

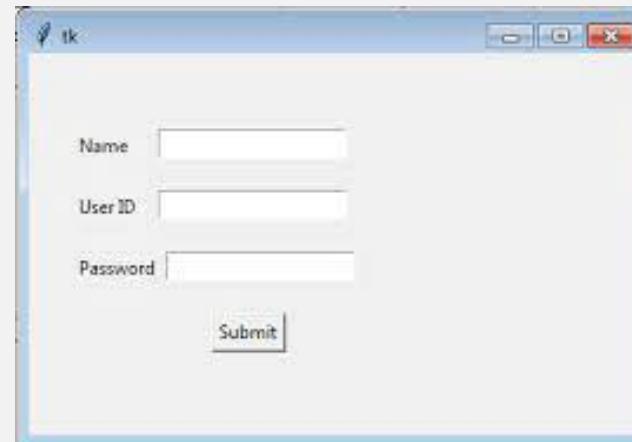
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**CS450 High Level Languages** (section 2)

# Accumulators

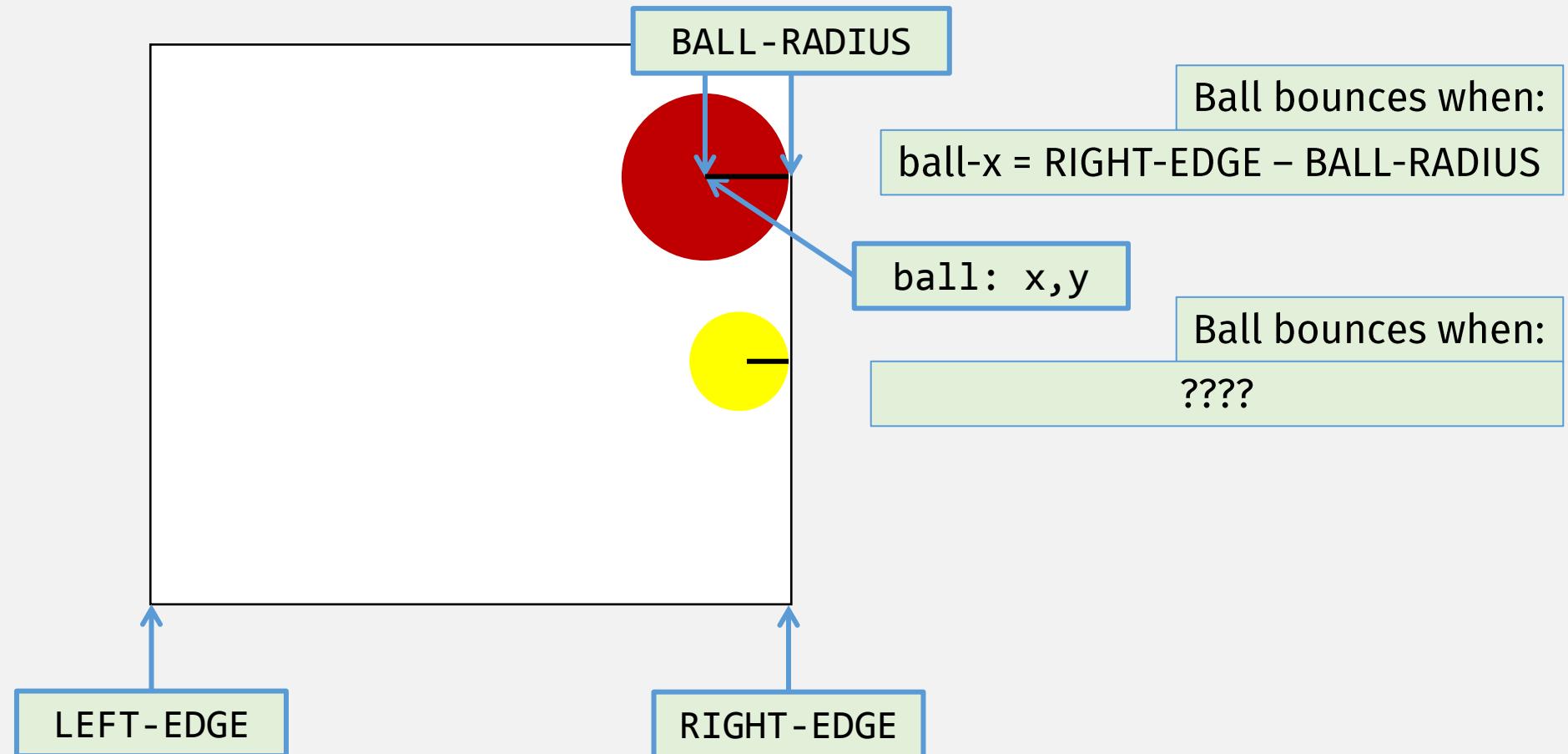
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## *Logistics*

