

## CS61A Lecture 22

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## No 3 person teams for Project 4

### Partner declaration (1 point):

due Friday July 29th at 11:59 pm

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**Part 1:** due Saturday August 6th at 11:59 pm

**Part 2:** due Monday August 8th at 11:59 pm

**(MUCH longer Part 1)**



## Proj 4 Part II is LONGER than Part I

	8/1 M		Metacircular evaluator (BH Lect 12)
	8/2 Tu		Analyzing evaluator (BH Lect 13)
7	8/3 W	<a href="#">HW 12 due at 11:59pm soln</a>	Lazy evaluator (BH Lect 14)
	8/4 Th		Logic programming (BH Lect 15)
	8/6 Sa	Review Session 1-4pm 306 Soda	
	8/6 Sa	<a href="#">Project 4 - Part 1 due at 11:59pm soln</a>	
	8/8 M	<a href="#">Project 4 - Part 2 due at 11:59pm soln</a>	Alan Kay: User Interfaces (1) (2)
	8/9 Tu	<a href="#">HW 13 due at 11:59pm soln</a>	Therac
8	8/10 W		Review
	8/11 Th	<b>Final Exam</b> 7-10pm 155 Dwinelle	Tips for jobs and grad school

## This `delay` special-form

creates a promise

It doesn't evaluate its arguments

```
(delay exp)
```

Almost like:

```
(lambda () exp)
```

This won't error!

```
STk> (delay (/ 5 0))
```



## `delay` is *almost* like wrapping the expression in a thunk

```
(define promise1 (delay (/ 5 0)))
```

```
(define promise2 (lambda () (/ 5 0)))
```

Although they are different

```
STk> (delay (/ 3 0))
```

```
#[promise 7ff1aa18 (not forced)]
```

```
STk> (lambda () (/ 3 0))
```

```
#[closure arglist=() 7ff1b3d8]
```



## `force`

```
(define promise2 (lambda () (+ 2 3)))
```

```
STk> (force promise2)
```

```
5
```

What definition works?

A. (define (force promise) promise)

B. (define (force promise) (promise))

C. (define (force promise) ((promise)))

Note: `delay` creates a promise and not a thunk



### Promises remember if they've ever been forced

```
STk> (define p (delay (+ 2 3)))
p
STk> p
#[promise 7ff0e9e8 (not forced)]
STk> (force p)
5
STk> p
#[promise 7ff0e9e8 (forced)]
```

This is how a promise is different than a thunk



### Thunks remember their env!

```
(define (apple x)
  (lambda () (+ x x)))
```

Write without synt. sugar & draw the env. diagram

Which one returns 4?

- A. (apple 2)
- B. ((apple 2))
- C. ((apple) 2))
- D. ??
- E. None



### Promises remember their env!

```
(define (plum x)
  (delay (+ x x)))
```

Write without syntactic sugar

Which one returns 4?

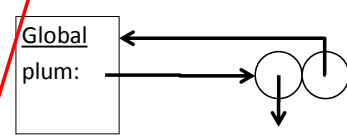
- A. (force plum 2)
- B. (force (plum 2))
- C. (force (plum) 2))
- D. (force ((plum 2)))
- E. None



### IIB1. "lambda creates a procedure"

- Left bubble points to the formal parameters & body
- Right bubble points to the current environment

```
STk> (define plum (lambda (x) (delay (+ x x))))
```



IIB2. "define adds a new binding to the current frame"

Current frame: Global

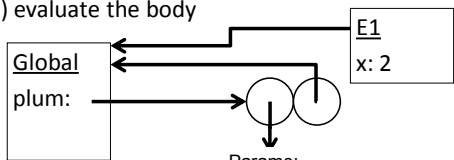


### Procedure Call

IIA Step1. "evaluate the arguments"

IIA Step2. STk>(define p (plum 2))

- (a1) draw a frame
- (a1) bind the formal parameters
- (a2) extend environment the R bubble points to
- (a3) evaluate the body



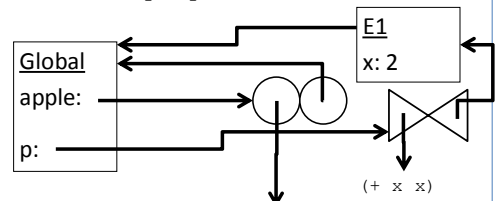
Current frame: Global E1



### "delay creates a promise"

- Left triangle points to the thing that is delayed
- Right triangle points to the current environment

```
STk> (define p (plum 2))
```



Current frame: Global E1



## Promises remember if they've ever been forced

```
STk> (define p (plum 2))
p
STk> p
#[promise 7ff0e9e8 (not forced)]
STk> (force p)
4
STk> p
#[promise 7ff0e9e8 (forced)]
```

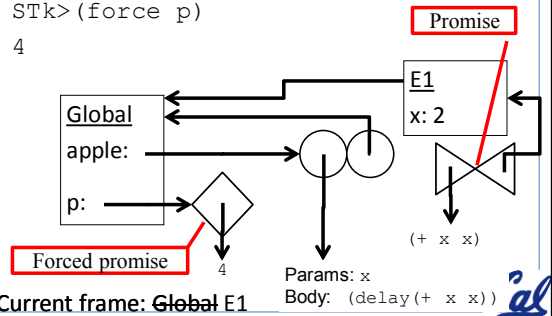
This is how a promise is different than a thunk

## "delay creates a promise"

```
STk> (define p (plum 2))
```

```
STk> (force p)
```

```
4
```



## Promises SUMMARY

- Are created using `delay`
  - `delay` is a special form
- Are sort-of like delaying execution with a thunk
- Promises remember their environment
- We can force a promise using `force`
- Once we call `force` on a promise we remember the result, it becomes a forced promise.

