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Μικρή αναφορά στη φυσική Scheme

(+ a b) - προοδία το a και το b.

(+ (* 2 3) 5)

Κώδικας procedure εφαρμόζεται μόνο για evaluated argument.
πρώτη φορά αυτό

(define (two-times x)

(+ x x)) ⇒ (two-times 5) ⇒ 10

Υπάρχουν if, cond, and, or, let... #f, #t

Λίστας '(a b c) = ls

a = (car ls) (cdr ls) = '(b c)

Αναδρομή

(lambda (x)

(+ x x)

(cons 1 '(2 3)) = (1 2 3)

Exercise

Exercise 16.23

Explain why the test for termination within random-data is (negative? target).

16.8 Escaping from Flat Recursions

The call/cc operator gives the ability to escape from recursive computations while basically throwing out all the work that has stacked up. A simple example clarifies in what sense the mechanism avoids doing pending computations. We look at the problem of taking the product of a list of numbers and adding the number n to the product if the result is nonzero:

(product+ 5 '(3 6 2 7)) => (+ 5 252) => 257

(product+ 7 '(2 3 0 8)) => 0

Handwritten note: *εδώ από ασκή 17 ο κώδ. ειναι 0 με ειναι 0 απορριπτικα με 0.*

Here is the solution in a functional style:

Program 16.11 product+

```

(define product+
  (lambda (n nums)
    (letrec
      ((product (lambda (nums)
                  (cond
                    ((null? nums) 1)
                    (else (* (car nums) (product (cdr nums)))))))
      (let ((prod (product nums)))
        (if (zero? prod) 0 (+ n prod))))))

```

Handwritten notes: *να εμψυχα διδο*, *letrec.*, *ορισμος του γινωμενου των αριθμων λιστεας*

Handwritten annotations on the code: *n λιστεα των αριθμων*, *εδω ειναι η τιμη του cdr = ()*, *να εμψυχα διδο*, *να ειναι 0 απορριπτικα με 0.*

This solution can be improved by adding a test to determine if one of the values in the list is zero. This stops the recursion upon encountering the first zero. This version is in Program 16.12. Consider the following subtle fact: Finding a zero in the list does not stop the computation of product. In fact, what happens is that if the first zero is in the kth position, then there are k - 1 multiplications using zero. This is because the context of the product

```
(define product+
  (lambda (n nums)
    (letrec
      ((product (lambda (nums)
                  (cond
                    ((null? nums) 1)
                    ((zero? (car nums)) 0)
                    (else (* (car nums) (product (cdr nums)))))))
      (let ((prod (product nums)))
        (if (zero? prod) 0 (+ n prod))))))
```

returns 0 as soon as encounters 0 in the list

use the recursive function to multiply the numbers in the list. All the numbers are 0 means product is 0

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product of list (2 5 0 7) is 0

product of list (5 0 7) is 0

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invocations includes $k - 1$ multiplications. When the zero is found, each of the $k - 1$ waiting multiplications must still be done.

Is it possible to exit the invocation of `product` so that the result causes no waiting multiplications to occur? A solution is in Program 16.13. Consider the invocation `(+ 100 (product+ 10 '(2 3 4 0 6 7)))`. Since the list of numbers contains a 0, the continuation, which is the value of

```
(escaper
  (lambda (□)
    (+ 100 □)))
```

is invoked, and the result is 100. This follows because the continuation is being invoked on 0. If, however, no zero is found, then `(product nums)` terminates normally, and `(+ n prod)` is returned as the value of `(receiver <ep>)`. Since `prod` cannot be zero, the result returned is `(+ n prod)`. The `let` expression can be shortened to `(+ n (product nums))`. This version is in Program 16.14.

We see that finding a zero in the list produces a value to pass to the continuation formed from the invocation of `(call/cc receiver)` and finishes the computation of `product+`. Moreover, we observe the rather surprising fact that if there is a zero in the list, then no multiplications occur regardless of where in the list that zero occurs.

lambda
→
no
multiplication
if
0
is
found
in
the
list

16.8 Escaping from Flat Recursions

To multiply (+100 (product+ 10 '(2 3 4 0 6 7)))
To product give λ (n nums) epa
n use nums "announces" to 10 use (2 3...)
announces 545

epa to receiver void of the
(product+ 10 '(2 3 4 0 6 7))
and to return to (call/cc receiver)
ok to (lambda (□) (+ 100 □)) or to
continuation give to
(escaper
 (lambda (□)
 (+ 100 □)))
→

