A lemma which might be true, but can also be false, is as follows:

If (1) 
$$
v_1 \succ_{der} c_r v_2
$$
,  
\n(2)  $\vdash v_1 : der \, c \, r$ , and  
\n(3)  $\vdash v_2 : der \, c \, r$  holds,  
\nthen *inj*  $r \, c \, v_1 \succ_r inj \, r \, c \, v_2$  also holds.

It essentially states that if one value  $v_1$  is bigger than  $v_2$  then this ordering is preserved under injections. This is proved by induction (on the definition of *der*. . . this is very similar to an induction on *r*).

The case that is still unproved is the sequence case where we assume  $r =$  $r_1 \cdot r_2$  and also  $r_1$  being nullable. The derivative *der c r* is then

$$
der\ c\ r = ((der\ c\ r_1)\cdot r_2) + (der\ c\ r_2)
$$

or without the parentheses

$$
der\ c\ r = (der\ c\ r_1)\cdot r_2 + der\ c\ r_2
$$

In this case the assumptions are

- (a)  $v_1$  *≻*(*der c r*<sub>1</sub>)*·r*<sub>2</sub>+*der c r*<sub>2</sub>  $v_2$ (b)  $\vdash v_1 : (der \ c \ r_1) \cdot r_2 + der \ c \ r_2$
- (c) *⊢* $$v_2$  : (*der c r*<sub>1</sub>) · *r*<sub>2</sub> + *der c r*<sub>2</sub>$
- (d)  $nullable(r_1)$

The induction hypotheses are

(IH1) 
$$
\forall v_1v_2. v_1 \succ_{der} c_{r_1} v_2 \wedge \vdash v_1 : der c_{r_1} \wedge \vdash v_2 : der c_{r_1}
$$
  
\n $\longrightarrow inj \ r_1 \ c \ v_1 \succ r_1 \ inj \ r_1 \ c \ v_2$   
\n(IH2)  $\forall v_1v_2. v_1 \succ_{der} c_{r_2} v_2 \wedge \vdash v_2 : der c_{r_2} \wedge \vdash v_2 : der c_{r_2}$   
\n $\longrightarrow inj \ r_2 \ c \ v_1 \succ r_2 \ inj \ r_2 \ c \ v_2$ 

The goal is

$$
(goal) \qquad inj \; (r_1 \cdot r_2) \; c \; v_1 \succ_{r_1 \cdot r_2} inj \; (r_1 \cdot r_2) \; c \; v_2
$$

If we analyse how (a) could have arisen (that is make a case distinction), then we will find four cases:

> LL  $v_1 = Left(w_1), v_2 = Left(w_2)$ LR  $v_1 = Left(w_1), v_2 = Right(w_2)$ RL  $v_1 = Right(w_1), v_2 = Left(w_2)$  $RR \t v_1 = Right(w_1), v_2 = Right(w_2)$

We have to establish our goal in all four cases.

## **Case LR**

The corresponding rule (instantiated) is:

$$
\frac{len |w_1| \ge len |w_2|}{Left(w_1) \succ_{(der \ c r_1) \cdot r_2 + der \ c r_2} Right(w_2)}
$$

This means we can also assume in this case

$$
(e) \quad len |w_1| \ge len |w_2|
$$

which is the premise of the rule above. Instantiating  $v_1$  and  $v_2$  in the assumptions (b) and (c) gives us

$$
\begin{array}{ll}\n\text{(b*)} & \vdash Left(w_1) : (der\ c\ r_1) \cdot r_2 + der\ c\ r_2 \\
\text{(c*)} & \vdash Right(w_2) : (der\ c\ r_1) \cdot r_2 + der\ c\ r_2\n\end{array}
$$

Since these are assumptions, we can further analyse how they could have arisen according to the rules of *⊢* : . This gives us two new assumptions

$$
(b^{**})
$$
  $\vdash w_1 : (der\ c\ r_1) \cdot r_2$   
 $(c^{**})$   $\vdash w_2 : der\ c\ r_2$ 

Looking at  $(b^{**})$  we can further analyse how this judgement could have arisen. This tells us that  $w_1$  must have been a sequence, say  $u_1 \cdot u_2$ , with

$$
\begin{array}{ll}\n(b^{***}) & \vdash u_1 : der \, c \, r_1 \\
 & \vdash u_2 : r_2\n\end{array}
$$

Instantiating the goal means we need to prove

$$
inj (r_1 \cdot r_2) c (Left(u_1 \cdot u_2)) \succ_{r_1 \cdot r_2} inj (r_1 \cdot r_2) c (Right(w_2))
$$

We can simplify this according to the rules of *inj*:

$$
(inj \ r_1 \ c \ u_1) \cdot u_2 \succ_{r_1 \cdot r_2} (mkeps \ r_1) \cdot (inj \ r_2 \ c \ w_2)
$$

This is what we need to prove.

## **Case RL**

The corresponding rule (instantiated) is:

$$
\frac{len |w_1| > len |w_2|}{Right(w_1) \succ_{(der \ c \ r_1) \cdot r_2 + der \ c \ r_2} \ Left(w_2)}
$$