

ABSTRACTING DEFINITIONAL INTERPRETERS

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Abstracting Definitional Interpreters

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Definitional interpreters written in monadic style can express a wide variety of interpreters for languages with effects. In this talk, we show that such interpreters, under a slight reworking, can also express a diverse set of abstract interpretations from flow analysis to symbolic execution.

We give a rational reconstruction of a definitional abstract interpreter for a higher-order language by constructing a series of units implementing monadic operations. We implement units realizing reachable state semantics, trace semantics, dead-code elimination, symbolic execution, and a finite store abstraction. The denouement of our story is a sound and computable abstract interpreter that arises from the composition of simple, independent components. Remarkably, this interpreter implements a form of pushdown control flow analysis (PDCFA) in which calls and returns are always properly matched in the abstract semantics. True to the definitional style of Reynolds, the evaluator involves no explicit mechanics to achieve this property; it is simply inherited from the defining language.

WARM-UP:

```
(define (eval e ρ)
  (match e
    [(vbl x) (lookup ρ x)]
    [(app e0 e1)
     ((eval e0 ρ)
      (eval e1 ρ))]
    [(lam x e)
     (λ (v) (eval e (extend ρ x v)))]))
```

CALL-BY-?

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     (λ (v) (eval e (extend ρ x v)))]))
```

CALL-BY-?

YES.

WARM-UP:

```
#lang lazy
(define (eval e  $\rho$ )
  (match e
    [(vbl x) (lookup  $\rho$  x)]
    [(app e0 e1)
     ((eval e0  $\rho$ )
      (eval e1  $\rho$ ))]
    [(lam x e)
     ( $\lambda$  (v) (eval e (extend  $\rho$  x v)))]))
```

CALL-BY-?

YES.

WARM-UP:

```
#lang racket
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LEFT TO RIGHT?

CALL-BY-?

YES.

WARM-UP:

**DEFINITIONAL INTERPRETERS CAN INHERIT
PROPERTIES OF THE DEFINING LANGUAGE.**

--REYNOLDS

CALL-BY-?

YES.

WARM-UP:

ABSTRACT

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**DEFINITIONAL INTERPRETERS CAN INHERIT
PROPERTIES OF THE DEFINING LANGUAGE.**

--REYNOLDS

CALL-BY-?

YES.

**AN ABSTRACT INTERPRETER IS A
SOUND (+ COMPUTABLE)
APPROXIMATION OF EVALUATION**

CONTRIBUTIONS:

1) ABSTRACT INTERPRETERS
IN DEFINITIONAL STYLE

2) AN OBSERVATION ON
INHERITED PROPERTIES

OUTLINE:

- * CONSTRAINT-BASED ANALYSES
- * DEFINITIONAL ABSTRACT INTERPRETERS
- * INHERITING THE CONTROL STACK

ABSTRACT INTERPRETERS IN CONSTRAINT STYLE

Introduction to Set Constraint-Based Program Analysis

Alexander Aiken*

SUB-EXP

CONSTRAINT

$\lambda x.e_0$

$\lambda_x \subseteq \llbracket \lambda x.e_0 \rrbracket$

$e_1 e_2$

for every $\lambda x.e_3$ in e

$\lambda_x \subseteq \llbracket e_1 \rrbracket \Rightarrow (\llbracket e_2 \rrbracket \subseteq \llbracket x \rrbracket \wedge \llbracket e_3 \rrbracket \subseteq \llbracket e_1 e_2 \rrbracket)$

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BUT WHERE IS THE INTERPRETER?

**ABSTRACT INTERPRETERS
IN DEFINITIONAL STYLE**

```
(import unit^ bind^ rec^ δ^ env^)  
(export ev^)
```

ev@

```
(define (ev e ρ)  
  (match e  
    [(vbl x) (get ρ x)]  
    [(num n) (unit n)]  
    [(lam x e) (unit (cons (lam x e) ρ))] ]  
    [(ifz e0 e1 e2)  
     (do v ← (rec e0 ρ)  
         (match v  
           [0 (rec e1 ρ)]  
           [n (rec e2 ρ)])))] ]  
    [(op1 o e0)  
     (do v ← (rec e0 ρ)  
         (δ o v))] ]  
    [(op2 o e0 e1)  
     (do v0 ← (rec e0 ρ)  
         v1 ← (rec e1 ρ)  
         (δ o v0 v1))] ]  
    [(lrc f (lam x e0) e)  
     (do a ← (ralloc f (cons (lam x e0) ρ))  
         (rec e (extend-env ρ f a)))] ]  
    [(app e0 e1)  
     (do v0 ← (rec e0 ρ)  
         v1 ← (rec e1 ρ)  
         (match v0  
           [(cons (lam x e) ρ0)  
            (do a ← (alloc v0 v1)  
                (rec e (extend-env ρ0 x a)))])))])))]))
```

**DEFINITIONAL INTERPRETER
IN MONADIC STYLE
W/ EXPLICIT FIXPOINT**

"DEMO"

```
#lang monadic-eval  
(link eval@ ev@ δ@ env-sto@)
```

RUN OF THE MILL EVALUATOR

eval@

```
(import ev^)  
(export eval^ unit^ rec^ bind^ err^)  
  
(define (eval e) ((ev e (hash)) (hash)))  
(define (rec e r) (ev e r))  
(define ((unit v) s) (cons v s))  
(define ((err) s) (cons 'err s))  
(define ((bind a f) s)  
  (match (a s)  
    [(cons 'err s) (cons 'err s)]  
    [(cons v s) ((f v) s)]))
```

