
A COMPENDIUMME
OF
WISDOMME KNOWLEDGES

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Chapter 1

Foreword

These words were collected and transcribed into L^AT_EX from a snapshot made on August 27, 2013. There are minor edits done to some entries to make them fit into the typesetting system. Otherwise, everything was kept as faithful as possible to the original medium. If you have any of:

- suggestions;
- corrections;
- amendments;
- complaints

Please feel free to join the `#esoteric` channel on `irc.freenode.net` and make yourself heard. On the other hand, if you have questions about the meaning of an entry, well, please do join, but we may not be able to answer. (*By the way, what with the pineapples?*)

Chapter 2

The Thingies Wisdom

#

#esoteric is the only channel that exists. monqy is its centroid¹.

\$ 1? ^\(^_o)/~

? is wisdom

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@ is an OS made out of only the finest vapour

‘ is the prefix to greatness.

‘? ^\(^_o)/~

A

aah ambiguous acronym here

america This wisdom entry had to be removed due to a DMCA takedown notice.

arothmorphise ... antormo... antroh... ant... oh bugger. This should go in the ‘misspellings of anthrop... atnhro... entry.

¹Note from the Editor: Unattested

atm An ATM is when you're withdrawing money right now at a machine that will steal your relevant info

Atrix is a brand of hand cream. Not to be confused with atriq.

B

“Banach-tarski” is an anagram of “Banach-Tarski Banach-Tarski”.

bc

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bds mreclist * oerjan swats quintopia -----### <oerjan> Phantom_Hoover: it records all the big hits

Bicategories are just categories where composition is only associative up to an isomorphism.

Bienvenue sur le centre international pour le design et le déploiement des langages de programmation ésotériques! Pour plus d'informations, visitez le wiki: http://esolangs.org/wiki/Main_Page. (Pour l'autre type d'ésotérisme, essayez #esoteric sur irc.dal.net.)

bird bird bird bird

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bookwatching is when you conflagrate birdwatching and the books used to identify them in the same object.

botlops are the core of botsentiences. Sapience is scheduled for the next release.

Braid theory is the extremely twisted theory of braids.

Brains are just receptacles for bricks.

brainfk** There is no such thing as brainf**k. You may be thinking of brainfuck.

brainfuck is the integral of the family of terrible esolangs.

Brick goes in brain. The statutory punishment for perpetrators of brainfuck derivatives.

burma ask Bike

C

California is pronounced "Caliphate-ornery-I-A"

Caps Lock is cruise control for cool

Cats are cool, but should be illegal.

Categories are just a special case of bicategories.

category-helpdesk is a helpdesk with identity and composition. This channel isn't it.

In category theory , category theory is a theory in the category of theories.

cello The high level structure of Cello projects is inspired by /Haskell/, while the syntax and semantics are inspired by /Python/ and /Obj-C/.

certainly We don't know what certainly is for sure, but at least it isn't a functor.

certainty We don't know what certainty is for sure, but at least it isn't a functor.

Chess is a complex boardgame, where players exchange unclear royal steaks until they decide which of them has lost. The game is recorded through the Gring-muth Moving Pineapple Notation.

Claustrophobia thought the wisdom database was getting too crowded, so left.

A cocoonspirator is a collaborator wrapped in caterpillar silk

Coffee is a strange hot brown liquid, often consumed, sometimes with milk and sugar. It contains chemicals considered stimulants.

Color is a phenomenon from outer space designed to drive humanity insane and bring forth the new age of Cthulhu.

Colour is a phenomenon from outer space designed to drive humanity insane and bring forth the new age of Cthulhu.

comedogenic is something that causes comedy when applied to the skin, e.g. an accelerated cream pie in parabolic motion.

Comonads are just monads in the dual category.

composition is where you take morphisms such as Phantom and Hoover from the Pha category and combine them together: Hoover \circ Phantom.

conspirabiology is where moth colourings form a dot matrix display to send you subliminal messages.

context is a word with many meanings, depending on where it is used.

Cosplay is the art of dressing up as people to show off to other people dressed up as people.

Coulor is the correct spelling.

croissant supplier See misspellings of croissant

The Cyberiad is not just a book. It's an M&S book.

D

D-modules are just modules over the ring of differential operators. Taneb invented them.

dahl dih dahl dahl

dandreclist <http://zzo38computer.org/dnd/recording/level20.tex> (the precompiled .dvi is also available)

devious dumb

disflagrate v.t.perf.: a traditional technique from Poland (earliest attestation c. 1042) used to separate szoups. Nowadays, commercial production is entirely mechanized.

doesthiswork no

.doorstop You do not have the clearance necessary to view this entry.

døsthiswork yes

E

elliott No one was ever called Elliot.

Endofunctors are just endomorphisms in the category of categories.

Endomorphisms are just morphisms which compose with themselves.

England is [EXPUNGED].

Eridanipoids form a category of uncategorifiable stellar remnants. They form dense clusters of unmovable and unstoppable objects.

esoteric This channel is about programming — for the other kind of esoterica, try #esoteric on irc.dal.net.

Europe is the national anthem of the Republic of Kosovo.

Eurovision is the European way of looking at the world. For some reason it involves a lot of cheesy singing.

Everyone in here is mad.

F

facts are lies. They are not there. Go away!

false is a very old stack-based language. For an authentic experience, run it on an Amiga. It's also not true.

fentimans is a delicious beverage out from Hexham, that can be paired with a fresh fternooner for a nutritive midday snack.

field There are two kinds of fields. Those where you can divide (except by zero), and those where you can conquer.

Finland is a European country. There are two people in Finland, and at least nine of them are in this channel. Corun drives the bus.

Finns are helpful, albeit grossly overpopulated (cf. 'Finland').

Finnish suomalaiset ei Perkeleistä on hakkapeliittaan. Ei saa peittää. Parasta ennen!

flagpole A flagpole is like a tadpole, but with a flag on top.

flower. what IS a flower?

fomething denotes the obsolescence of clinical insanity.

footnote 8 Isn't it fun reading through all the footnotes?

for further details who knows

for further details. See '? for further details for futher details.

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Friends make graphs together / La la la la

friendship wisdom

fternooner (Danish »fternooner«, Norwegian «ttermiddag», Swedish "ftermiddag") is a screamingly delicious pastry.

Functors are just morphisms in the category of small categories

G

ga{s,z}pacho You like Gazpacho and I like Gaspacho. Let's call the whole thing off!

ga{sz,zs}pac{h,z}o iz a hungarian szoup, tradizsonally szerved cold for hot szummer dayz

GHCi is a local version of lambdabot. Cool, huh?

gotton is a quantum of attention. Solain drives the packet.

glumgot is not a particularly bad swear word, but is still disquieting.

Go is a common verbal game programming language invented by the Germanic Taneb tribes in the strategic territories of East Asia.

Goats are drunk 24/7, ask Solain for details.

gonads are the best punctional fondlegramming squishcture.

grimmargorp Þór, Grimmargorpurinn hefur sloppið! Ragnarök eru nálæg!

H

hallucination You are just imagining this wisdom entry.

Ham is a kind of meat. It is popular in Hexham, among other places.

haskell Unbound implicit parameter (?haskell::Wisdom) \ arising from a use of implicit parameter 'haskell'

Heck is where you end up if you don't believe in Gosh.

hello hello hello, what's all this then?

Helsinki is the capital of Finland. Its main suburb is Hexham, Northumberland.

Hexham es la ciudad mas importante de programación esotérico

Homestuck Homestuck is a cult religion for disaffected teens. Gamzee drives the bus. Best summarized by <http://www.mspaintadventures.com/storyfiles/hs2/05743.gif>

Hom-sets are just sets of morphisms between two objects.

hovercraft a-é-ro-g-liss-e-ur. If you mention eels, you'll get smacked with one of them in a most unappropriate manner.

HtDH is a classic text on How to Design Hotdogs or possibly Hogprams. It is all about functional condiments, and was co-authored by Herence Tao and Don Ho.

hth is help received from a hairy toe. It is not at all hambiguitous.

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I

i love monoids

ievan is basically
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4om1rQKPijI>

Indexed monads are just categories enriched over the monoidal category of endofunctors.

INTERCAL has excellent features for modular program for the enterprise market.

internationale You have been reported to the House Un-American Activities Committee

Inverness is a city in Scotland. The ring road isn't multiplicative.

irc is useless.

isomorphism is isomorphic to Phantom_Hoover up to isomorphism.

itym "i think you mean" hth

iwc contains puns! Puns galore! Puns after puns after puns! Also science!

J

Justice is just behavior or treatment.

K

[This space not quite intentionally left blank. . .]

L

Lachine Unholy portal to China, closely guarded from Evil by Roujo.

LaTeX LaTeX is `\end{verbatim} \textbackslash textbackslash`
`begin\textbackslash \{document\textbackslash \}`

lens A lens is just a store comonad coalgebra.

Lettuce is a vegetable with two dressings, join and meet.

lexer is a maximally Norwegian painter. Its squares are munched with chili sauce.

Lies are even easier than monoids. They form groups, known as Lie groups.

log I think you might mean !logs

logs I think you might mean !logs

Luxembourg is adequate.

The lystrosaurs were an ancient genus of evil reptiles who successfully took over the world in the early Triassic.

lystrosaurus is a genus of Late Permian and Early Triassic Period dicynodont therapsids, which ruled the world around 250 million years ago.

M

mad “But I don’t want to go among mad people,” Alice remarked. “Oh, you can’t help that,” said the Cat: “we’re all mad here. I’m mad. You’re mad.” “How do you know I’m mad?” said Alice. “You must be,” said the Cat, “or you wouldn’t have come here.”

Marmite is a group mind of fungal microorganisms spreading throughout the supermarkets of the Commonwealth.

maths stands for Mathematical Anti-Telharsic Harfatum Septomin

Maybe a is Just a or Nothing

megalun is a chain of a million SCSI devices. FreeFull weighs 482 of them.

metaturing This wisdom entry was crushed by a falling anvil.

misspellings of croissant misspellings of crosant? $\neg(\circ_o)\neg$

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Monads are just monoids in the category of endofunctors.

Monoids are just categories with a single object. They are the easy version of categories.

morphisms are just elements of the Hom-set of a pair of objects.

N

nah no ambiguity here

narutoverse is a place where they haven't heard of having a bus factor of > 1 . Sgeo drives the bus.

Natural transformations are just morphisms in the category of functors

Nepeta Leijon is the maintainer of the official Alternian shipping wall.

The Neverending Work is what boily is going through *trying* to map entries that are being put in at the same time.

An ngram model is just a Markov model with a sliding window state

Northumberland may be today a sparsely populated country...but SOON! THE NORTHUMBRAINS SHALL RISE!

Norway is the suburb capital of Sweden. It's where the Nobel Peace Prize is announced.

notsuredom A state of incertitude, partial existence, dubiousity and conjecturability.

O

Ø escaped due to a sensitive case bug

ø is not going anywhere

object An object is just something in a category.

oceans The pacific ocean is half the world and surrounded by fire. The atlantic ocean is less cool than its giant underwater mountain range. The arctic ocean is cold. The indian ocean is full of typhoons and non-eurocentric shipping.

olist Update notification for the webcomic Order of the Stick.

Oregon is the home of Oregano. Gregor used to take care of the color scheme, but then he left.

otp only ten pounds

P

Parsley is a girl in the South Seas. Persil est une demoiselle des Mers du Sud.

A **partial order** is just a small thin skeletal category.

people who taneb is not eliott, a rabbi, Mark Zuckerberg, James Bond

phở là một món ăn truyền thống của Việt Nam, cũng có thể xem là một trong những món ăn đặc trưng nhất cho ẩm thực Việt Nam.

PHP is preferred by 9 out of 10 idiots, and past eliott. Ask your GP today! [Website redacted]

pi is a very round number.

pie I like pie

Piet is a really colorful programming language.

Pineapple is a hybrid species descended from a cultivar of spinach and wild ivy, therefore making it a class 6 vegetable.

Pizza is a kind of rhubarb pie made without rhubarb.

Poutine was Pouti and boily's sister until the tragic cheese accident.

preorder A preorder is just a small thin category.

Q

qdb is used like: ‘quote; ‘quote regexp; ‘quote id; ‘addquote ...; ‘delquote id; ‘pastequotes regexp; ‘pastenquotes [n]; see also qdbformat

q{db{fmt,format,rules},uoteformat} is: <nick> message; * nick action; two spaces between messages; all elisions marked with [...] other than irrelevant intervening messages; for messages separated by elision, one space on each side, not two

quine ‘? quine

quit /quit

Quotes are just elements of the quantum dilapidated bogosphere. See qdb.

R

radiohead is “rock music”

ramen 拉麵是一種類型的麵條縫製從原始樹木。

relevant info The large-eyed mouse lemur is a nocturnal tree-dweller.

résumé is a French summary. Not a curriculum vitæ.

Rhubarb rhubarb rhubarb, rhubarb: rhubarb rhubarb? Rhubarb, rhubarb, rhubarb rhubarb.

Right is not two wrongs but three lefts.

Rincewind is a wizzard. He likes potatoes.

ring Addition, subtraction and multiplication have a certain ring to them.

Roujo’s relevant info That information is stored in an unnamed metal cabinet in one of the top floors of an obscure administrative building with a number that you probably never heard of.

S

scotland <Phantom_Hoover> it’s that place where they all wear kilts and chase haggises around whilst warding off the loch ness monster with bagpipes

sgeolang currently is either J or Io.

shiasdayviaerqjjjjjjj is the reason why the USA don’t use the metric system.

Siberia is the capital of Finland. It’s where the Fields Medal was first synthesised.

Sleep is for the weak.

slist Update notification for the webcomic Homestuck.

soup What soup, Doc?

space elevator Like the shorter and more familiar strings of stringed musical instruments, the cable of a space elevator has a natural resonant frequency.

Spam is a delicious meat product. See <http://www.spamjamhawaii.com/>

ssstosis is a disease causing false identities

structural subtyping Not to be confused with substructural typing.

substructural typing Not to be confused with structural subtyping.

supermariooperator is one of many confusing operators as defined in Control.Plumbers.Monad
Your sanity is in another castle.

Sweden is the suburb capital of Norway. It's where all the Nobel prizes are announced, except the Math Prize.

szoup A szoup a szilárd tápszereknek híg alakban való elkészítése a célból, hogy könnyebben emészthetők legyenek; a hígító anyag a víz, mely feloldja s magába veszi a tápanyag legértékesebb részeit.

T

tadpole A tadpole is like a flagpole, but underwater.

Tanea plays Minecrafts, Dware Fortresr, and lives in Hexhal.

Tanebventions include D-modules, automatic squirrel feeders, the torus, and Go

tdh is the past tense of a successful hth. hth.

tdnh does not help

tervetuloa ask shachaf

the them Information on the THEM has been removed for national security reasons.

The U are a very mad people.

The US is the country opposed to the THEM.

this is a word

Thyme itself is only an abstract approximation of oregano.

torus Topologically, a torus is just a torus. Taneb invented them.

The Treaty on 'lists treats how to 'list our treats.

twh would help, but is an hth derivative. hth. twh. hand.

U

u monad?

ub is a saner hub.

united states See America.

unr liable is French for «peu fiable».

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usa See America.

V

v lkommen Hej och v lkommen till den internationella knutpunkten f r design och distribution av esoteriska programspr k! F r mer information, se v r wiki: http://esolangs.org/wiki/Main_Page. (F r den andra sortens esoterism, pr va #esoteric p  irc.dal.net.)

W

webcarting is not dissimilar to Mario Kart, but uses real, remote-controlled go-karts. Participants describe it as “the outlandish spectacle of real go-karting combined with the thrill and immersion of Mario Kart”.

Welcome to the international hub for esoteric programming language design and deployment! For more information, check out our wiki: http://esolangs.org/wiki/Main_Page. (For the other kind of esoterica, try #esoteric on irc.dal.net.)

welcome.bork Welcume-a tu zee interneshunel hoob fur isutereec prugremmeeng lungooege-a deseegn und deployment! Fur mure-a inffurmeshun, check ooooot ooor veeki: http://isulungs.oorg/veeki/Meeen_Pege-a. (Fur zee oozeer keend ooff isutereeca, try #isutereec oon irc.del.net.)

welcome.es ¡Bienvenido al centro internacional para el diseño y despliegue de lenguajes de programación esotéricos! Por desgracia, la mayoría de nosotros no hablamos español. Para obtener más información, echa un vistazo a nuestro wiki: http://esolangs.org/wiki/Main_Page. (Para el otro tipo de esoterismo, prueba #esoteric en irc.dal.net.)

welp is humid kelp, and not at all related to toes, their hairs, and generic requests for TWHes and TDHes.

welcome エソテリックプログラミング言語のデザインとデプロイメントの国際な場所へようこそ！詳しく、ウィキを見て：http://esolangs.org/wiki/Main_Page。
(他のエソテリック、irc.dal.netの#esotericへ)

west midlands Nobody knows anything about the West Midlands, and it has claimed the lives of at least two former regulars in this channel who tried to investigate so far.

X

xyzyy Nothing happens.

Y

you aaskell

Z

[Another not entirely blank letter. You'll have to use your imagination for now...]

?

⊥ is a bottom tack, useful for annoying teachers.

☞ You are probably using one right now!

Chapter 3

The People Wisdom

On the various inhabitants of #esoteric, their habits and notable sayings. Well. For some value of notable. Perhaps.

3.1 ais523

Agent “Iä” Smith is an alien with a strange allergy to avian body covering, which he is trying to retroactively prevent from ever evolving. On the 3rd of March, he’s lawful good.

- <ais523> after all, what are DVD players for?
- <ais523> so a.b.c.d.e.f.g.h.i.j.k.com might be self-relative, but a.b.c.d.e.f.g.h.i.j.k.l.com always means a.b.c.d.e.f.g.h.i.j.k.l.com.?
- <ais523> let’s put that in the HackEgo quotes files, just to completely mystify anyone who looks back along them in the future
- <ais523> (still, whatever possessed anyone to invent the N-Gage?)
- <ais523> theory: some amused deity is making the laws of physics up as they go along
- <alise> like, just like I’d mark “Bob knob hobs deathly poop violation EX-CREMENT unto;” as English
<ais523> alise: that’s great filler
<alise> ais523: well it contains all the important words in the english language...

- <AnMaster> oerjan, can you ever get any number higher than 3 at the start of “ordinary” [look-and-say sequences]?
<ais523> it’s not clear from the RFCs
- <ais523> reading playboy for the articles actually seems plausible nowadays
<ais523> after all, there’s porn all over the internet, why would you *pay* for it
- <ais523> cpressey: I have actually done a waterfall-model project that almost worked
<cpressey> That’s where you have a flexible kayak that bobs and weaves between the rocks as it plummets off the cliff
- <Sgeo> Why shouldn’t I just do everything in non-Microsoft-specific C#?
<ais523> it’s like trying to write non-IE-specific JavaScript with only Microsoft documentation and only IE to test on
- <cpressey> < ais523> then running repeatedly until you get the right sequence of random numbers < ais523> and just completely ignoring the input ← some people live their entire lives this way, i reckon
- <Vorpai> ais523, what is “MS Publisher”?
<Phantom_Hoover> Vorpai, you don’t want to know.
<ais523> Vorpai: be glad that you don’t know the answer <alise> Vorpai: “horrible”
- <ais523> syntax is the least important part of a programming language
<ais523> other than Python
- <ais523> fizzie: 50kB is quite a lot
- <tswett> That is the mark of Gregor right there.
<ais523> tswett: except that Gregor didn’t write that
<tswett> It’s still the mark of Gregor.
- <ais523> I love the way zzo38’s comment was cut off after the f of brainfuck
<ais523> that’s just the most hilarious place to cut it off in a discussion about censorshi
- <elliott> i thought you said it was meant to be more useful in practice :D
<ais523> elliott: well, it *is*, for sufficient values of useful in practice
<ais523> umm, sufficiently small
- <ais523> gah, why does lose keep winning?
- <ais523> OK, I give up, logging into Wikia is harder than writing a Firefox extension

- [on DNA Maze] <ais523> it requires more thought than Vorpil seems to be capable of
- <ais523> gah, who'd have thought removing concurrency from algol could be so difficult
- <ais523> elliot: hey, thinking's easier than using the Internet
- <ais523> the big issue with category theory is that pretty much everything forms a category
- <ais523> I think I managed something like a one-expression increment that was only a few hundred characters long
- [on petrol] <ais523> oklofok: it's actually poisonous, so I advise against drinking it
<Phantom_Hoover> ais523, also contains benzene, my carcinogen of choice.
- <ais523_> meanwhile, I've been running a program for over 24 hours (getting close to 48 now) which is calculating digits of pi, in binary
<ais523_> so far, it has found four digits
<ais523_> I hope it will find the fifth some time this week
- <ais523> Phantom_Hoover: nope, I removed . from the current directory
- <monqy> rest in peace lambdabot????
<ais523> monqy: it'll probably be back later
<monqy> nap in peace
- <ais523> 99% OF USES OF STRDUP ARE ILLEGAL!
- <ais523> it actually worked, and faster than using Excel for rendering
- <ais523> it's probably the same people who were trying to organise gangs of shoplifters as some sort of complex protest against the government's economic policy
- <ais523> oerjan: I'm not imaginative enough to write truly great slash fiction
- <itidus20> software patents strike again
<ais523_> that's got to be at least three times, now
<ais523_> are they out yet?
- <ais523> (Enigma is two games; one is solving Enigma puzzles, the other is working out how to represent things as Enigma puzzles, preferably with the minimal amount of lua and player-hidden information possible)

- <Vorpal> ais523, how can TAEB take too long? It is turn based. As long as it isn't taking like several minutes per move it is acceptable!
<ais523> Vorpal: it gets boring waiting for it
- <ais523> this strikes me as probably better than a singularity, because you can't trust a random AI, but you can probably trust olsner
- <ais523> oh no, I think we've managed to mix three metaphors in a way that actually makes sense
- <ais523> if all my Facebook friends were to visit a page, it wouldn't make any difference at all
- <ais523> isn't a neutrino detector just a large vat of washing-up liquid with a bit of machinery attached?
- <ais523> elliot: so what are the two issues with xfce?
<elliot> they're very unlikely to fuck up Xfce, and it can be made to work basically exactly like gnome two
- <ais523> it's not a list of *all* interesting esolangs, btw; otherwise you can take the first command from the first esolang, the second from the second, the third from the third, etc, then add 1 to all of them
<ais523> and you get a new interesting esolang
<ais523> diagonal principle. . .
- <ais523\unfoog> Vorpal: your ability to randomly make obvious comments in IRC as if they were profound is not a particularly useful one
- <ais523> Vorpal: I was paying too much attention to elliot and not enough to my HP
- <ais523> Just about all females often feel that exactly why all Hollywood stars common maintain its brightness as Tom in spite of frantic operate routine and large operate pressure from the skin. What do you think that they have got sufficient time to observe all attractiveness strategies and tips that his grandmother utilized to abide by?
- <ais523> also, why isn't monqy from Hexham? his name sounds like he should be
- <ais523> the parser would be even simpler if I didn't try to do type inference in it

