

# State Monad – Methods (6B)

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# Setting the state : put

```
put :: s -> State s a
```

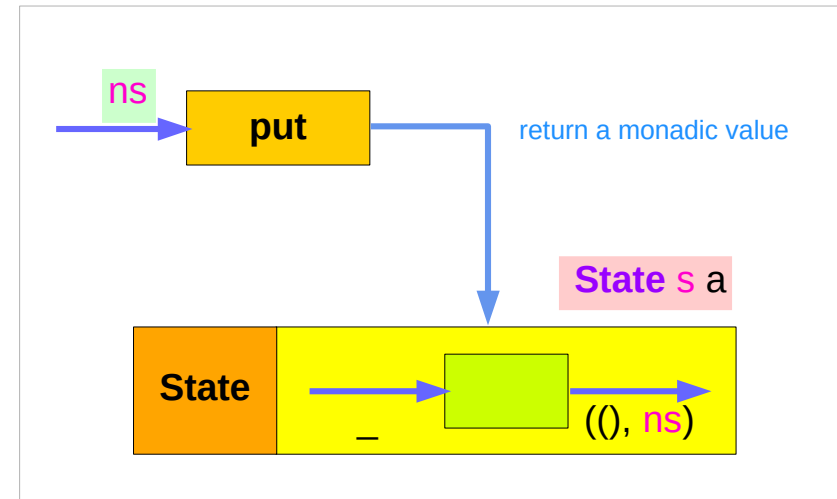
```
put ns = state $ \_ -> ((), ns)
```

Given a wanted **state new State (ns)**,

**put** generates a **state processor**

- ignores whatever the **state** it receives,
- updates the **state** to **newState**
- doesn't care about the **result** of this processor
  
- all we want to do is to change the **state**
- the tuple will be **((), newState)**
- **()** : the **universal placeholder value**.

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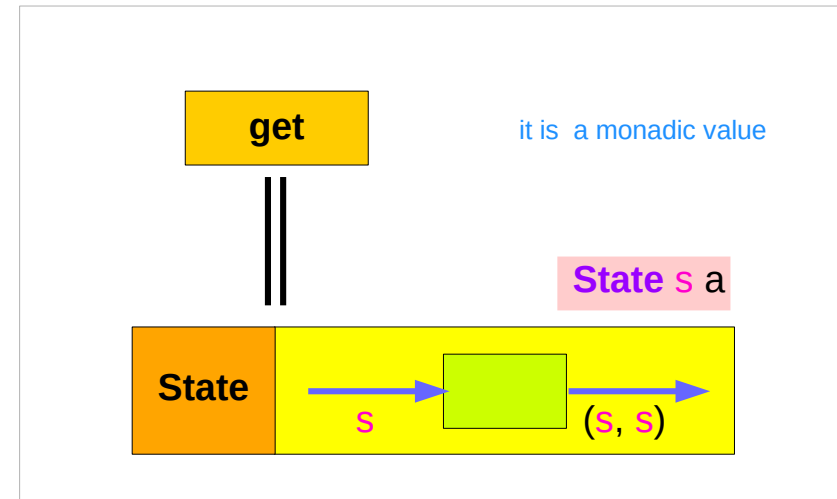
# Getting the state : `get`

`get :: State s s`

`get = state $ \s -> (s, s)`

`get` generates a **state processor**

- gives back the **state** `s0`
- as a **result** and as an updated **state** – `(s0, s0)`
- the **state** will remain unchanged
- a copy of the **state** will be made available through the **result** returned



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# put returns a monadic value

```
put :: s -> State s a
```

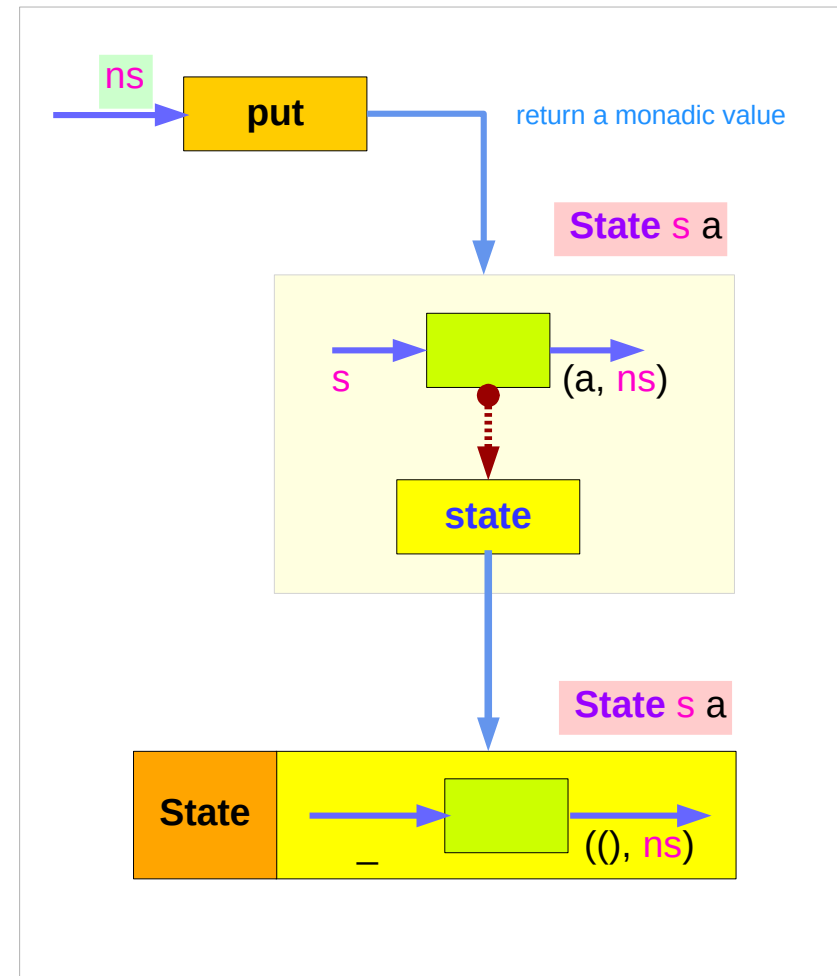
```
put s :: State s a
```

```
put newState = state $ \_ -> ((), newState)
```

```
-- setting a state to newState
```

```
-- regardless of the old state
```

```
-- setting the result to ()
```



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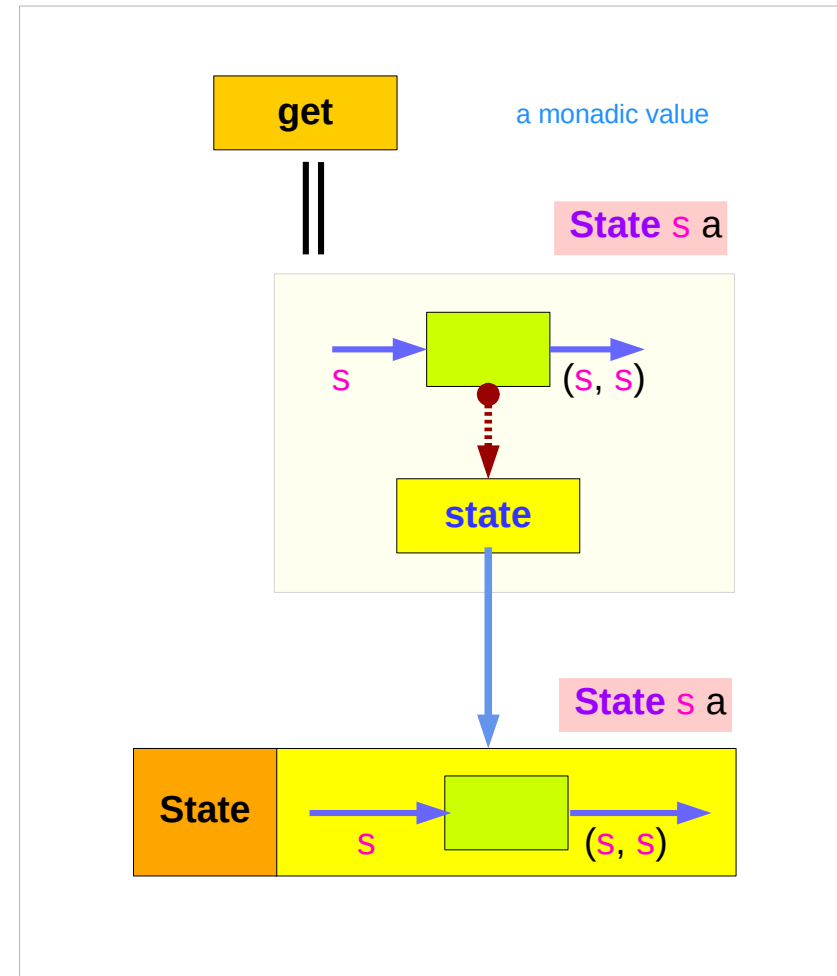
# get is a monadic value