δ @

```
(import unit^ err^)  
(export δ^)  
(define (δ o . vs)  
  (match* (o vs)  
    [ ('add1 (list n)) (unit (add1 n)) ]  
    [ ('sub1 (list n)) (unit (sub1 n)) ]  
    [ ('- (list n)) (unit (- n)) ]  
    [ ('+ (list n1 n2)) (unit (+ n1 n2)) ]  
    [ ('- (list n1 n2)) (unit (- n1 n2)) ]  
    [ ('* (list n1 n2)) (unit (* n1 n2)) ]  
    [ ('quotient (list n1 n2))  
      (if (zero? n2) (err) (quotient n1 n2)) ]))
```

INTERPRETATION OF PRIMITIVES

env-sto@

```
(import unit^)  
(export env^)
```

```
(define ((get  $\rho$  x)  $\sigma$ )  
  ((unit (hash-ref  $\sigma$  (hash-ref  $\rho$  x)))  $\sigma$ ))
```

```
(define ((alloc f v)  $\sigma$ )  
  (match f  
    [(cons (lam x e)  $\rho$ )  
     (define a (next  $\sigma$ ))  
     ((unit a) (update-sto  $\sigma$  a v))])))
```

```
(define ((ralloc x v)  $\sigma$ )  
  (match v  
    [(cons e  $\rho$ )  
     (define a (next  $\sigma$ ))  
     ((unit a)  
      (update-sto  $\sigma$  a  
                  (cons e (hash-set  $\rho$  x a))))]))
```

ENVIRONMENT + HEAP

```
eg-eval.rkt - DrRacket
eg-eval.rkt (define ...) Macro Stepper Run Stop

#lang monadic-eval
(link eval@ ev@ δ@ env-sto@)
(rec fact
  (λ (n)
    (if0 n
      1
      (* n (fact (- n 1)))))
  (fact 5))

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.
#hash((0
.
((lam
  n
  (ifz
    (vbl n)
    (num 1)
    (op2
      *
      (vbl n)
      (app
        (vbl fact)
        (op2 - (vbl n) (num 1))))))
.
#hash((fact . 0)))
(1 . 5)
(2 . 4)
(3 . 3)
(4 . 2)
(5 . 1)
(6 . 0)))
>
```

```
#lang monadic-eval  
(link trace@ ev@  $\delta$ @ env-sto@)
```

TRACE SEMANTICS

trace@

```
(import ev^)  
(export eval^ unit^ bind^ rec^ err^)  
  
(define (eval e) (((rec e (hash)) (hash)) empty))  
  
(define (((rec e r) s) t)  
  (((ev e r) s) (cons (list e r s) t)))  
  
(define (((unit v) s) t) (cons (cons v s) t))  
(define (((err) s) t) (cons (cons 'err s) t))  
(define (((bind a f) s) t)  
  (match ((a s) t)  
    [(cons (cons 'err s) t) (cons (cons 'err s) t)]  
    [(cons (cons v s) t)  
     (((f v) s) t)]))
```

eg-eval.rkt (define ...)



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Run

Stop



```
#lang monadic-eval
(link trace@ ev@ δ@ env-sto@)
((λ (n) (* n n)) 5)
```

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```
' ((25 . #hash((0 . 5)))
  ((vbl n) #hash((n . 0)) #hash((0 . 5)))
  ((vbl n) #hash((n . 0)) #hash((0 . 5)))
  ((op2 * (vbl n) (vbl n))
   #hash((n . 0))
   #hash((0 . 5)))
  ((num 5) #hash() #hash())
  ((lam n (op2 * (vbl n) (vbl n))) #hash() #hash())
  ((app (lam n (op2 * (vbl n) (vbl n))) (num 5))
   #hash()
   #hash()))
```

> |

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```
#lang monadic-eval  
(link reach@ ev@  $\delta$ @ env-sto@)
```

REACHABLE STATE SEMANTICS

reach@

```
(import ev^)  
(export eval^ unit^ bind^ rec^ err^)  
  
(define (eval e)  
  (match ((rec e (hash)) (hash)) (set))  
    [ (cons v reach)  
      (cons v (set->list reach)) ]))  
  
(define ((rec e r) s) t)  
  ((ev e r) s) (set-add t (list e r s)))  
  
(define ((unit v) s) t) (cons (cons v s) t))  
(define ((err) s) t) (cons (cons 'err s) t))  
(define ((bind a f) s) t)  
  (match ((a s) t)  
    [ (cons (cons 'err s) t) (cons (cons 'err s) t) ]  
    [ (cons (cons v s) t)  
      ((f v) s) t ]))
```

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Run

Stop



```
#lang monadic-eval
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```

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```
' ((25 . #hash((0 . 5)))
  ((op2 * (vbl n) (vbl n))
   #hash((n . 0))
   #hash((0 . 5)))
  ((app (lam n (op2 * (vbl n) (vbl n))) (num 5))
   #hash()
   #hash())
  ((vbl n) #hash((n . 0)) #hash((0 . 5)))
  ((lam n (op2 * (vbl n) (vbl n))) #hash() #hash())
  ((num 5) #hash() #hash()))
```