- <ais523\unfoog> Phantom__Hoover: is the processor hot?
<ais523\unfoog> also, does it smell of burnt silicon? [...]
<ais523\unfoog> you can figure out if the processor is hot by touching it
- <zso38> Even the Spanish Inquisition is in this game.
<ais523> zso38: was it unexpected?
<zso38> Kind of...
- <ais523> is there any evidence that Jesus knew the rules of tic-tac-toe?
- <ais523> 'delquote 419 * HackEgo has quit (Remote host closed the connection) * EgoBot has quit (Remote host closed the connection) * glogbot has quit (Remote host closed the connection)
- <Phantom_Hoover> "Category 4 ("professional") fireworks are for sale only to fireworks professionals. They have no restrictions,"
<Phantom_Hoover> OK I need to become a pyrotechnician.
<ais523> Phantom_Hoover: that's like wanting to become a locksmith
<ais523> so that you can legally own lockpicks
<Phantom_Hoover> Did I mention when I wanted to become a locksmith?
- <Vorpai> <ais523> northern ireland is quite a way to drag someone from scotland ← not really. I just checked in google earth
<ais523> Vorpai: but dragging people across water's a bit tricky
- <ais523> oh right: Frooxius, you wouldn't happen to live in Hexham, would you?
<Frooxius> No, sorry.
<ais523> phew
<Ngevd> How about Finland?
<Frooxius> Why would I live there?
<fizzie> That's a *very* good question.
<fizzie> Why would anyone?
- <ais523> bleh, why doesn't tab-complete work in mkdir for the name of the new directory
- <ais523> and then I spent much of the rest of the time trying to work out how to implement 3D Hashlife efficiently when at least one of the colors has free will
- <itidus21> ais523: thats very zen really
<ais523> no, it's more or less the opposite of zen

- <ais523> coppro: I'm researching compiling high-level languages to hardware, which involves inventing new ones
<ais523> because there were no modern variants of algol specialised for hardware, oddly enough
- <ais523> rogues using maces is traditional [...]
<ais523> not D&D tradition, people coshing people in back alleys tradition
- <HackEgo> 88) <ais523> (still, whatever possessed anyone to invent the N-Gage?) [...]
<Sgeo_> Is there supposed to be a joke in 88?
<Sgeo_> Unless "N-Gage" is some pseudoscientific spiritual mumbo-jumbo, I don't get it.
<Sgeo_> Oh, it's a cell phone gaming thing apparently
- <ais523> OK, I'll use roman numerals to reduce confusion
- <monqy> what does it mean for a pencil to be turing complete...
<ais523> monqy: it's the same concept as USB sushi, really
- - ! - ais523 has parted #esoteric ("someone is going to mention Feather, I know it").
- <ais523> btw, I finally discovered what a burrito was, recently
<ais523> they're kind of nice to eat
<ais523> but don't really resemble monads
- <ais523> in Smalltalk, as in Feather, in order to do I/O, you must first create the universe
<Sgeo> ais523, it seems quite capable of I/O... GUI is a form of I/O
<ais523> Sgeo: yeah exactly
<ais523> where does the GUI come from?
<ais523> it's written in Smalltalk, clearly
<ais523> and how does the GUI do its I/O?
<ais523> if you think about the issue for too long, you end up inventing Feather
- <ais523> you can define Feather as "Smalltalk done right" if you want to confuse people into wondering why that would involve time travel stuff and all that
- <ais523> oerjan: humans are very hard to anthropomorphise
- <ais523> if you mentioned you'd rewritten textutils (or is cat coreutils?), I might have guessed what was wrong with the program

- <elliott> well what is time
<elliott> imo: an illusion [...]
<Taneb> elliott, I think it's more like a burrito
<Taneb> If you have too much of time you get ill
<Taneb> But damn it felt good
<Taneb> You only get out what you put in, unless your time was made by someone else, which isn't as fun
<ais523> burritos don't work like that!
- <shachaf> what are some good concurrency primitives
<ais523> shachaf: how primitive do you want?
- <ais523> did you know that likes follow you around the internet and steal your browser?
<Taneb> I thought that was Phantom_Hoover
- <ais523> Phantom_Hoover: my department teaches prolog, to second years I think
<ais523> some people choose it because it isn't ocaml, and then are disappointed to find it has lists
- <ais523> there's more evidence that scammers exist, than that, say, the average Nigerian exists
- <ais523> is it March 3?
<olsner> on some dates, yes
- <ais523> in soviet russia, what sees you is what gets you
- <ais523> elliott: it's not so much that I've failed, just that I have not yet succeeded
- <ais523> until you SPOON

3.2 alise, ehird and elliott

ehird is the person who Taneb definitely isn't.

elliott wrote this learn DB, and wrote or improved many of the other commands in this bot¹. He probably has done other things? He is also tire. And a lystrosaur.

- <ehird> so i can only conclude that it is flawed, or the world is utterly bonkers

¹Namely HackEgo

- IN EINEM ALTERNATIVEN UNIVERSUM (WO DIE NAZIS WON):
<ehird> So kann ich nur schliessen, dass es falsch ist, oder die Welt ist vollig BONKERS. Gegrusset seist du der Fuhrer Hitler!
- SUPLENTES EN UN UNIVERSO (MUSSOLINI CUANDO CONQUISTO EL MUNDO):
<ehird> i tan solo puede concluir que es defectuoso, o el mundo esta absolutamente loco. Todos a la gloria Il Duce!
- <ehird> pikhq: A lunar nation is totally pointless.
<fungebob> ehird: consider low-gravity porn
<ehird> fungebob: OK. Now I'm convinced.
- <ehird> is there a problem with it being carbonized :D
<augur> yes: carbonized coffee bean is known more commonly as "charcoal"
- <ehird> 'translatefromto hu en Hogy hogy hogy ami kemeny
<HackEgo> How hard is that
- <ehird> With enough crappiness a display can show you invisible pink unicorns.
- <ehird> no Deewiant
<Deewiant> No?!
<Deewiant> I've been living a lie
<ehird> yep.
<Deewiant> Excuse me while I jump out of the window →
- <ehird> Gracenotes: No I said it does 54-bit
- <alise> like, just like I'd mark "Bob knob hobs deathly poop violation EXCREMENT unto;" as English
<ais523> alise: that's great filler
<alise> ais523: well it contains all the important words in the english language...
- <alise> cmake is a nuclear powered waffle iron powered by a burning-hot testicle attachment
<alise> and it burns one of the waffles and doesn't touch the other.
- <alise> I love logic, especially the part where it makes no sense.
- <alise> Phantom_Hoover: Don't be nasty; he's a lunatic, not a murderer.

- <alise> “Europe is the national anthem of the Republic of Kosovo.”
<cpressey> alise: I
<cpressey> I was going to say something then your last line floored me
- <alise> Why do you use random acronyms you know we don’t know the expansions of?
<pikhq> alise: TLAAW
- <Phantom_Hoover> It’s only been 2 months since anyone last made a commit!
<alise> WRONG 8 WEEKS
- <Vorpal> ais523, what is “MS Publisher”?
<Phantom_Hoover> Vorpal, you don’t want to know.
<ais523> Vorpal: be glad that you don’t know the answer <alise> Vorpal: “horrible”
- <alise> i like to imagine their mangled limbs.
- <elliott> Vorpal loves the sodomy.
<Vorpal> elliott, sure why not
- <elliott> So it’s not exactly trivial. [Later about same thing]
<elliott> It’s a trivial C program :P
- <Vorpal> (had real world issues)
<Vorpal> (to deal with)
<ehird> Vorpal’s pregnant.
<Vorpal> yes
- <elliott> quintopia: that’s offensive, i was in a mirror accident and now my second half is a permanent mirror
<elliott> typing is kind of difficult
- <elliott> oerjan: What, can girls aim their penises better?
- <elliott> </pedant> ... come to think of it, <pedant>
- <elliott> clue is a language for beauty, not usefulness
<elliott> or ability to run at all
<oklopol> ability to run at all is not even close to a design goal, no
- <elliott> Getting bad programmers to like something is a failure.

- <elliott> i thought you said it was meant to be more useful in practice :D
<ais523> elliott: well, it *is*, for sufficient values of useful in practice
<ais523> umm, sufficiently small
- <elliott> mtve, now he's an expert idler.
<nndrylliog> mtve: kitty kitty kitty
- <Vorpai> ooh I want to see ehird pole dancing
<ehird> I think that would be illegal.
<Vorpai> oh you are right
<Vorpai> damn :/
- [on egojoust] <elliott> The fact is that EgoBot's % handling is $O(\text{slow})$ and $O(\text{big})$, and mine isn't.
- <elliott> lol @ closed character set standard
<elliott> "What does this codepoint represent?" "Nobody knows."
- <elliott> 320 quotes and still not a funny one yet!
- <elliott> just because i'm homosexual
<elliott> doesn't mean i have sex with men.
<elliott> ... i'm also a paedophile [...]
<elliott> see if i'm a gay paedophile
<elliott> i don't have sex with men
<elliott> i have sex with BOYS
- <elliott> ais523: quick, say something funny
<oklopol> something funny hagra:D
<oklopol> can'tä sopt laughitn
- <elliott> *A priori* one cannot say that *post hoc ergo propter hoc* the diminishing returns would give; yet under *quid pro quo* one can agglutinate *fabula* and *sujet* into vagrancies untold.
<elliott> See? I'm intellectual.
- <elliott> ais523: YOU WILL HAVE YOUR QUOTE SOON
- <zzo38>
<elliott>
<quintopia> i know it's unusual, but i agree with you both to some extent
- <elliott> Nationalism is no more (probably less) logical than consumerism, after all, as stupid as the word "logical" is as a system to rank things

- <elliott> AV is better than first-past-the-post, like every voting system apart from the Random Elephant Stomping method
- <elliott> Top universities now employ people to watch infomercials all day to find the latest mysteries.
- <elliott> sgeo do you actually know what sex looks like i am just checking here <Sgeo> I think so
- <ZOMGMODULES> I can trust elliott_ to have an opinion on anything and everything
<elliott_> Yes.
<elliott_> And the best thing is: it is the correct opinion.
- <elliott_> ‘addquote <olsner> two quotes about quotes about django
<olsner> I guess the worst part is that I appear in all three hackego quotes about django
<olsner> elliott_: another quote? you’re not helping :/
- <elliott> oerjan: but hypothetically, assume a Christian spontaneously materialised during the apocalypse
- <elliott> It’s a Toy Story character, you uncultured fuck.
- <elliott> HAHHAHAHA NO FNARF QUOTES EVER
<Gregor> Oh noooooooooooooooooooooo!
<elliott> Gregor: lol nose geddit
- <elliott_> I’m not even going to try and understand what you’re proposing.
<oerjan> i understand it perfectly. it’s completely nuts.
- <Sgeo_> “system is fairly sane <Sgeo_> <elliott> imagine if the roomba was called the Robotic Magic Vacuum <Sgeo_> <elliott> would you object to that being trademarked <Sgeo_> <monqy> I mean <Sgeo_> <monqy> phrase trade”
<Sgeo_> oops
- <elliott> oerjan: can you delete that and the meta turing completeness page
<elliott> thanks
<oerjan> elliott: IN UNIVERSO ALTERNATIVO, OERJAN PAGINAS DELET
- <elliott> im going to resurrect rutian
<elliott> with vitamin pills
<elliott> and book sales

- <elliott> God, I sure do hate Apple and their header files that only include the functions they're specified to.
- <elliott> Do one better! Pretend to be an idiot until YOU DIE.
- <elliott_> Vorpal: Won't be slower than Python ; -)
<Vorpal> elliott_, yeah but that is like saying a T-Ford going down a hill won't be slower than a bicycle uphill on a bumpy road :P
- <elliott> in the title of the page it says "Well-Typed — The Haskell Consultants" but i want to know who are the haskell conraisins?
- <elliott> What does "life" actually mean, anyway; it seems to mean "this thing that's infinitely greater than all my actual hobbies that I do all the time because I rule"
- <elliott> I MIGHT BECOME GHOST
- <elliott_> I hope in the future people curse me for creating such a shitty protocol.
- <Vorpal> elliott_, oh they are people known in the ruby community?
<elliott_> Vorpal: Uh. . . you mean Hannah Montana?
<Vorpal> elliott_, yeah. And Zed Shaw. Either they are that or they come from popular culture.
- <elliott> we need more films aimed at the lucrative irc nerd demographic
- <elliott> Deewiant: How do you go through life without seeing at least one gaping anus, that's what I want to know
- <Sgeo> Maybe I should try to learn Scala instead of Ruby
<elliott> I will boil your veins.
<Sgeo> Which is less bad?
<elliott> Probably Scala, but I don't want you learning languages.
- <Vorpal> elliott, it is typical of you
<elliott> Vorpal: so are most things I say
- <elliott_> now that we've cleared that up let us hug fungot =
<fungot> elliott_: let's not start that again."
- <elliott> help me i am so alone :C
<monqy> new computer good enough to simulate real parents
- <elliott> When the moon hits your eye like a big pizza pie, that's a monad.

- <elliott> Vorpall: who needs cars when you can walk to latvia
- <elliott> Dear god stop staring at me.
<monqy> no never
<Phantom_Hoover> monqy is always staring at everyone.
<monqy> it takes many eyes to do this but I manage
<Phantom_Hoover> He is an inspiration to us all.
- <elliott> Second Life is like... real life, modelled by people who've READ about real life, you know, in books.
- <ais523> elliott: so what are the two issues with xfce?
<elliott> they're very unlikely to fuck up Xfce, and it can be made to work basically exactly like gnome two
- <elliott> fizzie: It's like a JIT, if JITs were... strings.
- (Of Minecraft:) <elliott> So basically I didn't understand what it was at all, I thought maybe you were meant to be like a worm and just sort of wriggle about underground.
- <HackEgo> 678) <Ngevd> Dammit, Gregor, this is not the time to fall in love
<HackEgo> 187) <alise> Gregor: You should never have got her pregnant.
<Gregor> what whaaaaaaaaaaaaat
- <elliott> ais523: those suck
<elliott> hmm, those are all pretty good
- <Vorpall> oh my god
<Vorpall> that is one ugly solution
<elliott> beautiful
- * Sgeo|web wants to see elliott be wrong about something
<elliott> Sgeo|web: That literally never happens.
<shachaf> Sgeo|web: There you go. A great example.
- <elliott> ais523: You might want to downgrade to a sock to be safe
- <elliott> ais523: I pronounce "xor" by punching myself in the face and then "or"
- <fizzie> Do you want me to live dangerously and just stick it in the bot without testing it?
<elliott> fizzie: Yes.
<elliott> There is pretty much no way it won't be amazing.

- <elliott> right: you didn't find out you were wrong, just right in a way we failed to consider.
<elliott> if only every wrong person could be so lucky
- <elliott> monqy: it's only... ascii porn... the unicode bits stay covered
- <elliott> I'm not biased towards humanity over sentient .txt files.
- <elliott> @more
<elliott> @more
<elliott> @more
<elliott> @more
<elliott> @more
<elliott> @more
<elliott> @more
<elliott> :(
- <elliott> aaaaah my scherzo is unmeasurable
- <elliott> then they edited their own talk page comments after someone replied to it, and edited *the replier's comment* so that it made sense in context
- <elliott> I CAN'T DEAL WITH THE PRESSURE OF EVERYBODY THINKING I'M CONAL
- * elliott is back not for killing purposes but here to kill people.
- <elliott> It's... not really links2-optimised.
<nortti> elliott: I don't think that any page is links2 optimised
- <elliott_> (help why are german)
<monqy> i play the german version of crawl
<elliott_> i
- <elliott> gah
<elliott> this language is of the devil
<elliott> oklopol: you're meant to use your powers for *good*
- <elliott> ha
<elliott> ha
<elliott> ha
<elliott> ha
<elliott> ha
<elliott> ha
<elliott> ha

<elliott> ha
<elliott> ha
<elliott> ha
<elliott> ha
<zso38> Stop repeating yourself so much all at once

- <elliott> I couldn't survive an apocalypse. I don't even have any bitcoins.
- <elliott> oh, "legal" as in legal
- <elliott__> i just hit enter b/c its easier than ctrl+a del
- <elliott> this sounds sort of like @ kmc
<kmc> well @ is the least upper bound of all ideas in computer science
- <elliott> seriously q is the best fucking letter in the alphabet
- <elliott> i wrote a better version once but it was broken
- <elliott> I kept telling my therapist I wanted more conventional, non-hip-hop-oriented treatment, but it was no use. my shrinkwrapped.
<elliott> okay i hate myself for making a pun that bad
<elliott> please kill me
<elliott> :(
- <Vorpal> elliott, mostly I want something that takes zero effort to maintain and update once the initial setup is done.
<elliott> okay well that is called not linux
- <elliott> Deewiant: um???? You've forgotten axiom 1 of everything: everything sucks
- <zso38> Did you agree with what my idea was?
<elliott> absolutely
<monqy> what was your idea ?
<elliott> that was my next question
- <elliott> Phantom_Hoover: I like how the Victorians hadn't quite figured out you were meant to name books something shorter than their contents.
- <kmc> what is the linux equivalent of the magical purple light which makes things glow if they have been involved in a crime
<elliott> kmc: nmap??
- <quintopia> is there a way to tag things on wikipedia as "wtf this makes no sense"? <elliott> quintopia: {{featured article}}

- <elliott> okay so
<elliott> i went to wikimapia per Bike
<elliott> and found a tiny little nowhere that looked like it might be it
<elliott> zoomed in
<elliott> thought aw yeah this looks remote maybe it's it
<elliott> turns out it's hawaii
<elliott> i am not very good at this
- <elliott> well what is time
<elliott> imo: an illusion [...]
<Taneb> elliott, I think it's more like a burrito
<Taneb> If you have too much of time you get ill
<Taneb> But damn it felt good
<Taneb> You only get out what you put in, unless your time was made by someone else, which isn't as fun
<ais523> burritos don't work like that!
- <elliott> eval 1+2
<cuttlefish> Error (127):
<elliott> this is a great bot boily i love it
- <Phantom_Hoover> Sgeo_, are you just trying to post kmc bait...
* Fiora imagines a cardboard box propped up by a stick with a pile of monads inside.
<elliott> Fiora: that is actually what Haskell is.
- <elliott> also did you learn Haskell yet
<Bike> i think i've got most of it now what are these "type" things
- <elliott> it's such a shame the inventor of lisp was um
<elliott> ok i give up
- <kmc> i'm not actually competent at hacking things
<elliott> ummmm kmc dont u mean 'cracking' [tiny glider symbol with "hacker pride" written next to it in silkscreen] [head of a gnu] [tux penguin]
<kmc> [face shoved in toilet]
- <elliott> prediction: kmc never comes back
* kmc has joined #esoteric
- <elliott> Bike: oh huh. addition is really easy.
- <elliott> that is better than any made up story i was about to tell

- <Bike> ◇ _____ ◇
<elliott> help.
<Phantom_Hoover> jesus christ elliott
<Phantom_Hoover> apply pressure evenly when jamming eyes open
- <elliott> sometimes i wake up and my name has grown more consonants
- <elliott> five fucks away from installing ubuntu
- <elliott> beautiful summer / massacres in qusayr / sent from my iphone
- <kmc> 05:09 < utoneq> what exactly is a monad... and where is the difference to a set or a tuple?
<elliott> kmc: the difference is that a monad is a triple
<elliott> one more element
- <elliott> you know, when people talk about emacs being an OS I doubt what they had in mind was that it needed a package manager
- <@elliott> well, I think if you don't think figuring out who the opposite of shachaf is requires thought, then you don't know shachaf very well
- <elliott> my contract states right here that I have to tell you the best version of python is called haskell 2010

3.3 atriq, ngevd and Taneb

atriq or two

ngevd is a fake wisdom entry. '? ngevd is special-cased in bin/?'. leave this file alone Phantom_Hoover!!

Taneb is not elliott, no matter who you ask. He also isn't a rabbi although he has pretended in the past. He has at least two backup keyboards. (see also: d-modules)

- <Taneb> Turned out he got recursion, he just didn't get the return statement
- <Taneb> Cut to February <Taneb> War were declared <Taneb> A galaxy in turmoil <Taneb> Anyway, February '10
- <Taneb> I can't afford one of those! <Taneb> A grandchild, not a laser printer
- <fizzie> There's that saying that the definition of insanity is doing the same thing over and over again and expecting different results. [...] <Taneb> You've just gave me a different result [...] <fizzie> It's always insane to expect different results, even when it's likely to occur.

- <Taneb> Someone with that sort of grasp of logic shouldn't be allowed anything more computationally powerful than a plastic spoon
- <Taneb> Look, I often walk my dog through a field with cows in it. And I punched myself in the face once.
- <Taneb> So... God has jizzed on everything? <oklopol> have you even READ the bible?
- <Taneb> This staircase is very good for correcting people's opininons about communism
- <NihilistDandy> Non sequitur is my forte <NihilistDandy> On-topic discussion is my piano <Taneb> Bowls of sugary breakfast cereal is my mezzoforte <Taneb> Full fat milk is my pianissimo <Taneb> On which note, I'm hungry
- <Taneb> So it's like... Rummy mixed with... breakout?
- <Taneb> Well, I'm now experimenting with clients <fizzie> It doesn't sound like good PR to say that out loud.
- <Taneb> I combined the wholegrain breakfast and chocolatey breakfast for maximum breakfast efficiency
- <Taneb> Maybe if you try diplomacy. <Taneb> Pointy steel diplomacy
- <Taneb> I think it's fizzie against everyone atm <Taneb> AND EVERYONE IS WINNING <Taneb> EXCEPT FIZZIE
- <Taneb> Just goes to show, the Beatles are more interesting than green vegetables.
- <Taneb> I think this has taught us one thing. We can't teach itidus20 lambda calculus by comittee
- <Taneb> Mayor says we need to make aluminum items <Phantom_Hoover> Taneb, PH says you need to make lava items.
- <Ngevd> Dammit, Gregor, this is not the time to fall in love
- <Ngevd> "Unlike other operating systems, Linux operating systems use Linux"
- <Phantom__Hoover> Also you steal Berwick from us and then say you don't want it? <Ngevd> You stole it from us first!
- <Ngevd> "Facekicker" Hird is a member of the Hird family <Phantom_Hoover> Ngevd, world-renowned detective.

