

A PROGRAMMING LANGUAGE DEFINITIONS

The programming languages used throughout the paper mostly follows the presentation in the book *Types and Programming Languages* by [Pierce \[2002\]](#) with minor changes. In particular, italics are used for metavariables and the axioms in the reduction (evaluation) rules and typing rules are shown with explicitly empty premises.

A.1 UntypedLambda

Figure 21 shows the syntax and evaluation rules for the untyped lambda calculus by [Church \[1936, 1941\]](#), that we have referred to as `UNTYPEDLAMBDA`. This language is used in Sections 2.1, 2.2, and 3.1.

Syntax

$t ::=$	terms:
x	variable
$ \lambda x. t$	abstraction
$ t t$	application
$v ::=$	values:
$\lambda x. t$	

Evaluation

$\frac{}{(\lambda x. t_{12}) v_2 \longrightarrow [x \mapsto v_2] t_{12}}$	E-APPABS
$\frac{t_1 \longrightarrow t'_1}{t_1 t_2 \longrightarrow t'_1 t_2}$	E-APP1
$\frac{t_2 \longrightarrow t'_2}{v_1 t_2 \longrightarrow v_1 t'_2}$	E-APP2

Fig. 21. The untyped lambda calculus (`UNTYPEDLAMBDA`).

A.2 TypedArith

We define here the language `TYPEDARITH`, used in Section 2.4. Figure 22 shows its syntax and evaluation (reduction) rules and Figure 23 shows its typing rules. The appeal of using this language to present a notional machine focused on the types is its simplicity. Terms don't require type annotations and the typing rules don't require a type environment. In fact, Pierce uses it as the simplest example of a typed language when introducing type safety.

A.3 TypedLambdaRef

In Section 2.3, we showed the language `TYPEDLAMBDAREF`, used to design a notional machine that focuses on references. This language is composed of the simply-typed lambda calculus, the `TYPEDARITH` language, tuples, the `Unit` type, sequencing, and references. Our goal is again simplicity and this is the simplest language we need for the examples in the book that use the diagram. Figure 24 shows its syntax and evaluation (reduction) rules. We show only the reduction rules for sequencing, references, and tuples because the rules for the rest of the language are similar to what we showed before, except for the store then needs to be threaded through all the rules. Although that is a typed language, we don't present its typing rules because the notional machine in Section 2.3 is focused only on its runtime behavior and not its types.

Syntax

$t ::=$	terms:
true	constant true
false	constant false
if t then t else t	conditional
0	constant zero
succ t	successor
pred t	predecessor
iszero t	zero test
$v ::=$	values:
true	
false	
nv	
$nv ::=$	numeric values:
0	
succ nv	

Evaluation

$\frac{}{\text{if true then } t_2 \text{ else } t_3 \rightarrow t_2}$	E-IFTRUE
$\frac{}{\text{if false then } t_2 \text{ else } t_3 \rightarrow t_3}$	E-IFFALSE
$\frac{t_1 \rightarrow t'_1}{\text{if } t_1 \text{ then } t_2 \text{ else } t_3 \rightarrow \text{if } t'_1 \text{ then } t_2 \text{ else } t_3}$	E-IF
$\frac{t_1 \rightarrow t'_1}{\text{succ } t_1 \rightarrow \text{succ } t'_1}$	E-SUCC
$\frac{}{\text{pred } 0 \rightarrow 0}$	E-PREDZERO
$\frac{}{\text{pred } (\text{succ } nv_1) \rightarrow nv_1}$	E-PREDSUCC
$\frac{t_1 \rightarrow t'_1}{\text{pred } t_1 \rightarrow \text{pred } t'_1}$	E-PRED
$\frac{}{\text{iszero } 0 \rightarrow \text{true}}$	E-ISZEROZERO
$\frac{}{\text{iszero } (\text{succ } nv_1) \rightarrow \text{false}}$	E-ISZEROSUCC
$\frac{t_1 \rightarrow t'_1}{\text{iszero } t_1 \rightarrow \text{iszero } t'_1}$	E-ISZERO

Fig. 22. Syntax and reduction rules of the TYPEDARITH language.