> |



```
#lang monadic-eval  
(link dead@ ev@  $\delta$ @ env-sto@)
```

DEAD CODE SEMANTICS

dead@

```
(import ev^)  
(export eval^ unit^ bind^ rec^ err^)  
  
(define (eval e)  
  (match (((rec e (hash)) (hash)) (subexps e))  
    [ (cons v dead)  
      (cons v (set->list dead))])))  
  
(define (((rec e r) s) t)  
  (((ev e r) s) (set-remove t e)))  
  
(define (((unit v) s) t) (cons (cons v s) t))  
(define (((err) s) t) (cons (cons 'err s) t))  
(define (((bind a f) s) t)  
  (match ((a s) t)  
    [ (cons (cons 'err s) t) (cons (cons 'err s) t) ]  
    [ (cons (cons v s) t)  
      (((f v) s) t)])))
```

```
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#lang monadic-eval
(link dead@ ev@ δ@ env-sto@)
((lambda (n) (if0 n 7 8)) 3)

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' ((8 . #hash(0 . 3)) (num 7))
> |

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```

ANSWER IS 8; 7 IS DEAD

```
#lang monadic-eval  
(link eval-symbolic@ ev@  $\delta$ @ env-sto@)
```

KING-STYLE SYMBOLIC EXECUTION

eval-symbolic@

```
(import ev^)  
(export eval^ unit^ bind^ rec^ err^)  
  
(struct branch (vc t f) #:transparent)  
  
(define (eval e) ((rec e (hash)) (hash)))  
  
(define ((rec e r) s)  
  (match e  
    [(ifz e0 e1 e2)  
     (branch (list e0 r s)  
              ((rec e1 r) s)  
              ((rec e2 r) s))]  
    [_ ((ev e r) s)]))  
  
(define ((unit v) s) (cons v s))  
(define ((err) s) (cons 'err s))  
(define ((bind a f) s)  
  (let loop ([res (a s)])  
    (match res  
      [(branch vc a1 a2)  
       (branch vc (loop a1) (loop a2))]  
      [(cons 'err s) (cons 'err s)]  
      [(cons v s)  
       ((f v) s)])))
```



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eg-eval.rkt (define ...)



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Stop

```
#lang monadic-eval
(link eval-symbolic@ ev@ δ@ env-sto@)
(add1 ((λ (n) (if0 n 7 8)) 3))
```

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```
(branch
 ' ((vbl n) #hash((n . 0)) #hash((0 . 3)))
 ' (8 . #hash((0 . 3)))
 ' (9 . #hash((0 . 3))))
>
```

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```
#lang monadic-eval  
(link eval-symbol@ ev@ abs-δ@ env-sto@)
```

**SYMBOLIC VALUES +
ABSTRACT OPERATIONS**

eval-symbol@

```
(import ev^)
(export eval^ unit^ bind^ rec^ err^)

(define (eval e) ((rec e (hash)) (hash)))

(define ((unit v) s) (set (cons v s)))
(define ((err) s) (set (cons (set 'err s))))

(define ((both c0 c1) s)
  (set-union (c0 s) (c1 s)))

(define (rec e r)
  (match e
    [(ifz e0 e1 e2)
     (do v ← (rec e0 r)
         (match v
           [0 (ev e1 r)]
           [(? number?) (ev e2 r)]
           [(? symbolic?)
            (both (ev e1 r)
                  (ev e2 r))])])])
    [_ (ev e r)])])

(define ((bind a f) s)
  (for*/fold ([rs (set)])
    ([ans (a s)])
    (set-union rs
      (match ans
        [(cons 'err s)
         (set (cons 'err s))]
        [(cons v s)
         ((f v) s)])))))
```

abs- δ @

```
(import unit^ symbolic^ err^)  
(export  $\delta$ ^)  
(define ( $\delta$  o . vs)  
  (match* (o vs)  
    [ ('add1 (list n)) (unit 'N) ]  
    [ ('sub1 (list n)) (unit 'N) ]  
    [ ('+ (list n1 n2)) (unit 'N) ]  
    [ ('- (list n1 n2)) (unit 'N) ]  
    [ ('* (list n1 n2)) (unit 'N) ]  
    [ ('quotient (list n1 (? number? n2)))  
      (if (zero? n2)  
          (err)  
          (unit 'N)) ]  
    [ ('quotient (list n1 n2))  
      (both (unit 'N) (err)) ]))
```

```
eg-eval.rkt (define ...) Macro Stepper Run Stop

#lang monadic-eval
(link eval-symbol@ ev@ abs-δ@ env-sto@)
((λ (n) (if0 (sub1 n) 7 8)) 3)

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(set '(7 . #hash(0 . 3)) '(8 . #hash(0 . 3)))
>

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```

EITHER 7 OR 8

```
#lang monadic-eval  
(link eval-symbol@ ev@ abs-δ@ sto-0cfa@)
```

**SYMBOLIC VALUES +
ABSTRACT OPERATIONS +
FINITE HEAP**

sto-0cfa@

```
(import unit^ unit-vals^ unit-ans^)  
(export env^ sto^)  
  
(define ((get r x) s)  
  ((unit-vals (lookup s r x)) s))  
  
(define ((alloc f v) s)  
  (match f  
    [(cons (lam x e) r)  
     (define a x) ; OCFA-like abstraction  
     (unit-ans a (join-sto s a v))]))  
  
(define ((ralloc x v) s)  
  (match v  
    [(cons e r)  
     (define a x)  
     ((unit a)  
      (join-sto s a  
        (cons e (hash-set r x a))))]))
```



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eg-eval.rkt (define ...)



