



# CS61A Lecture 24

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# Announcements



- Ants project due tonight
  
- HW8 due Wednesday at 7pm
  
- Midterm 2 Thursday at 7pm
  - See course website for more information

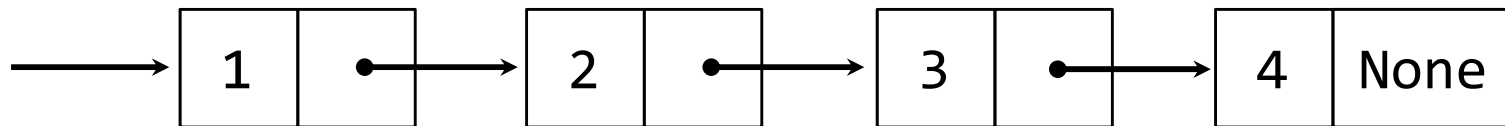
# Closure Property of Data



A tuple can contain another tuple as an element.

Pairs are sufficient to represent sequences.

Recursive list representation of the sequence 1, 2, 3, 4:



Recursive lists are recursive: the rest of the list is a list.

Nested pairs (old): `(1, (2, (3, (4, None))))`

Rlist class (new): `Rlist(1, Rlist(2, Rlist(3, Rlist(4))))`

# Recursive List Class



Methods can be recursive as well!

```
class Rlist(object):  
    class EmptyList(object):  
        def __len__(self):  
            return 0  
    empty = EmptyList()  
    def __init__(self, first, rest=empty):  
        self.first = first  
        self.rest = rest  
    def __len__(self):  
        return 1 + len(self.rest)  
    def __getitem__(self, i):  
        if i == 0:  
            return self.first  
        return self.rest[i - 1]
```

There's the  
base case!

Yes, this call is  
recursive

# Recursive Operations on Rlists



Recursive list processing almost always involves a recursive call on the rest of the list.

```
>>> s = Rlist(1, Rlist(2, Rlist(3)))
```

```
>>> s.rest  
Rlist(2, Rlist(3))
```

```
>>> extend_rlist(s.rest, s)  
Rlist(2, Rlist(3, Rlist(1, Rlist(2, Rlist(3))))))
```

```
def extend_rlist(s1, s2):  
    if s1 is Rlist.empty:  
        return s2  
    return Rlist(s1.first, extend_rlist(s1.rest, s2))
```

# Map and Filter on Rlists



We want operations on a whole list, not an element at a time.

```
def map_rlist(s, fn):  
    if s is Rlist.empty:  
        return s  
    return Rlist(fn(s.first), map_rlist(s.rest, fn))
```

