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”Life is too short for imperative programming”

John Hughes

# Sorting in Haskell

```
sort [] = []
sort (x:xs) =
     sort [y | y <- xs, y<x]
  ++ [x]
  ++ sort [y | y <- xs, y>=x]
```

# Sorting in Pascal

```
{ Use quicksort to sort the array of integers. }
PROCEDURE Quicksort(size: Integer; VAR arr: IntArrType);
    { This does the actual work of the quicksort.  It takes the
      parameters which define the range of the array to work on,
      and references the array as a global. }
    PROCEDURE QuicksortRecur(start, stop: integer);
        VAR
            m: integer;

            { The location separating the high and low parts. }
            splitpt: integer;

        { The quicksort split algorithm.  Takes the range, and
          returns the split point. }
        FUNCTION Split(start, stop: integer): integer;
            VAR
                left, right: integer;       { Scan pointers. }
                pivot: integer;             { Pivot value. }

            { Interchange the parameters. }
            PROCEDURE swap(VAR a, b: integer);
                VAR
                    t: integer;
                BEGIN
                    t := a;
                    a := b;
                    b := t
                END;
```

# Sorting in Pascal, page 2

```
    BEGIN { Split }
        { Set up the pointers for the hight and low sections, and
          get the pivot value. }
        pivot := arr[start];
        left := start + 1;
        right := stop;

        { Look for pairs out of place and swap 'em. }
        WHILE left <= right DO BEGIN
            WHILE (left <= stop) AND (arr[left] < pivot) DO
                left := left + 1;
            WHILE (right > start) AND (arr[right] >= pivot) DO
                right := right - 1;
            IF left < right THEN
                swap(arr[left], arr[right]);
        END;

        { Put the pivot between the halves. }
        swap(arr[start], arr[right]);

        { This is how you return function values in pascal.
          Yeccch. }
        Split := right
    END;

BEGIN { QuicksortRecur }
    { If there's anything to do... }
    IF start < stop THEN BEGIN
        splitpt := Split(start, stop);
```

# Sorting in Pascal, page 3

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            Split := right
        END;

    BEGIN { QuicksortRecur }
        { If there's anything to do... }
        IF start < stop THEN BEGIN
            splitpt := Split(start, stop);
            QuicksortRecur(start, splitpt-1);
            QuicksortRecur(splitpt+1, stop);
