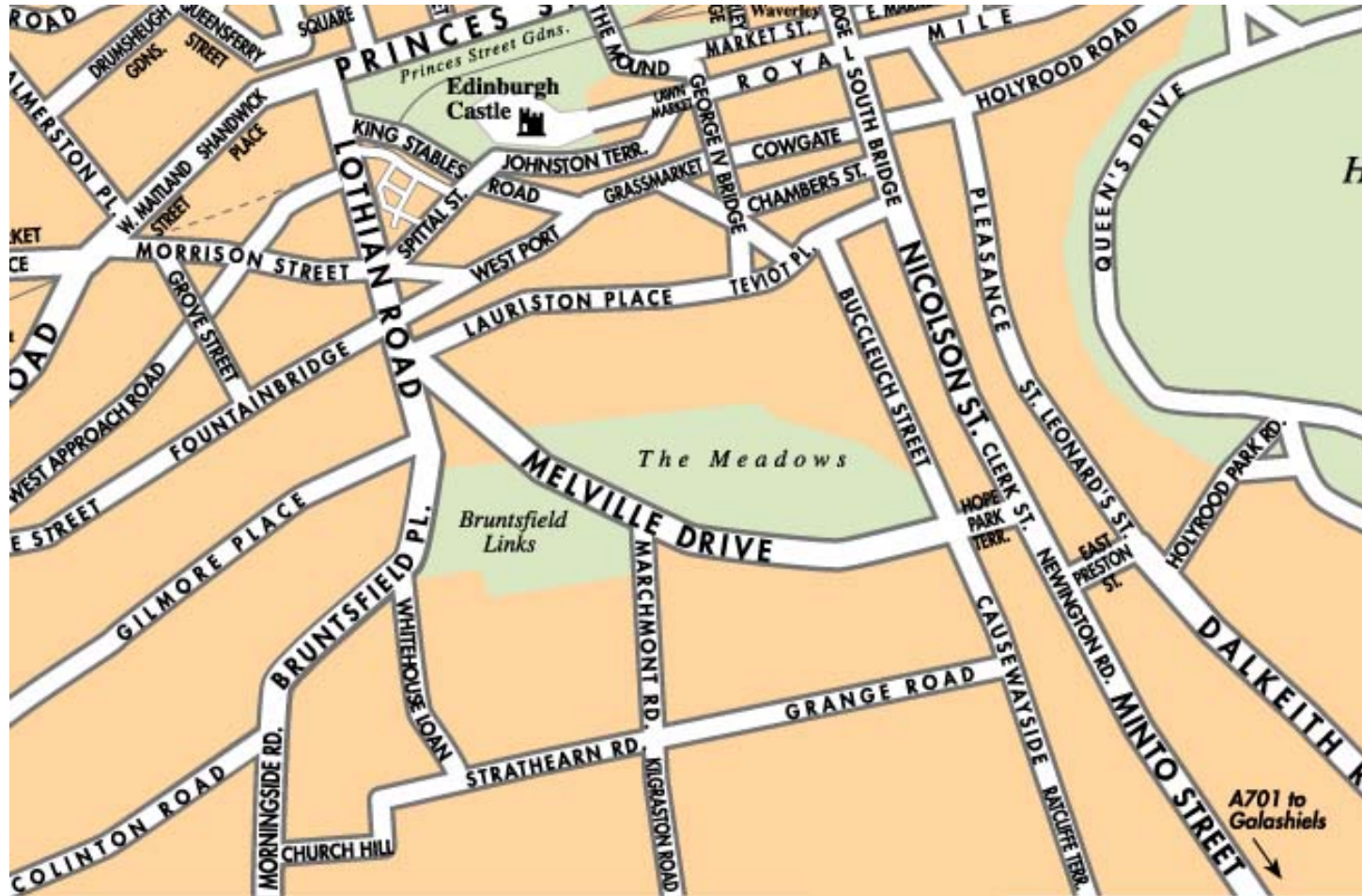
Java generics



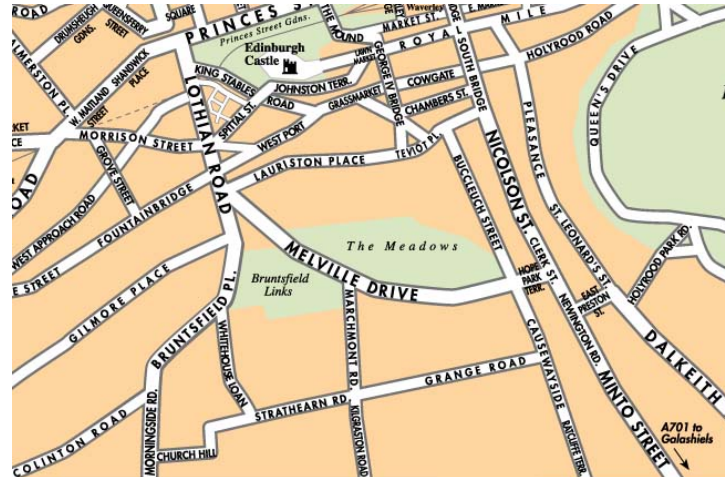
Part VII

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Links

(Bruntsfield Links)

Wadler et al (2005)

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(Hope Park Square)

Burstall, MacQueen,

Sannella (1980)

