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# 1 List prefixes and postfixes

```
theory List-Prefix
imports List Main
begin
```

## 1.1 Prefix order on lists

```
instantiation list :: (type) {order, bot}
begin
```

**definition**

*prefix-def*:  $xs \leq ys \longleftrightarrow (\exists zs. ys = xs @ zs)$

**definition**

*strict-prefix-def*:  $xs < ys \longleftrightarrow xs \leq ys \wedge xs \neq (ys::'a \text{ list})$

**definition**

*bot* = []

**instance proof**

**qed** (*auto simp add: prefix-def strict-prefix-def bot-list-def*)

**end**

**lemma** *prefixI* [*intro?*]:  $ys = xs @ zs \implies xs \leq ys$   
**unfolding** *prefix-def* **by** *blast*

**lemma** *prefixE* [*elim?*]:

**assumes**  $xs \leq ys$

**obtains**  $zs$  **where**  $ys = xs @ zs$

**using** *assms* **unfolding** *prefix-def* **by** *blast*

**lemma** *strict-prefixI'* [*intro?*]:  $ys = xs @ z \# zs \implies xs < ys$   
**unfolding** *strict-prefix-def prefix-def* **by** *blast*

**lemma** *strict-prefixE'* [*elim?*]:

**assumes**  $xs < ys$

**obtains**  $z \ zs$  **where**  $ys = xs @ z \# zs$

**proof** –

**from**  $\langle xs < ys \rangle$  **obtain**  $us$  **where**  $ys = xs @ us$  **and**  $xs \neq ys$

**unfolding** *strict-prefix-def prefix-def* **by** *blast*

**with that show** *?thesis* **by** (*auto simp add: neq-Nil-conv*)

**qed**

**lemma** *strict-prefixI* [*intro?*]:  $xs \leq ys \implies xs \neq ys \implies xs < (ys::'a \text{ list})$   
**unfolding** *strict-prefix-def* **by** *blast*

**lemma** *strict-prefixE* [*elim?*]:

**fixes**  $xs \ ys :: 'a \text{ list}$

**assumes**  $xs < ys$   
**obtains**  $xs \leq ys$  **and**  $xs \neq ys$   
**using** *assms* **unfolding** *strict-prefix-def* **by** *blast*

## 1.2 Basic properties of prefixes

**theorem** *Nil-prefix [iff]*:  $[] \leq xs$   
**by** (*simp add: prefix-def*)

**theorem** *prefix-Nil [simp]*:  $(xs \leq []) = (xs = [])$   
**by** (*induct xs*) (*simp-all add: prefix-def*)

**lemma** *prefix-snoc [simp]*:  $(xs \leq ys @ [y]) = (xs = ys @ [y] \vee xs \leq ys)$

**proof**

**assume**  $xs \leq ys @ [y]$

**then obtain**  $zs$  **where**  $zs @ [y] = xs @ zs$  ..

**show**  $xs = ys @ [y] \vee xs \leq ys$

**by** (*metis append-Nil2 butlast-append butlast-snoc prefixI zs*)

**next**

**assume**  $xs = ys @ [y] \vee xs \leq ys$

**then show**  $xs \leq ys @ [y]$

**by** (*metis order-eq-iff strict-prefixE strict-prefixI' xt1 (7)*)

**qed**

**lemma** *Cons-prefix-Cons [simp]*:  $(x \# xs \leq y \# ys) = (x = y \wedge xs \leq ys)$   
**by** (*auto simp add: prefix-def*)

**lemma** *less-eq-list-code [code]*:

$([]::'a::\{equal, ord\} list) \leq xs \longleftrightarrow True$

$(x::'a::\{equal, ord\}) \# xs \leq [] \longleftrightarrow False$

$(x::'a::\{equal, ord\}) \# xs \leq y \# ys \longleftrightarrow x = y \wedge xs \leq ys$

**by** *simp-all*

**lemma** *same-prefix-prefix [simp]*:  $(xs @ ys \leq xs @ zs) = (ys \leq zs)$   
**by** (*induct xs*) *simp-all*

**lemma** *same-prefix-nil [iff]*:  $(xs @ ys \leq xs) = (ys = [])$   
**by** (*metis append-Nil2 append-self-conv order-eq-iff prefixI*)

**lemma** *prefix-prefix [simp]*:  $xs \leq ys \implies xs \leq ys @ zs$   
**by** (*metis order-le-less-trans prefixI strict-prefixE strict-prefixI*)

**lemma** *append-prefixD*:  $xs @ ys \leq zs \implies xs \leq zs$   
**by** (*auto simp add: prefix-def*)

**theorem** *prefix-Cons*:  $(xs \leq y \# ys) = (xs = [] \vee (\exists zs. xs = y \# zs \wedge zs \leq ys))$   
**by** (*cases xs*) (*auto simp add: prefix-def*)

**theorem** *prefix-append*:

$(xs \leq ys @ zs) = (xs \leq ys \vee (\exists us. xs = ys @ us \wedge us \leq zs))$   
**apply** (*induct zs rule: rev-induct*)  
**apply** *force*  
**apply** (*simp del: append-assoc add: append-assoc [symmetric]*)  
**apply** (*metis append-eq-appendI*)  
**done**

**lemma** *append-one-prefix*:  
 $xs \leq ys \implies \text{length } xs < \text{length } ys \implies xs @ [ys ! \text{length } xs] \leq ys$   
**unfolding** *prefix-def*  
**by** (*metis Cons-eq-appendI append-eq-appendI append-eq-conv-conj eq-Nil-appendI nth-drop'*)

**theorem** *prefix-length-le*:  $xs \leq ys \implies \text{length } xs \leq \text{length } ys$   
**by** (*auto simp add: prefix-def*)

**lemma** *prefix-same-cases*:  
 $(xs_1 :: 'a \text{ list}) \leq ys \implies xs_2 \leq ys \implies xs_1 \leq xs_2 \vee xs_2 \leq xs_1$   
**unfolding** *prefix-def* **by** (*metis append-eq-append-conv2*)

**lemma** *set-mono-prefix*:  $xs \leq ys \implies \text{set } xs \subseteq \text{set } ys$   
**by** (*auto simp add: prefix-def*)

**lemma** *take-is-prefix*:  $\text{take } n \ xs \leq xs$   
**unfolding** *prefix-def* **by** (*metis append-take-drop-id*)

**lemma** *map-prefixI*:  $xs \leq ys \implies \text{map } f \ xs \leq \text{map } f \ ys$   
**by** (*auto simp: prefix-def*)

**lemma** *prefix-length-less*:  $xs < ys \implies \text{length } xs < \text{length } ys$   
**by** (*auto simp: strict-prefix-def prefix-def*)

**lemma** *strict-prefix-simps* [*simp, code*]:  
 $xs < [] \longleftrightarrow \text{False}$   
 $[] < x \# xs \longleftrightarrow \text{True}$   
 $x \# xs < y \# ys \longleftrightarrow x = y \wedge xs < ys$   
**by** (*simp-all add: strict-prefix-def cong: conj-cong*)

**lemma** *take-strict-prefix*:  $xs < ys \implies \text{take } n \ xs < ys$   
**apply** (*induct n arbitrary: xs ys*)  
**apply** (*case-tac ys, simp-all*)[1]  
**apply** (*metis order-less-trans strict-prefixI take-is-prefix*)  
**done**

**lemma** *not-prefix-cases*:  
**assumes** *pf*:  $\neg ps \leq ls$   
**obtains**  
 $(c1) \ ps \neq [] \ \text{and} \ ls = []$   
 $| \ (c2) \ a \ \text{as} \ x \ xs \ \text{where} \ ps = a \# \text{as} \ \text{and} \ ls = x \# xs \ \text{and} \ x = a \ \text{and} \ \neg as \leq xs$

```

| (c3) a as x xs where ps = a#as and ls = x#xs and x ≠ a
proof (cases ps)
  case Nil then show ?thesis using pfx by simp
next
  case (Cons a as)
  note c = ⟨ps = a#as⟩
  show ?thesis
  proof (cases ls)
    case Nil then show ?thesis by (metis append-Nil2 pfx c1 same-prefix-nil)
  next
    case (Cons x xs)
    show ?thesis
    proof (cases x = a)
      case True
      have ¬ as ≤ xs using pfx c Cons True by simp
      with c Cons True show ?thesis by (rule c2)
    next
      case False
      with c Cons show ?thesis by (rule c3)
    qed
  qed
qed

```

```

lemma not-prefix-induct [consumes 1, case-names Nil Neq Eq]:
  assumes np: ¬ ps ≤ ls
    and base: ∧x xs. P (x#xs) []
    and r1: ∧x xs y ys. x ≠ y ⇒ P (x#xs) (y#ys)
    and r2: ∧x xs y ys. [ x = y; ¬ xs ≤ ys; P xs ys ] ⇒ P (x#xs) (y#ys)
  shows P ps ls using np
proof (induct ls arbitrary: ps)
  case Nil then show ?case
    by (auto simp: neq-Nil-conv elim!: not-prefix-cases intro!: base)
next
  case (Cons y ys)
  then have npfx: ¬ ps ≤ (y # ys) by simp
  then obtain x xs where pv: ps = x # xs
    by (rule not-prefix-cases) auto
  show ?case by (metis Cons.hyps Cons-prefix-Cons npfx pv r1 r2)
qed

```

### 1.3 Parallel lists

**definition**

```

parallel :: 'a list => 'a list => bool (infixl || 50) where
(xs || ys) = (¬ xs ≤ ys ∧ ¬ ys ≤ xs)

```

```

lemma parallelI [intro]: ¬ xs ≤ ys ==> ¬ ys ≤ xs ==> xs || ys
unfolding parallel-def by blast

```

```

lemma paralleE [elim]:
  assumes  $xs \parallel ys$ 
  obtains  $\neg xs \leq ys \wedge \neg ys \leq xs$ 
  using assms unfolding parallel-def by blast

theorem prefix-cases:
  obtains  $xs \leq ys \mid ys < xs \mid xs \parallel ys$ 
  unfolding parallel-def strict-prefix-def by blast

theorem parallel-decomp:
   $xs \parallel ys \implies \exists as\ b\ bs\ c\ cs. b \neq c \wedge xs = as @ b \# bs \wedge ys = as @ c \# cs$ 
proof (induct xs rule: rev-induct)
  case Nil
  then have False by auto
  then show ?case ..
next
  case (snoc x xs)
  show ?case
  proof (rule prefix-cases)
    assume le: xs ≤ ys
    then obtain ys' where  $ys = xs @ ys' ..$ 
    show ?thesis
    proof (cases ys')
      assume  $ys' = []$ 
      then show ?thesis by (metis append-Nil2 paralleE prefixI snoc.premys ys)
    next
      fix c cs assume  $ys' = c \# cs$ 
      then show ?thesis
      by (metis Cons-eq-appendI eq-Nil-appendI paralleE prefixI same-prefix-prefix snoc.premys ys)
    qed
  next
    assume  $ys < xs$  then have  $ys \leq xs @ [x]$  by (simp add: strict-prefix-def)
    with snoc have False by blast
    then show ?thesis ..
  next
    assume  $xs \parallel ys$ 
    with snoc obtain as b bs c cs where  $neq: (b::'a) \neq c$ 
      and  $xs = as @ b \# bs$  and  $ys = as @ c \# cs$ 
      by blast
    from xs have  $xs @ [x] = as @ b \# (bs @ [x])$  by simp
    with neq ys show ?thesis by blast
  qed
qed

lemma parallel-append:  $a \parallel b \implies a @ c \parallel b @ d$ 
apply (rule paralleI)
apply (erule paralleE, erule conjE,
  induct rule: not-prefix-induct, simp+)

```

done

**lemma** *parallel-appendI*:  $xs \parallel ys \implies x = xs @ xs' \implies y = ys @ ys' \implies x \parallel y$   
by (*simp add: parallel-append*)

**lemma** *parallel-commute*:  $a \parallel b \longleftrightarrow b \parallel a$   
unfolding *parallel-def* by *auto*

## 1.4 Postfix order on lists

**definition**

*postfix* :: 'a list => 'a list => bool ((-/ >>= -) [51, 50] 50) **where**  
(*xs >>= ys*) = ( $\exists zs. xs = zs @ ys$ )

**lemma** *postfixI* [*intro?*]:  $xs = zs @ ys \implies xs \gg= ys$   
unfolding *postfix-def* by *blast*

**lemma** *postfixE* [*elim?*]:  
assumes  $xs \gg= ys$   
obtains *zs* **where**  $xs = zs @ ys$   
using *assms* unfolding *postfix-def* by *blast*

**lemma** *postfix-refl* [*iff*]:  $xs \gg= xs$   
by (*auto simp add: postfix-def*)

**lemma** *postfix-trans*:  $\llbracket xs \gg= ys; ys \gg= zs \rrbracket \implies xs \gg= zs$   
by (*auto simp add: postfix-def*)

**lemma** *postfix-antisym*:  $\llbracket xs \gg= ys; ys \gg= xs \rrbracket \implies xs = ys$   
by (*auto simp add: postfix-def*)

**lemma** *Nil-postfix* [*iff*]:  $xs \gg= []$   
by (*simp add: postfix-def*)

**lemma** *postfix-Nil* [*simp*]:  $([] \gg= xs) = (xs = [])$   
by (*auto simp add: postfix-def*)

**lemma** *postfix-ConsI*:  $xs \gg= ys \implies x \# xs \gg= ys$   
by (*auto simp add: postfix-def*)

**lemma** *postfix-ConsD*:  $xs \gg= y \# ys \implies xs \gg= ys$   
by (*auto simp add: postfix-def*)

**lemma** *postfix-appendI*:  $xs \gg= ys \implies zs @ xs \gg= ys$   
by (*auto simp add: postfix-def*)

**lemma** *postfix-appendD*:  $xs \gg= zs @ ys \implies xs \gg= ys$   
by (*auto simp add: postfix-def*)

**lemma** *postfix-is-subset*:  $xs \gg= ys \implies \text{set } ys \subseteq \text{set } xs$   
**proof** –

assume  $xs \gg= ys$   
then obtain *zs* **where**  $xs = zs @ ys$  ..  
then show *?thesis* by (*induct zs*) *auto*

qed

**lemma postfix-ConsD2:**  $x\#xs \gg= y\#ys \implies xs \gg= ys$

**proof** –

**assume**  $x\#xs \gg= y\#ys$

**then obtain**  $zs$  **where**  $x\#xs = zs @ y\#ys$  ..

**then show** *?thesis*

**by** (*induct zs*) (*auto intro!: postfix-appendI postfix-ConsI*)

qed

**lemma postfix-to-prefix** [*code*]:  $xs \gg= ys \iff rev\ ys \leq rev\ xs$

**proof**

**assume**  $xs \gg= ys$

**then obtain**  $zs$  **where**  $xs = zs @ ys$  ..

**then have**  $rev\ xs = rev\ ys @ rev\ zs$  **by** *simp*

**then show**  $rev\ ys \leq rev\ xs$  ..

**next**

**assume**  $rev\ ys \leq rev\ xs$

**then obtain**  $zs$  **where**  $rev\ xs = rev\ ys @ zs$  ..

**then have**  $rev\ (rev\ xs) = rev\ zs @ rev\ (rev\ ys)$  **by** *simp*

**then have**  $xs = rev\ zs @ ys$  **by** *simp*

**then show**  $xs \gg= ys$  ..

qed

**lemma distinct-postfix:**  $distinct\ xs \implies xs \gg= ys \implies distinct\ ys$

**by** (*clarsimp elim!: postfixE*)

**lemma postfix-map:**  $xs \gg= ys \implies map\ f\ xs \gg= map\ f\ ys$

**by** (*auto elim!: postfixE intro: postfixI*)

**lemma postfix-drop:**  $as \gg= drop\ n\ as$

**unfolding** *postfix-def*

**apply** (*rule exI [where x = take n as]*)

**apply** *simp*

**done**

**lemma postfix-take:**  $xs \gg= ys \implies xs = take\ (length\ xs - length\ ys)\ xs @ ys$

**by** (*clarsimp elim!: postfixE*)

**lemma parallelD1:**  $x \parallel y \implies \neg x \leq y$

**by** *blast*

**lemma parallelD2:**  $x \parallel y \implies \neg y \leq x$

**by** *blast*

**lemma parallel-Nil1** [*simp*]:  $\neg x \parallel []$

**unfolding** *parallel-def* **by** *simp*

**lemma parallel-Nil2** [*simp*]:  $\neg [] \parallel x$



```

unfolding parallel-def by simp

lemma Cons-parallelI1:  $a \neq b \implies a \# as \parallel b \# bs$ 
by auto

lemma Cons-parallelI2:  $\llbracket a = b; as \parallel bs \rrbracket \implies a \# as \parallel b \# bs$ 
by (metis Cons-prefix-Cons parallelE parallelI)

lemma not-equal-is-parallel:
  assumes neq:  $xs \neq ys$ 
  and len:  $length\ xs = length\ ys$ 
  shows  $xs \parallel ys$ 
  using len neq
proof (induct rule: list-induct2)
  case Nil
  then show ?case by simp
next
  case (Cons a as b bs)
  have ih:  $as \neq bs \implies as \parallel bs$  by fact
  show ?case
  proof (cases a = b)
  case True
  then have  $as \neq bs$  using Cons by simp
  then show ?thesis by (rule Cons-parallelI2 [OF True ih])
  next
  case False
  then show ?thesis by (rule Cons-parallelI1)
  qed
qed

end

theory Prefix-subtract
  imports Main List-Prefix
begin