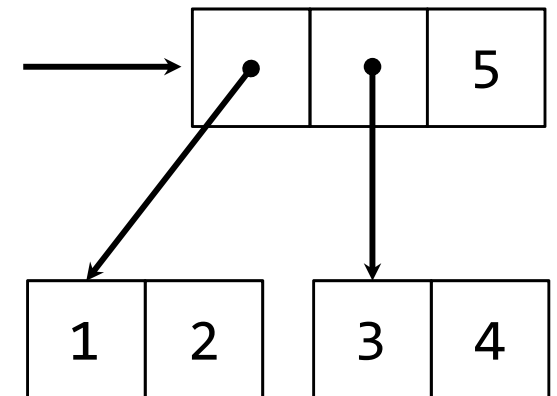
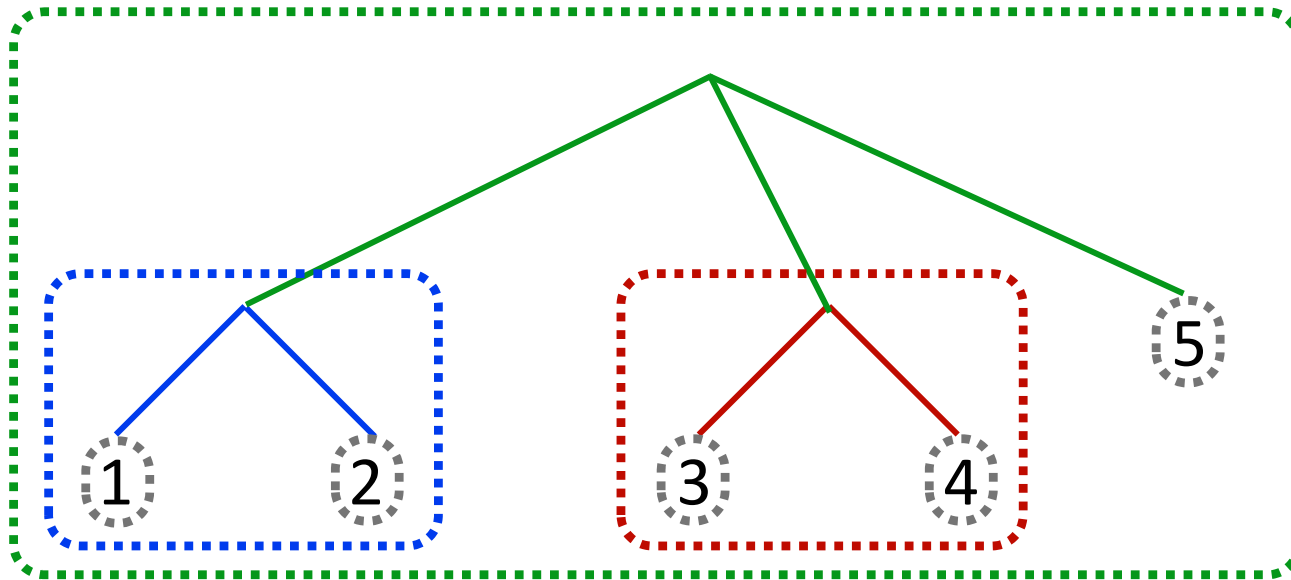
```
def filter_rlist(s, fn):  
    if s is Rlist.empty:  
        return s  
    rest = filter_rlist(s.rest, fn)  
    if fn(s.first):  
        return Rlist(s.first, rest)  
    return rest
```

# Tree Structured Data



Nested Sequences are Hierarchical Structures.

$((1, 2), (3, 4), 5)$



*In every tree, a vast forest*

Example: <http://goo.gl/0h6n5>

# Recursive Tree Processing



Tree operations typically make recursive calls on branches

```
def count_leaves(tree):  
    if type(tree) != tuple:  
        return 1  
    return sum(map(count_leaves, tree))
```

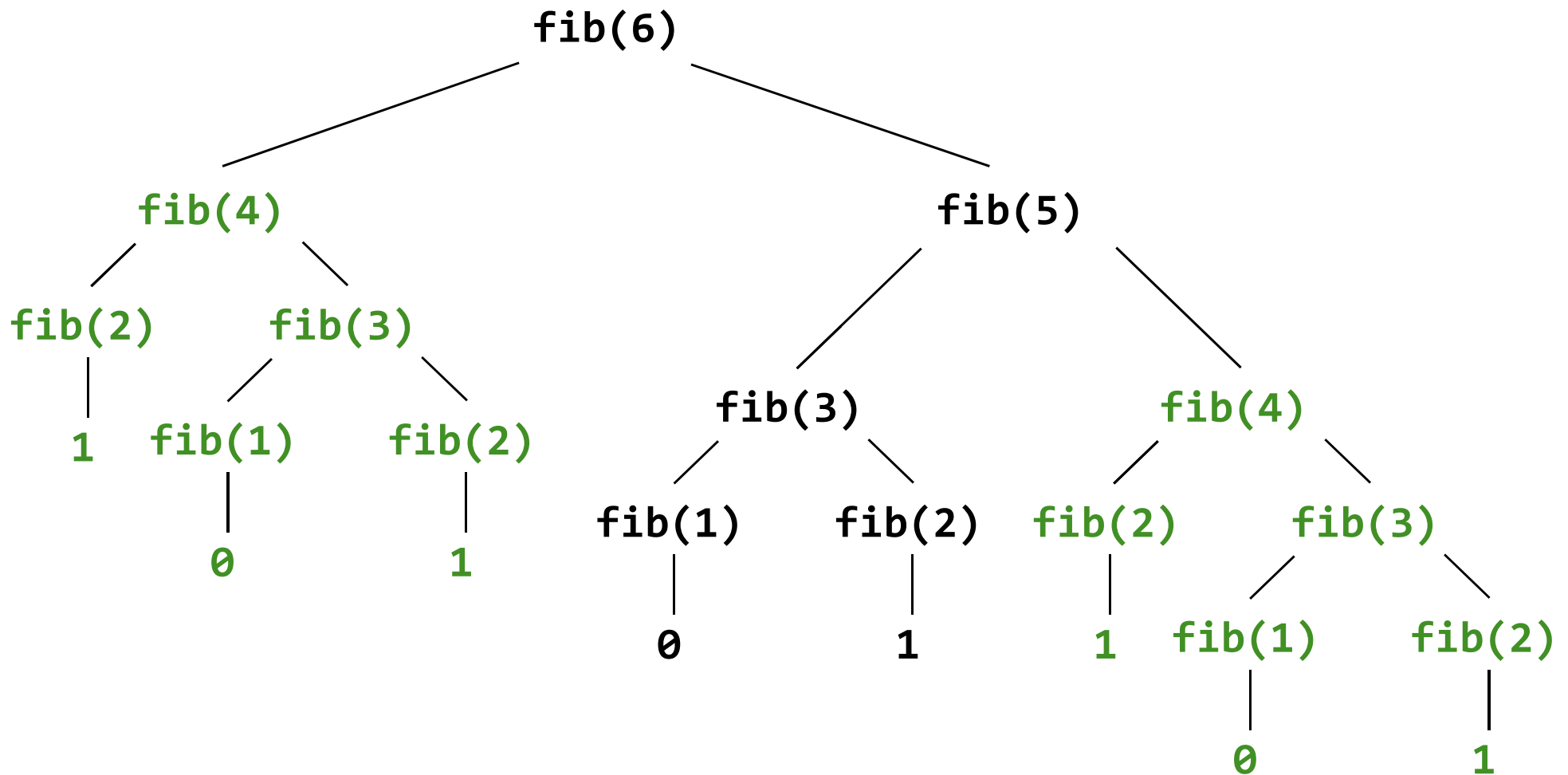
```
def map_tree(tree, fn):  
    if type(tree) != tuple:  
        return fn(tree)  
    return tuple(map_tree(branch, fn)  
                  for branch in tree)
```



