

- 1.1 Prove by structural induction on abstract syntax trees that if  $\mathcal{X} \subseteq \mathcal{Y}$ , then  $\mathcal{A}[\mathcal{X}] \subseteq \mathcal{A}[\mathcal{Y}]$

*Proof.* Any variables in  $\mathcal{A}[\mathcal{X}]$  is also a valid variable in  $\mathcal{A}[\mathcal{Y}]$  since  $\mathcal{X} \subseteq \mathcal{Y}$ . And for the inductive case, Let  $o(a_1, \dots, a_n)$  be a valid AST in  $\mathcal{A}[\mathcal{X}]$ . If  $a_1 \in \mathcal{A}[\mathcal{X}], \dots, a_n \in \mathcal{A}[\mathcal{X}]$ , by induction hypothesis  $a_1 \in \mathcal{A}[\mathcal{Y}], \dots, a_n \in \mathcal{A}[\mathcal{Y}]$ , which means that  $o(a_1, \dots, a_n)$  is also a valid AST in  $\mathcal{A}[\mathcal{Y}]$ . Thus, by structural induction, if  $\mathcal{X} \subseteq \mathcal{Y}$ , then  $\mathcal{A}[\mathcal{X}] \subseteq \mathcal{A}[\mathcal{Y}]$ .

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