Macro Stepper



Run

Stop



```
#lang monadic-eval
(link eval-symbol@ ev@ abs-δ@ sto-0cfa@)
((λ (n) (if0 (sub1 n) 7 8)) 3)
```

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```
(set
  (cons 7 (hash 'n (set 3)))
  (cons 8 (hash 'n (set 3))))
>
```

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eg-eval.rkt - DrRacket

eg-eval.rkt (define ...) Macro Stepper Run Stop

```
#lang monadic-eval
(link eval-symbol@ ev@ abs-δ@ sto-0cfa@)
((λ (f) ((λ (_) (f 2)) (f 1)))
 (λ (n) n))
```

(set
 (cons
 1
 (hash
 '-
 (set 1)
 'n
 (set 1 2)
 'f
 (set '(lam n (vbl n)) . #hash()))))
 (cons
 2
 (hash
 ')

1 OR 2 DUE TO FINITE HEAP...

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eg-eval.rkt - DrRacket

eg-eval.rkt (define ...) Macro Stepper Run Stop

```
#lang monadic-eval
(link eval-symbol@ ev@ abs-δ@ sto-0cfa@)
((λ (f) ((λ (_) (f 2)) (f 1)))
 (λ (n) n))
```

> (rec Δ (λ (x) (x x))
 (Δ Δ))

Interactions disabled

...BUT CAN STILL DIVERGE

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```
#lang monadic-eval  
(link pdcfa@ ev@ abs- $\delta$ @ sto-0cfa@)
```

SYMBOLIC VALUES +

ABSTRACT OPERATIONS +

FINITE HEAP +

CO-INDUCTIVE MEMOIZATION

```
#lang monadic-eval
```

```
(link pdef @ ev @ abs-δ @ step-0cfa @)
```

TOTAL

SYMBOLIC VALUES +

ABSTRACT OPERATIONS +

FINITE HEAP +

CO-INDUCTIVE MEMOIZATION

pdcf@a

```
(import ev^)  
(export eval^ symbolic^ rec^ unit^ bind^ err^)
```

;; iterates ev until reaching a fixed point in the memo-table

```
(define (eval e)  
  (let loop ([m* (hash)] [anss (set)])  
    (match (((rec e (hash)) (hash)) (hash)) m*)  
      [(and r (cons anss1 m1))  
       (if (equal? r (cons anss m*))  
           anss1  
           (loop m1 anss1))])])])
```

ITERATE EV

UNTIL MEMO FIXED

;; like ev but takes both branches on abstract values

```
(define (ev* e r)  
  (match e  
    [(ifz e0 e1 e2)  
     (do v ← (rec e0 r)  
         (match v  
           [0 (rec e1 r)]  
           [(? number?) (rec e2 r)]  
           [(? symbolic?)  
            (both (rec e1 r)  
                  (rec e2 r))])])])  
    [_ (ev e r)])])
```

pdcf@a

```
(define (((both c0 c1) s) m) m*)
  (match (((c0 s) m) m*)
    [(cons anss0 m)
     (match (((c1 s) m) m*)
       [(cons anss1 m)
        (cons (set-union anss0 anss1) m) ])]))])
```

```
(define (((rec e r) s) m) m*)
  (define ers (list e r s))
  (define anss (hash-ref m ers #false))
  (if anss
    (cons anss m)
    (match (((ev* e r) s)
            (hash-set m ers (hash-ref m* ers (set)))) m*)
      [(cons anss m)
       (cons anss (hash-set m ers anss))] ]))])
```

**CO-INDUCTIVE
MEMOIZATION**

```
(define (((bind a f) s) m) m*)
  (match (((a s) m) m*)
    [(cons anss m)
     (let-values
       ([ (anss m)
          (for*/fold ([rs (set)]
                    [m m])
                    ([ans anss])
                    (match ans
                      [(cons 'err s)
                       (values (set-union rs (set (cons 'err s))) m)
                      [(cons v s)
                       (match (((f v) s) m) m*)
                        [(cons anss m)
                         (values (set-union rs anss) m) ])]))])
        (cons anss m) )])])])
```

eg-eval.rkt - DrRacket

eg-eval.rkt (define ...)

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```
#lang monadic-eval
(link pdcfa@ ev@ abs-δ@ sto-0cfa@)
((λ (f) ((λ (_) (f 2)) (f 1)))
 (λ (n) n))
|
```

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```
(set
 (cons
  1
  (hash
   '
   _
   (set 1)
   'n
   (set 1 2)
   'f
   (set '((lam n (vbl n)) . #hash()))))
 (cons
  2
  /hash
```

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**1 OR 2 JUST
LIKE BEFORE...**

eg-eval.rkt (define ...)



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Run

Stop



```
#lang monadic-eval
(link pdcfa@ ev@ abs-δ@ sto-0cfa@)
(rec Δ (λ (x) (x x))
      (Δ Δ))
```

**...BUT ALWAYS
TERMINATES**

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```
(set)
```

```
> |
```

**PROVES THIS
PROGRAM DIVERGES**

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INHERITING THE CONTROL STACK

$f(x);$

