

# HEAP

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type IntList = ...;    {linked list of integers}
   Symbol   = array [1..2] of Char;
   SymList  = ...;    {linked list of symbols}

var ns: IntList; ps: SymList;

procedure insertI (i: Integer; var l: IntList);
   ...;    {Insert a node containing i at the front of list l.}

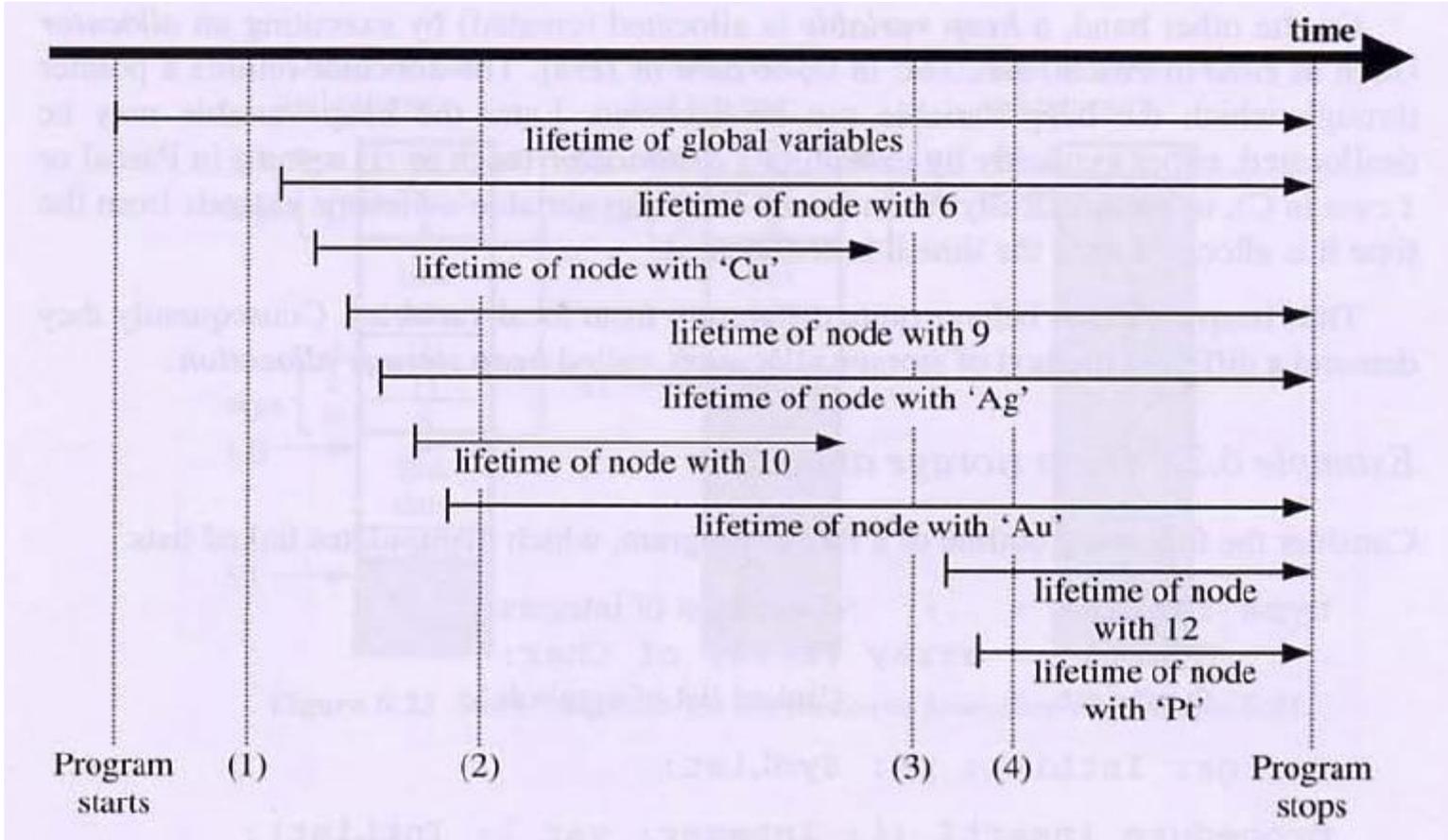
procedure deleteI (i: Integer; var l: IntList);
   ...;    {Delete the first node containing i from list l.}

procedure insertS (s: Symbol; var l: SymList);
   ...;    {Insert a node containing s at the front of list l.}

