$$\begin{array}{c} \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathbf{C}}(X;Y) \otimes (\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathbf{C}}(Y;Z) \otimes \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathbf{C}}(Z;U)) & \xrightarrow{\operatorname{as}} & (\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathbf{C}}(X;Y) \otimes \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathbf{C}}(Y;Z)) \otimes \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathbf{C}}(Z;U) \\ \operatorname{Id}_{\mathbf{C}} \otimes m_{Y,Z,U} \downarrow & \downarrow \\ \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathbf{C}}(X;Y) \otimes \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathbf{C}}(Y;U) & \xrightarrow{m_{X,Y,U}} & \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathbf{C}}(X;U) & \longleftarrow_{m_{X,Z,U}} & \operatorname{Hom}_{\mathbf{C}}(X;Z) \otimes (\operatorname{Hom}_{\mathbf{C}}(Z;U) \\ \end{array}$$