# Trees with Internal Node Values



Trees can have values at internal nodes as well as their leaves.



# The Consumption of Time



Implementations of the same functional abstraction can require different amounts of time to compute their result.

```
def count_factors(n):
```

Time (remainders)

```
    factors = 0
    for k in range(1, n + 1):
        if n % k == 0:
            factors += 1
    return factors
```

$n$

---

```
    sqrt_n = sqrt(n)
    k, factors = 1, 0
    while k < sqrt_n:
        if n % k == 0:
            factors += 2
        k += 1
    if k * k == n:
        factors += 1
    return factors
```

$\lfloor \sqrt{n} \rfloor$

# Order of Growth



A method for bounding the resources used by a function as the "size" of a problem increases

$n$ : size of the problem

$R(n)$ : Measurement of some resource used (time or space)

$$R(n) = \Theta(f(n))$$

means that there are positive constants  $k_1$  and  $k_2$  such that

$$k_1 \cdot f(n) \leq R(n) \leq k_2 \cdot f(n)$$

for sufficiently large values of  $n$ .

# Constant Time: $\Theta(1)$



Time does **not** depend on input size.

```
def g(n):  
    return 42  
  
def foo(n):  
    baz = 7  
    if n > 5:  
        baz += 5  
    return baz  
  
def is_even(n):  
    return n % 2 == 0
```

# Iteration vs. Tree Recursion (Time)



Iterative and recursive implementations are not the same.

```
def fib_iter(n):  
    prev, curr = 1, 0  
    for _ in range(n - 1):  
        prev, curr = curr, prev + curr  
    return curr
```

Time  
 $\Theta(n)$

```
def fib(n):  
    if n == 1:  
        return 0  
    if n == 2:  
        return 1  
    return fib(n - 2) + fib(n - 1)
```

$\Theta(\phi^n)$

Next time, we will see how to make recursive version faster.

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    return factors
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$\Theta(\sqrt{n})$

# Exponentiation



**Goal:** one more multiplication lets us double the problem size.

```
def exp(b, n):  
    if n == 0:  
        return 1  
    return b * exp(b, n - 1)
```

$$b^n = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } n = 0 \\ b \cdot b^{n-1} & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

```
def square(x):  
    return x * x
```

```
def fast_exp(b, n):  
    if n == 0:  
        return 1  
    elif n % 2 == 0:  
        return square(fast_exp(b, n // 2))  
    else:  
        return b * fast_exp(b, n - 1)
```

$$b^n = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } n = 0 \\ (b^{\frac{1}{2}n})^2 & \text{if } n \text{ is even} \\ b \cdot b^{n-1} & \text{if } n \text{ is odd} \end{cases}$$

# Exponentiation



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# The Consumption of Space



Which environment frames do we need to keep during evaluation?

