

Elaborating F_i^+ to record calculus λ^{rec}

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1 Notes

Properties (to prove) 0) Type-safety in the target calculus 1) Any well-typed source expression is translated into a well-typed target expression 2) For type index generated from (source) types, define an equivalence relations on types ($A \approx B$). $|A| = |B|$ iff $A \approx B$

Questions 0) Why \top and \perp corresponds to no type index? 1) Duplicated labels in records are unsafe in the target calculus. How to compile $1 : \text{Int} \& \text{Int}$?

Changes in λ^{rec} 0) Simplify the system, drop polymorphism, and use simple labels

2 Syntax of λ^{rec}

Target expressions	$t ::= \ell \mid b \mid x \mid \mathbf{fix} \ x.t \mid \lambda x.t \mid t_1 \ t_2 \mid \{t_1 \Rightarrow t'_1, \dots, t_n \Rightarrow t'_n\} \mid t_1.t_2 \mid t_1; t_2$
Target values	$tv, tu ::= b \mid \lambda x.t \mid \{\ell_1 \Rightarrow tv_1, \dots, \ell_n \Rightarrow tv_n\}$

Notes 0) Multi-field records are nullable. $\lambda _ .t$ denotes $\lambda x.t$ where x does not appear in t .

1) We need functions that take a type index for big lambda expressions and type applications.

2) The whole program has a record form. 3) l stands for a string.

E	$::=$	evaluation context
	$[-]$	
	$E.t$	projection
	$tv.E$	projection
	$E \ t$	
	$tv \ E$	
	$E; t$	concatenation
	$tv; E$	concatenation
	$\{\ell_1 \Rightarrow tv_1, \dots, \ell_m \Rightarrow tv_m, E \Rightarrow t, t_1 \Rightarrow t'_1, \dots, t_n \Rightarrow t'_n\}$	eval a label
	$\{\ell_1 \Rightarrow tv_1, \dots, \ell_m \Rightarrow tv_m, \ell \Rightarrow E, t_1 \Rightarrow t'_1, \dots, t_n \Rightarrow t'_n\}$	eval a field

$\boxed{t \rightarrow t'}$ (Record Calculus Structural Reduction)

TS-CTX	TS-PROJ
$\frac{t \rightarrow t'}{E[t] \rightarrow E[t']}$	$\frac{\{\ell_1, \dots, \ell_m\} \cap \{\ell\} = \emptyset \quad \{\ell'_1, \dots, \ell'_n\} \cap \{\ell\} = \emptyset}{\{\ell_1 \Rightarrow tv_1, \dots, \ell_m \Rightarrow tv_m, \ell \Rightarrow tv, \ell'_1 \Rightarrow tv'_1, \dots, \ell'_n \Rightarrow tv'_n\}.\ell \rightarrow tv}$
TS-CONCAT	
$\frac{\{\ell_1, \dots, \ell_m\} \cap \{\ell'_1, \dots, \ell'_n\} = \emptyset}{\{\ell_1 \Rightarrow tv_1, \dots, \ell_m \Rightarrow tv_m\}; \{\ell'_1 \Rightarrow t'_1, \dots, \ell'_n \Rightarrow t'_n\} \rightarrow \{\ell_1 \Rightarrow tv_1, \dots, \ell_m \Rightarrow tv_m, \ell'_1 \Rightarrow t'_1, \dots, \ell'_n \Rightarrow t'_n\}}$	
TS-BETA	TS-FIX
$\frac{}{\lambda x.t \ tv \rightarrow t[x \mapsto tv]}$	$\frac{}{\mathbf{fix} \ x.t \rightarrow t[x \mapsto \mathbf{fix} \ x.t]}$

Problems 0) To achieve a safe language, we need to check the projected label is unique in TS-proj.

1) The side-condition in rule TS-concat does not guarantee the original types are disjoint. E.g. $\{\text{Int} \Rightarrow b_1, \text{Bool} \Rightarrow b_2\}; \{\text{Int} \ \& \ \text{Bool} \Rightarrow b_3\}$

2) Regarding efficiency, the time cost of concatenation is high.

