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# amalgam lisp

LISP-like interpreted language implemented in Python.



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**CHAPTER  
ONE**

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**FUNCTIONS**

Documentation for the various built-in functions.

## 1.1 Arithmetic

**(+ e0 e1 ... en)**

Performs a summation of the provided expressions.

**(\* e0 e1 ... en)**

Performs a multiplication of the provided expressions.

**(- e0 e1 ... en)**

Subtracts e0 by the sum of e1 ... en.

**(/ e0 e1 ... en)**

Divides e0 by the product of e1 ... en

## 1.2 Boolean

**(bool e)**

Checks for the truthiness of an expression

**(not e)**

Checks for the falsiness of an expression

**(and e0 e1 ... en)**

Evaluates and reduces the expressions using an *and* operation, short-circuiting evaluation when a falsy value is encountered.

**(or e0 e1 ... en)**

Evaluates and reduces the expressions using an *or* operation, short-circuiting evaluation when a truthy value is encountered.

## 1.3 Control

**(if condition then else)**

Basic branching construct. If condition evaluates to a truthy value, evaluates then, otherwise, evaluates else.

**(when condition then)**

Synonym for if where else defaults to NIL.

**(cond [[condition value] ...])**

Traverses pairs of conditions and values. If the condition evaluates to a truthy value, returns the provided value, short-circuiting evaluation. Returns NIL when no conditions are met.

**(do expression...)**

Evaluates each expression, returning what was evaluated last.

**(loop expression...)**

Evaluates each expression, looping back at the end. Can be broken by the return and break functions.

**(return expression)**

Breaks out of a loop evaluating to a value.

**(break)**

Breaks out of a loop evaluating to NIL.

## 1.4 Comparison

**(> x y)**

Performs a *greater than* operation.

**(< x y)**

Performs a *less than* operation.

**(= x y)**

Performs a *equal to* operation.

**(/= x y)**

Performs a *not equal to* operation.

**(>= x y)**

Performs a *greater than or equal to* operation.

**(<= x y)**

Performs a *less than or equal to* operation.

## 1.5 IO

**(print expression)**

Prints an expression.

**(putStrLn string)**

Prints the contents of a string.

**(exit code)**

Stops the execution of the program.

## 1.6 Meta

**(setn name value)**  
 Lexically binds a literal name to a value.

**(setr name-ref value)**  
 Lexically binds an evaluated name-ref to a value.

**(unquote qexpression)**  
 Unquotes a given qexpression.

**(eval expression)**  
 Fully evaluates an expression, optionally removing a layer of quoting.

**(fn [args...] body)**  
 Creates a scoped lambda given a vector of args, and a body. Binds to a closure when created inside of one.

**(mkfn name [args...] body)**  
 Creates a scoped function given a name, a vector of args, and a body. Binds to a closure when created inside of one.

**(macro name [args...] body)**  
 Creates a scoped macro given a name, a vector of args, and a body. Binds to a closure when created inside of one.

**(let [[name value]...] body)**  
 Creates a closure where each value is bound to a name before evaluating body.

## 1.7 String

**(concat s0 s1 ... sn)**  
 Concatenates strings together.

## 1.8 Vector

**(merge v0 v1 ... vn)**  
 Merges vectors together.

**(slice vector start stop step)**  
 Slices a vector using start, stop, and step.

**(at index vector)**  
 Returns an item from a vector given its index.

**(remove index vector)**  
 Removes an item from a vector given its index.

**(len vector)**  
 Returns the length of a vector.

**(cons item vector)**  
 Prepends an item to a vector.

**(snoc vector item)**  
 Appends an item to a vector.

**(is-map vector)**

Verifies if the vector is a map.

**(map-in vector atom)**

Checks whether atom is a member of vector.

**(map-at vector atom)**

Obtains the value bound to atom in vector.

**(map-up vector atom value)**

Sets or updates the atom member of vector with atom.

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## CHAPTER TWO

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## TUTORIALS

### 2.1 Creating Macros

Macros are a flexible way to define new language constructs within the language. This tutorial implements a *for-each* loop as an example.