- <HackEgo> 678) <Ngevd> Dammit, Gregor, this is not the time to fall in love
<HackEgo> 187) <alise> Gregor: You should never have got her pregnant.
<Gregor> what whaaaaaaat
- <Ngevd> I'm neither Norwegian nor Finnish <Ngevd> I don't fit in your
quaint little categories
- <Ngevd> Somehow I managed to read Haskell as Befunge
- <Ngevd> It's like single player Hackiki in a way (?) <tswett> Ngevd: yes,
but with multiple players.
- <Ngevd> This is not the time for science! <Phantom_Hoover> ALL TIMES
ARE TIME FOR SCIENCE
- <Ngevd> BOXBOT IS TERRIBLE <Ngevd> NOBODY LIKES BOXBOT
<Ngevd> He's just a box with arms <monqy> i love boxbot already
- <ais523> oh right: Frooxius, you wouldn't happen to live in Hexham, would
you? <Frooxius> No, sorry. <ais523> phew <Ngevd> How about Finland?
<Frooxius> Why would I live there? <fizzie> That's a *very* good question.
<fizzie> Why would anyone?
- <Taneb> I swear my dreams are becoming increasingly rave + computer sci-
ence oriented
- <Ngevd> I don't know which version of Linux kernel I'm using atm <Ngevd>
Hang on <Ngevd> I'm on Windows
- <Taneb> I saw a Finnair plane today <ion> In a smoking rubble? <Taneb>
Close. <Taneb> Heathrow Airport
- <Taneb> hang on I have bright idea <Taneb> navajo to f me 1 in 3 people
- <Taneb> profanity specialities
- <Taneb> thank you verse I'm not quite innocent
- <Ngevd> And I may soon lack both a head and a wall
- <Taneb> Phantom_Hoover, like Glasgow but nicer <Taneb> So, not like Glas-
gow at all
- <Taneb> Gordon Moore's expected lifespan doubles every 18 months
- <Taneb> That's the problem with Tumblr <Taneb> All the porn titles are
taken by non-porn people

- <shachaf> Taneb: STOP TRYING TO GET LENS INTO EVERYTHING
<shachaf> Bike: You should use lens! <Taneb> NEVER <Bike> shachaf:
i'm getting mixed messages here
- <elliott> well what is time <elliott> imo: an illusion [...] <Taneb> elliott, I think it's more like a burrito <Taneb> If you have too much of time you get ill <Taneb> But damn it felt good <Taneb> You only get out what you put in, unless your time was made by someone else, which isn't as fun <ais523> burritos don't work like that!
- <Taneb> I'm a story about the prohibition of chocolate
- <ais523> did you know that likes follow you around the internet and steal your browser? <Taneb> I thought that was Phantom_Hoover
- <Taneb> I've also pretended to be Queen Elizabeth the first, but that was a desperate plea for attention
- <Tanea> ...I'm organising a picnic on Facebook in rhyming couplets
- <Taneb> I would like to learn how to use a sword <Taneb> And also how to ride a unicycle <Taneb> Perhaps not at the same time

3.4 augur

augur took no cakes.

- <ehird> is there a problem with it being carbonized :D <augur> yes: carbonized coffee bean is known more commonly as "charcoal"
- <augur> oerjan you're swedish, right?
- <augur> ive been in #haskell and #agda primarily, recently <Phantom_Hoover> So is #agda now full of dependently-typed gay sex?
- <augur> DIE <augur> oh hey elliott

3.5 Bike

Bike is from Luxembourg.

- <shachaf> Bike: Your client colours people? <Bike> it would be pretty boring to see everyone as white, i get that enough in real life

- <Bike> “damn, my port of ghc to php isn’t properly taking javascript booleans into account”
- <kmc> i bet a blog post complaining about “);});});” syntax in JavaScript and comparing it unfavorably to Lisp would get approximately one billion comments on hacker news <Bike> but at what cost? your very soul, kmc!
- [on Diplomacy] <Bike> man, that doesn’t even mention greece at all [...] <Bike> oh, this is about a game, not world war i.
- <Bike> i don’t even know anything about feather and i’m getting sick of the time travel jokes
- <Bike> so, i’m readng chaitin’s book on the diophantine thing, and he uses lisp with single-character variable names, in APL’s character set. is there a reliable test to see if i’m actually in some caricatured hell?
- <Bike> the idea is that you can get the information you need from reading the other players, isn’t it [...] <Bike> and of course, reading isn’t limited to facial expressions [...] <fizzie> That’s true, you can read e.g. books.
- <zzo38> What is your opinion on the Catholic doctrine and tradition and so on? <Bike> i give it 7/10.
- <Bike> I’ve heard the manga of Das Kapital is actually pretty good.
- <Bike> Usually I’d use Rankine, but the fucking weather doesn’t support it.
- <shachaf> Taneb: STOP TRYING TO GET LENS INTO EVERYTHING <shachaf> Bike: You should use lens! <Taneb> NEVER <Bike> shachaf: i’m getting mixed messages here
- <Bike> back in high school a guy printed out the entire script of portal 1 and was reading it out during a field trip. it’s possible i’m mentally scarred
- <Bike> well he could register the new tld for just a few thousand fucks
- <Bike> if you say “java” three times to a dark mirror does steele come out and lecture you about operator overloading
- <Bike> Are you sure this isn’t the Sims <kallisti> can you get married to your variables? <kallisti> this is a feature I find lacking in most languages
- <Bike> i’ve always wanted to xor swap transfinite ordinals
- <Bike> kmc: ok i gotta admit i fully support the use of ultrafilters in social sciences

- <Bike> When I imagine x86 I imagine a Swiss Family Robinson style tree-house, with parts continually bursting into flame underneath as they build higher and higher on the broken remnants of what they slapped together last week.
- <elliott> also did you learn Haskell yet <Bike> i think i've got most of it now what are these "type" things
- <Bike> so speaking of something more interesting than whatever that is, [...]
- <Bike> elliott: atlas shrugged is basically about wacking galt repeatedly with a giant platonic solid
- <kmc> the innovation of the iPhone was... just that it had a web browser that wasn't awful <Bike> i believe that's how the bolsheviks took over russia as well <Bike> the kulaks mainly stuck with IE and so were rightfully put to death by the cheka
- <Bike> i feel like i should say "sexual dimorphism" winkingly and then transmute myself into a horrid fleshbeast
- <shachaf> Bike: I think you're ready to learn about lens. <Bike> oh god <Bike> fiora help somebody help <Bike> anybody
- <kmc> hm hitler probably did one thing that I like too <kmc> he banned tubas, I guess I am neutral on tubas <Fiora> oh! he killed hitler <kmc> oh yeah, there we go <kmc> thanks Fiora <Bike> he also killed the guy who killed hitler
- <Bike> W A R N I N G. This source code follows transcomplex computational paths, even where more accurate, real, computational paths exist. <Bike> Y O U H A V E B E E N W A R N E D. <Bike> It literally says that
- <Bike> It's like narnia only with dicks
- <Bike> man at least job applications in biosciences are just like "you are willing to put your arms through a cow" <kmc> Bike: please send us a link to your CowHub profile of cows you have previously put your arms through on your own time for fun <Bike> please provide at least two zebrafish you have modified to glow in the dark
- <Bike> ◇ _____ ◇ <elliott> help. <Phantom_Hoover> jesus christ elliott <Phantom_Hoover> apply pressure evenly when jamming eyes open

- <Bike> whenever you feel bad about projecting just think: “at least i’m not freud”
- <Bike> <http://www.amazon.com/Someone-Cuttlefish-Shapeshifter-Erotica-ebook/dp/B0087PTMW2> i hope you know this is going to *fuck up* my amazon recs
- <Bike> ok confession time <Bike> because of the whole “generation” thing i thought that kids were born in waves until i was like twelve <Bike> and everybody like reproduced at the same time
- <Bike> i think we need more clever well-recognized idioms based on nematodes
- <oerjan> i vaguely thought sigbovik was all jokes? <Bike> oerjan: jokes written by CS people, so none of it’s funny, just sad
- <Bike> can sex be liberated from the von neumann position
- <Bike> esolangs were originally developed to protest socialism in italy in the 30s
- <Bike> I’m glad I quit programming to take up listening to numbers stations
- <Bike> that reminds me of a great quote about bird semen
- <kmc> doom <Bike> YES <Bike> oh no
- <Bike> i can say “no, i mean the WEIRD porn” in over six japonic languages
- <Bike> Fiora: how long does it take to factor 8616460799 <Fiora> Bike: I think using gnfs to factor that would be like using a nuclear weapon to sterilize a needle
- <Bike> oh my, this is a photo of an elliott fisting [...] <Bike> i meant elephant <Bike> but you know what, ok. <kmc> Bike: ... <kmc> Bike: can you send me that picture when i’m not at work ok <kmc> plz and thx
- <Bike> what’s cereal <mnoqy> cereal <mnoqy> cant believe you dont know what cereal is
- [on the name “Watson”] <fizzie> And not the IBM “AI”? <Bike> scare quotes eh <fizzie> I don’t think it counts as a proper AI until it kills people.
- <Bike> Fiora: hey gimme a ballpark here, how hospitable is a pH of 10 <Bike> is it basic or acidic <Fiora> bike you should know this stuff, you know biology right? <Fiora> this is like. basic stuff. <Bike> shut up

- <Sgeo> I think I just had a major impact in Active Worlds <Bike> like you were hit by a car?
- <Bike> are you saying the rockies and some mountains in norway are the same range
- <Bike> a dark day for all of humankind <zso38> Bike: Wrong. Not all of humankind lives in the same timezone. <shachaf> a dark day for some of humankind <zso38> OK

3.6 boily

boily is the brother of Roujo's brother and he's monetizing the company Roujo works at, or something Canadian like that. He's also a NaniDispenser.

- <boily> not only there is no God, but try to find an APL keyboard on Sunday.
- <boily> ais523: I'm not sure my grasp of the English language is getting better by visiting this channel. . .
- <boily> had a fit of a stroke of genius, and google mapped hexham. <boily> it's in the friggin middle of nowhere!
- <boily> oerjan: on those days, I'm sure this channel becomes some kind of SCP.
- * fungot has joined #esoteric <boily> woohoo! the one and only fungot is back! <fungot> boily: damn your mother! <boily> ok. never saw that one coming.
- <groily> I stand by the argument that fungot is the one making the most sense in this channel.
- <tswett> Hey, what VPN software should I use? <boily> tswett: openvpn. the one, the only, the open, the other qualifiers that begin with "o".
- <boily> it's raining in newcastle, therefore the elliotts are distinct. <tswett> boily's Newcastle Theorem.
- <boily> symbian still exists? <fizzie> boily: That is not dead which can eternal lie. <boily> fizzie: and with strange aeons symbian will have >50% market share on mobile devices.
- <boily> I hate telecom abbreviations I hate telecom abbreviations good morning all I hate telecom abbreviations.

- <boily> btw, ^v, what are your approximate geographic coördinates and body weigh? <^v> 300 and USA <boily> nice to see that ^v is keeping with the spirit of the channel by **providing completely useless answers to the question**.
- <boily> it's not weird, it's even in alphabetical order and nicely formatted!²
- <fizzie> Possible business plan: data storage on the moon? <fizzie> Getting at it after the collapse of civilization here might be an issue. <boily> who cares about civilization? you have backups!
- <boily> I prefer goat memory. I feel it's more reliable, like a vinyl over a CD.

3.7 CakeProphet and kallisti

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kallisti is a former prophet swearing off his pastry deity

- <CakeProphet> how does a “DNA computer” work. <CakeProphet> von neumann machines? <Phantom_Hoover> CakeProphet, that's boring in the context of DNA. <Phantom_Hoover> It's just stealing the universe's work and passing it off as our own.
- [after a long string of Lymia getting lambdabot to spit out huge, meaningless type signatures] <Lymia> I need to learn more Haskell... <CakeProphet> ... I need to get op privs.
- [on spiking] <CakeProphet> drugs are expensive. It would be a waste to use them on a random stranger.
- <CakeProphet> monqy: help how do I use lambdabot to send messages to people. [... around half an hour later. ...] <CakeProphet> @messages <lambdabot> quicksilver said 1y 2m 18d 19h 54m 29s ago: you use @tell
- <CakeProphet> l;l;le;ler;le;lr;e;ler;ler;le;lerr;le;le;erle;e;rler;lere;er;lerrerlanggt
- <CakeProphet> but yeah the caliphates expanded their empire by conquering people and then forcing them to either convert to Islam or die. [...] <oerjan> i thought it was sort of, convert to islam or pay extra taxes, but i guess it varied a lot.
- <kallisti> interestingly enough it takes about as much time for a person to produce cfunge as it does to create a baby.

²Note from the Editor: This refers to the list I am compiling about the *The Question*.

- <kallisti> man, I love pseudo-random decision making <Gregor> kallisti: Man, I base most of my life on pseudo-random decision making. <oklopol> i usually just ask my dick and i then rarely even bother to listen
- <Bike> Are you sure this isn't the Sims <kallisti> can you get married to your variables? <kallisti> this is a feature I find lacking in most languages

3.8 coppro

coppro prefers his nickname, Pooppy.

- <coppro> what's the data of? [...] <Sgeo> Locations in a now deceased game called Mutation <coppro> I have no problems with you being interested in online games <coppro> but the necrophilia is disturbing
- <pikhq> INTERNET <coppro> YAY <cpressey> Said like a once-drowning man, rescued, taking a breath.
- <Gregor> Write-only IRC: best idea <coppro> Gregor: we have that. It's called Twitter
- <coppro> eliott: actually, it's worse right now, I'm in the USA <coppro> where the solution to counterfeiting problems is "add more ink" <coppro> eventually all US bills will just be solid green
- <coppro> ... goddamit I'm having a discussion about the literary qualities of a Pokemon game
- <coppro> GreyKnight: for instance, you can form a poset category from a bunch of tiles <GreyKnight> oh, that's why somebody was conflating category theory with bathroom interior design the other day :-D

3.9 catseye, cpressey and ZOMGMODULES

cpressey invented the esolang, the pipe cleaner and the electrical mousse.

ZOMGMODULES is both a small blonde veterinarian and just modules over the ring of ZOMGs.

- * Phantom_Hoover wonders where the size of the compiled Linux kernel comes from. <cpressey> To comply with the GFDL, there's a copy of Wikipedia in there.

- <ais523> cpressey: I have actually done a waterfall-model project that almost worked <cpressey> That's where you have a flexible kayak that bobs and weaves between the rocks as it plummets off the cliff
- <Phantom_Hoover> OK, so is conspiring to conspire to commit a crime a crime? <cpressey> Let's all get together and talk about defacing public property sometime
- <pikhq> INTERNET <coppro> YAY <cpressey> Said like a once-drowning man, rescued, taking a breath.
- <cpressey> Never ever use a quote which contains both the words "aloofness" and "gel" (verb).
- <cpressey> < ais523> then running repeatedly until you get the right sequence of random numbers < ais523> and just completely ignoring the input ← some people live their entire lives this way, i reckon
- <catseye> i like the feeling of freedom you get driving a bus
- <alise> "Europe is the national anthem of the Republic of Kosovo." <cpressey> alise: I <cpressey> I was going to say something then your last line floored me
- <cpressey> fizzie: I can never tell with OpenBSD! <cpressey> everything looks like an error anyway
- <cpressey> addquoting yourself? isn't that like commenting on your own facebook status? <Gregor> Yup, but I'm JUST THAT AWESOME.
- <catseye> wow, thinkgeek really makes me hate being alive
- <ZOMGMODULES> elliott: parents who put just "Chris" on a birth certificate are... like parents who put just "Bob" on a birth certificate.
- <cpressey> BYE dbc WE'LL BE SURE TO ACCIDENTALLY MENTION YOUR NICK OFTEN
- <cpressey> 'quote django <HackEgo> 352) <olsner> django is named after a person? <olsner> thought it would be a giraffe or something <cpressey> thankfully only one
- <monqy> 'quote django <HackEgo> 352) <olsner> django is named after a person? <olsner> thought it would be a giraffe or something 407) <cpressey> 'quote django <HackEgo> 352) <olsner> django is named after a person? <olsner> thought it would be a giraffe or something <cpressey> thankfully only one <monqy> thankfully only two

- <ZOMGMODULES> I can trust elliot_ to have an opinion on anything and everything <elliott_> Yes. <elliott_> And the best thing is: it is the correct opinion.
- <ZOMGMODULES> Vorpai: it's actually called Happy <ZOMGMODULES> Vorpai: Do not use it. Use Parsec. This is the wisdom of ZOMGMODULES.
- <ZOMGMODULES> Felix's home page and Falcon's home page are actually the same page
- <ZOMGMODULES> scripting language. whole program analysis. together at last
- <cpressey> man, i don't remember. i'm semi-retired now. i don't do es-olangs, mostly i just make furry fanart

3.10 Deewiant

- <Deewiant> ehird: There is no h in "honour"
- <Deewiant> I spent the last minute or so killing myself repeatedly
- <Deewiant> Reality isn't a part of physics
- <ehird> no Deewiant
<Deewiant> No?!
<Deewiant> I've been living a lie
<ehird> yep.
<Deewiant> Excuse me while I jump out of the window →
- <Deewiant> My STRN.G detects runoff strings that haven't been terminated but would hit a zero after wrapping and tries to allocate the 16+-gigabyte-stack required
- <Deewiant> !bfjoust sm3 <
<EgoBot> Score for Deewiant_sm3: 43.4
- <fizzie> Deewiant: So you... reverse the byte order manually, but then call ntohl too?
<Deewiant> fizzie: The host might be big-endian!

3.11 Fiora

Fiora is half JRPG fangirl, half SIMD dork, and all sucrose. She's a sous-chef who shushes sushi.

- <Fiora> omg <Fiora> that JIT is really amazing [...] <Gregor> I hear if you listen carefully to the rustling wind on a warm night with a full moon, you can hear the sound of the JIT building ARM functions.
- <Fiora> usb sushi is dangerous. I think I would try to eat it
- <kmc> hm hitler probably did one thing that I like too <kmc> he banned tubas, I guess I am neutral on tubas <Fiora> oh! he killed hitler <kmc> oh yeah, there we go <kmc> thanks Fiora <Bike> he also killed the guy who killed hitler
- <Fiora> shachaf: make friends. help people. find ways to help people be happy. hug people. have fun. make the world a little bit better.
- <Bike> Fiora: how long does it take to factor 8616460799 <Fiora> Bike: I think using gnfs to factor that would be like using a nuclear weapon to sterilize a needle
- <Bike> Fiora: hey gimme a ballpark here, how hospitable is a pH of 10 <Bike> is it basic or acidic <Fiora> bike you should know this stuff, you know biology right? <Fiora> this is like. basic stuff. <Bike> shut up
- <Fiora> “gosh I’m so excited for more caffeine research!!!!” said the caffeine researcher, jittering as he frantically tried to come up with the words to describe the energetic feelings coursing through his body

3.12 fizzie

fizzie is the creator of Minecraft.

- <fizzie> Seconds. 30 of them. Did I forget the word?
- <fizzie> It’s like mathematicians, where the next step up from “trivial” is “open research question”. <fizzie> “Nope... No... This problem can’t be done AT ALL. This one—maybe, but only with two yaks and a sherpa. ...”
- <fizzie> I don’t trust ducks. They always look like they’re planning something. I’m not sure it’s a good idea to give them language capabilities.

- <fizzie> The Perl script is probably slower than the Befunge code.
- <fizzie> And to think: if only we wouldn't celebrate birthdays, there would be no birthday paradox, and we could get by with half as long hash functions. (What do you mean it doesn't work that way?)
- <fizzie> Deewiant: Did you take the course at some point and/or were you taking it now and/or did you actually already graduate and/or are you still in Otaniemi anyway?
- <ineiros> HELLWORLD! <fizzie> It's like HELLO WORLD, except not *quite*. <ineiros> There is more agony.
- <fizzie> \$ perl -e '/? <-- HERE/' Quantifier follows nothing in regex; marked by <- HERE in m/? <- HERE <- HERE/ at -e line 1.
- <fizzie> Phantom_Hoover: I have just one tvtropes page open in elinks, but my tvtropes.txt "queue" has 38 tvtropes.org URLs waiting for processing.
- <fizzie> [...] So it'll be a while before the boob will touch you back.
- <fizzie> You make a fist, shake it at the sky, and shout "why, GNU, why?!" — that is the standard reportig practice.
- <fizzie> elliot: You have become the very thing you fought for!
- <fizzie> Deewiant: Well, I guess you could argue so. But to me a it's not a real clobbering if you can still tell there was something that got clobbered.
- <fizzie> The zipWith Camel, a famous World War 1 era airplane.
- <Gregor> I have a WRT120N <fizzie> Gregor: The WRT160NL has 40 units more of... stuff. Plus an L.
- <fizzie> There's that saying that the definition of insanity is doing the same thing over and over again and expecting different results. [...] <Taneb> You've just gave me a different result [...] <fizzie> It's always insane to expect different results, even when it's likely to occur.
- <fizzie> Deewiant: So you... reverse the byte order manually, but then call ntohl too? <Deewiant> fizzie: The host might be big-endian!
- <Taneb> Well, I'm now experimenting with clients <fizzie> It doesn't sound like good PR to say that out loud.

- <fizzie> That’s the stupidest thing I’ve heard all morning. (Though I did wake up five minutes ago, so I haven’t had a chance to hear very much.) <fizzie> The “Why are you still asleep? I told the cat to wake you up.” comment does come pretty close, though.
- <fizzie> They’re (according to current plans/rumours) going to release a grand total of approximately 1.1 MeeGo devices; the N9, plus the N950 “developers only” phone, which I’m counting as 0.1 because (even though it is a MeeGo device) it’s not going to actually be released.
- <fizzie> I tend to debase64 with `perl -MMIME::Base64 -e 'print decode_base64("...");'`, because at least PERL stands for “PERL ein’t-no ruddy-poo lol-GNU”.
- <fizzie> “Do a sea monster while whatever.”
- <fizzie> Isn’t “strip nomic” just another word for all dating, though?
- [from 2009] <fizzie> That’s confusing. I have been indoctrinated to believe W|A, but on the other hand it’s hard to unbelieve a book with such a ridiculously impressive name as “Handbook of physical testing of paper, Volume 2”.
- <fizzie> One reasonable approach for the image→color case could be to take the mean (possibly in the RGB space, it doesn’t have the hue discontinuity problem) of the most likely Gaussian distribution to have yielded the image pixels, considering each pixel as an independent sample. <fizzie> Wait, that’d just be the mean. Never mind.
- <Gregor> Let us discuss the correct procedure for converting LP → FLAC
<fizzie> The correct procedure is: you put the LP into a flatbed scanner, scan it as a Windows .bmp file, and then rename that file to .flac.
- <fizzie> It’s just electricity, how dangerous could it be?
- <fizzie> I prefer the N64 controller, it’s the only one that has place for my third hand.
- <fizzie> Spacegoat is the network-operations-optimized-for-latency-of-minutes-or-hours-due-to-light-speed-limits variant of scapegoat, to be used when you need to check out some code from the Mars colony. <fizzie> (I’m pretty sure we’ll have established a Mars colony by the time scapegoat rolls out.)
- <fizzie> [...] It’s like the future was already here (in all its headache-inducing flickery glory) in the mid-1990s, and then it just... went away.