Program 16.13 product+

```

(define product+
  (lambda (n nums)
    (let ((receiver
          (lambda (exit-on-zero)
            (letrec
              ((product (lambda (nums)
                          (cond
                            ((null? nums) 1)
                            ((zero? (car nums)) (exit-on-zero 0))
                            (else (* (car nums)
                                     (product (cdr nums)))))))
              (let ((prod (product nums))
                    (if (zero? prod) 0 (+ n prod))))))
            (call/cc receiver))))))

```

No exit-on-zero on to Continuation of to (escape to EII).

on it to call/cc
Aex plus "break" 0
w/ to 0 escape
On exit-on-zero to
Give to Continuation
dix to
(escape to (+ 100 0))
Si. Continuation to
(+ 100 0) = 0
ua escape to
zajedno on Context
EII to escape
D! Escape to 100.
De ude vade
"dubiozna" vloga.

Program 16.14 product+

```

(define product+
  (lambda (n nums)
    (let ((receiver
          (lambda (exit-on-zero)
            (letrec
              ((product (lambda (nums)
                          (cond
                            ((null? nums) 1)
                            ((zero? (car nums)) (exit-on-zero 0))
                            (else (* (car nums)
                                     (product (cdr nums)))))))
              (+ n (product nums))))))
            (call/cc receiver))))))

```

receiver
product

16.9 Escaping from Deep Recursions

Let us take a look at a slightly more complicated example. The problem is to redefine product+ for a larger class of lists. Specifically, we allow deep lists of numbers. Thus we can invoke

```
(product+ 5 '((1 2) (1 1 (3 1 1)) (((((1 1 0) 1) 4) 1) 1)))
```


16.4 Continuations from Contexts and Escape Procedures

We are about to discuss `call-with-current-continuation` (or `call/cc`). If `call/cc` is not available on your Scheme, define it as follows:

Program 16.1 `call/cc`

```
(define call/cc call-with-current-continuation)
```

`call/cc` is a procedure of one argument; we call the argument a *receiver*. The receiver is a procedure of one argument. Its argument is called a *continuation*. The continuation is also a procedure of one argument. Regardless of how we form the continuation, `(call/cc receiver)` is the same as `(receiver continuation)`. What is left is to understand how *continuation* is formed. To form *continuation*, we first form the context, *c*, of `(call/cc receiver)` in some expression *E*. We then invoke `(escaper c)`, which forms *continuation*. We have now completely characterized `call/cc`. All we have left to do is see how our understanding of how to form continuations leads us to determine correctly the evaluation of expressions using `call/cc`.

Consider the following expression:

```
(+ 3 (* 4 (call/cc r))) ← (r evaluates receiver)
```

The context of `(call/cc r)` is the procedure, which is the value of

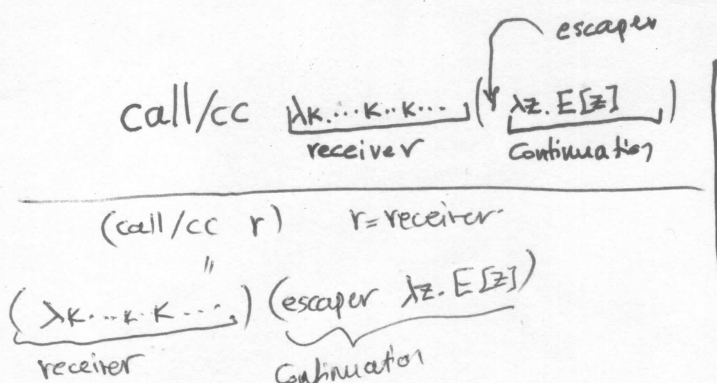
```
(lambda (□) (+ 3 (* 4 □))) given to context of (call/cc r)
```

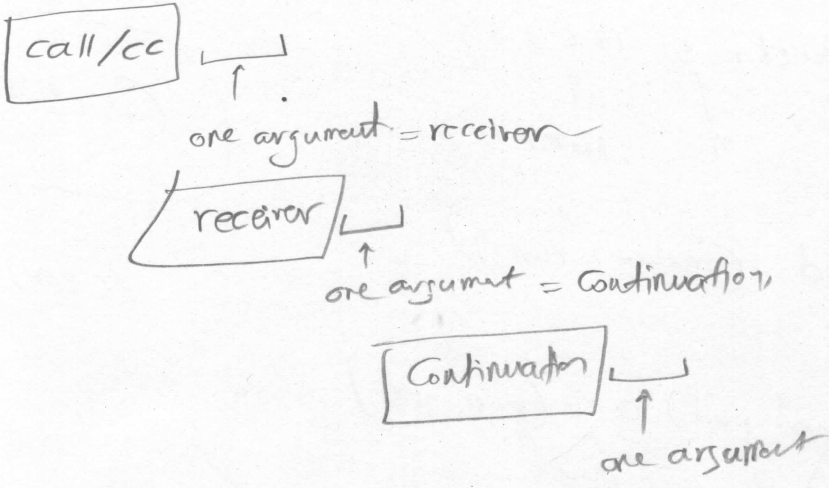
so our original expression means the same as:

```
(+ 3 (* 4 (r (escaper (lambda (□) (+ 3 (* 4 □))))))) (given expression)
```