```
function f(z) {  
    ...  
    return;  
}
```

$f(y);$

`f(x);`



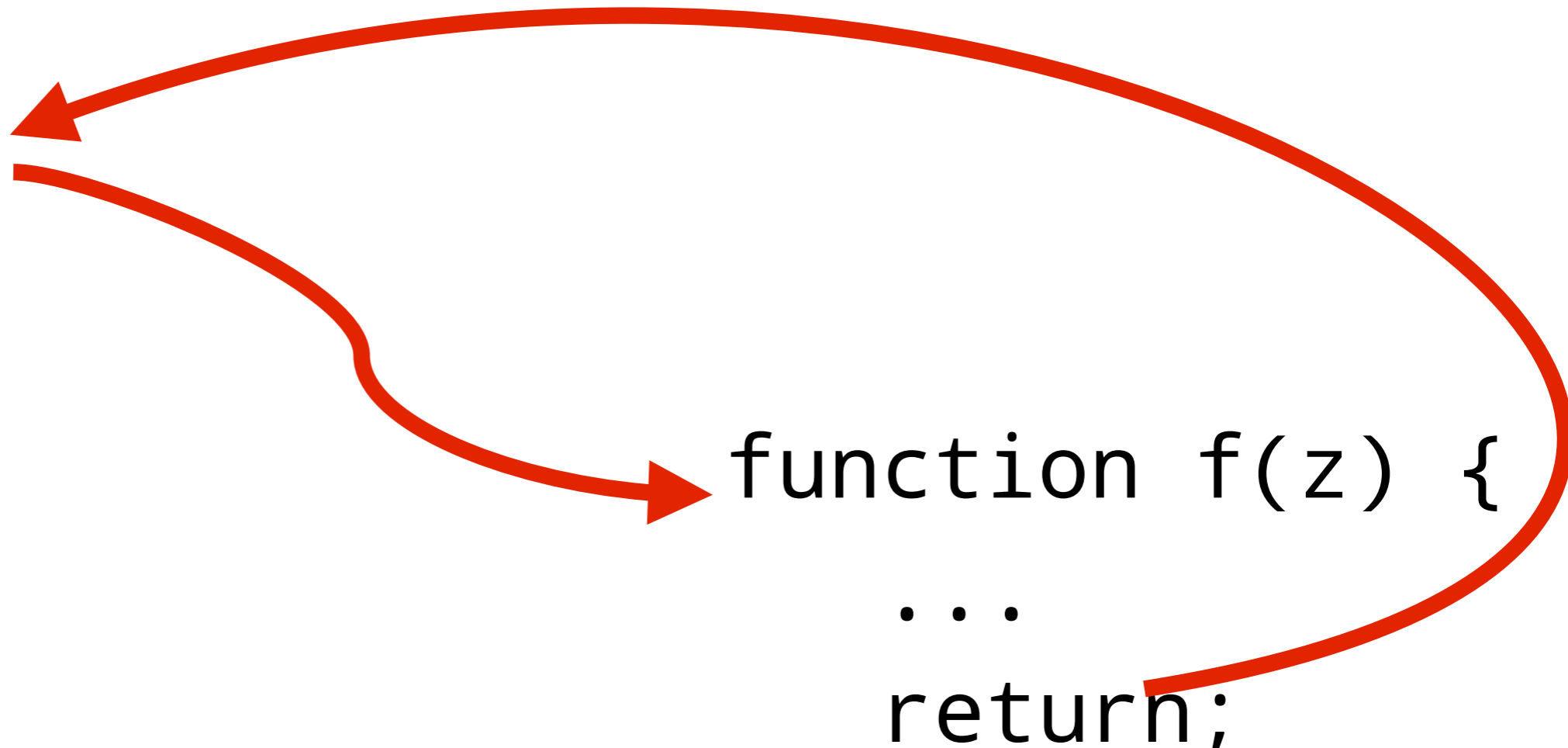
```
function f(z) {  
    ...  
    return;  
}
```

`f(y);`

`f(x);`

