

# GO TUTORIAL WRAP-UP

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# CORRECTIONS AND CLARIFICATIONS

```
func getHandle(t *int) **int {
    th := new(*int)
    *th = t
    return th
}

// Omit parameter names
func foo(int, string) (float, float) {
    return 2.13, 8.15
}
```

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func main() {
    // Pointers and handles
    x := new(int)
    *x = 42
    xh := getHandle(x)
    fmt.Println("xh:", xh)
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    // -----
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```
func bar(a int) (abs int) {  
    if a < 0 {  
        abs = -a  
    } else {  
        abs = a  
    }  
    fmt.Println("abs: ", a)  
    return  
}
```

Named return parameter

Can omit expressions



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# CAT: USING INTERFACES

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# POLYMORPHISM VIA INTERFACES



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// Insertion sort

```
func Sort(data Sortable) {
    for i := 1; i < data.Len(); i++ {
        for j := i; j > 0 && data.Less(j, j-1); j-- {
            data.Swap(j, j-1)
        }
    }
}
```

sort package calls this `sort.Interface`

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An interface type is a  
set of methods

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// Need to define a local alias for []int so we can add methods
type IntArray []int

func (p IntArray) Len() int {
    return len(p)
}

func (p IntArray) Less(i, j int) bool {
    return p[i] < p[j]
}

func (p IntArray) Swap(i, j int) {
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```
func main() {  
    data := []int{42, 2, 13, 1024, 8, 15}  
    a := IntArray(data)  
    Sort(a)  
    fmt.Println(data)  
}
```

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# STRINGER

Canonical name

```
type Stringer interface {
    String() string
}

// fmt.Stringer
func (fn FullName) String() string {
    return fn.firstName + " " + fn.lastName
}
```

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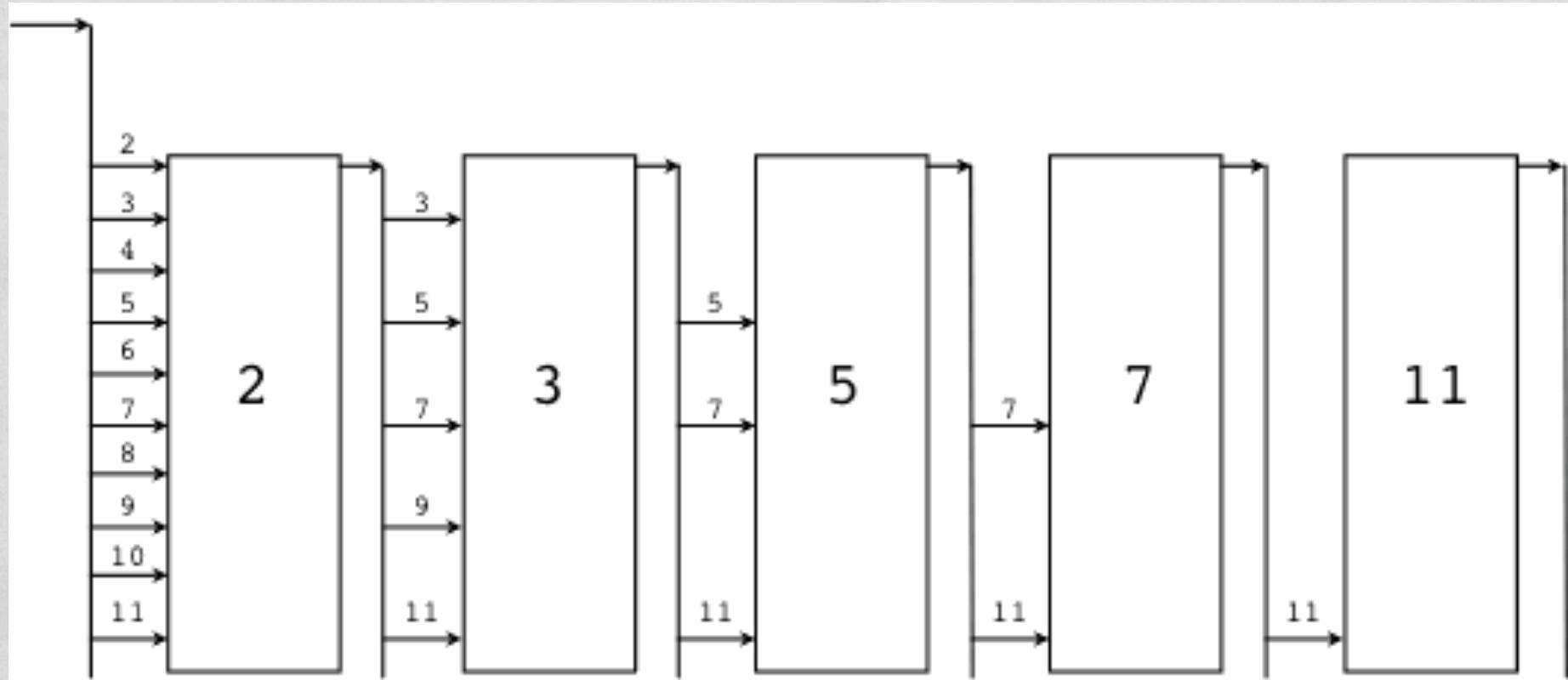
// Inside fmt package
s, ok := v.(Stringer)
if ok {
    result = s.String()
} else {
    result = defaultOutput(v)
}
```



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# SIEVE!

# PRIME NUMBER SIEVE



[http://golang.org/doc/go\\_tutorial.html](http://golang.org/doc/go_tutorial.html)

# CHANNELS

- Connect two concurrent computations



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# GOROUTINES

```
func generate(out chan int) {  
    for i:=2; ; i++ {  
        out <- i  
    }  
}
```

Send *i* over channel

- Concurrently executing computations
- Run in parallel
- Share the same heap (be careful!)

```
func main() {  
    ch := make(chan int)  
    go generate(ch)  
    for {  
        fmt.Println(<-ch, " ")  
    }  
}
```

Receive value from channel

Go Go Gadget! Generate!