

Types

in Programming Languages (2)

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Announcements

- No lecture next week (1st November is holiday).
- The lecture on the 8th of November (week after next) will be in "Church".

Last Week

- extremely simple language:

$$T ::= \text{bool} \mid \text{nat}$$
$$e ::= x \mid \text{true} \mid \text{false} \mid \text{gr } e \ e \mid \text{le } e \ e \\ \mid \text{eq } e \ e \mid \text{if } e \ e \ e \mid 0 \mid \text{succ } e \mid \text{iszero } e$$

- Inference rules for typing:

$$\frac{\text{valid } \Gamma \quad (x : T) \in \Gamma}{\Gamma \vdash x : T} \quad \frac{\text{valid } \Gamma}{\Gamma \vdash \text{true} : \text{bool}}$$
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Other Typing-Rules

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash e_1 : \text{nat} \quad \Gamma \vdash e_2 : \text{nat}}{\Gamma \vdash \text{gr } e_1 \ e_2 : \text{bool}} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash e_1 : \text{nat} \quad \Gamma \vdash e_2 : \text{nat}}{\Gamma \vdash \text{le } e_1 \ e_2 : \text{bool}}$$

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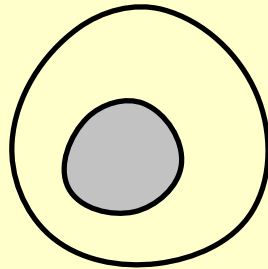
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The rules define a subset:



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If $\Gamma \vdash e : T$ then valid Γ .

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- We introduce an evaluation relation:

$$e \Downarrow v$$

where e is program; v is value (result of the computation)

Evaluation Relation

■ Values $v ::= \text{true} \mid \text{false} \mid 0 \mid \text{succ } v$

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$$\frac{}{\text{true} \Downarrow \text{true}} \quad \frac{}{\text{false} \Downarrow \text{false}}$$

$$\frac{}{0 \Downarrow 0} \quad \frac{e \Downarrow v}{\text{succ } e \Downarrow \text{succ } v}$$

$$\frac{e_1 \Downarrow v_1 \quad e_2 \Downarrow v_2 \quad v_1 > v_2}{\text{gr } e_1 \ e_2 \Downarrow \text{true}}$$

$$\frac{e_1 \Downarrow v_1 \quad e_2 \Downarrow v_2 \quad v_1 \not> v_2}{\text{gr } e_1 \ e_2 \Downarrow \text{false}}$$

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We can assume:

$$(\exists \Gamma T. \Gamma \vdash e' : T) \wedge \text{closed } e' \Rightarrow \exists T. \emptyset \vdash e' : T$$

We have to show:

$$(\exists \Gamma T. \Gamma \vdash \text{succ } e' : T) \wedge \text{closed } (\text{succ } e') \Rightarrow \\ \exists T. \emptyset \vdash \text{succ } e' : T$$

Further Properties

- For every closed and typable expression e there exists a value v such that:

$$e \Downarrow v.$$

- If $e \Downarrow v_1$ and $e \Downarrow v_2$ then $v_1 = v_2$.

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Bad News: Language Safety

...consists of two properties

■ Type Preservation:

If e is closed, and $\emptyset \vdash e : T$, and $e \Downarrow v$,
then $\emptyset \vdash v : T$.

■ **and** Progress—well-typed programs cannot get stuck:

If $\emptyset \vdash e : T$, then either e is a value, or e makes a “transition”.

Progress is a property which also holds for non-terminating programs.

Transition Relation

■ Values $v ::= \text{true} \mid \text{false} \mid 0 \mid \text{succ } v$

■ Rules:

$$\frac{e \mapsto e'}{\text{succ } e \mapsto \text{succ } e'}$$

$$\frac{e_1 \mapsto e'_1}{\text{gr } e_1 \ e_2 \mapsto \text{gr } e'_1 \ e_2} \quad \frac{\text{value } v \quad e_2 \mapsto e'_2}{\text{gr } v \ e_2 \mapsto \text{gr } v \ e'_2}$$

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■ Note that if 0 $e_1 \ e_2$ is **stuck**.