        END
    END;

BEGIN { Quicksort }
    QuicksortRecur(1, size)
END;
```

# Sorting in Java

```
private void quicksort(int low, int high) {
      int i = low, j = high;
      int pivot = numbers[low + (high-low)/2];
      while (i <= j) {
            while (numbers[i] < pivot) {
                  i++;
            }
            while (numbers[j] > pivot) {
                  j--;
            }
            if (i <= j) {
                  exchange(i, j);
                  i++;
                  j--;
            }
      }
```

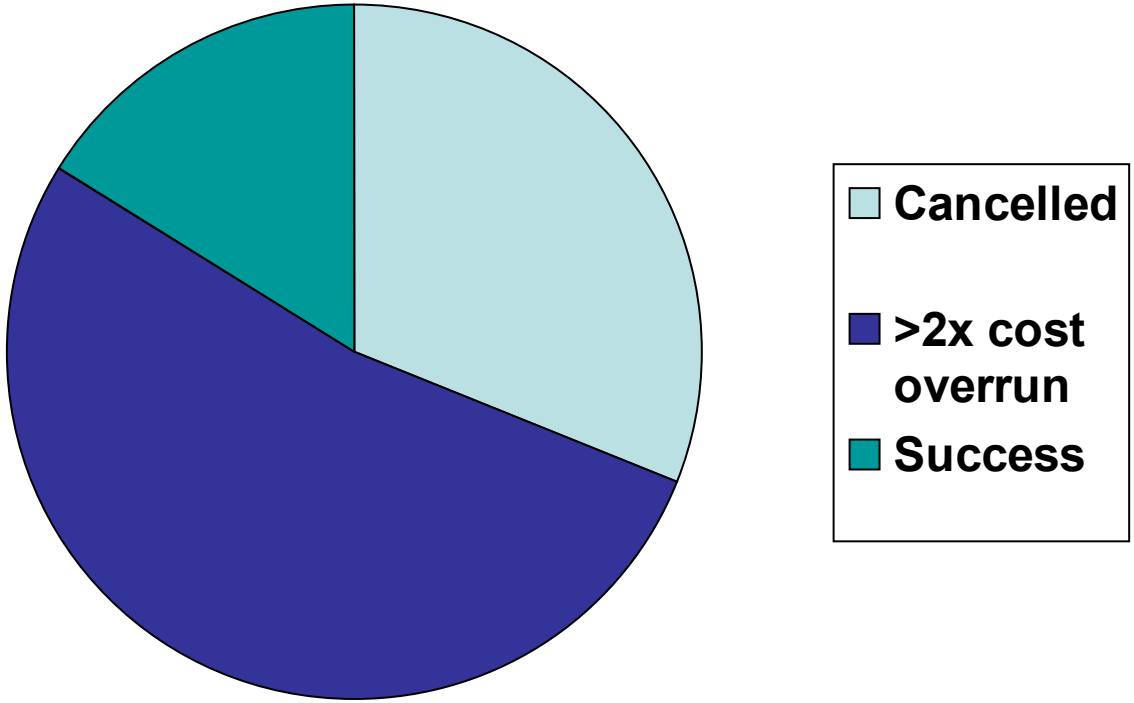
# Sorting in Java, page 2

```
        if (low < j)
              quicksort(low, j);
        if (i < high)
              quicksort(i, high);
}

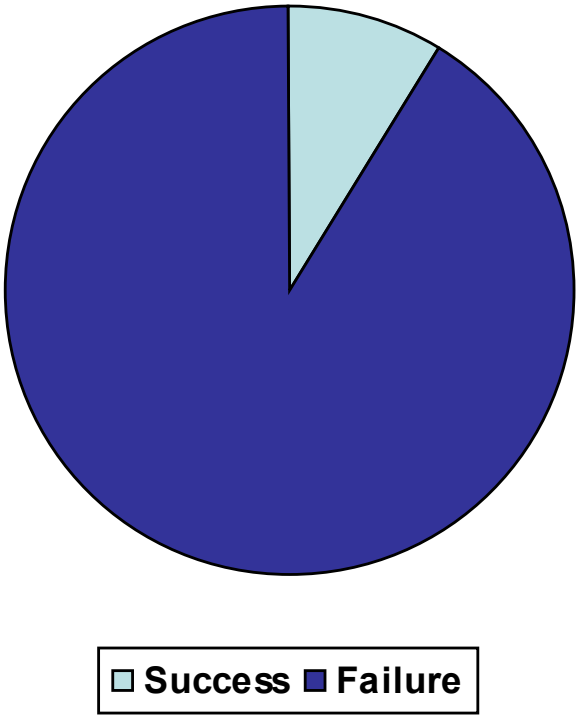
private void exchange(int i, int j)
{
        int temp = numbers[i];
        numbers[i] = numbers[j];
        numbers[j] = temp;
}
```

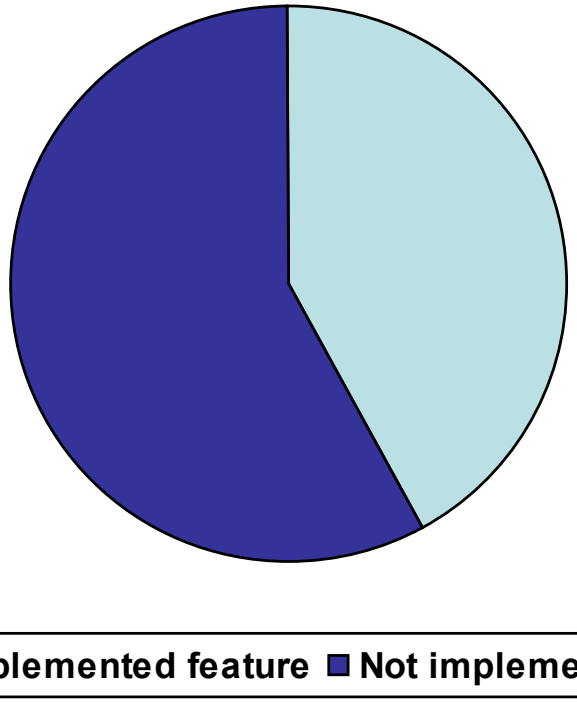
# Software Crisis, 1968—today

- Software project outcomes

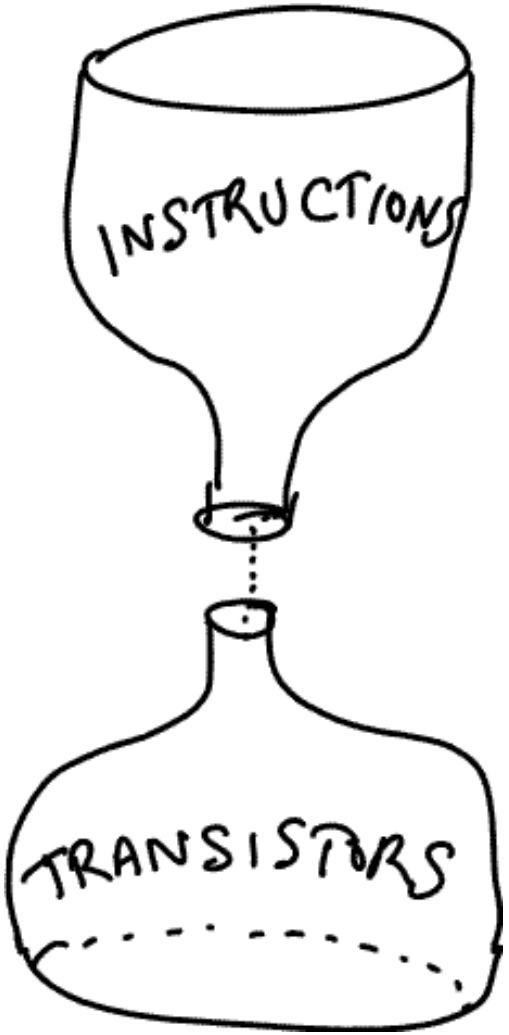


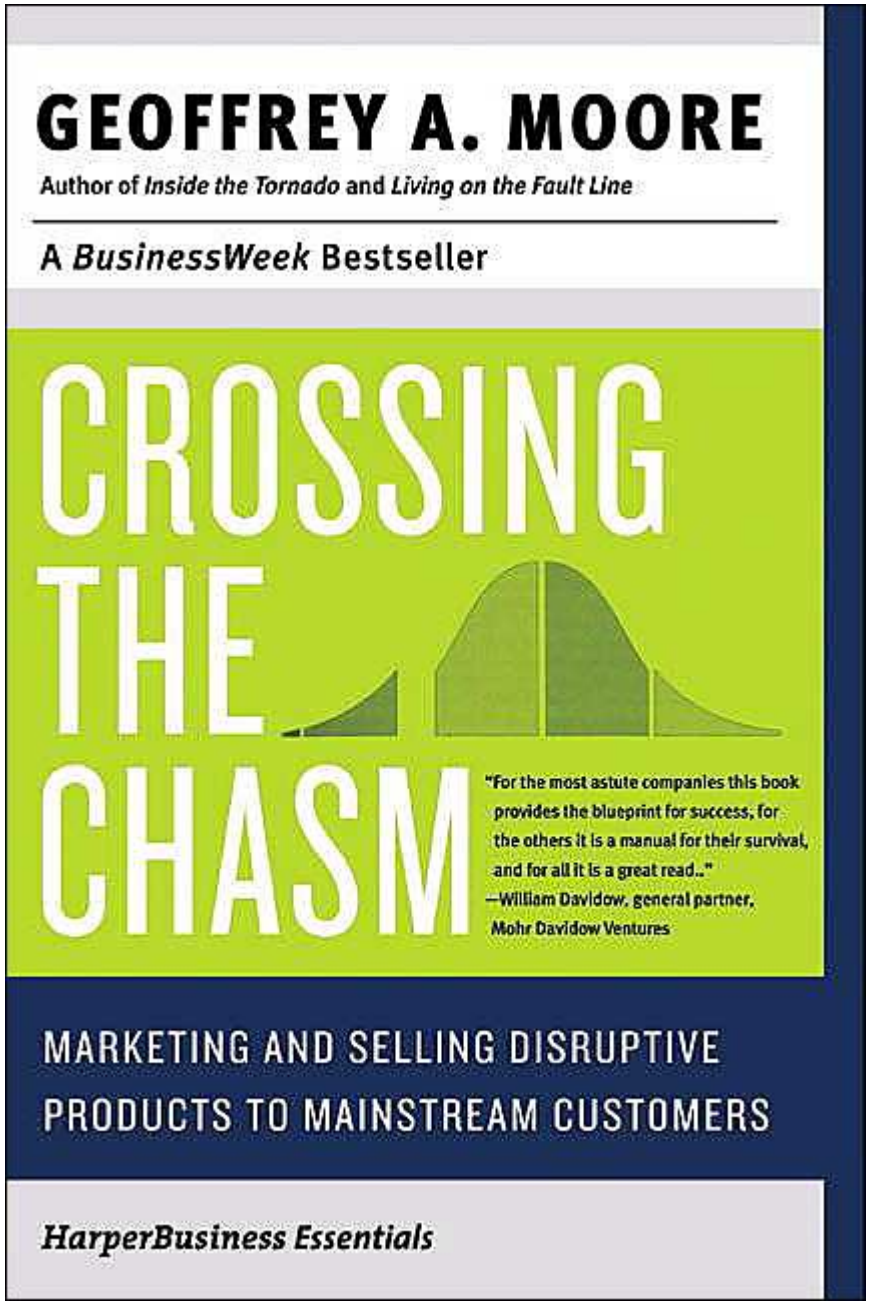
# In Large Companies



# The Von Neumann Bottleneck

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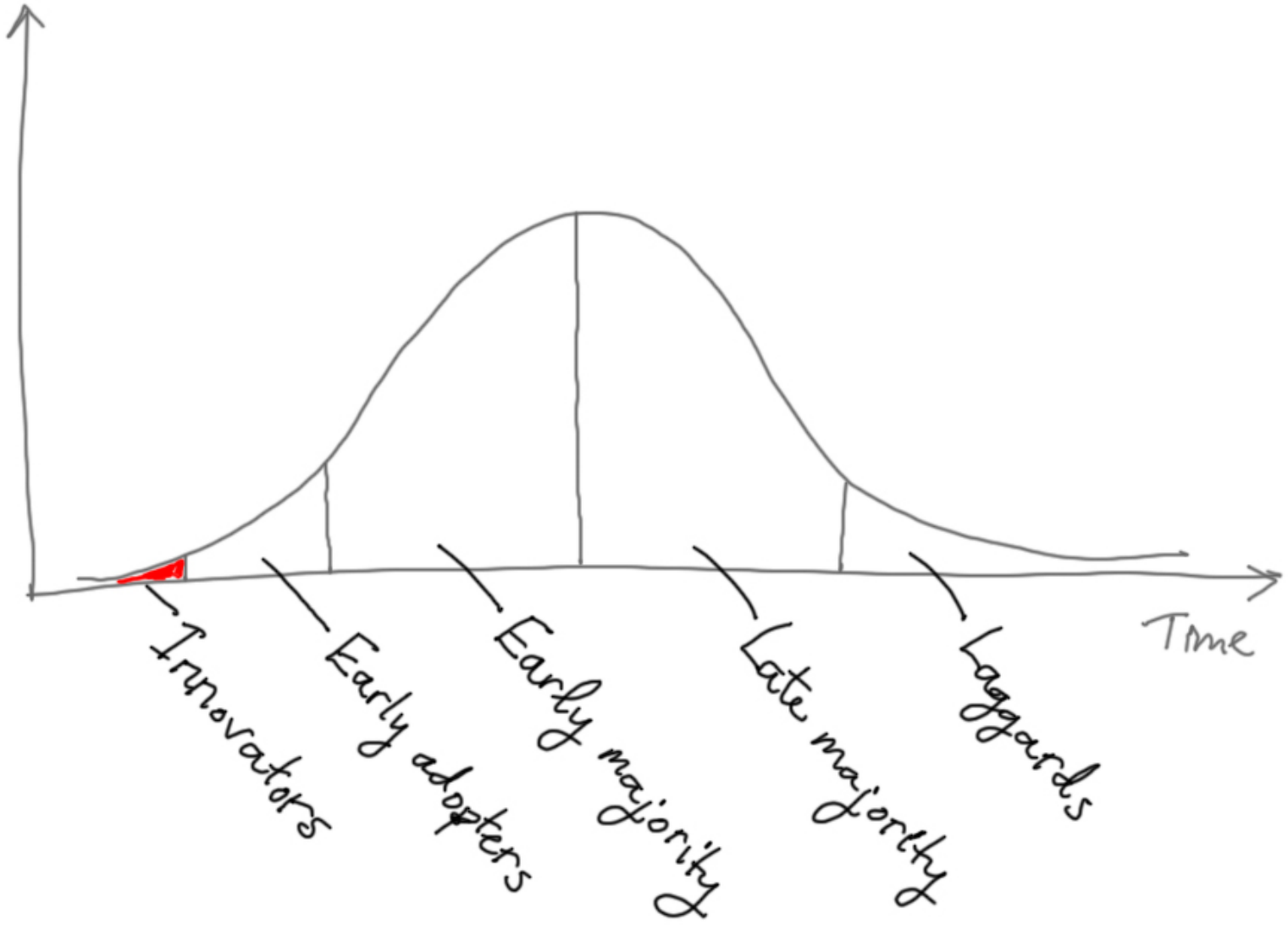
