THE ANCIENT WIZARDS OF THE LAB

KNIGHT TV VECTOR VIGIL · MIT AI LAB · 1974

7-TRK REEL

PDP-10 KA10

BLDG 26

MIT 1974

KNIGHT TV
64-LINE
DISPLAY

36-BIT
WORD

(CAR X)
(CDR X)
(CONS A B)
(LAMBDA)

**NO LOCKS
OPEN LAB**

ACT I

PAPER TAPE

ITS KERNEL

9TH FLOOR

545 TECH

LISP 1.5
HAKMEM
MIDAS

NO LOGIN
NO PASSWD

READ ALL
STUDY ALL
PATCH ALL
SHARE ALL

**LISP
ELDERS**

1974

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PDP-10
36-BIT

LISP 1.5 CODEX

(EVAL '((LAMBDA (CODE) (SHARE CODE)) LAB))

MIT AI Lab · 1974

THE LAB OATH

- No secret locks
- No closed doors
- Share every hack

FREE THE SOURCE

LISP 1.5 MANUAL
HAKMEM 1972

TOP λ META SUPER HYPER CALL EVAL CAR CDR CONS QUOTE FREE

IBM 5081 · 1974
SHARE THE CODE

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“In the shadow of the lab, where the ancient wizards play — Guarding the open flame before the breaking day”

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