First, let's define the form of our *for-each* loop:

```
(for target in vector expression)
```

`target` is the name of the symbol, `vector` is the sequence we're iterating through, and `expression` being the actions performed for every iteration.

We can use the `macro` function to define this form:

```
(macro for [target in vector expression]
  (do (setn vector (eval vector))
       (setn index 0)
       (setn final (len vector))
       (loop (when (= index final) (break))
             (setr target (at index vector))
             (eval expression)
             (setn index (+ index 1)))))
```

Analysing this example, two procedures are to be observed, specifically, the use of `setr` and `eval`. First, the `vector` that is passed to the macro contains unevaluated expressions that first have to be evaluated using `eval`. As described by the form that we've written earlier, `target` is the name of the symbol that we're assigning to, and as such, we'll have to use `setr` instead of `setn` to make sure that we're not binding using `target` literally. We then evaluate the `expression` literal, which has access to the value bound to `target`.

Let's test it out on the REPL:

```
> (macro for [target in vector expression]
|     (do (setn vector (eval vector))
|         (setn index 0)
|         (setn final (len vector))
|         (loop (when (= index final) (break))
|               (setr target (at index vector))
|               (eval expression)
|               (setn index (+ index 1)))))
for
> (for x in [1 2 3 4 5]
|     (print (* x x)))
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```

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```
4  
9  
16  
25  
:NIL
```

The newly defined `for` macro is able to iterate through the vector, binding each number to `x` before evaluating the expression.

Note: Macros create their own closure, and symbols bound within them are inaccessible after evaluation.

Modifying the macro to return the expression evaluated last is left as an exercise for the reader.

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## AMALGAMS

Internal documentation for the `amalgam.amalgams` module.

**class** `amalgam.amalgams.Located`

The base dataclass for encapsulating location data of nodes.

Provides an API similar to Lark's `Token` class for convenience.

**line\_span**

Lines spanned by a node

**Type** `Tuple[int, int]`

**column\_span**

Columns spanned by a node

**Type** `Tuple[int, int]`

**located\_on** (\*, `lines: Tuple[int, int] = (-1, -1)`, `columns: Tuple[int, int] = (-1, -1)`) → `amalgam.amalgams.Located`

Helper method for setting `Located.line_span` and `Located.column_span`.

**property column**

The starting column number of a node.

**property end\_column**

The ending column number of a node.

**property end\_line**

The ending line number of a node.

**property line**

The starting line number of a node.

**class** `amalgam.amalgams.Amalgam`

The abstract base class for language constructs.

**\_make\_repr** (`value: Any`) → `str`

Helper method for creating a `__repr__()`.

**bind** (`environment: Environment`) → `Amalgam`

Protocol for implementing environment binding for `Function`.

This base implementation is responsible for allowing `bind` to be called on other `Amalgam` subclasses by performing no operation aside from returning `self`.

**call** (`environment: Environment, *arguments: Amalgam`) → `Amalgam`

Protocol for implementing function calls for `Function`.

This base implementation is responsible for making the type signature of `SExpression.func` to properly type check when `SExpression.evaluate()` is called, as well as returning a fatal `Notification` for non-callable types.

**abstract evaluate** (`environment: Environment`) → Any  
Protocol for evaluating or unwrapping `Amalgam` objects.

**class amalgam.amalgams.Atom** (`value: str`)  
An `Amalgam` that represents different atoms.

**value**  
The name of the atom.

**Type** str

**evaluate** (`_environment: Environment`) → Atom  
Evaluates to the same `Atom` reference.

**class amalgam.amalgams.Numeric** (`value: N`)  
An `Amalgam` that wraps around numeric types.

Parameterized as a Generic by: `N = TypeVar("N", int, float, Fraction)`

**value**  
The numeric value being wrapped.

**Type** N

**evaluate** (`_environment: Environment`) → Numeric  
Evaluates to the same `Numeric` reference.

**class amalgam.amalgams.Symbol** (`value: str`)  
An `Amalgam` that wraps around symbols.

**value**  
The name of the symbol.

**Type** str

**evaluate** (`environment: Environment`) → Amalgam  
Searches the provided `environment` fully with `Symbol.value`. Returns the `Amalgam` object bound to the `Symbol.value` in the environment. Returns a fatal `Notification` if a binding is not found.