That is, after the *system* forms the context of `(call/cc r)`, the *system* passes it as an escape procedure to *r*. Since this is now just a simple invocation, all the rules for procedure invocation apply. A little practice is helpful. Let us consider *r* to be the value of `(lambda (continuation) 6)`. What is the value of the expression derived from the `call/cc` expression above?

```
(+ 3 (* 4 ((lambda (continuation) 6)
            (escaper (lambda (□) (+ 3 (* 4 □)))))))
```





Continuation!

expand to context, c, do

(call/cc receiver) in expr E

and invoke (escaper c) continuation.

(call/cc receiver)
 "
 (receiver Continuation!)

parameter

(+ 3 (* 4 (call/cc r))) *

Control (lambda (□) (+ 3 (* 4 □))) = c

it's given to *

~~(+ 3 (* 4 (call/cc r)))~~

(+ 3 (* 4 (r (escaper c))))

• $r = (\text{lambda } (\text{continuator}) \ 6) \cdot \text{Total}$

$$(+ \ 3 \ (* \ 4 \ (\underbrace{r \ (\text{escaper } c)}_{\text{continuator}}))) \Rightarrow (+ \ 3 \ (* \ 4 \ 6)) = 27$$

• $r = (\text{lambda } (\text{continuator}) \ (\text{continuator } 6))$

$$(+ \ 3 \ (* \ 4 \ (\underbrace{\text{escaper } (\text{lambda } (\square) \ (+ \ 3 \ (* \ 4 \ \square))}_{\text{continuator}})) \ 6)) \Rightarrow 27$$

$$(+ \ 3 \ (* \ 4 \ (43 \ 24)) \) \Rightarrow 27$$

↳ Escaper

$$(\text{escaper } (\text{lambda } (\square) \ (+ \ 3 \ (* \ 4 \ \square)))) \ 6 \Rightarrow 27$$

• $r = (\text{lambda } (\text{continuator}) \ (+ \ 2 \ (\text{continuator } 6)))$

Total $(+ \ 3 \ (* \ 4 \ (+ \ 2 \ \dots))$

Exo 16.13 recursive to recursive (sic)

(define [product+] (call/c receiver) lambda (n nums) ...)

des la recursive de
(call/c receiver)

...
 ita utatur a priori la product+ alr pe eschaper
 Etia la continuation
 (care se refera la stack).

The value of

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```
((lambda (continuation) 6)
 (escaper (lambda (□) (+ 3 (* 4 □))))))
```

is 6; it does not use continuation, so the result is 27 (i.e., $3 + 4*6$). What about this one?

```
(+ 3 (* 4 ((lambda (continuation) (continuation 6))
 (escaper (lambda (□) (+ 3 (* 4 □)))))))
```

The explicit invocation of continuation on 6 leads to

```
((escaper (lambda (□) (+ 3 (* 4 □)))) 6)
```

and then the result is 27. Is this one any different?

```
(+ 3 (* 4 ((lambda (continuation) (+ 2 (continuation 6)))
 (escaper (lambda (□) (+ 3 (* 4 □)))))))
```

The explicit invocation of continuation on 6 leads to

```
((escaper (lambda (□) (+ 3 (* 4 □)))) 6)
```

and then the result is 27. Remember, an escape invocation abandons its context, so `(lambda (□) (+ 3 (* 4 (+ 2 □))))` is abandoned. `continuation` has the value `(escaper (lambda (□) ... □ ...))`. Because the context of a `call/cc` invocation is turned into an escape procedure, we use the notation `<ep>` for procedures that get passed to `r`.

Scheme supports procedures as values, and since `<ep>` is a procedure, it is possible to invoke the same continuation more than once. In the next section there are three experiments with `call/cc`, and in the last experiment the same continuation is invoked twice. The countdown example of Chapter 17 shows what happens when the same continuation is invoked many times.