

Pure versus Generalised Quantifiers

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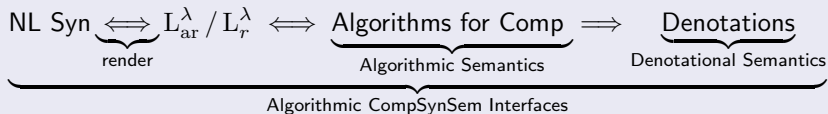
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- ① Moschovakis (1989) [16] Formal Language of **full recursion, untyped**
- ② Moschovakis (2006) [17], via examples of Natural Language (NL):
Type-Theory of Acyclic / Full Recursion $L_{ar}^\lambda / L_r^\lambda$
 Formal Syntax of L_{ar}^λ + Reduction Calculus of L_{ar}^λ
- ③ Open: Algorithmic Dependent-Type Theory of Situated Information (DTTSitInfo): situated data including context assessments:
 - Loukanova (1989–1991) introduced
 math of recursively defined
 Type Theory of Situated Info: applied to Natural Language
 Situation Semantics

Algorithmic CompSynSem of $L_{ar}^\lambda / L_r^\lambda$



Development of Type-Theory of (Acyclic) Algorithms, L_r^λ / L_{ar}^λ / DTTSitInfoPlacement of L_{ar}^λ in a class of type theories

$$\text{Montague IL} \subsetneq \text{Gallin TY}_2 \subsetneq \text{Moschovakis } L_{ar}^\lambda \subsetneq \text{Moschovakis } L_r^\lambda \quad (1)$$

$$\equiv \stackrel{?}{=} \text{DTTSitInfo} \quad (2)$$

- **Type-Theory of (Acyclic) Algorithms, L_r^λ (L_{ar}^λ),** provides:
 - a math notion of algorithm
 - **Algorithmic Semantics** of formal and natural languages
- L_{ar}^λ / L_r^λ is type theory of algorithms with acyclic / full recursion:
 - Introduced by Moschovakis [17] (2006) by examples from NL
 - Math development by motivations from NL, Loukanova [8, 9] (2019)
- In the works presented here, I extend L_{ar}^λ / L_r^λ by incorporating:
 - operators and corresponding reduction rules, by:
 - Preserving acyclicity of L_{ar}^λ

Syntax of Type Theory of Algorithms (TTA): Types, Vocabulary

- Gallin Types (1975)

$$\tau ::= e \mid t \mid s \mid (\tau \rightarrow \tau) \quad (\text{Types})$$

- Abbreviations

$$\tilde{\sigma} \equiv (s \rightarrow \sigma), \text{ for state-dependent objects of type } \tilde{\sigma} \quad (3a)$$

$$\tilde{e} \equiv (s \rightarrow e), \text{ for state-dependent entities} \quad (3b)$$

$$\tilde{t} \equiv (s \rightarrow t), \text{ for state-dependent truth vals: propositions} \quad (3c)$$

- Typed Vocabulary, for all $\sigma \in \text{Types}$

$$\text{Consts}_\sigma = K_\sigma = \{c_0^\sigma, c_1^\sigma, \dots\} \quad (4a)$$

$$\wedge, \vee, \rightarrow \in \text{Consts}_{(\tau \rightarrow (\tau \rightarrow \tau))}, \tau \in \{t, \tilde{t}\} \quad (\text{logical constants}) \quad (4b)$$

$$\neg \in \text{Consts}_{(\tau \rightarrow \tau)}, \tau \in \{t, \tilde{t}\} \quad (\text{logical constant for negation}) \quad (4c)$$

$$\text{PureV}_\sigma = \{v_0^\sigma, v_1^\sigma, \dots\} \quad (4d)$$

$$\text{RecV}_\sigma = \text{MemoryV}_\sigma = \{p_0^\sigma, p_1^\sigma, \dots\} \quad (4e)$$

$$\text{PureV}_\sigma \cap \text{RecV}_\sigma = \emptyset, \quad \text{Vars}_\sigma = \text{PureV}_\sigma \cup \text{RecV}_\sigma \quad (4f)$$

Definition (Terms of TTA: L_{ar}^λ acyclic recursion / L_r^λ full recursion)

$$A ::= c^\sigma : \sigma \mid x^\sigma : \sigma \mid B^{(\rho \rightarrow \sigma)}(C^\rho) : \sigma \mid \lambda(v^\rho)(B^\sigma) : (\rho \rightarrow \sigma) \quad (5a)$$

$$\mid A_0^{\sigma_0} \text{ where } \{ p_1^{\sigma_1} := A_1^{\sigma_1}, \dots, p_n^{\sigma_n} := A_n^{\sigma_n} \} : \sigma_0 \quad (5b)$$

(recursion term)

$$\mid \wedge (A_2^\tau)(A_1^\tau) : \tau \mid \vee (A_2^\tau)(A_1^\tau) : \tau \mid \rightarrow (A_2^\tau)(A_1^\tau) : \tau \quad (5c)$$

$$\mid \neg(B^\tau) : \tau \quad (5d)$$

$$\mid \forall(v^\sigma)(B^\tau) : \tau \mid \exists(v^\sigma)(B^\tau) : \tau \quad (\text{pure quantifiers}) \quad (5e)$$

$$\mid A_0^{\sigma_0} \text{ such that } \{ C_1^{\tau_1}, \dots, C_m^{\tau_m} \} : \sigma'_0 \quad (\text{restrictor terms}) \quad (5f)$$

$$\mid \text{ToScope}(B^{\tilde{\sigma}}) : (s \rightarrow \tilde{\sigma}) \quad (\text{unspecified scope}) \quad (5g)$$

$$\mid \mathcal{C}(B^{\tilde{\sigma}}(s)) : \tilde{\sigma} \quad (\text{closed scope}) \quad (5h)$$

- $c^\sigma \in \text{Consts}_\sigma$, $x^\sigma \in \text{PureV}_\sigma \cup \text{RecV}_\sigma$, $v^\sigma \in \text{PureV}_\sigma$
- $B, C \in \text{Terms}$, $p_i^{\sigma_i} \in \text{RecV}_{\sigma_i}$, $A_i^{\sigma_i} \in \text{Terms}_{\sigma_i}$, $C_j^{\tau_j} \in \text{Terms}_{\tau_j}$
- $\tau, \tau_j \in \{t, \tilde{t}\}$, $\tilde{t} \equiv (s \rightarrow t)$ (type of propositions)
- $\text{ToScope} : (\tilde{\sigma} \rightarrow (s \rightarrow \tilde{\sigma}))$, $\mathcal{C} : (\sigma \rightarrow \tilde{\sigma})$, $s : \text{RecV}_s$ (state), $\sigma \equiv t$

Type Theory of Algorithms (TTA): L_{ar}^λ acyclic recursion: Terms + AC

$$A \equiv A_0^{\sigma_0} \text{ where } \underbrace{\{p_1^{\sigma_1} := A_1^{\sigma_1}, \dots, p_n^{\sigma_n} := A_n^{\sigma_n}\}}_{\text{acyclic system of assignments}} : \sigma_0 \quad (6)$$

- **Acyclicity Constraint (AC), for L_{ar}^λ :**

$$\{p_1^{\sigma_1} := A_1^{\sigma_1}, \dots, p_n^{\sigma_n} := A_n^{\sigma_n}\} \quad (n \geq 0) \quad (7a)$$

is acyclic system of assignments iff there exists a function

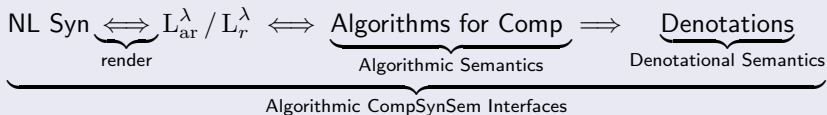
$$\text{rank}: \{p_1, \dots, p_n\} \rightarrow \mathbb{N} \quad (7b)$$

such that:

$$\text{if } p_j \text{ occurs freely in } A_i, \text{ then } \text{rank}(p_i) > \text{rank}(p_j) \quad (7c)$$

- 1 TTA L_{ar}^λ of acyclic recursion:
Def. 1, (5b) + AC
- 2 TTA L_r^λ of full recursion: without acyclicity AC
Def. 1, (5b) - AC

