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Natural Operational Semantics of Languages **Block** and **Proc**

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Blocks and variable declarations: syntax

Extending language **While**.

Definition (Language **Block**)

$$\begin{array}{lcl}
 S & \in & \mathbf{Stm} \\
 S & ::= & x := a \mid \text{skip} \mid S; S \\
 & & \mid \text{if } b \text{ then } S \text{ else } S \text{ fi} \\
 & & \mid \text{while } b \text{ do } S \text{ od} \\
 & & \mid \text{begin } D_V \ S \text{ end}
 \end{array}$$

Definition (Syntactic category **Dec_V**)

$$D_V ::= \text{var } x; D_V \mid \text{var } x := a; D_V \mid \epsilon$$

Example of program in **Block**

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```
begin  var y := 1;
      var x := 1;
        begin  var x := 2
              y := x + 1
            end;
        x := y + x
      end
```

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Introducing Procedures in the syntax

Extending **Block** with procedure declarations.

Definition (Language **Proc**)

► Statements

$$\begin{array}{lcl}
 S & \in & \mathbf{Stm} \\
 S & ::= & x := a \mid \text{skip} \mid S_1; S_2 \\
 & & \mid \text{if } b \text{ then } S_1 \text{ else } S_2 \text{ fi} \\
 & & \mid \text{while } b \text{ do } S \text{ od} \\
 & & \mid \text{begin } D_V \ D_P \ S \text{ end} \mid \text{call } p
 \end{array}$$

► Variable declarations:

$$D_V ::= \text{var } x; D_V \mid \text{var } x := a; D_V \mid \epsilon$$

Definition (Syntactic category **Dec_P**)

$$D_P ::= \text{proc } p \text{ is } S; D_P \mid \epsilon$$

Example: a program with procedures

Example (Program in **Proc**)

```
begin  var x := 0;  
      var y := 1;  
      proc p is x := x * 2;  
      proc q is call p;  
      begin var x := 5;  
            proc p is x := x + 1;  
            call q; y := x;  
      end;  
end
```

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            end;
        x := y + x
      end
```

Questions:

1. Are the declarations active during declaration execution?
2. Which order to choose when executing the declarations?
3. Do we need to restore the initial state?
4. If so, how to restore the initial state?

Example of program in **Proc**

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      begin var  $x := 5$ ;  
            proc  $p$  is  $x := x + 1$ ;  
            call  $q$ ;  $y := x$ ;  
      end;  
end
```

What is the final value of y ?

Example: a program with procedures

Example (Dynamic scope for variables and procedures)

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begin  var x := 0;
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      proc q is call p;
      begin var x := 5;
            proc p is x := x + 1;
            call q; y := x;
          end;
      end;
```

We need to have some “memorization” of the current “procedure mapping”

↪ when we call *q* we call *p* and modify *x*

Example: a program with procedures

Example (Static scope for procedures)

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      var  $y := 1$ ;  
      proc  $p$  is  $x := x * 2$ ;  
      proc  $q$  is call  $p$ ;  
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      end;  
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```

We need to:

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Some preliminary notation: stacks

We use a stack structure to *manage local declarations*.

Let \mathcal{F} be a set of (partial) functions.

Definition (Stack notation)

- ▶ The set of stacks over \mathcal{F} is noted \mathcal{F}^* .
- ▶ Elements of \mathcal{F}^* are noted $\hat{f}, \hat{f}_1, \hat{f}_2 \dots$
- ▶ The empty stack is denoted by \emptyset .

Remark A stack can be seen as a sequence where:

- ▶ the *push* operation consists in appending to the right,
- ▶ the *pop* operation consists in suppressing from the right.



Remark When a stack \hat{f} is reduced to one element, we use sometimes notation f instead of \hat{f} .



Some preliminary notations: stacks (ctd)

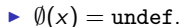
Definition (Evaluation on stacks)

Evaluation is defined inductively on stacks:



$$(\hat{f} \oplus f')(x) = \begin{cases} f'(x) & \text{if } x \in \text{Dom}(f'), \\ \hat{f}(x) & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

($\hat{f} \oplus f'$ is the stack resulting in pushing local function f' to stack \hat{f} .)



Remark Consider the stack $\hat{f} = \hat{f}_1 \oplus \hat{f}_2$, \hat{f}_1 is a prefix of \hat{f} .