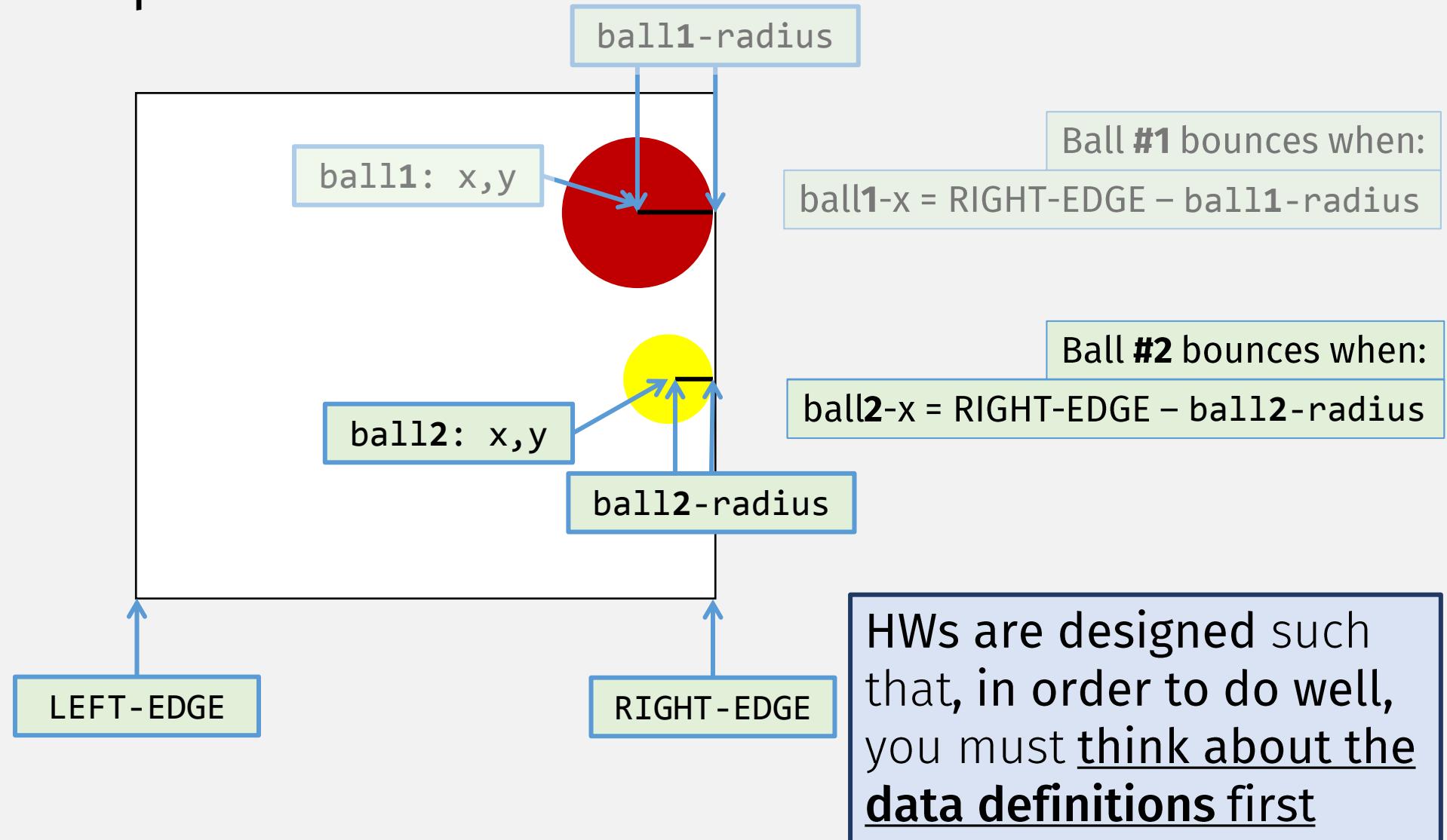
- HW 5 in
  - Part 1 due: Sun 10/29 11:59 pm EST
  - Part 2 due: Sun 11/5 11:59 pm EST
- HW 6 out
  - due: Sun 11/13 11:59 pm EST
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# HW 4 Recap