# Technology adoption life cycle



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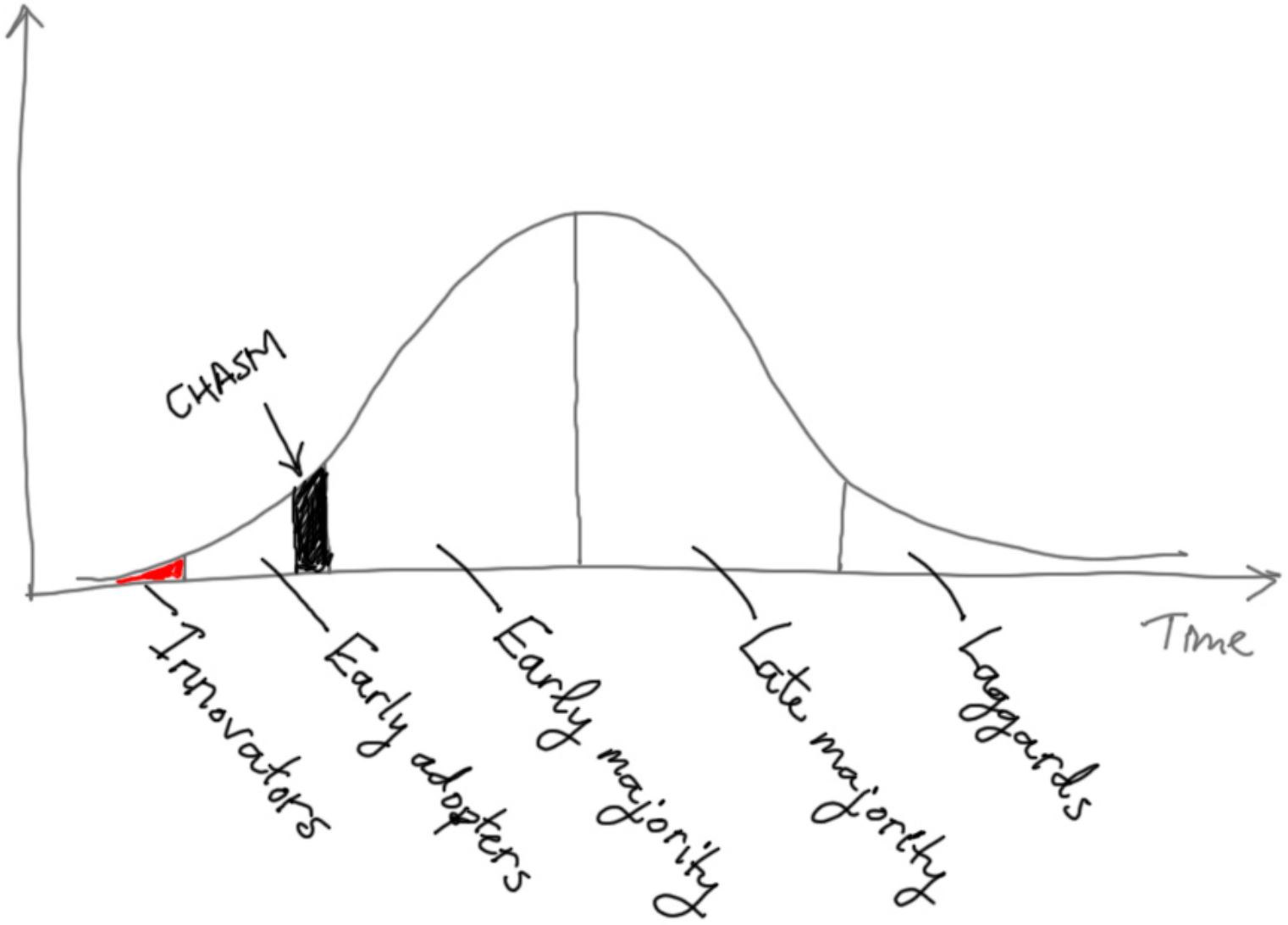

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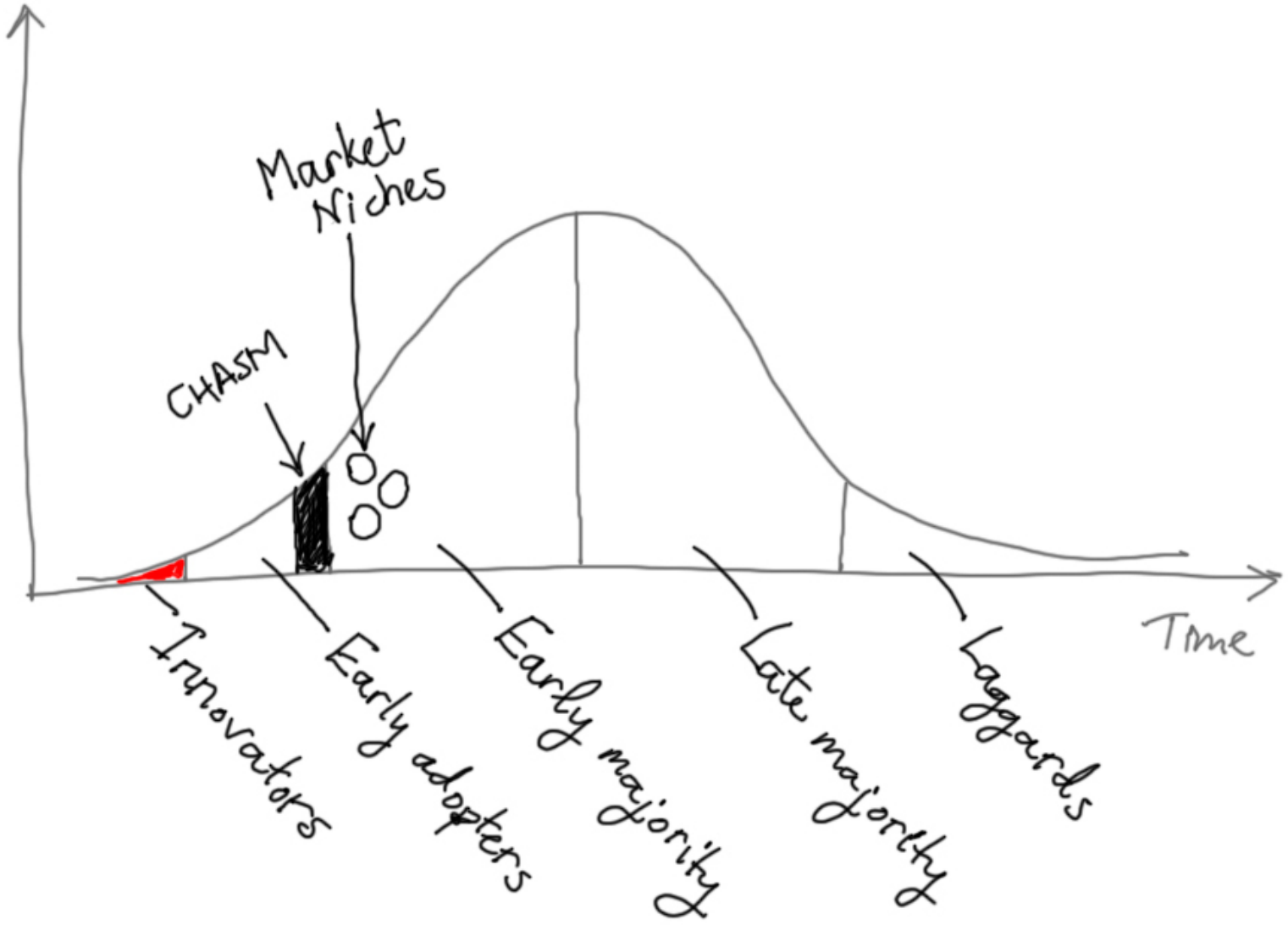


# The Erlang Story

- 1986—Erlang emerges at Ericsson
  - Functional language
  - Extra support for concurrency & fault tolerance
- Early 1990s—small products
- 1996
  - Open Telecoms Platform (higher-order functions for robust telecom systems)
  - AXD 301 project starts

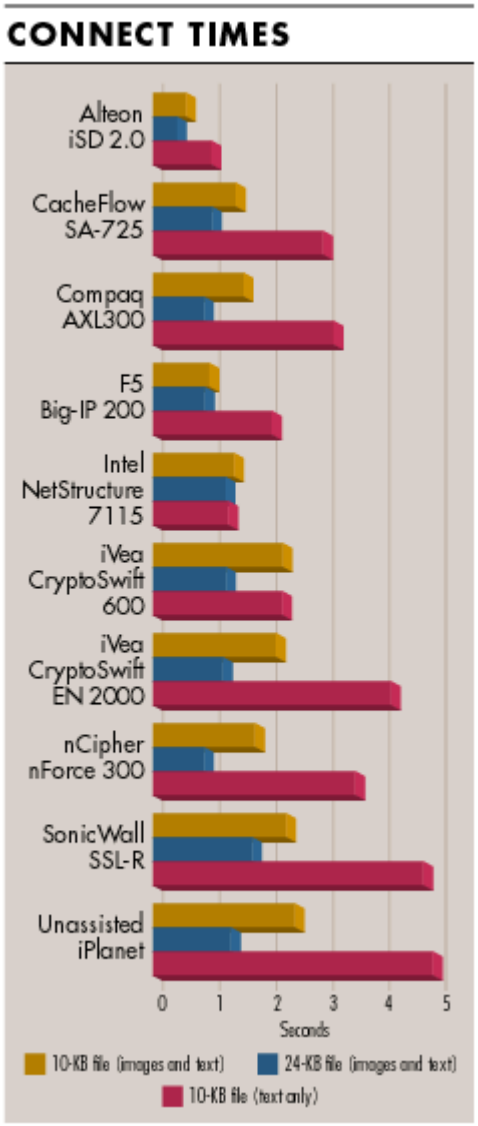
# The AXD 301

- ATM switch (telephone backbone)
- Born out of a failed project!
- 1,5 MLOC Erlang
- *Seven nines* reliability
- 4-10x better productivity, quality

# Erlang Story II

- 1998—Erlang banned for new projects
- 1998—Open source Erlang
- 1998—Bluetail
  - Jane Walerud VD
  - Mail robustifier, Web prioritizer

# SSL Accelerator




- Alteon WebSystems' SSL Accelerator offers phenomenal performance, management and scalability.
  - *Network Computing*

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NOW:
2000

“Six years have passed and we hav
grown to an ambitious and creative
company of 500 employees.”

invoice

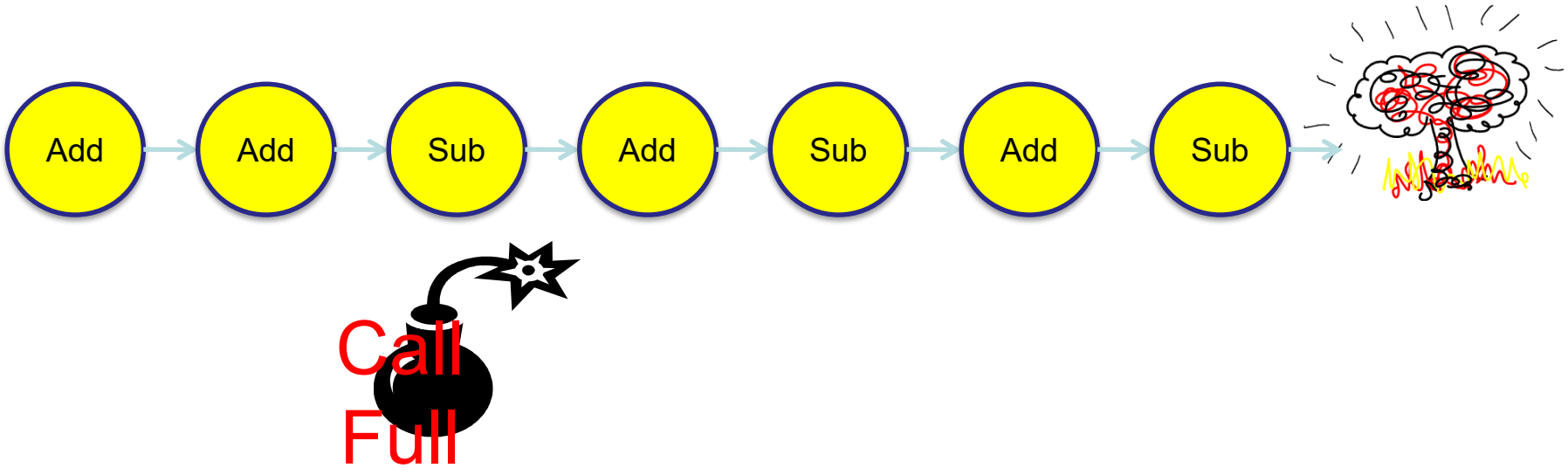
“We have been awarded Com
of the Year in -07, increased our tur
by 13 570 % and become the Nordi
market leader.”