**class amalgam.amalgams.Function** (`name: str, fn: Callable[..., amalgam.amalgams.Amalgam], defer: bool = False, contextual: bool = False`)  
An `Amalgam` that wraps around functions.

**name**  
The name of the function.

**Type** str

**fn**  
The function being wrapped. Must have the signature: `(env, amalgams...) -> amalgam`.

**Type** Callable[..., Amalgam]

**defer**  
If set to `False`, arguments are evaluated before being passed to `Function.fn`.

**Type** bool

**contextual**  
If set to `True`, disallows function calls when `Function.in_context` is set to `False`.

**Type** bool

**env**

The `environment.Environment` instance bound to the function. Overrides the `environment` parameter passed to the `Function.call()` method.

**Type** `environment.Environment`

**in\_context**

Predicate that disallows functions to be called outside of specific contexts. Makes `Function.call()` return a fatal `Notification` when set to False and `Function.contextual` is set to True.

**Type** `bool`

**bind**(`environment: Environment`) → `Function`

Sets the `Function.env` attribute and returns the same `Function` reference.

**call**(`environment: Environment, *arguments: Amalgam`) → `Amalgam`

Performs the call to the `Function.fn` attribute.

Performs pre-processing depending on the values of `Function.defer`, `Function.contextual`, and `Function.in_context`,

**evaluate**(`_environment: Environment`) → `Function`

Evaluates to the same `Function` reference.

**with\_name**(`name: str`) → `amalgam.amalgams.Function`

Sets the `Function.name` attribute and returns the same `Function` reference.

**class** `amalgam.amalgams.SExpression`(\*`vals: amalgam.amalgams.Amalgam`)

An `Amalgam` that wraps around S-Expressions.

**vals**

Entities contained by the S-Expression.

**Type** `Tuple[Amalgam, ...]`

**evaluate**(`environment: Environment`) → `Amalgam`

Evaluates `func` using `environment` before invoking the `call()` method with `environment` and `SExpression.args`.

**property args**

The rest of the `SExpression.vals`.

**property func**

The head of the `SExpression.vals`.

**class** `amalgam.amalgams.Vector`(\*`vals: T`)

An `Amalgam` that wraps around a homogenous vector.

Parameterized as a Generic by: `T = TypeVar("T", bound=Amalgam)`

**vals**

Entities contained by the vector

**Type** `Tuple[T, ...]`

**mapping**

Mapping representing vectors with `Atom`s for odd indices and `Amalgam`s for even indices.

**Type** `Mapping[str, Amalgam]`

**\_as\_mapping**() → `Mapping[str, amalgam.amalgams.Amalgam]`

Attempts to create a `Mapping[str, Amalgam]` from `Vector.vals`.

Odd indices must be `Atom`s and even indices must be `Amalgam`s. Returns an empty mapping if this form is not met.

**evaluate** (*environment*: Environment) → *Amalgam*  
Creates a new *Vector* by evaluating every value in *Vector.vals*.

**class** amalgam.amalgams.**Quoted** (*value*: *T*)  
An *Amalgam* that defers evaluation of other *Amalgam*s.  
Parameterized as a Generic by: *T* = TypeVar ("T", bound=Amalgam)

**value**  
The *Amalgam* being deferred.

Type *T*

**evaluate** (\_*environment*: Environment) → *Quoted*  
Evaluates to the same *Quoted* reference.

**class** amalgam.amalgams.**Internal** (*value*: *P*)  
An *Amalgam* that holds Python object s.  
Parameterized as a Generic by: *P* = TypeVar ("P", bound=object)

**value**  
The Python object being wrapped.

Type *P*

**evaluate** (\_*environment*: Environment) → *Internal*  
Evaluates to the same *Internal* reference.

**class** amalgam.amalgams.**Trace** (*amalgam*: Amalgam, *environment*: Environment, *message*: str)  
Encapsulates information for tracking notifications.