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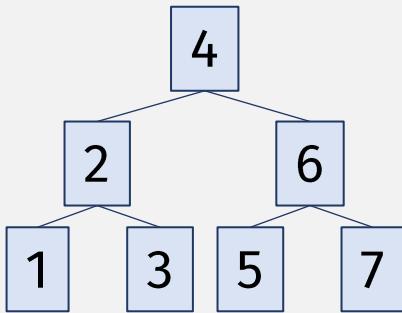
# Data Definitions, With Invariants

```
;; A BinarySearchTree<X> (BST) is a Tree<X>
;; where, if tree is a (node left data right):
;; Invariant 1:  $\forall x \in \text{left tree}, x < \text{node-data}$ 
;; Invariant 2:  $\forall y \in \text{right tree}, y \geq \text{node-data}$ 
;; Invariant 3: left subtree must be a BST
;; Invariant 4: right subtree must be a BST
```

# Valid BSTs

```
;; valid-bst? : Tree<X> -> Bool
;; Returns true if the given tree is a BST
;; (i.e., satisfies the BST invariants)
```

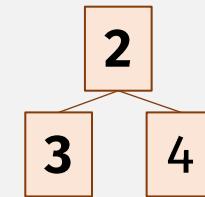
## Valid



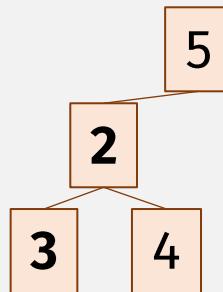
For every node,

- left subtree vals < node-data
- right subtree vals ≥ node-data
- left subtree is BST
- right subtree is BST

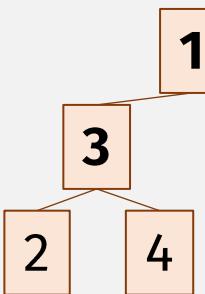
## Not Valid



left value > root ✗



left values less than root ☑,  
but left subtree not BST ✗



Left subtree is valid BST ☑,  
but left values not less than root ✗

# Valid BSTs

```
;; valid-bst? : Tree<X> -> Bool
;; Returns true if the tree is a BST
(define (valid-bst? t)
  (cond
    [(empty? t) true]
    [else
      (and (tree-all? (curry > (node-data t)) (node-left t))
            (tree-all? (curry <= (node-data t)) (node-right t))
            (valid-bst? (node-left t))
            (valid-bst? (node-right t)))]))
```

;; A `BinarySearchTree<X>` (BST) is a `Tree<X>`  
 ;; where, if tree is a node:  
 ;; Invariant 1:  $\forall x \in \text{left tree}, x < \text{node-data}$   
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 ;; Invariant 3: left subtree must be a BST  
 ;; Invariant 4: right subtree must be a BST

cond that evaluates to  
boolean is boolean  
arithmetic!



```
(define (valid-bst? t)
  (or (empty? t)
      (and (tree-all? (curry > (node-data t)) (node-left t))
            (tree-all? (curry <= (node-data t)) (node-right t))
            (valid-bst? (node-left t))
            (valid-bst? (node-right t))))))
```

# One-pass valid-bst?

```
;; valid-bst/one-pass? : ??? Tree<X> -> Bool  
;; Returns true if the tree is a BST
```

```
(define (valid-bst/one-pass? ??? t)  
  (or (empty? t)  
      (and (valid-bst/one-pass? ??? ??? (node-left t))  
            (valid-bst/one-pass? ??? ??? (node-right t))))))
```

- Need extra argument(s) ...
- ... to keep track of allowed node-data values

More generally:

- Tree traversal processes each node independently ...
- Extra argument allows “remembering” information from other nodes

