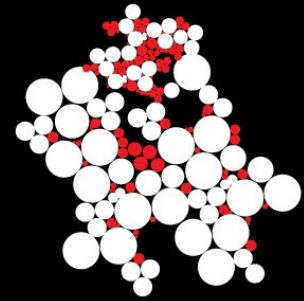


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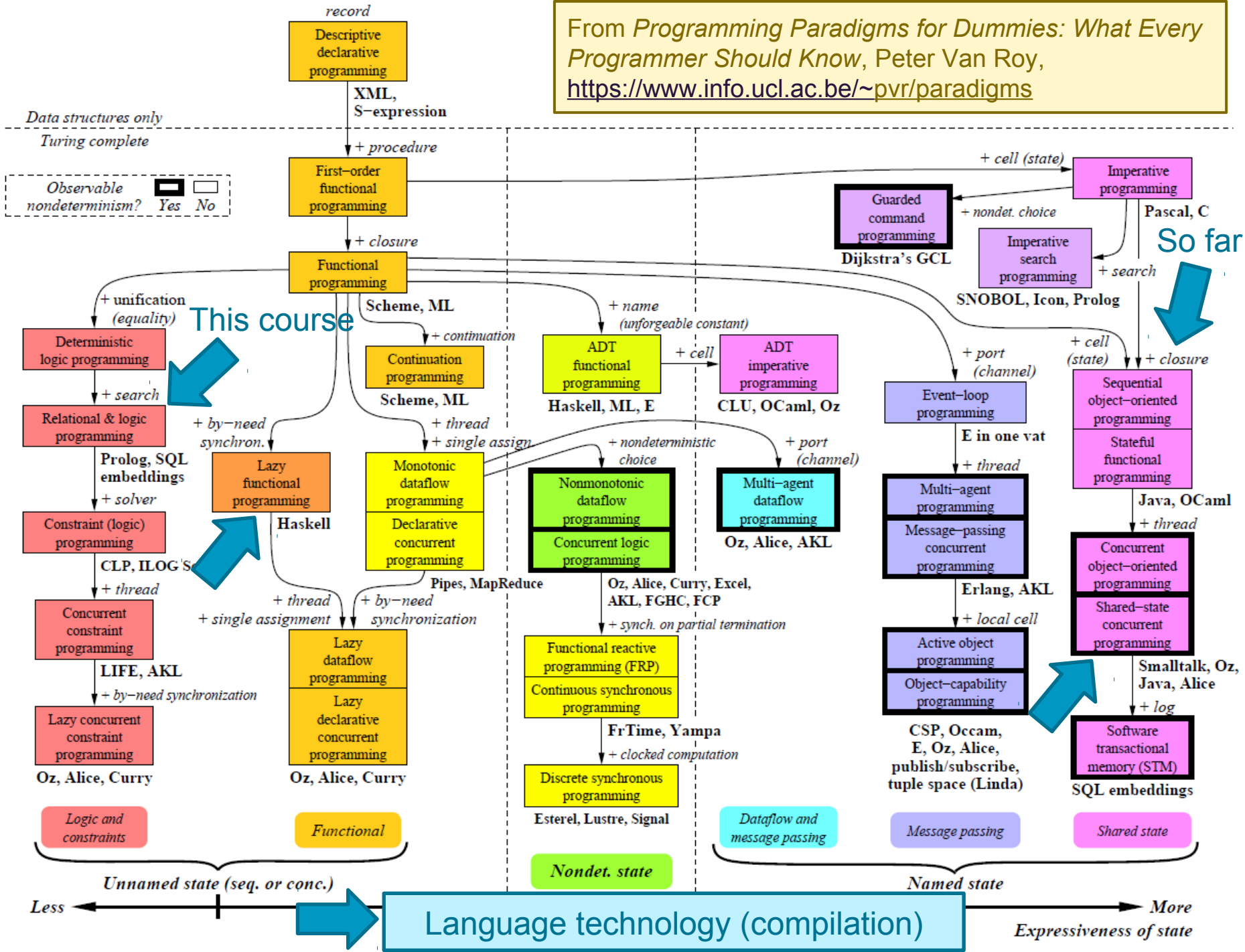


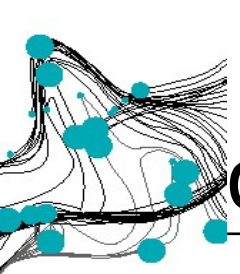
MODULE 8: PROGRAMMING PARADIGMS SETUP AND INTRODUCTION

