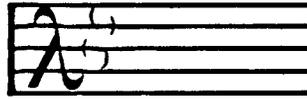


The Key of Lisp



Having asked about the possibility that there are real people out there who use LISP (as opposed to AI People who are known to be non-real) and having received no answers, I can only conclude that LISP is not being used and that it is not, therefore, a real language. I seriously thought that there were folk using the language for advanced applications and for prototyping. I also thought that there might be a few locations in the world where the language was being used for teaching something other than AI.

From the responses I have received to this column, I can only conclude that I have been living in a dream world and that the real world of programming is still being done in Fortran!

Therefore, I announce that this column is being canceled for lack of an audience.