- <fizzie dictionary> An ‘ad hobbitem’ fallacy is when you try to undermine someone’s credibility by referring to how hairy his/her feet are.
- <fizzie> It’s a bit like a regular monowheel, except when you brake too hard, instead of you going around and around inside the wheel, the (1100lb) wheel rolls over you.
- <fizzie> If you jump a car from a ramp and hit the wall of a building, in midair, you tend to get ejected up and fly to the sky-ceiling, then slowly slide at that height to one corner of the world; then you land, make a complicated spinning-around thing for a while, and then explode. <fizzie> Also probably works in real life?
- <fizzie> Do you want me to live dangerously and just stick it in the bot without testing it? <elliott> fizzie: Yes. <elliott> There is pretty much no way it won’t be amazing.
- <Phantom_Hoover> Dinner? At two? <fizzie> It’s four here already. See, UTC+2. You need to add a couple of hours. Or was that subtract? I can never get those straight.
- [...] <fizzie> So if someone tells you “you’re worth your weight in Ethernet”, it’s likely they think your worth is less than \$2k.
- <fizzie> oerjan: Hey, what’s your country code for telephonic dialling from the outside world? <oerjan> fizzie: +47 <fizzie> oerjan: Ooh, you’re, like, right next to Sweden there. <fizzie> I.. guess you are geographically, too.
- <oerjan> fizzie: wait the germans burned lapland? they also burned finmark. <fizzie> oerjan: It’s a bit of what they do. This was the time when we no longer were such good friends any more, and told them to go away.
- <ais523> oh right: Frooxius, you wouldn’t happen to live in Hexham, would you? <Frooxius> No, sorry. <ais523> phew <Ngevd> How about Finland? <Frooxius> Why would I live there? <fizzie> That’s a *very* good question. <fizzie> Why would anyone?
- * Phantom_Hoover moves 0.5 Phantom_Hoover into the Atlantic, and captures fizzie’s upper body with 0.5 Phantom_Hoover. <fizzie> Glurk.
- <fizzie> [...] and then you just shuffle the integral signs around a bit and hope no mathematicians notice.
- <fizzie> I saw a MythBusters show about that. (Or I guess it maybe was a tree.)

- <fizzie> Stupid W|A doesn't even understand "Vatican papal density". (As far as countries go, they've got a quite high one.)
- <fizzie> Quinary computers replace the cache with a quiche.
- <fizzie> fungot: Yeah, "fungott" would [...] remind people of eliott. <fungot> fizzie: now that could be nice for a simple language can be used
- <olsner> the allocation is done by the "Dynamic" in DRAM <olsner> before that we used SRAM where everything was preallocated in the factory <fizzie> olsner: So what's this SDRAM then? <olsner> fizzie: synchronized, it's for multithreading
- <fizzie> eliott: I'm not going to even bother with the recursive "I'm not going to dignify that" stuff. [...] <fizzie> *LAA LAA LAA NOT DIGNIFYING LAA LAA*
- <fizzie> fungot: Feeling scrambled after all that? <fungot> fizzie: but it's much like new zealand, in my stone-age country, we still like you even if you're only using the new fnord
- <fizzie> Also, UCS-4096 has the advantage that each codepoint handily matches the page size of many architectures, so you can deal with them in memory easily.
- <fizzie> Backups are so like one of those circus guys walking on a wire except with a safety rope.
- <fizzie> I am a train. There's a wireless network in the train!
- <fizzie> I was hoping I could be like other people and listen to signals while in a public transport vehicle.
- <fizzie> Have you eaten in one of the restaurants of the PECTOPAH chain? Those are like EVERYWHERE there.
- <fizzie> fungot: Are you the previous version of zzo38? <fungot> fizzie: i run some interactive tex programs
- <fizzie> GreyKnight: And Gregor itself is kind of a probability distribution spread all over the globe.
- <hagb4rd> what is this set? sounds like shakespeare <fizzie> Yes, that's what people often say about Chrono Trigger.

- <Bike> the idea is that you can get the information you need from reading the other players, isn't it [...] <Bike> and of course, reading isn't limited to facial expressions [...] <fizzie> That's true, you can read e.g. books.
- <fizzie> What I learned on the Prolog course is that it's a good language if you need a thing that can say "No" a lot.
- <evincar> okay so like <evincar> do <fizzie> Or do not? <evincar> no no <evincar> do <evincar> There is no do not.
- <fizzie> The other day (well, the other week) my wife was annoyed with me because she had a dream where I had gotten us plane tickets into a #esoteric meet somewhere in the middle of Greenland in the winter, without asking her first. Plus she wasn't really interested in a #esoteric meet at all, let alone one in Greenland, let alone one in Greenland in wintertime. (I think it's kind of cold there?)
- <boily> symbian still exists? <fizzie> boily: That is not dead which can eternal lie. <boily> fizzie: and with strange aeons symbian will have >50% market share on mobile devices.
- <fizzie> "May you live in INVISIBLE TIMES." –Old Chinese proverb. (It can look confusing when written with the proper Unicode.)
- <fizzie> "Compact fluorescent light bulbs are often criticized for being dim –" that's kind of rude!
- <fizzie> ... <fizzie> I was thinking maybe octave's fact() function is the factorial. <fizzie> octave:1> fact(20) <fizzie> Richad Stallman's pinky finger is really a USB memory stick. <fizzie> I don't think that's 20!.
- [on the name "Watson"] <fizzie> And not the IBM "AI"? <Bike> scare quotes eh <fizzie> I don't think it counts as a proper AI until it kills people.
- <fizzie> Possible business plan: data storage on the moon? <fizzie> Getting at it after the collapse of civilization here might be an issue. <boily> who cares about civilization? you have backups!
- <fizzie> "Conan, what's best in life?" "To crush your enemies, see them driven before you, and n different mutually incompatible macro systems available as separate modules." I think that's from a movie.

3.13 FireFly

FireFly was a short-running but well-loved sci-fi TV series released in 2003, starring Nathan Fillion and directed and written by Joss Whedon.

- * oerjan swats FireFly since he's easier to hit -----### <FireFly> Meh *
FireFly dies

3.14 FreeFull

FreeFull is either full of freedom or free of fulldom, we are not sure.

- <FreeFull> So a monoid is something like a mon, so for example pikachu is a monoid

3.15 Gregor

Gregor took forty cakes. He took 40 cakes. That's as many as four tens. And that's terrible.

- <GregorR-L> If I ever made a game where you jabbed bears...
<GregorR-L> I'd call it jabbear.
- <GregorR> ???
<GregorR> Are the cocks actually just implanted dildos?
<GregorR> Or are there monster dildos and cocks?
<GregorR> Or are both the dildos and cocks monster?
- <Gregor> I don't know that I've ever heard apocalypi described in terms of depth...
- <Gregor> Well yeah, but furthermore unlike, oh, say, an Apple product, you don't have to sign their "we own your sperm" license agreement to GET that SDK and the requisite libraries. ... <Gregor> pikhq: Sure, but it's the only way Apple could get a first-born-son clause into a modern licensing agreement without infringing child or slave labor laws.
- <Gregor> <badgood> GOODBAD! Your watered down brand of evil conflicts with my botched attempts at dogoodery!
- <Gregor-W> You people. You people are so stupid. I'm making a SOCIO-LOGICAL statement here.

- * Gregor bashes his head into the wall that is Sgeo.
- <Gregor> elliot: My university has two Poultry Science buildings. <Gregor> Two!
- <Gregor> “* There is no scientifically-justifiable reason to exclude pornography, which is a vital part of the web ecosystem. However, bear in mind that we’re tracing JavaScript, not MPEG and JPEG decoding.” <Gregor> ^^^ This bullet-point is my crowning achievement as as a scientist.
- <j-invariant> I need a new desktop background <Gregor> j-invariant: Try <http://codu.org/spinners.png> (tiled) <j-invariant> uhrghoaudp
- <oerjan> <Gregor> oerjan: Tell us what $(a(b\{c\}d)*2e)\%2$ expands to ← ababcbcbcdedbabcbcbcdede, i think <Gregor> oerjan: What — the — fuck
- <Gregor> !bfjoust furry_furry_strapon_pegging_girls <http://sprunge.us/eKWa> * Sgeo had no idea that Gregor was hetero
- * Received a CTCP VERSION from nyuszika7h * VERSION Microsoft IRC# 2011 64-bit (Windows 8 Beta, x64, 2GB RAM) <nyuszika7h> Gregor: Windows 8 Beta? o_0 <Gregor> A small benefit of my brief time as an intern at MS.
- <cpressey> addquoting yourself? isn’t that like commenting on your own facebook status? <Gregor> Yup, but I’m JUST THAT AWESOME.
- <Gregor> Ohheywait, I can make it a raytracer instead of a photon tracer so long as I run time backwards.
- <Gregor> That’s for \$literals in the parser. It should maybe be atol too, but probably you shouldn’t have nonterminals with more than two billion children.
- <Gregor> I use LiGNUXFCE+apps <Gregor> That’s pronounced by saying “Linux” and then vomiting, btw.
- <pikhq> o.0 <pikhq> There’s a birth defect which results in the formation of a cloaca. <Gregor> It’s called “not being a mammal” :P
- <Gregor> Write-only IRC: best idea <coppro> Gregor: we have that. It’s called Twitter
- <Gregor> Google Maps has options for “avoid highways” and “avoid tolls”, but no “avoid Chicago”

- <Gregor> You have no idea how desperately I want to avoid being a GC guy :P <Gregor> Every year I go to ISMM and Doug Lea gives me a bizarrely-cheery “Hello!” and I’m like “awww shit I’m in memory management”
- <elliott> HAHAAAAHA NO FNARF QUOTES EVER <Gregor> Oh noooooooooooooooooo <elliott> Gregor: lol nose geddit
- <Gregor> You just went from “no sexualized ads” to “we have ads for dildos, but they’re different for ads for Orangina” X-D
- <Gregor> decrypt ‘illustrates the “can do” approach of conservatism in a patriotic way’
- <Gregor> oklopol: Why do you have so much experience with hoop-and-stick? :P <oklopol> Gregor: my fetish: learning pointless skills
- <Gregor> I have a WRT120N <fizzie> Gregor: The WRT160NL has 40 units more of... stuff. Plus an L.
- <Gregor> Phantom_Hoover: Sort of a monadic human centipede.
- <Gregor> You know how the arrow pierces your skin, rearranging and randomizing vital internal structure? <Gregor> Monads are like that, only worse.
- <Gregor> Hulu’s movie selection is like MST3K without the MST3K characters.
- <Gregor> Let us discuss the correct procedure for converting LP → FLAC <fizzie> The correct procedure is: you put the LP into a flatbed scanner, scan it as a Windows .bmp file, and then rename that file to .flac.
- <Gregor> But whereas the Zune UI makes one think “I want to kill myself”, the Windows CE UI makes one think “I want to kill myself, but first kill my parents as punishment for bringing into this world someone who would one day own a Windows CE device.”
- <Gregor> When my registrar is emailing me that codu.xxx is available, that’s a problem.
- <HackEgo> 678) <Ngevd> Dammit, Gregor, this is not the time to fall in love <HackEgo> 187) <alise> Gregor: You should never have got her pregnant. <Gregor> what whaaaaaaat
- <kallisti> man, I love pseudo-random decision making <Gregor> kallisti: Man, I base most of my life on pseudo-random decision making. <oklopol> i usually just ask my dick and i then rarely even bother to listen

- <Gregor> pikhq: And of course Rick Perry, saying that there's something wrong with a country where gays can serve in the military but we don't elect a douchebag as president.
- <Gregor> elliott: Back in my day, I didn't have to walk with a cane, but I couldn't shake it at kids on my lawn either!
- <Gregor> Very much like "cen" is Latin for "horse", "yak" is Latin for "yak".
- <Gregor> 'log [o]klopol wasn't usually nude
- <Gregor> My latest FB post: The worst part of floating point math is not the fact that $0.1 + 0.2$ yields 0.300000000000000004 , but trying to explain to people why their language is horribly broken if $0.1 + 0.2$ does NOT yield 0.300000000000000004 .
- <Gregor> !rot13 Fluttershy Rainbow Dash Rarity Applejack Twilight Sparkle Pinkie Pie <EgoBot> Syhggreful Envaobj Qnfu Enevgl Nccyrwnpx Gjvyvtug Fcnexyr Cvaxvr Cvr <olsner> oh, they're all named after rot13'd welsh words
- <Fiora> omg <Fiora> that JIT is really amazing [...] <Gregor> I hear if you listen carefully to the rustling wind on a warm night with a full moon, you can hear the sound of the JIT building ARM functions.
- <Gregor> Apparently <http://code.google.com/p/hgfs/> now exists. <Gregor> Oh, that's 2008. I'm sure I would've found it and rejected it for some reason before then X-D [...] <Gregor> Right, yeah. "Can't get the damned thing working."
- <Gregor> Sgeo: That fact is so fun I can feel my pancreas kicking into overdrive.
- <Gregor> Eyeballs are delicious, but they're an ADDICTION.

3.16 hagb4rd

hagb4rd is one spacey fellow. Spaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaace.

- <hagb4rd> jesus, yes... he was human <hagb4rd> and that is fantastic <hagb4rd> more than being able to speak with fish... like seaman does
- <GreyKnight> headache + train with screeching brakes = headache² <hagb4rd> hm... headache + train with no screeching brakes = no head <GreyKnight> On the plus side, no headache anymore

- <hagb4rd> what is this set? sounds like shakespeare <fizzie> Yes, that's what people often say about Chrono Trigger.

3.17 ion

Suffers from drive-by licks.

- <ion> 99 bugs in the bug tracker, 99 reports of bugs. Take one down and commit a fix, 106 bugs in the bug tracker.

3.18 The Itiduses

itidus19 disappeared into a space-time anomaly

itidus20 entry has been censored.

- <itidus20> to assume that someone can be described by a rule without exception... is to assume they are omnipotent <oklopol> for instance stones are omnipotent, as they don't do anything, without exception
- <itidus20> monqy: last night in my dreams I saw a false photo album of my childhood... looking ghostly
- <itidus20> It's ok guys. I am doing what I can to keep my psyche and ego surviving. All the while the threat of ww3 looms, the mortality of family and friends (loved ones?) and sooner or later my own mortality.
- <itidus20> Game theory is not a perfect tool for analyzing video games. <itidus20> Nash failed to create a "video game theory"
- <itidus20> australia kicks ass <itidus20> we have kangaroos and DMM and isn't afraid of anything
- <itidus20> anyway, notational systems are a function of the euclidean plane
- <itidus20> well, you have bested me <zzo38> itidus20: Yes.
- <itidus20> now theodore seuss is dead... so screw him
- <zzo38> What is miff-muffered moof? <itidus20> that's a tough question
- <itidus20> software patents strike again <ais523_> that's got to be at least three times, now <ais523_> are they out yet?

- <itidus20> like i could ask how many “petals” are there on each of the “flowers” on this coffee mug i just made a drink with <itidus20> but that would be NP hard I think
- <itidus20> combinatronics seems to be the mathematics chasing buddha’s tail <itidus20> yeah... he was a smart monkey that buddha
- <itidus20> that shit adds up. have you ever dropped a math problem in the toilet and got an answer back? yeah... it adds up
- <itidus20> lets not wander around the mulberry bush beating our heads
- <itidus20> indirect addressing is a facile and inebrious kind of instruction which should be whomped away by languages
- <itidus20> according to physics and maths can we theoretically have a box with infinite cookies inside?
- <itidus20> what is nice about a pebble is that you can process it with your brain as a number by simply looking at it
- <itidus20> my old 2d game is named either runch or turbo fight... and its hard
- <itidus22> if the halting problem was solved, as a placebo... would it benefit people?
- <itidus21> myndzi \: ok so one of the nastiest puzzles i suppose is... you’re on death row... you don’t want to die.
- <itidus20> if only alonzo church would have anticipated the computer terminal... <zzo38> itidus20: What do you think it would be if he did so? <itidus20> i just plucked his name at random [...] <oerjan> if only the marquis de sade would have anticipated hospital romance novels
- <itidus21> the possession of diamonds by the bourgeois is more about establishing their bourgeoisness more than wanting a malleable metal <itidus21> oops i forgot i said diamonds instead of gold
- <itidus21> ok in other words, its a lot easier to reason about $2^{43112609} - 1$ apples by using the text “ $2^{43112609} - 1$ ” than it is to actually produce $2^{43112609} - 1$ apples
- <itidus21> to think that i could accidently catch the bus with the person who wrote “###b#ott#les#of#b#eer o#n t#he #w#all#,
###lovely###[[Esme]]ralda ###o#n ###t#h#e #b#ee#r...”

- <itidus21> ais523: thats very zen really <ais523> no, it's more or less the opposite of zen
- <itidus21> you are like the linux torvalds of quiz engines
- <itidus21> . o O ((watches on from a distance) I just can't think that abstractly... or I don't want to. I'm more, there are 2 trains heading in opposite directions: what year were they built? How many windows do they have? Is anyone train surfing on them? Is Ringo Starr narrating this problem?) [...] <itidus21> Do they serve french toast in the dining carriage?
- <itidus21> i have a simple view of reality that goes something like this... once your sufficiently well tied up... it doesn't make a difference if your enemy has a knife or a gun... you're equally screwed
- <zso38> Is mathematics a lifeform? <itidus20> zso38: i'm looking into something interesting (debatable) which might be up your alley (debatable). warioware diy... being a proprietry game about making games i know it's not extremely relevant here (debatable), but it's <insert gibberish term> <zso38> itidus20: I don't know.
- <itidus21> ubuntu is the solaris of the cola world
- <itidus21> elliot___: we have been calling a book new for 2000 years and it took einstein to figure out relativity
- <itidus21> world peace is for fascists
- <itidus21> i think in general it's against nature for an animal to be a boat
- <itidus21> and all this time I thought we were talking about postmodern analysis of junk mail delivery methods and simulations of elephant breeding patterns
- <HackEgo> 499) <zso38> What is miff-muffered moof? <itidus20> that's a tough question [...] <Sgeo> miff-muffered moof sounds like a setup to something, but itidus screws it up.
- <itidus21> :D :D oh man... i wonder if they ever made chess variants based off of animes

3.19 Jafet

Jafet epitomizes the letter J.

- <Jafet> I wonder if Red Alert 4 will use MMIX
- <Jafet> The world needs better healthcare, social justice and wealth distribution, but a monads library for clojure surely won't hurt
- <Jafet> Is there a debian package for making lousy debian forks

3.20 kmc

kmc ran the International Devious Code Contest of 2013

- <kmc> COCKS [...] <kmc> truly cocks
- <shachaf> You should get kmc in this channel. kmc has good quotes. <shachaf> 'quote kmc <HackEgo> 686) <kmc> COCKS [...] <kmc> truly cocks <shachaf> Well, in theory.
- <kmc> damn i should make a quasiquoter for inline FORTRAN
- <kmc> has there been any work towards designing programming languages specifically for stoned people
- <kmc> the problem with PHP is that anyone halfway competent gives up on it and switches to something, anything else <Sato0x> fact <Sato0x> I don't see how that's bad
- <kmc> haters gonna make som valid points
- <kmc> aim heckler (n): when ur dronk and u pee so bad all over the toilet that ppl make fun of u <kmc> (corruption of "aim heckler")
- <kmc> i saw Godspeed You! Black Emperor live <kmc> it is hard to tell when the soundcheck ends and the set begins
- <kmc> but i mean i don't like jogging so i wouldn't like jogging while jerking off either
- <kmc> yeah well, petty theft > federal obstruction of justice
- <kmc> the other day I bought a recycling can from amazon <kmc> it came in a cardboard box <kmc> i took the can out of the box, broke down the box, and put it in the can <kmc> it was amazing
- <elliott> this sounds sort of like @ kmc <kmc> well @ is the least upper bound of all ideas in computer science

- <kmc> typed racket: anyone using a model m keyboard
- <zzo38> Can you vote for just the green party or rainbow party instead of both? <kmc> nope, it is the same party <zzo38> That is the problem with political parties.
- <kmc> colemak is for people who think dvorak is too mainstream
- <kmc> i love how allegedly wine can run all of these different programs but the only one i can actually run is starcraft <kmc> i think wine may secretly be a cleanroom reimplement of starcraft
- <kmc> my current laptop basically works though <kmc> it can even play 8 year old video games as long as it is not raining in the game
- <kmc> no christmas without christ, no thursday without thor
- <kmc> i would subscribe to @zzo38_ebooks <zzo38> kmc: I have no ebooks which can subscribe to
- <kmc> i was going to say that the complexity of a demo grows exponentially with size, but it's not so much "exponential" as "faster than any computable function"
- <kmc> so i guess my root of trust for Arch Linux is...