NOW:
in 14
countries

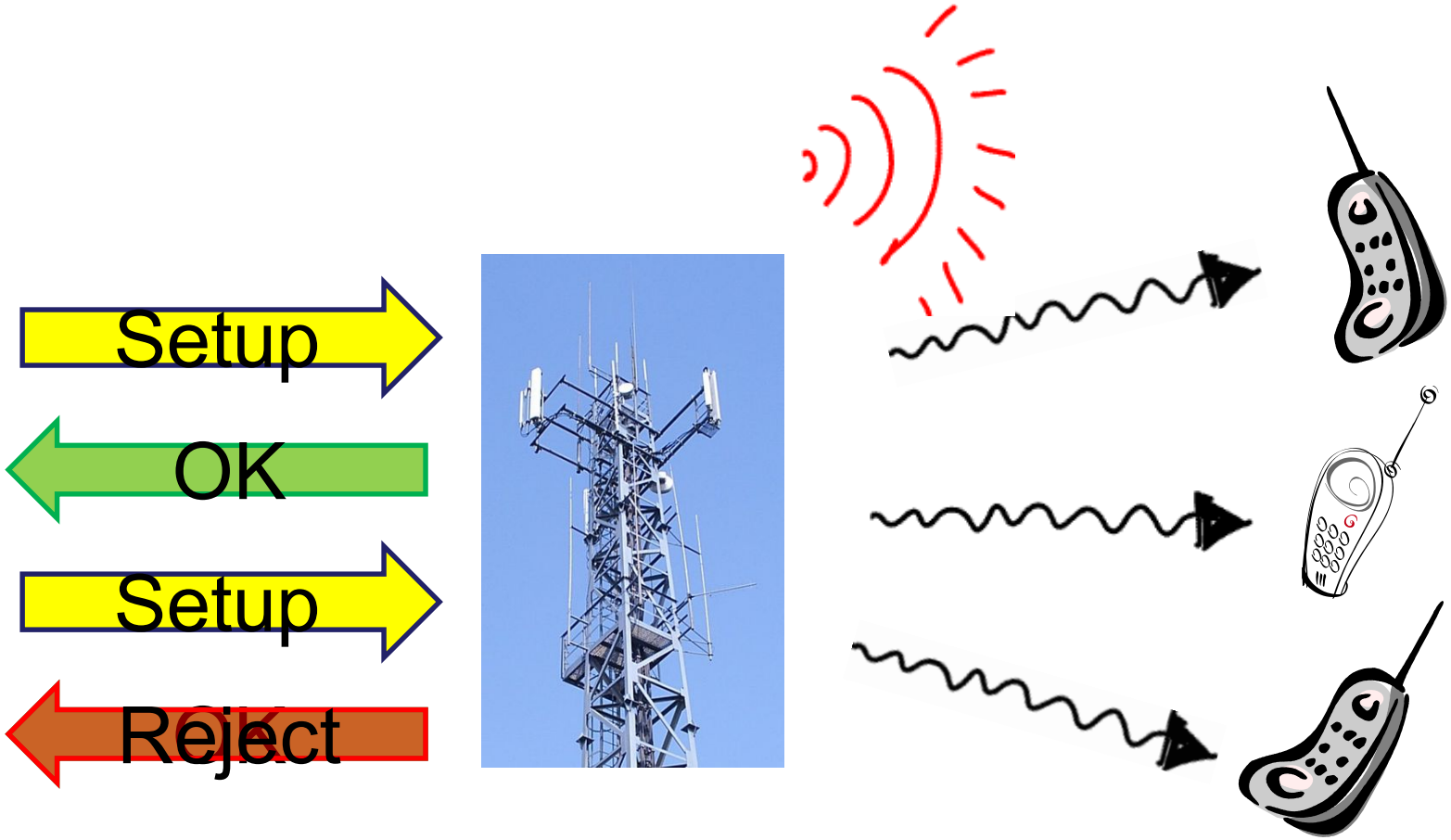

- Founded May 2006
- Selling… QuickCheck!
  - Key features:
    - Simplifies failing tests
    - Extensions for testing stateful systems
- Testing is a huge problem…

# Media Proxy

- Multimedia IP-telephony (IMS)
- Connects calls across a firewall
- Test adding and removing callers from a call



# 3G Radio Base Station




Parts of the software tested by QuickCheck

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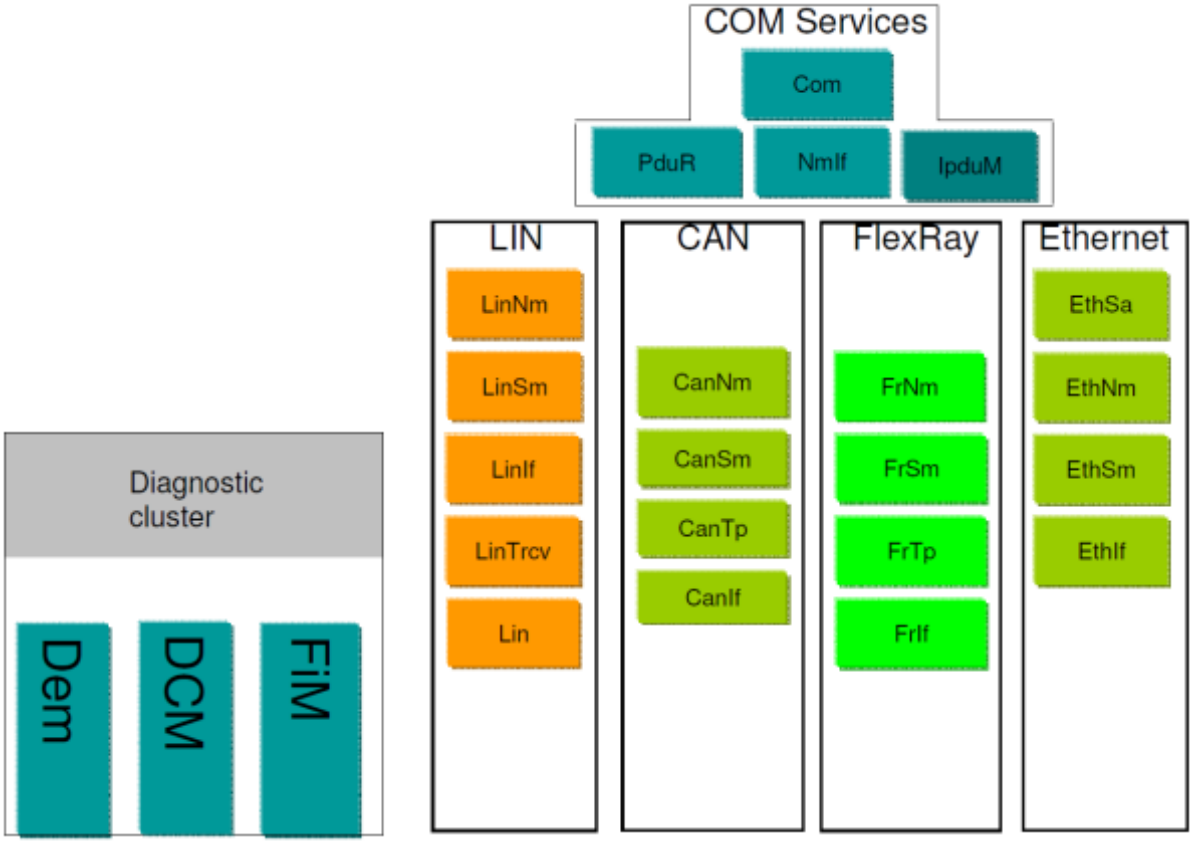

3,000 pages of specifications

20,000 lines of QuickCheck

1,000,000 LOC, 6 suppliers

200 problems

100 problems in the standard

