# Dialectica Petri nets: A linear logic model of reaction Systems

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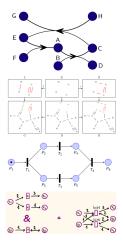
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- Questions for you

# Motivation: Why am I talking about this today?

- We are revising and improving an arXived manuscript that want to submit to Fundamenta Informaticae
- Would appreciate your feedback
- ▶ I have specific questions for you

## Motivation: Is this part of categorical chemistry?



- Composing reactions to reach a target substance using the network structure
- Looking at chemistry as a grammar of molecular copresheaves
- Dynamics on chemical reaction networks
- Composing small networks into bigger ones preserving algebraic properties of the components: random models of directed hypernetworks.
- Many more!

Categorical chemistry is the study of these structures and their interactions.

## Motivation: Why linear logic?

- Chemistry's internal logic:
  - Duplication:

$$A \longrightarrow A + A$$

Deletion:

$$A + A \longrightarrow A$$

are not allowed in chemical reactions.

 Linear logic's emphasis is on resource-boundedness, duality, and interaction.

& additive conjunction

⊕ additive disjunction

⊗ multiplicative conjunction

? controlled access to contraction

! controlled access to weakening

Binary connectives &,  $\oplus$ ,  $\otimes$  and  $\Re$  are associative and commutative. They have units: 1 for  $\otimes$ , 0 for  $\oplus$ ,  $\bot$  for  $\Re$  and  $\top$  for &.

# Construction of the category Net<sub>L</sub> <sup>1</sup>

- ▶ We fix a lineale, that is, a poset version of a symmetric monoidal closed category:  $(L, \leq, \circ, e, \dot{-})$
- ▶ We built a Dialectica-type category  $M_L(Set)$  of general relations: Objects:  $(U, X, \alpha)$ , where U, X are sets and  $\alpha: U \times X \to L$  is a function in Set.
- Define on M<sub>L</sub>(Set) the linear logic connectives (prove that it has binary products and coproducts, define the tensor product and its adjoint, the internal hom): &, ⊕, ⊗, and [-,-].
- ▶ Define  $Net_L$  as the pullback of  $M_L(Set)$  with itself in **Cat**:  $A = ({}^{\blacktriangleright}\alpha, \alpha^{\blacktriangleright})$  of objects  ${}^{\blacktriangleright}\alpha: U \times X \to L$  and  $\alpha^{\blacktriangleright}: U \times X \to L$  in L.
- ▶ Show that  $Net_L$  inherits the linear logic structure from  $M_L(Set)$ :

#### Theorem (Linear logic structure of Net<sub>1</sub>)

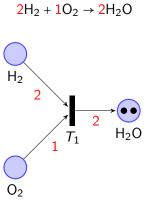
The category  $Net_L$  has products and coproducts and is a symmetric monoidal closed category.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>di Lavore E, Leal W and De Paiva V (2021). Dialectica Petri nets. ArXiv. (Submitted to *Log Methods Comput Sci*).

What can be modeled using NetL

Networks with diffrent kind of extensions

Weighted arcs:



▶ Inhibitor Arc.

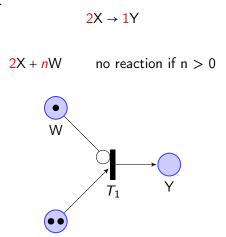
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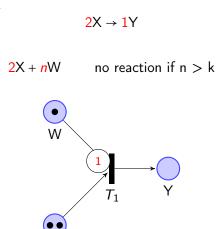
$$2X \rightarrow 1Y$$

2X + nW no reaction if n > 0

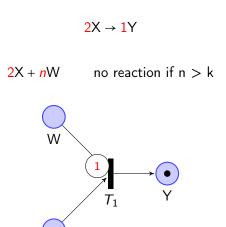
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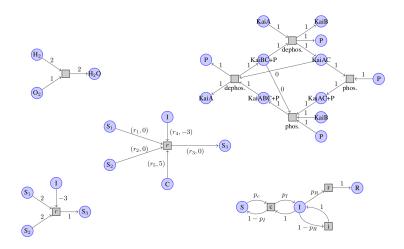
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## Net<sub>L</sub> is a model for nets with several kinds of labels

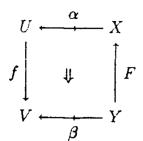


# What can be modeled using NetL

- Networks with different kind of extensions
- Build larger networks from smaller ones using linear connectives