```

## 2 A small theory of prefix subtraction

The notion of *prefix-subtract* is need to make proofs more readable.

```

fun prefix-subtract :: 'a list  $\Rightarrow$  'a list  $\Rightarrow$  'a list (infix - 51)
where
  prefix-subtract [] xs = []
| prefix-subtract (x#xs) [] = x#xs
| prefix-subtract (x#xs) (y#ys) = (if x = y then prefix-subtract xs ys else (x#xs))

lemma [simp]:  $(x @ y) - x = y$ 
apply (induct x)
by (case-tac y, simp+)

```

**lemma** [*simp*]:  $x - x = []$   
**by** (*induct x, auto*)

**lemma** [*simp*]:  $x = xa @ y \implies x - xa = y$   
**by** (*induct x, auto*)

**lemma** [*simp*]:  $x - [] = x$   
**by** (*induct x, auto*)

**lemma** [*simp*]:  $(x - y = []) \implies (x \leq y)$   
**proof** -

**have**  $\exists xa. x = xa @ (x - y) \wedge xa \leq y$   
  **apply** (*rule prefix-subtract.induct[of - x y], simp+*)  
  **by** (*clarsimp, rule-tac x = y # xa in exI, simp+*)  
  **thus**  $(x - y = []) \implies (x \leq y)$  **by** *simp*  
**qed**

**lemma** *diff-prefix*:  
 $\llbracket c \leq a - b; b \leq a \rrbracket \implies b @ c \leq a$   
**by** (*auto elim:prefixE*)

**lemma** *diff-diff-appd*:  
 $\llbracket c < a - b; b < a \rrbracket \implies (a - b) - c = a - (b @ c)$   
**apply** (*clarsimp simp:strict-prefix-def*)  
**by** (*drule diff-prefix, auto elim:prefixE*)

**lemma** *app-eq-cases*[*rule-format*]:  
 $\forall x. x @ y = m @ n \longrightarrow (x \leq m \vee m \leq x)$   
**apply** (*induct y, simp*)  
**apply** (*clarify, drule-tac x = x @ [a] in spec*)  
**by** (*clarsimp, auto simp:prefix-def*)

**lemma** *app-eq-dest*:  
 $x @ y = m @ n \implies$   
 $(x \leq m \wedge (m - x) @ n = y) \vee (m \leq x \wedge (x - m) @ y = n)$   
**by** (*frule-tac app-eq-cases, auto elim:prefixE*)

**end**

**theory** *Prelude*  
**imports** *Main*  
**begin**

**lemma** *set-eq-intro*:  
 $(\bigwedge x. (x \in A) = (x \in B)) \implies A = B$

by *blast*

end  
theory *Myhill-1*  
 imports *Main List-Prefix Prefix-subtract Prelude*  
begin

### 3 Preliminary definitions

types *lang* = *string set*

Sequential composition of two languages *L1* and *L2*

**definition** *Seq* :: *lang*  $\Rightarrow$  *lang*  $\Rightarrow$  *lang* (**infixr** ;; 100)

**where**

$L1 \text{ ;; } L2 = \{s1 \ @ \ s2 \mid s1 \ s2. \ s1 \in L1 \wedge s2 \in L2\}$

Transitive closure of language *L*.

**inductive-set**

*Star* :: *lang*  $\Rightarrow$  *lang* (**-\*** [101] 102)

**for** *L*

**where**

*start*[*intro*]:  $\square \in L^\star$

| *step*[*intro*]:  $\llbracket s1 \in L; s2 \in L^\star \rrbracket \Longrightarrow s1 @ s2 \in L^\star$

Some properties of operator ;;.

**lemma** *seq-union-distrib-right*:

**shows**  $(A \cup B) \text{ ;; } C = (A \text{ ;; } C) \cup (B \text{ ;; } C)$

**unfolding** *Seq-def* **by** *auto*

**lemma** *seq-union-distrib-left*:

**shows**  $C \text{ ;; } (A \cup B) = (C \text{ ;; } A) \cup (C \text{ ;; } B)$

**unfolding** *Seq-def* **by** *auto*

**lemma** *seq-intro*:

$\llbracket x \in A; y \in B \rrbracket \Longrightarrow x @ y \in A \text{ ;; } B$

**by** (*auto simp:Seq-def*)

**lemma** *seq-assoc*:

**shows**  $(A \text{ ;; } B) \text{ ;; } C = A \text{ ;; } (B \text{ ;; } C)$

**unfolding** *Seq-def*

**apply**(*auto*)

**apply**(*blast*)

**by** (*metis append-assoc*)

**lemma** *seq-empty* [*simp*]:

**shows**  $A \text{ ;; } \{\square\} = A$

**and**  $\{\square\} \text{ ;; } A = A$

**by** (*simp-all add: Seq-def*)

**lemma** *star-intro1*[*rule-format*]:

$x \in \text{lang}\star \implies \forall y. y \in \text{lang}\star \longrightarrow x @ y \in \text{lang}\star$   
**by** (*erule Star.induct, auto*)

**lemma** *star-intro2*:  $y \in \text{lang} \implies y \in \text{lang}\star$

**by** (*drule step[of y lang []], auto simp:start*)

**lemma** *star-intro3*[*rule-format*]:

$x \in \text{lang}\star \implies \forall y. y \in \text{lang} \longrightarrow x @ y \in \text{lang}\star$   
**by** (*erule Star.induct, auto intro:star-intro2*)

**lemma** *star-decom*:

$\llbracket x \in \text{lang}\star; x \neq [] \rrbracket \implies (\exists a b. x = a @ b \wedge a \neq [] \wedge a \in \text{lang} \wedge b \in \text{lang}\star)$   
**by** (*induct x rule: Star.induct, simp, blast*)

**lemma** *lang-star-cases*:

**shows**  $L\star = \{[]\} \cup L ;; L\star$

**proof**

{ **fix**  $x$

**have**  $x \in L\star \implies x \in \{[]\} \cup L ;; L\star$

**unfolding** *Seq-def*

**by** (*induct rule: Star.induct*) (*auto*)

}

**then show**  $L\star \subseteq \{[]\} \cup L ;; L\star$  **by** *auto*

**next**

**show**  $\{[]\} \cup L ;; L\star \subseteq L\star$

**unfolding** *Seq-def* **by** *auto*

**qed**

**fun**

*pow* ::  $\text{lang} \Rightarrow \text{nat} \Rightarrow \text{lang}$  (**infixl**  $\uparrow$  100)

**where**

$A \uparrow 0 = \{[]\}$

|  $A \uparrow (\text{Suc } n) = A ;; (A \uparrow n)$

**lemma** *star-pow-eq*:

**shows**  $A\star = (\bigcup n. A \uparrow n)$

**proof** –

{ **fix**  $n x$

**assume**  $x \in (A \uparrow n)$

**then have**  $x \in A\star$

**by** (*induct n arbitrary: x*) (*auto simp add: Seq-def*)

}

**moreover**

{ **fix**  $x$

**assume**  $x \in A\star$

```

then have  $\exists n. x \in A \uparrow n$ 
proof (induct rule: Star.induct)
  case start
  have  $\square \in A \uparrow 0$  by auto
  then show  $\exists n. \square \in A \uparrow n$  by blast
next
  case (step s1 s2)
  have  $s1 \in A$  by fact
  moreover
  have  $\exists n. s2 \in A \uparrow n$  by fact
  then obtain  $n$  where  $s2 \in A \uparrow n$  by blast
  ultimately
  have  $s1 @ s2 \in A \uparrow (\text{Suc } n)$  by (auto simp add: Seq-def)
  then show  $\exists n. s1 @ s2 \in A \uparrow n$  by blast
qed
}
ultimately show  $A^\star = (\bigcup n. A \uparrow n)$  by auto
qed

```

```

lemma
  shows seq-Union-left:  $B ;; (\bigcup n. A \uparrow n) = (\bigcup n. B ;; (A \uparrow n))$ 
  and seq-Union-right:  $(\bigcup n. A \uparrow n) ;; B = (\bigcup n. (A \uparrow n) ;; B)$ 
unfolding Seq-def by auto

```

```

lemma seq-pow-comm:
  shows  $A ;; (A \uparrow n) = (A \uparrow n) ;; A$ 
by (induct n) (simp-all add: seq-assoc[symmetric])

```

```

lemma seq-star-comm:
  shows  $A ;; A^\star = A^\star ;; A$ 
unfolding star-pow-eq
unfolding seq-Union-left
unfolding seq-pow-comm
unfolding seq-Union-right
by simp

```

Two lemmas about the length of strings in  $A \uparrow n$

```

lemma pow-length:
  assumes  $a: \square \notin A$ 
  and  $b: s \in A \uparrow \text{Suc } n$ 
  shows  $n < \text{length } s$ 
using b
proof (induct n arbitrary: s)
  case 0
  have  $s \in A \uparrow \text{Suc } 0$  by fact
  with a have  $s \neq \square$  by auto
  then show  $0 < \text{length } s$  by auto
next
  case (Suc n)

```

**have**  $ih: \bigwedge s. s \in A \uparrow \text{Suc } n \implies n < \text{length } s$  **by fact**  
**have**  $s \in A \uparrow \text{Suc } (\text{Suc } n)$  **by fact**  
**then obtain**  $s1\ s2$  **where**  $eq: s = s1 @ s2$  **and**  $*$ :  $s1 \in A$  **and**  $**$ :  $s2 \in A \uparrow \text{Suc } n$   
**by** (*auto simp add: Seq-def*)  
**from**  $ih\ **$  **have**  $n < \text{length } s2$  **by simp**  
**moreover have**  $0 < \text{length } s1$  **using**  $*$  **by auto**  
**ultimately show**  $\text{Suc } n < \text{length } s$  **unfolding eq**  
**by** (*simp only: length-append*)  
**qed**

**lemma seq-pow-length:**  
**assumes**  $a: [] \notin A$   
**and**  $b: s \in B ;; (A \uparrow \text{Suc } n)$   
**shows**  $n < \text{length } s$   
**proof** –  
**from**  $b$  **obtain**  $s1\ s2$  **where**  $eq: s = s1 @ s2$  **and**  $*$ :  $s2 \in A \uparrow \text{Suc } n$   
**unfolding Seq-def** **by auto**  
**from**  $*$  **have**  $n < \text{length } s2$  **by** (*rule pow-length[OF a]*)  
**then show**  $n < \text{length } s$  **using eq** **by simp**  
**qed**

## 4 A slightly modified version of Arden's lemma

Arden's lemma expressed at the level of languages, rather than the level of regular expression.

**lemma ardens-helper:**  
**assumes**  $eq: X = X ;; A \cup B$   
**shows**  $X = X ;; (A \uparrow \text{Suc } n) \cup (\bigcup_{m \in \{0..n\}} B ;; (A \uparrow m))$   
**proof** (*induct n*)  
**case**  $0$   
**show**  $X = X ;; (A \uparrow \text{Suc } 0) \cup (\bigcup_{(m::nat) \in \{0..0\}} B ;; (A \uparrow m))$   
**using eq** **by simp**  
**next**  
**case** ( $\text{Suc } n$ )  
**have**  $ih: X = X ;; (A \uparrow \text{Suc } n) \cup (\bigcup_{m \in \{0..n\}} B ;; (A \uparrow m))$  **by fact**  
**also have**  $\dots = (X ;; A \cup B) ;; (A \uparrow \text{Suc } n) \cup (\bigcup_{m \in \{0..n\}} B ;; (A \uparrow m))$   
**using eq** **by simp**  
**also have**  $\dots = X ;; (A \uparrow \text{Suc } (\text{Suc } n)) \cup (B ;; (A \uparrow \text{Suc } n)) \cup (\bigcup_{m \in \{0..n\}} B ;; (A \uparrow m))$   
**by** (*simp add: seq-union-distrib-right seq-assoc*)  
**also have**  $\dots = X ;; (A \uparrow \text{Suc } (\text{Suc } n)) \cup (\bigcup_{m \in \{0..\text{Suc } n\}} B ;; (A \uparrow m))$   
**by** (*auto simp add: le-Suc-eq*)  
**finally show**  $X = X ;; (A \uparrow \text{Suc } (\text{Suc } n)) \cup (\bigcup_{m \in \{0..\text{Suc } n\}} B ;; (A \uparrow m))$ .  
**qed**

**theorem ardens-revised:**  
**assumes**  $nemp: [] \notin A$

```

shows  $X = X ;; A \cup B \longleftrightarrow X = B ;; A^\star$ 
proof
  assume eq:  $X = B ;; A^\star$ 
  have  $A^\star = \{\emptyset\} \cup A^\star ;; A$ 
    unfolding seq-star-comm[symmetric]
    by (rule lang-star-cases)
  then have  $B ;; A^\star = B ;; (\{\emptyset\} \cup A^\star ;; A)$ 
    unfolding Seq-def by simp
  also have  $\dots = B \cup B ;; (A^\star ;; A)$ 
    unfolding seq-union-distrib-left by simp
  also have  $\dots = B \cup (B ;; A^\star) ;; A$ 
    by (simp only: seq-assoc)
  finally show  $X = X ;; A \cup B$ 
    using eq by blast
next
  assume eq:  $X = X ;; A \cup B$ 
  { fix n::nat
    have  $B ;; (A \uparrow n) \subseteq X$  using ardens-helper[OF eq, of n] by auto }
  then have  $B ;; A^\star \subseteq X$  unfolding star-pow-eq Seq-def
    by (auto simp add: UNION-def)
  moreover
  { fix s::string
    obtain k where  $k = \text{length } s$  by auto
    then have not-in:  $s \notin X ;; (A \uparrow \text{Suc } k)$ 
      using seq-pow-length[OF nemp] by blast
    assume  $s \in X$ 
    then have  $s \in X ;; (A \uparrow \text{Suc } k) \cup (\bigcup_{m \in \{0..k\}} B ;; (A \uparrow m))$ 
      using ardens-helper[OF eq, of k] by auto
    then have  $s \in (\bigcup_{m \in \{0..k\}} B ;; (A \uparrow m))$  using not-in by auto
    moreover
    have  $(\bigcup_{m \in \{0..k\}} B ;; (A \uparrow m)) \subseteq (\bigcup_n B ;; (A \uparrow n))$  by auto
    ultimately
    have  $s \in B ;; A^\star$  unfolding star-pow-eq seq-Union-left
      by auto }
  then have  $X \subseteq B ;; A^\star$  by auto
  ultimately
  show  $X = B ;; A^\star$  by simp
qed

```

The syntax of regular expressions is defined by the datatype *rexp*.

```

datatype rexp =
  NULL
| EMPTY
| CHAR char
| SEQ rexp rexp
| ALT rexp rexp
| STAR rexp

```

The following  $L$  is an overloaded operator, where  $L(x)$  evaluates to the

language represented by the syntactic object  $x$ .