Definition (Substitution - reminder)

$$f[y \mapsto v](x) = \begin{cases} v & \text{if } x = y, \\ f(x) & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Definition (Substitution on stacks)

$$(\hat{f} \oplus f')[y \mapsto v] = \begin{cases} \hat{f} \oplus (f'[y \mapsto v]) & \text{if } y \in \text{Dom}(f'), \\ (\hat{f}[y \mapsto v]) \oplus f' & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

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Semantic domains

States are replaced by a **symbol table plus a memory**:

- ▶ a symbol table associates a memory address to a variable (an identifier);
- ▶ a memory associates a value to an address.

Definition (Symbol table: variable environment)

$$\mathbf{Env}_V = \mathbf{Var} \xrightarrow{\text{part.}} \mathbf{Loc} \ni \rho$$

Thus, $\hat{\rho}$ denotes a stack of tables.

Definition (Memory)

$$\mathbf{Store} = \mathbf{Loc} \xrightarrow{\text{part.}} \mathbb{Z} \ni \sigma$$

Intuition: function state corresponds to $\sigma \circ \hat{\rho}$.

Notation: `new()` is a function that returns a fresh memory location.

Semantic functions for arithmetic and boolean expressions

Definition (Semantic function for arithmetic expressions)

$$\mathcal{A} : \mathbf{Aexp} \rightarrow ((\mathbf{Env}_V^* \times \mathbf{Store}) \rightarrow \mathbb{Z})$$

$$\mathcal{A}[n](\hat{\rho}, \sigma) = \mathcal{N}[n]$$

$$\mathcal{A}[x](\hat{\rho}, \sigma) = \sigma(\hat{\rho}(x))$$

$$\mathcal{A}[a_1 + a_2](\hat{\rho}, \sigma) = \mathcal{A}[a_1](\hat{\rho}, \sigma) +_I \mathcal{A}[a_2](\hat{\rho}, \sigma)$$

$$\mathcal{A}[a_1 * a_2](\hat{\rho}, \sigma) = \mathcal{A}[a_1](\hat{\rho}, \sigma) *_I \mathcal{A}[a_2](\hat{\rho}, \sigma)$$

$$\mathcal{A}[a_1 - a_2](\hat{\rho}, \sigma) = \mathcal{A}[a_1](\hat{\rho}, \sigma) -_I \mathcal{A}[a_2](\hat{\rho}, \sigma)$$

Exercise

Give the semantic function for boolean expressions.

Transition rules for assignment, skip, and sequential composition

Definition (Transition system for **While**)

Configurations:

$$(\mathbf{Stm} \times \mathbf{Env}_V^* \times \mathbf{Store}) \cup \mathbf{Store}$$

Transitions:

- Assignment:

$$(x := a, \hat{\rho}, \sigma) \rightarrow \sigma[\hat{\rho}(x) \mapsto \mathcal{A}[a](\hat{\rho}, \sigma)]$$

- Skip:

$$(\text{skip}, \hat{\rho}, \sigma) \rightarrow \sigma$$

- Sequential composition:

$$\frac{(S_1, \hat{\rho}, \sigma) \rightarrow \sigma' \quad (S_2, \hat{\rho}, \sigma') \rightarrow \sigma''}{(S_1; S_2, \hat{\rho}, \sigma) \rightarrow \sigma''}$$

Transition rules for while and if

Definition (Transition system for **While**)

► While:

- if $\mathcal{B}[b](\hat{\rho}, \sigma) = \mathbf{tt}$

$$\frac{(S, \hat{\rho}, \sigma) \rightarrow \sigma' \quad (\text{while } b \text{ do } S \text{ od}, \hat{\rho}, \sigma') \rightarrow \sigma''}{(\text{while } b \text{ do } S \text{ od}, \hat{\rho}, \sigma) \rightarrow \sigma''}$$

- if $\mathcal{B}[b](\hat{\rho}, \sigma) = \mathbf{ff}$

$$\frac{}{(\text{while } b \text{ do } S \text{ od}, \hat{\rho}, \sigma) \rightarrow \sigma}$$

Exercise

Give the rules for the if ... then ... else ... fi statement.

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Transition rules for blocks

To define the semantics, we define:

- ▶ a transition system for declarations, and
- ▶ an extended transition system for statements.