Each step of evaluation has a set of **active** environments.

Values and frames in active environments consume memory.

Memory used for other values and frames can be reclaimed.

## **Active environments:**

- Environments for any statements currently being executed
- Parent environments of functions named in active environments

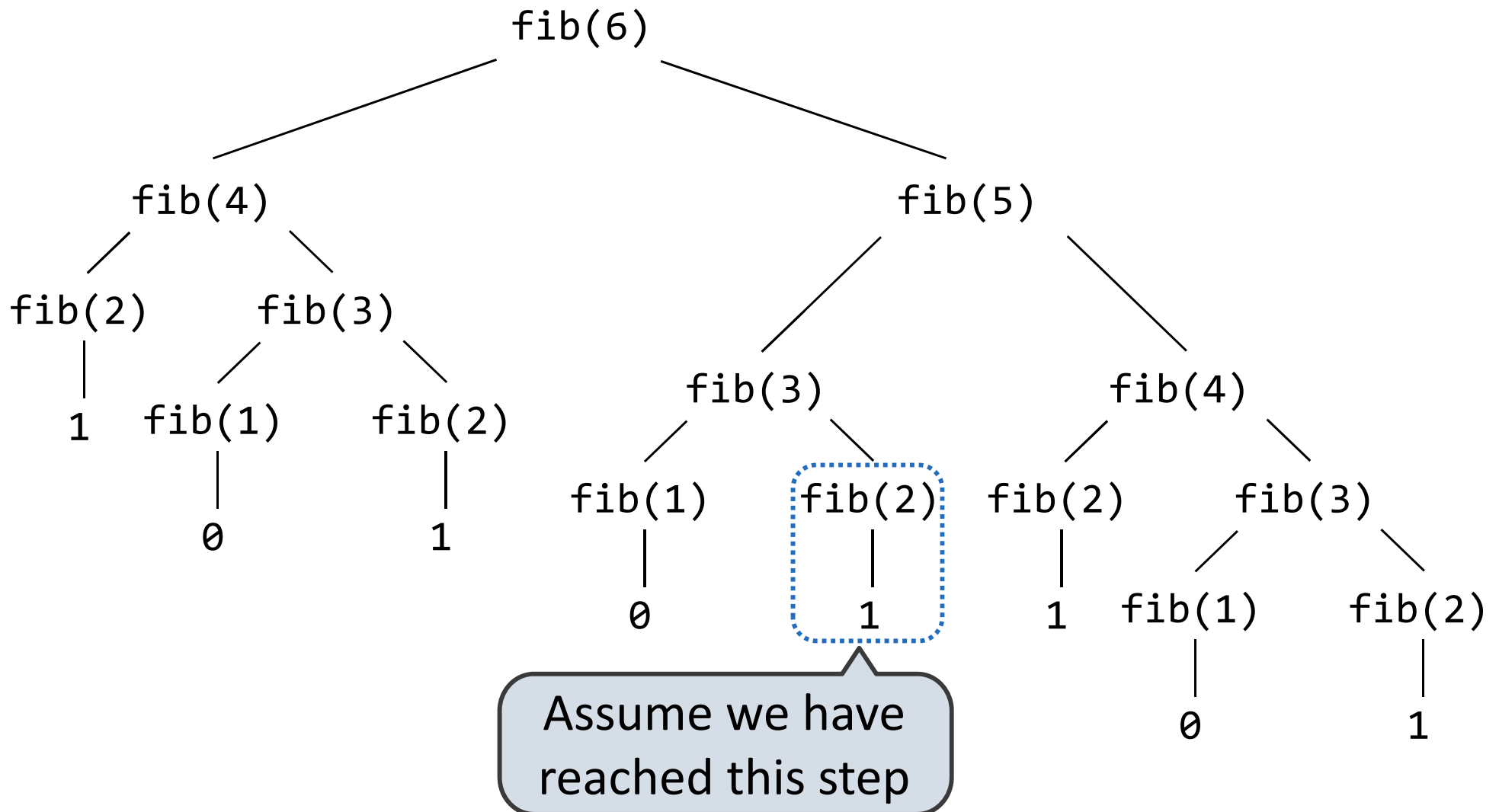
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# Fibonacci Memory Consumption