**consts**  $L :: 'a \Rightarrow \text{string set}$

The  $L(\text{rexp})$  for regular expression  $\text{rexp}$  is defined by the following overloading function  $L\text{-rexp}$ .

**overloading**  $L\text{-rexp} \equiv L :: \text{rexp} \Rightarrow \text{string set}$

**begin**

**fun**

$L\text{-rexp} :: \text{rexp} \Rightarrow \text{string set}$

**where**

$L\text{-rexp} (\text{NULL}) = \{\}$

|  $L\text{-rexp} (\text{EMPTY}) = \{\}\}$

|  $L\text{-rexp} (\text{CHAR } c) = \{[c]\}$

|  $L\text{-rexp} (\text{SEQ } r1\ r2) = (L\text{-rexp } r1) ;; (L\text{-rexp } r2)$

|  $L\text{-rexp} (\text{ALT } r1\ r2) = (L\text{-rexp } r1) \cup (L\text{-rexp } r2)$

|  $L\text{-rexp} (\text{STAR } r) = (L\text{-rexp } r)^*$

**end**

To obtain equational system out of finite set of equivalent classes, a fold operation on finite set  $\text{folds}$  is defined. The use of  $\text{SOME}$  makes  $\text{fold}$  more robust than the  $\text{fold}$  in Isabelle library. The expression  $\text{folds } f$  makes sense when  $f$  is not *associative* and *commutitive*, while  $\text{fold } f$  does not.

**definition**

$\text{folds} :: ('a \Rightarrow 'b \Rightarrow 'b) \Rightarrow 'b \Rightarrow 'a \text{ set} \Rightarrow 'b$

**where**

$\text{folds } f\ z\ S \equiv \text{SOME } x. \text{fold-graph } f\ z\ S\ x$

The following lemma assures that the arbitrary choice made by the  $\text{SOME}$  in  $\text{folds}$  does not affect the  $L$ -value of the resultant regular expression.

**lemma**  $\text{folds-alt-simp}$  [ $\text{simp}$ ]:

$\text{finite } rs \implies L(\text{folds } \text{ALT } \text{NULL } rs) = \bigcup (L \text{ ` } rs)$

**apply** ( $\text{rule set-eq-intro}$ ,  $\text{simp add:folds-def}$ )

**apply** ( $\text{rule someI2-ex}$ ,  $\text{erule finite-imp-fold-graph}$ )

**by** ( $\text{erule fold-graph.induct}$ ,  $\text{auto}$ )

**lemma** [ $\text{simp}$ ]:

**shows**  $(x, y) \in \{(x, y). P\ x\ y\} \longleftrightarrow P\ x\ y$

**by**  $\text{simp}$

$\approx L$  is an equivalent class defined by language  $\text{Lang}$ .

**definition**

$\text{str-eq-rel } (\approx - [100] 100)$

**where**

$\approx \text{Lang} \equiv \{(x, y). (\forall z. x @ z \in \text{Lang} \longleftrightarrow y @ z \in \text{Lang})\}$

Among equivalent classes of  $\approx \text{Lang}$ , the set  $\text{finals}(\text{Lang})$  singles out those which contains strings from  $\text{Lang}$ .



**definition**

$$\mathit{finals} \text{ Lang} \equiv \{\approx \text{Lang} \text{ “ } \{x\} \mid x . x \in \text{Lang}\}$$

The following lemma show the relationship between  $\mathit{finals}(\text{Lang})$  and  $\text{Lang}$ .

**lemma** *lang-is-union-of-finals*:

$$\text{Lang} = \bigcup \mathit{finals}(\text{Lang})$$

**proof**

**show**  $\text{Lang} \subseteq \bigcup (\mathit{finals} \text{ Lang})$

**proof**

**fix**  $x$

**assume**  $x \in \text{Lang}$

**thus**  $x \in \bigcup (\mathit{finals} \text{ Lang})$

**apply** (*simp add:finals-def, rule-tac*  $x = (\approx \text{Lang}) \text{ “ } \{x\} \text{ in } exI$ )

**by** (*auto simp:Image-def str-eq-rel-def*)

**qed**

**next**

**show**  $\bigcup (\mathit{finals} \text{ Lang}) \subseteq \text{Lang}$

**apply** (*clarsimp simp:finals-def str-eq-rel-def*)

**by** (*drule-tac*  $x = []$  **in** *spec, auto*)

**qed**

## 5 Direction *finite partition* $\Rightarrow$ *regular language*

The relationship between equivalent classes can be described by an equational system. For example, in equational system (1),  $X_0, X_1$  are equivalent classes. The first equation says every string in  $X_0$  is obtained either by appending one  $b$  to a string in  $X_0$  or by appending one  $a$  to a string in  $X_1$  or just be an empty string (represented by the regular expression  $\lambda$ ). Similarly, the second equation tells how the strings inside  $X_1$  are composed.

$$\begin{aligned} X_0 &= X_0b + X_1a + \lambda \\ X_1 &= X_0a + X_1b \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

The summands on the right hand side is represented by the following datatype *rhs-item*, mnemonic for 'right hand side item'. Generally, there are two kinds of right hand side items, one kind corresponds to pure regular expressions, like the  $\lambda$  in (1), the other kind corresponds to transitions from one one equivalent class to another, like the  $X_0b, X_1a$  etc.

**datatype** *rhs-item* =

*Lam* *rexp*

| *Trn* (*string set*) *rexp*

In this formalization, pure regular expressions like  $\lambda$  is represented by *Lam*(*EMPTY*), while transitions like  $X_0a$  is represented by *Trn*  $X_0$  (*CHAR*  $a$ ).

The functions *the-r* and *the-Trn* are used to extract subcomponents from right hand side items.

**fun** *the-r* :: *rhs-item*  $\Rightarrow$  *rexp*  
**where** *the-r* (*Lam* *r*) = *r*

**fun** *the-Trn*:: *rhs-item*  $\Rightarrow$  (*string set*  $\times$  *rexp*)  
**where** *the-Trn* (*Trn* *Y* *r*) = (*Y*, *r*)

Every right hand side item *itm* defines a string set given  $L(itm)$ , defined as:

**overloading** *L-rhs-e*  $\equiv$  *L*:: *rhs-item*  $\Rightarrow$  *string set*  
**begin**  
**fun** *L-rhs-e*:: *rhs-item*  $\Rightarrow$  *string set*  
**where**  
*L-rhs-e* (*Lam* *r*) = *L* *r* |  
*L-rhs-e* (*Trn* *X* *r*) = *X* ;; *L* *r*  
**end**

The right hand side of every equation is represented by a set of items. The string set defined by such a set *itms* is given by  $L(itms)$ , defined as:

**overloading** *L-rhs*  $\equiv$  *L*:: *rhs-item set*  $\Rightarrow$  *string set*  
**begin**  
**fun** *L-rhs*:: *rhs-item set*  $\Rightarrow$  *string set*  
**where** *L-rhs* *rhs* =  $\bigcup$  (*L* ' *rhs*)  
**end**

Given a set of equivalent classes *CS* and one equivalent class *X* among *CS*, the term *init-rhs CS X* is used to extract the right hand side of the equation describing the formation of *X*. The definition of *init-rhs* is:

**definition**  
*init-rhs* *CS* *X*  $\equiv$   
 if ( $\square \in X$ ) then  
 $\{Lam(EMPTY)\} \cup \{Trn Y (CHAR c) \mid Y c. Y \in CS \wedge Y ;; \{[c]\} \subseteq X\}$   
 else  
 $\{Trn Y (CHAR c) \mid Y c. Y \in CS \wedge Y ;; \{[c]\} \subseteq X\}$

In the definition of *init-rhs*, the term  $\{Trn Y (CHAR c) \mid Y c. Y \in CS \wedge Y ;; \{[c]\} \subseteq X\}$  appearing on both branches describes the formation of strings in *X* out of transitions, while the term  $\{Lam(EMPTY)\}$  describes the empty string which is intrinsically contained in *X* rather than by transition. This  $\{Lam(EMPTY)\}$  corresponds to the  $\lambda$  in (1).

With the help of *init-rhs*, the equitional system describing the formation of every equivalent class inside *CS* is given by the following *eqs(CS)*.

**definition** *eqs CS*  $\equiv \{(X, init-rhs CS X) \mid X. X \in CS\}$

The following *items-of rhs X* returns all *X*-items in *rhs*.

**definition**  
*items-of rhs X*  $\equiv \{Trn X r \mid r. (Trn X r) \in rhs\}$

The following *rexp-of rhs X* combines all regular expressions in *X*-items using *ALT* to form a single regular expression. It will be used later to implement *arden-variate* and *rhs-subst*.

**definition**

$$\text{rexp-of rhs } X \equiv \text{folds } ALT \text{ NULL } ((\text{snd } o \text{ the-Trn}) \text{ ' items-of rhs } X)$$

The following *lam-of rhs* returns all pure regular expression items in *rhs*.

**definition**

$$\text{lam-of rhs} \equiv \{Lam \ r \mid r. Lam \ r \in rhs\}$$

The following *rexp-of-lam rhs* combines pure regular expression items in *rhs* using *ALT* to form a single regular expression. When all variables inside *rhs* are eliminated, *rexp-of-lam rhs* is used to compute the regular expression corresponds to *rhs*.

**definition**

$$\text{rexp-of-lam rhs} \equiv \text{folds } ALT \text{ NULL } (\text{the-r} \text{ ' lam-of rhs})$$

The following *attach-rexp rexp' itm* attach the regular expression *rexp'* to the right of right hand side item *itm*.

**fun** *attach-rexp* :: *rexp*  $\Rightarrow$  *rhs-item*  $\Rightarrow$  *rhs-item*

**where**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{attach-rexp } rexp' (Lam \ rexp) &= Lam \ (SEQ \ rexp \ rexp') \\ | \text{attach-rexp } rexp' (Trn \ X \ rexp) &= Trn \ X \ (SEQ \ rexp \ rexp') \end{aligned}$$

The following *append-rhs-rexp rhs rexp* attaches *rexp* to every item in *rhs*.

**definition**

$$\text{append-rhs-rexp } rhs \ rexp \equiv (\text{attach-rexp } rexp) \text{ ' } rhs$$

With the help of the two functions immediately above, Ardens' transformation on right hand side *rhs* is implemented by the following function *arden-variate X rhs*. After this transformation, the recursive occurent of *X* in *rhs* will be eliminated, while the string set defined by *rhs* is kept unchanged.

**definition**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{arden-variate } X \ rhs &\equiv \\ \text{append-rhs-rexp } (rhs - \text{items-of rhs } X) &(\text{STAR } (\text{rexp-of rhs } X)) \end{aligned}$$

Suppose the equation defining *X* is *X = xrhs*, the purpose of *rhs-subst* is to substitute all occurrences of *X* in *rhs* by *xrhs*. A little thought may reveal that the final result should be: first append (*a*<sub>1</sub>|*a*<sub>2</sub>|\dots|*a*<sub>*n*</sub>) to every item of *xrhs* and then union the result with all non-*X*-items of *rhs*.

**definition**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{rhs-subst } rhs \ X \ xrhs &\equiv \\ (rhs - (\text{items-of rhs } X)) \cup &(\text{append-rhs-rexp } xrhs \ (\text{rexp-of rhs } X)) \end{aligned}$$

Suppose the equation defining *X* is *X = xrhs*, the following *eqs-subst ES X xrhs* substitute *xrhs* into every equation of the equational system *ES*.

**definition**

$$eqs\text{-subst } ES \ X \ xrhs \equiv \{(Y, rhs\text{-subst } yrhs \ X \ xrhs) \mid Y \ yrhs. (Y, yrhs) \in ES\}$$

The computation of regular expressions for equivalent classes is accomplished using a iteration principle given by the following lemma.

**lemma** *wf-iter* [*rule-format*]:

**fixes**  $f$

**assumes** *step*:  $\bigwedge e. \llbracket P \ e; \neg Q \ e \rrbracket \implies (\exists e'. P \ e' \wedge (f(e'), f(e)) \in less\text{-than})$

**shows** *pe*:  $P \ e \longrightarrow (\exists e'. P \ e' \wedge Q \ e')$

**proof**(*induct e rule: wf-induct*

[*OF wf-inv-image[OF wf-less-than, where f = f]*], *clarify*)

**fix**  $x$

**assume**  $h$  [*rule-format*]:

$\forall y. (y, x) \in inv\text{-image } less\text{-than } f \longrightarrow P \ y \longrightarrow (\exists e'. P \ e' \wedge Q \ e')$

**and** *px*:  $P \ x$

**show**  $\exists e'. P \ e' \wedge Q \ e'$

**proof**(*cases Q x*)

**assume**  $Q \ x$  **with** *px* **show** *?thesis* **by** *blast*

**next**

**assume** *nq*:  $\neg Q \ x$

**from** *step* [*OF px nq*]

**obtain**  $e'$  **where** *pe'*:  $P \ e'$  **and** *ltf*:  $(f \ e', f \ x) \in less\text{-than}$  **by** *auto*

**show** *?thesis*

**proof**(*rule h*)

**from** *ltf* **show**  $(e', x) \in inv\text{-image } less\text{-than } f$

**by** (*simp add:inv-image-def*)

**next**

**from** *pe'* **show**  $P \ e'$ .

**qed**

**qed**

**qed**

The  $P$  in lemma *wf-iter* is an invariant kept throughout the iteration procedure. The particular invariant used to solve our problem is defined by function  $Inv(ES)$ , an invariant over equal system  $ES$ . Every definition starting next till  $Inv$  stipulates a property to be satisfied by  $ES$ .

Every variable is defined at most once in  $ES$ .

**definition**

*distinct-eqvas*  $ES \equiv$

$$\forall X \ rhs \ rhs'. (X, rhs) \in ES \wedge (X, rhs') \in ES \longrightarrow rhs = rhs'$$

Every equation in  $ES$  (represented by  $(X, rhs)$ ) is valid, i.e.  $(X = L \ rhs)$ .

**definition**

*valid-eqns*  $ES \equiv \forall X \ rhs. (X, rhs) \in ES \longrightarrow (X = L \ rhs)$

The following *rhs-nonempty*  $rhs$  requires regular expressions occurring in transitional items of  $rhs$  does not contain empty string. This is necessary for the application of Arden's transformation to  $rhs$ .

**definition**

$$rhs\text{-nonempty } rhs \equiv (\forall Y r. Trn Y r \in rhs \longrightarrow [] \notin L r)$$

The following *ardenable ES* requires that Arden's transformation is applicable to every equation of equational system *ES*.

**definition**

$$ardenable \ ES \equiv \forall X rhs. (X, rhs) \in ES \longrightarrow rhs\text{-nonempty } rhs$$

**definition**

$$non\text{-empty } ES \equiv \forall X rhs. (X, rhs) \in ES \longrightarrow X \neq \{\}$$

The following *finite-rhs ES* requires every equation in *rhs* be finite.

**definition**

$$finite\text{-rhs } ES \equiv \forall X rhs. (X, rhs) \in ES \longrightarrow finite \ rhs$$

The following *classes-of rhs* returns all variables (or equivalent classes) occurring in *rhs*.

**definition**

$$classes\text{-of } rhs \equiv \{X. \exists r. Trn X r \in rhs\}$$

The following *lefts-of ES* returns all variables defined by equational system *ES*.

**definition**

$$lefts\text{-of } ES \equiv \{Y \mid Y \text{ yrhs}. (Y, yrhs) \in ES\}$$

The following *self-contained ES* requires that every variable occurring on the right hand side of equations is already defined by some equation in *ES*.

**definition**

$$self\text{-contained } ES \equiv \forall (X, xrhs) \in ES. classes\text{-of } xrhs \subseteq lefts\text{-of } ES$$

The invariant  $Inv(ES)$  is a conjunction of all the previously defined constraints.