```
function f(z) {  
    ...  
    return;  
}
```

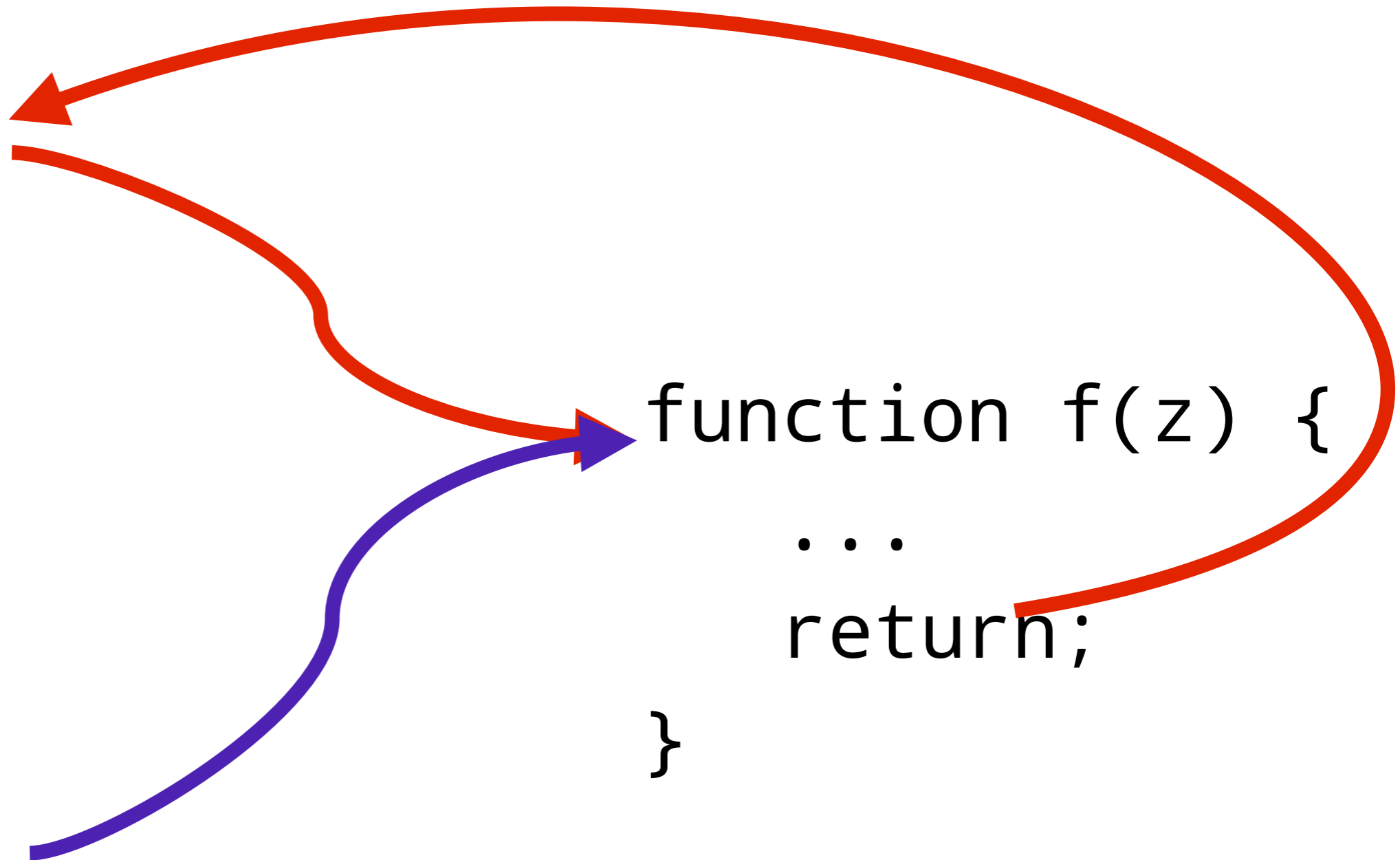
`f(y);`



`f(x);`

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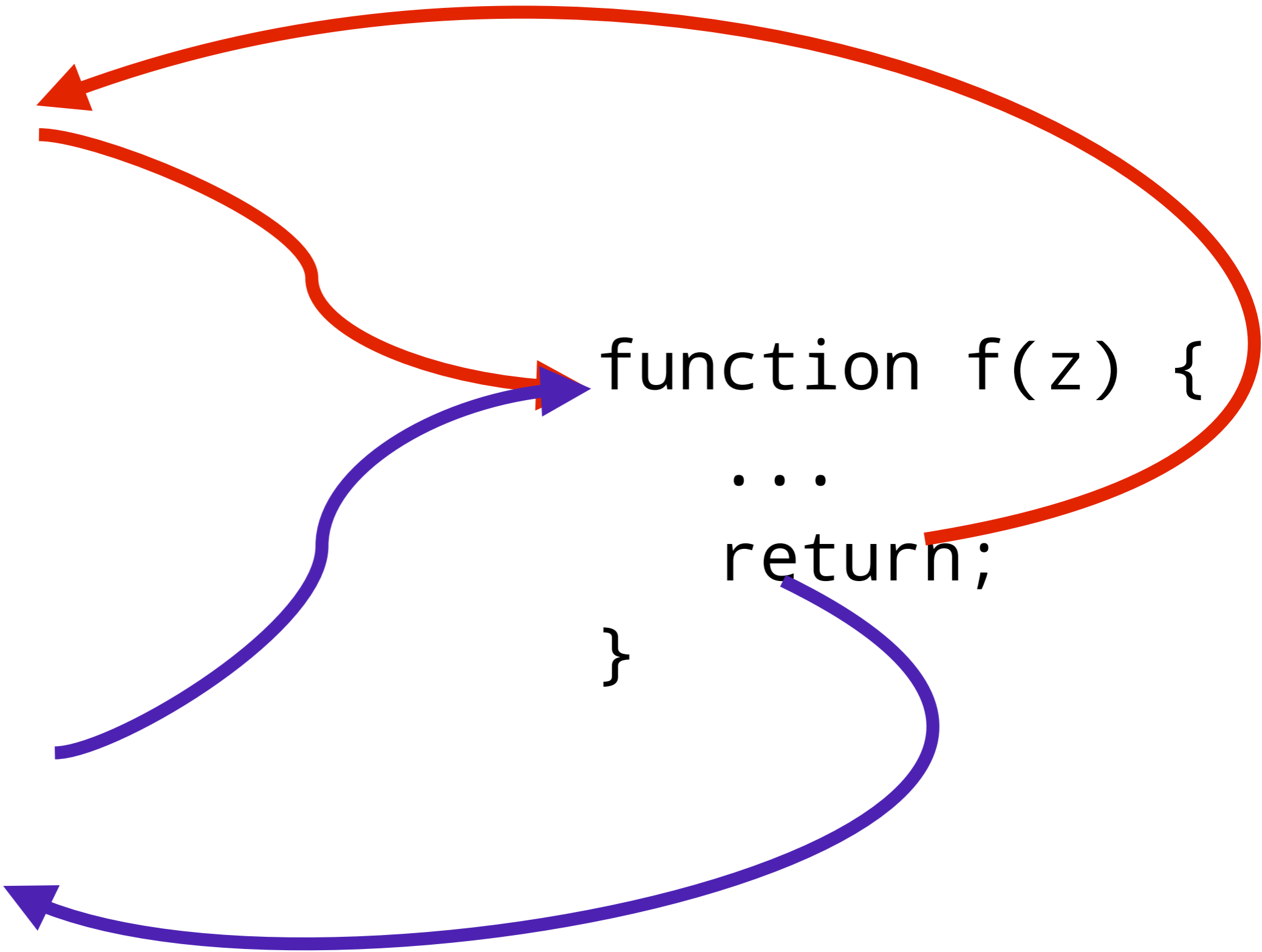
```
function f(z) {  
    ...  
    return;  
}
```



`f(x);`