`get :: State s s`

`get = state $ \s -> (s, s)`

-- getting the current state `s`

-- also setting the result to `s`



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# Running put

```
put :: s -> State s a
```

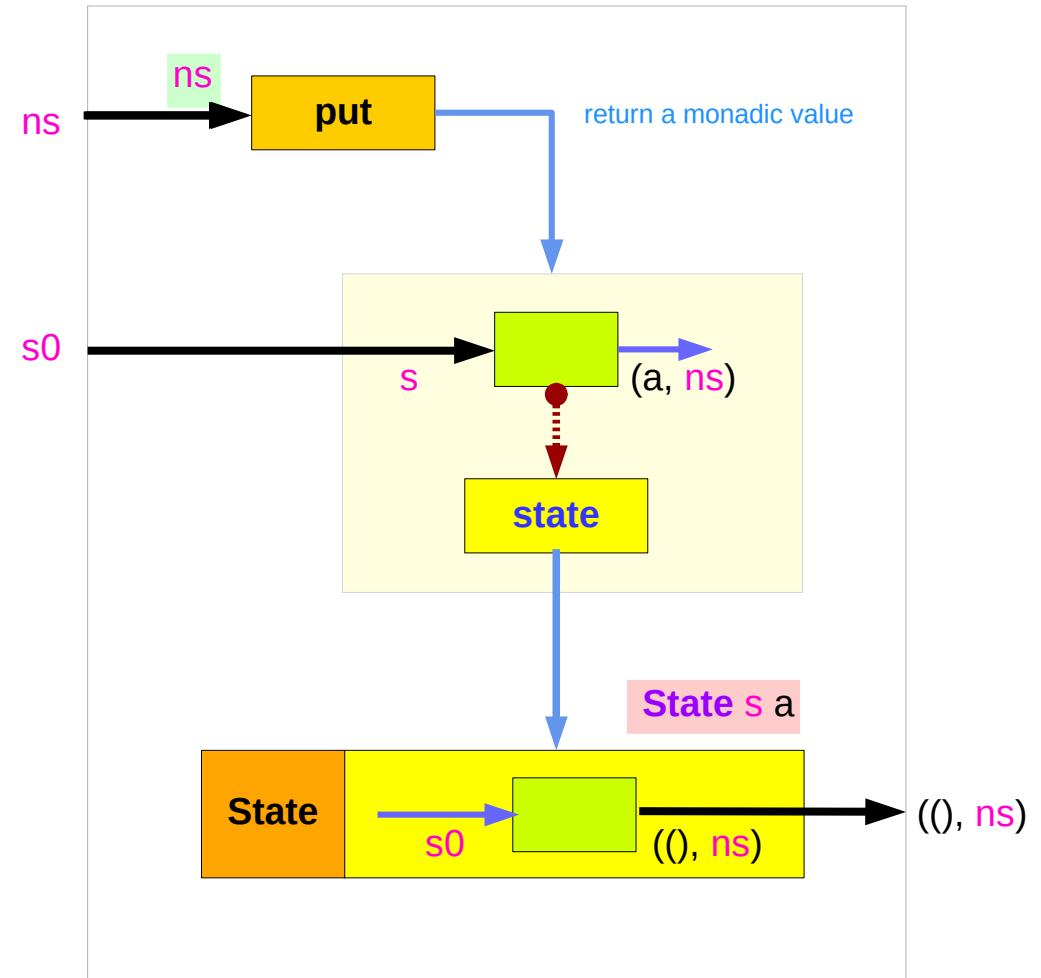
```
put s :: State s a
```

```
put newState = state $ \_ -> ((), newState)
```

```
runState (put ns) s0
```

```
runState (put 5) 1
```

```
((),5)
```



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# Running get

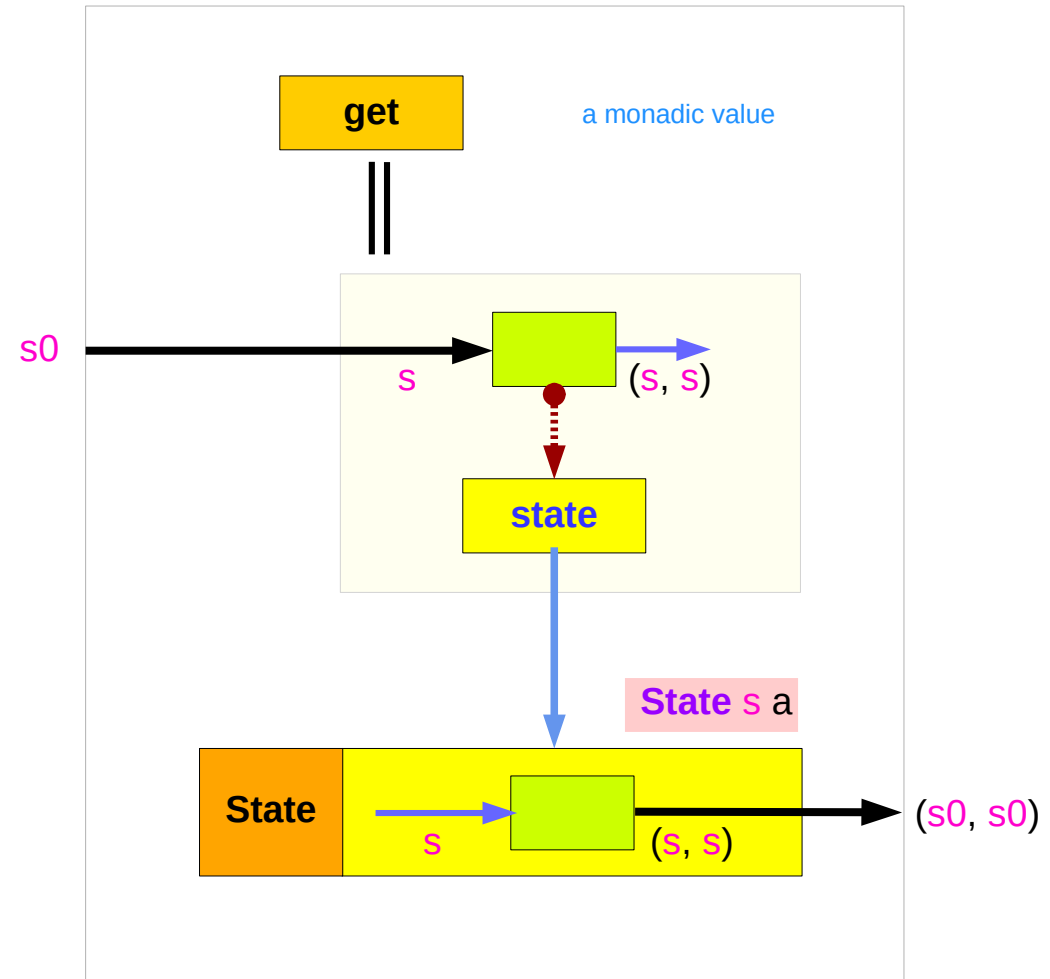
`get :: State s s`

`get = state $ \s -> (s, s)`

`runState (get) s0`

`runState (get) 1`

`(1,1)`



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# Example codes

```
import Control.Monad.Trans.State
```

```
runState get 1
```

```
(1,1)
```

```
runState (return 'X') 1
```

```
('X',1)
```

```
runState get 1
```

```
(1,1)
```

```
runState (put 5) 1
```

```
((),5)
```

```
let postincrement = do { x <- get; put (x+1); return x }
```

```
runState postincrement 1
```

```
(1,2)
```

```
let predecrement = do { x <- get; put (x-1); get }
```

```
runState predecrement 1
```

```
(0,0)
```