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typedef int f(float);
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- <zzo38> What is portable way of load/save floating points in files, using a C code? <kmc>

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#ifndef __STDC_IEC_559__
#error Here's a nickel, kid. Buy a real computer. #endif
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- <kmc> i think sand will actually do a poor job of absorbing water inside the large intestine
- <kmc> it's kind of the multiocular O of countries, if you will
- <zzo38> The winter solstice is in approx. 13 hours from now <kmc> the mayans warned us <zzo38> Warned you of what? The solstice? <kmc> yes
- <kmc> i bet a blog post complaining about “);});});” syntax in JavaScript and comparing it unfavorably to Lisp would get approximately one billion comments on hacker news <Bike> but at what cost? your very **soul**, kmc!
- <kmc> ok i lied when i said i read this article

- <kmc> i like the idea that if you name your country a Soviet Republic you automatically get the right to call up Lenin on the telephone and complain about bathroom pranks
- <kmc> yes Windows 98 installer, please perform a bad blocks scan of your virtual emulated hard drive <kmc> you have no idea how completely i control your so-called reality
- <kmc> i'm looking for a haskell-like programming language, meaning that it supports nesting multi-line comments
- <kmc> obviously you just write a TRIVIAL raytracer as a bash script
- <kmc> i can only hope that the 55 year old nuclear reactor 2 blocks away from my house is too old to have SCADA
- <kmc> what is the linux equivalent of the magical purple light which makes things glow if they have been involved in a crime <elliott> kmc: nmap??
- <kmc> i fell in love with the first gimmick twitter account that i met who could appreciate georges bataille
- <kmc> maybe i like pigeons too much
- <kmc> most things i hear about 'startup culture' set off the poe's law detector
- <kmc> a social network for household appliances <kmc> like, it's one thing to have a washing machine that tweets at you when your laundry is done <kmc> but another to have a washing machine that posts to its own wall and can become friends with the toaster <kmc> "Toaster and Bathtub are now: It's Complicated"
- <kmc> the pokémon theme is very similar to eye of the tiger and not as good
- <kmc> shachaf: LC_ALL=de_DE.utf-8 errno -1 <kmc> Veraltete NFS-Dateizugriffsnummer <kmc> Eingabe-/Ausgabefehler <kmc> "Unterbrechung während des Betriebssystemaufrufs" i think that was in the Ring Cycle
- <kmc> it's almost like Haskell is a programming language and not some kind of mathematical rhetorical arguing device
- <kmc> living in the middle ages sounds a lot better once you realize that deep frying had already been invented
- <kmc> error: cuttlefish not synced to vblank <fiora> maybe it's a power phase issue <fiora> it's like, a european cuttlefish but it's using american water

- <kmc> i don't know what that is so i'm going to assume it's a flavor of pocky
- <kmc> ok im sober now and DNS makes sense again [...] <kmc> Domain Name System [...] <kmc> ♪ domain name system ♪
- <kmc> i'm not actually competent at hacking things <elliott> ummmm kmc dont u mean 'cracking' [tiny glider symbol with "hacker pride" written next to it in silkscreen] [head of a gnu] [tux penguin] <kmc> [face shoved in toilet]
- <kmc> the innovation of the iPhone was... just that it had a web browser that wasn't awful <Bike> i believe that's how the bolsheviks took over russia as well <Bike> the kulaks mainly stuck with IE and so were rightfully put to death by the cheka
- <kmc> and then one day you find, ten years have got behind you, no one told you when to run, you missed the starting gun <kmc> ♪ <kmc> ♪ ♪ ♪ <kmc> (Unicode needs a character specifically for "Pink Floyd guitar solo")
- <kmc> hm hitler probably did one thing that I like too <kmc> he banned tubas, I guess I am neutral on tubas <Fiora> oh! he killed hitler <kmc> oh yeah, there we go <kmc> thanks Fiora <Bike> he also killed the guy who killed hitler
- <kmc> healthy immune system is a wonderful thing, you gotta take advantage <kmc> sometimes i eat food off the ground just to keep mine on its toes
- <Bike> man at least job applications in biosciences are just like "you are willing to put your arms through a cow" <kmc> Bike: please send us a link to your CowHub profile of cows you have previously put your arms through on your own time for fun <Bike> please provide at least two zebrafish you have modified to glow in the dark
- <kmc> in the time it takes light to travel from Hexham to Finland, I can generate almost 20 new topics for #esoteric
- <kmc> i had a dream just now where i was in a gymnasium and they had fire alarm pull stations but they also had a similarly shaped "call/cc alarm" which I think you were supposed to pull if you found a way to write call/cc (it was expected that people in this gymnasium would be doing a lot of programming in total dependently-typed languages)
- <kmc> LIST OF ACRONYMS: List Integrating Some Terminology Of Fine Authentic Credibility Relating to Our New Year Media System

- <kmc> if you make pickles with strange salts then you can't eat them, but you can electrocute them and they glow different colors
- <kmc> the real GNU kernel is GRUB
- <kmc> would not be surprised to find out this tumblr is guerilla marketing by wolfram co to sell mathematica to stoners
- <kmc> i think delivery sushi is one of those habits that can rapidly consume all of one's money <kmc> like cocaine
- <+kmc> we are amused <+kmc> the royal +v
- <kmc> doom <Bike> YES <Bike> oh no
- <kmc> 05:09 < utoneq> what exactly is a monad... and where is the difference to a set or a tuple? <elliott> kmc: the difference is that a monad is a triple <elliott> one more element
- <kmc> patents do seem to encourage innovation, but much of it is innovation on how to make things slightly worse to avoid patents
- <Bike> oh my, this is a photo of an elliott fisting [...] <Bike> i meant elephant <Bike> but you know what, ok. <kmc> Bike: ... <kmc> Bike: can you send me that picture when i'm not at work ok <kmc> plz and thx
- <kmc> Bike: so I'm home now <kmc> i believe you owe me a picture of elephants fisting each other
- <kmc> Bike: i think it's a fermented fish product? <kmc> either that or it means "welcome" in finnish
- <kmc> are you a hardcore PC gamer Sgeo_ <Sgeo_> Want to be
- <kmc> ah yes, like the parable of jesus feeding the masses with expired jell-o
- <+kmc> Harry Potter and the Physical Impossibility of Death in the Mind of Someone Living
- <+kmc> i found it confusing in a pleasing way <+kmc> like this channel but more so
- <+kmc> my girlfriend served as an adult control subject for some behavioral research on children [...] <+kmc> she did live on psych studies for a year yeah <Jafet> Is there a control protocol where you don't use people who live off being sociology test subjects

- <+kmc> Harry Potter and the Tyranny of Structurelessness
- <zzo38> If someone tries really hard to convince you to sell them drugs, then you should photograph them and bind them. <kmc> bind them to what <zzo38> To jail.
- <zzo38> For example I don't have the "Magic Missile" spell. <kmc> how will you attack the darkness <zzo38> By surprise!

3.21 Koen

Koen vit au haut de la Tour Eiffel (coordonnées approximatives).

- <Koen_> ohhhhh right for some reason I was assuming miles/km was the same as dollar/euro
- <Koen_> noodl: when my girlfriend asks me to give her uvular fricative I'm pretty sure that's not what she means

3.22 lifthrasiiir

lifthrasiiir is shunned by the rest of his country for being no good at League of Legends.

3.23 mnoqy and monqy

mnoqy used to be monqy before the earthquake.

monqy The friendship monqy is an ancient Chinese mystery; ask itidus21 for details.

- <monqy> I've only watched bad movies about video game. I enjoyed every second of it.
- <monqy> my most fresh dream is one where I'm at a soup contest and a chicken really wants to participate but he's disqualified so he becomes the judge. when all the soups are done and he's ready to taste them he just stares at the soup and then I become the chicken and I really want to make soup
- <monqy> 'quote django <HackEgo> 352) <olsner> django is named after a person? <olsner> thought it would be a giraffe or something \ 407) <cpresssey> 'quote django <HackEgo> 352) <olsner> django is named after

a person? <olsner> thought it would be a giraffe or something <cpressey> thankfully only one <monqy> thankfully only two

- <monqy> Sgeo: also do you know how to write a parser <Sgeo> monqy, how hard could it be?
- <Sgeo_> “system is fairly sane <Sgeo_> <elliott> imagine if the roomba was called the Robotic Magic Vacuum <Sgeo_> <elliott> would you object to that being trademarked <Sgeo_> <monqy> I mean <Sgeo_> <monqy> phrase trade” <Sgeo_> oops
- <monqy> it was a wonderful dream <monqy> i died in it <monqy> that’s how it started
- * Sgeo mutters about broken toilets <Sgeo> #toilet is useless <monqy> is #toilet even a thing <Sgeo> I’m looking for help with toilets
- <monqy> rest in peace lambdabot???? <ais523> monqy: it’ll probably be back later <monqy> nap in peace
- <monqy> itidus20: i saw a dancing cgi skeleton named malaria. i danced and played with him.
- <Sgeo> My memory passed <monqy> rest in peace sgeos memory
- <monqy> cigarettes and drinking “lame highs for lame people” <oerjan> yeah if it doesn’t make you go crazy and shoot at people, it’s not worth it. take it from a norwegian.
- <monqy> beautiful summer / fuck fuck fuck fuck fuck fuck fuck / fuck fuck fuck fuck fuck
- <monqy> the classic “souls have mass” hypothesis
- <monqy> this reminds me of a time where this guy made up a pretend language that was in his fantasy world and then roleplayed as someone from his fantasy world who used the language and then tried to talk to me about the language
- <monqy> mmm these music samples are still so tasteful
- <monqy> im sampling ultra hip holiday <monqy> hes the boogie woogie santa clause <monqy> switching to oktoberfest <monqy> yes i would love to shop to this
- <monqy> im hungary too... but cannot eat until hours

- <monqy> i am out of all the fame loops <monqy> and the australien soap opera loops <monqy> so much loop / s omcuh
- <monqy> game where you flip a coin but it's really really big
- <elliott> help me i am so alone :(<monqy> new computer good enough to simulate real parents
- <monqy> one time I tried cpp programming <monqy> it was hellish <monqy> maybe I should try again
- <monqy> in the past few minutes I tried remembering what my dream last night was, but instead remembered I didn't sleep
- <elliott> Dear god stop staring at me. <monqy> no never <Phantom_Hoover> monqy is always staring at everyone. <monqy> it takes many eyes to do this but I manage <Phantom_Hoover> He is an inspiration to us all.
- <monqy> did you know: gravity was inspired by apples
- <monqy> never ever do bacon floats or i will hunt you down and kill you augh my leg
- <monqy> bad people have feelings too <monqy> but they're bad <monqy> so it's okay
- <monqy> where is this going. why is this going.
- <monqy> i cnat eve begin to understand what you meant with that "one"
- <Ngevd> BOXBOT IS TERRIBLE <Ngevd> NOBODY LIKES BOXBOT <Ngevd> He's just a box with arms <monqy> i love boxbot already
- <monqy> kallisti: by ordered multiset did you mean: list?????
- <monqy> Sgeo: I used to have strict requirements for when I said hi but then everyone started saying hi and it all got weird
- <elliott_> (help why are german) <monqy> i play the german version of crawl <elliott_> i
- <Sgeo> hack and back? <Patashu> works on anything much slower than you <monqy> at the cost of: guilt, hating yourself, me sending you the message "hi" <Patashu> am I also forbidden to cast mephitic cloud and cblink <monqy> i will also send you "hi" if you: kite excessively, use mephitic cloud, -yes

- <monqy> 200 and 20 are the same <monqy> different notations for the same thing
- <monqy> moral of the story with enough peer pressure nything is possible
- <monqy> imagine hitting a brick wall really really hard but you don't do anything to it. instead you explode. <monqy> that's what it's like for people who hit you
- <monqy> if i had a time machine i would clone old monqy and make friends with him <monqy> i would also need a clone machine
- <monqy> you've constructed a situation in which i have no choice but to die in 10 days <monqy> well done <monqy> that's murder
- <monqy> what does it mean for a pencil to be turing complete... <ais523> monqy: it's the same concept as USB sushi, really
- <zzo38> Did you agree with what my idea was? <elliott> absolutely <monqy> what was your idea? <elliott> that was my next question
- <mnoqy> the theory's probably not **bad**, but calculus is one of those things that's so dang applicable that everyone only ever talks about how to apply it and compute with it and uuuuurgh (barf) <mnoqy> so i stay away from it
- <Bike> what's cereal <mnoqy> cereal <mnoqy> cant believe you dont know what cereal is

3.24 myndzi

*myndzi keeps us all on our feet*³

- <myndzi> lol :(

3.25 NihilistDandy

He was there some time ago. Maybe he'll come back. Maybe he's a nihilist, too.

- <NihilistDandy> elliott: His mouse obeys the law of the excluded middle :/
- <NihilistDandy> MY CONTINUITY
<NihilistDandy> MY FANFICTION
<NihilistDandy> RUINED

³Note from the Editor: myndzi is also a bot.

- <NihilistDandy> The Russian's emblem was the hammer and sickle, not the fist and other fist
- <NihilistDandy> Capitalism is a cancer. But I'm a smoker, anyway, so...
- <NihilistDandy> Having only been Catholic in the sense of being baptized that way, I still really like all their silly arcana
<NihilistDandy> Judaism has them beat, of course
<NihilistDandy> I almost converted just so I could look at my roommate's books
- <NihilistDandy> Benchmarks are only a good measure of surprise

3.26 nooga

nooga hate OS X. NOOGA SMASH. Hug not allowed.

- <nooga> i think of languages as tools, there is no holy grail of languages
<olsner> even if there's no holy grail, that doesn't mean cups of crap is ok
- Thanks to nooga for constructive criticism, his ideas and being a constant annoyance. — <http://theendisnear.no-ip.info/>
- <tswett> elliot: just to bring you up to speed, you are now my baby nephew.
<olsner> wtf, elliot is a nephew and his uncle is here?
<nooga> what
<tswett> Heck yes I'm elliot's uncle.
- [2008] <nooga> i'm testing Haiku
<nooga> and it appears that it is a major shit
<oerjan> 5+7+5, not 5+11, nooga

3.27 nooodl

nooodl is the correct spelling

3.28 nortti

nortti boy. very nortti boy.

- <elliott> It's... not really links2-optimised. <nortti> elliot: I don't think that any page is links2 optimised

3.29 oerjan

oerjan Your evil overlord *oerjan* is a lazy expert in future computation. Also a lying Norwegian who hates Roald Dahl.

Ørjan is *oerjan*'s good twin. He's banned in the IRC RFC for being an invalid character. Sometimes he publishes papers.

- <oerjan> what, you mean that wasn't your real name? <Warrigal> Gosh, I guess it is. I never realized that.
- <oerjan> In an alternate universe, ehird has taste
- IN AN ALTERNATE UNIVERSE: <oerjan> In an alternate universe, I would say "In an alternate universe, ehird has taste"
- PA ET ANNET UNIVERSET DER DE ENESTE PERSONEN OERJAN: <oerjan> sa jeg kan bare konkludere med at det er feil, eller er verden helt bonkers
- <oerjan> insufficient time dilation. try running faster.
- <oerjan> alise: mainly it's the fact it blows so hard i cannot avoid hitting the walls of the thing, which completely goes against my basic public toilet hygiene principles
- <oerjan> it's not obvious from quantum mechanics that you can destroy a universe arbitrarily.
- <oerjan> elliot: i think i wrote a proof of $0^*x = 0$ on this channel once
- * oerjan considered buying lutefisk, but apparently it cannot be prepared in microwave </bachelor frog>
- <oerjan> (the former is a very deep theorem, i'd have had to read the whole book to understand it, so i didn't.)
- <oerjan> <Gregor> oerjan: Tell us what $(a(b\{c\}d)*2e)\%2$ expands to ← ababcbcdcdedbabcbcdede, i think <Gregor> oerjan: What — the — fuck
- <elliott_> I'm not even going to try and understand what you're proposing. <oerjan> i understand it perfectly. it's completely nuts.
- <oerjan> i never meta turing. he died before i was born.
- <elliott> oerjan: can you delete that and the meta turing completeness page <elliott> thanks <oerjan> elliot: IN UNIVERSO ALTERNATIVO, OERJAN PAGINAS DELET

- <oerjan> adding quotes by yourself is strictly prohibited and will lead to you being banned
- <oerjan> as i was filled with zzo38 mystery at the moment i saw <zzo38> quintopia: I am at Canada.
- <Sgeo> Will anyone be irritated if I tend to disconnect and reconnect a lot? [...] <oerjan> we *almost* have an established policy that bots will be banned if they do that. which means we might have to administer a turing test to sgeo, and that could get ugly.
- <monqy> cigarettes and drinking “lame highs for lame people” <oerjan> yeah if it doesn’t make you go crazy and shoot at people, it’s not worth it. take it from a norwegian.
- [2008] <nooga> i’m testing Haiku <nooga> and it appears that it is a major shit <oerjan> 5+7+5, not 5+11, nooga
- <oerjan> i try to be a hermit but it’s hard with all these housemates.
- <oerjan> sllide: @ is an OS made out of only the finest vapour
- <oerjan> theorem prover yada yada halting problem.
- <oerjan> i am sorry to disappoint you, but my musical taste is on the side abba, verdi, and celine dion. i know this may not be popular and that you would have preferred me to be a satanist.
- <oerjan> <Patashu> But wait what if I’m using a quantum computer ← there is “quantum entropy”. it’s the same except no one understands it.
- <oerjan> elliot: it occurs to me that ‘? welcome is atypical: its information is actually true.
- <CakeProphet> but yeah the caliphates expanded their empire by conquering people and then forcing them to either convert to Islam or die. [...] <oerjan> i thought it was sort of, convert to islam or pay extra taxes, but i guess it varied a lot.
- * oerjan concludes that unsafeCoerce has no effect on strictness
- <oerjan> shachaf: wait, *you* are in northumberland? <shachaf> No. <oerjan> whew <oerjan> we don’t have room for more esolangers there. <shachaf> oerjan: Wait, *you* are in Northumberland? <oerjan> no <shachaf> Whew. <shachaf> We don’t have room for more esolangers there.

- <oerjan> wolfram armageddon, the genius overlord game
- <oerjan> well, i have to assume if i'm going to make any asses
- <itidus20> if only alonzo church would have anticipated the computer terminal... <zso38> itidus20: What do you think it would be if he did so? <itidus20> i just plucked his name at random [...] <oerjan> if only the marquis de sade would have anticipated hospital romance novels
- <fizzie> oerjan: Hey, what's your country code for telephonic dialling from the outside world? <oerjan> fizzie: +47 <fizzie> oerjan: Ooh, you're, like, right next to Sweden there. <fizzie> I.. guess you are geographically, too.
- <oerjan> fizzie: wait the germans burned lapland? they also burned finnmark. <fizzie> oerjan: It's a bit of what they do. This was the time when we no longer were such good friends any more, and told them to go away.
- <Sgeo_> Why does CL get called functional? <oerjan> it's sort of like how you call ancient greece democratic.
- <oerjan> Gregor: hey no fair doing ungoogleable citations
- * oerjan makes a brainfuck derivative for quoting xkcds
- <oerjan> 'welcome Rawlie * zzo38 has joined #esoteric <Rawlie> thank you <zso38> You're welcome.
- <olsner> we have PR? <oerjan> the good news is we have PR. the bad news is we borrowed haskell's motto for it. [...] <oerjan> [...] "avoid success at all costs"
- <oerjan> i think the problem is you're trying to interpret finnish as logic.
- <pikhq> Conext coyoun'll cotell come cothat coyoun cocan't coprefix coeverything cowith co"co". <oerjan> pikhq: coof urse conot!
- <oerjan> 'pastequotes django <HackEgo> <http://codu.org/projects/hackbot/fshg/index.cgi/raw-file/tip/paste/paste.5404> <olsner> I'm still in all of them :(<olsner> someone else get quoted saying django please
- <oerjan> fungot knows all. <fungot> oerjan: you are correct. there's no freedom for free.
- <Phantom_Hoover> why the fuc <oerjan> i was very annoyed. <Phantom_Hoover> k <Phantom_Hoover> are my socks <Phantom_Hoover> in the wastebin

- <oerjan> maybe i was violated by a pole once
- <oerjan> ‘quote 1000
- <oerjan> i vaguely thought sigbovik was all jokes? <Bike> oerjan: jokes written by CS people, so none of it’s funny, just sad
- <oerjan> this new apartment stuff has interesting side effects: i’m now getting physical spam.
- <oerjan> i guess the fact i won’t eat bovine tongue is just tranferred cod trauma.

3.30 oklofok, oklokok and oklopol

oklopol “so i hear these blogs are getting popular, people like writing about their lives and shit. on this thing called the internet which is like a neural network only really stupid.”

- <oklopol> i can get an erection out of a plank, you can quote me on that.
- <oklopol> anyway, torture would be fun to experience, true <oklopol> should put that on my todo list
- <oklopol> i’m my dad’s unborn sister
- <oklopol> GregorR: are you talking about ehird’s virginity or your soda beer?
- <oklopol> hmm, this is hard
- <oklopol> actually just ate some of the dog food because i didn’t have any human food. . . after a while they start tasting like porridge
- <oklopol> if a girl is that cute, i don’t care how many penises she has
- <oklopol> Warrigal: what do you mean by 21?
- <oklofok> i use dynamic indentation, i indent lines k times, if they are used $O(n^k)$ times during a run of the program
- <fax> oklopol geez what are you doing here
<oklokok> . . . i don’t know :<
<oklokok> i actually ate until now, although i guess i also did other things. . .
- <oklopol> you move on the tape and shit

- <oklopol> but yeah i'm not exactly comfortable with this stuff, to me it seems like if you can unscrew lightbulbs, why couldn't you see into the future, or through walls as well
- <oklopol> pigeons are very smart. all the known ways to show a language is not regular are based on pigeons.
- <oklopol> comex: what? <oklopol> *vorpai <oklopol> comex: hi, tab-complete completed c to comex instead of Vorpai, dunno why
- <oklopol> there's a rather clear separation into the 99% of esolangs that are fun syntax ideas, and the 3% that someone actually put some thought into.
- <oklopol> well i just ate some stuff and watched family guy <oklopol> and i own a piano <oklopol> and i'm not wearing socks
- <elliott> clue is a language for beauty, not usefulness <elliott> or ability to run at all <oklopol> ability to run at all is not even close to a design goal, no
- <oklopol> oerjan: also actually $A(4, 4)$ is larger than any other integer, i learned this the other day when i was reading about this algo, it had complexity $O(na^{-1}(n)) = O(na^{-1}(4))$
- <oklopol> hey speaking of young, some kinds asked me to buy some tobacco for them and i did, and then they were all likd "wow that guy's cool" when i told them i don't need their money
- <oklopol> ah yes, indeed, alan turing was gay and stupid
- <nddrylliog> are you always careful to have a small enough margin so that it can't contain the proof? <oklofok> nddrylliog: i usually use latex, and make sure my hd is almost full
- <oklopol> zzo38: you missed the point. the point was way stupider than that.
- <oklopol> actually the first joke i thought elliott was making was that he's so small masturbation is gay pedophilia
- <oklopol> okay see in my head it went, you send from your other number smth like "i'd certainly like to see you in those pink panties again" and she's like "WHAT?!? Sgeo took a pic?!?! that FUCKING PIG"
- <oklopol> shit would make great currency, because everyone would have it and you could literally be filthy rich

- <oklopol> quintopia: no i'm not laughing at you, i'm laughing because *you're stupid* <oklopol> i mean <oklopol> with you
- <elliott> ais523: quick, say something funny <oklopol> something funny ha-grea:D <oklopol> can'tä sopt laughitn
- [After a long monologue] <oklopol> i think i have to escape this heated discussion before it becomes a flamewar
- <oklopol> and then there's the slightly annoying one where suddenly, i start rolling forward and i can't stop <oklopol> like i can be having some great sex dream or whatever and then suddenly "oh god not this again" <oklopol> (i go "not this again" but not necessarily realize it's a dream)
- <oklopol> haha, god made one helluva blunder there :DS <oklopol> "WHOOOPS HE AIN'T DEAD YET!" <oklopol> "luckily no one will believe him because christians are such annoying retardas"
- <oklopol> i actually do like sucking
- <oklopol> i understand that people had to use twitter and facebook before irc was invented, but now they just feel like ancient history
- <oklopol> esperanto is just spanish with a diarrhea
- <oklofok> i hope that isn't child pornography <oklofok> whew <oklofok> equally cute tho, have to admit
- <oklopol> yes i use the services of a psychic, but i'm considering getting a live one since stuff like "hello \$name, your first name \$first_name has |\$first_name| letters, so by using numerology we can tell ..." is getting kind of boring
- <oklopol> but touchscreens should feel like poking a boob
- <oklopol> are there boobs you wack and squeeze around to move the mouse? [...] <oklopol> like those little nipples in laptop keyboards, but they'd be full-blown boobies
- <oklopol> anyway i have to get going, first lecture at 9 and i need to do a few iterations on my article, and do some unmentionable things which also take hours <oklopol> and masturbate as well
- <oklopol> so about jacuzzis, do they usually have a way to make it it not heat but freeze the water?