Syntax

$T ::=$ types:
Bool type of booleans
| Nat type of natural numbers

Typing rules

$$\frac{}{\text{true} : \text{Bool}} \text{T-TRUE}$$

$$\frac{}{\text{false} : \text{Bool}} \text{T-FALSE}$$

$$\frac{t_1 : \text{Bool} \quad t_2 : T \quad t_3 : T}{\text{if } t_1 \text{ then } t_2 \text{ else } t_3 : T} \text{T-IF}$$

$$\frac{}{0 : \text{Nat}} \text{T-ZERO}$$

$$\frac{t_1 : \text{Nat}}{\text{succ } t_1 : \text{Nat}} \text{T-SUCC}$$

$$\frac{t_1 : \text{Nat}}{\text{pred } t_1 : \text{Nat}} \text{T-PRED}$$

$$\frac{t_1 : \text{Nat}}{\text{iszero } t_1 : \text{Bool}} \text{T-ISZERO}$$

Fig. 23. Syntax of types and typing rules of the TYPEDARITH language.

Syntax

$t ::=$	terms:
x	variable
$\lambda x : T. t$	abstraction
$t \ t$	application
true	boolean true
false	boolean false
0	zero
$\text{succ } t$	successor
$\text{pred } t$	predecessor
$\text{iszero } t$	zero test
unit	unit constant
$t; t$	sequence
$\text{ref } t$	reference creation
$!t$	dereference
$t := t$	assignment
l	location
$\{t_i^{i \in 1..n}\}$	tuple
$t.i$	projection
$v ::=$	values:
$\lambda x : T. t$	
true	
false	
0	
$\text{succ } v$	
unit	
l	
$\{v_i^{i \in 1..n}\}$	
$T ::=$	types:
$T \rightarrow T$	function type
Bool	boolean type
Nat	natural number type
Unit	unit type
$\text{Ref } T$	reference type
$\{T_i^{i \in 1..n}\}$	tuple type
$\mu ::=$	store:
\emptyset	empty store
$\mu, l \mapsto v$	location binding

Evaluation

$\frac{t_1 \mu \rightarrow t'_1 \mu'}{t_1; t_2 \mu \rightarrow t'_1; t_2 \mu'} \text{E-SEQ}$
$\frac{}{\text{unit}; t_2 \mu \rightarrow t_2 \mu} \text{E-SEQNEXT}$
$\frac{l \notin \text{dom}(\mu)}{\text{ref } v_1 \mu \rightarrow l (\mu, l \mapsto v_1)} \text{E-REFV}$
$\frac{t_1 \mu \rightarrow t'_1 \mu'}{\text{ref } t_1 \mu \rightarrow \text{ref } t'_1 \mu'} \text{E-REF}$
$\frac{\mu(l) = v}{!l \mu \rightarrow v \mu} \text{E-DEREFLOC}$
$\frac{t_1 \mu \rightarrow t'_1 \mu'}{!t_1 \mu \rightarrow !t'_1 \mu'} \text{E-DEREF}$
$\frac{}{l := v_2 \mu \rightarrow \text{unit} [l \mapsto v_2] \mu} \text{E-ASSIGN}$
$\frac{t_1 \mu \rightarrow t'_1 \mu'}{t_1 := t_2 \mu \rightarrow t'_1 := t_2 \mu'} \text{E-ASSIGN1}$
$\frac{t_2 \mu \rightarrow t'_2 \mu'}{v_1 := t_2 \mu \rightarrow v_1 := t'_2 \mu'} \text{E-ASSIGN2}$
$\frac{}{\{v_i^{i \in 1..n}\}.j \mu \rightarrow v_j \mu} \text{E-PROJTUPLE}$
$\frac{t_1 \mu \rightarrow t'_1 \mu'}{t_1.i \mu \rightarrow t'_1.i \mu'} \text{E-PROJ}$
$\frac{t_j \mu \rightarrow t'_j \mu'}{\{v_i^{i \in 1..j-1}, t_j, t_k^{k \in j+1..n}\} \mu \rightarrow \{v_i^{i \in 1..j-1}, t'_j, t_k^{k \in j+1..n}\} \mu'} \text{E-TUPLE}$

Fig. 24. TYPEDLAMBDAREF: Syntax and Evaluation