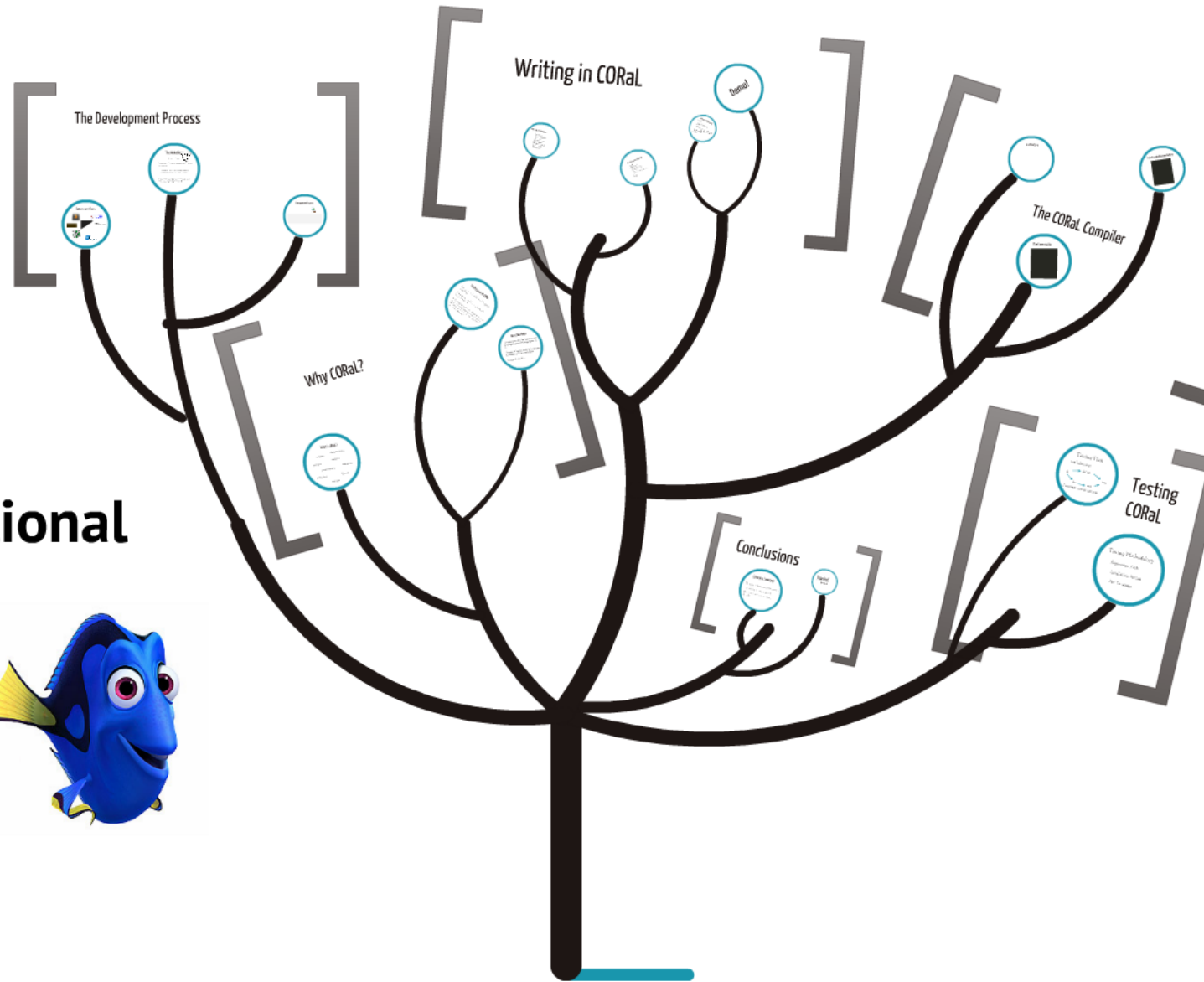


CORaL

C-like Object Relational Language



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Connecting to a Database

```
#cordbconn  
server = "localhost";  
user = "user";  
password = "pass";  
port = "8888";  
DBName = "People";  
type = "mysql";  
#enddbconn
```

Adding to your Schema

```
#cordb
Table Person {
  firstName : string;
  lastName : string;
  age : int;
  primary_key(firstName);
};
#endddb
```


Writing a CORaL Program

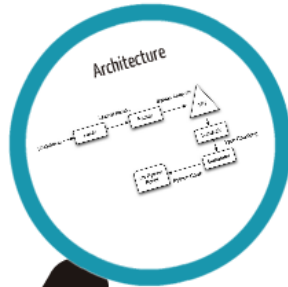
```
int main()
{
    user_t Person samplePerson;
    connectDB;

    samplePerson = Person(firstName = "John",
                           lastName = "Example",
                           age = 25);
    samplePerson.add();
    closeDB;
    return 0;
}
```