Links meeting, 6 April 2005

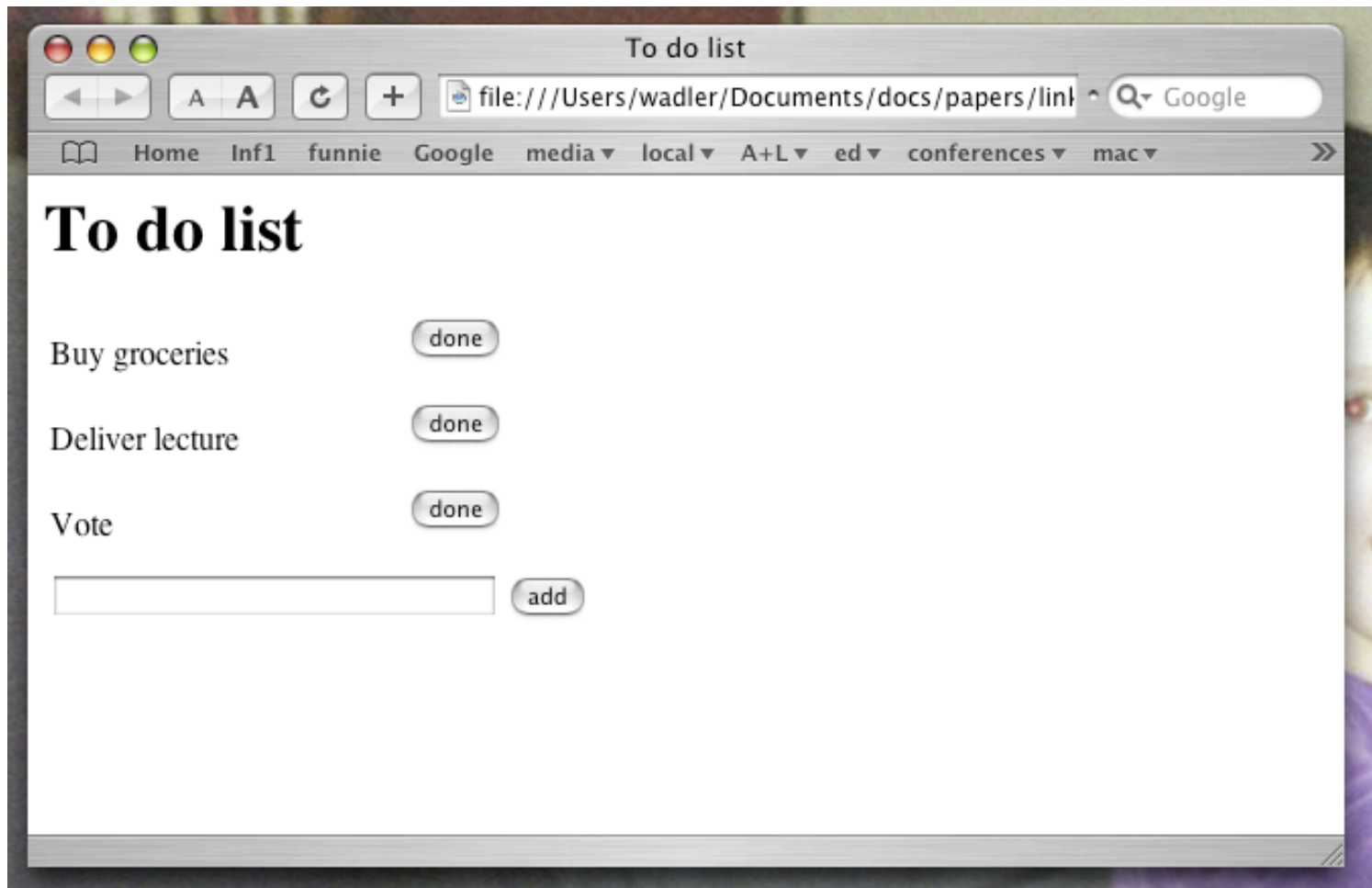


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Part VIII

A Links program
state in client



```
main() { todo([]) }
todo(items) {
  <html><body>
    <h1>Items to do</h1>
    <table>{
      for item in items return
        <tr>
          <td>{item}</td>
          <td>
            <form l:action="{todo(items\\[item])}">
              <input type="submit" value="done"/>
            </form>
          </td>
        </tr>
      }</table>
    <form l:action="{todo(items++[new])}">
      <input l:name="{new}" type="text" size="40">
      <input type="submit" value="add"/>
    </form>
  </body></html>
}
```

Part IX

A Links program
state in server

```

table TODO of (name : String, item: String)
lookup(n) { [ i | (name:n,item:i) <- TODO ] }
add(n,i) {
  insert into TODO values (name:n, item:i);
  todo(name)
}
remove(n,i) {
  remove from TODO values (name:n, item:i);
  todo(name)
}
main() {
  <html><body>
    <h1>Login</h1>
    <form l:action="todo(name)">
      <input l:name="{name}" type="text" size="40">
      <input type="submit" value="login"/>
    </form>
  </body></html>
}

```

```
todo(name) {  
  let items = lookup(name) in  
  <html><body>  
    <h1>Items to do</h1>  
    <table>{  
      for item in items return  
        <tr>  
          <td>{item}</td>  
          <td>  
            <form l:action="{remove(name,item)}">  
              <input type="submit" value="done"/>  
            </form>  
          </td>  
        </tr>  
      }</table>  
      <form l:action="{add(name,new)}">  
        <input l:name="{new}" type="text" size="40">  
        <input type="submit" value="add"/>  
      </form>  
    </body></html>  
}
```


Part X

Conclusions

Other ideas

- Multimethods

Integrate functional and OO styles

- Type classes

Semantics should determine types, not types determine semantics

- Lists and dictionaries as data structures

Regular expression matching for lists — down with cons!

- Testing and validity Contracts, Quickcheck

Antinomies (technical)

- Pure or effectful?
Effects with effect types
- Lazy vs. strict?
Strict with support for lazy closures
- Type inference vs. subtyping?
Give up on type inference
- How to import imperative libraries?
Hide them in a process

Antinomies (social)

- Is it really research?
Hard for academics to build real systems
- Is it too much research?
Haskell and SML built on strong consensus
- How do we build a community?
We can only succeed if we do it together

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