Properties

- If $e \Downarrow v$ then $e \mapsto \dots \mapsto v$.
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- If $e \mapsto e'$ and $\emptyset \vdash e : T$, then $\emptyset \vdash e' : T$.

A More Interesting Language

■ (Raw) Terms:

$e ::= x$	variables
$e e$	applications
$\lambda x.e$	lambda-abstractions
$\text{let } x = e \text{ in } e$	lets

■ We introduce next a simple-type system

$T ::= X$	type variables
$T \rightarrow T$	function types

Simple Type-System

■ Variables

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■ Applications

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash e_1 : T_1 \rightarrow T_2 \quad \Gamma \vdash e_2 : T_1}{\Gamma \vdash e_1 e_2 : T_2}$$

■ Lambdas

$$\frac{x : T_1, \Gamma \vdash e : T_2 \quad x \notin \text{dom } \Gamma}{\Gamma \vdash \lambda x. e : T_1 \rightarrow T_2}$$

■ Lets

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■ $\lambda y. \lambda x. x$:

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When we define $\Gamma \vdash e : T$ then e stands for an **alpha-equivalence class!!!**

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Also in the lambda-calculus, you have:

$$\lambda x. \lambda y. x y = \lambda \text{foo}. \lambda \text{bar}. \text{foo bar}$$

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■ free variables:

$fv(x)$	$\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \{x\}$
$fv(e_1 e_2)$	$\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} fv(e_1) \cup fv(e_2)$
$fv(\lambda x.e)$	$\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} fv(e) - \{x\}$
$fv(\text{let } x = e_1 \text{ in } e_2)$	$\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (fv(e_2) - \{x\}) \cup fv(e_1)$

Swapping

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■ A swapping operation:

$$(x \ y) \bullet z \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \begin{cases} y & \text{if } z = x \\ x & \text{if } z = y \\ z & \text{o'wise} \end{cases}$$

$$(x \ y) \bullet (e_1 \ e_2) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} ((x \ y) \bullet e_1) \ ((x \ y) \bullet e_2)$$

$$(x \ y) \bullet (\lambda z.e) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \lambda((x \ y) \bullet z).((x \ y) \bullet e)$$

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$$(x y) \bullet (e_1 e_2) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} ((x y) \bullet e_1) ((x y) \bullet e_2)$$

$$(x y) \bullet (\lambda z.e) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \lambda((x y) \bullet z).((x y) \bullet e)$$

$$(x y) \bullet (\text{let } z = e_1 \text{ in } e_2) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \text{let } (x y) \bullet z = (x y) \bullet e_1 \text{ in } (x y) \bullet e_2$$

Alpha-Equivalence

$$\frac{}{x \approx x} \quad \frac{e_1 \approx s_1 \quad e_2 \approx s_2}{e_1 e_2 \approx s_1 s_2}$$

$$\frac{e \approx s}{\lambda x.e \approx \lambda x.s} \quad \frac{x \neq y \quad e \approx (x y) \bullet s \quad x \notin \text{fv}(s)}{\lambda x.e \approx \lambda y.s}$$

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■ (reflexivity) $e \approx e$

■ (symmetry) if $e_1 \approx e_2$ then $e_2 \approx e_1$

■ (transitivity) if $e_1 \approx e_2$ and $e_2 \approx e_3$ then $e_1 \approx e_3$