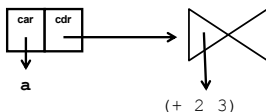
## Streams

## cons-stream

Is cons-stream a special form?  
A) Yes B) No

```
STk> (cons-stream 'a (+ 2 3))
(a . #[promise 7ff23758 (not forced)])

STk> (cons 'a (delay (+ 2 3)))
(a . #[promise 7ff24188 (not forced)])
```



## Draw a picture of banana

```
STk> (define banana
      (cons-stream 'a
                  (cons-stream 'b 'c)))
```

```
banana
```

What type of thing are the `car` and `cdr` of `banana`?

- A. `car` & `cdr`: promises                      E. ??
- B. `car` & `cdr`: words
- C. `car`: word `cdr`: promise
- D. `car`: word `cdr`: pair

## Draw the box-and-pointer & wisp

```
STk> (define hugs-kisses (cons 'xo 'xo))
hugs-kisses

STk> hugs-kisses
(xo . xo)

STk> (set-cdr! hugs-kisses hugs-kisses)
Okay

STk> hugs-kisses
```

Are there dots in your answer? A)Yes B)No

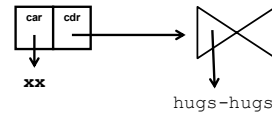
xo

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## Using cons-stream

```
STk> (define hugs-hugs
      (cons-stream 'xx hugs-hugs))
hugs-hugs

STk> hugs-hugs
(xx . #[promise 7ff67128 (not forced)])
```

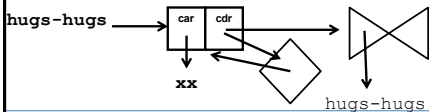


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```
STk> (cdr hugs-hugs)
#[promise 7ff5eb28 (not forced)]

STk> (force (cdr hugs-hugs))
(xx . #[promise 7ff5eb28 (forced)])

STk> hugs-hugs
(xx . #[promise 7ff5eb28 (forced)])
```



Cal

## Stream selectors

```
(define (stream-car stream)
  (car stream))

(define (stream-cdr stream)
  (force (cdr stream)))
```

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## Draw a picture

```
(define (stream-range from)
  (cons-stream from
              (stream-range (+ from 1))))

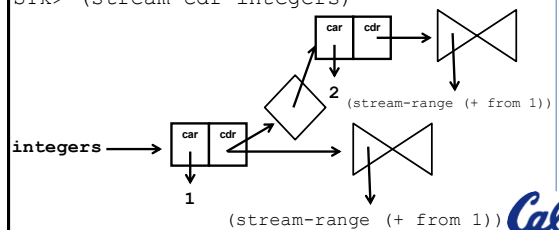
(define integers (stream-range 1))
```

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```
(define (stream-cdr stream)
  (force (cdr stream)))
```

```
(define (stream-range from)
  (cons-stream from
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STk> (stream-cdr integers)
```



Cal

## All prime numbers in the world!

Trapped inside your computer!



## prime?

```
(define (prime? n)
  (define (prime-iter? factor)
    (cond
      ((= factor n) #t)
      ((= (remainder n factor) 0) #f)
      (else (prime-iter? (+ factor 1)))))
  (trace prime-iter?)
  (prime-iter? 2))
```



## Trace (prime? 5)

```
STk> (prime? 5)
.. -> prime-iter? with factor = 2
.... -> prime-iter? with factor = 3
..... -> prime-iter? with factor = 4
..... -> prime-iter? with factor = 5
..... <- prime-iter? returns #t
..... <- prime-iter? returns #t
.... <- prime-iter? returns #t
.. <- prime-iter? returns #t
#t
```



## Trace (prime? 9)

```
STk> (prime? 9)
.. -> prime-iter? with factor = 2
.... -> prime-iter? with factor = 3
.... <- prime-iter? returns #f
.. <- prime-iter? returns #f
#f
```



## prime? Version 2 (with HOFs)

```
(define (prime? n)
  (null?
   (filter
    (lambda (x)
      (= (remainder n x) 0))
    (range 2 (- n 1)))))
```



## prime? Version 2 (with HOFs)

```
(define (prime? n)
  (stream-null?
   (stream-filter
    (lambda (x)
      (= (remainder n x) 0))
    (stream-range 2))))
```



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```
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```

IIB2. "define adds a new binding to the current frame"

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```
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Okay
```

```
STk> hugs-kisses
(xo xo xo xo xo xo xo xo xo ...)
```

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