Algorithmic CompSynSem of $L_{ar}^\lambda / L_r^\lambda$



- **Denotational Semantics of $L_{ar}^\lambda / L_r^\lambda$** : by induction on terms
 - **Algorithmic Semantics of $L_{ar}^\lambda / L_r^\lambda$**
For every **algorithmically meaningful** $A \in \text{Terms}$:
 - $\text{cf}(A)$ determines the algorithm $\text{alg}(A)$ for computing $\text{den}(A)$
 - **Reduction Calculus $A \Rightarrow B$ of $L_{ar}^\lambda / L_r^\lambda$** : by (10+) reduction rules
 - The reduction calculus of $L_{ar}^\lambda / L_r^\lambda$ is **effective**
- Theorem:** For every $A \in \text{Terms}$, there is unique, up to congruence, canonical form $\text{cf}(A)$, such that:

$$A \Rightarrow_{\text{cf}} \text{cf}(A)$$

- In a series of papers, I extend $L_{ar}^\lambda / L_r^\lambda$ by algorithmically computational facilities, see Loukanova [5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14]

Types of Restrictor Terms

In the restrictor term (5f) / (8),

$$A_0^{\sigma_0} \text{ such that } \{ C_1^{\tau_1}, \dots, C_n^{\tau_n} \} : \sigma'_0 \quad (8)$$

for each $i = 1, \dots, n$:

- $\tau_i \equiv \mathbf{t}$ (state independent truth values), or
- $\tau_i \equiv \tilde{\mathbf{t}} \equiv (\mathbf{s} \rightarrow \mathbf{t})$ (state dependent truth values)

$$\sigma'_0 \equiv \begin{cases} \sigma_0, & \text{if } \tau_i \equiv \mathbf{t}, \text{ for all } i \in \{1, \dots, n\} & (9a) \\ \sigma_0 \equiv (\mathbf{s} \rightarrow \sigma), & \text{if } \tau_i \equiv \tilde{\mathbf{t}}, \text{ for some } i \in \{1, \dots, n\}, \text{ and} & (9b) \\ & \text{for some } \sigma \in \text{Types}, \sigma_0 \equiv (\mathbf{s} \rightarrow \sigma) \\ \tilde{\sigma}_0 \equiv (\mathbf{s} \rightarrow \sigma_0), & \text{if } \tau_i \equiv \tilde{\mathbf{t}}, \text{ for some } i \in \{1, \dots, n\}, \text{ and} & (9c) \\ & \text{there is no } \sigma, \text{ s.th. } \sigma_0 \equiv (\mathbf{s} \rightarrow \sigma) \end{cases}$$

Denotational Semantics of $L_{ar}^\lambda / L_{rar}^\lambda$

A **standard semantic structure** is a tuple $\mathfrak{A}(\text{Consts}) = \langle \mathbb{T}, \mathcal{I} \rangle$ that satisfies the following conditions:

- $\mathbb{T} = \{\mathbb{T}_\sigma \mid \sigma \in \text{Types}\}$ is a frame of typed objects
 $\{0, 1, er\} \subseteq \mathbb{T}_t \subseteq \mathbb{T}_e$ ($er_t \equiv er_e \equiv er \equiv error$)
 $\mathbb{T}_s \neq \emptyset$ (the domain of *states*)
 $\mathbb{T}_{(\tau_1 \rightarrow \tau_2)} = (\mathbb{T}_{\tau_1} \rightarrow \mathbb{T}_{\tau_2}) = \{f \mid f: \mathbb{T}_{\tau_1} \rightarrow \mathbb{T}_{\tau_2}\}$ (standard str.)
 $er_\sigma \in \mathbb{T}_\sigma$, for every $\sigma \in \text{Types}$ (designated typed errors)
- $\mathcal{I}: \text{Consts} \rightarrow \bigcup \mathbb{T}$ is a typed *interpretation function*:
 $\mathcal{I}(c) \in \mathbb{T}_\sigma$, for every $c \in \text{Consts}_\sigma$
- \mathfrak{A} is associated with the set of the typed variable valuations G :

$$G = \{g \mid g: \text{PureV} \cup \text{RecV} \rightarrow \bigcup \mathbb{T}\} \quad (10)$$

and, for every $X \in \text{Vars}_\sigma$, $g(X) \in \mathbb{T}_\sigma$

The Denotation Function of $L_{ar}^\lambda / L_{ar}^\lambda$

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- Let's assume a given semantic structure \mathfrak{A} , and write $\text{den} \equiv \text{den}^{\mathfrak{A}}$

- There is a unique function, called the *denotation function*:

$$\text{den}^{\mathfrak{A}}: \text{Terms} \longrightarrow \{f \mid f: G \longrightarrow \cup \mathbb{T}\}$$

defined by recursion on the structure of the terms

- (D1) ① $\text{den}(X)(g) = g(x)$, for every $X \in \text{Vars}$
 ② $\text{den}(c)(g) = \mathcal{I}(c)$, for every $c \in \text{Consts}$

$$(D2) \text{den}(A(B))(g) = \text{den}(A)(g)(\text{den}(B)(g))$$

$$(D3) \text{den}(\lambda x(B))(g)(a) = \text{den}(B)(g\{x := a\}), \text{ for every } a \in \mathbb{T}_\tau$$

The Denotation of the Recursion Terms (continuation)

(to be continued)

$$(D4) \quad \text{den}(A_0 \text{ where } \{p_1 := A_1, \dots, p_n := A_n\})(g) = \\ \text{den}(A_0)(g\{p_1 := \bar{p}_1, \dots, p_n := \bar{p}_n\})$$

where $\bar{p}_i \in \mathbb{T}_{\tau_i}$ are defined by recursion on $\text{rank}(p_i)$:

$$\bar{p}_i = \text{den}(A_i)(g\{p_{k_1} := \bar{p}_{k_1}, \dots, p_{k_m} := \bar{p}_{k_m}\})$$

given that p_{k_1}, \dots, p_{k_m} are all of the recursion variables
 $p_j \in \{p_1, \dots, p_n\}$, s.t. $\text{rank}(p_j) < \text{rank}(p_i)$.

Intuitively:

- $\text{den}(A_1)(g), \dots, \text{den}(A_n)(g)$ are computed recursively, by $\text{rank}(p_i)$, and stored in p_i , $1 \leq i \leq n$
- the denotation $\text{den}(A_0)(g)$ may depend on the values stored in p_1, \dots, p_n

(D5) (for the constants of the logic operators) ...

The Denotation of the Logic-Quantifiers Terms (continuation)

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(D6b) Simplified version, without considering the erroneous cases of *er*

The denotation of the state-dependent, pure existential quantifier, for $\tau = \tilde{t}$, $\text{den}^{\mathfrak{A}}(\exists(v^\sigma)(B^\tau))(g) : \mathbb{T}_s \rightarrow \mathbb{T}_t$ is such that:

for every state $s \in \mathbb{T}_s$: (11a)

$[\text{den}^{\mathfrak{A}}(\exists(v^\sigma)(B^\tau))(g)](s) = 1$ (true in s) (11b)

iff there is $a \in \mathbb{T}_\sigma$, in the semantic domain \mathbb{T}_σ , such that: (11c)

$$[\text{den}^{\mathfrak{A}}(B^\tau)(g\{v := a\})](s) = 1$$

The Denotation Function for the Restrictor Terms (continuation)

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(D7) For every $g \in G$, and every state $s \in \mathbb{T}_s$:**Case 1:** for all $i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$, $C_i \in \text{Terms}_t$ (independent on states)For every $g \in G$:

$$\text{den}(A_0^{\sigma_0} \text{ s.t. } \{\vec{C}\})(g) = \begin{cases} \text{den}(A_0)(g), & \text{if, for all } i \in \{1, \dots, n\}, \\ & \text{den}(C_i)(g) = 1 \\ er_{\sigma_0} & \text{if, for some } i \in \{1, \dots, n\}, \\ & \text{den}(C_i)(g) = 0 \text{ or} \\ & \text{den}(C_i)(g) = er \end{cases} \quad (12)$$

Case 2: for some $i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$, $C_i : \tilde{t}$

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{den} \left(A_0^{\sigma_0} \text{ s.t. } \{ \vec{C} \} \right) (g)(s) & (13) \\ = & \begin{cases} \text{den}(A_0)(g)(s), & \text{if } \text{den}(C_i)(g) = 1, \text{ for all } i \text{ s.th. } C_i : t, \text{ and} \\ & \text{den}(C_i)(g)(s) = 1, \text{ for all } i \text{ s.th. } C_i : \tilde{t}, \text{ and} \\ & \sigma_0 \equiv (s \rightarrow \sigma) \\ \text{den}(A_0)(g), & \text{if } \text{den}(C_i)(g) = 1, \text{ for all } i \text{ s.th. } C_i : t, \text{ and} \\ & \text{den}(C_i)(g)(s) = 1, \text{ for all } i \text{ s.th. } C_i : \tilde{t}, \text{ and} \\ & \sigma_0 \not\equiv (s \rightarrow \sigma), \text{ for all } \sigma \in \text{Types} \\ er_{\sigma'_0}, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