3 Syntax of F_i^+

Types	$A, B, C ::= \top \mid \perp \mid \mathbb{B} \mid X \mid A \rightarrow B \mid \forall X * A. B \mid \{\ell : A\} \mid A \& B$
Type indices	$T ::= \mathbb{B} \mid \vec{T} \mid T^\forall \mid \{\ell : T\} \mid T_1 \& T_2$
Expressions	$e ::= \{\} \mid b \mid x \mid \mathbf{fix} \, x : A. e \mid \lambda x : A. e : B \mid e_1 \, e_2 \mid \Lambda X * A. e : B \mid e \, A \mid \{\ell = e\} \mid e.\ell$ $\mid e_1 \,, e_2 \mid e : A$
Values	$v ::= \{\} \mid b \mid \lambda x : A. e : B \mid \Lambda X * A. e : B \mid \{\ell = v\} \mid v_1 \,, v_2$

3.1 Mapping between source types and target values

$A \& B$	$\{ A \Rightarrow t_1, B \Rightarrow t_2\}$
\top	$\{\}$
\perp	
\mathbb{B}	$\{\mathbb{B} \Rightarrow b\}$
X	$\{X \Rightarrow t\}$ (not a value)
$A \rightarrow B$	$\{\vec{ B } \Rightarrow \lambda x.t\}$
$\forall X * A. B$	$\{ B ^\forall \Rightarrow \lambda X.t\}$
$\{\ell : A\}$	$\{\{\ell : A \} \Rightarrow \lambda _ . t\}$

3.2 Elaboration rules

1) All top-like values are translated into empty lists.

ELA-TOP	ELA-TOPABS	ELA-TOPTABS
$\frac{}{\Gamma \vdash \mathbf{top} \Rightarrow \top \rightsquigarrow \{\}}$	$\frac{}{\Gamma \vdash \lambda x : A. e : B \Rightarrow A \rightarrow B \rightsquigarrow \{\}}$	$\frac{}{\Gamma \vdash \Lambda X * A. e : B \Rightarrow \forall X * A. B \rightsquigarrow \{\}}$
	ELA-TOPRCD	
	$\frac{\Gamma \vdash e \Rightarrow A \rightsquigarrow t \quad \vec{ A }}{\Gamma \vdash \{\ell = e\} \Rightarrow \{\ell : A\} \rightsquigarrow \{\}}$	

2) All basic values (that are not merges) are translated into single-field records.

ELA-BASE	ELA-ABS
$\frac{}{\Gamma \vdash b \Rightarrow \mathbb{B} \rightsquigarrow \{\mathbb{B} \Rightarrow b\}}$	$\frac{\Gamma, x : A \vdash e \Leftarrow B \rightsquigarrow t}{\Gamma \vdash \lambda x : A. e : B \Rightarrow A \rightarrow B \rightsquigarrow \{\vec{ B } \Rightarrow \lambda x.t\}}$
ELA-TABS	ELA-RCD
$\frac{\Gamma, X * A \vdash e \Leftarrow B \rightsquigarrow t}{\Gamma \vdash \Lambda X * A. e : B \Rightarrow \forall X * A. B \rightsquigarrow \{ B ^\forall \Rightarrow \lambda X.t\}}$	$\frac{\Gamma \vdash e \Rightarrow A \rightsquigarrow t}{\Gamma \vdash \{\ell = e\} \Rightarrow \{\ell : A\} \rightsquigarrow \{\{\ell : A \} \Rightarrow \lambda _ . t\}}$

3) Variables are directly used (unwrap the thunk) and merged terms are simply concatenated, with the expectation that $\cdot \vdash e \Rightarrow A \rightsquigarrow t$ implies $t \rightarrow^* \{|A| \Rightarrow t'\}$ (or a multi-field record) (i.e. the variable will be substituted by a term of this exact type).

$$\begin{array}{c}
\text{ELA-VAR} \\
\frac{x : A \in \Gamma}{\Gamma \vdash x \Rightarrow A \rightsquigarrow x \{ \}} \\
\\
\text{ELA-MERGE} \\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash e_1 \Rightarrow A \rightsquigarrow t_1 \quad \Gamma \vdash e_2 \Rightarrow B \rightsquigarrow t_2}{\Gamma \vdash A * B} \\
\frac{}{\Gamma \vdash e_1 ,, e_2 \Rightarrow A \& B \rightsquigarrow t_1; t_2}
\end{array}$$

4) Projection, application, and type application make use of the property that every translated subterms are records. Application is lazy.

$$\begin{array}{c}
\text{ELA-APP} \\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash e_1 \Rightarrow A \rightsquigarrow t_1 \quad A \triangleright B \rightarrow C \quad \Gamma \vdash e_2 \Leftarrow B \rightsquigarrow t_2}{\Gamma \vdash e_1 e_2 \Rightarrow C \rightsquigarrow t_3} \\
\\
\text{ELA-TAPP} \\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash e \Rightarrow B \rightsquigarrow t_1 \quad B \triangleright \forall X * C_1. C_2 \quad \Gamma \vdash A * C_1 \quad t_1 : B; \mathbf{itoa}(A) \rightsquigarrow t_3}{\Gamma \vdash e A \Rightarrow C_2[X \mapsto A] \rightsquigarrow t_3} \\
\\
\text{ELA-PROJ} \\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash e \Rightarrow A \rightsquigarrow t_1 \quad A \triangleright \{ \ell : B \} \quad t_1 : A; \{ \} \rightsquigarrow t_2}{\Gamma \vdash e. \ell \Rightarrow B \rightsquigarrow t_1}
\end{array}$$