# One-pass valid-bst?, Functional Style!

```
;; valid-bst/p? : Tree<X> (X -> Bool) -> Bool
;; Returns true if (p? (node-data t)) = true, and t is a BST
```

```
(define (valid-bst/p? p? t)
  (or (empty? t)
      (and (p? (node-data t))
           (valid-bst/p? (conjoin p? (curry > (node-data
                                                 (node-left t)))
                                  (valid-bst/p? (conjoin p? (curry <= (node-data
                                                 (node-right t)))))))
```

Extra argument, to “remember” information  
 (valid node-data values) from other nodes

;; A **BinarySearchTree<X>** is a Tree  
 ;; where, if tree is a node:  
 ;; Inv1:  $\forall x \in \text{left}, x < \text{node-data}$   
 ;; Inv2:  $\forall y \in \text{right}, y \geq \text{node-data}$   
 ;; Inv3: left subtree must be BST  
 ;; Inv4: right subtree must be BST

“Extra argument” is called an **accumulator**

“conjunction” = AND

```
(define (valid-bst? t)
  (valid-bst/p? (lambda (x) true) t))
```

$$\begin{aligned} (\text{conjoin } p1? p2?) \\ == \\ (\lambda (x) (\text{and } (p1? x) (p2? x))) \end{aligned}$$

# Design Recipe For Accumulator Functions

When a function needs “extra information”:

1. ***Specify accumulator:***

- Name
- Signature
- Invariant

2. ***Define internal “helper” fn with extra accumulator arg***

(Helper fn does not need extra description, statement, or examples, if they are the same ...)

3. ***Call “helper” fn , with initial accumulator value, from original fn***

# Design Recipe For Accumulators

```
;; valid-bst? : Tree<X> -> Bool  
;; Returns true if t is a BST
```

Function needs “extra information” ...

```
(define (valid-bst? t)
```

1. Specify accumulator: name, signature, invariant

```
; accumulator p? : (X -> Bool)  
;; invariant: if t = (node l data r), p? remembers valid vals  
;; for node-data such that (p? (node-data t)) is always true
```

```
(define (valid-bst/p? p? t)  
  (or (empty? t)
```

2. Define internal “helper” fn with **accumulator** arg

```
    (and (p? (node-data t))
```

```
         (valid-bst/p? (conjoin p? (curry > (node-data t)))  
                       (node-left t)))
```

```
         (valid-bst/p? (conjoin p? (curry <= (node-data t)))  
                       (node-right t))))
```

```
(valid-bst/p? (lambda (x) true) t))
```

3. Call “helper” fn, with initial **accumulator**

# A List Example

```
;; lst-max : NonEmptyList<Int> -> Int
```

```
;; Returns the largest value in the given list
```

```
(define (lst-max initial-lst)
```

Function needs “extra information” ...

Helper needs signature, etc if different

1. Specify accumulator: name, signature, invariant

```
;; lst-max/accum : List<Int> Int -> Int
```

```
;; accumulator max-so-far : Int
```

```
;; invariant: is the largest val in initial-lst
```

“so far”

```
(define (lst-max/accum lst max-so-far)
```

```
(cond
```

2. Define internal “helper” fn with **accumulator** arg

```
[(empty? lst) max-so-far]
```

```
[else (lst-max/accum (rest lst)
```

```
        (if (> (first lst) max-so-far)
```

```
            (first lst)
```

```
            max-so-far)))]
```

```
(lst-max/accum (rest initial-lst) (first initial-lst) ))
```

# A List Example

```
;; lst-max : NonEmptyList<Int> -> Int  
;; Returns the largest value in the given list
```

```
(define (lst-max initial-lst)
```

```
;; lst-max/accum : List<Int> Int -> Int  
;; accumulator max-so-far : Int  
;; invariant: is the largest val in initial-lst "so far"
```

```
(define (lst-max/accum lst max-so-far)  
  (cond  
    [(empty? lst) max-so-far]  
    [else (lst-max/accum (rest lst)  
                         (if (> (first lst) max-so-far)  
                             (first lst)  
                             max-so-far))]))
```

3. Call “helper” fn, with initial **accumulator** (and other args)

```
(lst-max/accum (rest initial-lst) (first initial-lst) ))
```