**Definition 3** The category MSets consists of:

- ▶ Objects are triples  $(U, X, \alpha)$  written as  $(U \stackrel{\alpha}{\longleftarrow} X)$ , where  $U \times X \stackrel{\alpha}{\longrightarrow} N$  is a function in Sets, that is a multirelation.
- Morphisms in MSets from an object  $U \times X \xrightarrow{\alpha} N$  or  $(U \xleftarrow{\alpha} X)$  to an object  $V \times Y \xrightarrow{\beta} N$  or  $(V \xleftarrow{\beta} Y)$  are pairs of morphisms in Sets, (f,F) where  $f: U \to V$  and  $F: Y \to X$  are such that



that means that  $\forall u \in U, \ \forall y \in Y \ \beta(fu, y) \ge \alpha(u, Fy)$ 

# Examples of morphisms

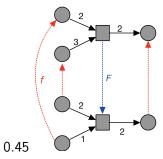
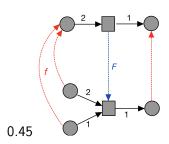


Figure 1:



**Definition 4** Given two objects  $U \times X \xrightarrow{\alpha} N$  or  $(U \xleftarrow{\alpha} X)$  and  $V \times Y \xrightarrow{\beta} N$  or  $(V \xleftarrow{\beta} Y)$  in MSets we define  $A \otimes B$  their tensor product as the following object:

$$A \otimes B = (U \times V \stackrel{\alpha \otimes \beta}{\longleftarrow} X^V \times Y^U)$$

where the multirelation " $\alpha \otimes \beta$ " is given by  $\alpha \otimes \beta(u, v, f, g) = \alpha(u, fv) + \beta(v, gu)$ .

**Definition 5** Given two objects  $U \times X \xrightarrow{\alpha} N$  or  $(U \xleftarrow{\alpha} X)$  and  $V \times Y \xrightarrow{\beta} N$  or  $(V \xleftarrow{\beta} Y)$  in MSets we define [A, B] the internal-hom as the object,

$$[A,B] = (V^U \times X^Y \xleftarrow{\alpha - \beta} U \times Y)$$

the multirelation " $(\alpha \dot{-} \beta)$ " is given by  $(\alpha \dot{-} \beta)(f, F, u, y) = -\alpha(u, Fy) + \beta(fu, y)$ , where the dotted subtraction is truncated subtraction, that is  $-\alpha + \beta = \beta - \alpha$  if  $\alpha \leq \beta$  and 0 otherwise.

**Proposition 3** The construction above defines a bifunctor  $[-,-]: \mathsf{MSets}^\mathsf{op} \times \mathsf{MSets} \to \mathsf{Msets}.$ 

**Theorem 1** The category MSets is a symmetric monoidal closed category with respect to the tensor product  $\otimes$  and the internal-hom [-,-] defined above.

**Definition 6** An ordered monoid  $(N, \leq, \circ, e)$  is a poset  $(N, \leq)$  with a given compatible symmetric monoidal structure  $(N, \circ, e)$ . The structures are compatible in the sense that, if  $a \leq b$ , we have  $a \circ c \leq b \circ c$ , for all c in N.

**Definition 7** Suppose  $(N, \leq, \circ, e)$  is an ordered monoid and  $a, b \in N$ . If there exists a largest  $x \in N$  such that  $a \circ x \leq b$  then this element is denoted as  $a \dot{-} b$  and it is called the relative pseudocomplement of a wrt b. A closed posed is an ordered monoid  $(N, \leq, \circ, e)$  such that  $a \dot{-} b$  exist for all a and b in N.

**Proposition 4** A closed poset  $(N, \leq, \circ, e, \dot{-})$  has the following properties:

- 1.  $a \circ b \leq c$  iff  $a \leq b \dot{-} c$
- 2. If  $a \le b$ , then for any c in N,  $c a \le c b$  and  $b c \le a c$ ;
- 3. As 'e' is the identity for ' $\circ$ '  $a \circ e = a \le a$  implies  $e \le a a$  for any a in N.