5) Annotated expressions, like fixpoints, rely on the subsumption rule to insert coercions. The coerced expression always evaluates to a record.

$$\begin{array}{c}
\text{ELA-ANNO} \\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash e \Leftarrow A \rightsquigarrow t}{\Gamma \vdash e : A \Rightarrow A \rightsquigarrow t} \\
\\
\text{ELA-FIX} \\
\frac{\Gamma, x : A \vdash e \Leftarrow A \rightsquigarrow t}{\Gamma \vdash \mathbf{fix} x : A. e \Rightarrow A \rightsquigarrow \mathbf{fix} x. t} \\
\\
\text{ELA-SUB} \\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash e \Rightarrow A \rightsquigarrow t_1 \quad t_1 : A <: B \rightsquigarrow t_2}{\Gamma \vdash e \Leftarrow B \rightsquigarrow t_2}
\end{array}$$

3.3 Coercions

$$\begin{array}{l}
x : \text{Int} \& \text{Bool} <: \text{Int} \rightsquigarrow \{ \text{Int} \Rightarrow x. \text{Int} \} \\
x : \text{Int} \& \text{Bool} <: \text{Bool} \& \text{Int} \rightsquigarrow \{ \text{Bool} \Rightarrow x. \text{Bool} \}; \{ \text{Int} \Rightarrow x. \text{Int} \} \\
x : \mathbb{B} \rightarrow \text{Int} \& \text{Bool} <: \mathbb{B} \rightarrow \text{Int} \& \text{Bool} \rightsquigarrow \{ (\text{Int} \& \text{Bool}) \Rightarrow \lambda y. (x. \overrightarrow{\text{Int}}) y; (x. \overrightarrow{\text{Bool}}) y \}
\end{array}$$

Problems 1) Derivation of subtyping is not unique. No type well-formedness, no coherence.
2) The algorithm is against the effort we put in typing application. As types are split whenever possible, functions are duplicated (and merged afterwards).
3) ~~It is strange that the domain of arrow types has no effect to coercion generation.~~

$$\boxed{t_1 : A <: B \rightsquigarrow t_2} \quad (\text{Coercive subtyping})$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
\text{S-TOP} \\
\frac{B^\circ \quad \lceil B \rceil}{t : A <: B \rightsquigarrow \{ \}} \\
\\
\text{S-BASE} \\
\frac{}{t : \mathbb{B} <: \mathbb{B} \rightsquigarrow \{ \mathbb{B} \Rightarrow t. \mathbb{B} \}} \\
\\
\text{S-ALL} \\
\frac{B_2^\circ \quad B_1 <: A_1 \quad (t. |A_2|^\forall) X : A_2 <: B_2 \rightsquigarrow t_2}{t : \forall X * A_1. A_2 <: \forall X * B_1. B_2 \rightsquigarrow \{ |B_2|^\forall \Rightarrow \lambda X. t_2 \}} \\
\\
\text{S-ARROW} \\
\frac{B_2^\circ \quad x \{ \} : B_1 <: A_1 \rightsquigarrow t_1 \quad (t. |A_2|) (\lambda _ . t_1) : A_2 <: B_2 \rightsquigarrow t_2}{t : A_1 \rightarrow A_2 <: B_1 \rightarrow B_2 \rightsquigarrow \{ |B_2| \Rightarrow \lambda x. t_2 \}} \\
\\
\text{S-RCD} \\
\frac{B^\circ \quad t. \{ \ell : |A| \} \{ \} : A <: B \rightsquigarrow t_2}{t : \{ \ell : A \} <: \{ \ell : B \} \rightsquigarrow \{ \{ \ell : |B| \} \Rightarrow t_2 \}} \\
\\
\text{S-SPLIT} \\
\frac{B_1 \triangleleft B \triangleright B_2 \quad t : A <: B_1 \rightsquigarrow t_1 \quad t : A <: B_2 \rightsquigarrow t_2 \quad t_1 : B_1 \triangleright B \triangleleft t_2 : B_2 \rightsquigarrow t_3}{t : A <: B \rightsquigarrow t_3} \\
\\
\text{S-ANDL} \\
\frac{C^\circ \quad t : A <: C \rightsquigarrow t'}{t : A \& B <: C \rightsquigarrow t'} \\
\\
\text{S-ANDR} \\
\frac{C^\circ \quad t : B <: C \rightsquigarrow t'}{t : A \& B <: C \rightsquigarrow t'}
\end{array}$$