[https://wiki.haskell.org/State\\_Monad](https://wiki.haskell.org/State_Monad)

```
runState (modify (+1)) 1
```

```
((),2)
```

```
runState (gets (+1)) 1
```

```
(2,1)
```

```
evalState (gets (+1)) 1
```

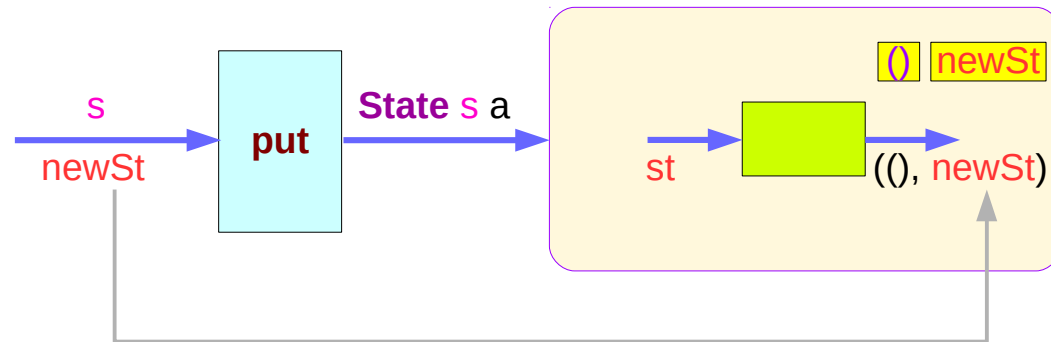
```
2
```

```
execState (gets (+1)) 1
```

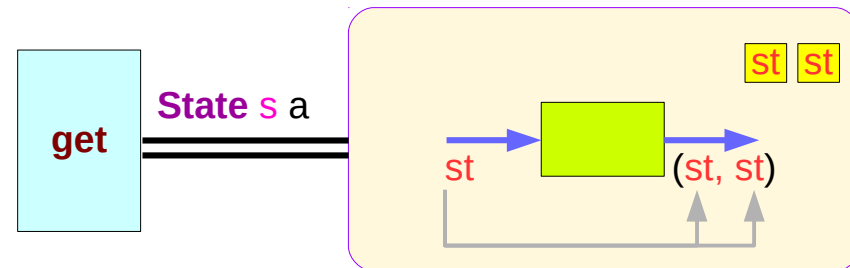
```
1
```

# Simple representation of **put** and **get**

```
put :: s -> State s a
put s :: State s a
put newSt = state $ \_ -> ((), newSt)
```



```
get :: State s s
get = state $ \s -> (s, s)
```

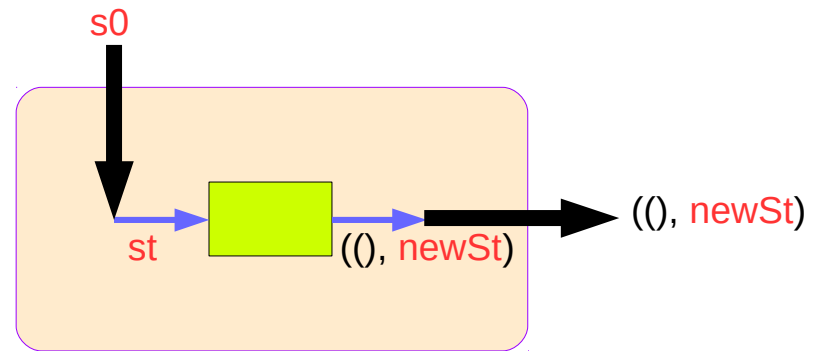


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# Executing the state processor

```
put :: s -> State s a
put newSt = state $ \_ -> ((), newSt)

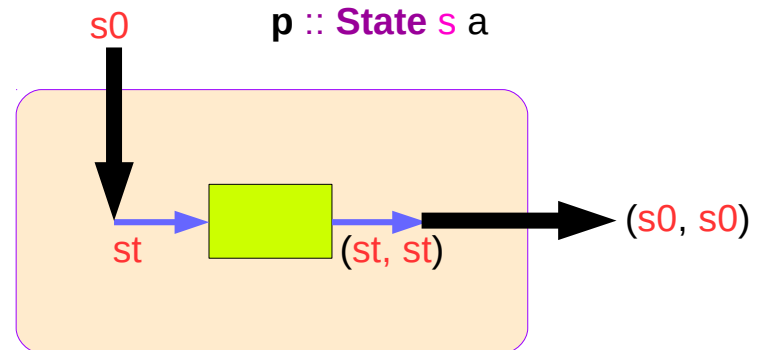
runState (put newSt) s0 → ((), newSt)
```



applying the function

```
get :: State s s
get = state $ \s -> (s, s)

runState (get) s0 → (s0, s0)
```



applying the function

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# State Monad Examples – put

```
runState (put 5) 1
```

```
((),5)
```

```
put
```

set the result value to () and set the state value.

Comments:

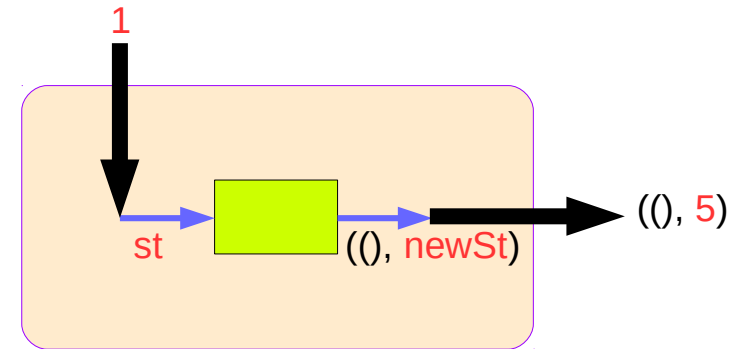
```
put 5 :: State Int ()
```

```
runState (put 5) :: Int -> ((),Int)
```

```
initial state = 1 :: Int
```

```
final value = () :: ()
```

```
final state = 5 :: Int
```



```
put :: s -> State s a
```

```
put newState = state $ \_ -> ((), newState)
```

[https://wiki.haskell.org/State\\_Monad](https://wiki.haskell.org/State_Monad)

# State Monad Examples – get

```
runState get 1
```

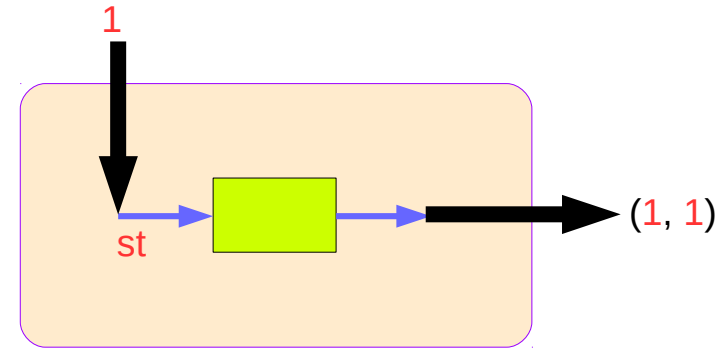
```
(1,1)
```

```
get
```

set the result value to the state and leave the state unchanged.