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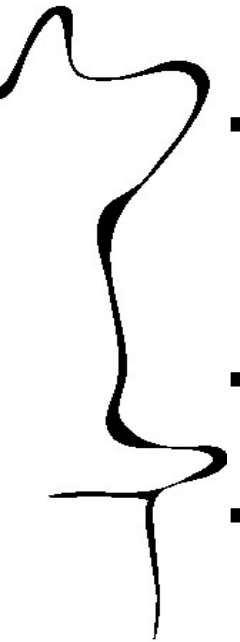
- **CP:** Concurrent Programming
 - Language: Java, Rust, Haskell
 - Especially: Shared-memory concurrency (threads)
- **FP:** Functional Programming
 - Language: Haskell
 - Lazy evaluation
 - Stand-alone: **FP**
- **LP:** Logic Programming
 - Language: Prolog
- **CC:** Compiler Construction
 - Language: Java + Antlr 4

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(LOGICAL) BLOCKS RATHER THAN (TEMPORAL) WEEKS

From Blackboard:

Week						Block	Date	Assessment
16	23-Apr b1:d1	24-Apr b1:d2	25-Apr b1:d3	26-Apr b1:d4	27-Apr King's Day	1		
17	30-Apr b1:d5	1-May b2:d1	2-May b2:d2	3-May b2:d3	4-May b2:d4	1/2	3-May	Hard deadline b1
18	7-May b2:d5	8-May b3:d1	9-May b3:d2	10-May Ascension	11-May Bridging	2/3		
19	14-May b3:d3	15-May b3:d4	16-May b3:d5	17-May b4:d1	18-May b4:d2	3/4	14-May	Hard deadline b2
20	21-May Whit Monday	22-May b4:d3	23-May b4:d4	24-May b4:d5	25-May b4:d6	4	22-May	Hard deadline b3
21	28-May b5:d1	29-May b5:d2	30-May b5:d3	31-May b5:d4	1-Jun b5:d5	5	30-May	Hard deadline b4
22	4-Jun b6:d1	5-Jun b6:d2	6-Jun b6:d3	7-Jun b6:d4	8-Jun b6:d5	6	6-Jun	Hard deadline b5
23	11-Jun b7:d1	12-Jun b7:d2	13-Jun b7:d3	14-Jun b7:d4	15-Jun b7:d5	7	13-Jun	Hard deadline b6
24	18-Jun b8:d1	19-Jun b8:d2	20-Jun b8:d3	21-Jun b8:d4	22-Jun b8:d5	8	18-Jun	CC (homework 2)
25	25-Jun b9:d1	26-Jun b9:d2	27-Jun b9:d3	28-Jun b9:d4	29-Jun b9:d5	9	2-Jul	FP (resit)
26	2-Jul b10:d1	3-Jul b10:d2	4-Jul b10:d3	5-Jul b10:d4	6-Jul b10:d5	10	4-Jul	CP (resit)
							6-Jul	Project

Why? Maintainability!

3-May b2:d3
25-May b4:d4

These signify ultimate sign-off deadlines for lab exercises of the previous block

These signify tests or hand-in dates for projects

ASSESSMENT

- From Blackboard:

Test	Kind	I/G	Weight	Min.	Block:Day
FP exam	written exam	I	15%	5.0 ¹	7:5 (resit: 10:1)
LP/FP projects	project	G	15%	5.5 ²	6:1/7:1
CP exam	written exam	I	20%	5.0 ¹	8:5 (resit: 10:3)
CC homework	take-home exam	I	20%	5.5 ³	5:1 & 8:1
Integrating project	project	G	30%	5.5	10:5

¹ In addition, the average of the FP and CP exams must be at least 5,5

² Calculated as the weighted average of an LP project (25%) and an FP project (75%)

³ Calculated as the average of two separate take-home exams

- Note: lab exercises to be signed off weekly
 - To be done in pairs (as is the integrating project)
 - Mandatory & *in time* (end of block)
 - Not part of the grade

HARD RULES

1. Laboratory and project to be done in pairs
 - Also if you are a repeat student
 - I can pair up students; ask!
 - At sign-off time, both students have to be there
 2. Laboratory blocks to be finished in time
 - Failing to do so may result in exclusion from remainder of module
 3. All parts of the module to be done again for repeat students
 - It would be unclever to just break out last year's solutions!
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- We (as teachers) do *not* grant exceptions to 3
 - If your personal situation merits an exception, ask the Examination Board
 - Candidate Board Inter-Active *may be* ground for exception
 - Pandora is *no* ground for exception