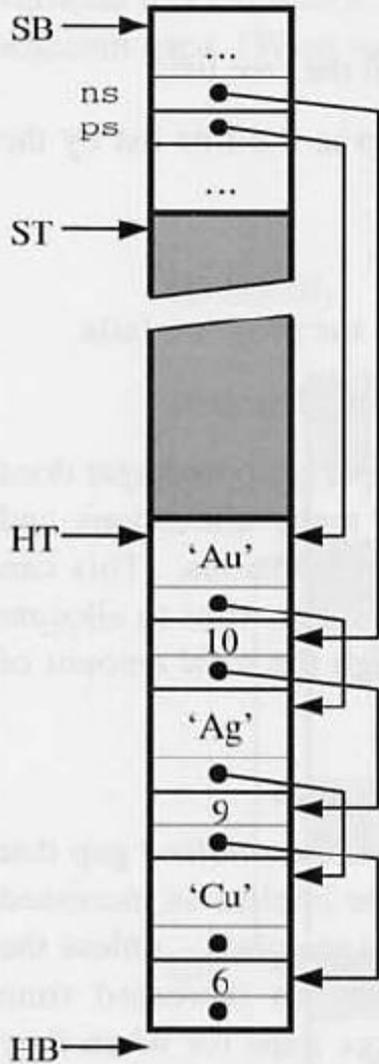
procedure deleteS (s: Symbol; var l: SymList);
   ...;    {Delete the first node containing s from list l.}

...
ns := nil;          ps := nil;          (1)
insertI(6, ns);    insertS('Cu', ps);
insertI(9, ns);    insertS('Ag', ps);
insertI(10, ns);   insertS('Au', ps);   (2)
deleteI(10, ns); deleteS('Cu', ps); (3)
insertI(12, ns);   insertS('Pt', ps);   (4)

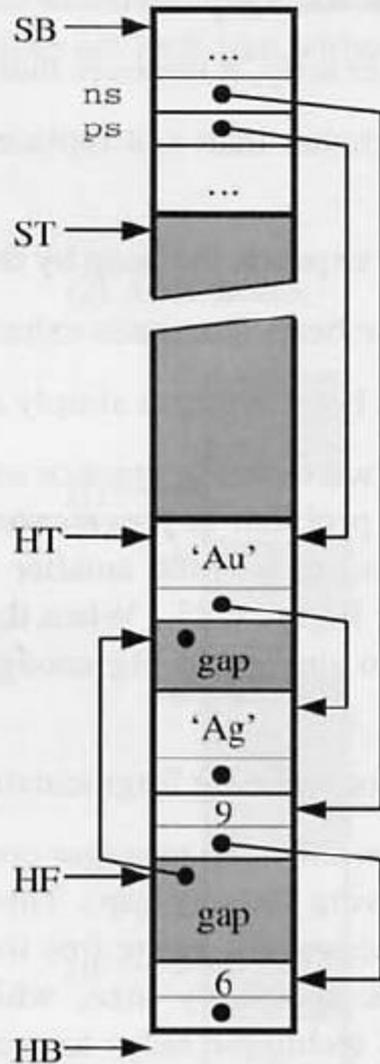
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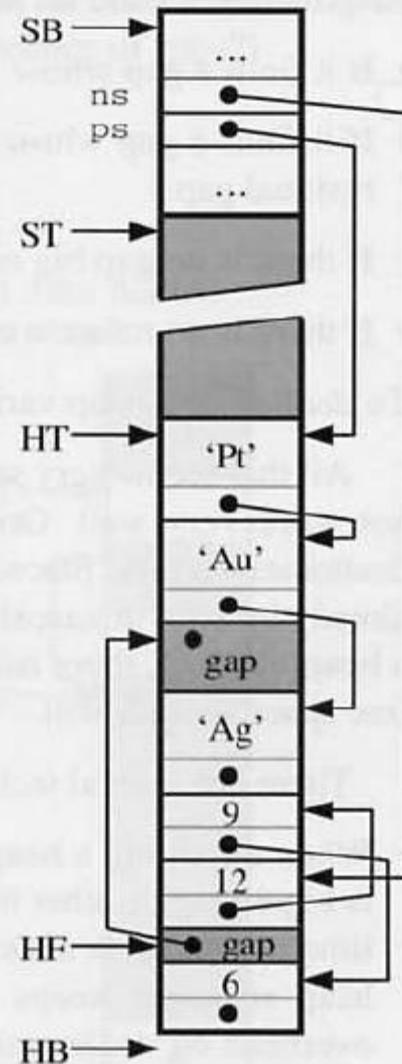
(2) After allocating several heap variables:



(3) After deallocating some heap variables:



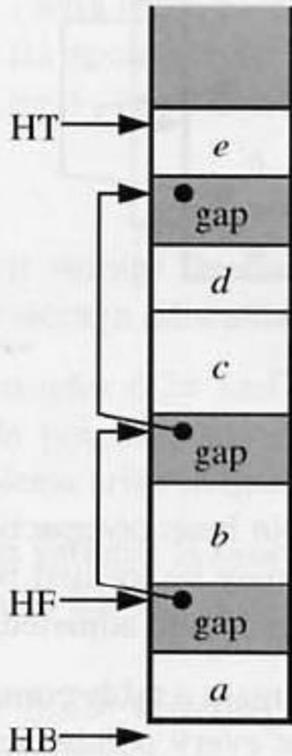
(4) After allocating more heap variables:



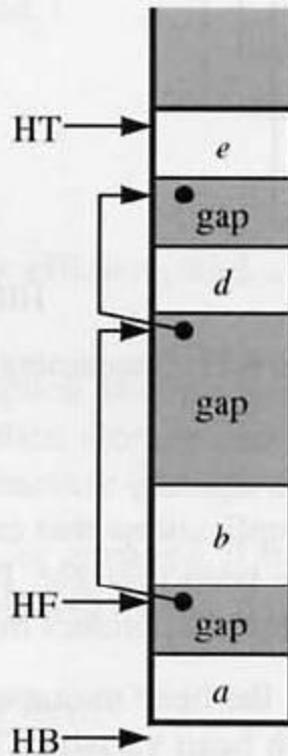
# Estratégias:

1. Manter uma lista de blocos livres
  1. Alocar no primeiro bloco livre com tamanho que seja suficiente para a nova variável.
  2. Alocar no primeiro bloco livre com o menor tamanho mas que seja suficiente para a nova variável.
2. Fazer coalescência de blocos livres.
3. Compactar o heap.

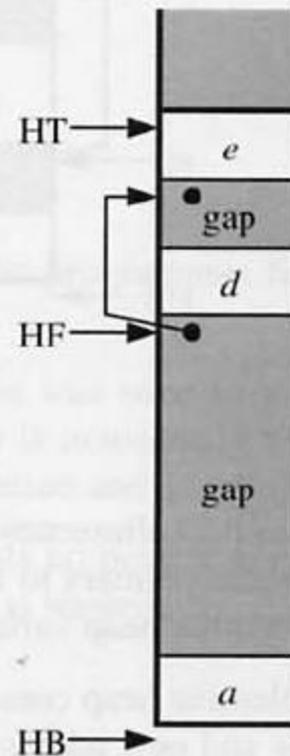
(1) Initially:



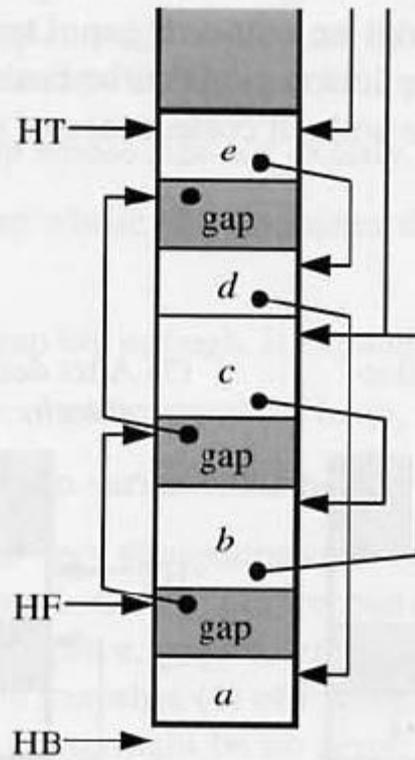
(2) After deallocating *c*:



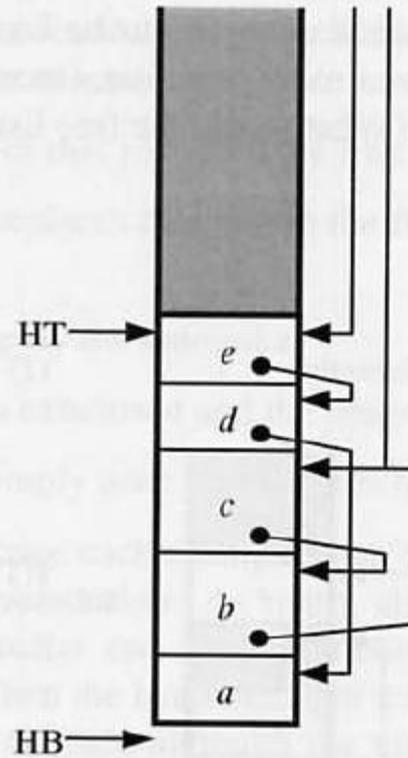
(3) After deallocating *b*:



(1) Initially:



(2) After compacting the heap:

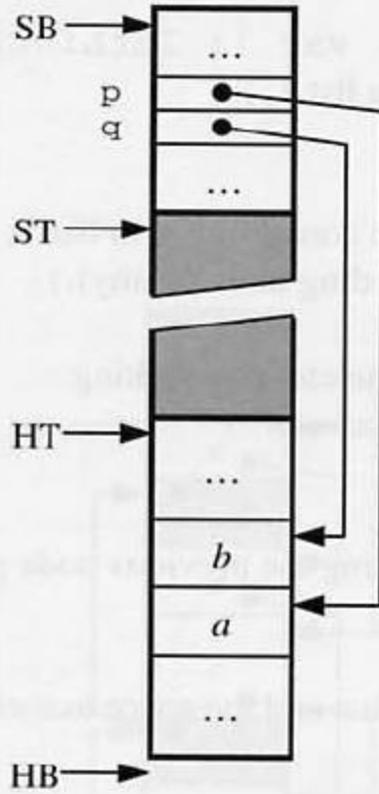


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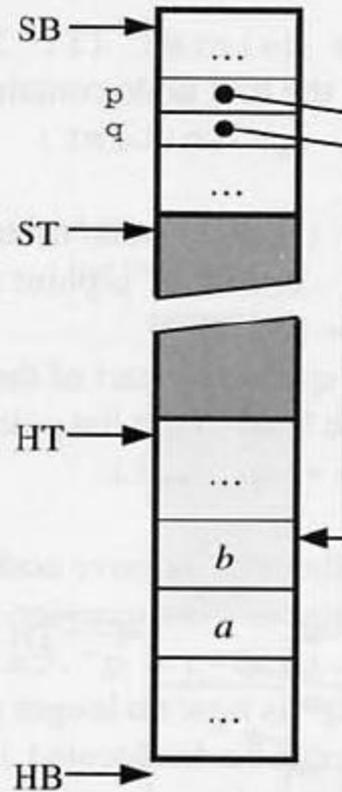
procedure deleteI (i: Integer; var l: IntList);
  {Delete the first node containing i from list l.}
  var p, q: IntList;
  begin
  ...;    {Make q point to the first node containing i in list l,
           and make p point to the preceding node (if any).}
  if q = l then
    {If q is at the start of the list, then delete it by making
     the head of the list point to q's successor. }
    l := q^.tail
  else
    {Otherwise remove node q by making the previous node p
     point to q's successor. }
    p^.tail := q^.tail;
  {Node q^ is now no longer part of the list and the space associated
   with it can be deallocated.}
  dispose (q)
  end {deleteI}

