

# Racket Assignment #1: Getting Acquainted with Racket/DrRacket + LEL Sentence Generation

**Abstract:** This assignment helps us to download the program development environment (PDE) software. This helps us to be acquainted with the nature and functionality of DrRacket and make the proper use of the LEL sentence generator.

## Code for the LEL Sentence Generator

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#lang racket

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; LEL sentence generator, with helper PICK,
; several applications of APPEND, several
; applications of LIST, and one use of MAP
; with a LAMBDA function.

( define ( pick list )
  ( list-ref list ( random ( length list ) ) )
)

( define ( noun )
  ( list ( pick '( robot baby toddler hat dog ) ) )
)

( define ( verb )
  ( list ( pick '( kissed hugged protected chased hornswoggled ) ) )
)

( define ( article )
  ( list ( pick '( a the ) ) )
)

( define ( qualifier )
  ( pick '( ( howling ) ( talking ) ( dancing )
            ( barking ) ( happy ) ( laughing )
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        0 0 0 0 0 )
      )
)

( define ( noun-phrase )
( append ( article ) ( qualifier ) ( noun ) )
)

( define ( sentence )
( append ( noun-phrase ) ( verb ) ( noun-phrase ) )
)

( define ( ds ) ; display a sentence
  ( map
    ( lambda ( w ) ( display w ) ( display " " ) )
    ( sentence ) ) ( display "" ) ; an artificial something
)

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## Demo for the LEL Sentence Generator

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> (pick '(red yellow blue))
'yellow
> (pick '(red yellow blue))
'blue
> (pick '(red yellow blue))
'yellow
> (pick '(Racket Prolog Haskell Rust))
'Racket
> (pick '(Racket Prolog Haskell Rust))
'Haskell
> (pick '(Racket Prolog Haskell Rust))
'Racket
> (pick '(Racket Prolog Haskell Rust))
'Haskell
> (noun)

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'(dog)  
> (noun)  
'(dog)  
> (noun)  
'(dog)  
> (verb)  
'(hornswoggled)  
> (verb)  
'(chased)  
> (verb)  
'(hugged)  
> (verb)  
'(protected)  
> (article)  
'(the)  
> (article)  
'(a)  
> (article)  
'(the)  
> (article)  
'(the)  
> (qualifier)  
'(happy)  
> (qualifier)  
'()  
> (qualifier)  
'(howling)  
> (qualifier)  
'()  
> (qualifier)  
'(howling)  
> (qualifier)  
'()  
> (qualifier)  
'(barking)  
> (qualifier)  
'()  
> (qualifier)  
'()  
> (qualifier)

'0  
> (qualifier)  
'(howling)  
> (qualifier)  
'(dancing)  
> (qualifier)  
'(happy)  
> (qualifier)  
'0  
> (qualifier)  
'(laughing)  
> (qualifier)  
'(talking)  
> (qualifier)  
'(howling)  
> (noun-phrase)  
'(a todler)  
> (noun-phrase)  
'(a dancing robot)  
> (noun-phrase)  
'(a happy robot)  
> (noun-phrase)  
'(a dancing hat)  
> (noun-phrase)  
'(the talking baby)  
> (noun-phrase)  
'(a talking hat)  
> (noun-phrase)  
'(the dancing dog)  
> (noun-phrase)  
'(a todler)  
> (sentence)  
'(the dancing robot protected a todler)  
> (sentence)  
'(a dancing hat hornswoggled the hat)  
> (sentence)  
'(the dog kissed a talking baby)  
> (sentence)  
'(a baby hornswoggled a robot)  
> (sentence)

'(a baby chased the robot)  
> (sentence)  
'(a robot hugged a laughing todler)  
> (sentence)  
'(a happy hat kissed the baby)  
> (sentence)  
'(the happy todler kissed a hat)  
> (ds)  
a dog kissed the barking baby  
> (ds)  
the hat protected the laughing dog  
> (ds)  
a hat hornswoggled a dog  
> (ds)  
a baby chased a todler  
> (ds)  
the dog kissed a talking hat  
> (ds)  
a hat hornswoggled the dog  
> (ds)  
the dog protected a laughing todler  
> (ds)  
the todler hugged the dog  
> (ds)  
a howling hat kissed a baby  
> (ds)  
a talking todler chased a laughing baby  
> (ds)  
the todler hornswoggled the baby  
> (ds)  
the robot hornswoggled a robot