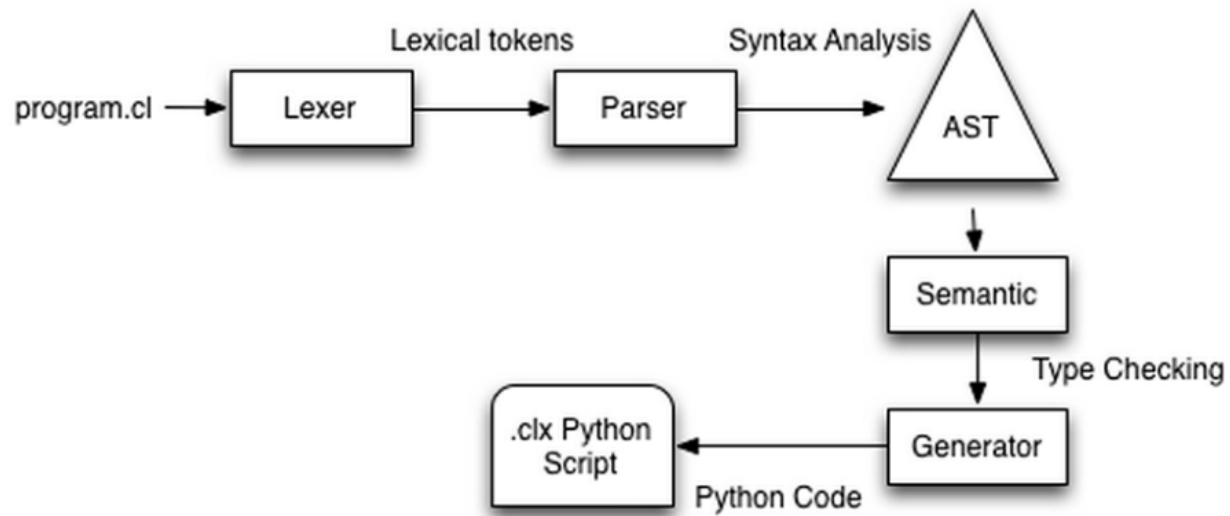


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The CORaL Compiler



Architecture



Intermediate Representations

```
type formal =  
  Formal of dtype * string  
  
type stmt =  
  Block of stmt list  
  | Expr of expr  
  | Return of expr  
  | If of expr * stmt * stmt  
  | For of expr * expr * expr * stmt  
  | While of expr * stmt  
  | CloseDB  
  | ConnectDB  
  | Nostmt  
  
type func_def = {  
  return_type : dtype;  
  fname : string;  
  formals : formal list;  
  locals : var_decl list;  
  body : stmt list;  
}  
  
type table_body =  
  TableBody of attribute list * key_decls list * func_def list  
  
type table = {  
  tname : table_label;  
  ttbody : table_body;  
}  
  
type table_block =  
  TableBlock of table list  
  | NoTableBlock  
  
type program = {  
  conn : conn_block;  
  tables : table_block;  
  globals : var_decl list;  
  funcs : func_def list;  
}
```

The Executable

```
#!/usr/bin/env python
from __future__ import print_function
import coral_backend
from coral_backend import *
from coral_backend.controller import *

setServer("server")
setUser("server")
setPass("server")
setPort("server")
setDBName("server")
setConnType("sqlite")
conn_block = True

def test_func():

    print("testing function\n", end='')
    return 0
def main():
    a = 1
    test_func()

if __name__ == '__main__':
    if (conn_block):
        connectDB()
    main()
```

The Development Process



Development Tools



git



SQLAlchemy



The Makefile

GNU Make



Top-level Makefile to execute all other makefiles.

Different build stages for testing, development, and installation

Once installed you can run coralc as it is already in your PATH.

Management Process



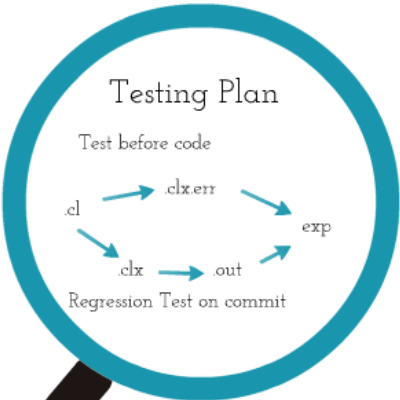
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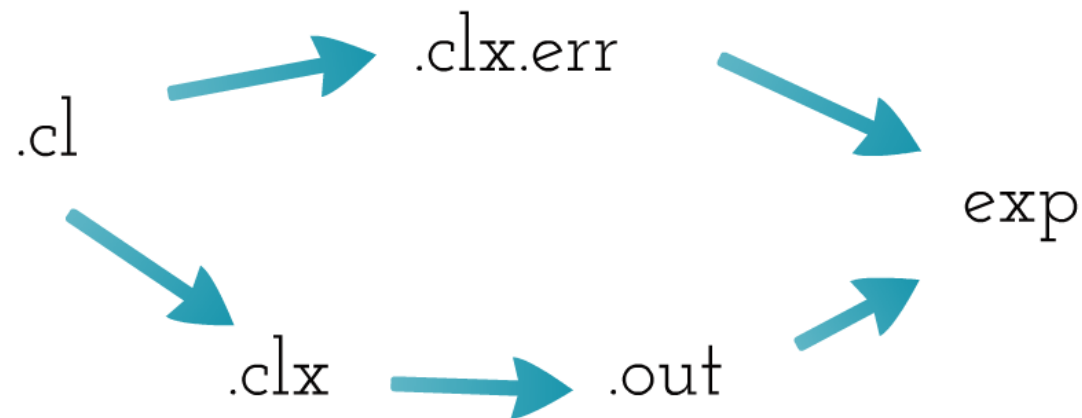


Testing CORaL



Testing Plan

Test before code



Regression Test on commit

Testing Methodology

Regression Tests

Installation Testing

Test Coverage

Conclusions

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