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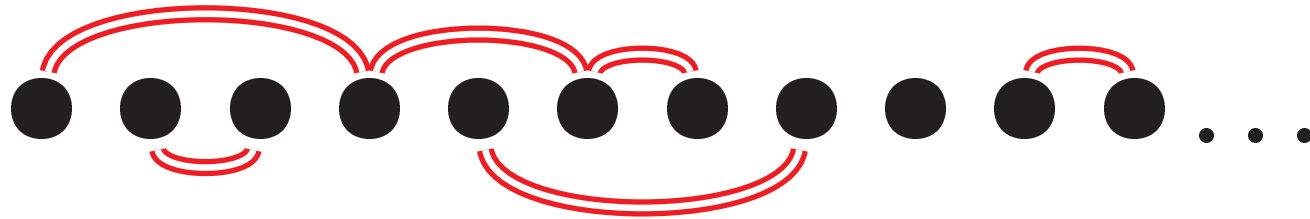
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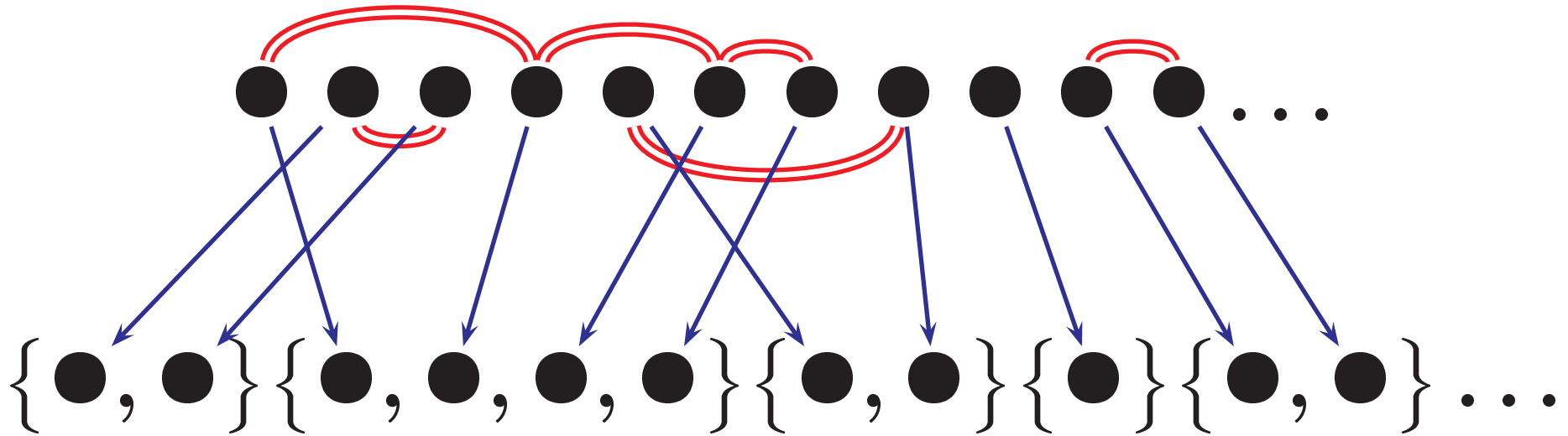
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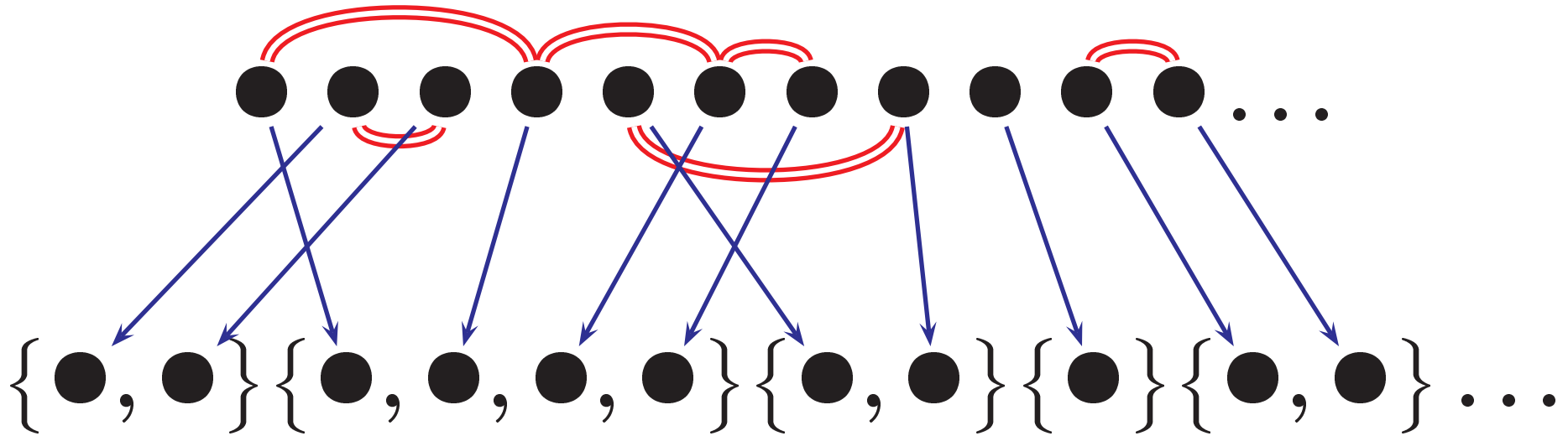
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$$[e_1 e_2]_{\alpha} = \{e'_1 e'_2 \mid e_1 e_2 \approx e'_1 e'_2\}$$