- $A \in \text{Terms}$ is **explicit** iff the operator **where** does not occur in A
- $A \in \text{Terms}$ is a **λ -calculus term** iff it is explicit and no recursion variable occurs in it

Definition (Immediate and Proper Terms)

- The set ImT of **immediate terms** is defined by recursion (14)

$$T ::= V \mid p(v_1) \dots (v_m) \mid \lambda(u_1) \dots \lambda(u_n)p(v_1) \dots (v_m) \quad (14)$$

for $V \in \text{Vars}$, $p \in \text{RecV}$, $u_i, v_j \in \text{PureV}$,
 $i = 1, \dots, n$, $j = 1, \dots, m$ ($m, n \geq 0$)

- Every $A \in \text{Terms}$ that is not immediate is **proper**

$$\text{PrT} = (\text{Terms} - \text{ImT}) \quad (15)$$

Immediate terms do not carry algorithmic sense:

$\text{den}(p(v_1) \dots (v_m))$ is by variable valuation, in memory $p \in \text{RecV}$.

Definition (Congruence Relation, informally)

The **congruence** relation is the smallest equivalence relation (i.e., reflexive, symmetric, transitive) between L_{ar}^λ -terms, $A \equiv_c B$, that is closed under:

- ① operators of **term-formation**:
 - application
 - λ -abstraction
 - logic operators
 - pure, logic quantifiers
 - (acyclic) recursor
 - restrictor
- ② **renaming bound variables** (pure and recursion), without causing variable collisions
- ③ **re-ordering of the assignments** within the acyclic sequences of assignments in the recursion terms
- ④ **re-ordering of the restrictions** in the restrictor terms

[Congruence] If $A \equiv_c B$, then $A \Rightarrow B$ (cong)

[Transitivity] If $A \Rightarrow B$ and $B \Rightarrow C$, then $A \Rightarrow C$ (trans)

[Compositionality]

• If $A \Rightarrow A'$ and $B \Rightarrow B'$, then $A(B) \Rightarrow A'(B')$ (ap-comp)

• If $A \Rightarrow B$, and $\xi \in \{ \lambda, \exists, \forall \}$, then $\xi(u)(A) \Rightarrow \xi(u)(B)$ (lq-comp)

• If $A_i \Rightarrow B_i$ ($i = 0, \dots, n$), then

A_0 where $\{ p_1 := A_1, \dots, p_n := A_n \}$ (wh-comp)
 $\Rightarrow B_0$ where $\{ p_1 := B_1, \dots, p_n := B_n \}$

• If $A_0 \Rightarrow B_0$ and $C_i \Rightarrow R_i$ ($i = 0, \dots, n$), then

A_0 such that $\{ C_1, \dots, C_n \}$ (st-comp)
 $\Rightarrow B_0$ such that $\{ R_1, \dots, R_n \}$

Reduction Rules

(to be continued)

[Head Rule] Given that $p_i \neq q_j$ and **no p_i occurs freely in any B_j** ,

$$\begin{aligned} & \left(A_0 \text{ where } \{ \vec{p} := \vec{A} \} \right) \text{ where } \{ \vec{q} := \vec{B} \} \\ \Rightarrow & A_0 \text{ where } \{ \vec{p} := \vec{A}, \vec{q} := \vec{B} \} \end{aligned} \quad (\text{head})$$

[Bekič-Scott Rule] Given that $p_i \neq q_j$ and **no q_i occurs freely in any A_j**

$$\begin{aligned} & A_0 \text{ where } \{ p := \left(B_0 \text{ where } \{ \vec{q} := \vec{B} \} \right), \vec{p} := \vec{A} \} \\ \Rightarrow & A_0 \text{ where } \{ p := B_0, \vec{q} := \vec{B}, \vec{p} := \vec{A} \} \end{aligned} \quad (\text{B-S})$$

[Recursion-Application Rule] Given that **no p_i occurs freely in B** ,

$$\begin{aligned} & \left(A_0 \text{ where } \{ \vec{p} := \vec{A} \} \right) (B) \\ \Rightarrow & A_0(B) \text{ where } \{ \vec{p} := \vec{A} \} \end{aligned} \quad (\text{recap})$$

Reduction Rules

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[Application Rule] Given that $B \in \text{PrT}$ is a proper term, and p is fresh,
 $p \in [\text{RecV} - (\text{FV}(A(B)) \cup \text{BV}(A(B)))],$

$$A(B) \Rightarrow [A(p) \text{ where } \{p := B\}] \quad (\text{ap})$$

[λ and Quantifiers rules] Let $\xi \in \{\lambda, \exists, \forall\}.$

Given fresh $p'_i \in [\text{RecV} - (\text{FV}(A) \cup \text{BV}(A))], i = 1, \dots, n,$ for
 $A \equiv A_0$ where $\{p_1 := A_1, \dots, p_n := A_n\}$ and replacements A'_i in (19):

$$A'_i \equiv [A_i \{p_1 := p'_1(u), \dots, p_n := p'_n(u)\}] \quad (19)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \xi(u) \left(A_0 \text{ where } \{p_1 := A_1, \dots, p_n := A_n\} \right) \\ \Rightarrow & \xi(u) A'_0 \text{ where } \{p'_1 := \lambda(u) A'_1, \dots, p'_n := \lambda(u) A'_n\} \end{aligned} \quad (\xi)$$

- each $R_i^{\tau_i} \in \text{Terms}$ in \vec{R} is **immediate** and (has a type of truth value)
 $\tau_i \in \{\mathbf{t}, \tilde{\mathbf{t}}\}$
- each $C_j^{\tau_j} \in \text{Terms}$ is **proper** and has a type τ_j of truth value
 $\tau_j \in \{\mathbf{t}, \tilde{\mathbf{t}}\}$ ($j = 1, \dots, m, m \geq 0$)
- $a_0, c_j \in \text{RecV}$ ($j = 1, \dots, m$) fresh

(st1) Rule A_0 is an immediate term, $m \geq 1$

$$\begin{aligned} & (A_0 \text{ such that } \{C_1, \dots, C_m, \vec{R}\}) & (\text{st1}) \\ \Rightarrow & (A_0 \text{ such that } \{c_1, \dots, c_m, \vec{R}\}) \\ & \text{where } \{c_1 := C_1, \dots, c_m := C_m\} \end{aligned}$$

(st2) Rule A_0 is a proper term

$$\begin{aligned} & (A_0 \text{ such that } \{C_1, \dots, C_m, \vec{R}\}) & (\text{st2}) \\ \Rightarrow & (a_0 \text{ such that } \{c_1, \dots, c_m, \vec{R}\}) \\ & \text{where } \{a_0 := A_0, \\ & \quad c_1 := C_1, \dots, c_m := C_m\} \end{aligned}$$

Definition (γ^* -condition)

A term $A \in \text{Terms}$ satisfies the γ^* -condition for an assignment $p := \lambda(\vec{u}^{\vec{\sigma}})\lambda(v^\sigma)P^\tau : (\vec{\sigma} \rightarrow (\sigma \rightarrow \tau))$, with respect to $\lambda(v^\sigma)$, iff A is of the form: (22a)–(22c):

$$A \equiv A_0 \text{ where } \{ \vec{a} := \vec{A}, \quad (22a)$$

$$p := \lambda(\vec{u})\lambda(v)P, \quad (22b)$$

$$\vec{b} := \vec{B} \} \quad (22c)$$

such that the following holds:

- 1 $v \notin \text{FreeVars}(P)$
- 2 All occurrences of p in A_0 , \vec{A} , and \vec{B} are occurrences:
 - in $p(\vec{u})(v)$,
 - which are in the scope of $\lambda(v)$ modulo renaming the variables \vec{u}, v

$$A \equiv A_0 \text{ where } \{ \vec{a} := \vec{A}, \quad (23a)$$

$$p := \lambda(\vec{u})\lambda(v)P, \quad (23b)$$

$$\vec{b} := \vec{B} \} \quad (23c)$$

$$\Rightarrow_{(\gamma^*)} A'_0 \text{ where } \{ \vec{a} := \vec{A}', \quad (23d)$$

$$p' := \lambda(\vec{u})P, \quad (23e)$$

$$\vec{b} := \vec{B}' \} \quad (23f)$$

given that:

- $A \in \text{Terms}$ satisfies the γ^* -condition (in Definition 4) for $p := \lambda(\vec{u})\lambda(v)P : (\vec{\sigma} \rightarrow (\sigma \rightarrow \tau))$, with respect to $\lambda(v)$
- $p' \in \text{RecV}_{(\vec{\sigma} \rightarrow \tau)}$ is a fresh recursion variable
- $\vec{X}' \equiv \vec{X} \{p(\vec{u})(v) \equiv p'(\vec{u})\}$ is the result of the replacements

$$X_i \{p(\vec{u})(v) \equiv p'(\vec{u})\},$$

i.e., replacing all occurrences of $p(\vec{u})(v)$ by $p'(\vec{u})$, in all corresponding parts $X_i \equiv A_i$, $X_i \equiv B_i$, in (23a)–(23f), modulo renaming the variables \vec{u}, v

The **optional (chain) rule** removes steps of repeated savings via chain-like term assignments. No need of logging the info in q :

- $q := p, p := A$
- $q := \lambda(\vec{y})(p(\vec{y})), p := A$ (modulo λ -abstraction)

Chain Rule

For any $A, A_i \in \text{Terms}$, $p, q, p_i \in \text{RecVars}$, $y_j \in \text{PureVars}$, such that $A_i\{q \equiv p\}$ is the replacement of all occurrences of q in A_i with p , for $i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$, $j \in \{1, \dots, m\}$ ($n, m \geq 0$),

$$C \equiv_c [A_0 \text{ where } \{q := \lambda(\vec{y})(p(\vec{y})), p := A, p_1 := A_1, \dots, p_n := A_n\}] \quad (24a)$$

(chain)

$$\Rightarrow_{\text{ch}} D \equiv_c [A_0\{q \equiv p\} \text{ where } \{p := A, p_1 := A_1\{q \equiv p\}, \dots, p_n := A_n\{q \equiv p\}\}] \quad (24b)$$

Theorem (γ^* -Canonical Form Theorem)

For each $A \in \text{Terms}$, there is a unique up to congruence, γ^* -irreducible $\text{cf}_{\gamma^*}(A) \in \text{Terms}$, s.th.:

- ① for some explicit, γ^* -irreducible $A_0, \dots, A_n \in \text{Terms}$ ($n \geq 0$)

$$\text{cf}_{\gamma^*}(A) \equiv A_0 \text{ where } \{p_1 := A_1, \dots, p_n := A_n\}$$

- ② $A \Rightarrow_{\gamma^*}^* \text{cf}_{\gamma^*}(A)$

- ③ for every B , such that $A \Rightarrow_{\gamma^*}^* B$ and B is γ^* -irreducible, it holds that $B \equiv_c \text{cf}_{\gamma^*}(A)$
i.e., $\text{cf}_{\gamma^*}(A)$ is unique, up to congruence

- ④ $\text{Consts}(\text{cf}_{\gamma^*}(A)) = \text{Consts}(A)$ and

- ⑤ $\text{FreeV}(\text{cf}_{\gamma^*}(A)) = \text{FreeV}(A)$

Proof.

The proof is by induction on term structure of A , (5a)–(5e), (5f), using reduction rules, definitions, and properties of reduction.

The reduction rules and their applications do not remove and do not add any constants and free variables. □

Algorithmic Semantics of $L_{ar}^\lambda / L_r^\lambda$

How is the algorithmic meaning / semantics of a proper (non-immediate) $A \in \text{Terms}$ determined?

- For every term $A \in \text{Terms}$, by the Canonical Form Theorem 5:

$$A \Rightarrow \text{cf}(A)$$

$$A \Rightarrow_{\gamma^*} \text{cf}_{\gamma^*}(A)$$

- For each proper (i.e., non-immediate) $A \in \text{Terms}$, $\text{cf}(A) / \text{cf}_{\gamma^*}(A)$ determines the algorithm $\text{alg}(A)$ for computing $\text{den}(A)$

Theorem (Effective Reduction Calculi)

For every term $A \in \text{Terms}$, its canonical forms $\text{cf}(A)$ and $\text{cf}_{\gamma^}(A)$ are effectively computed, by the extended reduction calculus.*

Definition (of Algorithmic Equivalence / Synonymy)

Two terms $A, B \in \text{Terms}$ are **algorithmically equivalent**, $A \approx B$, in a given semantic structure \mathfrak{A} , i.e., referentially synonymous in \mathfrak{A} , iff

- A and B are both immediate, or
- A and B are both proper

and there are **explicit, irreducible terms** (of appropriate types), $A_0, \dots, A_n, B_0, \dots, B_n \in \text{Terms}$, ($n \geq 0$) such that:

- ① $A \Rightarrow_{cf} A_0$ where $\{p_1 := A_1, \dots, p_n := A_n\} \equiv cf(A)$
- ② $B \Rightarrow_{cf} B_0$ where $\{p_1 := B_1, \dots, p_n := B_n\} \equiv cf(B)$
- ③ for all $i \in \{0, \dots, n\}$
 - Ⓐ for every $x \in \text{PureV} \cup \text{RecV}$,

$$x \in \text{FreeV}(A_i) \quad \text{iff} \quad x \in \text{FreeV}(B_i) \quad (25)$$

- Ⓑ $\text{den}(A_i) = \text{den}(B_i)$

Type Theory $L_{ar}^\lambda / L_r^\lambda$ is more expressive than Gallin TY2

Theorem (Moschovakis [17] 2006, §3.24

(mild adjustment))

- ① For any explicit (λ -calculus) $A \in \text{Terms}$, there is no (*assignment memory location*), bound via *where* in its canonical form, such that it occurs in more than one of its parts A_i ($0 \leq i \leq n$) of $\text{cf}(A) / \text{cf}_{\gamma^*}(A)$
- ② Assume that $A \in \text{Terms}$ is such that *an assignment location* $p \in \text{RecV}$, bound by *where* in its canonical form $\text{cf}(A) / \text{cf}_{\gamma^*}(A)$, occurs in (at least) two assignment parts, and the denotations of those parts depend essentially on p :
Then, there is no explicit (λ -calculus) term $B \in \text{Terms}$, such that B is algorithmically equivalent to A , $B \approx A$,
i.e., for all λ -calculus $B \in \text{Terms}$, $B \not\approx A$.

The proof is by Moschovakis [17] (2006). I provide it for the extended $L_{ar}^\lambda / L_r^\lambda$

Reductions with Pure Quantifier Rules: Algorithmic Patterns and Instantiations

- Assume $cube, large_0 \in \text{Consts}_{(\tilde{e} \rightarrow \tilde{t})}$, in the typical Aristotelian form:

$$\text{Some cube is large} \xrightarrow{\text{render}} B \equiv \exists x (cube(x) \wedge large_0(x)) \quad (26a)$$

$$B \Rightarrow \exists x ((c \wedge l) \text{ where } \{ c := cube(x), l := large_0(x) \}) \quad (26b)$$

by $2 \times (\text{ap})$ (ap-comp), (recap), (wh-comp), (head), (lq-comp)

$$\Rightarrow \underbrace{\exists x (c'(x) \wedge l'(x))}_{B_0 \text{ algorithmic pattern}} \text{ where } \{ \quad (26c)$$

$$\underbrace{c' := \lambda(x)(cube(x)), l' := \lambda(x)(large_0(x))}_{\text{instantiations of memory slots } c', l'} \} \equiv \text{cf}(B) \quad (26d)$$

from (26c), by (ξ) to \exists

$$\approx \underbrace{\exists x (c'(x) \wedge l'(x))}_{B_0 \text{ algorithmic pattern}} \text{ where } \{ \underbrace{c' := cube, l' := large_0}_{\text{instantiations of memory slots } c', l'} \} \equiv B' \quad (26e)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{by Def. 7 from (26c)–(26d), } \text{den}(\lambda(x)(cube(x))) &= \text{den}(cube), \\ \text{den}(\lambda(x)(large_0(x))) &= \text{den}(large_0) \end{aligned} \quad (26f)$$

$$\text{Some cube is large} \xrightarrow{\text{render}} T, \quad \text{large} \in \text{Consts}_{((\tilde{e} \rightarrow \tilde{t}) \rightarrow (\tilde{e} \rightarrow \tilde{t}))} \quad (27a)$$

$$T \equiv \exists x [\text{cube}(x) \wedge \underbrace{[\text{large}(\text{cube})](x)]}_{\text{by predicate modification}}] \Rightarrow \dots \quad (27b)$$