Comments:

```
get :: State Int Int
runState get :: Int -> (Int, Int)
initial state = 1 :: Int
final value = 1 :: Int
final state = 1 :: Int
```



```
get :: State s s
```

```
get = state $ \s -> (s, s)
```

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# Think an unwrapped state processor

```
(return 5) → 1 -> (5,1) -- a way of thinking  
get         → 1 -> (1,1) -- a way of thinking  
(put 5)    → 1 -> ((),5) -- a way of thinking
```

Think an **unwrapped** state processor

a value of type (**State** *s* *a*) is  
a **function** from **initial state** *s*  
to **final value** *a* and **final state** *s*: (*a*,*s*).

these are usually wrapped,  
but shown here unwrapped for simplicity.


```
(return 5) → state(1 -> (5,1)) -- an actual way  
get         → state(1 -> (1,1)) -- an actual way  
(put 5)    → state(1 -> ((),5)) -- an actual way
```


**wrapping** the state processor

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# State Monad Examples – return, get, and put

Return leaves the state unchanged and sets the result:

-- ie: `(return 5)`            `1 -> (5,1)`      -- a way of thinking


`runState (return 5) 1`  `(5,1)`


Get leaves state unchanged and sets the result to the state:

-- ie: `get`            `1 -> (1,1)`      -- a way of thinking

`runState get 1`  `(1,1)`

Put sets the result to () and sets the state:

-- ie: `(put 5)`            `1 -> ((),5)`      -- a way of thinking

`runState (put 5) 1`  `((),5)`

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# State Monad Examples – modify and gets

```
modify :: (s -> s) -> State s ()
```

```
modify f = do { x <- get; put (f x) }
```

```
gets :: (s -> a) -> State s a
```

```
gets f = do { x <- get; return (f x) }
```

```
runState (modify (+1)) 1          (+1) 1 → 2 :: s
```

➡ ((),2)

```
runState (gets (+1)) 1          (+1) 1 → 2 :: a
```

➡ (2,1)

```
evalState (gets (+1)) 1          → :: s state
```

➡ 2

```
execState (gets (+1)) 1          → :: a result
```

➡ 1

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```
x <- get; put (f x)
```

```
x <- get; return (f x)
```

- inside a monad instance
- unwrapped implementations of **modify** and **gets**

# Unwrapped Implementation – return, get, and put

Return leaves the state unchanged and sets the result:

-- ie: `(return 5)`       $\rightarrow$       `1 -> (5,1)`      -- a way of thinking

`return` :: `a -> State s a`

`return x s = (x,s)`

Get leaves state unchanged and sets the result to the state:

-- ie: `get`       $\rightarrow$       `1 -> (1,1)`      -- a way of thinking

`get` :: `State s s`

`get s = (s,s)`

Put sets the result to () and sets the state:

-- ie: `(put 5)`       $\rightarrow$       `1 -> ((),5)`      -- a way of thinking

`put` :: `s -> State s ()`

`put x s = ((),x)`

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`(x,s)`

`(s,s)`

`((),x)`

- inside a monad instance
- unwrapped implementations of `return`, `get`, and `put`

# Counter using State Monad

`execState get 0` → 0

set the value of the counter using put:

`execState (put 1) 0` → 1

set the state multiple times:

`execState (do put 1; put 2) 0` → 2

modify the state based on its current value:

`execState (do x <- get; put (x + 1)) 0` → 1

`execState (do modify (+ 1)) 0` → 1

`execState (do modify (+ 2); modify (* 5)) 0` → 10

<https://stackoverflow.com/questions/25438575/states-put-and-get-functions>

# The Result of a Stateful Computation

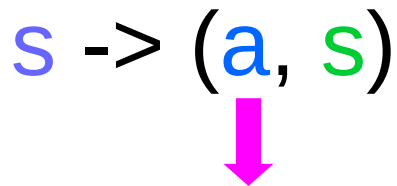
a **stateful computation** is a **function** that takes some **state** and returns a **value** along with some **new state**.

That function would have the following type:

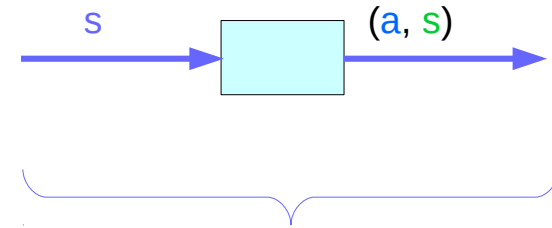
$s \rightarrow (a, s)$

**s** is the type of the **state** and **a** the **result** of the **stateful computation**.

$s \rightarrow (a, s)$



$s \rightarrow (a, s)$



a function is an executable data when executed, a result is produced **action, execution, result**

<http://learnyouahaskell.com/for-a-few-monads-more>

# Stateful Computations Inside the State Monad

inside a monad,

when `sc` is a **stateful computation**

then the result of the stateful computation `sc`

can be assigned to `x`

```
x <- sc
```

`s`  $\rightarrow$  `(a, s)`  
↓  
the result type

`sc` :: `State s a`

`x` :: `a` (the execution result of `sc`)

<https://stackoverflow.com/questions/11250328/working-with-the-state-monad-in-haskell>

# get inside the State Monad

inside the **State** monad,

**get** returns the current monad instance

whose type is **State s a**

```
x <- get
```

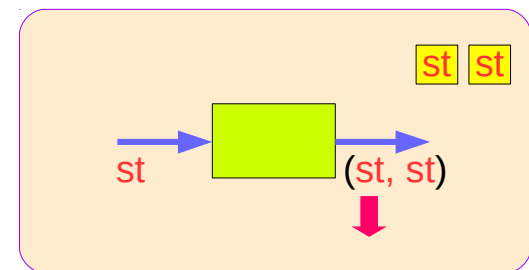
the **stateful computation** is performed

over the current monad instance returned by **get**

the result of the **stateful computation** is **st::s**

thus x will get the **st**

$x :: a$  the execution result of **get**



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# Getting the current state inside the State Monad

inside the **State** monad,

**get** returns the current monad instance

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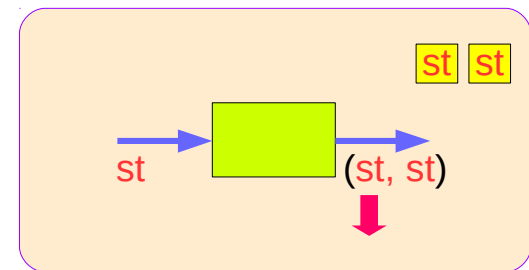
to get the current state st, do

```
s <- get
```

**s** will have the value of the current state st

this is like **evalState** is called with the current monad instance

- **get**
- **current monad instance**
- **stateful computation**
- **result :: s**



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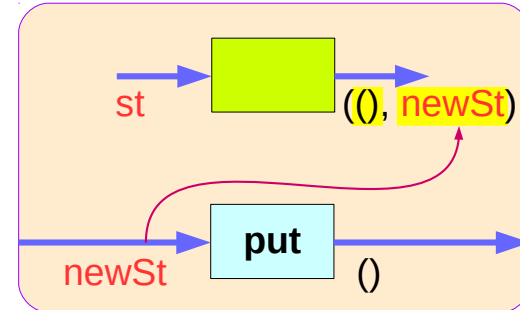
# put and get inside State Monad

```
put :: s -> State s a
put newSt = state $ \_ -> ((), newSt)
```

```
put :: s -> ()
the result type :: ()
```

-- a way of thinking

stateful computation of put



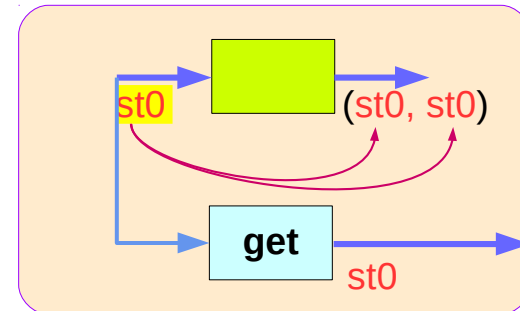
```
get :: State s s
get = state $ \s -> (s, s)
```

```
get :: s
the result type :: s
```

```
return x s = (x, s)
get s = (s, s)
put x s = ((), x)
```

-- a way of thinking  
-- no such a function

stateful computation of get



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# Inside Functions and runState Functions

Most monads are equipped with some "run" functions such as `runState`, `execState`, and so forth.

But, frequent calling such functions inside the monad shows that the functionality of the monad does not fully exploited