Definition (Transition system for Variable Declarations)

- ▶ Configurations:

$$(\mathbf{Dec}_V \times \mathbf{Env}_V^* \times \mathbf{Env}_V \times \mathbf{Store}) \cup (\mathbf{Env}_V \times \mathbf{Store})$$

(i.e., of the form $(D_V, \hat{\rho}, \rho', \sigma)$ or (ρ', σ))

Transition rules for blocks

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Definition (Transition system for Variable Declarations)

- ▶ Transitions given by the transition relation \rightarrow_D (where $l = \text{new}()$):

$$(\epsilon, \hat{\rho}, \rho', \sigma) \rightarrow_D (\rho', \sigma)$$

$$\frac{(D_V, \hat{\rho}, \rho[x \mapsto l], \sigma) \rightarrow_D (\rho', \sigma')}{(\text{var } x; D_V, \hat{\rho}, \rho, \sigma) \rightarrow_D (\rho', \sigma')}$$

$$\frac{(D_V, \hat{\rho}, \rho[x \mapsto l], \sigma[l \mapsto \mathcal{A}[a](\hat{\rho} \oplus \rho, \sigma)]) \rightarrow_D (\rho', \sigma')}{(\text{var } x := a; D_V, \hat{\rho}, \rho, \sigma) \rightarrow_D (\rho', \sigma')}$$

(Having $\hat{\rho}$ and ρ used in \mathcal{A} means that both the **global** and **local** environments are used to evaluate expressions.)

Transition rules for blocks - with only uninitialised variables

If we allow only declarations of the form `var x`:

$$D_V ::= \text{var } x; D_V \mid \epsilon$$

Then, the transition system for declarations can be simplified.

Definition (Transition system for variable declarations)

- Configurations:

$$(\mathbf{Dec}_V \times \mathbf{Env}_V) \cup \mathbf{Env}_V$$

(i.e., of the form (D_V, ρ) or ρ)

- Transitions given by the transition relation \rightarrow_D (where $l = \text{new}()$):

$$(\epsilon, \rho') \rightarrow_D \rho'$$

$$\frac{(D_V, \rho[x \mapsto l]) \rightarrow_D \rho'}{(\text{var } x; D_V, \rho) \rightarrow_D \rho'}$$

Transition rules for blocks

To define the semantics we define:

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Definition (Natural operational semantics of **Block**)

- ▶ Configurations:

$$\mathbf{Stm} \times \mathbf{Env}_V^* \times \mathbf{Store} \cup \mathbf{Store}$$

- ▶ Transitions:

$$\frac{(D_V, \hat{\rho}, \emptyset, \sigma) \rightarrow_D (\rho_I, \sigma') \quad (S, \hat{\rho} \oplus \rho_I, \sigma') \rightarrow \sigma''}{(\text{begin } D_V \ S \text{ end}, \hat{\rho}, \sigma) \rightarrow \sigma''}$$

- ▶ **OR** Transitions (when there is only un-initialised variables)

$$\frac{(D_V, \emptyset) \rightarrow_D \rho_I \quad (S, \hat{\rho} \oplus \rho', \sigma) \rightarrow \sigma'}{(\text{begin } D_V \ S \text{ end}, \hat{\rho}, \sigma) \rightarrow \sigma'}$$

Execution of one statement of **Block**

Example (Execution of one statement of **Block** - derivation tree)

```

begin  var y := 1;
      var x := 1;
      begin var x := 2  y := x + 1 end
      x := y + x
end

```

Let us note:

- ▶ $D_{V_0} : \text{var } y := 1; \text{var } x := 1;$
- ▶ $S_0 : (\text{begin var } x := 2 \ y := x + 1 \text{ end}); \ x := y + x$
 - ▶ $S_{00} : (\text{begin var } x := 2 \ y := x + 1 \text{ end})$
 - ▶ $S_{01} : x := y + x$
- ▶ $D_{V_1} : \text{var } x := 2$
- ▶ $S_1 = y := x + 1$

Let us compute a derivation tree with root $(\text{begin } D_{V_0} \ S_0 \text{ end}, \hat{\rho}_0, \sigma_0) \rightarrow \sigma_0''$, where $\hat{\rho}_0 = \emptyset, \sigma_0 = \emptyset$.

$$\frac{\dots}{(\text{begin } D_{V_0} \ S_0 \text{ end}, \hat{\rho}_0, \sigma_0) \rightarrow \sigma_0''}$$

Execution of one statement of **Block** (ctd)