**definition**

$$Inv \ ES \equiv valid\text{-eqns } ES \wedge finite \ ES \wedge distinct\text{-equas } ES \wedge ardenable \ ES \wedge non\text{-empty } ES \wedge finite\text{-rhs } ES \wedge self\text{-contained } ES$$

## 5.1 The proof of this direction

### 5.1.1 Basic properties

The following are some basic properties of the above definitions.

**lemma** *L-rhs-union-distrib*:

$$L (A::rhs\text{-item set}) \cup L B = L (A \cup B)$$

**by** *simp*

**lemma** *finite-snd-Trn*:

**assumes** *finite:finite rhs*  
**shows** *finite {r2. Trn Y r2 ∈ rhs}* (**is** *finite ?B*)  
**proof** –  
**def** *rhs'* ≡ {e ∈ rhs. ∃ r. e = Trn Y r}  
**have** *?B = (snd o the-Trn) ‘ rhs'* **using** *rhs'-def* **by** (*auto simp:image-def*)  
**moreover** **have** *finite rhs'* **using** *finite rhs'-def* **by** *auto*  
**ultimately show** *?thesis* **by** *simp*  
**qed**

**lemma** *rexp-of-empty*:  
**assumes** *finite:finite rhs*  
**and** *nonempty:rhs-nonempty rhs*  
**shows**  $\square \notin L$  (*rexp-of rhs X*)  
**using** *finite nonempty rhs-nonempty-def*  
**by** (*drule-tac finite-snd-Trn[where Y = X], auto simp:rexp-of-def items-of-def*)

**lemma** [*intro!*]:  
 $P$  (*Trn X r*)  $\implies$  ( $\exists a. (\exists r. a = \text{Trn } X \ r \wedge P \ a)$ ) **by** *auto*

**lemma** *finite-items-of*:  
*finite rhs*  $\implies$  *finite (items-of rhs X)*  
**by** (*auto simp:items-of-def intro:finite-subset*)

**lemma** *lang-of-rexp-of*:  
**assumes** *finite:finite rhs*  
**shows**  $L$  (*items-of rhs X*) =  $X$  ;; ( $L$  (*rexp-of rhs X*))  
**proof** –  
**have** *finite ((snd o the-Trn) ‘ items-of rhs X)* **using** *finite-items-of[OF finite]*  
**by** *auto*  
**thus** *?thesis*  
**apply** (*auto simp:rexp-of-def Seq-def items-of-def*)  
**apply** (*rule-tac x = s1 in exI, rule-tac x = s2 in exI, auto*)  
**by** (*rule-tac x = Trn X r in exI, auto simp:Seq-def*)  
**qed**

**lemma** *rexp-of-lam-eq-lam-set*:  
**assumes** *finite:finite rhs*  
**shows**  $L$  (*rexp-of-lam rhs*) =  $L$  (*lam-of rhs*)  
**proof** –  
**have** *finite (the-r ‘ {Lam r |r. Lam r ∈ rhs})* **using** *finite*  
**by** (*rule-tac finite-imageI, auto intro:finite-subset*)  
**thus** *?thesis* **by** (*auto simp:rexp-of-lam-def lam-of-def*)  
**qed**

**lemma** [*simp*]:  
 $L$  (*attach-rexp r xb*) =  $L$  *xb* ;;  $L$  *r*  
**apply** (*cases xb, auto simp:Seq-def*)  
**by** (*rule-tac x = s1 @ s1a in exI, rule-tac x = s2a in exI, auto simp:Seq-def*)

**lemma** *lang-of-append-rhs*:  
 $L (\text{append-rhs-rexp } rhs \ r) = L \ rhs \ ; ; \ L \ r$   
**apply** (*auto simp:append-rhs-rexp-def image-def*)  
**apply** (*auto simp:Seq-def*)  
**apply** (*rule-tac x = L xb ; ; L r in exI, auto simp add:Seq-def*)  
**by** (*rule-tac x = attach-rexp r xb in exI, auto simp:Seq-def*)

**lemma** *classes-of-union-distrib*:  
 $\text{classes-of } A \cup \text{classes-of } B = \text{classes-of } (A \cup B)$   
**by** (*auto simp add:classes-of-def*)

**lemma** *lefts-of-union-distrib*:  
 $\text{lefts-of } A \cup \text{lefts-of } B = \text{lefts-of } (A \cup B)$   
**by** (*auto simp:lefts-of-def*)

### 5.1.2 Intialization

The following several lemmas until *init-ES-satisfy-Inv* shows that the initial equational system satisfies invariant *Inv*.

**lemma** *defined-by-str*:  
 $\llbracket s \in X; X \in UNIV // (\approx Lang) \rrbracket \implies X = (\approx Lang) \text{ “ } \{s\}$   
**by** (*auto simp:quotient-def Image-def str-eq-rel-def*)

**lemma** *every-eclass-has-transition*:  
**assumes** *has-str*:  $s @ [c] \in X$   
**and** *in-CS*:  $X \in UNIV // (\approx Lang)$   
**obtains** *Y* **where**  $Y \in UNIV // (\approx Lang)$  **and**  $Y ; ; \{[c]\} \subseteq X$  **and**  $s \in Y$

**proof** –  
**def**  $Y \equiv (\approx Lang) \text{ “ } \{s\}$   
**have**  $Y \in UNIV // (\approx Lang)$   
**unfolding** *Y-def quotient-def* **by** *auto*  
**moreover**  
**have**  $X = (\approx Lang) \text{ “ } \{s @ [c]\}$   
**using** *has-str in-CS defined-by-str* **by** *blast*  
**then have**  $Y ; ; \{[c]\} \subseteq X$   
**unfolding** *Y-def Image-def Seq-def*  
**unfolding** *str-eq-rel-def*  
**by** *clarsimp*  
**moreover**  
**have**  $s \in Y$  **unfolding** *Y-def*  
**unfolding** *Image-def str-eq-rel-def* **by** *simp*  
**ultimately show thesis** **by** (*blast intro: that*)  
**qed**

**lemma** *l-eq-r-in-eqs*:  
**assumes** *X-in-eqs*:  $(X, xrhs) \in (\text{eqs } (UNIV // (\approx Lang)))$   
**shows**  $X = L \ xrhs$   
**proof**  
**show**  $X \subseteq L \ xrhs$

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proof
  fix  $x$ 
  assume (1):  $x \in X$ 
  show  $x \in L \text{ xrhs}$ 
  proof (cases  $x = []$ )
    assume empty:  $x = []$ 
    thus ?thesis using X-in-eqs (1)
      by (auto simp: eqs-def init-rhs-def)
  next
    assume not-empty:  $x \neq []$ 
    then obtain clist c where decom:  $x = \text{clist} @ [c]$ 
      by (case-tac x rule: rev-cases, auto)
    have  $X \in \text{UNIV} // (\approx \text{Lang})$  using X-in-eqs by (auto simp: eqs-def)
    then obtain  $Y$ 
      where  $Y \in \text{UNIV} // (\approx \text{Lang})$ 
      and  $Y ;; \{[c]\} \subseteq X$ 
      and  $\text{clist} \in Y$ 
      using decom (1) every-eclass-has-transition by blast
    hence
       $x \in L \{ \text{Trn } Y (\text{CHAR } c) \mid Y c. Y \in \text{UNIV} // (\approx \text{Lang}) \wedge Y ;; \{[c]\} \subseteq X \}$ 
      using (1) decom
      by (simp, rule-tac x = Trn Y (CHAR c) in exI, simp add: Seq-def)
    thus ?thesis using X-in-eqs (1)
      by (simp add: eqs-def init-rhs-def)
  qed
qed
next
  show  $L \text{ xrhs} \subseteq X$  using X-in-eqs
    by (auto simp: eqs-def init-rhs-def)
qed

lemma finite-init-rhs:
  assumes finite: finite CS
  shows finite (init-rhs CS X)
proof –
  have finite  $\{ \text{Trn } Y (\text{CHAR } c) \mid Y c. Y \in \text{CS} \wedge Y ;; \{[c]\} \subseteq X \}$  (is finite ?A)
  proof –
    def  $S \equiv \{ (Y, c) \mid Y c. Y \in \text{CS} \wedge Y ;; \{[c]\} \subseteq X \}$ 
    def  $h \equiv \lambda (Y, c). \text{Trn } Y (\text{CHAR } c)$ 
    have finite ( $\text{CS} \times (\text{UNIV}::\text{char set})$ ) using finite by auto
    hence finite  $S$  using S-def
      by (rule-tac B = CS × UNIV in finite-subset, auto)
    moreover have ?A =  $h \text{ ' } S$  by (auto simp: S-def h-def image-def)
    ultimately show ?thesis
      by auto
  qed
thus ?thesis by (simp add: init-rhs-def)
qed

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**lemma** *init-ES-satisfy-Inv*:  
**assumes** *finite-CS*: *finite* (*UNIV* // ( $\approx$ *Lang*))  
**shows** *Inv* (*eqs* (*UNIV* // ( $\approx$ *Lang*)))  
**proof** –  
**have** *finite* (*eqs* (*UNIV* // ( $\approx$ *Lang*))) **using** *finite-CS*  
**by** (*simp add:eqs-def*)  
**moreover have** *distinct-equas* (*eqs* (*UNIV* // ( $\approx$ *Lang*)))  
**by** (*simp add:distinct-equas-def eqs-def*)  
**moreover have** *ardenable* (*eqs* (*UNIV* // ( $\approx$ *Lang*)))  
**by** (*auto simp add:ardenable-def eqs-def init-rhs-def rhs-nonempty-def del:L-rhs.simps*)  
**moreover have** *valid-egns* (*eqs* (*UNIV* // ( $\approx$ *Lang*)))  
**using** *l-eq-r-in-egs* **by** (*simp add:valid-egns-def*)  
**moreover have** *non-empty* (*eqs* (*UNIV* // ( $\approx$ *Lang*)))  
**by** (*auto simp:non-empty-def eqs-def quotient-def Image-def str-eq-rel-def*)  
**moreover have** *finite-rhs* (*eqs* (*UNIV* // ( $\approx$ *Lang*)))  
**using** *finite-init-rhs[OF finite-CS]*  
**by** (*auto simp:finite-rhs-def eqs-def*)  
**moreover have** *self-contained* (*eqs* (*UNIV* // ( $\approx$ *Lang*)))  
**by** (*auto simp:self-contained-def eqs-def init-rhs-def classes-of-def lefts-of-def*)  
**ultimately show** *?thesis* **by** (*simp add:Inv-def*)  
**qed**

### 5.1.3 Iteration step

From this point until *iteration-step*, it is proved that there exists iteration steps which keep *Inv*(*ES*) while decreasing the size of *ES*.

**lemma** *arden-variate-keeps-eq*:  
**assumes** *l-eq-r*:  $X = L$  *rhs*  
**and** *not-empty*:  $\square \notin L$  (*rexp-of rhs X*)  
**and** *finite*: *finite rhs*  
**shows**  $X = L$  (*arden-variate X rhs*)  
**proof** –  
**def**  $A \equiv L$  (*rexp-of rhs X*)  
**def**  $b \equiv rhs$  – *items-of rhs X*  
**def**  $B \equiv L$   $b$   
**have**  $X = B$  ;;  $A \star$   
**proof** –  
**have**  $rhs = items-of rhs X \cup b$  **by** (*auto simp:b-def items-of-def*)  
**hence**  $L rhs = L(items-of rhs X \cup b)$  **by** *simp*  
**hence**  $L rhs = L(items-of rhs X) \cup B$  **by** (*simp only:L-rhs-union-distrib B-def*)  
**with** *lang-of-rexp-of*  
**have**  $L rhs = X$  ;;  $A \cup B$  **using** *finite* **by** (*simp only:B-def b-def A-def*)  
**thus** *?thesis*  
**using** *l-eq-r not-empty*  
**apply** (*drule-tac B = B and X = X in ardens-revised*)  
**by** (*auto simp:A-def simp del:L-rhs.simps*)  
**qed**  
**moreover have**  $L$  (*arden-variate X rhs*) =  $(B$  ;;  $A \star)$  (**is**  $?L = ?R$ )  
**by** (*simp only:arden-variate-def L-rhs-union-distrib lang-of-append-rhs*)

*B-def A-def b-def L-rexp.simps seq-union-distrib-left*)

**ultimately show** *?thesis* **by** *simp*

**qed**

**lemma** *append-keeps-finite*:  
*finite rhs*  $\implies$  *finite* (*append-rhs-rexp rhs r*)  
**by** (*auto simp:append-rhs-rexp-def*)

**lemma** *arden-variate-keeps-finite*:  
*finite rhs*  $\implies$  *finite* (*arden-variate X rhs*)  
**by** (*auto simp:arden-variate-def append-keeps-finite*)

**lemma** *append-keeps-nonempty*:  
*rhs-nonempty rhs*  $\implies$  *rhs-nonempty* (*append-rhs-rexp rhs r*)  
**apply** (*auto simp:rhs-nonempty-def append-rhs-rexp-def*)  
**by** (*case-tac x, auto simp:Seq-def*)

**lemma** *nonempty-set-sub*:  
*rhs-nonempty rhs*  $\implies$  *rhs-nonempty* (*rhs - A*)  
**by** (*auto simp:rhs-nonempty-def*)

**lemma** *nonempty-set-union*:  
 $\llbracket$ *rhs-nonempty rhs; rhs-nonempty rhs* $\rrbracket \implies$  *rhs-nonempty* (*rhs  $\cup$  rhs'*)  
**by** (*auto simp:rhs-nonempty-def*)

**lemma** *arden-variate-keeps-nonempty*:  
*rhs-nonempty rhs*  $\implies$  *rhs-nonempty* (*arden-variate X rhs*)  
**by** (*simp only:arden-variate-def append-keeps-nonempty nonempty-set-sub*)

**lemma** *rhs-subst-keeps-nonempty*:  
 $\llbracket$ *rhs-nonempty rhs; rhs-nonempty xrhs* $\rrbracket \implies$  *rhs-nonempty* (*rhs-subst rhs X xrhs*)  
**by** (*simp only:rhs-subst-def append-keeps-nonempty nonempty-set-union nonempty-set-sub*)

**lemma** *rhs-subst-keeps-eq*:  
**assumes** *substor: X = L xrhs*  
**and** *finite: finite rhs*  
**shows**  $L$  (*rhs-subst rhs X xrhs*) =  $L$  *rhs* (**is** *?Left = ?Right*)  
**proof** –  
**def** *A*  $\equiv$   $L$  (*rhs - items-of rhs X*)  
**have** *?Left = A  $\cup$  L* (*append-rhs-rexp xrhs (rexp-of rhs X)*)  
**by** (*simp only:rhs-subst-def L-rhs-union-distrib A-def*)  
**moreover have** *?Right = A  $\cup$  L* (*items-of rhs X*)  
**proof** –  
**have** *rhs = (rhs - items-of rhs X)  $\cup$  (items-of rhs X)* **by** (*auto simp:items-of-def*)  
**thus** *?thesis* **by** (*simp only:L-rhs-union-distrib A-def*)  
**qed**  
**moreover have**  $L$  (*append-rhs-rexp xrhs (rexp-of rhs X)*) =  $L$  (*items-of rhs X*)  
**using** *finite substor* **by** (*simp only:lang-of-append-rhs lang-of-rexp-of*)

**ultimately show** *?thesis* **by** *simp*  
**qed**

**lemma** *rhs-subst-keeps-finite-rhs*:  
 $\llbracket \text{finite } rhs; \text{ finite } yrhs \rrbracket \implies \text{finite } (rhs\text{-subst } rhs \ Y \ yrhs)$   
**by** (*auto simp:rhs-subst-def append-keeps-finite*)

**lemma** *eqs-subst-keeps-finite*:  
**assumes** *finite:finite* (*ES::* (*string set*  $\times$  *rhs-item set*) *set*)  
**shows** *finite* (*eqs-subst* *ES* *Y* *yrhs*)  
**proof** –  
**have** *finite*  $\{(Ya, rhs\text{-subst } yrhsa \ Y \ yrhs) \mid Ya \ yrhsa. (Ya, yrhsa) \in ES\}$   
(**is** *finite* *?A*)