$$\Rightarrow \exists x [(c_1 \wedge l) \text{ where } \{ c_1 := \text{cube}(x), \quad (27c)$$

$$l := \text{large}(c_2)(x), c_2 := \text{cube} \}] \quad (27d)$$

$$\Rightarrow \exists x (c'_1(x) \wedge l'(x)) \text{ where } \{ c'_1 := \lambda(x)(\text{cube}(x)), \quad (27e)$$

$$l' := \lambda(x)(\text{large}(c'_2(x))(x)), c'_2 := \lambda(x)\text{cube} \} \quad (27f)$$

$$\equiv \text{cf}(T) \quad (27e)-(27f) \text{ is by } (\xi) \text{ on } (27c)-(27d)$$

$$\Rightarrow_{\gamma^*} \exists x (c'_1(x) \wedge l'(x)) \text{ where } \{ c'_1 := \lambda(x)(\text{cube}(x)), \quad (27g)$$

$$l' := \lambda(x)(\text{large}(c_2)(x)), c_2 := \text{cube} \} \quad (27h)$$

$$\equiv \text{cf}_{\gamma^*}(T)$$

$$\approx \exists x (c'_1(x) \wedge l'(x)) \text{ where } \{ c'_1 := \text{cube}, \quad (27i)$$

$$l' := \lambda(x)(\text{large}(c_2)(x)), c_2 := \text{cube} \} \quad (27j)$$

$$\text{Some cube is large} \xrightarrow{\text{render}} C, \quad \text{large} \in \text{Consts}_{((\tilde{e} \rightarrow \tilde{t}) \rightarrow (\tilde{e} \rightarrow \tilde{t}))}$$

$$C \equiv \underbrace{\exists x [c'(x) \wedge \text{large}(c')(x)]}_{E_0} \text{ where } \{c' := \text{cube}\} \quad (28a)$$

$$\Rightarrow \underbrace{\exists x [(c'(x) \wedge l) \text{ where } \{l := \text{large}(c')(x)\}]}_{E_1}$$

$$\text{where } \{c' := \text{cube}\} \quad (28b)$$

from (28a), by (ap) to \wedge of E_0 ; (lq-comp); (wh-comp)

$$\Rightarrow \underbrace{[\exists x (c'(x) \wedge l'(x)) \text{ where } \{l' := \lambda(x)(\text{large}(c')(x))\}]}_{E_2}$$

$$\text{where } \{c' := \text{cube}\} \quad (28c)$$

from (28b), by (ξ) to \exists

$$\Rightarrow \underbrace{\exists x (c'(x) \wedge l'(x))}_{C_0 \text{ an algorithmic pattern}}$$

$$\text{where } \underbrace{\{c' := \text{cube}, l' := \lambda(x)(\text{large}(c')(x))\}}_{\text{instantiations of memory } c', l'} \equiv \text{cf}(C) \quad (28d)$$

from (28c), by (head); (cong)

Proposition

- ① *The L_{ar}^λ -terms $C \approx \text{cf}(C)$ in (28a)–(28d), and many other L_{ar}^λ -terms, are not algorithmically equivalent to any explicit terms*
- ② *L_{ar}^λ is a strict, proper extension of TY_2 , Gallin [3]*
- ③ *and of a la Montague semantics via inclusion of Montague IL in TY_2*

Outline of a proof:

- (1) follows by Theorem 8
- (2) follows by Theorem 8, and (1)
- (3) Gallin [3] provides an interpretation of Montague IL (MIL) [19] into TY_2 . Suitable interpretation of MIL can be given directly in L_{ar}^λ (L_r^λ).

Placement of L_{ar}^λ in a class of type theories

$$\text{Montague IL} \subsetneq \text{Gallin TY}_2 \subsetneq \text{Moschovakis } L_{ar}^\lambda \subsetneq \text{Moschovakis } L_r^\lambda \quad (29)$$

Generalised Two-Argument Quantifiers: $Q : ((\tilde{e} \rightarrow \tilde{t}) \rightarrow ((\tilde{e} \rightarrow \tilde{t}) \rightarrow \tilde{t}))$

$$\text{some, every} \xrightarrow{\text{render}} \text{some, every} \in \text{Consts}_{[(\tilde{e} \rightarrow \tilde{t}) \rightarrow ((\tilde{e} \rightarrow \tilde{t}) \rightarrow \tilde{t})]} \quad (30)$$

$$[\text{some}_{\text{DET}} \text{cube}_{\text{N}}]_{\text{NP}} \xrightarrow{\text{render}} \text{some}(\text{cube}) : ((\tilde{e} \rightarrow \tilde{t}) \rightarrow \tilde{t}) \quad (31)$$

$$\Rightarrow_{\text{cf}} [\text{some}(d) \text{ where } \{d := \text{cube}\}] \quad (32)$$

$$\text{Some cube is large} \xrightarrow{\text{render}} A_0/A_1/A_2 \quad (\text{options}) \quad (33a)$$

$$A_0 \equiv (\text{some}(\text{cube}))(\text{large}_0) : \tilde{t} \quad \text{typical } \lambda\text{-term} \quad (33b)$$

$$\Rightarrow_{\text{cf}} \underbrace{\text{some}(p_1)(p_2) \text{ where } \{p_1 := \text{cube}, p_2 := \text{large}_0\}}_{\text{recursion term}} \quad (33c)$$

$$A_1 \equiv \text{some}(p_1)(p_2) \text{ where } \{p_1 := \text{cube}, p_2 := \text{large}(p_1)\} \quad (33d)$$

$$A_2 \equiv \underbrace{Q(p_1)(p_2)}_{\text{alg. pattern}} \text{ where } \underbrace{\{Q := \text{some}, p_1 := \text{cube}, p_2 := \text{large}(p_1)\}}_{\text{instantiations of memory}} \quad (33e)$$

Alternatives: $Q := \text{every}$, $Q := \text{one}$, $Q := \text{two}$, $Q := \text{most}$, etc.

No explicit terms are algorithmically equivalent to A_1 and A_2 , by Th. 8.

$$[[K]_{NP} \text{ [is [larger}_{ADJ} \text{ than} \quad (34a)$$

$$[\text{some}_{DET} \text{ number}_N]_{NP}]_{ADJP}]_{VP}]_S \xrightarrow{\text{render}} A$$

$$A \equiv \left[\lambda y \left[[some(number)] (\lambda x_d \text{ larger}(x_d)(y)) \right] \right]_{VP} (K) \Rightarrow \dots \quad (34b)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left[\lambda(y_k) \left(some(d'(y_k))(h(y_k)) \right) \text{ where} \right.$$

$$\left. \{ d' := \lambda(y_k) number, \quad (34c)$$

$$\left. h := \lambda(y_k) \lambda(x_d) \text{ larger}(x_d)(y_k) \right\} (K)$$

$$\dots \Rightarrow_{cf} cf(A) \equiv \quad (34d)$$

$$\left[\lambda(y_k) \left(some(d'(y_k))(h(y_k)) \right) \right] (k) \text{ where}$$

$$\{ h := \lambda(y_k) \lambda(x_d) \text{ larger}(x_d)(y_k), \quad (34e)$$

$$d' := \lambda(y_k) number, \quad k := K \}$$

$$\Rightarrow_{\gamma^*} cf_{\gamma^*}(A) \equiv \quad (34f)$$

$$\left[\lambda(y_k) some(d)(h(y_k)) \right] (k) \text{ where}$$

$$\{ h := \lambda(y_k) \lambda(x_d) \text{ larger}(x_d)(y_k), \quad (34g)$$

$$d := number, \quad k := K \}$$

$$[[K]_{NP} [is [larger_{ADJ} than [some_{DET} number_N]_{NP}]_{ADJP}]_{VP}]_S \xrightarrow{\text{render}} cf_{\gamma^*}(A) \quad (35a)$$

$$cf_{\gamma^*}(A) \equiv \quad (35b)$$

$$\begin{aligned} & [\lambda(y_k) some(d)(h(y_k))](k) \text{ where} \\ & \{ h := \lambda(y_k) \lambda(x_d) larger(x_d)(y_k), \\ & \quad d := number, k := K \} \end{aligned} \quad (35c)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \not\approx A' & \equiv [some(d)(\textcolor{red}{h}(k))] \text{ where} \\ & \{ h := \lambda(y_k) \lambda(x_d) larger(x_d)(y_k), \\ & \quad d := number, k := K \} \end{aligned} \quad (35d)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow cf_{\gamma^*}(A') & \equiv [some(d)(\textcolor{red}{h}')] \text{ where} \\ & \{ \textcolor{red}{h}' := \textcolor{red}{h}(k), h := \lambda(y_k) \lambda(x_d) larger(x_d)(y_k), \\ & \quad d := number, k := K \} \end{aligned} \quad (35e)$$

from (35d) by (ap), since $\textcolor{red}{h}(k)$ is not immediate, see Def. 2;
(wh-comp), (head)