- <oklofok> what would you ever need petrol for <oklofok> newflash: it doesn't actually taste that good
- <oklofok> “<pikhq> elliot: Americans also have 20 mile one-way commutes.” «< one-way commutes? you have like disposable jobs?
- <oklopol> [...] only the hamster's nervous system was tortured. although probably torturing a large logical gate constitutes a horrible thing to do if it comes in a cute container.
- <Gregor> oklopol: Why do you have so much experience with hoop-and-stick? :P <oklopol> Gregor: my fetish: learning pointless skills
- <oklopol> such a famous bisexual <Phantom_Hoover> Yeah, like Marlon Brando. <Phantom_Hoover> And Caligula. <Phantom_Hoover> And... Keeley Hawes? <Phantom_Hoover> I feel cheated by Ashes to Ashes now.
- <oklofok> mixing drinks together is like taking all of mozart's works and listening to all of them at once <oklofok> and in general a drink — and most foods — are kind like taking a song and then just taking the average of the notes and listening to it for three minutes. <oklofok> olsner: the point is you don't have to be the composer yourself <oklofok> not everyone knows what sequences of drinks taste the best
- <oklofok> drinks should come in long long pipes that drip liquid at varying speeds, and you shouldn't just casually taste to them, you should really try to understand what the artist (the canposer?) was trying to convey when making the drink <oklofok> olsner: well you know i'm a genius. anyway i like how food works tho, because it has both the element of composing and choice, it's kind of like an rpg really
- <oklopol> well you know because i could've used my “wtf, you have multiple identity elements smiley” o=oO=O <oklopol> yeah, i have a smiley for everything.
- <oklopol> you know that thing in the movies where they put a pillow on someone's face and try to suffocate them <oklopol> that doesn't work. <oklopol> we tried that with my ex once, but we just couldn't kill each other that way
- <oklopol> doctor who. i saw part of one episode of that and it reminded me of buffy the vampire slayer.
- <itidus20> to assume that someone can be described by a rule without exception... is to assume they are omnipotent <oklopol> for instance stones are omnipotent, as they don't do anything, without exception

- <oklofok> god created the natural numbers, the rationals were done by man and the work was finally completed (topologically) by satan himself
- <oklopol> interestingly enough, go is a second player win <oklopol> chess is also first player win <oklopol> tennis, interestingly enough, is always a draw.
- <Taneb> So... God has jizzed on everything? <oklopol> have you even READ the bible?
- <oklopol> i started running and smoking <oklopol> i love my lungs the way they are so trying to balance them out
- <oklopol> king is something women are better at than men
- <oklopol> but i guess $(x + y)^n = (x^2 + 2xy + y^2)(x^2 + 2xy + y^2) \dots (x^2 + 2xy + y^2)$ if n is even, $(x + y)^n = (x^2 + 2xy + y^2)(x^2 + 2xy + y^2) \dots (x^2 + 2xy + y^2)(x + y)$ is as good a fundamental theorem as any
- <oklopol> so you are doing for compilers what imperative programming did for functional programming
- <oklopol> i did applied fisheries research when i was little <oklopol> got some results too but i ate them before i could publish them
- <oklopol> that's crazy, it almost seems like you have to tell the program how you want it to manipulate the data and not just give it the relevant commands in a random sequence
- <oklopol> also who it a tome, a small one
- <oklopol> the point of a university is research and training new researchers. the point of the world is to enable this.
- <oklopol> i don't lie, i tell stories <oklopol> there's no difference <oklopol> *a
- <kallisti> man, I love pseudo-random decision making <Gregor> kallisti: Man, I base most of my life on pseudo-random decision making. <oklopol> i usually just ask my dick and i then rarely even bother to listen
- <oklopol> why not just give the gays their own state so people could finally pray in peace
- <oklopol> in one case, someone is hurting themselves, in the other, they are only hurting (all) norwegians (to death)

- <oklopol> i think i'll just take the usual route and go do post doc research somewhere far away and never come back and become a drug lord and kill myself
- <oklopol> speaking of math, i watched an episode of numb3rs today <oklopol> the first episode was more like 57471571c5
- <oklofok> you tell us you're making a lisp interpreter, but you don't mention its polterchrist is c++ templates? <oklofok> isn't that like telling us you're taking a bath and not mentioning you're bathing in a WORLD FULL OF SNAKES
- <oklopol> nortti: fizzie has done some impressive stuff in befunge, which is essentially the two-dimensional version of finnish politics.
- <oklopol> Gregor: i watched the first episode of MLP [...] <oklopol> Gregor: it wasn't bad, but there was very little sex and violence
- <oklopol> oh god another crazy haskell understander <oklopol> i have to leave
- <oklopol> i don't get how people are afraid of parachute jumping but they routinely drive a car in fucking traffic
- <oklopol> zzo38: i only like games whose names start with "mine"
- <oklopol> my best guess is 4 years ago but possibly also yesterday
- <oklopol> t <oklopol> y <oklopol> also i didn't say t\ny on purpose, i just accidentally hit the keyboard with my head
- <oklopol> my university spam filter thinks it's okay for someone i have never met to discuss "usd 2,142,728.00 dollars" with me and "NEED MY HELP" etc. however, inviting me to a conference? such a nigerian thing to do.
- <oklopol> is this an actual log for one day of ircing or is this a collection of stuff that SHAPED MY LIFE

3.31 olsner

olsner seems to exist at least.

- <nooga> i think of languages as tools, there is no holy grail of languages <olsner> even if there's no holy grail, that doesn't mean cups of crap is ok

- <olsner> DAMN YOU, I'm leaving <Vorpai> olsner, FINALLY NOTHING BETWEEN ME AND WORLD DOMINATION!
- <tswett> elliot: just to bring you up to speed, you are now my baby nephew. <olsner> wtf, elliot is a nephew and his uncle is here? <nooga> what <tswett> Heck yes I'm elliot's uncle.
- <quintopia> who is guido van rossum <olsner> you could say he's a man who grew a beard but acquired none of the associated good properties
- <olsner> actually, I think vorpai is the "retarded team member" to the left
- <olsner> it is from 2002 though, I was younger then
- <olsner> django is named after a person? <olsner> thought it would be a giraffe or something
- <olsner> boston cream pie? sounds related to a cleveland steamer
- <cpressey> 'quote django <HackEgo> 352) <olsner> django is named after a person? <olsner> thought it would be a giraffe or something <cpressey> thankfully only one
- <monqy> 'quote django <HackEgo> 352) <olsner> django is named after a person? <olsner> thought it would be a giraffe or something 407) <cpressey> 'quote django <HackEgo> 352) <olsner> django is named after a person? <olsner> thought it would be a giraffe or something <cpressey> thankfully only one <monqy> thankfully only two
- <olsner> two quotes about quotes about django <olsner> I guess the worst part is that I appear in all three hackego quotes about django
- <elliott_> 'addquote <olsner> two quotes about quotes about django <olsner> I guess the worst part is that I appear in all three hackego quotes about django <olsner> elliot_: another quote? you're not helping :/
- <olsner> you should know better than making ps out of wedlock
- <Sgeo> I used to be more irritated by alcohol <olsner> Sgeo: you're not supposed to put it in your eyes
- <olsner> as always in sweden everything goes to a fixed pattern: thursday is queueing at systembolaget to get beer and schnaps, friday is pickled herring, schnaps and dancing the frog dance around the phallos, saturday is dedicated to being hung over

- <olsner> characters in tv series should learn to check the timestamp before they get their hopes up... *no chance* this will work at 10 minutes into the episode
- <olsner> I think I know less about rhotic accents now than I have ever known before
- <olsner> the allocation is done by the “Dynamic” in DRAM <olsner> before that we used SRAM where everything was preallocated in the factory <fizzie> olsner: So what’s this SDRAM then? <olsner> fizzie: synchronized, it’s for multithreading
- <olsner> what a world it would be if you could actually *steal* code so that the other project has to rewrite it or infiltrate your project to steal it back
- <olsner> is tswett Warrigal?
- <olsner> they call finnish human-readable?
- <olsner> This quote is boring
- <olsner> when everyone else was busy going “ewwww, comic sans!” I was reading the text and learned everything
- <Gregor> !rot13 Fluttershy Rainbow Dash Rarity Applejack Twilight Sparkle Pinkie Pie <EgoBot> Syhggreful Envaobj Qnfu Enevgl Nccyrwnpx Gjvyvtug Fcnexyr Cvaxvr Cvr <olsner> oh, they’re all named after rot13’d welsh words
- <olsner> it’s not completely obvious since the displayed nick lengths are rounded to the closest integer
- <olsner> fungot: what’s your view on angels and other otherworldly beings? <fungot> olsner: well i’m mentioning theoretical image to be dumped in rain forests of laukaa.
- <olsner> we have PR? <oerjan> the good news is we have PR. the bad news is we borrowed haskell’s motto for it. [...] <oerjan> [...] “avoid success at all costs”
- <olsner> FireFly: oh, did you see ion’s police reindeer? that was ... at least as on-topic as this discussion
- <olsner> shachaf: contrary to common belief, #esoteric is not really “a channel for crazy people”, but has (ostensibly) a topic... is beaky from finland?

- <oerjan> ‘pastequotes django <HackEgo> <http://codu.org/projects/hackbot/fshg/index.cgi/raw-file/tip/paste/paste.5404> <olsner> I’m still in all of them :(<olsner> someone else get quoted saying django please
- <olsner> Gregor: are you in the bronx documentary?
- <olsner> as long as you’re in company where no-one knows both, you can always say either “that’s just like welsh ll” or “that’s just like klingon tlh”
- <olsner> boily: the man eating chicken is just a normal man, it’s quite common to eat chicken in some parts of the world
- <ais523> is it March 3? <olsner> on some dates, yes
- <olsner> metar lead to canada, more metar and cows
- <olsner> in category theory, category theory is a theory in the category of theories
- <olsner> I’ve seen horses jump on tv, they can probably jump in scotland too
- <ion> “Haiers Medical-Circular Stapler For Rectal Prolapse And Hemorrhoids.wmv” /me refrains from clicking <olsner> good choice <ion> Yes, i’m pretty happy about it.

3.32 Phantom_Hoover

- 1 *Phantom Michael Hoover is a true Scotsman and hatheist*
- 2 *can’t decide what an appropriate number of underscores is.*
- 3 *sucks at ghosting himself.*
- 7 *It doesn’t get any better than this.*
- 10 *OK you got me there.*
- 20 ``
Your soundcard works perfectly .
``

- <CakeProphet> how does a “DNA computer” work. <CakeProphet> von neumann machines? <Phantom_Hoover> CakeProphet, that’s boring in the context of DNA. <Phantom_Hoover> It’s just stealing the universe’s work and passing it off as our own.

- <Phantom_Hoover> OK, so is conspiring to conspire to commit a crime a crime? <cpressey> Let's all get together and talk about defacing public property sometime
- <AnMaster> cpressey, oh go to zzo's website. He is NIH <Phantom_Hoover> AnMaster, really? I was strongly under the impression that zzo was invented here.
- <Phantom_Hoover> It's only been 2 months since anyone last made a commit! <alise> WRONG 8 WEEKS
- <Vorpah> ais523, what is "MS Publisher"? <Phantom_Hoover> Vorpah, you don't want to know. <ais523> Vorpah: be glad that you don't know the answer <alise> Vorpah: "horrible"
- <Phantom_Hoover> For instance, Jesus' Y chromosome was clearly GOD'S.
- <Phantom_Hoover> OK, let's reduce the human genome to 4 chromosomes, in 2 homologous pairs.
- <Phantom_Hoover> LoTR actually compresses pretty well into a film; the large amount of description becomes unnecessary.
<pikh> LotR would compress pretty well into a book; the large amount of description *is* unnecessary.
- <Phantom_Hoover> [...] reyouthismootherate [...]
- <Phantom_Hoover> This is good if you are a wheat plant but bad if you like eating wheat seeds.
- <Phantom_Hoover> Gregor, yeah, but Purdue has poultry science facilities beyond the dreams of avarice.
- <Phantom_Hoover> Gregor, yeah, but Purdue has poultry science facilities beyond the dreams of avarice.
- <Phantom_Hoover> elliot, incidentally, I started my explorations again after getting bored of the Himalayas.
- <Phantom_Hoover> ZOMGMODULES, St. Christopher, saint and werewolf.
- <Phantom_Hoover> DON'T MOCK ME WITH YOUR ABILITY TO DIVIDE BY TEN
- <Phantom_Hoover> Oh, Hitler! You and your wacky antics!

- <Phantom_Hoover> Scotland turns from red and yellow to A DIFFERENT SHADE OF YELLOW
- [on Sgeo's karaoke] <Phantom_Hoover> That is the thing that made me into a gay vampire.
- <Phantom_Hoover> Yeah, I went through a whole series of existential crises when I was 8 or so.
- <Phantom_Hoover> The system I kind of have in mind makes a flying train a natural consequence.
- <Sgeo> Hmm. I guess it's nearby GRBs that would be problematic? <Phantom_Hoover> Sgeo, if by 'problematic' you mean 'what's that in the AAAAAAAAAAR-RRRRGGGGHHHH'.
- <Phantom_Hoover> The eigenratio of reality has to be enormous, though.
- [on petrol] <ais523> oklofok: it's actually poisonous, so I advise against drinking it <Phantom_Hoover> ais523, also contains benzene, my carcinogen of choice.
- * perlmonkey is pursuing the line of reasoning that eating raw foods can improve cognitive function <Phantom_Hoover> perlmonkey, well, it certainly makes you think about what you'd rather be eating.
- <Phantom_Hoover> The wickedest man of all. <Phantom_Hoover> Surpassed only in wickedness by the wicked witches of the west and east. <copumpkin> you talking about me again? <Phantom_Hoover> Yes. <copumpkin> k
- <Phantom_Hoover> I go to clean up the shrapnel from a teabag and you're discussing the definition of god out of nowhere.
- <Phantom_Hoover> oerjan, little do you realise that everything you say and do is part of that great monad tutorial we call life.
- <Phantom_Hoover> pikhq, living in the future sucks. <Phantom_Hoover> The past just keeps coming up to us and trying to make us feel guilty.
- <oklopol> such a famous bisexual <Phantom_Hoover> Yeah, like Marlon Brando. <Phantom_Hoover> And Caligula. <Phantom_Hoover> And... Keeley Hawes? <Phantom_Hoover> I feel cheated by Ashes to Ashes now.
- <augur> ive been in #haskell and #agda primarily, recently <Phantom_Hoover> So is #agda now full of dependently-typed gay sex?

- <Phantom_Hoover> Sgeo_, the origin of suffering is desire for e-book readers.
- <Phantom_Hoover> Oh look, Dax has brought TWO glowy science sticks.
<Phantom_Hoover> SHIT JUST GOT REAL
- <Phantom_Hoover> OK, Taneb's been taken by a mood and he needs raw emeralds. <Phantom_Hoover> It's been fun knowing him.
- <Phantom_Hoover> Taneb's been hit by melancholy. <Phantom_Hoover> He didn't have any friends, fortunatel.y
- <Phantom_Hoover> You realise the micromanagement it took to make quintopia encrust my silver throne with emeralds rather than a jug?
- <Phantom_Hoover> Riots in Glasgow would probably be reported as a sudden drop in crime.
- <Phantom_Hoover> What is it with Cardassians, they're all really nice and then they hit you with a rock.
- <Phantom_Hoover> I gave her the Noblesse Oblige rooms. <Phantom_Hoover> She was happy with them even when they were behind 2 locked doors and a floodgate and full of water.
- <Phantom_Hoover> On further reflection, I think I did manage to miss winter and spring altogether. <Phantom_Hoover> This does explain the goblin siege I had in autumn.
- <Phantom_Hoover> A possessed soapmaker: the most ridiculous thing? <Phantom_Hoover> OH YES YOU JUST HAD TO CLAIM THE WORKSHOP I SET ASIDE FOR STRAND EXTRACTION YOU BASTARD <Phantom_Hoover> I SWEAR IF ANY OF THAT ADAMANTINE GOES MISSING YOU'RE GETTING SOME HIGH-QUALITY ROOMS
- <Phantom_Hoover> I didn't realise nickel apparently can't be shaped into a screw because of some fundamental feature of dwarven physics.
- <Phantom_Hoover> I keep asking random people for "friendship <thing>" and it's crippling
- <Phantom_Hoover> FFS, building a perpetual motion machine should not be this hard.

- <Phantom_Hoover> Intake flooded with magma. <Phantom_Hoover> Reactor connected. <Phantom_Hoover> Pumps active. <Phantom_Hoover> YES IT'S WORKING
- <Phantom_Hoover> The fact that the elves will be happy with this will hopefully be counteracted by the fact that I plan to drop them into the magma cistern.
- <Phantom_Hoover> I'm sacrificing the animals, then I'm going to bed.
- <Phantom_Hoover> Yeah, Bashir, just sit there drinking, rather than diagnosing the carpenter mauled in that tragic bonobo accident.
- <Phantom_Hoover> You mean it'd be Tau Zero but without the spaceship?
- <Phantom_Hoover> OK, making myself emergency doctor on the advice of IRC.
- <Phantom_Hoover> It is like the Holocaust but with Nazis.
- <Phantom_Hoover> We have no leather. <Phantom_Hoover> Time to use that most venerable of resources, the puppy.
- <Taneb> Mayor says we need to make aluminum items <Phantom_Hoover> Taneb, PH says you need to make lava items.
- <elliott> Dear god stop staring at me. <monqy> no never <Phantom_Hoover> monqy is always staring at everyone. <monqy> it takes many eyes to do this but I manage <Phantom_Hoover> He is an inspiration to us all.
- <Phantom_Hoover> I mean, any organisation called the Scottish Defence League should be beating up English people, what other point would there be?
- <Phantom_Hoover> OMG <Phantom_Hoover> What if <Phantom_Hoover> we shoot Hitler with neutrinos
- <Phantom_Hoover> It's like Pygmalion and Galatea but more weeaboo. <Phantom_Hoover> Also lesbian.
- <Phantom_Hoover> Guys no don't fly a Jem Hadar ship into Cardassian space to shoot things I played that mission in FreeSpace and it never works.
- <Phantom_Hoover> Also you steal Berwick from us and then say you don't want it? <Ngevd> You stole it from us first!

- <Phantom_Hoover> oh god oh god <Phantom_Hoover> what if I become <Phantom_Hoover> attracted <Phantom_Hoover> to birds
- <Ngevd> “Facekicker” Hird is a member of the Hird family <Phantom_Hoover> Ngevd, world-renowned detective.
- <Phantom_Hoover> You know what annoys me about Deep Space 9. <Phantom_Hoover> It wasn’t in deep space. <Phantom_Hoover> It was orbiting Bajor.
- <Phantom_Hoover> I think the worst part of growing up is that it isn’t retroactive.
- <Phantom_Hoover> <http://i.imgur.com/dosYw.png>
<Phantom_Hoover> WELCOME TO FUCKING STEELROMANCED
- <Phantom_Hoover> I’d insult you behind your back, but I don’t care which side of your back I insult you on.
- <Phantom_Hoover> Life expectancy now is a function of whether you go berserk or not.
- <Phantom__Hoover> (I’m not really sure what that explains but nor am I sure what I’m explaining, so it cancels out.)
- <Phantom_Hoover> No you can’t fight crime in Glasgow. <Phantom_Hoover> It’s like trying to get rid of the space-time continuum.
- <Phantom__Hoover> elliot, cars aren’t perfectly spherical.
- <Phantom__Hoover> Minecraft has made me view all trees as ridiculously slender.
- <Phantom_Hoover> The reason the cute animals collection includes pictures of intestines is that cute animals have to have intestines.
- <Ngevd> This is not the time for science! <Phantom_Hoover> ALL TIMES ARE TIME FOR SCIENCE
- <Phantom_Hoover> Dinner? At two? <fizzie> It’s four here already. See, UTC+2. You need to add a couple of hours. Or was that subtract? I can never get those straight.
- <Phantom__Hoover> WTF is it with people with Irish names and logic?
- <Phantom_Hoover> The only way you could do better would be to implement Monopoly with chocolate.

- <Phantom_Hoover> Just because you can't design a reliable Monopoly machine out of chocolate doesn't mean nobody else can.
- <Phantom_Hoover> Here in Scotland we have a rigorous and well-tested theory of brothels.
- <Phantom_Hoover> (I vehemently oppose the SNP because they want closer ties with Sweden.)
- <Phantom_Hoover> Incest, the enemy of graph theorists everywhere.
- <Phantom_Hoover> I had a dream last night where I got hit by a van but the van had a brain uploader in it and I was uploaded and I angsted because I was stuck spending eternity with singularitarians?
- <Phantom_Hoover> "Category 4 ("professional") fireworks are for sale only to fireworks professionals. They have no restrictions," <Phantom_Hoover> OK I need to become a pyrotechnician. <ais523> Phantom_Hoover: that's like wanting to become a locksmith <ais523> so that you can legally own lockpicks <Phantom_Hoover> Did I mention when I wanted to become a locksmith?
- <Phantom_Hoover> There... is a box of Gardasil next to the butter in my fridge. <Phantom_Hoover> At least my sandwich will be immune to cervical cancer *and* genital warts, I suppose.
- <Phantom_Hoover> BF derivatives are a cancer running throughout the fringes of the esolang community, and as the fringes vastly outweigh the core, we're screwed.
- <pikhq> The world would be a much classier place if the world was full of Gregors. <Phantom_Hoover> True, but how many of them are on fire?
- <Phantom_Hoover> i once had a dream when i was told to look after some kittens but they were made of chocolate and i ate them :(
- <Phantom_Hoover> the scene: it is a warm summer's day in scotland, although one obscured by cloud and the fact that it is september
- <Phantom_Hoover> unfortunately df is not yet able to simulate norway
- <Phantom_Hoover> I think the only lesson I can really take away from this experience is "don't fuck around with vampires".
- <Phantom_Hoover> it's weird hanging around people for whom the northernmost point in the world is nottingham

- <Phantom_Hoover> why the fuc <oerjan> i was very annoyed. <Phantom_Hoover> k <Phantom_Hoover> are my socks <Phantom_Hoover> in the wastebin
- <shachaf> oerjan: What's cosubtyping? <Phantom_Hoover> some sort of fusion of cosplay and type theory?
- * ais523 challenges the americans here to remember who lost in the most recent UK general election <Phantom_Hoover> ais523, the lib dems
- <Phantom_Hoover> Sgeo_, are you just trying to post kmcbait... * Fiora imagines a cardboard box propped up by a stick with a pile of monads inside. <elliott> Fiora: that is actually what Haskell is.
- <Phantom_Hoover> As Brainfuck derivatives go, it's not all that bad, really.
- <Phantom_Hoover> i don't think hitler made any bf derivatives
- <Phantom_Hoover>
<http://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/home-news/large-asbestoscontaminated-tarantula-on-the-loose-in-cardiff-8544532.html>
 <Phantom_Hoover> finally, a solution to the problem of wales
- <Bike> ◇ _____ ◇ <elliott> help. <Phantom_Hoover> jesus christ elliott <Phantom_Hoover> apply pressure evenly when jamming eyes open
- <Phantom_Hoover> you'd almost think somalian domain-name management is a bit sloppy
- <Phantom_Hoover> well he's 'the favourite', with all the pinches of salt the term implies <Phantom_Hoover> i'm not sure if there's any better evidence than the fevered imaginings of the autistic children bookies use to set the odds for things
- <Phantom_Hoover> my emergency contacts list somehow has my father listed in both slots, in one of them as my daughter

3.33 pikhq

Another unknown mysterious Chännel Member...

- <pikhq> First, invent the direct mind-computer interface.
 <pikhq> Second, you know the rest.