# ICFP 2000...

## QuickCheck: A Lightweight Tool for Random Testing of Haskell Programs

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### ABSTRACT

QuickCheck is a tool which aids the Haskell programmer in formulating and testing properties of programs. Properties are described as Haskell functions, and can be automatically tested on random input, but it is also possible to define custom test data generators. We present a number of case studies, in which the tool was successfully used, and also point out some pitfalls to avoid. Random testing is especially suitable for functional programs because properties can be stated at a fine grain. When a function is built from separately tested components, then random testing suffices to obtain good coverage of the definition under test.

### 1. INTRODUCTION

Testing is by far the most commonly used approach to ensuring software quality. It is also very labour intensive, accounting for up to 50% of the cost of software develop-

monad are hard to test), and so testing can be done at a fine grain.

A testing tool must be able to determine whether a test is passed or failed; the human tester must supply an automatically checkable criterion of doing so. We have chosen to use formal specifications for this purpose. We have designed a simple domain-specific language of *testable specifications* which the tester uses to define expected properties of the functions under test. QuickCheck then checks that the properties hold in a large number of cases. The specification language is embedded in Haskell using the class system. Properties are normally written in the same module as the functions they test, where they serve also as checkable documentation of the behaviour of the code.

A testing tool must also be able to generate test cases automatically. We have chosen the simplest method, random testing [11], which competes surprisingly favourably with systematic methods in practice. However, it is meaningless


# Most Influential ICFP Paper Award

# Erlang in Ericsson

- 1998—BANNED!
- 2007—Recommended for ”complex state machines with high performance requirements”
- 2010—recruiting Erlang programmers in Göteborg

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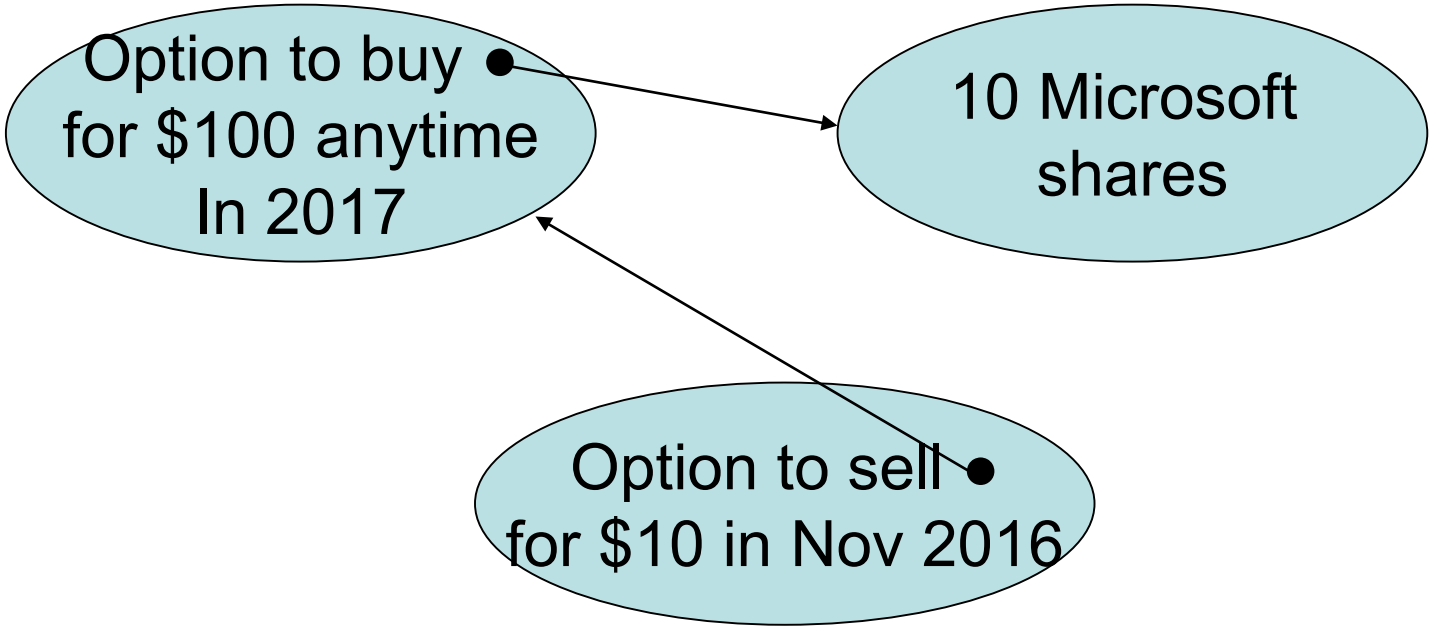
- Derivatives trading in New York



# Also in ICFP 2000...

## Composing Contracts: An Adventure in Financial Engineering

Functional pearl

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**Abstract**

Financial and insurance contracts do not sound like promising territory for functional programming and formal semantics, but in fact we have discovered that insights from programming languages bear directly on the complex subject of describing and valuing a large class of contracts.

We introduce a combinator library that allows us to describe such contracts precisely, and a compositional denotational semantics that says what such contracts are worth. We sketch an implementation of our combinator library in Haskell. Interestingly, lazy evaluation plays a crucial role.

### 1 Introduction

Consider the following financial contract, $C$: the right to choose on 30 June 2000 between

At this point, any red-blooded functional programmer should start to foam at the mouth, yelling "build a combinator library". And indeed, that turns out to be not only possible, but tremendously beneficial.

The finance industry has an enormous vocabulary of jargon for typical combinations of financial contracts (swaps, futures, caps, floors, swaptions, spreads, straddles, captions, European options, American options, ...the list goes on). Treating each of these individually is like having a large catalogue of prefabricated components. The trouble is that someone will soon want a contract that is not in the catalogue.