**proof**–  
**def** *eqns'*  $\equiv \{(Ya::string \ set), yrhsa \mid Ya \ yrhsa. (Ya, yrhsa) \in ES\}$   
**def** *h*  $\equiv \lambda ((Ya::string \ set), yrhsa). (Ya, rhs\text{-subst } yrhsa \ Y \ yrhs)$   
**have** *finite* (*h* ‘*eqns'*) **using** *finite* *h-def* *eqns'-def* **by** *auto*  
**moreover** **have** *?A* = *h* ‘*eqns'* **by** (*auto simp:h-def eqns'-def*)  
**ultimately show** *?thesis* **by** *auto*

**qed**  
**thus** *?thesis* **by** (*simp add:eqs-subst-def*)  
**qed**

**lemma** *eqs-subst-keeps-finite-rhs*:  
 $\llbracket \text{finite-rhs } ES; \text{ finite } yrhs \rrbracket \implies \text{finite-rhs } (eqs\text{-subst } ES \ Y \ yrhs)$   
**by** (*auto intro:rhs-subst-keeps-finite-rhs simp add:eqs-subst-def finite-rhs-def*)

**lemma** *append-rhs-keeps-cls*:  
 $\text{classes-of } (append\text{-rhs-rexp } rhs \ r) = \text{classes-of } rhs$   
**apply** (*auto simp:classes-of-def append-rhs-rexp-def*)  
**apply** (*case-tac* *xa*, *auto simp:image-def*)  
**by** (*rule-tac*  $x = SEQ \ ra \ r$  **in** *exI*, *rule-tac*  $x = Trn \ x \ ra$  **in** *beX*, *simp+*)

**lemma** *arden-variate-removes-cl*:  
 $\text{classes-of } (arden\text{-variate } Y \ yrhs) = \text{classes-of } yrhs - \{Y\}$   
**apply** (*simp add:arden-variate-def append-rhs-keeps-cls items-of-def*)  
**by** (*auto simp:classes-of-def*)

**lemma** *lefts-of-keeps-cls*:  
 $\text{lefts-of } (eqs\text{-subst } ES \ Y \ yrhs) = \text{lefts-of } ES$   
**by** (*auto simp:lefts-of-def eqs-subst-def*)

**lemma** *rhs-subst-updates-cls*:  
 $X \notin \text{classes-of } xrhs \implies$   
 $\text{classes-of } (rhs\text{-subst } rhs \ X \ xrhs) = \text{classes-of } rhs \cup \text{classes-of } xrhs - \{X\}$   
**apply** (*simp only:rhs-subst-def append-rhs-keeps-cls*  
*classes-of-union-distrib*[*THEN sym*]))  
**by** (*auto simp:classes-of-def items-of-def*)

**lemma** *eqs-subst-keeps-self-contained*:  
**fixes**  $Y$   
**assumes**  $sc$ : *self-contained* ( $ES \cup \{(Y, yrhs)\}$ ) (**is** *self-contained* ? $A$ )  
**shows** *self-contained* (*eqs-subst*  $ES$   $Y$  (*arden-variate*  $Y$   $yrhs$ ))  
(**is** *self-contained* ? $B$ )

**proof** –  
{ **fix**  $X$   $xrhs'$   
**assume**  $(X, xrhs) \in ?B$   
**then obtain**  $xrhs$   
**where**  $xrhs-xrhs'$ :  $xrhs' = rhs\text{-subst } xrhs \ Y \ (arden\text{-variate } Y \ yrhs)$   
**and**  $X\text{-in}$ :  $(X, xrhs) \in ES$  **by** (*simp add: eqs-subst-def, blast*)  
**have** *classes-of*  $xrhs' \subseteq$  *lefts-of* ? $B$   
**proof** –  
**have** *lefts-of* ? $B =$  *lefts-of*  $ES$  **by** (*auto simp add: lefts-of-def eqs-subst-def*)  
**moreover have** *classes-of*  $xrhs' \subseteq$  *lefts-of*  $ES$   
**proof** –  
**have** *classes-of*  $xrhs' \subseteq$   
 $classes\text{-of } xrhs \cup classes\text{-of } (arden\text{-variate } Y \ yrhs) - \{Y\}$   
**proof** –  
**have**  $Y \notin$  *classes-of* (*arden-variate*  $Y$   $yrhs$ )  
**using** *arden-variate-removes-cl* **by** *simp*  
**thus** ?*thesis* **using**  $xrhs-xrhs'$  **by** (*auto simp: rhs-subst-updates-cls*)  
**qed**  
**moreover have** *classes-of*  $xrhs \subseteq$  *lefts-of*  $ES \cup \{Y\}$  **using**  $X\text{-in}$   $sc$   
**apply** (*simp only: self-contained-def lefts-of-union-distrib [THEN sym]*)  
**by** (*drule-tac x = (X, xrhs) in bspec, auto simp: lefts-of-def*)  
**moreover have** *classes-of* (*arden-variate*  $Y$   $yrhs$ )  $\subseteq$  *lefts-of*  $ES \cup \{Y\}$   
**using**  $sc$   
**by** (*auto simp add: arden-variate-removes-cl self-contained-def lefts-of-def*)  
**ultimately show** ?*thesis* **by** *auto*  
**qed**  
**ultimately show** ?*thesis* **by** *simp*  
**qed**  
} **thus** ?*thesis* **by** (*auto simp only: eqs-subst-def self-contained-def*)  
**qed**

**lemma** *eqs-subst-satisfy-Inv*:  
**assumes**  $Inv\text{-ES}$ :  $Inv$  ( $ES \cup \{(Y, yrhs)\}$ )  
**shows**  $Inv$  (*eqs-subst*  $ES$   $Y$  (*arden-variate*  $Y$   $yrhs$ ))  
**proof** –  
**have**  $finite\text{-yrhs}$ : *finite*  $yrhs$   
**using**  $Inv\text{-ES}$  **by** (*auto simp: Inv-def finite-rhs-def*)  
**have**  $nonempty\text{-yrhs}$ : *rhs-nonempty*  $yrhs$   
**using**  $Inv\text{-ES}$  **by** (*auto simp: Inv-def ardenable-def*)  
**have**  $Y\text{-eq-yrhs}$ :  $Y = L$   $yrhs$   
**using**  $Inv\text{-ES}$  **by** (*simp only: Inv-def valid-eqns-def, blast*)  
**have** *distinct-eqas* (*eqs-subst*  $ES$   $Y$  (*arden-variate*  $Y$   $yrhs$ ))  
**using**  $Inv\text{-ES}$   
**by** (*auto simp: distinct-eqas-def eqs-subst-def Inv-def*)

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moreover have finite (eqs-subst ES Y (arden-variate Y yrhs))
  using Inv-ES by (simp add:Inv-def eqs-subst-keeps-finite)
moreover have finite-rhs (eqs-subst ES Y (arden-variate Y yrhs))
proof –
  have finite-rhs ES using Inv-ES
    by (simp add:Inv-def finite-rhs-def)
  moreover have finite (arden-variate Y yrhs)
  proof –
    have finite yrhs using Inv-ES
      by (auto simp:Inv-def finite-rhs-def)
    thus ?thesis using arden-variate-keeps-finite by simp
  qed
  ultimately show ?thesis
    by (simp add:eqs-subst-keeps-finite-rhs)
qed
moreover have ardenable (eqs-subst ES Y (arden-variate Y yrhs))
proof –
  { fix X rhs
    assume (X, rhs)  $\in$  ES
    hence rhs-nonempty rhs using prems Inv-ES
      by (simp add:Inv-def ardenable-def)
    with nonempty-yrhs
    have rhs-nonempty (rhs-subst rhs Y (arden-variate Y yrhs))
      by (simp add:nonempty-yrhs
        rhs-subst-keeps-nonempty arden-variate-keeps-nonempty)
    } thus ?thesis by (auto simp add:ardenable-def eqs-subst-def)
qed
moreover have valid-eqns (eqs-subst ES Y (arden-variate Y yrhs))
proof –
  have Y = L (arden-variate Y yrhs)
    using Y-eq-yrhs Inv-ES finite-yrhs nonempty-yrhs
    by (rule-tac arden-variate-keeps-eq, (simp add:rexp-of-empty)+)
  thus ?thesis using Inv-ES
    by (clarsimp simp add:valid-eqns-def
      eqs-subst-def rhs-subst-keeps-eq Inv-def finite-rhs-def
      simp del:L-rhs.simps)
qed
moreover have
  non-empty-subst: non-empty (eqs-subst ES Y (arden-variate Y yrhs))
  using Inv-ES by (auto simp:Inv-def non-empty-def eqs-subst-def)
moreover
have self-subst: self-contained (eqs-subst ES Y (arden-variate Y yrhs))
  using Inv-ES eqs-subst-keeps-self-contained by (simp add:Inv-def)
  ultimately show ?thesis using Inv-ES by (simp add:Inv-def)
qed

lemma eqs-subst-card-le:
  assumes finite: finite (ES::(string set  $\times$  rhs-item set) set)
  shows card (eqs-subst ES Y yrhs)  $\leq$  card ES

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**proof** –  
**def**  $f \equiv \lambda x. ((fst\ x)::string\ set, rhs\ subst\ (snd\ x)\ Y\ yrhs)$   
**have**  $eqs\ subst\ ES\ Y\ yrhs = f\ 'ES$   
**apply**  $(auto\ simp: eqs\ subst\ def\ f\ def\ image\ def)$   
**by**  $(rule\ tac\ x = (Ya, yrhsa)\ in\ beqI, simp+)$   
**thus**  $?thesis$  **using**  $finite$  **by**  $(auto\ intro: card\ image\ le)$   
**qed**

**lemma**  $eqs\ subst\ cls\ remains$ :  
 $(X, xrhs) \in ES \implies \exists xrhs'. (X, xrhs') \in (eqs\ subst\ ES\ Y\ yrhs)$   
**by**  $(auto\ simp: eqs\ subst\ def)$

**lemma**  $card\ noteq\ 1\ has\ more$ :  
**assumes**  $card: card\ S \neq 1$   
**and**  $e\ in: e \in S$   
**and**  $finite: finite\ S$   
**obtains**  $e'$  **where**  $e' \in S \wedge e \neq e'$

**proof** –  
**have**  $card\ (S - \{e\}) > 0$   
**proof** –  
**have**  $card\ S > 1$  **using**  $card\ e\ in\ finite$   
**by**  $(case\ tac\ card\ S, auto)$   
**thus**  $?thesis$  **using**  $finite\ e\ in$  **by**  $auto$   
**qed**  
**hence**  $S - \{e\} \neq \{\}$  **using**  $finite$  **by**  $(rule\ tac\ notI, simp)$   
**thus**  $(\bigwedge e'. e' \in S \wedge e \neq e' \implies thesis) \implies thesis$  **by**  $auto$   
**qed**

**lemma**  $iteration\ step$ :  
**assumes**  $Inv\ ES: Inv\ ES$   
**and**  $X\ in\ ES: (X, xrhs) \in ES$   
**and**  $not\ T: card\ ES \neq 1$   
**shows**  $\exists ES'. (Inv\ ES' \wedge (\exists xrhs'. (X, xrhs') \in ES')) \wedge$   
 $(card\ ES', card\ ES) \in less\ than\ (is\ \exists\ ES'. ?P\ ES')$

**proof** –  
**have**  $finite\ ES: finite\ ES$  **using**  $Inv\ ES$  **by**  $(simp\ add: Inv\ def)$   
**then** **obtain**  $Y\ yrhs$   
**where**  $Y\ in\ ES: (Y, yrhs) \in ES$  **and**  $not\ eq: (X, xrhs) \neq (Y, yrhs)$   
**using**  $not\ T\ X\ in\ ES$  **by**  $(drule\ tac\ card\ noteq\ 1\ has\ more, auto)$   
**def**  $ES' == ES - \{(Y, yrhs)\}$   
**let**  $?ES'' = eqs\ subst\ ES'\ Y\ (arden\ variate\ Y\ yrhs)$   
**have**  $?P\ ?ES''$   
**proof** –  
**have**  $Inv\ ?ES''$  **using**  $Y\ in\ ES\ Inv\ ES$   
**by**  $(rule\ tac\ eqs\ subst\ satisfy\ Inv, simp\ add: ES'\ def\ insert\ absorb)$   
**moreover** **have**  $\exists xrhs'. (X, xrhs') \in ?ES''$  **using**  $not\ eq\ X\ in\ ES$   
**by**  $(rule\ tac\ ES = ES'\ in\ eqs\ subst\ cls\ remains, auto\ simp\ add: ES'\ def)$   
**moreover** **have**  $(card\ ?ES'', card\ ES) \in less\ than$   
**proof** –

```

    have finite ES' using finite-ES ES'-def by auto
    moreover have card ES' < card ES using finite-ES Y-in-ES
      by (auto simp:ES'-def card-gt-0-iff intro:diff-Suc-less)
    ultimately show ?thesis
      by (auto dest:eqs-subst-card-le elim:le-less-trans)
  qed
  ultimately show ?thesis by simp
  qed
  thus ?thesis by blast
  qed

```

#### 5.1.4 Conclusion of the proof

From this point until *hard-direction*, the hard direction is proved through a simple application of the iteration principle.

**lemma** *iteration-conc*:

```

  assumes history: Inv ES
  and X-in-ES:  $\exists xrhs. (X, xrhs) \in ES$ 
  shows
     $\exists ES'. (Inv ES' \wedge (\exists xrhs'. (X, xrhs') \in ES')) \wedge card ES' = 1$ 
    (is  $\exists ES'. ?P ES'$ )

```

**proof** (cases card ES = 1)

```

  case True
  thus ?thesis using history X-in-ES
    by blast

```

**next**

```

  case False
  thus ?thesis using history iteration-step X-in-ES
    by (rule-tac f = card in wf-iter, auto)

```

**qed**

**lemma** *last-cl-exists-rexp*:

```

  assumes ES-single: ES = {(X, xrhs)}
  and Inv-ES: Inv ES
  shows  $\exists (r::rexp). L r = X$  (is  $\exists r. ?P r$ )

```

**proof** –

```

  let ?A = arden-variate X xrhs
  have ?P (rexp-of-lam ?A)

```

**proof** –

```

  have L (rexp-of-lam ?A) = L (lam-of ?A)

```

```

  proof(rule rexp-of-lam-eq-lam-set)

```

```

    show finite (arden-variate X xrhs) using Inv-ES ES-single

```

```

    by (rule-tac arden-variate-keeps-finite,
        auto simp add:Inv-def finite-rhs-def)

```

**qed**

```

  also have ... = L ?A

```

**proof**–

```

  have lam-of ?A = ?A

```

**proof**–

```

have classes-of ?A = {} using Inv-ES ES-single
  by (simp add:arden-variate-removes-cl
      self-contained-def Inv-def lefts-of-def)
thus ?thesis
  by (auto simp only:lam-of-def classes-of-def, case-tac x, auto)
qed
thus ?thesis by simp
qed
also have ... = X
proof(rule arden-variate-keeps-eq [THEN sym])
  show X = L xrhs using Inv-ES ES-single
  by (auto simp only:Inv-def valid-eqns-def)
next
  from Inv-ES ES-single show []  $\notin$  L (rexp-of xrhs X)
  by(simp add:Inv-def ardenable-def rexp-of-empty finite-rhs-def)
next
  from Inv-ES ES-single show finite xrhs
  by (simp add:Inv-def finite-rhs-def)
qed
finally show ?thesis by simp
qed
thus ?thesis by auto
qed

```

```

lemma every-eccl-has-reg:
  assumes finite-CS: finite (UNIV // ( $\approx$ Lang))
  and X-in-CS: X  $\in$  (UNIV // ( $\approx$ Lang))
  shows  $\exists$  (reg::rexp). L reg = X (is  $\exists$  r. ?E r)
proof –
  from X-in-CS have  $\exists$  xrhs. (X, xrhs)  $\in$  (eqs (UNIV // ( $\approx$ Lang)))
  by (auto simp:eqs-def init-rhs-def)
  then obtain ES xrhs where Inv-ES: Inv ES
  and X-in-ES: (X, xrhs)  $\in$  ES
  and card-ES: card ES = 1
  using finite-CS X-in-CS init-ES-satisfy-Inv iteration-conc
  by blast
  hence ES-single-equa: ES = {(X, xrhs)}
  by (auto simp:Inv-def dest!:card-Suc-Diff1 simp:card-eq-0-iff)
  thus ?thesis using Inv-ES
  by (rule last-cl-exists-rexp)
qed

```

```

lemma finals-in-partitions:
  finals Lang  $\subseteq$  (UNIV // ( $\approx$ Lang))
  by (auto simp:finals-def quotient-def)

```

```

theorem hard-direction:
  assumes finite-CS: finite (UNIV // ( $\approx$ Lang))
  shows  $\exists$  (reg::rexp). Lang = L reg

```



```

proof –
  have  $\forall X \in (UNIV // (\approx Lang)). \exists (reg::rexp). X = L\ reg$ 
    using finite-CS every-reqcl-has-reg by blast
  then obtain f
    where f-prop:  $\forall X \in (UNIV // (\approx Lang)). X = L ((f\ X)::rexp)$ 
    by (auto dest:bchoice)
  def rs  $\equiv f\ ' (finals\ Lang)$ 
  have  $Lang = \bigcup (finals\ Lang)$  using lang-is-union-of-finals by auto
  also have  $\dots = L (folds\ ALT\ NULL\ rs)$ 
  proof –
    have finite rs
    proof –
      have finite (finals Lang)
        using finite-CS finals-in-partitions[of Lang]
        by (erule-tac finite-subset, simp)
      thus ?thesis using rs-def by auto
    qed
    thus ?thesis
      using f-prop rs-def finals-in-partitions[of Lang] by auto
    qed
  finally show ?thesis by blast
qed

end
theory Myhill
  imports Myhill-1
begin

```

## 6 Direction *regular language* $\Rightarrow$ *finite partition*

### 6.1 The scheme

The following convenient notation  $x \approx Lang\ y$  means: string  $x$  and  $y$  are equivalent with respect to language  $Lang$ .