CULTURAL CONTEXT

- ■ **Attending scheduled sessions**
 - There are no obligations to attend (in contrast to signing off; previous slide!)
 - With the exception of Logic Programming, lectures are recorded
 - Attendance implies participation
- **Getting in touch**
 - When you have questions, ask them!
 - Teachers and TAs expect and welcome this; use the resources you have!
- **Plagiarism and fraud**
 - All work you show and hand in should be *your own*
 - It is proof that *you* have learned the material
 - See intro to module guide (Blackboard → Course information)
- **(In)appropriate attitudes and behaviour**
 - All cultures and genders are respected and welcomed here
 - Words spoken in jest may be taken in offense
 - Do *not* let your discontent simmer below the surface



CONTENT: FUNCTIONAL PROGRAMMING

- What does the following Java program do?

```
public int[] seriesUp(int n) {  
    int[] result = new int[n*(n+1) /  
2];  
    int pos = 0;  
    for (int i = 1; i <= n+1; i++)  
        for (int j = 1; j < i; j++)  
            result[pos++] = j;  
    return result;  
}
```

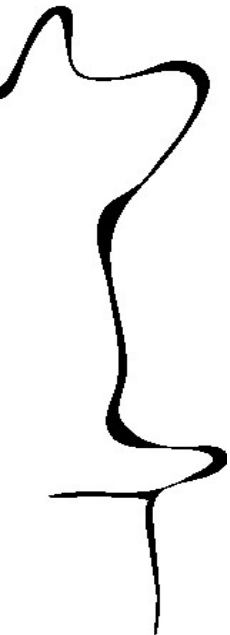
- It returns the sequence [1, 1,2, 1,2,3, ..., 1,2,3,...,n]
- Ten weeks from now, you will be able to write the equivalent Haskell:

```
seriesUp :: Int -> [Int]  
seriesUp n = concat (map oneToN  
[1..n])  
where oneToN n = [1..n]
```



CONTENT: LOGIC PROGRAMMING

- How do you write a Sudoku solver?
- Ten weeks from now, you'll (almost) be able to write this Prolog:



```
:- use_module(library(clpfd)).

sudoku(Rows) :- // Rows is list of lists
    append(Rows, Vs), Vs ins 1..9, // All elements in range
    1..9
    maplist(all_distinct, Rows), // All rows distinct
    transpose(Rows, Columns),
    maplist(all_distinct, Columns), // All columns distinct
    Rows = [A,B,C,D,E,F,G,H,I],
    blocks(A, B, C), blocks(D, E, F), blocks(G, H, I),
    maplist(label, Rows). // Collapse ranges to single values

blocks([], [], []). // First three (combined) recursively
distinct

blocks([A,B,C|Bs1], [D,E,F|Bs2], [G,H,I|Bs3]) :-
    all_distinct([A,B,C,D,E,F,G,H,I]),
    blocks(Bs1, Bs2, Bs3).
```

Source: [Prolog Sudoku Solver Explained, Manuel Rotta](#)



CONTENT: CONCURRENT PROGRAMMING

- What could go wrong in the following Java program?

```
public class NoVisibility {  
    private static boolean ready;  
    private static int number;  
  
    private static class ReaderThread extends  
Thread {  
        public void run() {  
            while (!ready)  
                Thread.yield();  
            System.out.println(number);  
        }  
    }  
  
    public static void main(String[] args)  
        new ReaderThread().start();  
        number = 42;  
        ready = true;  
}
```

May fail to terminate

May print 0

Ten weeks from now, you'll

- Understand this
- Know how to avoid this

Source: [Java Concurrency in Practice](#), Brian Goetz Tim Peierls et al.

CONTENT: COMPILER CONSTRUCTION

- How do you make a computer understand human-readable text?
 - Correctly parse and execute $2 + x * 3$ and $(2 + x) * 3$ and $2 * x + 3$

```
grammar Expr;  
prog : stat+ ;  
stat : expr LINE  
      | ID '=' expr LINE  
      | LINE ;  
expr  : expr ( '*' | '/' ) expr  
      | expr ( '+' | '-' ) expr  
      | INT  
      | ID  
      | '(' expr ')' ;  
ID   : [a-zA-Z]+ ; // match identifiers  
INT : [0-9]+ ;    // match integers  
LINE: '\r'? '\n' ; // line ending =  
separator  
WS  : [ \t]+ -> skip ; // toss out whitespace
```

Ten weeks from now, you'll be able to

- write this grammar
- generate executing code



CONTENT: PROJECT

- Bringing it all together [except for LP]
 1. Define your own programming language
 2. Include concurrency features
 3. Compile to hardware emulator in Haskell
 4. Extend hardware emulator with own “machine instructions”
- Performed in pairs
 - No loners!
- Schedule
 - Starts in Block 7
 - Hand in on last day of quarter
 - Rules for late delivery apply (-1 grade point for every extra day)