```
function f(z) {  
    ...  
    return;  
}
```

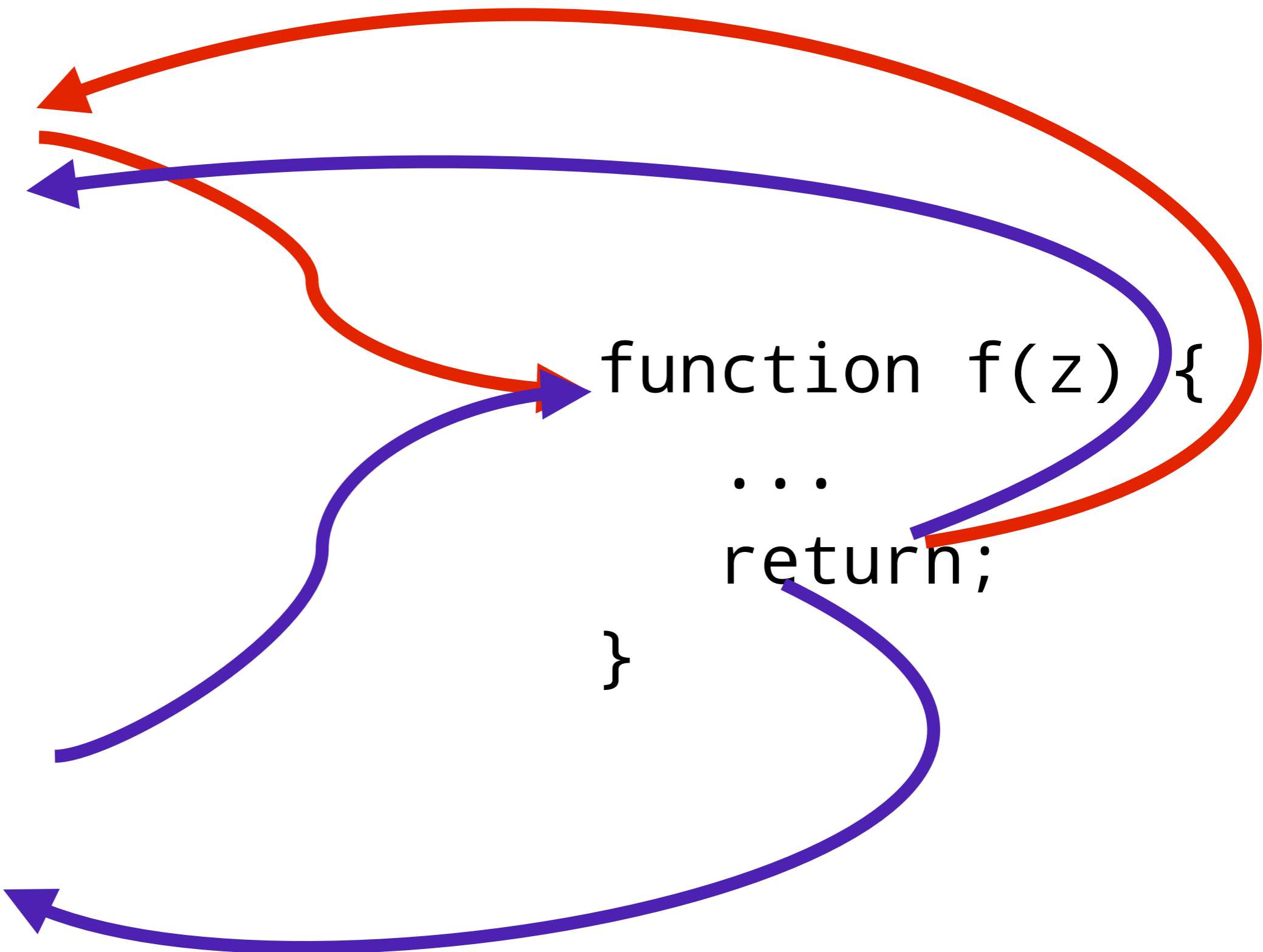
`f(y);`



f(x);

```
function f(z) {  
    ...  
    return;  
}
```

f(y);



```
(let* ((id (λ (x) ((λ (q) q) x)))
      (y (id 0))
      (z (id 1)))
  y)
```

OCFA: 0 OR 1

PDCFA: 0

**WHY DOES OUR ABSTRACT INTERPRETER
ONLY SAY 0?**

**WE INHERITED THE (PRECISE) CONTROL
STACK FROM THE META-LANGUAGE**

PLAY WITH NEW ABSTRACTIONS...