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(1) Initially:

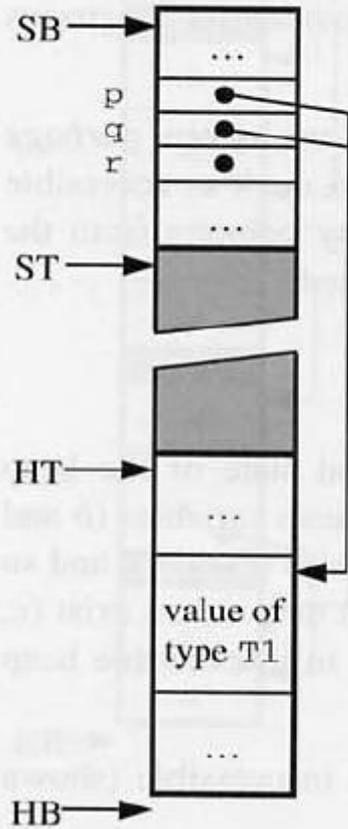


(2) After  $p := q$ :

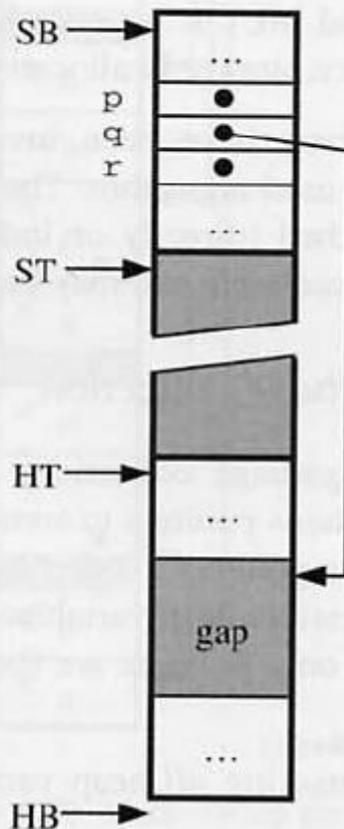


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var p, q: ^T1; r: ^T2;  
...  
new(p); p^ := value of type T1;  
q := p;  
...;  
dispose(p); (2)  
...;  
new(r); r^ := value of type T2; (3)  
...;  
q^ := value of type T1; (4)
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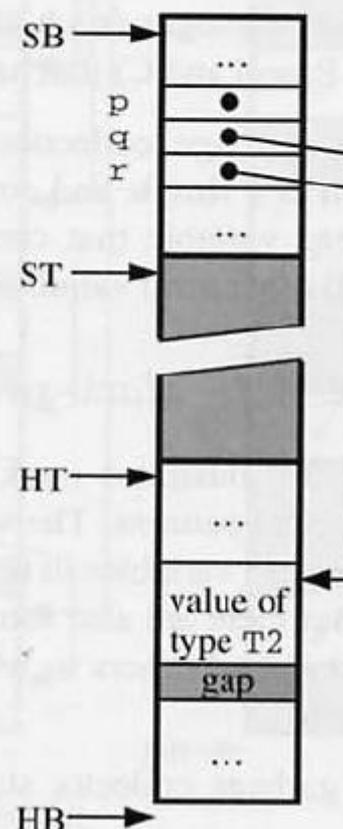
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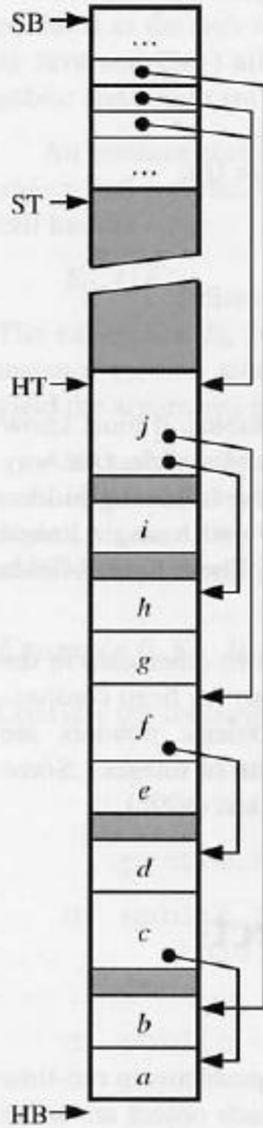
(2) After dispose (p):



