



**“It ain’t no good if it ain’t
snappy enough.”
(Efficient Computations)**

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Administrative stuff

- Readings avail. from course web page
- Feedback form on course web page; fully anonymous.
- HW1 due Thurs.
- Reminder for this week's lab:
 - Make sure you understand pseudocode.
 - Come to lab with questions.
- Preview of upcoming topics:
 - Cool lecture on computer music + lab
 - Lab: Getting creative with Scribbler: art/music/dance
 - Lecture + Lab: Computer graphics
 - ...



Discussion Time

In what ways (according to Brian Hayes) is the universe like a cellular automaton?