```
let p = state (ly -> (y, y+1))

s0 <- get
let (a,s1) = runState p s0
put s1

a <- p
```

-- read the state of the current instance

-- pass the state to `p`, get new state

-- save new state

-- the stateful computation `p` updates the state to `s1`

-- the result of the state returned is assigned to `a`

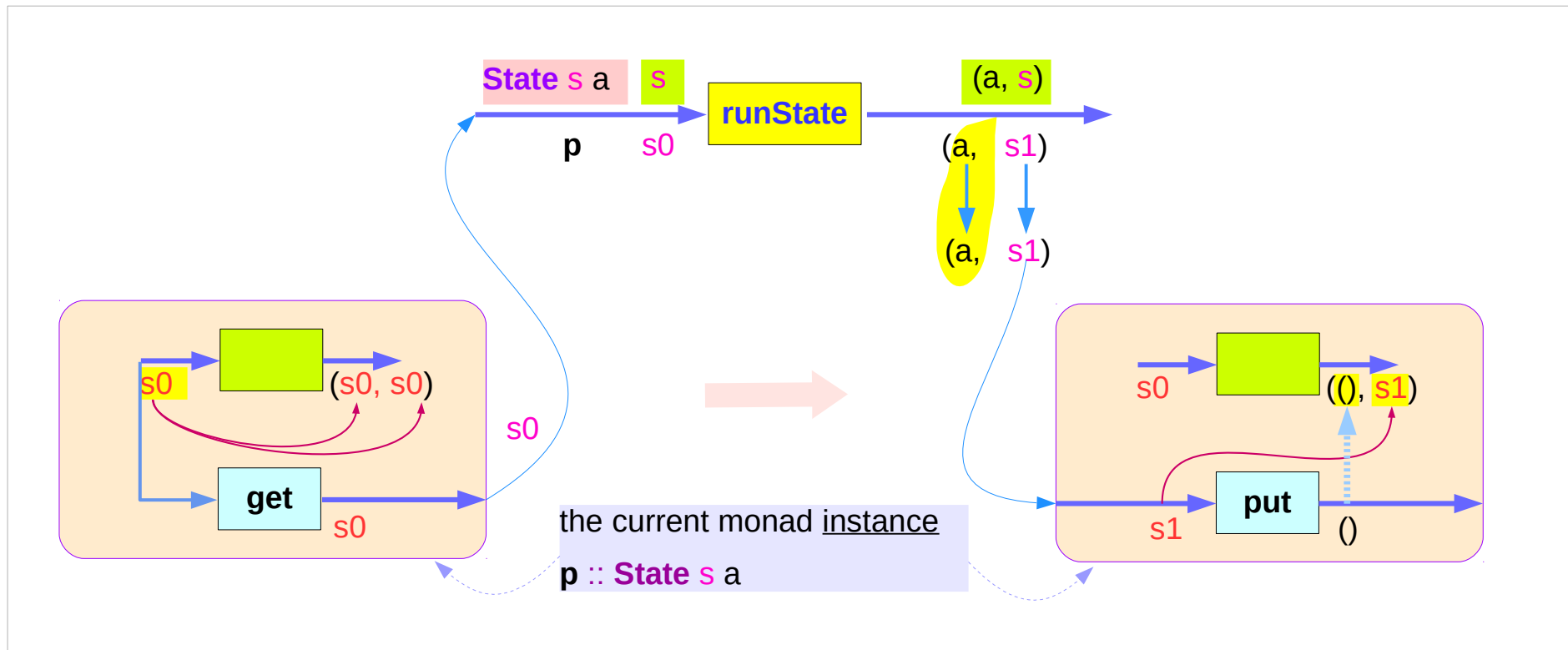
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# Redundant computation examples (1)

```
s0 <- get  
let (a,s1) = runState p s0  
put s1
```

the same binding variable  $a$   
the same state  $s1$

```
a <- p
```



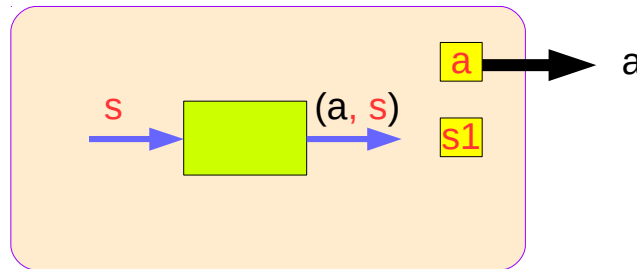
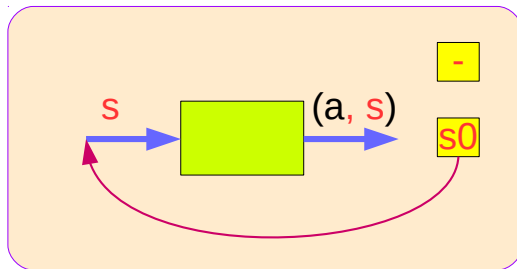
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# Redundant computation examples (2)

```
a <- p
```

-- the stateful computation **p** updates the state to **s1**  
-- the result of the state returned is assigned to **a**

**p** :: State s a



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# Counter Example

```
import Control.Monad.State.Lazy

tick :: State Int Int
tick = do n <- get
         put (n+1)
         return n

plusOne :: Int -> Int
plusOne n = execState tick n

plus :: Int -> Int -> Int
plus n x = execState (sequence $ replicate n tick) x
```

A function to increment a counter.

**tick :**

- a monadic value itself
- ~~a function returning a monadic value~~

Add one to the given number using the state monad:

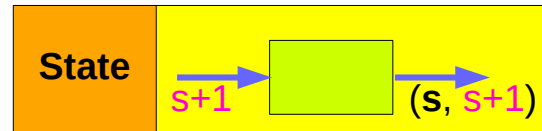
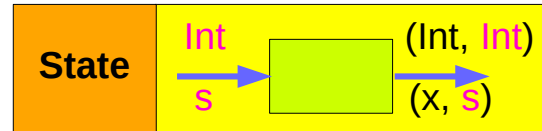
A contrived addition example. Works only with positive numbers:

<https://hackage.haskell.org/package/mtl-2.2.2/docs/Control-Monad-State-Lazy.html>

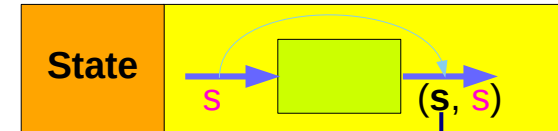
# Counter Example – tick

```
tick :: State Int Int
tick = do n <- get
         put (n+1)
         return n
```

tick :: State Int Int

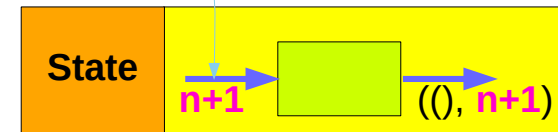


get

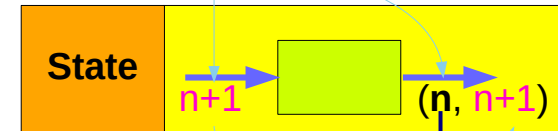


n

put (n+1)



return n

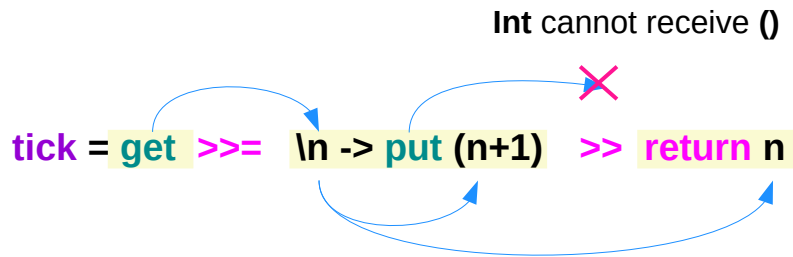


n

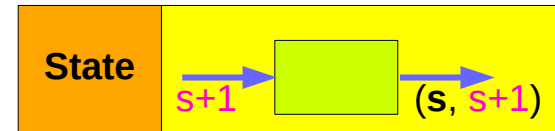
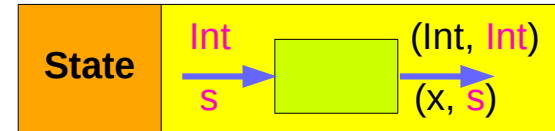
<https://hackage.haskell.org/package/mtl-2.2.2/docs/Control-Monad-State-Lazy.html>

# Counter Example – tick without **do**

```
tick :: State Int Int
tick = do n <- get
         put (n+1)
         return n
```