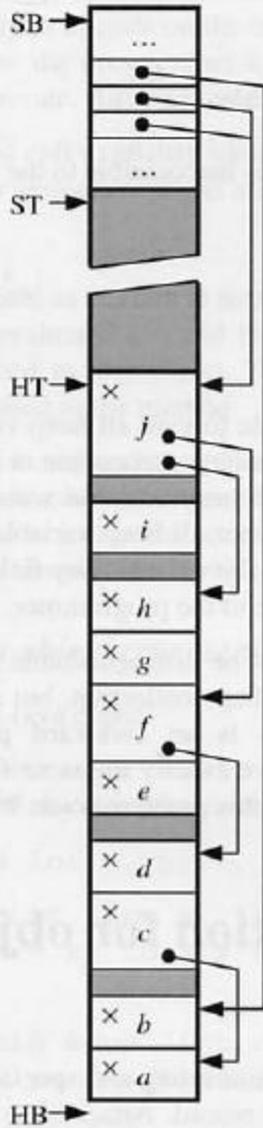
(3) After new (r) ; r^ := ...:



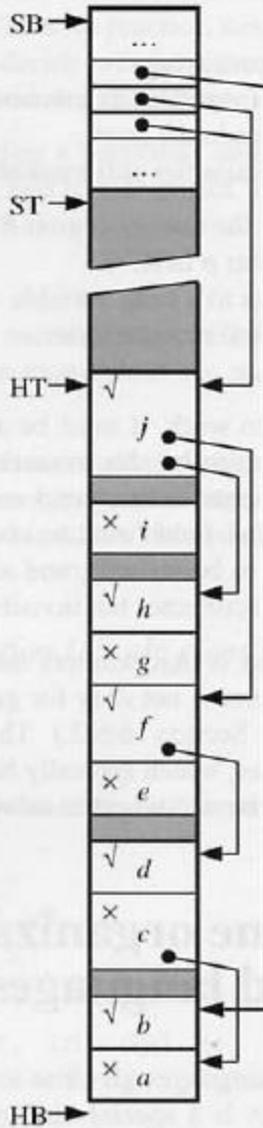
(1) Just before garbage collection:



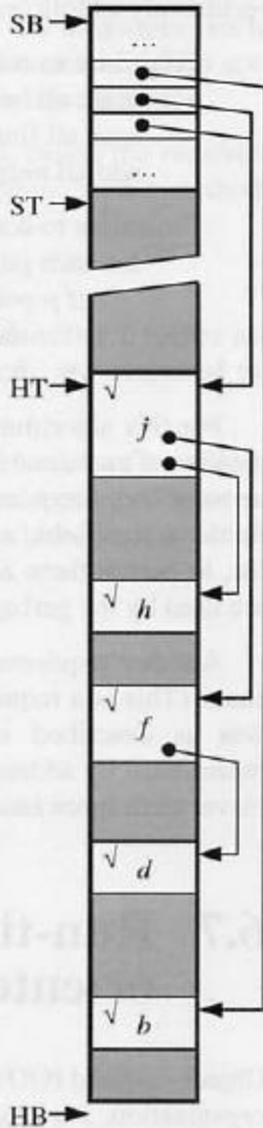
(2) After marking all heap variables as inaccessible:



(3) After marking all accessible heap variables:



(4) After sweeping all inaccessible heap variables:



Procedure to collect garbage:

- mark all heap variables as inaccessible;

- scan all frames in the stack;

- add all heap variables still marked as inaccessible to the free list.

Procedure to scan the storage region  $R$ :

- for each pointer  $p$  in  $R$ :

  - if  $p$  points to a heap variable  $v$  that is marked as inaccessible:

    - mark  $v$  as accessible;

    - scan  $v$ .