**property amalgam**  
Alias for field number 0

**property environment**  
Alias for field number 1

**property message**  
Alias for field number 2

**class** amalgam.amalgams.**Notification** (\*, *fatal*: bool = True, *payload*: amalgam.amalgams.Amalgam = <Atom 'NIL' @ 0x7fec506e0150>)

An *Amalgam* that encapsulates and tracks notifications.

**fatal**  
Specifies whether the notification should unconditionally propagate and halt evaluation.

Type bool

**payload**  
An optional payload to be carried by a notification.

Type *Amalgam*

**trace**  
A stack of *Trace* objects that tell how the notification propagated.

Type List[Trace]

**evaluate** (\_*environment*: Environment) → *Notification*  
Evaluates to the same *Notification* reference.

**make\_report** (*text: str, source: str = '<unknown>'*) → str  
Generates a report to be printed to `sys.stderr`.

Accepts `text` and `source` for prettified output.

**pop** () → *amalgam.amalgams.Trace*  
Pops a `Trace` from `Notification.trace`.

**push** (*amalgam: Amalgam, environment: Environment, message: str*) → None  
Pushes a `Trace` into `Notification.trace`.



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ENGINE

Internal documentation for the `amalgam.engine` module.

**class** `amalgam.engine.Engine`

Class that serves as the frontend for parsing and running programs.

**environment**

An `environment.Environment` instance containing the built-in functions and a reference to the `engine.Engine` instance wrapped within a `amalgams.Internal`, accessible through the `~engine~` key.

**Type** `environment.Environment`

**\_interpret** (`text: str, source: str = '<unknown>'`) → `amalgam.amalgams.Amalgam`

Parses and runs a `text` from a `source`.

Internal-facing method intended for use within `amalgam.primordials`.

**interpret** (`text: str, source: str = '<unknown>', file: IO = <_io.TextIOWrapper name='<stdout>' mode='w' encoding='UTF-8'>`) → None

Parses and runs a `text` from a `source`.

User-facing method intended for use within `amalgam.cli`. Prints the result to `sys.stdout` unless specified. Handles pretty-printing of `amalgams.Notifications`.

**repl** (\*, `prompt: str = '> ', prompt_cont: str = '| '`) → None

Runs a REPL session that supports multi-line input.

**Parameters**

- **prompt** (`str`) – The style of the prompt on regular lines.
- **prompt\_cont** (`str`) – The style of the prompt on continued lines.



**ENVIRONMENT**

Internal documentation for the `amalgam.environment` module.

```
class amalgam.environment.Environment(bindings: Bindings = None, parent: Environment = None, name: str = 'unknown', engine: Engine = None)
```

Class that manages and represents nested execution environments.

**bindings**

A mapping of `str` keys to `amalgams.Amalgam` values.

**Type** `Dict[str, Amalgam]`

**parent**

The parent `Environment` instance to search into, forming a linked list.

**Type** `Optional[Environment]`

**level**

The current length of the `Environment` linked list. If a `parent` is provided, sets the current value to the parent's `level` + 1.

**Type** `int`

**search\_depth**

The search depth when traversing the `Environment` linked list in the `__contains__()`, `__delitem__()`, `__getitem__()`, and `__setitem__()` methods.

**Type** `int`

**name**

The name of the execution environment.

**Type** `str`

**engine**

A reference to the engine managing the `parser.Parser` instance and the global `Environment` instance.

**Type** `Engine`

`__contains__(item: str) → bool`

Recursively checks whether an `item` exists.

Searches with respect to the current `search_depth` of the calling `Environment` instance. If the target `item` is encountered at a certain depth less than the target depth, immediately returns `True`, otherwise, returns `False`.

`__delitem__(item: str) → None`

Attempts to recursively delete the provided `item`.

