Definition (Category **Pos**_{\(\nodelne{\nu}\)}). The category **Pos**_{\(\nu\)} consists of:

- 1. Objects: objects are posets;
- 2. *Morphisms*: given objects $X, Y \in \text{Ob}_{\text{Pos}_{\mathcal{L}}}$, morphisms $f : X \to Y$ are monotone maps of the form $f^* : X \to_{\text{Pos}} \mathcal{L}Y$.
- 3. *Composition of morphisms*: Given morphisms $f: X \to Y, g: Y \to Z$, their composition $f \, \, \, \, \, \, g: X \to Z$ is given by

$$(f ; g)^{\star} : X \to_{\mathbf{Pos}} \mathcal{L}Z$$

$$x \mapsto \bigcup_{y \in f^{\star}(x)} g^{\star}(y);$$

4. *Identity morphism*: given an object $X \in \operatorname{Ob}_{\operatorname{Pos}_{\mathscr{L}}}$, the identity morphism $\operatorname{Id}_X : X \to X$ is given by the application of the lower closure operator: $\operatorname{Id}_X^*(x) := \{x\}$.