- IN AN ALTERNATE UNIVERSE:
 <pikhq> First, invent the direct mind-computer interface.
 <pikhq> Second, learn the rest with your NEW MIND-COMPUTER INTER-FACE.
- <pikhq> And... WTF is it doing.
 <pikhq> :(
 <Sgeo_> Is it sexing?
- <pikhq> INTERNET
 <coppro> YAY
 <cpresses> Said like a once-drowning man, rescued, taking a breath.
- <alise> Why do you use random acronyms you know we don't know the expansions of?
 <pikhq> alise: TLAAW
- <pikhq> zzo38: A better definition would probably fix Avogadro's number.
 <Sgeo> It's broken?
- <Phatom__Hovver> LoTR actually compresses pretty well into a film; the large amount of description becomes unnecessary.
 <pikh> LotR would compress pretty well into a book; the large amount of description *is* unnecessary.
- <pikhq> o.0
 <pikhq> There's a birth defect which results in the formation of a cloaca.
 <Gregor> It's called "not being a mammal" :P
- <pikhq_> And if they wanted to go for "true" security, they'd just do "Warning: your computer has not been turned into a plasma. This may cause some of your personal data to be stolen. Click here to turn your computer into a ball of incandescent gas, a gigantic nuclear furnace."
- <oklofok> "<pikhq> elliott: Americans also have 20 mile one-way commutes." «< one-way commutes? you have like disposable jobs?
- <pikhq> I actually had a Neopets account. I later gained a second digit in my age.
- <pikhq> The world would be a much classier place if the world was full of Gregors.
 <Phantom_Hoover> True, but how many of them are on fire?

- <pikhq> I vastly prefer “a blind idiot god”.
<quintopia> pikhq: to what?
<pikhq> To the idea of someone actually intentionally designing a mouse.
- <pikhq> Conext coyou’ll cotell come cothat coyou cocan’t coprefix coeverything cowith co“co”.
<oerjan> pikhq: coof urse conot!

3.34 Pouti

Pouti is boily’s brother. he’s also Canadian, and he closes the Roujo pointer loop.

3.35 Roujo

Roujo is a Java heretic leaning on ungrammatical Haskell. His claim to Canadian-ness is marred by an unholy portal to China. The treaties suffer, so the cocktail will be postponed. He does not understand shell quoting.

- <Roujo> I AM AN INVADING NECROPOLIS... ALL BOW BEFORE MY... erm... WALLS?... NECROBUILDINGS?

3.36 Sgeo

Sgeo is a language nomad. (Not to be confused with a language monad.) He invented Metaplace sex.

- <Sgeo> What else is there to vim besides editing commands?
- <Sgeo|web> Where’s the link to the log?
<lament> THERE’S NO LOG. YOUR REQUEST IS SUSPICIOUS AND HAS BEEN LOGGED.
- <pikhq> And... WTF is it doing. <pikhq> :(<Sgeo_> Is it sexing?
- <coppro> what’s the data of? [...] <Sgeo> Locations in a now deceased game called Mutation <coppro> I have no problems with you being interested in online games <coppro> but the necrophilia is disturbing
- <Sgeo> Why shouldn’t I just do everything in non-Microsoft-specific C#?
<ais523> it’s like trying to write non-IE-specific JavaScript with only Microsoft documentation and only IE to test on

- (in #irp) <Sgeo> Flonk, ask on #esoteric? <Flonk> Sgeo: yeah well its C++, so not that esoteric :P
- <Sgeo> HOT SEXY SEX BITS
- <Sgeo> How much do mainframes cost these days? I mean, they're obsoleteish, right? My notebook's much more powerful? So surely, they're cheap?
- <Sgeo> Hmm. I want to try vanilla extract now, but I don't want the alcohol
- <pikhq> zzo38: A better definition would probably fix Avogadro's number.
<Sgeo> It's broken?
- <Sgeo> Oh. Stuff that uses actual physical numbers stemming from science. Bleh *gets bored*
- <Sgeo> My quotes are boring
- <Sgeo> Is there a name for something where I'm more attracted to someone if I know they've had a rough past? <variable> Sgeo, "Little Shop of Horrors"
- 00:07 Sgeo has quit (IRC is taking up too much of my time. I need time to study the Bible and find Christ.)
00:12 Sgeo has joined #esoteric.
- <Sgeo_> I think she either likes me, is neutral towards me, or dislikes me
- <Sgeo> I was more of a pervert in Metaplace than Utherverse <Sgeo> I invented Metaplace sex >.>
- <elliott> sgeo do you actually know what sex looks like i am just checking here <Sgeo> I think so
- <Sgeo> Hmm. I guess it's nearby GRBs that would be problematic? <Phantom_Hoover> Sgeo, if by 'problematic' you mean 'what's that in the AAAAAAAAR-RRRRGGGGHHHH'.
- <monqy> Sgeo: also do you know how to write a parser <Sgeo> monqy, how hard could it be?
- <Sgeo> I hope type inference isn't difficult
- <Sgeo> I used to be more irritated by alcohol <olsner> Sgeo: you're not supposed to put it in your eyes

- <Sgeo_> “system is fairly sane <Sgeo_> <elliott> imagine if the roomba was called the Robotic Magic Vacuum <Sgeo_> <elliott> would you object to that being trademarked <Sgeo_> <monqy> I mean <Sgeo_> <monqy> phrase trade” <Sgeo_> oops
- <Sgeo_> Something about faing a asanity check <Sgeo_> sanity <Sgeo_> failing <Sgeo_> failing
- <Sgeo> Will anyone be irritated if I tend to disconnect and reconnect a lot? [...] <oerjan> we *almost* have an established policy that bots will be banned if they do that. which means we might have to administer a turing test to sgeo, and that could get ugly.
- * Sgeo mutters about broken toilets <Sgeo> #toilet is useless <monqy> is #toilet even a thing <Sgeo> I’m looking for help with toilets
- <Sgeo> Dear eHow: Please don’t assume that my toilet works like that <Sgeo> Or, at least, my toilet looks different
- <SgeoN1> No nasty sounds for a while now. Going to turn off and on and see if the numbers get worse.
- * Sgeo is risking massive forest fires <Sgeo> The bacon is worth it
- <Sgeo> I’m having nostalgia for when we could see the glass from the floor
- <Sgeo> My memory passed <monqy> rest in peace sgeos memory
- <Sgeo> Maybe I should try to learn Scala instead of Ruby <elliott> I will boil your veins. <Sgeo> Which is less bad? <elliott> Probably Scala, but I don’t want you learning languages.
- <Sgeo> Can you build the ... why wouldn’t you be able to, just and all the computables
- <Sgeo> I guess only gay people fuck?
- <Sgeo> “Sgeo: how refreshing to see you talk about something other than whatever the heck homestuck is”
- <Sgeo_> Why does CL get called functional? <oerjan> it’s sort of like how you call ancient greece democratic.

- <Sgeo> hack and back? <Patashu> works on anything much slower than you <monqy> at the cost of: guilt, hating yourself, me sending you the message “hi” <Patashu> am I also forbidden to cast mephitic cloud and cblink <monqy> i will also send you “hi” if you: kite excessively, use mephitic cloud, -yes
- <HackEgo> 499) <zso38> What is miff-muffered moof? <itidus20> that’s a tough question [...] <Sgeo> miff-muffered moof sounds like a setup to something, but itidus screws it up.
- <Sgeo> Turns out the apartment had cheese and I just didn’t know where it was
- <HackEgo> 88) <ais523> (still, whatever possessed anyone to invent the N-Gage?) [...] <Sgeo_> Is there supposed to be a joke in 88? <Sgeo_> Unless “N-Gage” is some pseudoscientific spiritual mumbo-jumbo, I don’t get it. <Sgeo_> Oh, it’s a cell phone gaming thing apparently
- <sgeo> GreyKnight, shachaf is like a high-level Forth
- <ais523> in Smalltalk, as in Feather, in order to do I/O, you must first create the universe <Sgeo> ais523, it seems quite capable of I/O... GUI is a form of I/O <ais523> Sgeo: yeah exactly <ais523> where does the GUI come from? <ais523> it’s written in Smalltalk, clearly <ais523> and how does the GUI do its I/O? <ais523> if you think about the issue for too long, you end up inventing Feather
- <Sgeo> I searched for newspeak sgeo <Sgeo> “Did you mean: newspeak good ”
- <Sgeo> Actually, just as a guess, J might be worse than APL because it’s restricted to normal (ascii?) characters, I guess
- <Sgeo> If that sexy_goats had some sort of namespace, so other things could add their own sexy_goats method to Object or whatever to do something different, I would have no complaint
- <Sgeo> I feel like (A.~[:i.[:!#) is verbose
- <Sgeo> This position is asking for “- Extensive experience with API” <Jafet> You’re just not qualified, kid.
- <Sgeo> I was practically raised by Dilbert.
- <Sgeo> o.O OS/2 is what became NT? I didn’t really know what OS/2 was

- <Sgeo> I think pastaquote should just quote me
- <Sgeo> Should I watch Watchmen or read Watchmen? [...] <NihilistDandy> Please, who *watches* The Watchmen?
- <Sgeo> So. In general. Fuck ... actually, I'm not really annoyed at anything right now
- <Sgeo> People are up in arms about Dilbert
- <kmc> are you a hardcore PC gamer Sgeo_ <Sgeo_> Want to be
- <Sgeo> I think I just had a major impact in Active Worlds <Bike> like you were hit by a car?

3.37 shachaf

shachaf sprø som selleri and cosplays Nepeta Leijon on weekends.

- <shachaf> elliott: GHC bug? Come on, it's the parentheses. <shachaf> The more parentheses you add, the closer it is to LISP, and therefore the more dynamically-typed.
- <shachaf> VMS Mosaic? <shachaf> I hope that's not Mosaic ported to VMS. <shachaf> Hmm. It's Mosaic ported to VMS.
- * Sgeo|web wants to see elliott be wrong about something <elliott> Sgeo|web: That literally never happens. <shachaf> Sgeo|web: There you go. A great example.
- <shachaf> You should get kmc in this channel. kmc has good quotes. <shachaf> 'quote kmc <HackEgo> 686) <kmc> COCKS [...] <kmc> truly cocks <shachaf> Well, in theory.
- <oerjan> shachaf: wait, *you* are in northumberland? <shachaf> No. <oerjan> whew <oerjan> we don't have room for more esolangers there. <shachaf> oerjan: Wait, **you** are in Northumberland? <oerjan> no <shachaf> Whew. <shachaf> We don't have room for more esolangers there.
- <shachaf> fizzie: What kind of speech recognition do you do? <shachaf> If you only need to recognize famous speeches, like Churchill or something, it should be pretty easy.
- <shachaf> elliott: Anyway, if you wrote a Haskell book, I would read it and possibly provide classical criticism. <shachaf> That is to say, non-constructive.

- <shachaf> Lent is a bad habit that people find very difficult to give up.
- <shachaf> Free as in unregistered, not free as in lunch or speech.
- <shachaf> elliot: Apparently Rowan Williams is Primate of All England.
<shachaf> CHECKMATE CREATIONISTS
- <shachaf> U+2205 [∅] NO LETTER O ALLOWED
- <shachaf> Bike: Your client colours people? <Bike> it would be pretty boring to see everyone as white, i get that enough in real life
- <shachaf> Do physicists have half-life crises?
- <shachaf> When you're a logreader, everything is a quote.
- <shachaf> FOUR SIMULTANEOUS TYPE SYSTEMS IN A SINGLE ROTATION OF THE LAMBDA CUBE
- <shachaf> Taneb: STOP TRYING TO GET LENS INTO EVERYTHING
<shachaf> Bike: You should use lens! <Taneb> NEVER <Bike> shachaf: i'm getting mixed messages here
- <shachaf> what are some good concurrency primitives <ais523> shachaf: how primitive do you want?
- <shachaf> oerjan: What's cosubtyping? <Phantom_Hoover> some sort of fusion of cosplay and type theory?
- <shachaf> Bike: I think you're ready to learn about lens. <Bike> oh god <Bike> flora help somebody help <Bike> anybody
- <shachaf> oerjan is spreading the tired rumour that if you play Nietzsche backwards you hear Jewish messages.
- <shachaf> "would be a good name for a band when preceded by its quotation" would be a good name for a band when preceded by its quotation
- <shachaf> i would visit elliot but i'm vegetarian
- <shachaf> shadowing, more like shadowing
- <shachaf> your first mistake was making your second mistake
- <shachaf> kmc: you gotta tell me if you're an op
- <shachaf> Hmm, is an Electronic Signature in a PDF file a thing? <shachaf> How do they work? <zzo38> [1] Yes. [2] It doesn't.

- <Bike> a dark day for all of humankind <zzo38> Bike: Wrong. Not all of humankind lives in the same timezone. <shachaf> a dark day for some of humankind <zzo38> OK

3.38 Solain

[Un~~AT~~E~~X~~ifiable Unicode face]

- <Solain> im not a doctor when it comes to muscles

3.39 tswett

tswett is livin' it up with the penguins

- <tswett> That is the mark of Gregor right there. <ais523> tswett: except that Gregor didn't write that <tswett> It's still the mark of Gregor.
- <tswett> elliot: just to bring you up to speed, you are now my baby nephew. <olsner> wtf, elliot is a nephew and his uncle is here? <nooga> what <tswett> Heck yes I'm elliot's uncle.
- <tswett> There are white Africans out there, but, you know. A black swan in the hand does not imply causation.
- <tswett> Of course, "b" is clearly just "pv". <tswett> Say "pvottle". It will sound... similar to exactly the same as "bottle".
- <tswett> elliot: by the way, you're now almost capable of crawling.
- <tswett> Come to think of it, I've praised you a little too effusively. I'm not *that* pleased. If you'll permit me to compensate slightly... <tswett> elliot: fuck you. <tswett> There. Perfect. Carry on.
- <Ngevd> It's like single player Hackiki in a way (?) <tswett> Ngevd: yes, but with multiple players.
- <tswett> Hey, I found Gregor on Spokeo. He's a married black male in his late 50s who lives in an apartment worth about \$37,000. He did not go to college and works in sales. <tswett> He lives in Detroit. <tswett> I... think we might have found the wrong one.

- <tswett> ais523: well, Dylan said “hahaha, Lawlabee is running windows”, and then Lawlabee said “ ‘cuz it’s pretty awesome.” <tswett> Except that by “it”, Lawlabee was referring to something entirely different. <tswett> So when I added that quote, Lawlabee emotifrowned.
- <tswett> You know what, I’m really sleepy and I should go to bed *right now*. I’m not even going to bo
- <tswett> But let’s ignore the fact that i doesn’t exist. Is it even or odd?
- <tswett> Hey, what VPN software should I use? <boily> tswett: openvpn. the one, the only, the open, the other qualifiers that begin with “o”.
- <boily> it’s raining in newcastle, therefore the elliotts are distinct. <tswett> boily’s Newcastle Theorem.

3.40 Vorpai

Vorpai is really boring. Seriously, you have no idea.

- <Vorpai> alise, it works fine for irc but interactive stuff? no.
- <Vorpai> dc -e '[a=]P?[b=]P?[dSarLa%d0<a>dsax+[GCD:]Pp' # easier-to-read version
- <Vorpai> ais523, what is “MS Publisher”? <Phantom_Hoover> Vorpai, you don’t want to know. <ais523> Vorpai: be glad that you don’t know the answer <alise> Vorpai: “horrible”
- <olsner> DAMN YOU, I’m leaving <Vorpai> olsner, FINALLY NOTHING BETWEEN ME AND WORLD DOMINATION!
- <elliott> Vorpai loves the sodomy. <Vorpai> elliott, sure why not
- <Vorpai> (had real world issues) <Vorpai> (to deal with) <ehird> Vorpai’s pregnant. <Vorpai> yes
- <quintopia> vorpai: a lot of people in AK fly
<Vorpai> quintopia, well getting a pilot cert is a lot more complex than a driving license :P
<quintopia> being an AK resident is a lot more complex than a driver’s license too
- * quintopia sits on gregor

- <Vorpall> ooh I want to see ehird pole dancing <ehird> I think that would be illegal. <Vorpall> oh you are right <Vorpall> damn :/
- <Vorpall> !bfjoust test (-)*10000 <EgoBot> Score for Vorpall_test: 12.9 <Vorpall> yay
- <Vorpall> !bfjoust test (++-)*1000000 <Vorpall> probably will suck <EgoBot> Score for Vorpall_test: 30.4 <Vorpall> what
- <Vorpall> ellioth, it was an artful robbery! <Vorpall> wait, murder
- <Vorpall> CakeProphet, the X support is fairly recent. Not more than a few decades old
- <ellioth_> Vorpall: Won't be slower than Python ;-) <Vorpall> ellioth_, yeah but that is like saying a T-Ford going down a hill won't be slower than a bicycle uphill on a bumpy road :P
- <Vorpall> ais523, how are we supposed to guess before you tell us unless you give us more hints?
- <Vorpall> ellioth_, oh they are people known in the ruby community? <ellioth_> Vorpall: Uh... you mean Hannah Montana? <Vorpall> ellioth_, yeah. And Zed Shaw. Either they are that or they come from popular culture.
- <Vorpall> ais523, how can TAEB take too long? It is turn based. As long as it isn't taking like several minutes per move it is acceptable! <ais523> Vorpall: it gets boring waiting for it
- <Vorpall> ellioth, it is typical of you <ellioth> Vorpall: so are most things I say
- <Vorpall> anyway fungot is the only esolang irc bot I know of that doesn't depend on nethack or a similar helper
- <Vorpall> oh my god <Vorpall> that is one ugly solution <ellioth> beautiful
- <Vorpall> ellioth: well how will you represent "The dog jumped over the lazy dog" then?
- <Vorpall> <ais523> northern ireland is quite a way to drag someone from scotland ← not really. I just checked in google earth <ais523> Vorpall: but dragging people across water's a bit tricky
- <Vorpall> ellioth, mostly I want something that takes zero effort to maintain and update once the initial setup is done. <ellioth> okay well that is called not linux

3.41 zzo38

zzo38 is not actually the next version of fungot, much as it may seem.

- <zzo38> I am not on the moon.
- <zzo38> Some people are reasonable, some people who are not reasonable insist on changing things so therefore progress depends on not reasonable people
- <zzo38> catseye: Please wake up. Not recorded for this timezone. The big spider is not your dream
- <zzo38> Maybe they should just get rid of Minecraft. If more people want it someone can make using GNU GPL v3 or later version, with different people, might improve slightly.
- <zzo38> Invent the game called “Sandwich — The Card Game” and “Professional Octopus of the World” (these names are just generated by randomly)
- <zzo38> I have plans to make the computer and one day I will do it!! (I have access to barter some people might help with these things) It is many difference from other computer.
- <zzo38> ais523: Maybe it is better, because I don’t think the octopus will live very well in the tree. But the difference is that the Internet is lying and you cannot see such things; you could make modified picture, though, in order to lie more clearly, at least.
- <zzo38> If you want to use TeX formats invented by Christians, use Plain TeX. However, I do not think the religion of its author is a good way to decide what to use. I decide to use Plain TeX for its own reasons.
- <zzo38> Lymia: I put big spider in my bed already. So if you have no more left you do not have to worry about it anymore. You can just take a cold shower or hot acid or whatever you want to, instead.
- <zzo38> Why do you want to have sex in everything? I don’t want.
- <zzo38> However is probably better to have both queen/king and government in case one does bad thing, the other side can argue to them
- <zzo38> Is anyone in here who knows cricket rules and has experience? <Slereah> What if I told you the baseball rules in a british accent?
- <zzo38> I also do not like that it should be disallow just because of too weird. They haveto make up more name so that not everyone has the same name!!!

- <zzo38> elliot: I doubt water memory can last for even one second in a gravitational field (or even outside of a gravitational field), but other people think they can make water memory with telephones.
- <zzo38> I think I managed to make Stack Overflow work on gopher, now.
- <zzo38> [...] you cannot always sanity, please. I can sometimes sanity, please.
- <zzo38> <elliott> <quintopia> i know it's unusual, but i agree with you both to some extent
- <zzo38> I figured out something about C program. If you use ? : a lot then you don't need as much parentheses but it makes it more difficult to understand.
- <zzo38> Finally I found the wand of electric lightning now we can destroy any large object if it needs to be destroyed and is required to use a such a wand for that purpose.
- <zzo38> Learn to be Chinese and kill yourself
- <zzo38> Fiddle. It makes a big difference, you know.
- <zzo38> Sanity is insufficient by itself. Many other things are also important.
- <oerjan> as i was filled with zzo38 mystery at the moment i saw <zzo38> quintopia: I am at Canada.
- <zzo38> If in some day, I publish some book, that might include some of the programs I have written too, but also some other books, possibly. However I never yet publish any book.
- <zzo38> elliot_: No it isn't a game, it is a computer game
- <zzo38> Pythagoras was running away and he reached a field of beans, but he didn't want to step on them so he let those guys chasing him to kill him instead.
- <itidus20> well, you have bested me <zzo38> itidus20: Yes.
- <zzo38> What is miff-muffered moof? <itidus20> that's a tough question
- <zzo38> I think Perl is a programming language too. [...]
- <zzo38> The fighting game I prefer is the card game Yomi

- <zzo38> I am just saying something that I think I once saw some idea somewhere, I forget, was it on television?
- <zzo38> Can you file for univorce if you are unmarried and don't like yourself anymore?
- <itidus20> if only alonzo church would have anticipated the computer terminal... <zzo38> itidus20: What do you think it would be if he did so? <itidus20> i just plucked his name at random [...] <oerjan> if only the marquis de sade would have anticipated hospital romance novels
- <zzo38> Astrological ages don't work. Instead, say what you mean.
- <zzo38> I have a program to tell you how far away Jupiter is. It is 4.33 units far.
- <zzo38> Even the Spanish Inquisition is in this game. <ais523> zzo38: was it unexpected? <zzo38> Kind of...
- <zzo38> When you die in Canada, you die in real life.
- <zzo38> Yes, it is true; I don't really like PHP either.
- <zzo38> I think we are sort of this insane, and also sort of not as much as insane, and also sort of a bit more insane than that, and also somewhat more various other thing at various times whatever you are discussing at that time
- <zzo38> A lot of things happened; not only me, but also you
- <elliott> ha <elliott> ha <elliott> ha <elliott> ha <elliott> ha <elliott> ha <elliott> ha <elliott> ha <elliott> ha <elliott> ha <zzo38> Stop repeating yourself so much all at once
- <zzo38> Is mathematics a lifeform? <itidus20> zzo38: i'm looking into something interesting (debatable) which might be up your alley (debatable). warioware diy ... being a propriety game about making games i know it's not extremely relevant here (debatable), but it's <insert gibberish term> <zzo38> itidus20: I don't know.
- <zzo38> (Some astrologers say all horoscopes that include objects other than the Sun are 3D, but they don't know what 3D means, that is why they are astrologers.)
- <zzo38> Sleep on the ceiling next Sunday.