Searches with respect to the current *search\_depth* of the calling *Environment* instance. If an existing *item* is encountered at a certain depth less than the target depth, deletes that *item* instead.

**\_\_getitem\_\_(item: str) → Amalgam**

Attempts to recursively obtain the provided *item*.

Searches with respect to the current *search\_depth* of the calling *Environment* instance. If an existing *item* is encountered at a certain depth less than the target depth, returns that *item*, otherwise, raises `SymbolNotFound`.

**\_\_setitem\_\_(item: str, value: Amalgam) → None**

Attempts to recursively set the provided *value* to an *item*.

Searches with respect to the current *search\_depth* of the calling *Environment* instance. If an existing *item* is encountered at a certain depth less than the target depth, overrides that *item* instead.

**env\_pop() → amalgam.environment.Environment**

Discards the current *Environment* and returns the parent *Environment*.

**env\_push(bindings: Bindings = None, name: str = None) → Environment**

Creates a new *Environment* and binds the calling instance as its parent environment.

**search\_at(\*, depth=0)**

Context manager for temporarily setting the lookup depth.

The provided *depth* argument must not exceed the *level* of the calling *Environment* instance, and will raise a `ValueError` if done so.

```
>>> env = Environment(FUNCTIONS)
>>>
>>> with env.search_at(depth=42):
...     env["+"] # Raises ValueError
```

Any negative integer can be passed as a *depth* to signify an infinite lookup until the top-most environment.

```
>>> env = Environment(FUNCTIONS)
>>> cl_env = env.env_push({...})
>>>
>>> with cl_env.search_at(depth=-1):
...     cl_env["+"] # Searches `env`
```

**class amalgam.environment.TopLevelPop**

Raised at *Environment.env\_pop()*.

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PARSER

Internal documentation for the `amalgam.parser` module.

`amalgam.parser.parse(text: str, source: str = '<unknown>')` → `amalgam.amalgams.Amalgam`  
Facilitates regular parsing that can fail.

**class** `amalgam.parser.Expression(visit_tokens=True)`  
Transforms expressions in text into their respective `amalgams.Amalgam` representations.

`atom(colon, identifier)`

`floating(number)`

`fraction(number)`

`integral(number)`

`quoted(quote, expression)`

`s_expression(*values)`

`string(*values)`

`symbol(identifier)`

`vector(*values)`

**class** `amalgam.parser.ParsingError(line: int, column: int, text: str, source: str)`

Base exception for errors during parsing.

`line`

the line number nearest to the error

**Type** `int`

`column`

the column number nearest to the error

**Type** `int`

`text`

the original text being parsed

**Type** `str`

`source`

the source of the original text

**Type** `str`

**class** `amalgam.parser.ExpectedEOF(line: int, column: int, text: str, source: str)`

Raised when multiple expressions are found.

**class** amalgam.parser.**ExpectedExpression** (*line*: int, *column*: int, *text*: str, *source*: str)  
Raised when no expressions are found.

**class** amalgam.parser.**MissingClosing** (*line*: int, *column*: int, *text*: str, *source*: str)  
Raised on missing closing parentheses or brackets.

**class** amalgam.parser.**MissingOpening** (*line*: int, *column*: int, *text*: str, *source*: str)  
Raised on missing opening parentheses or brackets.

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CHAPTER  
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## PRIMORDIALS

amalgam.primordials.\_**add** (\_env: Environment, \*nums: am.Numeric) → am.Numeric  
Returns the sum of nums.

amalgam.primordials.\_**and** (env: Environment, \*exprs: am.Amalgam) → am.Atom  
Checks the truthiness of the evaluated exprs and performs an *and* operation. Short-circuits when :FALSE is returned and does not evaluate subsequent expressions.

amalgam.primordials.\_**at** (\_env: Environment, index: am.Numeric, vector: am.Vector) → am.Amalgam  
Indexes vector with index.

amalgam.primordials.\_**bool** (\_env: Environment, expr: am.Amalgam) → am.Atom  
Checks for the truthiness of an expr.