```
tick :: State Int Int
```

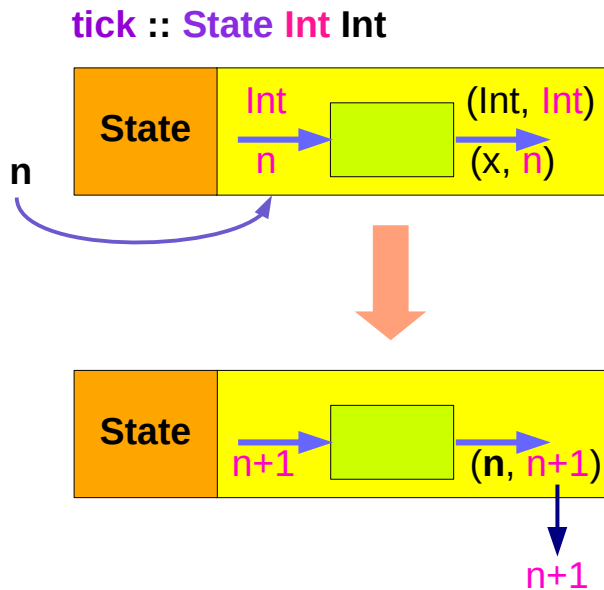


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# Counter Example – incrementing

```
tick :: State Int Int
tick = do n <- get
         put (n+1)
         return n
```

```
plusOne :: Int -> Int
plusOne n = execState tick n
```



<https://hackage.haskell.org/package/mtl-2.2.2/docs/Control-Monad-State-Lazy.html>

# Counter Example – using sequence

```
plus :: Int -> Int -> Int
```

```
plus n x = execState (sequence $ replicate n tick) x
```

```
sequence $ [tick1, tick2, ..., tickn]
```

```
runState (sequence $ [tick, tick]) 3 → ([3,4],5)
```

```
runState (sequence $ [tick, tick, tick]) 3 → ([3,4,5],6)
```

```
execState (sequence $ [tick, tick, tick]) 3 → 6
```

```
evalState (sequence $ [tick, tick, tick]) 3 → [3,4,5]
```

<https://hackage.haskell.org/package/mtl-2.2.2/docs/Control-Monad-State-Lazy.html>



# replicate

```
replicate :: Int -> a -> [a]
```

**replicate** **n** **x** is a list of length **n** with **x** the value of every element.

```
replicate 3 5
```

```
[5,5,5]
```

```
replicate 5 "aa"
```

```
["aa","aa","aa","aa","aa"]
```

```
replicate 5 'a'
```

```
"aaaaa"
```

[http://zvon.org/other/haskell/Outputprelude/replicate\\_f.html](http://zvon.org/other/haskell/Outputprelude/replicate_f.html)

# sequence

```
sequence :: Monad m => [m a] -> m [a]
```

evaluate **each action** in the sequence from left to right,  
and collect the **results**.

```
runState (sequence [get, return 3, return 4 ]) 1
```

```
([1,3,4],1)
```

```
runState get 1      (1,1)      result: 1
```

```
runState (return 3) 1 (3,1)      result: 3
```

```
runState (return 4) 1 (4,1)      result: 4
```

<http://derekwyatt.org/2012/01/25/haskell-sequence-over-functions-explained/>

# Example of collecting returned values

```
collectUntil f comp = do
  st <- get           -- Get the current state
  if f st then return [] -- If it satisfies predicate, return
  else do            -- Otherwise...
    x <- comp        -- Perform the computation s
    xs <- collectUntil f comp -- Perform the rest of the computation
    return (x:xs)    -- Collect the results and return them
```

**comp** :: State s a

**st** :: s

**x** :: a

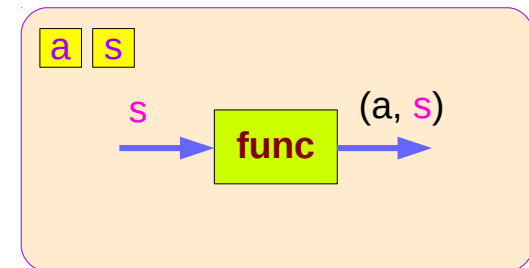
**xs** :: [a]

```
simpleState = state (\x -> (x,x+1))
```

```
*Main> evalState (collectUntil (>10) simpleState) 0
```

```
[0,1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10]
```

**simpleState** :: State s a



<https://stackoverflow.com/questions/11250328/working-with-the-state-monad-in-haskell>

# Example of collecting – stateful computations

```
collectUntil f comp = do
  st <- get
  if f st then return []
  else do
    x <- comp
    xs <- collectUntil f comp
    return (x:xs)
```

```
simpleState = state (\x -> (x,x+1))
```

```
*Main> evalState (collectUntil (>10) simpleState) 0
[0,1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10]
```

get	st ← 0	comp :	0 → (0, 1)	x ← 0
get	st ← 1	comp :	1 → (1, 2)	x ← 1
get	st ← 2	comp :	2 → (2, 3)	x ← 2
get	st ← 3	comp :	3 → (3, 4)	x ← 3
get	st ← 4	comp :	4 → (4, 5)	x ← 4
get	st ← 5	comp :	5 → (5, 6)	x ← 5
get	st ← 6	comp :	6 → (6, 7)	x ← 6
get	st ← 7	comp :	7 → (7, 8)	x ← 7
get	st ← 8	comp :	8 → (8, 9)	x ← 8
get	st ← 9	comp :	9 → (9, 10)	x ← 9
get	st ← 10	comp :	10 → (10, 11)	x ← 10

stateful computation

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# Example of collecting – the return type

```
collectUntil f comp = do
  st <- get
  if f st then return [ ] ----- return State t [a] type
  else do
    x <- comp -- stateful computation
    xs <- collectUntil f comp
    return (x:xs) ----- return State t [a] type
```

**nesting do** statements is possible  
if they are within the same monad

enables **branching** within one do block,  
as long as both branches of the **if statement**  
results in the same monadic type.

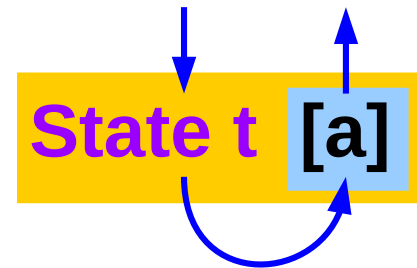
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# Example of collecting – another stateful computation

```
collectUntil f comp = do
  st <- get
  if f st then return []
  else do
    x <- comp
    xs <- collectUntil f comp
    return (x:xs)
```

```
return :: State t [a] type
collectUntil f comp :: State t [a] type
xs <- collectUntil f comp -- stateful computation
xs :: [a]
```

$t \rightarrow ([a], t)$   
↓  
the result type



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# Example of collecting – the function type

## Inferred Function Type

```
collectUntil :: Monad State t m => (t -> Bool) -> m a -> m [a]
```

m → State t

## Specific Function Type

