Proof Checker Notes

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Syntax Grammar

(types)
$$\tau := bool \mid \tau \to \tau \mid nat \mid list \tau$$

(hypotheses) A, B ::= $\top \mid \bot \mid A \land B \mid A \lor B \mid A \supset B \mid \forall x : \tau . A \mid \exists x : \tau . A \mid t = t : \tau$
(terms) e, t ::= $x \mid tt \mid true \mid false \mid [\] \mid t :: t \mid zero \mid suc(t)$
(term context) $\psi ::= . \mid \psi, x : \tau$
 $\psi \vdash t : \tau$
 $\psi \vdash A prop$

$$\psi$$
 \vdash A prop

Specification rules of terms typing and hypotheses

2.1 Terms

Natural Numbers:

$$\frac{\psi \vdash \text{zero : nat}}{\psi \vdash \text{suc(t) : nat}} \quad \text{(nat-suc-n)}$$

Booleans:

$$\overline{\psi \vdash \text{true : bool}}$$
 (bool-true) $\overline{\psi \vdash \text{false : bool}}$ (bool-false)

Lists:

$$\frac{\psi \vdash [\] : \text{list t}}{\psi \vdash [\] : \text{list t}} \quad \text{(list-nil)} \qquad \frac{\psi \vdash \mathsf{t}' : \mathsf{t}}{\psi \vdash \mathsf{t}' : \mathsf{t}'' : \text{list t}} \quad \text{(list-cons)}$$

Variables:

$$\frac{x:\tau\in\psi}{\psi\vdash x:\tau} \quad \text{(var)}$$

Application:

$$\frac{\psi \vdash \mathsf{t} : \tau \to \tau' \qquad \psi \vdash \mathsf{t}' : \tau}{\psi \vdash \mathsf{t} \; \mathsf{t}' : \tau'} \quad (\mathsf{app})$$

2.2 Propositions

Truth and Falsity Propositions:

$$\frac{}{\psi \vdash \top \operatorname{prop}} \quad (\top \operatorname{-prop}) \qquad \qquad \frac{}{\psi \vdash \bot \operatorname{prop}} \quad (\bot \operatorname{-prop})$$

Binary Relation Propositions:

$$\frac{\psi \vdash A \text{ prop} \qquad \psi \vdash B \text{ prop}}{\psi \vdash A \land B \text{ prop}} \quad (\land\text{-prop})$$

$$\frac{\psi \vdash A \operatorname{prop} \qquad \psi \vdash B \operatorname{prop}}{\psi \vdash A \lor B \operatorname{prop}} \quad (\lor \operatorname{-prop})$$

$$\frac{\psi \vdash A \text{ prop} \qquad \psi \vdash B \text{ prop}}{\psi \vdash A \supset B \text{ prop}} \quad (\supset \text{-prop})$$

$$\frac{\psi \vdash t: \tau \qquad \psi \vdash t': \tau}{\psi \vdash (t = t': \tau) \text{ prop}} \quad \text{(eq-prop)}$$

Quantifier Propositions:

$$\frac{\psi, x : \tau \vdash A \text{ prop}}{\psi \vdash \forall x : \tau. A \text{ prop}} \quad (\forall \text{-prop})$$

$$\frac{\psi, x : \tau \vdash A \text{ prop}}{\psi \vdash \exists x : \tau. A \text{ prop}} \quad (\exists \text{-prop})$$

3 Implementation rules for type inference and checking

3.1 Syntax grammar

(infer)
$$e := x \mid e v \mid true \mid false \mid zero \mid suc(e)$$

(check) $v := v :: v \mid nil \mid e$

Type Inferece Rule:

$$\bar{\psi} \vdash \bar{t} \Rightarrow \bar{\tau}$$

Type Checking Rule:

$$\bar{\psi} \vdash \bar{t} \Leftarrow \bar{\tau}$$

3.2 Term type inference

Variables:

$$\frac{x:\tau\in\psi}{\psi\vdash x\Rightarrow\tau}\quad \text{(var)}$$

Application:

$$\frac{\psi \vdash \mathsf{t} \Rightarrow \tau \to \tau' \qquad \psi \vdash \mathsf{t'} \Leftarrow \tau}{\psi \vdash \mathsf{t} \; \mathsf{t'} \Rightarrow \tau'} \quad \text{(app)}$$