\therefore Tentative β -repl. in (35c) does not preserve algorithmic equivalence
by Def. 7

$$[K \text{ [is [larger}_{\text{ADJ}} \text{ than} \quad (36a)$$

$$[\text{some}_{\text{DET}} \text{ number}_{\text{N}}]_{\text{NP}}]_{\text{ADJP}}]_{\text{VP}}]_{\text{S}} \xrightarrow{\text{render}} A_3$$

$$A_3 \equiv \left[\lambda y_k \left[[Q(\text{number})] (\lambda x_d \text{ larger}(x_d)(y_k)) \text{ where } \{ \right. \right. \\ \left. \left. Q := \text{some} \} \right] \right] (K) \Rightarrow \dots \quad (36b)$$

$$\Rightarrow_{\gamma^*} \text{cf}_{\gamma^*}(A_3) \equiv [\lambda(y_k)Q(d)(h(y_k))](k) \text{ where} \\ \{ Q := \text{some}, h := \lambda(y_k)\lambda(x_d)\text{larger}(x_d)(y_k), \\ d := \text{number}, k := K \} \quad (36c)$$

$$\not\approx A'_3 \equiv [Q(d)(\textcolor{red}{h}(\textcolor{red}{k}))] \text{ where} \\ \{ Q := \text{some}, h := \lambda(y_k)\lambda(x_d)\text{larger}(x_d)(y_k), \\ d := \text{number}, k := K \} \quad (36d)$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{cf}_{\gamma^*}(A'_3) \equiv [Q(d)(\textcolor{red}{h}')] \text{ where} \\ \{ Q := \text{some}, d := \text{number}, k := K, \\ \textcolor{red}{h}' := \textcolor{red}{h}(\textcolor{red}{k}), h := \lambda(y_k)\lambda(x_d)\text{larger}(x_d)(y_k) \} \quad (36e)$$

from (36d) by (ap), since $\textcolor{red}{h}(\textcolor{red}{k})$ is not immediate, see Def. 2;
(wh-comp), (head)

de dicto and *de re* renderings of quantifiers share algorithmic pattern

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\text{Every cube is larger than some dodeca} \xrightarrow{\text{render}} && (\text{de dicto}) \\
 R_3 \text{ where } \{R_3 &:= \text{every}(p)(R_2), && (37a) \\
 &R_2 := \lambda(x_2)\text{some}(b)(R_1(x_2)), && (37b) \\
 &R_1 := \lambda(x_2)\lambda(x_1)\text{larger}(x_1)(x_2), && (37c) \\
 &p := \text{cube}, b := \text{dodeca}\} && (37d)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\text{Every cube is larger than some dodeca} \xrightarrow{\text{render}} && (\text{de re}) \\
 R_3 \text{ where } \{R_3 &:= \text{some}(b)(R_1), && (38a) \\
 &R_1 := \lambda(x_1)\text{every}(p)(R_2(x_1)), && (38b) \\
 &R_2 := \lambda(x_1)\lambda(x_2)\text{larger}(x_1)(x_2), && (38c) \\
 &p := \text{cube}, b := \text{dodeca}\} && (38d)
 \end{aligned}$$

de dicto term S_{21}

$$S_{21} \equiv R_3 \text{ where } \{ R_3 := Q_2(R_2), \quad (39a)$$

$$R_2 := \lambda(x_2)Q_1(R_1^1(x_2)) \quad (39b)$$

$$R_1^1 := \lambda(x_2)\lambda(x_1)h(x_1)(x_2), \quad (39c)$$

$$Q_1 := q_1(d_1), Q_2 := q_2(d_2), \quad (39d)$$

$$q_2 := \textit{every}, d_2 := \textit{cube}, \quad (39e)$$

$$q_1 := \textit{some}, d_1 := \textit{dodeca}, h := \textit{larger} \} \quad (39f)$$

de re term S_{12}

$$S_{12} \equiv R_3 \text{ where } \{ R_3 := Q_1(R_1), \quad (40a)$$

$$R_1 := \lambda(x_1)Q_2(R_2^1(x_1)), \quad (40b)$$

$$R_2^1 := \lambda(x_1)\lambda(x_2)h(x_1)(x_2), \quad (40c)$$

$$Q_1 := q_1(d_1), Q_2 := q_2(d_2), \quad (40d)$$

$$q_2 := \textit{every}, d_2 := \textit{cube}, \quad (40e)$$

$$q_1 := \textit{some}, d_1 := \textit{dodeca}, h := \textit{larger} \} \quad (40f)$$

Constrained Underspecified Terms

$$U \equiv R_3 \text{ where } \{ l_1 := Q_1(R_1), l_2 := Q_2(R_2), \quad (41a)$$

$$Q_1 := q_1(d_1), Q_2 := q_2(d_2), \quad (41b)$$

$$q_1 := \text{some}, q_2 := \text{every}, \quad (41c)$$

$$h := \text{larger}, d_1 := \text{dodeca}, d_2 := \text{cube} \} \quad (41d)$$

$$\text{s.t. } \{ Q_i \text{ binds the } i\text{-th argument of } h, \quad (41e)$$

$$R_3 \text{ binds (dominates) each } Q_i \ (i = 1, 2) \} \quad (41f)$$

- U is underspecified (per se), while restricted:
 $R_3, R_i (i = 1, 2)$ are free recursion variables
- the specifications in U have to satisfy the constraints on argument bindings

U can be specified to *de dicto* term:

$$U_{21} \equiv R_3 \text{ where } \{ R_3 := l_2, l_2 := Q_2(R_2), \quad (42a)$$

$$R_2 := \lambda(x_2)l_1^1(x_2), l_1^1 := \lambda(x_2)Q_1(R_1^1(x_2)), \quad (42b)$$

$$R_1^1 := \lambda(x_2)\lambda(x_1)h(x_1)(x_2), \quad (42c)$$

$$Q_1 := q_1(d_1), Q_2 := q_2(d_2), \quad (42d)$$

$$q_2 := \text{every}, d_2 := \text{cube}, \quad (42e)$$

$$q_1 := \text{some}, d_1 := \text{dodeca}, h := \text{larger} \} \quad (42f)$$

U_{21} can be simplified to the similar, chain-free term by (chain) rule:

$$S_{21} \equiv R_3 \text{ where } \{ R_3 := Q_2(R_2), R_2 := \lambda(x_2)Q_1(R_1^1(x_2)), \quad (43a)$$

$$R_1^1 := \lambda(x_2)\lambda(x_1)h(x_1)(x_2), \quad (43b)$$

$$Q_1 := q_1(d_1), Q_2 := q_2(d_2), \quad (43c)$$

$$d_2 := \text{cube}, d_1 := \text{dodeca}, h := \text{larger}, \quad (43d)$$

$$q_2 := \lambda(U)\lambda(V)\forall(x)[U(x) \rightarrow V(x)], \quad (43e)$$

$$q_1 := \lambda(U)\lambda(V)\exists(x)[U(x) \wedge V(x)] \} \quad (43f)$$

U can be specified to the *de re* term:

$$U_{12} \equiv R_3 \text{ where } \{ R_3 := l_1, l_1 := Q_1(R_1), \quad (44a)$$

$$R_1 := \lambda(x_1)l_2^1(x_1), l_2^1 := \lambda(x_1)Q_2(R_2^1(x_1)), \quad (44b)$$

$$R_2^1 := \lambda(x_1)\lambda(x_2)h(x_1)(x_2), \quad (44c)$$

$$Q_1 := q_1(d_1), Q_2 := q_2(d_2), \quad (44d)$$

$$q_2 := \textit{every}, d_2 := \textit{cube}, \quad (44e)$$

$$q_1 := \textit{some}, d_1 := \textit{dodeca}, h := \textit{larger} \} \quad (44f)$$