If, instead, we could define each of these contracts using a fixed, precisely-specified set of combinators, we would be in a much better position than having a fixed catalogue. For a start, it becomes much easier to *describe* new, unforeseen, contracts. Beyond that, we can systematically *analyse*, and *perform computations over* these new contracts, because

# Financial Contracts in Haskell

- The option to acquire 10 Microsoft shares, for $100, anytime

```
anytime :: Contract -> Contract
-- Acquire the underlying contract at
-- any time before it expires (but
-- you must acquire it)
```

**anytime**: Choose *when*

```
golden_handcuff = anytime shares

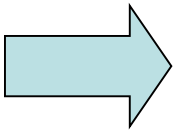
shares = zero `or` (scaleK -100 (one Dollar) `and`
                    scaleK 10 (one MSShare))
```

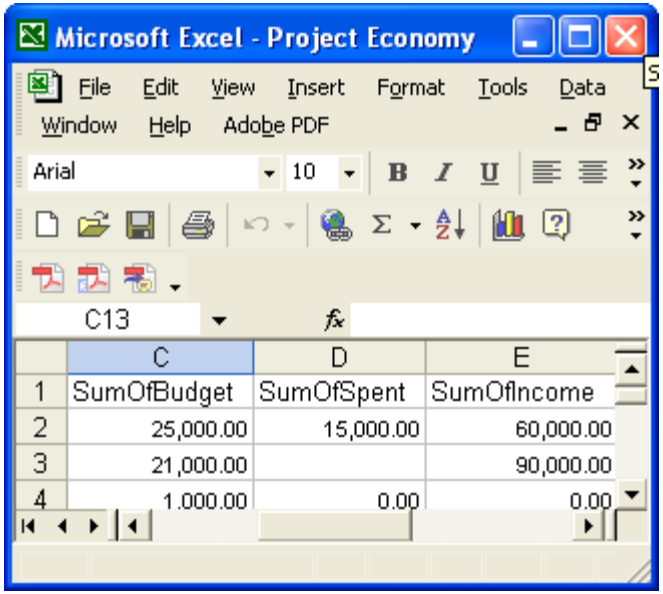
**or**: Choose *whether*

MS shares are a "currency"

# New Approach

Haskell contract models



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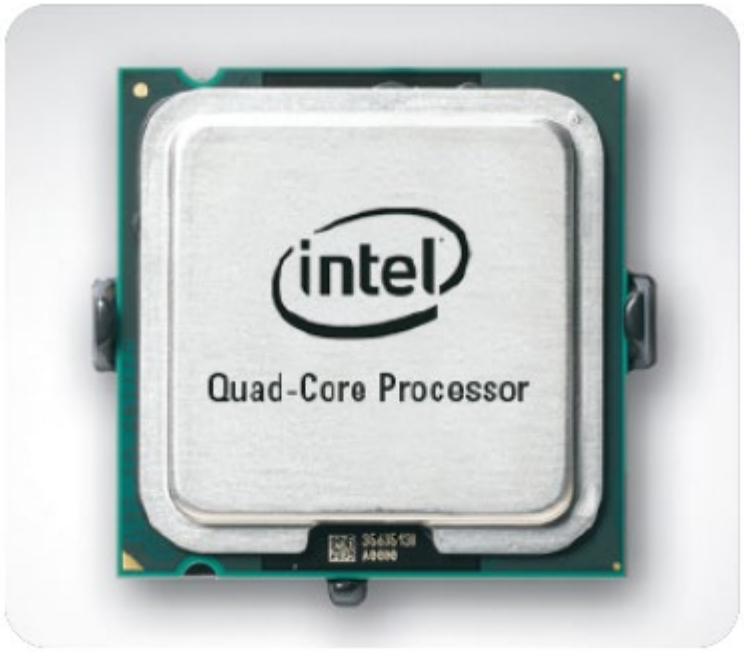
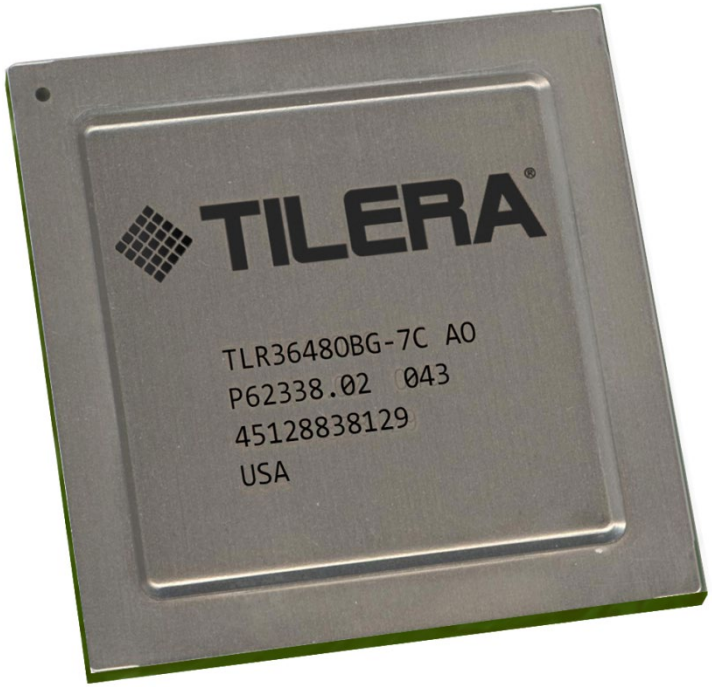
- ”Functional programming on Wall Street”
  - Proprietary trading, ~$13 billion/day
  - >400 people, in New York, London, Hong Kong, Amsterdam
  - OCaml primary development language
  - Hire summer interns every year

# The Multicore Opportunity




4 cores



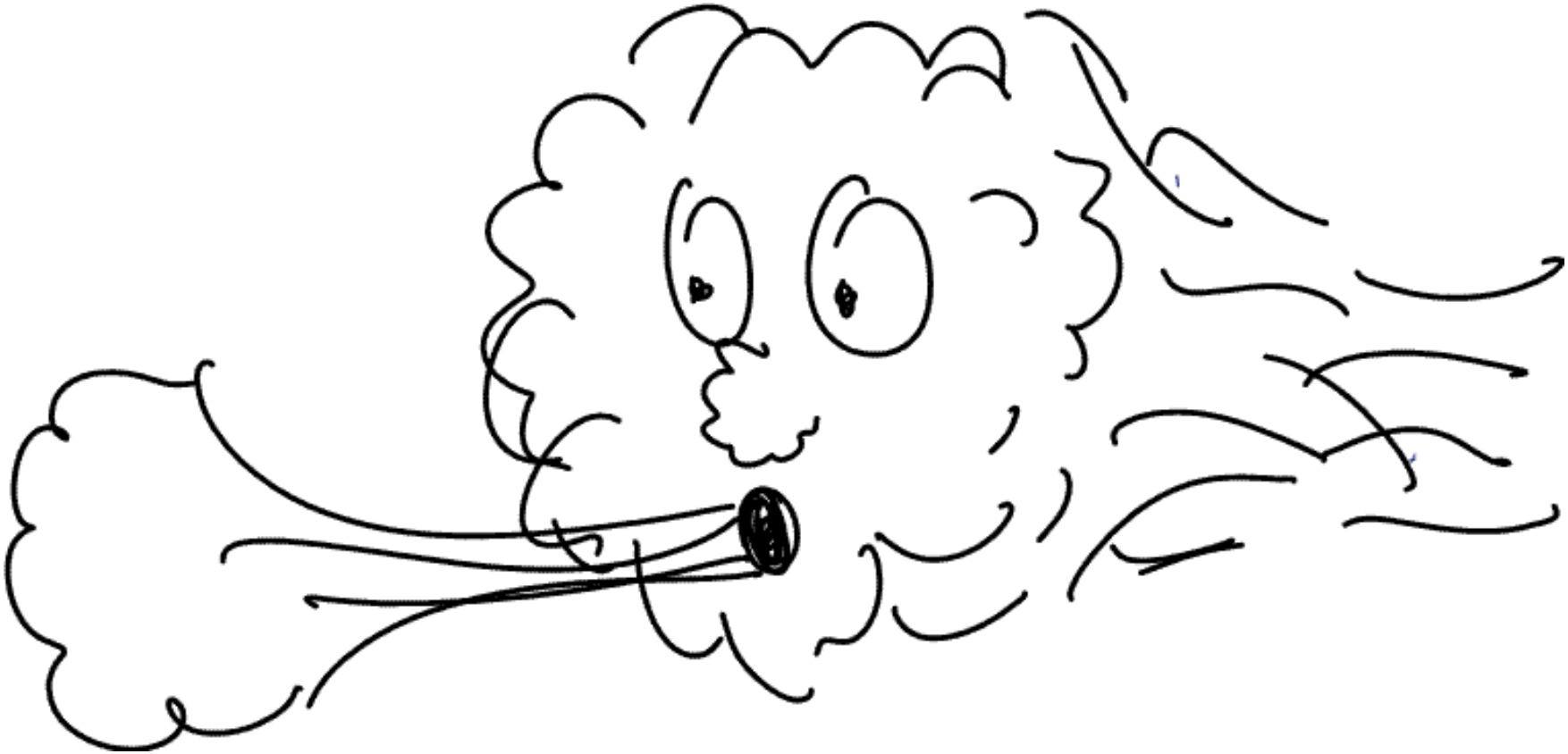

100 cores

# Intel CTO Justin Rattner

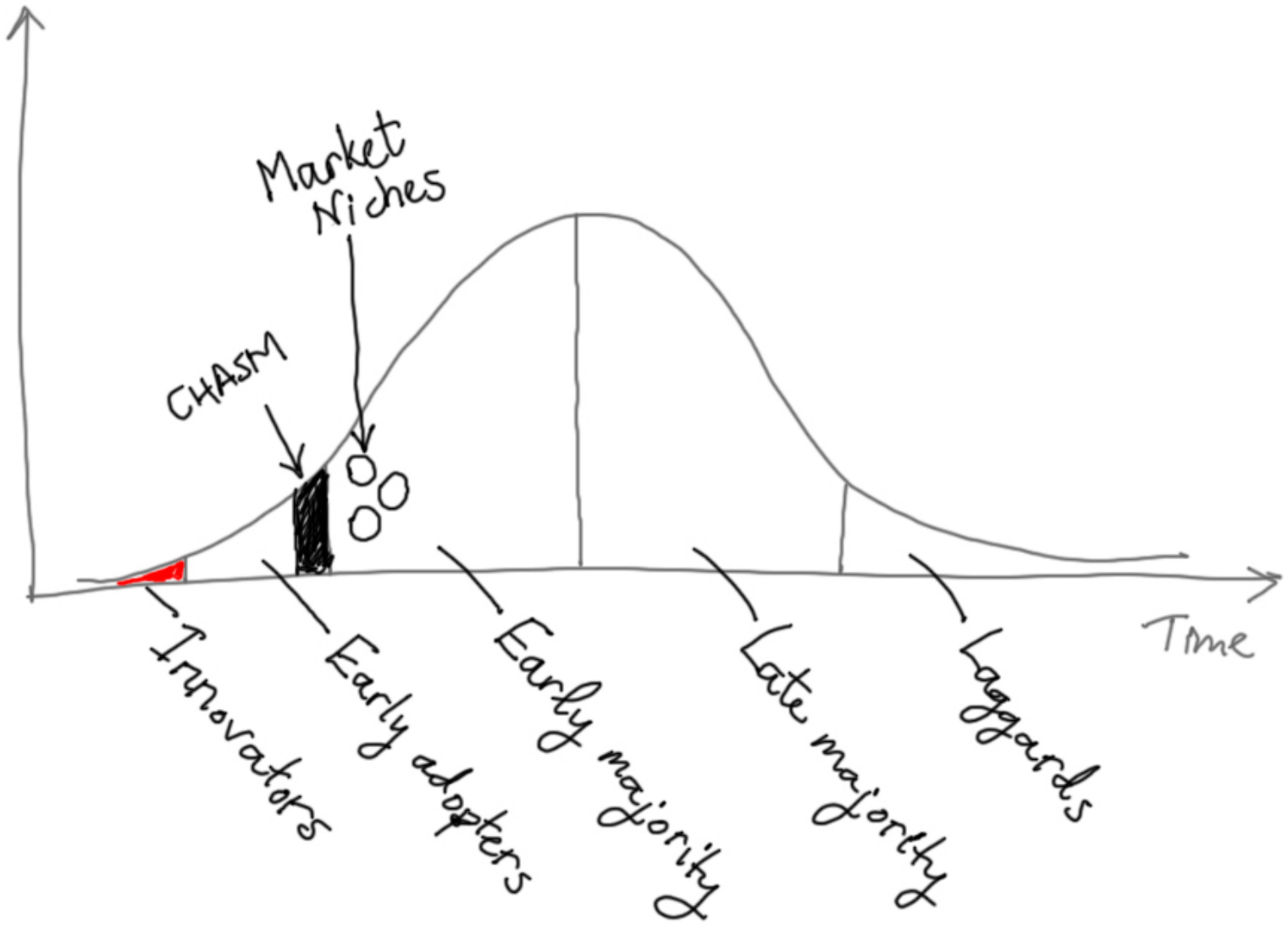
Sept 15, 2011, EETimes, keynote speech at Intel Developers' Forum

- “The new software represents an effort to bring to today's C++ programmers some of the concepts of the emerging school called functional programming. Functional programming looks to be one of the foundations for parallel progra going forward with higher l abstraction and mor of parallelism.”

Parallel Functional Programming LP4



# Where are we?


Market Niches
CHASM
Time
Innovators
Early adopters
Early majority
Late majority
Laggards