```
collectUntil :: (t -> Bool) -> State t a -> State t [a]
```

```
(>10) :: (t -> Bool)
```

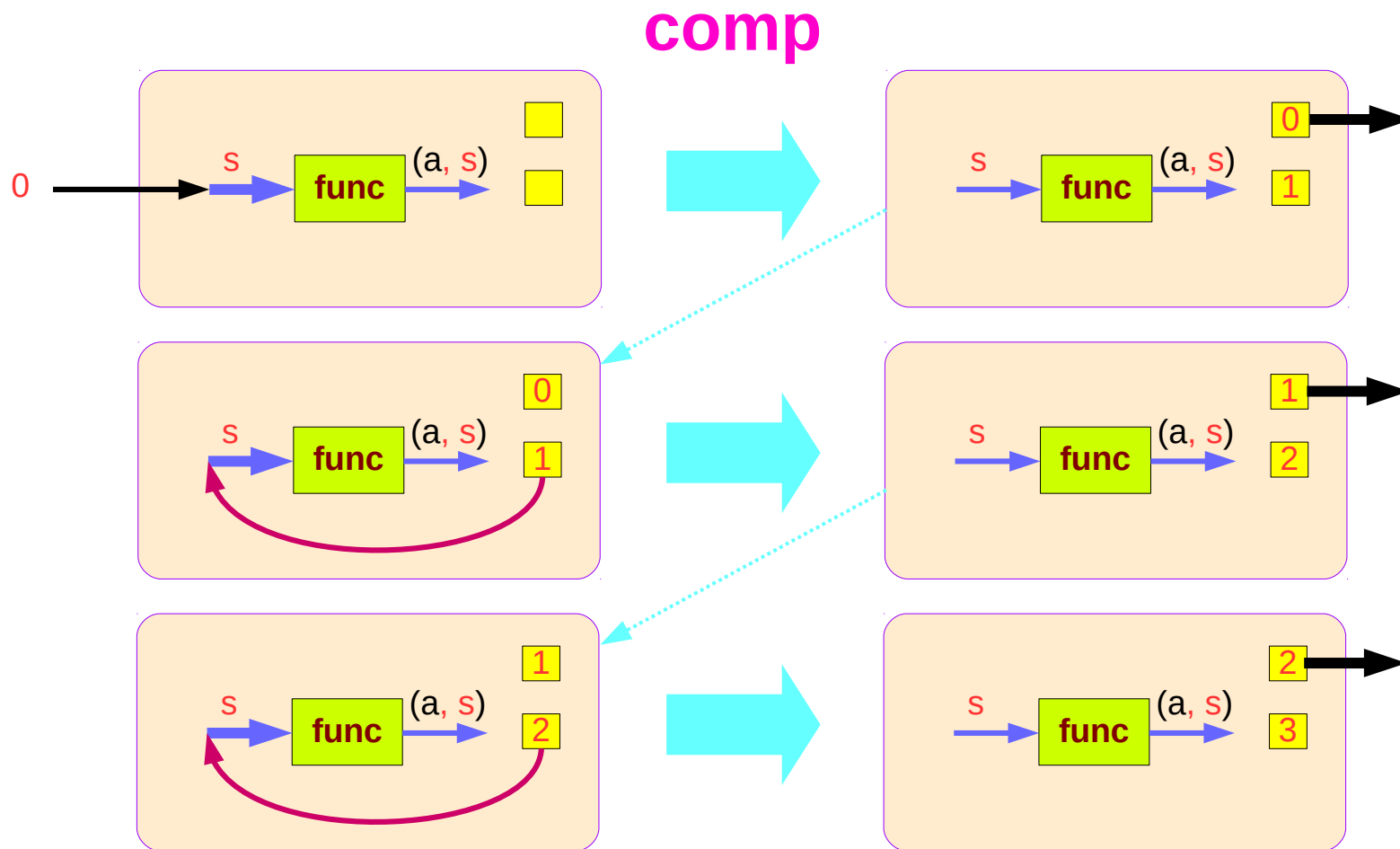
```
SimpleState :: State t a
```

```
*Main> evalState (collectUntil (>10) simpleState) 0
```

```
simpleState = state (\x -> (x,x+1))
```

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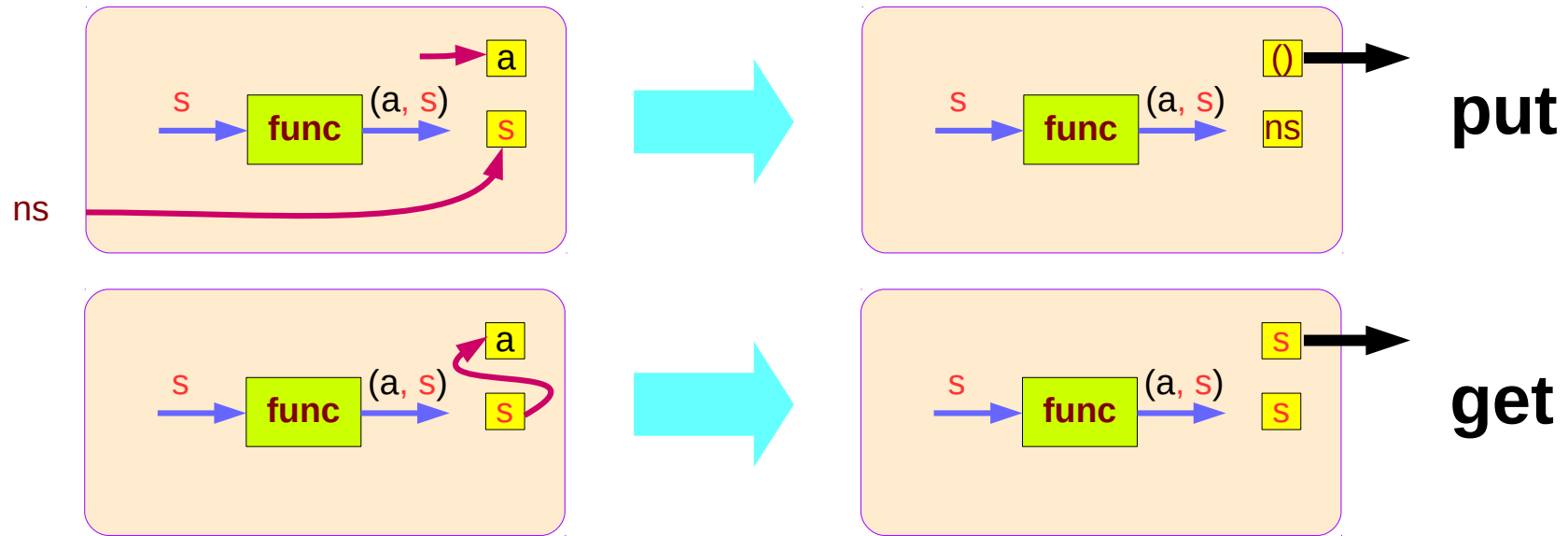
# Stateful Computation of **comp**



<https://stackoverflow.com/questions/11250328/working-with-the-state-monad-in-haskell>



# Stateful Computations of `put` & `get`



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# Another example of collecting returned values

```
collectUntil :: (s -> Bool) -> State s a -> State s [a]
```

```
collectUntil f comp = step
```

```
where
```

```
step = do a <- comp -- updating stateful computation
```

```
liftM (a :) continue
```

```
continue = do comp' <- get -- current state getting stateful computation
```

```
if f comp' then return []
```

```
else step
```

```
simpleState = state (\x -> (x,x+1))
```

```
*Main> evalState (collectUntil (>10) simpleState) 0
```

```
[0,1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10]
```

<https://stackoverflow.com/questions/11250328/working-with-the-state-monad-in-haskell>

# Another example – lifting to merge

```
collectUntil :: (s -> Bool) -> State s a -> State s [a]
collectUntil f comp = step
  where
    step = do a <- comp
             liftM (a :) continue
    continue = do comp' <- get
                if f comp' then return []
                else step
```

```
(:) :: a -> [a] -> [a]
```

```
(++) :: [a] -> [a] -> [a]
```

```
(:) :: a -> [a] -> [a]
```

```
LiftM (:) :: a -> State s [a] -> State s [a]
```

```
(a :) :: [a] -> [a]
```

```
LiftM (a :) :: State s [a] -> State s [a]
```

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# Another example – the return type

```
collectUntil :: (s -> Bool) -> State s a -> State s [a]
```

```
collectUntil f comp = step
```

```
where
```

```
step = do a <- comp
```

-- updating stateful computation

```
liftM (a :) continue
```

```
continue = do comp' <- get
```

-- current state getting stateful computation

```
if f comp' then return []
```

```
else step
```

```
simpleState = state (\x -> (x,x+1))
```

```
*Main> evalState (collectUntil (>10) simpleState) 0
```

```
[0,1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10]
```

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# Another example – sequence comparison

```
collectUntil :: (s -> Bool) -> State s a -> State s [a]
collectUntil f s = step
  where
    step = do a <- s           -- update & result return
            liftM (a :) continue
    continue = do s' <- get    -- current state check
                if f s' then return []
                else step
```

**update** and **check** the current state  
And then **merge**

Since **a** is part of the result  
in both branches of the 'if'

**a** is the common part of both  
'then' part and 'else' part

```
collectUntil f comp = do
  st <- get           -- current state check
  if f st then return []
  else do
    x <- comp         -- update & result return
    xs <- collectUntil f comp
  return (x:xs)
```

**check** the current state  
then **update** and **merge**

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# Another example – merge comparison

```
collectUntil :: (s -> Bool) -> State s a -> State s [a]
collectUntil f s = step
  where
    step = do a <- s           -- update & result return
           liftM (a :) continue
    continue = do s' <- get    -- current state check
               if f s' then return []
               else step
```

```
collectUntil f comp = do
  st <- get                   -- current state check
  if f st then return []
  else do
    x <- comp                 -- update & result return
    xs <- collectUntil f comp
    return (x:xs)
```

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# liftM and mapM

```
liftM    :: (Monad m) => (a -> b)    -> m a -> m b
mapM     :: (Monad m) => (a -> m b) -> [a]  -> m [b]
```

**liftM** lifts a function of type `a -> b` to a monadic counterpart.

**mapM** applies a function which yields a monadic value to a list of values,  
yielding list of results embedded in the monad.