**definition**

*str-eq* :: *string*  $\Rightarrow$  *lang*  $\Rightarrow$  *string*  $\Rightarrow$  *bool* ( $- \approx -$ )

**where**

$x \approx Lang\ y \equiv (x, y) \in (\approx Lang)$

The basic idea to show the finiteness of the partition induced by relation  $\approx Lang$  is to attach a tag  $tag(x)$  to every string  $x$ , the set of tags are carefully chosen, so that the range of tagging function  $tag$  (denoted  $range(tag)$ ) is finite. If strings with the same tag are equivalent with respect  $\approx Lang$ , i.e.  $tag(x) = tag(y) \implies x \approx Lang\ y$  (this property is named ‘injectivity’ in the following), then it can be proved that: the partition given rise by  $(\approx Lang)$  is finite.

There are two arguments for this. The first goes as the following:

1. First, the tagging function  $tag$  induces an equivalent relation  $(=tag=)$  (definition of  $f\text{-eq-rel}$  and lemma  $equiv\text{-}f\text{-eq-rel}$ ).
2. It is shown that: if the range of  $tag$  is finite, the partition given rise by  $(=tag=)$  is finite (lemma  $finite\text{-}eq\text{-}f\text{-rel}$ ).
3. It is proved that if equivalent relation  $R1$  is more refined than  $R2$  (expressed as  $R1 \subseteq R2$ ), and the partition induced by  $R1$  is finite, then the partition induced by  $R2$  is finite as well (lemma  $refined\text{-}partition\text{-}finite$ ).
4. The injectivity assumption  $tag(x) = tag(y) \implies x \approx_{Lang} y$  implies that  $(=tag=)$  is more refined than  $(\approx_{Lang})$ .
5. Combining the points above, we have: the partition induced by language  $Lang$  is finite (lemma  $tag\text{-}finite\text{-}imageD$ ).

**definition**

$f\text{-eq-rel} (=f=)$

**where**

$(=f=) = \{(x, y) \mid x\ y.\ f\ x = f\ y\}$

**lemma**  $equiv\text{-}f\text{-eq-rel:}equiv\ UNIV (=f=)$

**by**  $(auto\ simp:equiv\text{-}def\ f\text{-eq-rel}\text{-}def\ refl\text{-}on\text{-}def\ sym\text{-}def\ trans\text{-}def)$

**lemma**  $finite\text{-}range\text{-}image: finite\ (range\ f) \implies finite\ (f\ 'A)$

**by**  $(rule\text{-}tac\ B = \{y.\ \exists x.\ y = f\ x\}\ \mathbf{in}\ finite\text{-}subset,\ auto\ simp:image\text{-}def)$

**lemma**  $finite\text{-}eq\text{-}f\text{-rel:}$

**assumes**  $rng\text{-}fnt: finite\ (range\ tag)$

**shows**  $finite\ (UNIV\ /\ (=tag=))$

**proof** –

**let**  $?f = op\ 'tag$  **and**  $?A = (UNIV\ /\ (=tag=))$

**show**  $?thesis$

**proof**  $(rule\text{-}tac\ f = ?f\ \mathbf{and}\ A = ?A\ \mathbf{in}\ finite\text{-}imageD)$

– The finiteness of  $f$ -image is a simple consequence of assumption  $rng\text{-}fnt$ :

**show**  $finite\ (?f\ 'A)$

**proof** –

**have**  $\forall X.\ ?f\ X \in (Pow\ (range\ tag))$  **by**  $(auto\ simp:image\text{-}def\ Pow\text{-}def)$

**moreover from**  $rng\text{-}fnt$  **have**  $finite\ (Pow\ (range\ tag))$  **by**  $simp$

**ultimately have**  $finite\ (range\ ?f)$

**by**  $(auto\ simp\ only:image\text{-}def\ intro:finite\text{-}subset)$

**from**  $finite\text{-}range\text{-}image$   $[OF\ this]$  **show**  $?thesis$  .

**qed**

**next**

– The injectivity of  $f$ -image is a consequence of the definition of  $(=tag=)$ :

**show**  $inj\text{-}on\ ?f\ ?A$

**proof**–

**{ fix**  $X\ Y$

**assume**  $X\text{-in: } X \in ?A$

```

    and Y-in:  $Y \in ?A$ 
    and tag-eq:  $?f X = ?f Y$ 
  have  $X = Y$ 
  proof -
    from X-in Y-in tag-eq
    obtain  $x y$ 
      where x-in:  $x \in X$  and y-in:  $y \in Y$  and eq-tg:  $\text{tag } x = \text{tag } y$ 
      unfolding quotient-def Image-def str-eq-rel-def
        str-eq-def image-def f-eq-rel-def
      apply simp by blast
      with X-in Y-in show ?thesis
        by (auto simp:quotient-def str-eq-rel-def str-eq-def f-eq-rel-def)
    qed
  } thus ?thesis unfolding inj-on-def by auto
qed
qed
qed

lemma finite-image-finite:  $\llbracket \forall x \in A. f x \in B; \text{finite } B \rrbracket \implies \text{finite } (f \text{ ` } A)$ 
  by (rule finite-subset [of - B], auto)

lemma refined-partition-finite:
  fixes  $R1 R2 A$ 
  assumes fnt:  $\text{finite } (A // R1)$ 
  and refined:  $R1 \subseteq R2$ 
  and eq1:  $\text{equiv } A R1$  and eq2:  $\text{equiv } A R2$ 
  shows  $\text{finite } (A // R2)$ 
  proof -
    let  $?f = \lambda X. \{R1 \text{ `` } \{x\} \mid x. x \in X\}$ 
    and  $?A = (A // R2)$  and  $?B = (A // R1)$ 
    show ?thesis
    proof(rule-tac f = ?f and A = ?A in finite-imageD)
      show  $\text{finite } (?f \text{ ` } ?A)$ 
      proof(rule finite-subset [of - Pow ?B])
        from fnt show  $\text{finite } (\text{Pow } (A // R1))$  by simp
      next
        from eq2
        show  $?f \text{ ` } A // R2 \subseteq \text{Pow } ?B$ 
        apply (unfold image-def Pow-def quotient-def, auto)
        by (rule-tac x = xb in beXI, simp,
          unfold equiv-def sym-def refl-on-def, blast)
      qed
    next
      show inj-on ?f ?A
      proof -
        { fix  $X Y$ 
          assume X-in:  $X \in ?A$  and Y-in:  $Y \in ?A$ 
          and eq-f:  $?f X = ?f Y$  (is ?L = ?R)
          have  $X = Y$  using X-in

```

```

proof(rule quotientE)
  fix x
  assume  $X = R2 \text{ “ } \{x\} \text{ and } x \in A \text{ with } eq2$ 
  have  $x\text{-in}: x \in X$ 
    by (unfold equiv-def quotient-def refl-on-def, auto)
  with  $eq\text{-f}$  have  $R1 \text{ “ } \{x\} \in ?R \text{ by } auto$ 
  then obtain  $y$  where
     $y\text{-in}: y \in Y$  and  $eq\text{-r}: R1 \text{ “ } \{x\} = R1 \text{ “ } \{y\}$  by auto
  have  $(x, y) \in R1$ 
  proof –
    from  $x\text{-in}$   $X\text{-in}$   $y\text{-in}$   $Y\text{-in}$   $eq2$ 
    have  $x \in A$  and  $y \in A$ 
      by (unfold equiv-def quotient-def refl-on-def, auto)
    from  $eq\text{-equiv-class-iff}$  [OF  $eq1$  this] and  $eq\text{-r}$ 
    show  $?thesis$  by simp
  qed
  with  $refined$  have  $xy\text{-r2}: (x, y) \in R2$  by auto
  from  $quotient\text{-eqI}$  [OF  $eq2$   $X\text{-in}$   $Y\text{-in}$   $x\text{-in}$   $y\text{-in}$  this]
  show  $?thesis$  .
  qed
} thus  $?thesis$  by (auto simp:inj-on-def)
qed
qed
qed

```

```

lemma  $equiv\text{-lang}\text{-eq}: equiv\ UNIV (\approx Lang)$ 
  apply (unfold equiv-def str-eq-rel-def sym-def refl-on-def trans-def)
  by blast

```

```

lemma  $tag\text{-finite}\text{-image}D$ :
  fixes  $tag$ 
  assumes  $rng\text{-fnt}: finite (range\ tag)$ 
  — Suppose the rang of tagging fucntion  $tag$  is finite.
  and  $same\text{-tag}\text{-eqvt}: \bigwedge m\ n. tag\ m = tag\ (n::string) \implies m \approx Lang\ n$ 
  — And strings with same tag are equivalent
  shows  $finite (UNIV // (\approx Lang))$ 
proof –
  let  $?R1 = (=tag=)$ 
  show  $?thesis$ 
  proof(rule-tac  $refined\text{-partition}\text{-finite}$  [of -  $?R1$ ])
    from  $finite\text{-eq}\text{-f}\text{-rel}$  [OF  $rng\text{-fnt}$ ]
    show  $finite (UNIV // =tag=)$  .
  next
    from  $same\text{-tag}\text{-eqvt}$ 
    show  $(=tag=) \subseteq (\approx Lang)$ 
    by (auto simp:f-eq-rel-def str-eq-def)
  next
    from  $equiv\text{-f}\text{-eq}\text{-rel}$ 
    show  $equiv\ UNIV (=tag=)$  by blast

```

```

next
  from equiv-lang-eq
  show equiv UNIV (≈Lang) by blast
qed
qed

```

A more concise, but less intelligible argument for *tag-finite-imageD* is given as the following. The basic idea is still using standard library lemma *finite-imageD*:

$$\llbracket \text{finite } (f \text{ ' } A); \text{ inj-on } f \text{ } A \rrbracket \implies \text{finite } A$$

which says: if the image of injective function  $f$  over set  $A$  is finite, then  $A$  must be finite, as we did in the lemmas above.

**lemma**

```

fixes tag
assumes rng-fnt: finite (range tag)
  — Suppose the range of tagging function tag is finite.
and same-tag-eqt:  $\bigwedge m n. \text{tag } m = \text{tag } (n::\text{string}) \implies m \approx \text{Lang } n$ 
  — And strings with same tag are equivalent
shows finite (UNIV // (≈Lang))
  — Then the partition generated by  $(\approx \text{Lang})$  is finite.
proof —
  — The particular  $f$  and  $A$  used in finite-imageD are:
let  $?f = \text{op ' tag}$  and  $?A = (\text{UNIV // } \approx \text{Lang})$ 
show ?thesis
proof (rule-tac f = ?f and A = ?A in finite-imageD)
  — The finiteness of  $f$ -image is a simple consequence of assumption rng-fnt:
show finite (?f ' ?A)
proof —
  have  $\forall X. ?f X \in (\text{Pow } (\text{range } \text{tag}))$  by (auto simp:image-def Pow-def)
  moreover from rng-fnt have finite (Pow (range tag)) by simp
  ultimately have finite (range ?f)
    by (auto simp only:image-def intro:finite-subset)
  from finite-range-image [OF this] show ?thesis .
qed

```

**next**

— The injectivity of  $f$  is the consequence of assumption *same-tag-eqt*:

**show** *inj-on ?f ?A*

**proof**—

```

{ fix  $X Y$ 
  assume X-in: X ∈ ?A
    and Y-in: Y ∈ ?A
    and tag-eq: ?f X = ?f Y
  have  $X = Y$ 

```

**proof** —

**from** *X-in Y-in tag-eq*

**obtain**  $x y$  **where** *x-in: x ∈ X* **and** *y-in: y ∈ Y* **and** *eq-tg: tag x = tag y*

**unfolding** *quotient-def Image-def str-eq-rel-def str-eq-def image-def*

**apply** *simp by blast*

```

    from same-tag-eqvt [OF eq-tg] have  $x \approx \text{Lang } y$  .
    with X-in Y-in x-in y-in
    show ?thesis by (auto simp: quotient-def str-eq-rel-def str-eq-def)
  qed
} thus ?thesis unfolding inj-on-def by auto
qed
qed
qed

```

## 6.2 The proof

### 6.2.1 The case for *NULL*

```

lemma quot-null-eq:
  shows  $(UNIV // \approx\{\}) = (\{UNIV\}::\text{lang set})$ 
  unfolding quotient-def Image-def str-eq-rel-def by auto

```

```

lemma quot-null-finiteI [intro]:
  shows finite  $((UNIV // \approx\{\})::\text{lang set})$ 
  unfolding quot-null-eq by simp

```

### 6.2.2 The case for *EMPTY*

```

lemma quot-empty-subset:
   $UNIV // (\approx\{\}) \subseteq \{\{\}, UNIV - \{\}\}$ 
proof
  fix x
  assume  $x \in UNIV // \approx\{\}$ 
  then obtain y where  $h: x = \{z. (y, z) \in \approx\{\}\}$ 
  unfolding quotient-def Image-def by blast
  show  $x \in \{\{\}, UNIV - \{\}\}$ 
  proof (cases  $y = \{\}$ )
    case True with h
      have  $x = \{\}$  by (auto simp: str-eq-rel-def)
      thus ?thesis by simp
    next
    case False with h
      have  $x = UNIV - \{\}$  by (auto simp: str-eq-rel-def)
      thus ?thesis by simp
  qed
qed

```

```

lemma quot-empty-finiteI [intro]:
  shows finite  $(UNIV // (\approx\{\}))$ 
  by (rule finite-subset[OF quot-empty-subset]) (simp)

```

### 6.2.3 The case for *CHAR*

```

lemma quot-char-subset:
   $UNIV // (\approx\{[c]\}) \subseteq \{\{\}, \{[c]\}, UNIV - \{\}, [c]\}$ 