Natural Numbers:

$$\frac{\psi \vdash \text{zero} \Rightarrow \text{nat}}{\psi \vdash \text{zero} \Rightarrow \text{nat}} \quad \text{(nat-zero)} \qquad \frac{\psi \vdash \text{t} \Leftarrow \text{nat}}{\psi \vdash \text{suc(t)} \Rightarrow \text{nat}} \quad \text{(nat-suc-n)}$$

Booleans: $\frac{}{\psi \vdash \mathsf{true} \Rightarrow \mathsf{bool}} \quad \mathsf{(bool\text{-}true)} \qquad \frac{}{\psi \vdash \mathsf{false} \Rightarrow \mathsf{bool}} \quad \mathsf{(bool\text{-}false)}$

3.3 Term type checking

Lists:

$$\frac{}{\psi \vdash [\;] \Leftarrow \text{list t}} \quad \text{(list-nil)} \qquad \frac{\psi \vdash t' \Leftarrow t \qquad \psi \vdash t'' \Leftarrow \text{list t}}{\psi \vdash t' :: t'' \Leftarrow \text{list t}} \quad \text{(list-cons)}$$

Inference Case:

$$\frac{\psi \vdash t \Rightarrow \tau' \qquad \tau = \tau'}{\psi \vdash t \Leftarrow \tau} \quad (app)$$

3.4 Propositions type checking

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3.5 Function signatures

infer_term : $\psi \to {\mathsf t} \to {\mathsf \tau}$ option

check_term : $\psi \to t \to \tau \to unit option$ check_prop : $\psi \to A \to unit option$

val infer_term : ctx -> term -> tp option

val check_term : ctx -> term -> tp -> unit option

val check_prop : ctx -> prop -> unit option

4 Well-formedness of proofs

4.1 Syntax grammar

$$(proofs) \quad p\,,q \quad ::= \quad by\,H \\ \quad \mid \quad (p\,,q) \\ \quad \mid \quad let\,(H',H'') = H\,in\,p \\ \quad \mid \quad (p\,,q)\,\text{either} \\ \quad \mid \quad match\ [H]\ : \quad (A \lor B) \text{ with } (\\ \quad \mid \quad A\ [H']\ : \ p \to C \\ \quad \mid \quad B\ [H'']\ : \ q \to C\,) \\ \\ (hypotheses\,context) \quad \Gamma \quad ::= \quad \cdot \\ \quad \mid \quad \Gamma\,,H\,:\,A \\ \quad \mid \quad Assume\,A\,[\,H\,]\,,p \\ \\ \psi\,,\Gamma \quad \vdash p\,:\,A \\ \quad \psi \quad \vdash \Gamma$$

4.2 Rules

Truth and Falsity:

$$\frac{}{\psi;\Gamma\vdash\top:C}\quad (\top R)\qquad \qquad \frac{}{\psi;\Gamma,H:\bot\vdash\mathsf{match}\,H\,\mathsf{with}\,\bot:C}\quad (\bot L)$$

Conjunction:

$$\frac{\psi; \Gamma, H: A \land B, H': A, H'': B \vdash p: C}{\psi; \Gamma, H: A \land B \vdash \text{let } (H', H'') = H \text{ in } p} \quad (\land L)$$

$$\frac{\psi;\Gamma\vdash p:A\qquad \psi;\Gamma\vdash q:B}{\psi;\Gamma\vdash (p,q):A\wedge B}\quad (\land R)$$

Disjunction:

$$\frac{\psi; \Gamma, H: A \vee B, H': A \vdash p: C \qquad \psi; \Gamma, H: A \vee B, H'': B \vdash q: C}{\psi; \Gamma, H: A \vee B \vdash \text{match } [H] \text{ with } (A [H']: p \mid B [H'']: q): C} \quad (\lor L)$$

$$\frac{\psi; \Gamma \vdash p : A}{\psi; \Gamma \vdash \text{Left } p : A \lor B} \quad (\lor R_1)$$

$$\frac{\psi;\Gamma\vdash q:B}{\psi;\Gamma\vdash \text{Right }q:A\vee B}\quad (\vee R_2)$$

Implication:

$$\frac{\psi; \Gamma, H : A \supset B \vdash p : A \qquad \psi; \Gamma, H : A \supset B, H' : B \vdash q : C}{\psi; \Gamma, H : A \supset B \vdash (p, B [H']) \text{ via } H, q) : C} \quad (\supset L)$$

$$\frac{\psi; \Gamma, H : A \vdash p : B}{\psi; \Gamma \vdash (Assume A [H], p) : A \supset B} \quad (\supset R)$$