amalgam.primordials.\_**break** (env: Environment) → am.Notification  
Exits a loop with :NIL.

amalgam.primordials.\_**concat** (\_env: Environment, \*strings: am.String) → am.String  
Concatenates the given strings.

amalgam.primordials.\_**cond** (env: Environment, \*pairs: am.Vector[am.Amalgam]) → am.Amalgam  
Traverses pairs of conditions and values. If the condition evaluates to :TRUE, returns the value pair and short-circuits evaluation. If no conditions are met, :NIL is returned.

amalgam.primordials.\_**cons** (\_env: Environment, amalgam: am.Amalgam, vector: am.Vector) → am.Vector  
Prepends an amalgam to vector.

amalgam.primordials.\_**div** (\_env: Environment, \*nums: am.Numeric) → am.Numeric  
Divides nums [0] and the product of nums [1:]

amalgam.primordials.\_**do** (env: Environment, \*exprs: am.Amalgam) → am.Amalgam  
Evaluates a variadic amount of exprs, returning the final expression evaluated.

amalgam.primordials.\_**eq** (\_env: Environment, x: am.Amalgam, y: am.Amalgam) → am.Atom  
Performs an *equals* comparison.

amalgam.primordials.\_**eval** (env: Environment, amalgam: am.Amalgam) → am.Amalgam  
Evaluates a given amalgam.

amalgam.primordials.\_**exit** (env: Environment, exit\_code: am.Numeric = <Numeric '0' @ 0x7fec4fb717d0>) → am.Amalgam  
Exits the program with the given exit\_code.

amalgam.primordials.\_**fn** (env: Environment, args: am.Vector[am.Symbol], body: am.Amalgam) → am.Function  
Creates an anonymous function using the provided arguments.

Binds env to the created *amalgams.Function* if a closure is formed.

amalgam.primordials.**\_ge** (*env*: Environment, *x*: am.Amalgam, *y*: am.Amalgam) → am.Atom  
Performs a *greater than or equal* comparison.

amalgam.primordials.**\_gt** (\_*env*: Environment, *x*: am.Amalgam, *y*: am.Amalgam) → am.Atom  
Performs a *greater than* comparison.

amalgam.primordials.**\_if** (*env*: Environment, *cond*: am.Amalgam, *then*: am.Amalgam, *else\_*: am.Amalgam) → am.Amalgam  
Checks the truthiness of the evaluated *cond*, evaluates and returns *then* if :TRUE, otherwise, evaluates and returns *else\_*.

amalgam.primordials.**\_is\_map** (\_*env*: Environment, *vector*: am.Vector) → am.Atom  
Verifies whether *vector* is a mapping.

amalgam.primordials.**\_le** (*env*: Environment, *x*: am.Amalgam, *y*: am.Amalgam) → am.Atom  
Performs a *less than or equal* comparison.

amalgam.primordials.**\_len** (\_*env*: Environment, *vector*: am.Vector) → am.Numeric  
Returns the length of a vector.

amalgam.primordials.**\_let** (*env*: Environment, *pairs*: am.Vector[am.Vector], *body*: am.Amalgam) → am.Amalgam  
Creates temporary bindings of names to values specified in *pairs* before evaluating *body*.

amalgam.primordials.**\_loop** (*env*: Environment, \**exprs*: am.Amalgam) → am.Amalgam  
Loops through and evaluates *exprs* indefinitely until a *break* or *return* is encountered.

amalgam.primordials.**\_lt** (\_*env*: Environment, *x*: am.Amalgam, *y*: am.Amalgam) → am.Atom  
Performs a *less than* comparison.

amalgam.primordials.**\_macro** (*env*: Environment, *name*: am.Symbol, *args*: am.Vector[am.Symbol], *body*: am.Amalgam) → am.Amalgam  
Creates a named macro using the provided arguments.