$$[\lambda x.e]_{\alpha} = \{\lambda x'.e' \mid \lambda x.e \approx \lambda x'.e'\}$$

Simple Type-System

■ Variables

$$\frac{\text{valid } \Gamma \quad (x : T) \in \Gamma}{\Gamma \vdash [x]_{\alpha} : T}$$

■ Applications

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash [e_1]_{\alpha} : T_1 \rightarrow T_2 \quad \Gamma \vdash [e_2]_{\alpha} : T_1}{\Gamma \vdash [e_1 e_2]_{\alpha} : T_2}$$

■ Lambdas

$$\frac{x : T_1, \Gamma \vdash [e]_{\alpha} : T_2 \quad x \notin \text{dom } \Gamma}{\Gamma \vdash [\lambda x.e]_{\alpha} : T_1 \rightarrow T_2}$$

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The Problem Goes Away

■ $\lambda x.\lambda x.x$:

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$$[\lambda x.x]_\alpha = [\lambda y.y]_\alpha$$

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valid $\{y : \overset{\cdot}{T}_2, x : T_1\}$

$(y : T_2) \in \{y : T_2, x : T_1\}$

$\{y : T_2, x : T_1\} \vdash [y]_{\alpha} : T_2 \quad y \notin \text{dom } \{x : T_1\}$

$\{x : T_1\} \vdash [\lambda y. y]_{\alpha} : T_2 \rightarrow T_2 \quad x \notin \text{dom } \emptyset$

$\emptyset \vdash [\lambda x. \lambda x. x]_{\alpha} : T_1 \rightarrow T_2 \rightarrow T_2$

A Property

■ Weakening Lemma

If $\Gamma_1 \vdash e : T$ and $\Gamma_1 \subseteq \Gamma_2$ and valid Γ_2
then $\Gamma_2 \vdash e : T$.

■ By induction over $\Gamma_1 \vdash e : T$.

$$P \Gamma_1 e T = \forall \Gamma_2. \Gamma_1 \subseteq \Gamma_2 \wedge \text{valid } \Gamma_2 \Rightarrow \Gamma_2 \vdash e : T$$

In the literature the proof of this lemma is often labelled as “trivial”, “obvious” etc.