# A List Example

```
;; lst-max : NonEmptyList<Int> -> Int  
;; Returns the largest value in the given list
```

```
(define (lst-max initial-lst)
```

```
;; lst-max/accum : List<Int> Int -> Int  
;; accumulator max-so-far : Int  
;; invariant: is the largest val in initial-lst “minus” lst
```

```
(define (lst-max/accum lst max-so-far)  
  (cond  
    [(empty? lst) max-so-far]  
    [else (lst-max/accum (rest lst)  
                         (if (> (first lst) max-so-far)  
                             (first lst)  
                             max-so-far))])
```

```
(lst-max/accum (rest initial-lst) (first initial-lst) ))
```

- Repo: cs450f23/lecture17-inclass
- File: rev-with-acc-<your last name>.rkt

# In-class Coding 11/6 #1: Accumulators

```
;; rev : List<X> -> List<X>
;; Returns the given list with elements in reverse order
```

```
(define (rev lst0)
```

```
;; accumulator ??? : ???
;; invariant: ???
```

1. Specify accumulator: name, signature, invariant

```
(define (rev/a lst acc ???)
  ???)
)
```

2. Define internal “helper” fn with **accumulator** arg

```
(rev/a lst0 ???))
```

3. Call “helper” fn, with initial **accumulator**

# A List Example

```
;; lst-max : NonEmptyList<Int> -> Int  
;; Returns the largest value in the given list
```

```
(define (lst-max lst0)
```

```
;; lst-max/a : List<Int> Int -> Int  
;; accumulator max-so-far : Int  
;; invariant: is the largest val in lst0 “minus” rst-lst
```

```
(define (lst-max/a rst-lst max-so-far)  
  (cond  
    [(empty? rst-lst) max-so-far]  
    [else (lst-max/a (rest rst-lst)  
                      (if (> (first rst-lst) max-so-far)  
                          (first rst-lst)  
                          max-so-far))])
```

```
(lst-max/a (rest lst0) (first lst0)))
```

Can Implement with ...

map ?

filter ?

fold ?

# Common List Function: foldl

```
;; foldl: (X Y -> Y) Y Listof<X> -> Y
;; Computes a single value from given list,
;; determined by given fn and initial val.
;; fn is applied to each list element, first-element-first
```

```
(define (foldl fn result-so-far lst)
  (cond
    [(empty? lst) result-so-far]
    [else (foldl fn (fn (first lst) result-so-far) (rest lst))]))
```

**Accumulator!**

```
;; sum-lst: ListofInt -> Int
(define (sum-lst lst) (foldl + 0 lst))
```

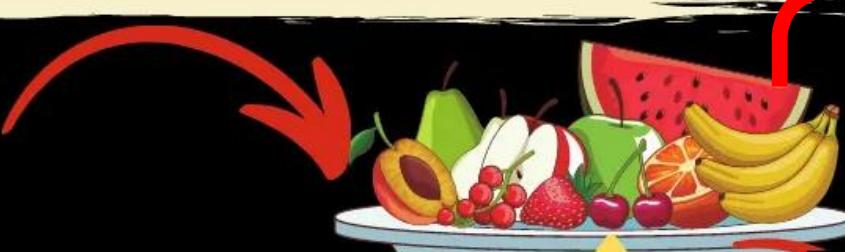
$$(((1 + 0) + 2) + 3)$$

$$(((1 - 0) - 2) - 3)$$

## JavaScript Array reduce () Illustration (fold)



Accumulator  
(in this case, it has an initial value of 0 because it's empty)



Array of elements



Accumulator  
implementing  
callback function  
(which is  
mixing/addition  
of all fruits in the  
array together)

This accumulator  
will now become  
the initial value  
for the next  
iteration (set of  
fruits)

Accumulator  
when you  
start adding  
elements



Result (single value)

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- Repo: **cs450f23/lecture17-inclass**
- File: **tree-max-<your last name>.rkt**

# In-class Coding 11/6 #2: Tree Max

```
;; tree-max : TreeNode<X> -> X  
;; Returns the maximum value in a given (non-empty) tree node
```

```
(define (tree-max tree0)
```

```
;; accumulator ??? : ???  
;; invariant: ???
```

1. Specify accumulator: name, signature, invariant

```
(define (tree-max/a tree acc ???)  
    ???  
)
```

2. Define internal “helper” fn with **accumulator** arg

```
(tree-max/a tree0 ???))
```

3. Call “helper” fn, with initial **accumulator**

# No More Quizzes!