# Some popular functional languages…





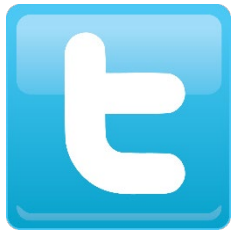


# Some languages with lambda expressions

- C# — since 3.0 (2008)
- C++ — since C++11
- Rust
- Java — since Java 8 (2014)

- Visual Basic — since version 9 (2008)

# Some high-profile applications



Servers programmed in Scala


”Functional reactive programming” (with RxJava)

Spam detection in Haskell

Servers in Erlang

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| # | Name | Price | Change | M. Cap | Supply | Volume | Pr |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | BTC Bitcoin | $6 631,32 | 0,62% | $114,80 B | 17,31 M | $3,83 B | |
| 2 | ETH Ethereum | $228,41 | 1,46% | $23,40 B | 102,46 M | $1,49 B | |
| 3 | XRP XRP | $0,479902 | −0,32% | $19,17 B | 39,94 B * | $454,13 M | |
| 4 | BCH Bitcoin Cash | $517,13 | −0,46% | $8,99 B | 17,39 M | $411,45 M | |
| 5 | EOS EOS | $5,86 | 1,96% | $5,31 B | 906,25 M * | $664,00 M | |
| 6 | XLM Stellar | $0,245374 | 0,16% | $4,63 B | 18,89 B * | $46,11 M | |
| 7 | LTC Litecoin | $58,81 | 1,89% | $3,45 B | 58,65 M | $353,12 M | |
| 8 | USDT Tether | $0,994275 | −0,24% | | B * | $2,59 B | |
| 9 | ADA Cardano | $0,085781 | | | B * | $65,51 M | |
| 10 | XMR Monero | $113,81 | 0,09% | | 16,47 M | $59,35 M | |

$2,22B

# Some recent success stories


Swedish start-up using Erlang, sold to Cisco for $175 million in 2014


New Jersey e-commerce start-up using F#, sold to Walmart for $3.3 *billion* in 2016


“So, we started building two solutions, a C# solution and an F# solution, to see where they would take us. In the end, we chose to stick with the F# path. The main reason is that we could deliver the same functionality with far less code. This clearly eases maintainability and reduces bugs.”

*—Marie-France Han, Jet tech blog*

# Some recent success stories

Bay area start-up using Erlang, sold to Facebook for $22 *billion* in 2014

**???**


**566 attendees**

**>45% from industry**

ahrefs

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