Variable Case

■ Rule

$$\frac{\text{valid } \Gamma \quad (x : T) \in \Gamma}{\Gamma \vdash x : T}$$

■ We have to show for the conclusion:

$$P \Gamma x T = \forall \Gamma_2. \Gamma \subseteq \Gamma_2 \wedge \text{valid } \Gamma_2 \Rightarrow \Gamma_2 \vdash x : T$$

we know

$$\begin{aligned} &(x : T) \in \Gamma \\ &\Gamma \subseteq \Gamma_2 \\ &\text{valid } \Gamma_2 \end{aligned}$$

we have to show

$$\Gamma_2 \vdash x : T$$

Lambda Case

$$\frac{x : T_1, \Gamma \vdash e : T_2 \quad x \notin \text{dom } \Gamma}{\Gamma \vdash \lambda x.e : T_1 \rightarrow T_2}$$

■ We have to show for the conclusion:

$$P \Gamma (\lambda x.e) T_1 \rightarrow T_2 =$$

$$\forall \Gamma_2. \Gamma \subseteq \Gamma_2 \wedge \text{valid } \Gamma_2 \Rightarrow \Gamma_2 \vdash (\lambda x.e) : T_1 \rightarrow T_2$$

■ We can assume for the premise:

$$P (x : T_1, \Gamma) e T_2 =$$

$$\forall \Gamma_2. (x : T_1, \Gamma) \subseteq \Gamma_2 \wedge \text{valid } \Gamma_2 \Rightarrow \Gamma_2 \vdash e : T_2$$

■ and we know $x \notin \text{dom } \Gamma$

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- Extend swapping to contexts

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- We have valid $(x\ y) \cdot \Gamma$ iff valid Γ !!

- We can show for every x and y

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$$P\ \Gamma_1\ e\ T \Rightarrow P\ (x\ y) \cdot \Gamma_1\ (x\ y) \cdot e\ T$$

Lambda Case Again

■ We have $x \notin \text{dom } \Gamma$.

■ We have to show for the conclusion:

$$P \Gamma (\lambda x.e) T_1 \rightarrow T_2 = \\ \forall \Gamma_2. \Gamma \subseteq \Gamma_2 \wedge \text{valid } \Gamma_2 \Rightarrow \Gamma_2 \vdash (\lambda x.e) : T_1 \rightarrow T_2$$

which means we know $\Gamma \subseteq \Gamma_2$, $\text{valid } \Gamma_2$ and have to show $\Gamma_2 \vdash (\lambda x.e) : T_1 \rightarrow T_2$.

■ We choose a fresh y (fresh for $x \Gamma \Gamma_2 e$).

■ This means $\lambda x.e = \lambda y.(x y) \bullet e$ and $(x y) \bullet \Gamma = \Gamma$.

■ We show $\Gamma_2 \vdash (\lambda y.(x y) \bullet e) : T_1 \rightarrow T_2$.

■ It suffices to show $y:T_1, \Gamma_2 \vdash (x y) \bullet e : T_2$ and $y \notin \text{dom } \Gamma_2$.

Lambda Case Again

- What remains is to show $y:T_1, \Gamma_2 \vdash (x\ y) \bullet e : T_2$.
- We can assume $P(x:T_1, \Gamma) e T_2$.
- Which means we also have $P(y:T_1, (x\ y) \bullet \Gamma) (x\ y) \bullet e T_2$ which is equal to $P(y:T_1, \Gamma) (x\ y) \bullet e T_2$.

$$P(y:T_1, \Gamma) (x\ y) \bullet e T_2 = \forall \Gamma_2. (y:T_1, \Gamma) \subseteq \Gamma_2 \wedge \text{valid } \Gamma_2 \Rightarrow \Gamma_2 \vdash (x\ y) \bullet e : T_2$$

- We instantiate Γ_2 with $y:T_1, \Gamma$. So we have to show $(y:T_1, \Gamma) \subseteq (y:T_1, \Gamma)$ and $\text{valid } (y:T_1, \Gamma)$.

We can assume $\Gamma \subseteq \Gamma$ and $\text{valid } \Gamma$.

- Done.

Possible Questions

- Give the axioms and rules for inductively generating typing judgements $\Gamma \vdash e : T$, where e ranges over expressions built up from variables using only lambda abstraction $\lambda x.e$, function application $e_1 e_2$ and local declarations $\text{let } x = e_1 \text{ in } e_2$. As part of your answer you should explain what it means for an expression to be alpha-equivalent.

More Next Week

■ Slides at the end of

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