```

**proof**  
**fix**  $x$   
**assume**  $x \in UNIV // \approx\{[c]\}$   
**then obtain**  $y$  **where**  $h: x = \{z. (y, z) \in \approx\{[c]\}\}$   
**unfolding** *quotient-def Image-def* **by** *blast*  
**show**  $x \in \{\{\}, [c]\}, UNIV - \{\{\}, [c]\}\}$   
**proof** –  
  { **assume**  $y = \{\}$  **hence**  $x = \{\{\}\}$  **using**  $h$   
    **by** (*auto simp:str-eq-rel-def*)  
  }  
  **moreover** {  
    **assume**  $y = [c]$  **hence**  $x = \{[c]\}$  **using**  $h$   
    **by** (*auto dest!:spec[where x = [] simp:str-eq-rel-def*)  
  }  
  **moreover** {  
    **assume**  $y \neq \{\}$  **and**  $y \neq [c]$   
    **hence**  $\forall z. (y @ z) \neq [c]$  **by** (*case-tac y, auto*)  
    **moreover have**  $\bigwedge p. (p \neq \{\} \wedge p \neq [c]) = (\forall q. p @ q \neq [c])$   
    **by** (*case-tac p, auto*)  
    **ultimately have**  $x = UNIV - \{\{\}, [c]\}$  **using**  $h$   
    **by** (*auto simp add:str-eq-rel-def*)  
  }  
  **ultimately show** *?thesis* **by** *blast*  
**qed**  
**qed**

**lemma** *quot-char-finiteI* [*intro*]:  
**shows** *finite* ( $UNIV // (\approx\{[c]\})$ )  
**by** (*rule finite-subset[OF quot-char-subset]*) (*simp*)

#### 6.2.4 The case for SEQ

**definition**

*tag-str-SEQ* ::  $lang \Rightarrow lang \Rightarrow string \Rightarrow (lang \times lang \text{ set})$

**where**

*tag-str-SEQ*  $L1 L2 =$

$(\lambda x. (\approx L1 \text{ `` } \{x\}, \{(\approx L2 \text{ `` } \{x - xa\}) \mid xa. xa \leq x \wedge xa \in L1\}))$

**lemma** *append-seq-elim*:

**assumes**  $x @ y \in L_1 ;; L_2$

**shows**  $(\exists xa \leq x. xa \in L_1 \wedge (x - xa) @ y \in L_2) \vee$

$(\exists ya \leq y. (x @ ya) \in L_1 \wedge (y - ya) \in L_2)$

**proof** –

**from** *assms* **obtain**  $s_1 s_2$

**where**  $x @ y = s_1 @ s_2$

**and** *in-seq*:  $s_1 \in L_1 \wedge s_2 \in L_2$

**by** (*auto simp:Seq-def*)

**hence**  $(x \leq s_1 \wedge (s_1 - x) @ s_2 = y) \vee (s_1 \leq x \wedge (x - s_1) @ y = s_2)$

**using** *app-eq-dest* **by** *auto*

**moreover have**  $\llbracket x \leq s_1; (s_1 - x) @ s_2 = y \rrbracket \implies$

$\exists ya \leq y. (x @ ya) \in L_1 \wedge (y - ya) \in L_2$

**using** *in-seq* **by** (*rule-tac*  $x = s_1 - x$  **in** *exI*, *auto elim:prefixE*)  
**moreover have**  $\llbracket s_1 \leq x; (x - s_1) @ y = s_2 \rrbracket \implies$   
 $\exists xa \leq x. xa \in L_1 \wedge (x - xa) @ y \in L_2$   
**using** *in-seq* **by** (*rule-tac*  $x = s_1$  **in** *exI*, *auto*)  
**ultimately show** *?thesis* **by** *blast*  
**qed**

**lemma** *tag-str-SEQ-injI*:  
 $tag-str-SEQ L_1 L_2 m = tag-str-SEQ L_1 L_2 n \implies m \approx(L_1 ;; L_2) n$   
**proof** –  
{ **fix**  $x y z$   
**assume** *xz-in-seq*:  $x @ z \in L_1 ;; L_2$   
**and** *tag-xy*:  $tag-str-SEQ L_1 L_2 x = tag-str-SEQ L_1 L_2 y$   
**have**  $y @ z \in L_1 ;; L_2$   
**proof** –  
**have**  $(\exists xa \leq x. xa \in L_1 \wedge (x - xa) @ z \in L_2) \vee$   
 $(\exists za \leq z. (x @ za) \in L_1 \wedge (z - za) \in L_2)$   
**using** *xz-in-seq append-seq-elim* **by** *simp*  
**moreover** {  
**fix**  $xa$   
**assume**  $h1: xa \leq x$  **and**  $h2: xa \in L_1$  **and**  $h3: (x - xa) @ z \in L_2$   
**obtain**  $ya$  **where**  $ya \leq y$  **and**  $ya \in L_1$  **and**  $(y - ya) @ z \in L_2$   
**proof** –  
**have**  $\exists ya. ya \leq y \wedge ya \in L_1 \wedge (x - xa) \approx_{L_2} (y - ya)$   
**proof** –  
**have**  $\{\approx_{L_2} \text{ “ } \{x - xa\} | xa. xa \leq x \wedge xa \in L_1 \} =$   
 $\{\approx_{L_2} \text{ “ } \{y - xa\} | xa. xa \leq y \wedge xa \in L_1 \}$   
*(is ?Left = ?Right)*  
**using**  $h1$  *tag-xy* **by** (*auto simp:tag-str-SEQ-def*)  
**moreover have**  $\approx_{L_2} \text{ “ } \{x - xa\} \in ?Left$  **using**  $h1 h2$  **by** *auto*  
**ultimately have**  $\approx_{L_2} \text{ “ } \{x - xa\} \in ?Right$  **by** *simp*  
**thus** *?thesis* **by** (*auto simp:Image-def str-eq-rel-def str-eq-def*)  
**qed**  
**with** *prems* **show** *?thesis* **by** (*auto simp:str-eq-rel-def str-eq-def*)  
**qed**  
**hence**  $y @ z \in L_1 ;; L_2$  **by** (*erule-tac prefixE*, *auto simp:Seq-def*)  
} **moreover** {  
**fix**  $za$   
**assume**  $h1: za \leq z$  **and**  $h2: (x @ za) \in L_1$  **and**  $h3: z - za \in L_2$   
**hence**  $y @ za \in L_1$   
**proof** –  
**have**  $\approx_{L_1} \text{ “ } \{x\} = \approx_{L_1} \text{ “ } \{y\}$   
**using**  $h1$  *tag-xy* **by** (*auto simp:tag-str-SEQ-def*)  
**with**  $h2$  **show** *?thesis*  
**by** (*auto simp:Image-def str-eq-rel-def str-eq-def*)  
**qed**  
**with**  $h1 h3$  **have**  $y @ z \in L_1 ;; L_2$   
**by** (*drule-tac A = L\_1 in seq-intro*, *auto elim:prefixE*)  
}



```

    ultimately show ?thesis by blast
  qed
} thus tag-str-SEQ L1 L2 m = tag-str-SEQ L1 L2 n  $\implies$  m  $\approx$ (L1 ;; L2) n
  by (auto simp add: str-eq-def str-eq-rel-def)
qed

lemma quot-seq-finiteI [intro]:
  fixes L1 L2::lang
  assumes fin1: finite (UNIV //  $\approx$ L1)
  and     fin2: finite (UNIV //  $\approx$ L2)
  shows finite (UNIV //  $\approx$ (L1 ;; L2))
proof (rule-tac tag = tag-str-SEQ L1 L2 in tag-finite-imageD)
  show  $\bigwedge$ x y. tag-str-SEQ L1 L2 x = tag-str-SEQ L1 L2 y  $\implies$  x  $\approx$ (L1 ;; L2) y
    by (rule tag-str-SEQ-injI)
next
  have *: finite ((UNIV //  $\approx$ L1)  $\times$  (Pow (UNIV //  $\approx$ L2)))
    using fin1 fin2 by auto
  show finite (range (tag-str-SEQ L1 L2))
    unfolding tag-str-SEQ-def
    apply (rule finite-subset[OF - *])
    unfolding quotient-def
    by auto
qed

```

### 6.2.5 The case for ALT

**definition**

*tag-str-ALT* :: lang  $\Rightarrow$  lang  $\Rightarrow$  string  $\Rightarrow$  (lang  $\times$  lang)

**where**

*tag-str-ALT* L1 L2 = ( $\lambda$ x. ( $\approx$ L1 “ {x},  $\approx$ L2 “ {x}))

**lemma** quot-union-finiteI [intro]:

```

  fixes L1 L2::lang
  assumes finite1: finite (UNIV //  $\approx$ L1)
  and     finite2: finite (UNIV //  $\approx$ L2)
  shows finite (UNIV //  $\approx$ (L1  $\cup$  L2))
proof (rule-tac tag = tag-str-ALT L1 L2 in tag-finite-imageD)
  show  $\bigwedge$ x y. tag-str-ALT L1 L2 x = tag-str-ALT L1 L2 y  $\implies$  x  $\approx$ (L1  $\cup$  L2) y
    unfolding tag-str-ALT-def
    unfolding str-eq-def
    unfolding Image-def
    unfolding str-eq-rel-def
    by auto
next
  have *: finite ((UNIV //  $\approx$ L1)  $\times$  (UNIV //  $\approx$ L2))
    using finite1 finite2 by auto
  show finite (range (tag-str-ALT L1 L2))
    unfolding tag-str-ALT-def

```

**apply**(*rule finite-subset*[ $OF - *$ ])  
**unfolding** *quotient-def*  
**by** *auto*  
**qed**

### 6.2.6 The case for *STAR*

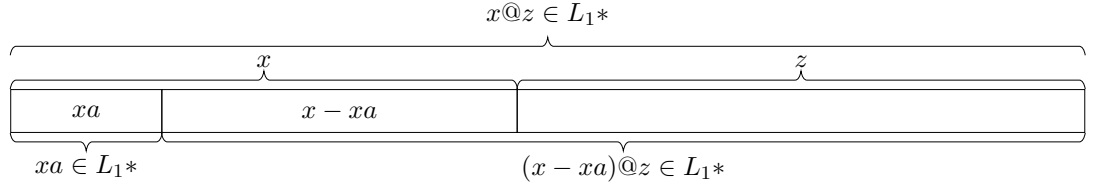
This turned out to be the trickiest case. The essential goal is to prove  $y @ z \in L_1^*$  under the assumptions that  $x @ z \in L_1^*$  and that  $x$  and  $y$  have the same tag. The reasoning goes as the following:

1. Since  $x @ z \in L_1^*$  holds, a prefix  $xa$  of  $x$  can be found such that  $xa \in L_1^*$  and  $(x - xa)@z \in L_1^*$ , as shown in Fig. 1(a)(a). Such a prefix always exists,  $xa = []$ , for example, is one.
2. There could be many but finite many of such  $xa$ , from which we can find the longest and name it  $xa-max$ , as shown in Fig. 1(b)(b).
3. The next step is to split  $z$  into  $za$  and  $zb$  such that  $(x - xa-max) @ za \in L_1$  and  $zb \in L_1^*$  as shown in Fig. 1(d)(d). Such a split always exists because:
  - (a) Because  $(x - xa-max) @ z \in L_1^*$ , it can always be split into prefix  $a$  and suffix  $b$ , such that  $a \in L_1$  and  $b \in L_1^*$ , as shown in Fig. 1(c)(c).
  - (b) But the prefix  $a$  CANNOT be shorter than  $x - xa-max$ , otherwise  $xa-max$  is not the max in its kind.
  - (c) Now,  $za$  is just  $a - (x - xa-max)$  and  $zb$  is just  $b$ .
4. By the assumption that  $x$  and  $y$  have the same tag, the structure on  $x @ z$  can be transferred to  $y @ z$  as shown in Fig. 1(e)(e). The detailed steps are:
  - (a) A  $y$ -prefix  $ya$  corresponding to  $xa$  can be found, which satisfies conditions:  $ya \in L_1^*$  and  $(y - ya)@za \in L_1$ .
  - (b) Since we already know  $zb \in L_1^*$ , we get  $(y - ya)@za@zb \in L_1^*$ , and this is just  $(y - ya)@z \in L_1^*$ .
  - (c) With fact  $ya \in L_1^*$ , we finally get  $y@z \in L_1^*$ .

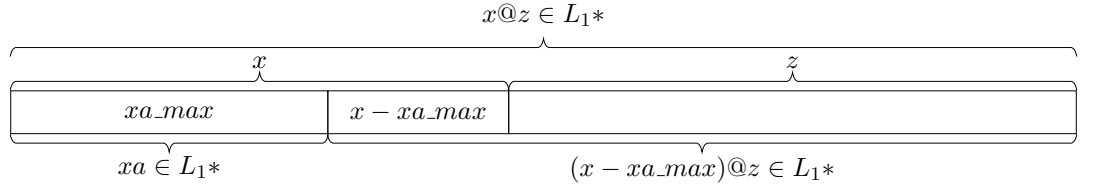
The formal proof of lemma *tag-str-STAR-injI* faithfully follows this informal argument while the tagging function *tag-str-STAR* is defined to make the transfer in step 4 feasible.

**definition**

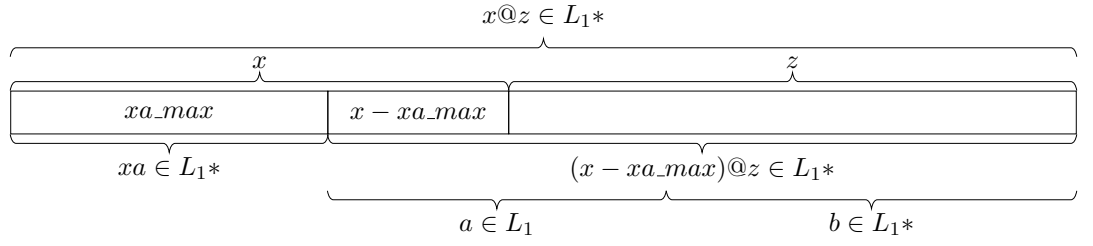
*tag-str-STAR* :: *lang*  $\Rightarrow$  *string*  $\Rightarrow$  *lang set*  
**where**



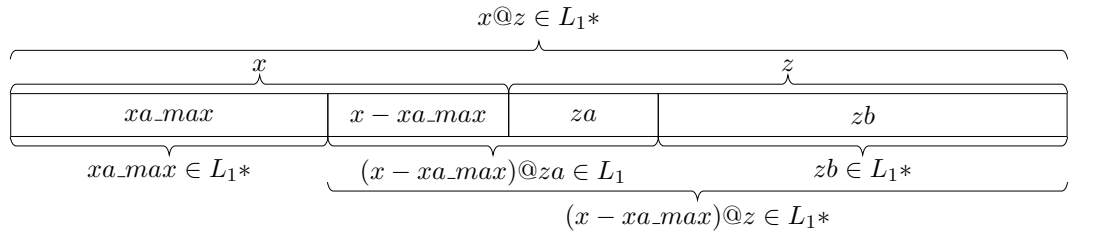
(a) First split



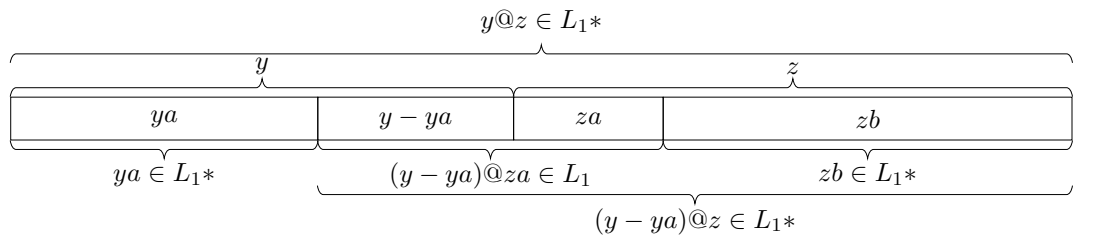
(b) Max split



(c) Max split with  $a$  and  $b$



(d) Last split



(e) Transferring to  $y$

Figure 1: The case for *STAR*

$tag\text{-}str\text{-}STAR\ L1 = (\lambda x. \{\approx L1 \text{ “ } \{x - xa\} \mid xa. xa < x \wedge xa \in L1\star\})$