$$\boxed{t_1 : A \triangleright C \triangleleft t_2 : B \rightsquigarrow t}$$

(Coercive merging)

$$\begin{array}{c}
\text{M-AND} \\
\hline
t_1 : A \triangleright A \& B \triangleleft t_2 : B \rightsquigarrow x; y
\end{array}
\qquad
\begin{array}{c}
\text{M-ARROW} \\
\hline
(t_1. \overrightarrow{|B_1|}) x : B_1 \triangleright B \triangleleft (t_2. \overrightarrow{|B_2|}) x : B_2 \rightsquigarrow t \\
\hline
t_1 : A \rightarrow B_1 \triangleright A \rightarrow B \triangleleft t_2 : A \rightarrow B_2 \rightsquigarrow \{\overrightarrow{|B|} \Rightarrow \lambda x. t\}
\end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
\text{M-ALL} \\
\hline
(t_1. |B_1|^{\forall}) x : B_1 \triangleright B \triangleleft (t_2. |B_2|^{\forall}) x : B_2 \rightsquigarrow t \\
\hline
t_1 : \forall X * A. B_1 \triangleright \forall X * A. B \triangleleft t_2 : \forall X * A. B_2 \rightsquigarrow \{|B|^{\forall} \Rightarrow \lambda x. t\}
\end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
\text{M-RCD} \\
\hline
(t_1. \{\ell : |A_1|\}) \{\} : A_1 \triangleright A \triangleleft (t_2. \{\ell : |A_2|\}) \{\} : A_2 \rightsquigarrow t \\
\hline
t_1 : \{\ell : A_1\} \triangleright \{\ell : A\} \triangleleft t_2 : \{\ell : A_2\} \rightsquigarrow \{\{\ell : |A|\} \Rightarrow \lambda x. t\}
\end{array}$$

3.4 Auxiliary definitions

$$\boxed{|A| = T}$$

(Type translation)

$$\begin{array}{l}
|\mathbb{B}| = \mathbb{B} \qquad |X| = \mathbf{atoi}(X) \qquad |\forall X * A. B| = |B|^{\forall} \qquad |A \rightarrow B| = \overrightarrow{|B|} \qquad |\{\ell : A\}| = \{\ell : |A|\} \\
\hline
\frac{A_{k_1} < A_{k_2} < \dots < A_{k_m} \quad \neg |A_k|}{|A_1 \& A_2 \& \dots \& A_n| = |A_{k_1}| \& |A_{k_2}| \& \dots \& |A_{k_m}|}
\end{array}$$

$$\boxed{\lceil A \rceil}$$

(Top-like types)

$$\begin{array}{c}
\text{TL-TOP} \\
\hline
\overline{\lceil \top \rceil}
\end{array}
\qquad
\begin{array}{c}
\text{TL-AND} \\
\hline
\frac{\lceil A \rceil \quad \lceil B \rceil}{\lceil A \& B \rceil}
\end{array}
\qquad
\begin{array}{c}
\text{TL-ARROW} \\
\hline
\frac{\lceil B \rceil}{\lceil A \rightarrow B \rceil}
\end{array}
\qquad
\begin{array}{c}
\text{TL-ALL} \\
\hline
\frac{\lceil B \rceil}{\lceil \forall X * A. B \rceil}
\end{array}
\qquad
\begin{array}{c}
\text{TL-RCD} \\
\hline
\frac{\lceil A \rceil}{\lceil \{\ell : A\} \rceil}
\end{array}$$

$$\boxed{A^\circ}$$

(Ordinary types)

$$\begin{array}{c}
\text{O-TOP} \\
\hline
\overline{\top^\circ}
\end{array}
\qquad
\begin{array}{c}
\text{O-BOT} \\
\hline
\overline{\perp^\circ}
\end{array}
\qquad
\begin{array}{c}
\text{O-BASE} \\
\hline
\overline{\mathbb{B}^\circ}
\end{array}
\qquad
\begin{array}{c}
\text{O-VAR} \\
\hline
\overline{X^\circ}
\end{array}
\qquad
\begin{array}{c}
\text{O-ARROW} \\
B^\circ \\
\hline
\overline{(A \rightarrow B)^\circ}
\end{array}
\qquad
\begin{array}{c}
\text{O-ALL} \\
B^\circ \\
\hline
\overline{(\forall X * A. B)^\circ}
\end{array}
\qquad
\begin{array}{c}
\text{O-RCD} \\
A^\circ \\
\hline
\overline{\{\ell : A\}^\circ}
\end{array}$$