**Definition 8** Given two objects  $A = (U \stackrel{\alpha}{\longleftarrow} X)$  and

 $B = (V \stackrel{\beta}{\longleftarrow} Y)$  in  $M_NC$  we define  $A \otimes_M B$  their tensor product as follows:

$$A \otimes_M B = (U \otimes V \xleftarrow{(\alpha \otimes \beta)_M} [V, X] \times [U, Y])$$

The morphism " $(\alpha \otimes \beta)_M$ " intuitively says  $(\alpha \otimes \beta)_M(u \otimes v, \langle f, g \rangle) = \alpha(u \otimes fv) \circ \beta(v \otimes gu)$ , where  $\circ$  is the monoidal structure in  $(N, \leq, \circ, e, \dot{-})$ .

Proposition 5 The construction above induces a bifunctor,

$$\otimes_M: M_N\mathsf{C} \times M_N\mathsf{C} \to M_N\mathsf{C}$$

covariant in both coordinates, which is a tensor product. The identity  $I_M$  is given by ( $I \overset{e}{\longleftarrow} 1$ ), where the morphism  $I \otimes 1 \approx 1 \overset{e}{\longrightarrow} N$ , just picks up the identity 'e' from the closed poset  $(N, \leq, \circ, e, \dot{-})$ .

**Definition 9** Given two objects  $A = (U \stackrel{\alpha}{\longleftarrow} X)$  and  $B = (V \stackrel{\beta}{\longleftarrow} Y)$  in  $M_NC$  we define  $[A, B]_M$  their internal hom as follows:

$$[A,B]_{M} = ([U,V] \times [Y,X]) \xleftarrow{(\alpha - \beta)_{M}} U \otimes Y$$

The morphism " $(\alpha \dot{-} \beta)_M$ " intuitively says  $(\alpha \dot{-} \beta)_M (\langle f, F \rangle, u \otimes y) = \alpha(u \otimes Fy) \dot{-} \beta(fu \otimes y)$ , where  $\dot{-}$  is the 'internal-hom' in N.

**Proposition 6** The construction above induces a bifunctor  $[-,-]_M$  contravariant in its first coordinate and covariant in its second coordinate.

Since we have the adjunction

$$-\otimes A \dashv [-,A]$$

, we have the following

**Theorem 2** The category  $M_NC$  is a symmetric monoidal closed category.

## Structure of M<sub>N</sub>C

**Definition 10** Given two objects  $A = (U \stackrel{\alpha}{\longleftarrow} X)$  and

 $B = (V \stackrel{\beta}{\longleftarrow} Y)$  in  $M_NC$  we define their categorical product as follows:

$$A\&B = (U \times V \xleftarrow{\alpha\&\beta} X + Y)$$

The morphism " $\alpha \& \beta$ " is given intuitively by  $\alpha \& \beta(\langle u, v \rangle, \begin{pmatrix} x & 0 \\ y & 1 \end{pmatrix}) = \alpha(u, x) \cdot \beta(v, y)$ 

**Defintion 11** Given two objects  $A = (U \stackrel{\alpha}{\longleftarrow} X)$  and  $B = (V \stackrel{\beta}{\longleftarrow} Y)$  in  $M_NC$  we define their categorical coproduct

$$A \oplus B = (U + V \stackrel{\alpha \oplus \beta}{\longleftarrow} X \times Y)$$

The morphism " $\alpha \oplus \beta$ " is given by  $\alpha \oplus \beta(\begin{pmatrix} u & 0 \\ v & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \langle x, y \rangle) = \alpha(u, x) \cdot \beta(v, y)$ 

**Proposition 8** The category  $M_NC$  has binary products and coproducts.

**Theorem 3** The category  $M_NC$  is a categorical model of Instuitionistic Linear Logic

In ILL, we have an operator (a "modality") called !. In a categorical model, this should be a comonad with certain properties. We will now construct this for  $M_N$ C, under some assumptions..

**Definition 12** For each object U in a cartesian closed category C we have a monad  $(()^U, \eta_1, \mu_1)$  in C given by the natural transformation below:

$$X \xrightarrow{\eta_1} X^U \qquad \qquad X^{U \times U} \xrightarrow{\mu_1} X^U$$

**Definition 13** The endofunctor  $T: M_NC \to M_NC$  takes an object  $(U \stackrel{\alpha}{\longleftarrow} X)$  of  $M_NC$  to the object  $(U \stackrel{T\alpha}{\longleftarrow} X^U)$ , where intuitively the object  $T\alpha$  is given by  $T\alpha(u, f) = \alpha(u, fu)$ .

One can verify that this gives a *comonad* on  $M_NC$  (We have assumed that C is Cartesian closed!)