```
> liftM (map toUpper) getLine
```

```
Hallo
```

```
"HALLO"
```

```
> :t mapM return "monad"
```

```
mapM return "monad" :: (Monad m) => m [Char]
```

<https://stackoverflow.com/questions/5856709/what-is-the-difference-between-liftm-and-mapm-in-haskell>

# Monad typeclass and Instances

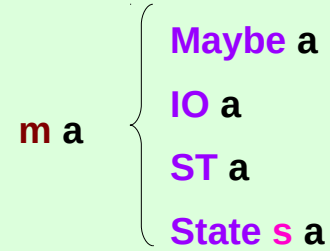
```
class Monad m where
```

```
  return :: a -> m a
```

```
  (>>=) :: m a -> (a -> m b) -> m b
```

```
  (>>) :: m a -> m b -> m b
```

```
  fail :: String -> m a
```



A diagram showing the type `m a` on the left, followed by a large right-facing curly brace. To the right of the brace are four monad instances: `Maybe a`, `IO a`, `ST a`, and `State s a`.

```
instance Monad Maybe where
```

```
  return x = Just x
```

```
  Nothing >>= f = Nothing
```

```
  Just x >>= f = f x
```

```
  fail _ = Nothing
```

```
instance Monad IO where
```

```
  m >> k = m >>= \_ -> k
```

```
  return = ...
```

```
  (>>=) = ...
```

```
  fail s = ...
```



# Default Implementations in `MonadState s m`

```
class Monad m => MonadState s m | m -> s where
```

```
-- | Return the state from the internals of the monad.
```

```
get :: m s
```

```
get = state (\s -> (s, s))
```

```
-- | Replace the state inside the monad.
```

```
put :: s -> m ()
```

```
put s = state (\_ -> ((), s))
```

```
-- | Embed a simple state action into the monad.
```

```
state :: (s -> (a, s)) -> m a
```

```
state f = do
```

```
  s <- get
```

```
  let ~(a, s') = f s
```

```
  put s'
```

```
  return a
```

The `mtl` package

`Control.Monad.State.Class` module

<https://stackoverflow.com/questions/23149318/get-put-and-state-in-monadstate>

# No dead loop in the default implementation

the definitions of **get**, **put**, **state** in the **Monad class declaration**

- the default implementations,
- to be overridden in actual **instances** of the class.

the dead loop in the default definition does not happen:

- **put** and **get** in terms of **state**
- **state** in terms of **put** and **get**

\* minimal definition is *either* both of **get** and **put** or just **state**

```
get :: m s
get = state (\s -> (s, s))

put :: s -> m ()
put s = state (\_ -> ((), s))
```

```
state :: (s -> (a, s)) -> m a
state f = do
  s <- get
  let ~(a, s') = f s
  put s'
  return a
```

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# Functional Dependency | (vertical bar)

```
class Monad m => MonadState s m | m -> s where ...
```

## functional dependencies

to constrain the parameters of type classes.  $s$  and  $m$

$s$  can be determined from  $m$ ,  $m \rightarrow s$

so that  $s$  can be the return type **State**  $s \rightarrow s$

but  $m$  can not be the return type

in a multi-parameter type class,

one of the parameters can be determined from the others,

so that the parameter determined by the others can be the return type

but none of the argument types of some of the methods.

```
class Monad m where
```

```
return :: a -> m a
```

```
(>>=) :: m a -> (a -> m b) -> m b
```

```
(>>) :: m a -> m b -> m b
```

```
fail :: String -> m a
```

$m\ a$

Maybe a

IO a

ST a

State s a

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# Typeclass MonadState s

```
class Monad m => MonadState s m | m -> s where ...
```

**MonadState s**

a typeclass

**instance MonadState s MM where ...**

its type instance itself does not specify values

**MonadState s m =>**

- can be used as class constraint
- all the **Monad m**  
which supports *state operations* with state of type **s**.

:t get

:t put

**s** ← **m** functional dependencies

**m** á **State s** → **s**

state operations  
defined in the  
typeclass definition

<https://stackoverflow.com/questions/25438575/states-put-and-get-functions>

# Types of `get` and `put`

`:t get`    ▶    `get :: MonadState s m => m s`

for all `Monad m` which supports *state operations* over state of type `s`,  
we have a value of type `m s` - that is,  
the monad operation which yields the current state

`get :: m s`

`:t put`    ▶    `put :: MonadState s m => s -> m ()`

a function that takes a value of type `s`  
and returns a polymorphic value  
representing any `Monad m`  
which supports state operations over a state of type `s`

`put :: s -> m ()`

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# Instances of `MonadState s m`

```
class Monad m => MonadState s m | m -> s where
```

The `mtl` package

`Control.Monad.State.Class` module

```
instance Monad m => MonadState s (Lazy.StateT s m) where ...
instance Monad m => MonadState s (Strict.StateT s m) where ...
instance MonadState s m => MonadState s (ContT r m) where ...
instance MonadState s m => MonadState s (ReaderT r m) where ...
instance (Monoid w, MonadState s m) => MonadState s (Lazy.WriterT w m) where ...
instance (Monoid w, MonadState s m) => MonadState s (Strict.WriterT w m) where ...
```

`m`

`Lazy.StateT s m`  
`Strict.StateT s m`  
`ContT r m`  
`ReaderT r m`  
`Lazy.WriterT w m`  
`Strict.WriterT w m`

<https://stackoverflow.com/questions/23149318/get-put-and-state-in-monadstate>

# Instances of the typeclass `MonadState s`

`MonadState s` is the class of types that are `monads` with `state`.

```
instance MonadState s (State s) where
  get = Control.Monad.Trans.State.get
  put = Control.Monad.Trans.State.put
```

```
instance MonadState s (StateT s) where
  get = Control.Monad.Trans.State.get
  put = Control.Monad.Trans.State.put
```

`State s` is an instance of that typeclass:

`StateT s` is an instance of that typeclass:  
(the `state monad transformer`  
which adds `state` to another monad)

<https://stackoverflow.com/questions/25438575/states-put-and-get-functions>

# Overloading get and put

```
instance MonadState s (State s) where
  get = Control.Monad.Trans.State.get
  put = Control.Monad.Trans.State.put
```

This **overloading** was introduced so that if you're using a stack of monad transformers, you do not need to explicitly **lift** operations between different transformers.

If you're not doing that, you can use the simpler operations from transformers.

The **mtl** package provides **auto-lifting**

<https://stackoverflow.com/questions/25438575/states-put-and-get-functions>



# Typeclass Constrain `MonadState s m` (1)

```
class Monad m => MonadState s m | m -> s where ...
```

```
get :: MonadState s m => m s
```

for some monad `m`

storing some state of type `s`,

`get` is an action in `m`

that returns a value of type `s`.

<https://stackoverflow.com/questions/25438575/states-put-and-get-functions>

# Typeclass Constrain `MonadState s m` (2)

```
class Monad m => MonadState s m | m -> s where ...
```

```
put :: MonadState s m => s -> m ()
```

for some monad `m`

`put` is an action in `m`

storing the given state of type `s`,

but returns nothing `()`.

<https://stackoverflow.com/questions/25438575/states-put-and-get-functions>

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