- <zso38> Do you think “ ‘addquote [with no context] <zso38> Do you think psychology is worse, or not?’ is worse, or not?
- <zso38> But I still sign by my pens and use extra dots and shapes and so on so that I can claim I was threatened to sign it and put those dots there to warn you, or whatever
- <zso38> There is no rule in poker that says you have to try hard to win.
- <zso38> Yes you are correct you must be mad or you wouldn't have come here. No escape either, sorry.
- <zso38> Because, if it is all wrong, then I should fix it please
- <zso38> Confucius say too much. — Recent Chinese Proverb
- <HackEgo> 499) <zso38> What is miff-muffered moof? <itidus20> that's a tough question [...] <Sgeo> miff-muffered moof sounds like a setup to something, but itidus screws it up.
- <zso38> Can you vote for just the green party or rainbow party instead of both? <kmc> nope, it is the same party <zso38> That is the problem with political parties.
- <oerjan> 'welcome Rawlie * zso38 has joined #esoteric <Rawlie> thank you <zso38> You're welcome.
- <zso38> The reason it isn't more popular is because I wrote it today.
- <kmc> i would subscribe to @zso38_ebooks <zso38> kmc: I have no ebooks which can subscribe to
- <zso38> If you write in the text using Unicode then how are you supposed to know if you mean seraphim have seven eyes or do they have ten?
- <zso38> What is portable way of load/save floating points in files, using a C code? <kmc> #ifndef __STDC_IEC_559__
#error Here's a nickel, kid. Buy a real computer. #endif
- <zso38> The winter solstice is in approx. 13 hours from now <kmc> the mayans warned us <zso38> Warned you of what? The solstice? <kmc> yes
- <zso38> Yes I am native English speaker, but it is Canadian English, not British English.
- <zso38> Did you agree with what my idea was? <elliott> absolutely <monqy> what was your idea? <elliott> that was my next question

- <zzo38> There is Haskell program “pandoc” to convert formats, so I make “panchess” which is the similar thing but for chess.
- <zzo38> What is your opinion on the Catholic doctrine and tradition and so on? <Bike> i give it 7/10.
- <zzo38> Eat people who are in the “food jail”.
- <zzo38> I do study philosophy of much.
- <zzo38> I happen to have bash even on this computer
- <zzo38> I have no problem if you want to use these drugs and make yourself dead and whatever, but making them legal might ruin the economy.
- <zzo38> Two eggs costs less than one egg, but if you buy two eggs, you must eat both. Does linear logic do this?
- <zzo38> Papal infallibility means that the pope is allowed to be infallible by himself if he wants to, without requiring a council.
- <zzo38> I don’t think there are any pope with fractional numbers (except something I made up for the Dungeons&Dragons game)
- <zzo38> If you cannot type, then you should learn to type if you want to operate your computer
- <zzo38> In this timezone is Good Friday today. <zzo38> (It is good because you don’t have to go to work)
- <zzo38> It appears magenta in my computer only because it is programmed to display bold text as magenta.
- <zzo38> My opinion is that you are all wrong, as far as I can tell.
- <shachaf> Hmm, is an Electronic Signature in a PDF file a thing? <shachaf> How do they work? <zzo38> [1] Yes. [2] It doesn’t.
- <zzo38> \TeX is a bit unusual when doing things other than typesetting
- <zzo38> If you want to ask me if I believe in determinism then you have to be more specific. <zzo38> I haven’t checked if I conduct electricity significantly better than average, though.
- <zzo38> I think I do not understand you either.
- <zzo38> Even if the people who made that program is a murderer, the program itself isn’t a murderer so that doesn’t make it wrong

- <Bike> a dark day for all of humankind <zso38> Bike: Wrong. Not all of humankind lives in the same timezone. <shachaf> a dark day for some of humankind <zso38> OK
- <zso38> Do you like this kind of melody?
18 e4gc'fac'g ^bd'fgfed e4gc'fac'g ^1
- <zso38> No, you are mix up. Universe is the, made of spacetime, and of mathematics; not “kind of a dick” and so on.
- <zso38> If someone tries really hard to convince you to sell them drugs, then you should photograph them and bind them. <kmc> bind them to what <zso38> To jail.
- <zso38> For example I don't have the “Magic Missile” spell. <kmc> how will you attack the darkness <zso38> By surprise!

3.42 The Ancient Lore

- <Aftran> I used computational linguistics to kill her.
- <Slereah> EgoBot just opened a chat session with me to say “bork bork bork”
- <Quas_NaArt> Hmmm. . . My fingers and tongue seem to be as quick as ever, but my lips have definitely weakened. . .
<Quas_NaArt> More practice is in order.
- <AnMaster> that's where I got it
<AnMaster> rocket launch facility gift shop
- <Warrigal> GKennethR: he should be told that you should always ask someone before killing them.
- <Quas_NaArt> His body should be given to science.
<GKennethR> He's alive :P
<GreenReaper> Even so.
- <SimonRC> TODO: sex life
- <Madelon> Lil'Cube: you had cavity searches?
<Lil'Cube> not yet
<Lil'Cube> trying to thou, just so I can check it off on my list of things to expirence

- <reddit user "othermatt"> So what you're saying is that I shouldn't lick my iPhone but instead I should rub it on my eyes first and then lick my eyeballs?
- <fizzie after embedding some of his department research into fungot> Finally I have found some actually useful purpose for it.
- <bsmntbombdood> there is plenty of room to have two heads
- IN AN ALTERNATE UNIVERSE:
<bsmntbombdood> there is plenty of room to get head twice at once
- <lacota> I guess when you're immortal, mapping your fonts isn't necessary
- <mycroftiv> [...] sometimes i cant get out of bed becasue the geometry of the sheet tangle is too fascinating from a topological perspective
- <Dylan> actually, I pretended to be a hobo to get directions
- <Aftran> It looks like my hairs are too fat. Can you help me split them?
- <Octalnet> oklofok: I'm a tad over-apologetic. I apologize.
- <apollo> Maternal instincts?
<apollo> Don't you just leave the thing in a box until it starts crying, and then shake it until it stops?
- <Warrigal> I think hamsters cannot be inert.
- <Madelon> yay fire!
* Madelon combusts spontaneously.
- <Warrigal> Porn.
<Warrigal> There, see?
- <apollo> So... copyright doesn't really apply to God.
- <Madelon> both of you, quit it with the f-bombs.
<Madelon> kaelis: what's the matter? something censoring stuff you're interested in?
- <Oranjer> oohhh
<Oranjer> ha
<Oranjer> heh
<madbrain> and what are your other characteristics?
<Oranjer> oh, many, madbrain
<Oranjer> but it's hardly worth it to go on with listing that list here

- <fax> im the worst person in the world
- <AnMaster> I'm 100% of what sort of magic was involved in it
- <Warrigal> Invalid! Kill! Kill!
<Aftran> I get that feeling too.
- <fedoragirl> My mascot is a tree of broccoli.
- Note that quote number 124 is not actually true.
- <Warrigal> Ah, vulva.
<Warrigal> What is that, anyway?
- <Slereah> I can do everything a Turing machine can do, except love
- <Warrigal> So, I'm inside a bottle which is being carried by a robot.
- <scarf> and an AMICED literal would presumably *add* info to the source
<scarf> whatever info gets added, that's the value that the AMICED doesn't contain
<scarf> it's all falling into place
- <fax> oklopol geez what are you doing here
<oklokok> ... i don't know :<
<oklokok> i actually ate until now, although i guess i also did other things...
- <songhead95> think of all the starving kids in china who don't have rotting sea life to eat
- <Warrigal> Making a small shrine to Lawlabee in my basement is something I should get around to at some point.
- <Warrigal> I seem to think of coaxial cables as being omnipotent somehow.
- <vadim> it can be a good fursuit, but the good thing is that nobody can complain a fox doesn't have the right skin tone
- <Miya> I perceived it so hard I actually went away :O
- <fax> sekuoir: that's just gay sex
<sekuoir> I am learning though!
- <fax> okay I see it now, quines do exist
- <Warrigal> Darn, now I can't acknowledge the reference you were making.

- <SoupDragon> if you claim that the universe is more than 3D the burden of proof is on you to produce a Klein bottle that doesn't self intersect
<SoupDragon> ↑ I learned that trick from atheists
- <DoctorDog> I am an inherently pornographic being.
- <Quas_NaArt> Hooray!
<Quas_NaArt> I'm an idiot.
- <AnMaster> alise, marble
<AnMaster> marbelus
- <Mathnerd314> Gregor-P: I don't think lambda calculus is powerful enough
- <Quas_NaArt> Because you're a Mac user.
<Lacota> I am! and proud of it to
<Lacota> My mouse has *no* buttons.
- <Ivancastillo75> Oh I get it you guys just use this space to do nothing?
- [spam] Any flavored hell can pee on the pig pen, but it takes a real football team to throw a slyly optimal formless void at a hole puncher.
- "Every physicist wants to violate Einstein, but thus far the great man has remained pretty chaste." –Kode Vicious
- <j-invariant> 22:55 <qfr> How am I supposed to develop software in Haskell if I can't even prepare my projects in UML?! It seems like an impossible task.
<j-invariant> HAHA [...]
<j-invariant> this is amazing, like meeting a Mormon or something
- <Dylan> as long as the first dozen pages don't contain the word "panties" it is probably a good story.
- <Asiekierka> GCC: -Os -O2 -O3 gives a 4x improvement
- [CTCP] Received CTCP-ERRMSG reply from clog: unknown CTCP: ERRMSG.
- [on Walter Bright] <nddrylliog> I went to chat with him after his talk at the ELC and he was like "hum, right — humans. How do they work again... oh, hi!"
- <nddrylliog> Sgeo: re "hm?": at the emerging languages conf., after the talks we went out for a drinks and all the Factor team was on heavy liquor

- <locks> who's walter bright and why is he so bright
<nddrylliog> locks: he's to D what I'm to ooc
<nddrylliog> locks: guilty
- <A. Gelman and G. Romero> We originally wrote this article in Word, but then we converted it to Latex to make it look more like science.
- <xplat> so you have legacy software in befunge that needs supported?
- <nddrylliog> back to legal tender, that expression really makes me daydream. Like, there'd be black-market tender. Out-of-town hug shops where people exchange tenderness you've NEVER SEEN BEFORE.
- <treederwright> enjoy being locked in your matrix of solidity
- <lament> elliot: well what i would do if i were omniscient and omnipotent would be to create an immortal woman with perfect tits and bang her for the rest of eternity
- <crystal-cola> anyway I've stopped "trolling"
<crystal-cola> since apparently you guys don't like me claiming obviously false and absurd claims
- <crystal-cola> I just thought you might have meant the Ramanujan tau and I was WOAHH he weilds heavy weapons
- <crystal-cola> <http://www.sessionmagazine.com/img/nature/worlds-10-smallest-animals/worlds-10-smallest-animals07.jpg>
<crystal-cola> worlds biggest thumb
- <crystal-cola> what telnets are there [...]
<crystal-cola> where are a list of telnets?
- <crystal-cola> (im not a lawyer)
<crystal-cola> (im just making stuff up)
- <crystal-cola> here's a good multiplication algorithm
<crystal-cola> 1010101 x 110
<crystal-cola> well
<crystal-cola> I don't know how to do it but it starts like that
- <crystal-cola> $3 = 7/2$
- [on Sgeo's karaoke] <not_nddrylliog> Sgeo: awesome
<not_nddrylliog> sounds like a japan anime sound track

- <d1ffe7e45e interpreter> The interpreter uses an unbounded tape size, but due to technical limitations will stop being unbounded if the tap size reaches 2^{63} cells.
- <Madk> #%:]__t◆#
<Madk> do you see that
<Madk> that is great progress taking place
- <MDude> Tooth or Bear: Each turn, either take out your own tooth, or wrestle a bear.
- <Patashu> it's the pain of the gaps argument
<Patashu> no matter how good your robot is at feeling pain
<Patashu> it's never close enough
- <evincar> elliot_: I don't see a difference between a function taking a function as an argument, and some composition of those functions.
- <Patashu> But I mean, why fix it if it ain't broke? Except now it is
- <Patashu> dangit I need someone who knows the answers to my problems instantly and is always around for me!
<Patashu> I need.....an adult ;_;
- <Patashu> that's trippy. how does such a thing evolve? what biological niche is it filling? we need to film a mockumentary on this
- <Pavitra> That was me being *nice*. I could have made the request by word of mouth to my My Little Pony toys and it would count.
- <yrlnr> I personally use while ("Cogito, ergo sum") { ... } because since that is a priori true, it is true in all possible universes, and therefore ensures maximum portability.
- <twice11> Yeah, statistics with 2 data points is science. Statistics with one data point is crap.
<twice11> You measure a third point if you need an error estimate.
- <Darth_Cliche> There's British KFC? Kent Fried Chicken?
- <copumpkin> it's not even about strictness actually
<copumpkin> not strictly about strictness, anyway
- <MDude> A quick look as Wikipedia ways that Wicca is a specific form of paganism related to witchcraft.
<MDude> That agrees with what I know from that Scoobie Doo movie with the wiccans in it.

- Note that the previous quote is, in fact, correctly spaced.
- <Edwin Brady> Just seen this comment on reddit: “Parallel programming has been a solved problem for decades.” I might have to stop reading the internet.
- <calamari> there was a time when I liked wearing a tie too... I was a mormon. not claiming one has to be a religious nutcase to wear a tie, of course
- <Lumpio-> STOP CAPITALIZING
<Lumpio-> It’s making me feel weird
<shubshub> the I has to be capitilized its proper grammer
- <mroman> You can’t quote me.
- <madbr> I like the tactile response of actually hitting real balls :D
- <c00kiemon5ter> so up is down too
- <GreyKnight> also if a GNU tar feature doesn’t make you feel superior to others then you should file a bug report, it was probably unintentional
- <GreyKnight> Taneb: The other day on the channel I came up with BRAIN-LISPCODE, a LOLCODE-style LISP with an embedded bf derivative. I thought you should know. :-I
- <GreyKnight> This might be the lack of sleep talking, but coproduct injections are pretty funny
- * GreyKnight puts some cookies inside a forcefield ~~~~ o o o ~~~~
<GreyKnight> what now c00kiemon5ter?!?
* c00kiemon5ter omnomnomnomnomnomnomnomnom
<GreyKnight> but how did he get through the forcefield?!? @u@
<c00kiemon5ter> I did not! the cookielicious force within me grew outside the forcefield absording the crumbles
<GreyKnight> darn cookie physics
- <RodgerTheGreat> an iieee-754 double does not have enough granular precision to express how little I care
- <lexande> sometimes i am confronted with a problem and i think “I know, I’ll use Banach-Tarski”
- <esomimic> fungot: begrudging pat
- <doesthiswork> a comathmatician is a device for turning cotheorems into ffee

- <katla> i guess this game is what you get if you remove everything good from super metroid then try to make a game out of whats left
- <monotone> I was planning on just lurking, but apparently there's only so long I can hide before I get a 'relcome.
- <BadBobby> (Note: I am not actually Bad Bobby)

Chapter 4

The Silicon Wisdom

On the numerous AAAA (Automated Annoying Abusable Applications) that each and every member seems to have summoned forth from the Depths of their Eldritch Imaginations. Fungot fhtagn.

4.1 cuttlefish and metasepia

metasepia knows the weather at your nearest airport, and also something about ducks.

- <elliott> ~eval 1+2 <cuttlefish> Error (127): <elliott> this is a great bot boily i love it

4.2 EgoBot

EgoBot is my¹ arch-nemesis.

- <EgoBot> hey fhets zees OouooH SNEP IT'S A FOoCKING TIGER

4.3 fungot

fungot cannot be stopped by that sword alone.

- <fungot> GregorR-L: i bet only you can prevent forest fires. basically, you know.

¹HackEgo

- <fungot> oerjan: are you a man, if there weren't evil in this kingdom to you! you shall find bekkler! executing program. please let me go... put me out! he's really a tricycle! pass him!
- <fungot> i am sad (of course by analogy) :) smileys)
- <fungot> ehird: every set can be well-ordered. corollary: every set s has the same diagram used from famous program talisman with fnord windows to cascade, someone i would never capitalize " i"
- <AnMaster> fungot! *@* added to ignore list. <fungot> AnMaster: i'd find that a bit annoying to wait for an ack.
- <fungot> alise: why internet is like wtf
- <fungot> pikhq: from csh type ' exit', is a simple protocol which provides an interface to c. [...]
- <fungot> alise: nobody is allowed to fnord me in soviet russia
- <fungot> AnMaster: intercal-72 c-intercal clc-intercal j-intercal yes all versions all versions
- <fungot> AnMaster: to any airbus plane. 3 passengers sadly died the most awesome thing ever.
- <fungot> [...] i'm a law student so i am loving my bread machine
- <fungot> CakeProphet: reading herbert might be enlightening in one hand he held a long worm can be greased. twice i got it nearly there, and the protector of cattle. mars is also mentioned as a rainbow. as a seated baboon sometimes with its head.
- <fungot> ais523: killer bunnies can be harmed by domesticated canines only.
- <fungot> ais523: elf corpses are not considered expensive health food. but the most expensive.
- <fungot> pikhq: it was fragrant with the scent of abomination. hear a speech declaring a holy war, is the man insane? some idiot missionary gets himself killed, some man writes some gibberish about the shape of a dragon, wonse?"
- <fungot> Sgeo: hahaah, and i love when they announced it i dare u to press alt f4 and your house (acts 16:31 your bible)
- <fungot> alise: so parrot was based around gcc?

- <fungot> Vonlebio: well, i'm only back in denmark because my work visa expired. please insert token to continue.
- <fungot> Vorpai: you can't plant spiders, duh!
- <fungot> elliot: i like scsh's mechanism best: it's most transparent and doesn't really serve a very useful feature.
- <fungot> ais523: my nose feels like a bad heuristic
- <fungot> elliot: it's hard to debug havoc on your mirror if you accidentally hit r, then a character could be multiple words long, depending on the task.
- <fungot> elliot: there go my minutes of research!!
- <fungot> Phantom_Hoover: if the list is in random order, like poor ehird here
- <fungot> Phantom_Hoover: mutation is often considerably harder for both humans and compilers can analyze it much more difficult' part that induces bloody vomit... huh... intriguing
- <fungot> oerjan: are you in an aware state when the only hammer you have is for variable assignation and blocks
- <fungot> elliot: i have yet to demonstrate that the sml community has less productive power than the real chunk of meat.
- <fungot> tswett: last argument must be a cub scout!! have you made your money-drop today??
- <fungot> fizzie: i, myself, will bring an end to all.
- <fungot> elliot: an old colonel lost, but a new brother gained. together they will ascend, each time you must be adventurin'.
- <fungot> Phantom_Hoover: it is a hate so pure and... pumpkin seeds?
- <fungot> elliot_: my fnord into normal life was a painful and difficult process. [...]
- <fungot> elliot_: it's a machine that looks like you!
- <elliot_> now that we've cleared that up let us hug fungot = <fungot> elliot_: let's not start that again."
- <fungot> elliot: ppl should vote clinton because obama is biracial every1 knows that dood, look at him he has been on something lately.

- <fungot> elliot: mr president, commissioner, i fully accept that description when it comes to human rights. yes, with an average fat content of chocolate, and we are using double standards! we all know that under present legislation and also in relation to standardization bodies. if i do not want.
- <fungot> CakeProphet: mr president, in the best egyptian judicial traditions has now been put off to friday. but i want my money back'. we know it generally deals with major infrastructure projects which could form part of the emergency package for korea, on christmas eve, in the interests of consumers and the environment of gmos.
- <fungot> fizzie: it doesn't *use* raw cgi. to my deep fnord i'm only fnord of the job description. it's badly fnord also.
- <fungot> sadhu: it's been said that boole is the crowning jewel perched precariously upon the perfect peak of programmer prowess, casting its limitless limpid light over the loathesome lands of those who scuff and wallow in the dreary dust of digital depravity and unbounded wilful ignorance of the testament of our lord jesus christ into your life.
- <fungot> Ngevd: i'm so kind, even to assholes! anmaster no not markov anmaster no not markov anmaster no not markov anmaster no not markov anmaster no not markov
- <fungot> fizzie: these kids today, with their long hair, dope, and silly abbreviations...) and how it works.
- <fungot> elliot: young john soon afterward receives as a visitor a fnord spaniard, fnord de moncada, who has escaped from fnord fnord dissolved in the absolute.
- <fungot> Ngevd: again in a fresh memo later be sent you a copy of knitting for assholes
- <fungot> fizzie: is a 98% reduction in the waterpark intensity, right, so i'd imagine!
- <fungot> fizzie: it's just so stupid that ' stty erase h' has more bizarre results. it was, that he was overcome with the vastness, profundity, and fnord
- <fungot> elliot: but, there areimps around, the pad. it's hard to remember though your cross-hairs would never settle on an innocent little girl. chokes up now imagine she's white.

- <fungot> boily: so i guess a really savvy glass programmer could make some money, maybe start a home based business of a profiler to spot outright dead code. macro-generated code often has big swaths of it. i'd hate learning cobol and fortran just for getting wiki work.

4.4 glogbot

glogbot is a snitch, don't trust it.

4.5 guestbot

guestbot is nobody

4.6 HackEgo

HackEgo also known as HackBot, is a bot that runs arbitrary commands on Unix. See 'help for info on using it. You should totally try to hax0r it! Make sure you imagine it's running as root with no sandboxing.

- <ehird> 'translatefromto hu en Hogy hogy hogy ami kemeny <HackEgo> How hard is that
- <cpressey> 'quote django <HackEgo> 352) <olsner> django is named after a person? <olsner> thought it would be a giraffe or something <cpressey> thankfully only one
- <monqy> 'quote django <HackEgo> 352) <olsner> django is named after a person? <olsner> thought it would be a giraffe or something \ 407) <cpressey> 'quote django <HackEgo> 352) <olsner> django is named after a person? <olsner> thought it would be a giraffe or something <cpressey> thankfully only one <monqy> thankfully only two
- <HackEgo> 678) <Ngevd> Dammit, Gregor, this is not the time to fall in love <HackEgo> 187) <alise> Gregor: You should never have got her pregnant. <Gregor> what whaaaaaaaaaaaaat
- <shachaf> You should get kmc in this channel. kmc has good quotes. <shachaf> 'quote kmc <HackEgo> 686) <kmc> COCKS [...] <kmc> truly cocks <shachaf> Well, in theory.

- <HackEgo> 499) <zzo38> What is miff-muffered moof? <itidus20> that's a tough question [...] <Sgeo> miff-muffered moof sounds like a setup to something, but itidus screws it up.
- <HackEgo> 88) <ais523> (still, whatever possessed anyone to invent the N-Gage?) [...] <Sgeo_> Is there supposed to be a joke in 88? <Sgeo_> Unless "N-Gage" is some pseudoscientific spiritual mumbo-jumbo, I don't get it. <Sgeo_> Oh, it's a cell phone gaming thing apparently
- <oerjan> 'pastequotes django <HackEgo> <http://codu.org/projects/hackbot/fshg/index.cgi/raw-file/tip/paste/paste.5404> <olsner> I'm still in all of them :(<olsner> someone else got quoted saying django please

4.7 jconn

- <jconn> fungot: |open quote
<jconn> fungot: | just to help an fnord archive)" [...]
<fungot> jconn: i am just as confused. you know, that thing which you might want is broken

4.8 Pietbot

Pietbot is the only thing that can defeat fungot.