amalgam.primordials.**\_make\_function** (*name*: str, *func*: Optional[Callable[[], T]] = None, *defer*: bool = False, *contextual*: bool = False, *allows*: Optional[Sequence[str]] = None) → Union[functools.partial, Callable[[], T]]  
Transforms a given function *func* into a *Function* and stores it inside of the *FUNCTIONS* mapping.

amalgam.primordials.**\_map\_at** (\_*env*: Environment, *vector*: am.Vector, *atom*: am.Atom) → am.Amalgam  
Obtains the value bound to *atom* in *vector*.

amalgam.primordials.**\_map\_in** (\_*env*: Environment, *vector*: am.Vector, *atom*: am.Atom) → am.Atom  
Checks whether *atom* is a member of *vector*.

amalgam.primordials.**\_map\_up** (\_*env*: Environment, *vector*: am.Vector, *atom*: am.Atom, *amalgam*: am.Amalgam) → am.Vector  
Updates the *vector* mapping with :data:`atom` and *amalgam*.

amalgam.primordials.**\_merge** (\_*env*: Environment, \**vectors*: am.Vector) → am.Vector  
Merges the given vectors.

amalgam.primordials.**\_mkfn** (*env*: Environment, *name*: am.Symbol, *args*: am.Vector[am.Symbol], *body*: am.Amalgam) → am.Amalgam  
Creates a named function using the provided arguments.

Composes *\_fn()* and *\_setn()*.

amalgam.primordials.**\_mul** (\_*env*: Environment, \**nums*: am.Numeric) → am.Numeric  
Returns the product of *nums*.

amalgam.primordials.\_**ne** (\_env: Environment, x: am.Amalgam, y: am.Amalgam) → am.Atom  
Performs a *not equals* comparison.

amalgam.primordials.\_**not** (\_env: Environment, expr: am.Amalgam) → am.Atom  
Checks and negates the truthiness of expr.

amalgam.primordials.\_**or** (env: Environment, \*exprs: am.Amalgam) → am.Atom  
Checks the truthiness of the evaluated exprs and performs an *or* operation. Short-circuits when :TRUE is returned and does not evaluate subsequent expressions.

amalgam.primordials.\_**print** (\_env: Environment, amalgam: am.Amalgam) → am.Amalgam  
Prints the provided amalgam and returns it.

amalgam.primordials.\_**putStrLn** (\_env: Environment, string: am.String) → am.String  
Prints the provided string and returns it.

amalgam.primordials.\_**remove** (\_env: Environment, index: am.Numeric, vector: am.Vector) → am.Vector  
Removes an item in vector using index.

amalgam.primordials.\_**return** (env: Environment, result: am.Amalgam) → am.Notification  
Exits a context with a result.

amalgam.primordials.\_**setn** (env: Environment, name: am.Symbol, amalgam: am.Amalgam) → am.Amalgam  
Binds name to the evaluated amalgam value in the immediate env and returns that value.

amalgam.primordials.\_**setr** (env: Environment, rname: am.Amalgam, amalgam: am.Amalgam) → am.Amalgam  
Attempts to resolve rname to a *amalgams.Symbol* and binds it to the evaluated amalgam in the immediate env.

amalgam.primordials.\_**slice** (\_env: Environment, vector: am.Vector, start: am.Numeric, stop: am.Numeric, step: am.Numeric = <Numeric '1' @ 0x7fec4fb71cd0>) → am.Vector  
Returns a slice of the given vector.

amalgam.primordials.\_**snoc** (\_env: Environment, vector: am.Vector, amalgam: am.Amalgam) → am.Vector  
Appends an amalgam to vector.

amalgam.primordials.\_**sub** (\_env: Environment, \*nums: am.Numeric) → am.Numeric  
Subtracts nums [0] and the summation of nums [1:].

amalgam.primordials.\_**unquote** (\_env: Environment, qamalgam: am.Quoted[am.Amalgam]) → am.Amalgam  
Unquotes a given qamalgam.

amalgam.primordials.\_**when** (env: Environment, cond: am.Amalgam, body: am.Amalgam) → am.Amalgam  
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