U_{12} can be simplified to the similar, chain-free term by (chain) rule:

$$S_{12} \equiv R_3 \text{ where } \{ R_3 := Q_1(R_1), R_1 := \lambda(x_1)Q_2(R_2^1(x_1)), \quad (45a)$$

$$R_2^1 := \lambda(x_1)\lambda(x_2)h(x_1)(x_2), \quad (45b)$$

$$Q_1 := q_1(d_1), Q_2 := q_2(d_2), \quad (45c)$$

$$d_2 := \textit{cube}, d_1 := \textit{dodeca}, h := \textit{larger}, \quad (45d)$$

$$q_2 := \lambda(U)\lambda(V)\forall(x)[U(x) \rightarrow V(x)], \quad (45e)$$

$$q_1 := \lambda(U)\lambda(V)\exists(x)[U(x) \wedge V(x)] \} \quad (45f)$$

Combinatorial Permutations of Quantifier Scopes

$$Q \equiv R_{(n+1)} \text{ where } \{ \quad (46a)$$

$$R_{\pi(n)}^{(n-1)} := \lambda(x_{\pi(1)}) \dots \lambda(x_{\pi(n)}) h(x_1) \dots (x_n), \quad (46b)$$

...

$$R_{\pi(j)}^{(j-1)} := \lambda(x_{\pi(1)}) \dots \lambda(x_{\pi(j)}) Q_{\pi(j+1)} [\quad (46c)$$

$$\lambda(x_{\pi(j+1)}) R_{\pi(j+1)}^j (x_{\pi(1)}) \dots (x_{\pi(j)}) (x_{\pi(j+1)})] \quad (46d)$$

$$| \text{ for } j = (n-1), \dots, 1,$$

...

$$R_{\pi(1)} := \lambda(x_{\pi(1)}) Q_{\pi(2)} [\lambda(x_{\pi(2)}) R_{\pi(2)}^1 (x_{\pi(1)}) (x_{\pi(2)})], \quad (46e)$$

$$R_{(n+1)} := Q_{\pi(1)} [\lambda(x_{\pi(1)}) R_{\pi(1)} (x_{\pi(1)})], \quad (46f)$$

$$Q_i := [q_i(d_i) \text{ s.t. } \{ Q_i \text{ binds the } i\text{-th argument of } h \}] \quad (46g)$$

$$| \text{ for } i = 1, \dots, n; n \geq 1 \}$$

Underspecified Quantifiers

$$V \equiv R_4 \text{ where } \{ l_i := [Q_i(R_i), \quad (47a)$$

$$\text{s.t. } \{ Q_i \text{ } \lambda\text{-binds the } i\text{-th argument of } h \text{ via } R_i, \quad (47b)$$

$$h : (\tilde{e} \rightarrow (\tilde{e} \rightarrow \dots (\tilde{e} \rightarrow \tilde{t}))), \quad (47c)$$

$$R_4 \text{ is assigned to a closed subterm with} \quad (47d)$$

fully scope specified Q_i ,

R_4 dominates each Q_i (for $i = 1, \dots, n$) $\}$

$$Q_i := q_i(d_i) \quad (47e)$$

$$| \text{ for } i = 1, \dots, n; n \geq 1 \} \quad (47f)$$

$$\Phi \equiv \text{The cube is large} \quad (48)$$

- First Order Logic (FOL) A

$$\Phi \xrightarrow{\text{render}} A \equiv \exists x \left[\underbrace{\forall y (\text{cube}(y) \leftrightarrow x = y)}_{\text{uniqueness}} \wedge \text{isLarge}(x) \right] \quad (49a)$$

$$S \equiv \exists x \left[\underbrace{\forall y (P(y) \leftrightarrow x = y)}_{\text{uniqueness}} \wedge Q(x) \right] \quad (49b)$$

In FOL, A in (49a) has the following features:

- Existential quantification as the direct, topmost predication
- Uniqueness of the existing entity
- There is **no referential force** to the object denoted by the descriptor NP: $[\text{the cube}]_{\text{NP}}$
- There is **no compositional analysis**, i.e., no “derivation”, of A from the components of Φ

- Higher Order Logic (HOL): Henkin (1950) and Mostowski (1957)
 a significant, positive step of compositional analyses, via β
 but no referential force!

$$\text{the} \xrightarrow{\text{render}} T \equiv [\lambda P \lambda Q [\exists x [\underbrace{\forall y (P(y) \leftrightarrow x = y)}_{\text{uniqueness}} \wedge Q(x)]]] \quad (50a)$$

$$\text{the cube} \xrightarrow{\text{render}} C \equiv T(\text{cube})$$

$$C \equiv [\lambda P \lambda Q [\exists x [\underbrace{\forall y (P(y) \leftrightarrow x = y)}_{\text{uniqueness}} \wedge Q(x)]]](\text{cube}) \quad (50b)$$

$$\models D \equiv \lambda Q [\exists x [\underbrace{\forall y (\text{cube}(y) \leftrightarrow x = y)}_{\text{uniqueness}} \wedge Q(x)]] \quad (50c)$$

(from (50b) by β -reduction)

$$\Phi \equiv \text{The cube is large} \xrightarrow{\text{render}} B \equiv D(\text{isLarge}) \quad (51a)$$

$$B \equiv [\lambda Q [\exists x [\underbrace{\forall y (\text{cube}(y) \leftrightarrow x = y)}_{\text{uniqueness}} \wedge Q(x)]]](\text{isLarge}) \quad (51b)$$

$$\models \exists x [\underbrace{\forall y (\text{cube}(y) \leftrightarrow x = y)}_{\text{uniqueness}} \wedge \text{isLarge}(x)] \quad (51c)$$

(from (51b) by β -reduction)

Example: rendering of the definite article “the”

Option 1

- Rendering the definite article “the” to a constant:

$$\text{the} \xrightarrow{\text{render}} \text{the} \in \text{Consts}_{((\tilde{e} \rightarrow \tilde{t}) \rightarrow \tilde{e})} \quad (52)$$

- together with the following denotation of the constant *the* requiring “uniqueness” of the denoted object having the property \bar{p} in s_0 :

$$[(\text{den}(\text{the}))(g)](\bar{p})(s_0) = \begin{cases} y, & \text{if } y \text{ is the unique } y \in \mathbb{T}_e, \\ & \text{for which } \bar{p}(s \mapsto y)(s_0) = 1 \\ \text{er,} & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \quad (53)$$

i.e., there is no unique entity
that has the property \bar{p} in s_0

for every $\bar{p} \in \mathbb{T}_{(\tilde{e} \rightarrow \tilde{t})}$ and every $s_0 \in \mathbb{T}_s$

There are other possibilities for rendering the definite article “the”, e.g., see Loukanova [13].

Option 3: the definite determiner “the” and descriptors:

Underspecification

We can render “the” to A_1 or $\text{cf}(A_1)$, underspecified for p :

$$\text{the} \xrightarrow{\text{render}} A_1 \equiv (q \text{ s.t. } \{ \text{unique}(p)(q) \}) : \tilde{e} \quad (54a)$$

$$\text{the} \xrightarrow{\text{render}} \text{cf}(A_1) \equiv (q \text{ s.t. } \{ U \}) \text{ where } \{ U := \text{unique}(p)(q) \} \quad (54b)$$

$$p \in \text{RecV}_{(\tilde{e} \rightarrow \tilde{t})}, q \in \text{RecV}_{\tilde{e}}, \text{ by (st1) from (54a)} \quad (54c)$$

- q is the unique object having the property p , whoever it turns to be, by the predication $\text{unique}(p)(q)$

$$\text{the cube} \xrightarrow{\text{render}} \text{cf}(A_2) : \tilde{e} \quad (55a)$$

$$A_2 \equiv (q \text{ s.t. } \{ \text{unique}(p)(q) \}) \text{ where } \{ p := \text{cube} \} \quad (55b)$$

$$\Rightarrow_{\text{cf}} \text{cf}(A_2) \equiv (q \text{ s.t. } \{ U \}) \text{ where } \{ U := \text{unique}(p)(q), \\ p := \text{cube} \} \quad (55c)$$

by (st1), (head), from (55b)

$$\text{The cube is large} \xrightarrow{\text{render}} \text{cf}(A_3) : \tilde{\mathbf{t}} \quad (56a)$$

$$A_3 \equiv \text{large}(p) \left((q \text{ s.t. } \{ \text{unique}(p)(q) \}) \text{ where } \{ p := \text{cube} \} \right) \quad (56b)$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{large}(p)(Q) \text{ where } \{ Q := [(q \text{ s.t. } \{ \text{unique}(p)(q) \}) \text{ where } \{ p := \text{cube} \}] \} \quad (56c)$$

by (ap), from (56b)

$$\Rightarrow_{\text{cf}} \text{cf}(A_3) \equiv \text{large}(p)(Q) \text{ where } \{ Q := (q \text{ s.t. } \{ U \}), U := \text{unique}(p)(q), p := \text{cube} \} \quad (56d)$$

by (st1), (wh-comp), (B-S), from (55c), (56c)