Using hypotheses:

$$\psi$$
; Γ , $[H]$: $A \vdash by H : A$ (by)

$$\frac{\psi; \Gamma \vdash p : A}{\psi; \Gamma \vdash p \text{ Therefore A : A}} \quad \text{(therefore)}$$

4.3 Function signature

$$\texttt{check_proof} \; : \quad \psi \to \Gamma \to \; \mathsf{P} \; \to \; \mathsf{A} \; \to \; \mathsf{unit} \; \mathsf{option}$$

5 Dealing with quantifiers

5.1 Rules

Existentials:

$$\frac{\psi; \Gamma \vdash t : \tau \qquad \psi; \Gamma \vdash p : [x \mapsto t] A}{\psi; \Gamma \vdash \text{Choose } t ; p : \exists x : \tau.A} \quad (\exists R)$$

$$\frac{\psi, y: \tau; \Gamma, H: \exists x: \tau.A, H': [x \mapsto y]A \vdash p: C}{\psi; \Gamma, H: \exists x: \tau.A \vdash \text{let } (y, H') = H \text{ in } p: C} \quad (\exists L)$$

Universals:

$$\frac{\psi, y : \tau; \Gamma, \vdash p : [x \mapsto y] A}{\psi; \Gamma \vdash \text{Assume } y : \tau \cdot p : \forall x : \tau.A} \quad (\forall R)$$

$$\frac{\psi;\Gamma\vdash t:\tau\qquad \psi;\Gamma\,,H:\forall x:\tau\,.\,A\,,H':[x\mapsto t]\,A\vdash p:C}{\psi;\Gamma,H:\forall x:\tau\,.\,A\vdash \text{let }H'=H\text{ with }t\text{ in }p:C} \quad (\forall\;L)$$

5.2 Substituting terms into variables

6 α-equivalence

6.1 Terms

Variables:

$$\overline{x \equiv x}$$
 (var \equiv)

Booleans:

$$\overline{\text{true} \equiv \text{true}}$$
 (bool-true \equiv) $\overline{\text{false} \equiv \text{false}}$ (bool-false \equiv)

Natural Numbers:

$$\overline{\text{zero} \equiv \text{zero}}$$
 (nat-zero \equiv) $\frac{\text{t} \equiv \text{t'}}{\text{suc(t)} \equiv \text{suc(t')}}$ (nat-suc-n \equiv)

Lists:

Application:

$$\frac{e \equiv e' \qquad v \equiv v'}{e \ v \equiv e' \ v'} \quad \text{(var} \equiv \text{)}$$

6.2 Propositions

Truth and Falsity:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & & & \\ \hline \top \equiv \top & & (\top \equiv) & & \hline \bot \equiv \bot & (\bot \equiv) \end{array}$$

Binary Relations:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \underline{A \equiv A' & B \equiv B'} \\ \hline A \wedge B \equiv A' \wedge B' & (\wedge \equiv) \end{array}$$

$$\frac{A \equiv A' \qquad B \equiv B'}{A \vee B \equiv A' \vee B'} \quad (\vee \equiv)$$

$$\begin{array}{c|c} \underline{A \equiv A' & B \equiv B'} \\ \hline A \supset B \equiv A' \supset B' & (\supset \equiv) \end{array}$$

Equality:

$$\frac{t_1 \equiv t_1' \qquad t_2 \equiv t_2' \qquad \tau \equiv \tau'}{(t_1 = t_2 : \tau) \equiv (t_1' = t_2' : \tau')} \quad (=\equiv)$$

Quantifiers:

$$\frac{ \text{ } \forall \, z \, . \, \text{B} \, [x \mapsto z] \equiv \text{B'} \, [y \mapsto z] \qquad \tau \equiv \tau'}{\exists x : \tau . \, \text{B} \equiv \exists y : \tau' . \, \text{B'}} \quad (\exists \equiv)$$

$$\frac{\forall z . B [x \mapsto z] \equiv B' [y \mapsto z] \qquad \tau \equiv \tau'}{\forall x : \tau . B \equiv \forall y : \tau' . B'} \qquad (\forall \equiv)$$

6.3 Swapping variable names