A technical lemma.

```

lemma finite-set-has-max:  $\llbracket finite\ A; A \neq \{\} \rrbracket \implies$ 
   $(\exists\ max \in A. \forall\ a \in A. f\ a \leq (f\ max :: nat))$ 
proof (induct rule:finite.induct)
  case emptyI thus ?case by simp
next
  case (insertI A a)
  show ?case
  proof (cases A = \{\})
    case True thus ?thesis by (rule-tac x = a in beXI, auto)
  next
    case False
    with prems obtain max
      where h1:  $max \in A$ 
      and h2:  $\forall a \in A. f\ a \leq f\ max$  by blast
    show ?thesis
    proof (cases f a \leq f max)
      assume  $f\ a \leq f\ max$ 
      with h1 h2 show ?thesis by (rule-tac x = max in beXI, auto)
    next
      assume  $\neg (f\ a \leq f\ max)$ 
      thus ?thesis using h2 by (rule-tac x = a in beXI, auto)
    qed
  qed
qed

```

Technical lemma.

```

lemma finite-strict-prefix-set:  $finite\ \{xa. xa < (x::string)\}$ 
apply (induct x rule:rev-induct, simp)
apply (subgoal-tac \{xa. xa < xs @ [x]\} = \{xa. xa < xs\} \cup \{xs\})
by (auto simp:strict-prefix-def)

```

**lemma** *tag-str-STAR-injI*:

```

fixes v w
assumes eq-tag:  $tag\text{-}str\text{-}STAR\ L1\ v = tag\text{-}str\text{-}STAR\ L1\ w$ 
shows  $(v::string) \approx_{(L1\star)} w$ 

```

**proof** –

According to the definition of  $\approx_{Lang}$ , proving  $v \approx_{(L1\star)} w$  amounts to  
 — showing: for any string  $u$ , if  $v @ u \in (L1\star)$  then  $w @ u \in (L1\star)$  and vice versa. The reasoning pattern for both directions are the same, as derived in the following:

```

{ fix x y z
  assume xz-in-star:  $x @ z \in L1\star$ 
  and tag-xy:  $tag\text{-}str\text{-}STAR\ L1\ x = tag\text{-}str\text{-}STAR\ L1\ y$ 
  have  $y @ z \in L1\star$ 
  proof(cases x = [])

```

— The degenerated case when  $x$  is a null string is easy to prove:

**case** *True*  
**with** *tag-xy* **have**  $y = []$   
**by** (*auto simp:tag-str-STAR-def strict-prefix-def*)  
**thus** *?thesis* **using** *xz-in-star True* **by** *simp*

**next**

— The case when  $x$  is not null, and  $x @ z$  is in  $L_1^*$ ,

**case** *False*

Since  $x @ z \in L_1^*$ ,  $x$  can always be split by a prefix  $xa$  together with its suffix  $x - xa$ , such that both  $xa$  and  $(x - xa) @ z$  are in  $L_1^*$ , and there could be many such splittings. Therefore, the following set  $?S$  is nonempty, and finite as well:

**let**  $?S = \{xa. xa < x \wedge xa \in L_1^* \wedge (x - xa) @ z \in L_1^*\}$

**have** *finite ?S*

**by** (*rule-tac B = {xa. xa < x} in finite-subset,*  
*auto simp:finite-strict-prefix-set*)

**moreover** **have**  $?S \neq \{\}$  **using** *False xz-in-star*

**by** (*simp, rule-tac x = [] in exI, auto simp:strict-prefix-def*)

— Since  $?S$  is finite, we can always single out the longest and name it  $xa-max$ :

**ultimately** **have**  $\exists xa-max \in ?S. \forall xa \in ?S. length\ xa \leq length\ xa-max$   
**using** *finite-set-has-max* **by** *blast*

**then** **obtain**  $xa-max$

**where**  $h1: xa-max < x$

**and**  $h2: xa-max \in L_1^*$

**and**  $h3: (x - xa-max) @ z \in L_1^*$

**and**  $h4: \forall xa < x. xa \in L_1^* \wedge (x - xa) @ z \in L_1^* \rightarrow length\ xa \leq length\ xa-max$

**by** *blast*

— By the equality of tags, the counterpart of  $xa-max$  among  $y$ -prefixes, named  $ya$ , can be found:

**obtain**  $ya$

**where**  $h5: ya < y$  **and**  $h6: ya \in L_1^*$

**and**  $eq-xya: (x - xa-max) \approx_{L_1} (y - ya)$

**proof**—

**from** *tag-xy* **have**  $\{\approx_{L_1} \{x - xa\} \mid xa. xa < x \wedge xa \in L_1^*\} = \{\approx_{L_1} \{y - xa\} \mid xa. xa < y \wedge xa \in L_1^*\}$  (**is** *?left = ?right*)

**by** (*auto simp:tag-str-STAR-def*)

**moreover** **have**  $\approx_{L_1} \{x - xa-max\} \in ?left$  **using**  $h1\ h2$  **by** *auto*

**ultimately** **have**  $\approx_{L_1} \{x - xa-max\} \in ?right$  **by** *simp*

**with** *prems* **show** *?thesis* **apply**

(*simp add:Image-def str-eq-rel-def str-eq-def*) **by** *blast*

**qed**

— If the following proposition can be proved, then the *?thesis: y @ z \in L\_1^\** is just a simple consequence.

**have**  $(y - ya) @ z \in L_1^*$

**proof**—

— The idea is to split the suffix  $z$  into  $za$  and  $zb$ , such that:

**obtain**  $za\ zb$  **where**  $eq-zab: z = za @ zb$

**and**  $l-za: (y - ya) @ za \in L_1$  **and**  $ls-zb: zb \in L_1^*$

**proof** –  
— Since  $(x - xa-max) @ z$  is in  $L_1\star$ , it can be split into  $a$  and  $b$  such that:

**from**  $h1$  **have**  $(x - xa-max) @ z \neq []$   
**by**  $(auto simp:strict-prefix-def elim:prefixE)$   
**from**  $star-decom$  [ $OF$   $h3$   $this$ ]  
**obtain**  $a$   $b$  **where**  $a-in: a \in L_1$   
**and**  $a-neg: a \neq []$  **and**  $b-in: b \in L_1\star$   
**and**  $ab-max: (x - xa-max) @ z = a @ b$  **by**  $blast$

— Now the candidates for  $za$  and  $zb$  are found:  
**let**  $?za = a - (x - xa-max)$  **and**  $?zb = b$   
**have**  $px: (x - xa-max) \leq a$  (**is**  $?P1$ )  
**and**  $eq-z: z = ?za @ ?zb$  (**is**  $?P2$ )  
**proof** –  
— Since  $(x - xa-max) @ z = a @ b$ , the string  $(x - xa-max) @ z$  could be splitted in two ways:

**have**  $((x - xa-max) \leq a \wedge (a - (x - xa-max)) @ b = z) \vee$   
 $(a < (x - xa-max) \wedge ((x - xa-max) - a) @ z = b)$   
**using**  $app-eq-dest$  [ $OF$   $ab-max$ ] **by**  $(auto simp:strict-prefix-def)$   
**moreover** {  
— However, the undesired way can be refuted by absurdity:  
**assume**  $np: a < (x - xa-max)$   
**and**  $b-egs: ((x - xa-max) - a) @ z = b$   
**have**  $False$   
**proof** –  
**let**  $?xa-max' = xa-max @ a$   
**have**  $?xa-max' < x$   
**using**  $np$   $h1$  **by**  $(clarsimp simp:strict-prefix-def diff-prefix)$   
**moreover** **have**  $?xa-max' \in L_1\star$   
**using**  $a-in$   $h2$  **by**  $(simp add:star-intro3)$   
**moreover** **have**  $(x - ?xa-max') @ z \in L_1\star$   
**using**  $b-egs$   $b-in$   $np$   $h1$  **by**  $(simp add:diff-diff-appd)$   
**moreover** **have**  $\neg (length ?xa-max' \leq length xa-max)$   
**using**  $a-neg$  **by**  $simp$   
**ultimately show**  $?thesis$  **using**  $h4$  **by**  $blast$   
**qed** }  
— Now it can be shown that the splitting goes the way we desired.  
**ultimately show**  $?P1$  **and**  $?P2$  **by**  $auto$   
**qed**  
**hence**  $(x - xa-max) @ ?za \in L_1$  **using**  $a-in$  **by**  $(auto elim:prefixE)$   
— Now candidates  $?za$  and  $?zb$  have all the required properties.  
**with**  $eq-xya$  **have**  $(y - ya) @ ?za \in L_1$   
**by**  $(auto simp:str-eq-def str-eq-rel-def)$   
**with**  $eq-z$  **and**  $b-in$   $prems$   
**show**  $?thesis$  **by**  $blast$   
**qed**  
— From the properties of  $za$  and  $zb$  such obtained,  $?thesis$  can be shown easily.

**from**  $step$  [ $OF$   $l-za$   $ls-zb$ ]

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    have ((y - ya) @ za) @ zb ∈ L1★ .
    with eq-zab show ?thesis by simp
qed
with h5 h6 show ?thesis
  by (drule-tac star-intro1, auto simp:strict-prefix-def elim:prefixE)
qed
}
— By instantiating the reasoning pattern just derived for both directions:
from this [OF - eq-tag] and this [OF - eq-tag [THEN sym]]
— The thesis is proved as a trival consequence:
show ?thesis by (unfold str-eq-def str-eq-rel-def, blast)
qed

```

**lemma** — The original version with a poor readability

```

fixes v w
assumes eq-tag: tag-str-STAR L1 v = tag-str-STAR L1 w
shows (v::string) ≈(L1★) w

```

**proof**—

According to the definition of  $\approx_{Lang}$ , proving  $v \approx_{(L_1\star)} w$  amounts to showing: for any string  $u$ , if  $v @ u \in (L_1\star)$  then  $w @ u \in (L_1\star)$  and vice versa. The reasoning pattern for both directions are the same, as derived in the following:

```

{ fix x y z
  assume xz-in-star: x @ z ∈ L1★
  and tag-xy: tag-str-STAR L1 x = tag-str-STAR L1 y
  have y @ z ∈ L1★
  proof(cases x = [])
    — The degenerated case when  $x$  is a null string is easy to prove:
    case True
    with tag-xy have y = []
    by (auto simp:tag-str-STAR-def strict-prefix-def)
    thus ?thesis using xz-in-star True by simp
  }

```

**next**

— The case when  $x$  is not null, and  $x @ z$  is in  $L_1\star$ ,

**case False**

**obtain**  $x\text{-max}$

```

  where h1: x-max < x
  and h2: x-max ∈ L1★
  and h3: (x - x-max) @ z ∈ L1★
  and h4:∀ xa < x. xa ∈ L1★ ∧ (x - xa) @ z ∈ L1★
  → length xa ≤ length x-max

```

**proof**—

```

let ?S = {xa. xa < x ∧ xa ∈ L1★ ∧ (x - xa) @ z ∈ L1★}
have finite ?S
  by (rule-tac B = {xa. xa < x} in finite-subset,
      auto simp:finite-strict-prefix-set)
moreover have ?S ≠ {} using False xz-in-star

```

by (*simp*, *rule-tac*  $x = []$  in *exI*, *auto simp:strict-prefix-def*)  
 ultimately have  $\exists \text{max} \in ?S. \forall a \in ?S. \text{length } a \leq \text{length } \text{max}$   
 using *finite-set-has-max* by *blast*  
 with *prems* show *?thesis* by *blast*  
 qed  
 obtain *ya*  
 where *h5*:  $ya < y$  and *h6*:  $ya \in L_1^\star$  and *h7*:  $(x - x\text{-max}) \approx_{L_1} (y - ya)$   
 proof–  
 from *tag-xy* have  $\{\approx_{L_1} \text{ “ } \{x - xa\} \mid xa. xa < x \wedge xa \in L_1^\star \} =$   
 $\{\approx_{L_1} \text{ “ } \{y - xa\} \mid xa. xa < y \wedge xa \in L_1^\star \}$  (is *?left = ?right*)  
 by (*auto simp:tag-str-STAR-def*)  
 moreover have  $\approx_{L_1} \text{ “ } \{x - x\text{-max}\} \in ?left$  using *h1 h2* by *auto*  
 ultimately have  $\approx_{L_1} \text{ “ } \{x - x\text{-max}\} \in ?right$  by *simp*  
 with *prems* show *?thesis* apply  
 (*simp add:Image-def str-eq-rel-def str-eq-def*) by *blast*  
 qed  
 have  $(y - ya) @ z \in L_1^\star$   
 proof–  
 from *h3 h1* obtain *a b* where *a-in*:  $a \in L_1$   
 and *a-neq*:  $a \neq []$  and *b-in*:  $b \in L_1^\star$   
 and *ab-max*:  $(x - x\text{-max}) @ z = a @ b$   
 by (*drule-tac star-decom*, *auto simp:strict-prefix-def elim:prefixE*)  
 have  $(x - x\text{-max}) \leq a \wedge (a - (x - x\text{-max})) @ b = z$   
 proof –  
 have  $((x - x\text{-max}) \leq a \wedge (a - (x - x\text{-max})) @ b = z) \vee$   
 $(a < (x - x\text{-max}) \wedge ((x - x\text{-max}) - a) @ z = b)$   
 using *app-eq-dest[OF ab-max]* by (*auto simp:strict-prefix-def*)  
 moreover {  
 assume *np*:  $a < (x - x\text{-max})$  and *b-egs*:  $((x - x\text{-max}) - a) @ z = b$   
 have *False*  
 proof –  
 let *?x-max'* =  $x\text{-max} @ a$   
 have *?x-max' < x*  
 using *np h1* by (*clarsimp simp:strict-prefix-def diff-prefix*)  
 moreover have *?x-max'  $\in L_1^\star$*   
 using *a-in h2* by (*simp add:star-intro3*)  
 moreover have  $(x - ?x\text{-max}') @ z \in L_1^\star$   
 using *b-egs b-in np h1* by (*simp add:diff-diff-appd*)  
 moreover have  $\neg (\text{length } ?x\text{-max}' \leq \text{length } x\text{-max})$   
 using *a-neq* by *simp*  
 ultimately show *?thesis* using *h4* by *blast*  
 qed  
 } ultimately show *?thesis* by *blast*  
 qed  
 then obtain *za* where *z-decom*:  $z = za @ b$   
 and *x-za*:  $(x - x\text{-max}) @ za \in L_1$   
 using *a-in* by (*auto elim:prefixE*)  
 from *x-za h7* have  $(y - ya) @ za \in L_1$   
 by (*auto simp:str-eq-def str-eq-rel-def*)



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    with z-decom b-in show ?thesis by (auto dest!:step[of (y - ya) @ za])
  qed
  with h5 h6 show ?thesis
  by (drule-tac star-intro1, auto simp:strict-prefix-def elim:prefixE)
  qed
}
— By instantiating the reasoning pattern just derived for both directions:
from this [OF - eq-tag] and this [OF - eq-tag [THEN sym]]
— The thesis is proved as a trival consequence:
show ?thesis by (unfold str-eq-def str-eq-rel-def, blast)
qed

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lemma quot-star-finiteI [intro]:
  fixes L1::lang
  assumes finite1: finite (UNIV // ≈L1)
  shows finite (UNIV // ≈(L1★))
proof (rule-tac tag = tag-str-STAR L1 in tag-finite-imageD)
  show  $\bigwedge x y. \text{tag-str-STAR } L1 \ x = \text{tag-str-STAR } L1 \ y \implies x \approx(L1\star) \ y$ 
  by (rule tag-str-STAR-injI)
next
  have *: finite (Pow (UNIV // ≈L1))
  using finite1 by auto
  show finite (range (tag-str-STAR L1))
  unfolding tag-str-STAR-def
  apply(rule finite-subset[OF - *])
  unfolding quotient-def
  by auto
qed

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### 6.2.7 The conclusion

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lemma rexp-imp-finite:
  fixes r::rexp
  shows finite (UNIV // ≈(L r))
by (induct r) (auto)

end

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