```
#lang monadic-eval  
(link pdcfa@ ev@ pres- $\delta$ @ sto-widen@)
```

**SYMBOLIC VALUES +
PRECISE OPERATIONS +
FINITE, WIDENING HEAP**

pres- δ @

```
(import unit^ symbolic^ err^)  
(export  $\delta$ ^)  
(define ( $\delta$  o . vs)  
  (match* (o vs)  
    [ ('add1 (list (? number? n))) (unit (add1 n))] ]  
    [ ('sub1 (list (? number? n))) (unit (sub1 n))] ]  
    [ ('- (list (? number? n))) (unit (- n))] ]  
    [ ('+ (list (? number? n1) (? number? n2))) (unit (+ n1 n2))] ]  
    [ ('- (list (? number? n1) (? number? n2))) (unit (- n1 n2))] ]  
    [ ('* (list (? number? n1) (? number? n2))) (unit (* n1 n2))] ]  
    [ ('quotient (list (? number? n1) (? number? n2)))  
      (if (zero? n2)  
          (err)  
          (unit (quotient n1 n2))) ) ]  
    [ ('add1 (list n)) (unit 'N) ]  
    [ ('sub1 (list n)) (unit 'N) ]  
    [ ('+ (list n1 n2)) (unit 'N) ]  
    [ ('* (list n1 n2)) (unit 'N) ]  
    [ ('- (list n1 n2)) (unit 'N) ]  
    [ ('quotient (list n1 (? number? n2)))  
      (if (zero? n1)  
          (err)  
          (unit 'N)) ]  
    [ ('quotient (list n1 n2))  
      (both (err) (unit 'N)) ]))
```

PRECISION

PRESERVING

sto-widen@

```
(import unit^ unit-vals^ unit-ans^)  
(export env^ sto^)  
  
(define ((get r x) s)  
  ((unit-vals (lookup s r x)) s))  
  
(define ((alloc f v) s)  
  (match f  
    [(cons (lam x e) r)  
     (define a x) ; OCFA-like abstraction  
     ;; widen on sto update  
     (unit-ans a  
              (update-sto s a  
                          (widen (hash-ref s a (set)) v))))]))  
  
(define ((ralloc x v) s)  
  (match v  
    [(cons e r)  
     (define a x)  
     ((unit a)  
      (join-sto s a (cons e (hash-set r x a))))]))  
  
(define (widen s v)  
  (match v  
    [(? number?)  
     (match s  
       [(set) (set v)]  
       [(set 'N _ ...) s]  
       [(set (? (λ (m) (equal? m v))) _ ...) s]  
       [(set (? number? m) _ ...) s]  
       (join-numeric s)]  
     [_  
      (set-add s v)]])  
    ['N  
     (join-numeric s)]  
    [x  
     (set-add s x)]))
```

**WIDEN ON HEAP
COLLISION**

PLAY WITH NEW COMPOSITIONS...

```
#lang monadic-eval  
(link pdcfa-dead@ ev@ pres- $\delta$ @ sto-widen@)
```

```
#lang monadic-eval  
(link pdcfa-dead@ ev@ abs- $\delta$ @ sto-0cfa@)
```

OPEN QUESTIONS...

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- * IS THIS STUFF SOUND? (I BELIEVE IT)
- * HOW WOULD YOU PROVE IT? (NO IDEA)
- * IS THERE A CORRESPONDENCE WITH CFAZ?
- * HOW DOES IT WORK IN PRACTICE?
- * CAN SYMBOLIC EXECUTION AND CFA
BE COMBINED SYSTEMATICALLY?

```
newtype ZPDCFAT var val m a = ZPDCFAT
  { unZPDCFAT :: AbstractT (CFAAddr var) ZCFATime var val m a }
deriving
  ( Monad
  , MonadTrans
  , MonadFunctor
  , MonadPlus
  , MonadState s
  , MonadReader r
  , MonadEnvReader (Env var (CFAAddr var))
  , MonadEnvState env
  , MonadStoreState (Store ListSet (CFAAddr var) val)
  , MonadTimeState ZCFATime
  , MonadMorph ListSet
  )
```

**CAN CALCULATE THIS WITH
MONAD TRANSFORMERS**

```
mkZPDCFAT ::  
  (Monad m)  
=> (Env var (CFAAddr var)  
    -> Store ListSet (CFAAddr var) val  
    -> ZCFATime  
    -> m (ListSet (a, Store ListSet (CFAAddr var) val, ZCFATime))  
    )  
    -> ZPDCFAT var val m a  
mkZPDCFAT = ZPDCFAT . mkAbstractT
```

```
runZPDCFAT ::  
  (Monad m)  
=> ZPDCFAT var val m a  
    -> Env var (CFAAddr var)  
    -> Store ListSet (CFAAddr var) val  
    -> ZCFATime  
    -> m (ListSet (a, Store ListSet (CFAAddr var) val, ZCFATime))  
runZPDCFAT = runAbstractT . unZPDCFAT
```

```

driveZPDCFA ::
  (Ord val, Ord expr, Ord var)
=> ((expr -> ZPDCFA_Driver var val expr (ListSet val))
    -> (expr -> ZPDCFA_Driver var val expr (ListSet val))
    )
-> expr
-> ListSet (ListSet val, Store ListSet (CFAAddr var) val, ZCFATime)
driveZPDCFA eval expr =
  let loop mx =
      let (_VxSxT_list, (m1, mx')) =
          runIdentity
          $ flip runStateT (lbot, mx)
          $ runZPDCFAT (memoEval eval expr) Map.empty lbot ()
      in assert (mx == mx') $
      if m1 == mx'
      then _VxSxT_list
      else loop m1
  in loop lbot

```



<http://david.darais.com/>



<https://github.com/dvanhorn/monadic-eval/>

THANKS!