For any symmetric monoidal category, we can define the category  $\mathsf{Mon}_\mathsf{c}(\mathsf{C})$  of commutative monoids in  $\mathsf{C}$ , and there's a forgetful functor  $U: \mathsf{Mon}_\mathsf{c}(\mathsf{C}) \to \mathsf{C}$ .

If this has a left adjoint, we call the monad of this adjunction the free commutative monoids monad, and denote it  $(-)^*$ .

Think of these as unordered lists

**Definition 15** The endofunctor  $S: M_NC \to M_NC$  takes an object  $(U \stackrel{\alpha}{\longleftarrow} X)$  of  $M_NC$  to the object  $(U \stackrel{S\alpha}{\longleftarrow} X^*)$ , where as intuitively  $\bar{x}$  is  $\langle x_1, x_2, ..., x_n \rangle$ ,  $S\alpha(u, \bar{x})$ , means  $\alpha(u, x_1)$  and  $\alpha(u, x_2)$  and ... and  $\alpha(u, x_n)$ .

This is also a comonad.

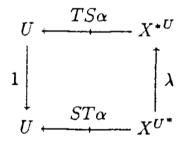
(We've assumed that the left adjoint exists - i.e that C "has free commutative monoids").

**Definition 16** The endofunctor  $!: M_NC \to M_NC$  takes an object takes an object  $(U \xleftarrow{\alpha} X)$  of  $M_NC$  to the object  $(U \xleftarrow{!\alpha} X^{*U})$ , where intuitively if  $\phi: U \to X^*$  and  $\phi u = \langle x_1, x_2, ..., x_n \rangle$  then  $!\alpha(u, \phi)$  is given by  $\alpha(u, x_1)$  and  $\alpha(u, x_2)$  and ... and  $\alpha(u, x_n)$ . In other words,  $! = T \circ S$ .

To get the comonad structure, we need a natural transformation  $! \rightarrow !!$ , i.e  $TS \rightarrow TSTS$ . We can use the comonad structures on S and T to do  $TS \rightarrow TTSS$ , so we need a natural transformation  $TS \rightarrow ST$ . (A "distributive law").

There's a distributive law  $\lambda: \left((-)^U\right)^* \to \left((-)^*\right)^U$  in C. Intuitively, an element of  $(X^U)^*$  is an unordered list of functions  $U \to X$ . Given such a list  $f_1, f_2, \ldots$ , we can construction a function  $U \to X^*$  which takes u to  $f_1(u), f_2(u), \ldots$ 

**Fact 4** The distributive law  $\lambda$  in C induces a distributive law of comonads  $\Lambda$  in  $M_NC$ , given by  $\Lambda: TSA \to STA$ :



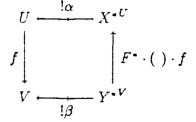
**Definition 19** The endofunctor ! in  $M_NC$  acts on objects as

$$!(U \stackrel{\alpha}{\longleftarrow} X) = (U \stackrel{!\alpha}{\longleftarrow} (X^*)^U)$$

where the morphism  $!\alpha$  is given by composition

$$U \times (X^*)^U) \xrightarrow{\langle \pi, ev \rangle} U \times X^* \xleftarrow{S\alpha} N$$

if  $(f,F): A \to B$  is a morphism in  $M_NC$ , then !(f,F) is given by



**Proposition 9** The comonad '!' in  $M_NC$  define above satisfies

$$!(A\&B) \approx !A \otimes !B$$
 and  $!1 \approx I$ 

**Theorem 4** The comonad '!' in  $M_NC$  satisfies the rules for the modality '!' in linear logic.

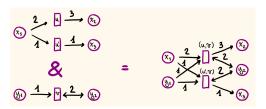
## Let's take a look at the categorical product

#### Definition (Product in *L*)

Given two objects  $A = ({}^{\backprime}\alpha, \alpha^{\backprime})$  and  $B = ({}^{\backprime}\beta, \beta^{\backprime})$  in  $Net_L$ , we define their cartesian product A&B as the following object.

$$A\&B = (^{\dagger}\alpha\&^{\dagger}\beta, \alpha^{\dagger}\&\beta^{\dagger})$$

The function  $\alpha\&\beta$  is  $U\times V\times (X+Y)\xrightarrow{\alpha\times_V\beta\times_U} L$ , where U is the function that discards U in .



## Net<sub>L</sub> is a model for nets with several kinds of labels