Algorithmic Pattern: definite descriptors in predicative statements: Opt3

$$A \equiv L(Q) \text{ where } \{ Q := (q \text{ s.t. } \{ U \}), U := \text{unique}(p)(q) \} \quad (57a)$$

$$p, q, L \in \text{FreeV}(A), p \in \text{RecV}_{(\tilde{\mathbf{e}} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathbf{t}})}, q \in \text{RecV}_{\tilde{\mathbf{e}}}, \quad (57b)$$

$$Q \in \text{RecV}_{\tilde{\mathbf{e}}}, U \in \text{RecV}_{\tilde{\mathbf{t}}}, L \in \text{RecV}_{(\tilde{\mathbf{e}} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathbf{t}})} \quad (57c)$$

$$\text{The number } n \text{ is odd} \xrightarrow{\text{render}} \text{cf}(A_4) : \tilde{t} \quad (58a)$$

$$A_4 \equiv \text{isOdd} \left((q \text{ s.t. } \{ \text{unique}(N)(q), p(q) \}) \text{ where } \{ \right. \quad (58b)$$

$$\left. q := n, p := \text{number}, N := \text{named-}n \} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow_{\text{cf}} \text{cf}(A_4) \equiv \text{isOdd}(Q) \text{ where } \{ Q := (q \text{ s.t. } \{ U, C \}), \quad (58c)$$

$$U := \text{unique}(N)(q), C := p(q),$$

$$q := n, p := \text{number}, N := \text{named-}n \}$$

- direct **reference**, by assignment; uniqueness and existence are consequences

$$\text{The number } n \text{ is large} \xrightarrow{\text{render}} \text{cf}(A_5) : \tilde{t} \quad (59a)$$

$$A_5 \equiv \text{isOdd} \left((q \text{ s.t. } \{ p(q) \}) \text{ where } \{ \right. \quad (59b)$$

$$\left. q := n, p := \text{number} \} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow_{\text{cf}} \text{isOdd}(Q) \text{ where } \{ Q := (q \text{ s.t. } \{ C \}), C := p(q), \quad (59c)$$

$$q := n, p := \text{number} \}$$

$$[\Phi_j]_{NP} \quad [[\Theta_L \text{ and } \Psi_N] [W_w]_{NP}]_{VP} \quad (60a)$$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{render}} \underbrace{\lambda x_j [\lambda y_w (L(y_w)(x_j) \wedge N(y_w)(x_j))(w)](j)}_{\text{algorithmic pattern with memory parameters } L, N, w, j} \quad (60b)$$

$$[[\text{The cube}]_j [\text{is } \underbrace{[\text{larger than and next to}]_{\text{adjectival coordination}}}] \quad (61a)$$

$$[[\text{its}]_j \text{predecessor}]_w]_{ADJP}]_{VP}]_S \xrightarrow{\text{render}} A \quad (61b)$$

$$A \equiv \lambda x_j [\lambda y_w (\text{larger}(y_w)(x_j) \wedge \text{nextTo}(y_w)(x_j)) (\text{predecessor}(x_j))] (\text{the}(\text{cube})) \quad (62a)$$

$$\Rightarrow_{\gamma^*} \underbrace{\lambda x_j [\lambda y_w (L''(x_j)(y_w) \wedge N''(x_j)(y_w))(w'(x_j))](j)}_{\text{algorithmic pattern with memory parameters } L'', N'', w', j} \quad (62b)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{where } \{ & L'' := \lambda x_j \lambda y_w \text{larger}(y_w)(x_j), \\ & N'' := \lambda x_j \lambda y_w \text{nextTo}(y_w)(x_j), \\ & w' := \lambda x_j \text{predecessor}(x_j), j := \text{the}(c), c := \text{cube} \} \end{aligned} \quad (62c)$$

2 x (ap) to \wedge , (ξ) for λ , (wh-comp), (recap), 2 x (ap), (B-S)

- The algorithmic semantics of (61a)–(61b), (62b)–(62c) is **predication via VP**
- The sentence (63a)–(63b) is a conjunction of propositions, i.e., a propositional conjunction
- The algorithmic semantics of (63a)–(63b) can be represented by $\text{cf}_{\gamma^*}(B)$, in (64b)–(64c), i.e., by a conjunction of propositions:
 $(L \wedge N)$

[The cube]_j is larger than [[its]_j predecessor]_w (63a)

and [it]_j is next to [it]_w $\xrightarrow{\text{render}}$ B (63b)

$B \equiv [larger(w)(j) \wedge nextTo(w)(j)]$ where $\{$
 $j := the(cube), w := predecessor(j) \}$ (64a)

$\Rightarrow_{\text{cf}_{\gamma^*}} (L \wedge N)$ where $\{L := larger(w)(j), N := nextTo(w)(j),$
 $w := predecessor(j),$ (64b)
 $j := the(c), c := cube \}$

$\equiv \text{cf}_{\gamma^*}(B)$ (64c)

Computational Syntax-Semantics of NL by using L_{ar}^λ in GCBLG

For syntax-semantics interfaces of Natural Language (NL), I employ:

- **Generalised Constraint-Based Lexicalized Grammar (GCBLG)**, see [7]
GCBLG covers a variety of computational grammars, by representing major, common syntactic characteristics of a class of approaches to computational grammar, e.g.:
 - Head-Driven Phrase Structure Grammar (HPSG) [18]
<https://langsci-press.org/catalog/book/478>
 - Lexical Functional Grammar (LFG) [1]
 - Categorical Grammar (CG) [2, 15]
 - Grammatical Framework (GF) [4] (tentatively)

Algorithms for Computing Denotations of Terms

Algorithmic Syntax-Semantics of L_{ar}^λ (L_r^λ) and Natural Language

$$\underbrace{\text{Syntax of } L_{ar}^\lambda (L_r^\lambda) \implies \text{Algorithms for Computations} \implies \text{Denotations}}_{\text{Semantics of } L_{ar}^\lambda (L_r^\lambda)} \quad (65)$$

$$\underbrace{\text{Computational Syntax of NL}}_{\text{Computational Grammar}} \xrightarrow{\text{render}} L_{ar}^\lambda \quad (66)$$

$$\underbrace{\text{Computational Syntax of NL}}_{\text{Computational Grammar: Syntax-Semantics Interface}} \xrightarrow{\text{render}} L_{ar}^\lambda \quad (67)$$

Computational Syntax-Semantics of NL by using L_{ar}^λ in GCBLG

Generalised Constraint-Based Lexicalized Grammar (GCBLG) covers major syntactic categories of natural language, by linguistically motivated generalizations.

- The syntactic information is distributed among a hierarchy of types
- **typed feature-value descriptions:** Feature-Value Logics; Attribute-Value (ATV) Matrices
- The semantic representation in syntax-semantics composition and interface, is by the feature `SEM` and its recursive values

`SEM` has typed values that encode recursion terms of L_{ar}^λ , alternatively, of `DTTSitInfo`

- Efficient and effective, computational rendering of NL expressions to γ^* -canonical forms, see Loukanova [6, 9, 8]

Computational Syntax-Semantics of NL by using L_{ar}^λ in GCBLG

Computational Grammar with Syntax-Semantics and Underspecification

For a given NL expression ϕ , its grammar analysis Φ , includes **syntax-semantics** interface, throughout its constituents

$$\Phi \xrightarrow{\text{render}} A \equiv \text{cf}_\gamma(A) \quad (68)$$

Motivation for Type Theory L_{ar}^λ and Outlook

- L_{ar}^λ provides Computational Semantics with:
 - greater **semantic distinctions** than type-theoretic semantics by λ -calculi, e.g., in Montagovian grammars
- L_{ar}^λ provides **Parametric Algorithms**
Parameters can be instantiated depending on:
 - classes and sets of specific parts of speech, e.g., nouns, NPs, verbs, properties, relations, etc.
 - representing **major semantic ambiguities and underspecification** [6], at the object level of the formal language of L_{ar}^λ , without meta-language variables
- L_{ar}^λ with logical operators and pure quantifiers can be used for:
 - Proof-theoretic computational semantics and reasoning
 - Inferences of semantic information
 - Canonical forms can be used by automatic provers and proof assistants

Looking Forward!

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