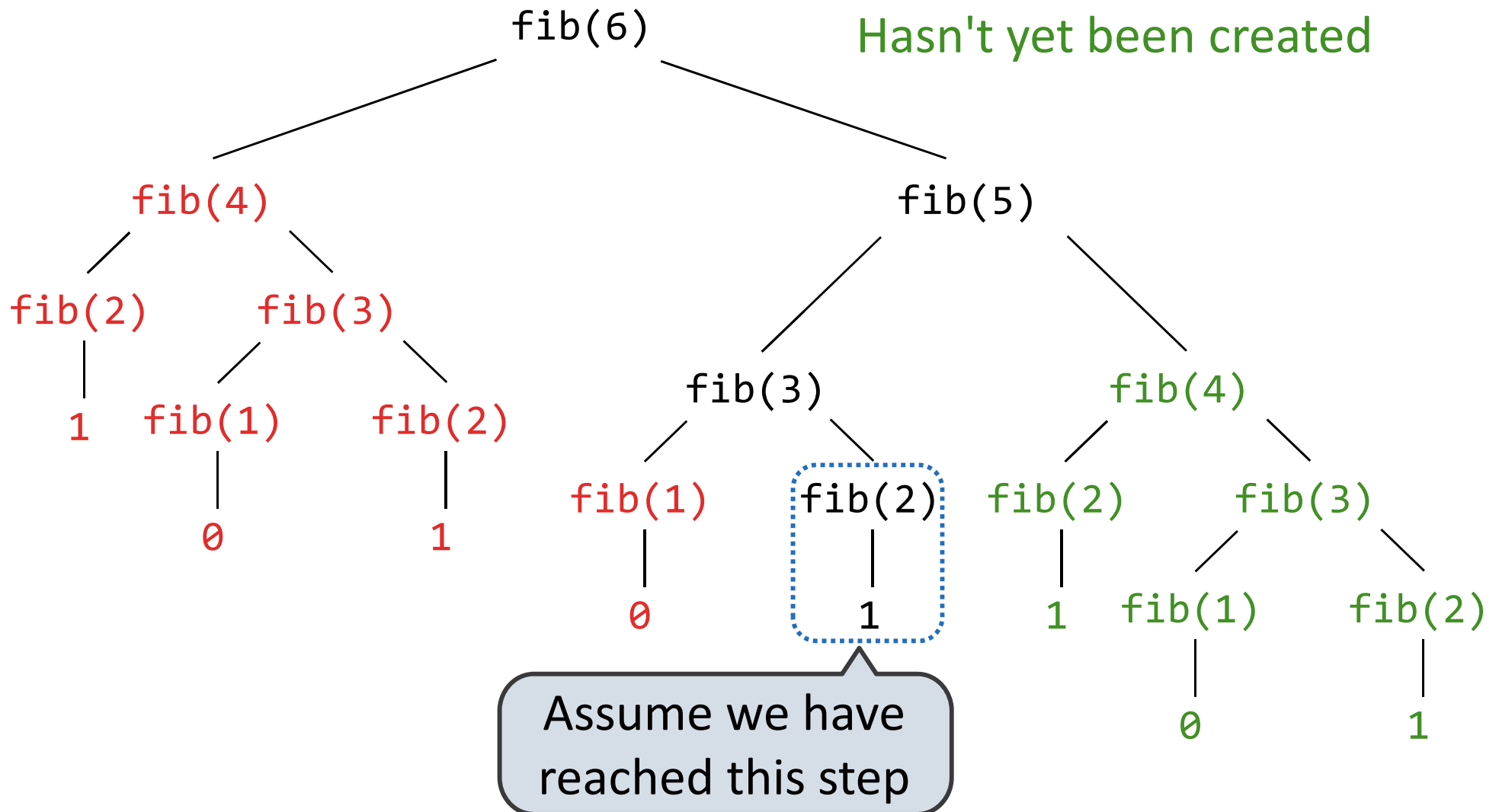
# Fibonacci Memory Consumption



Has an active environment

Can be reclaimed

Hasn't yet been created



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# Comparing Orders of Growth ( $n$ is problem size)