Applying rule of block:

$$\frac{(D_{V_0}, \hat{\rho}_0, \emptyset, \sigma_0) \rightarrow_D (\rho_1, \sigma_1) \quad (S_0, \hat{\rho}_0 \oplus \rho_1, \sigma_1) \rightarrow \sigma_0''}{(\text{begin } D_{V_0} \ S_0 \ \text{end}, \hat{\rho}_0, \sigma_0) \rightarrow \sigma_0''}$$

Applying rules of sequential composition and block:

$$\frac{(D_{V_1}, \hat{\rho}_1, \emptyset, \sigma_1) \rightarrow_D (\rho_2, \sigma_2) \quad (S_1, \hat{\rho}_1 \oplus \rho_2, \sigma_2) \rightarrow \sigma_3}{(S_{00}, \hat{\rho}_0 \oplus \rho_1, \sigma_1) \rightarrow \sigma_3} \quad \frac{(S_{01}, \hat{\rho}_0 \oplus \rho_1, \sigma_3) \rightarrow \sigma_0''}{(S_0, \hat{\rho}_0 \oplus \rho_1, \sigma_1) \rightarrow \sigma_0''}$$

where:

$$\begin{aligned} \rho_0 &= \emptyset \\ \rho_1 &= [y \mapsto l_1, x \mapsto l_2] \\ \sigma_1 &= [l_1 \mapsto 1, l_2 \mapsto 1] \\ \hat{\rho}_1 &= \hat{\rho}_0 \oplus \rho_1 = \emptyset \oplus \rho_1 = \rho_1 \\ \rho_2 &= [x \mapsto l_3] \\ \sigma_2 &= [l_1 \mapsto 1, l_2 \mapsto 1, l_3 \mapsto 2] \\ \sigma_3 &= [l_1 \mapsto 3, l_2 \mapsto 1, l_3 \mapsto 2] \\ \sigma_0'' &= [l_1 \mapsto 3, l_2 \mapsto 4, l_3 \mapsto 2] \end{aligned}$$

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Dynamic scope for variables and procedures: remember the intuition

Example (Dynamic scope for variables and procedures)

```
begin  var  $x := 0$ ;  
      var  $y := 1$   
      proc  $p$  is  $x := x * 2$ ;  
      proc  $q$  is call  $p$ ;  
      begin var  $x := 5$ ;  
            proc  $p$  is  $x := x + 1$ ;  
            call  $q$ ;  $y := x$ ;  
      end;  
end
```

We need to have some “memorization” of the current “procedure mapping”
 \hookrightarrow when we call q we call p and modify x

Semantics with dynamic scope for variables and procedures

Procedure names belong to a syntactic category called **Pname**.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathbf{Env}_V &= \mathbf{Var} \xrightarrow{\text{part.}} \mathbf{Loc} \ni \rho && \text{Variable environment} \\
 \mathbf{Store} &= \mathbf{Loc} \xrightarrow{\text{part.}} \mathbb{Z} \ni \sigma && \text{Store} \\
 \mathbf{Env}_P &= \mathbf{Pname} \xrightarrow{\text{part.}} \mathbf{Stm} \ni \lambda && \text{Procedure environment}
 \end{aligned}$$

Example (Environment)

- ▶ $[p \mapsto x := x + 1]$: procedure name p is associated to statement $x := x + 1$.
- ▶ $[q \mapsto \text{call } p]$: procedure name q is associated to a call to procedure p .

Semantics with dynamic scope: transition system

Configurations: $(\mathbf{Stm} \times \mathbf{Env}_P^* \times \mathbf{Env}_V^* \times \mathbf{Store}) \cup \mathbf{Store}$

Transition rules:

$$\frac{(D_V, \hat{\rho}, \emptyset, \sigma) \rightarrow_D (\rho_I, \sigma') \quad (S, \hat{\lambda} \oplus \text{upd}(\emptyset, D_P), \hat{\rho} \oplus \rho_I, \sigma') \rightarrow \sigma''}{(\text{begin } D_V \ D_P \ S \ \text{end}, \hat{\lambda}, \hat{\rho}, \sigma) \rightarrow \sigma''}$$

OR (when there is only uninitialised variables):

$$\frac{(D_V, \hat{\rho}) \rightarrow_D \hat{\rho}' \quad (S, \hat{\lambda} \oplus \text{upd}(\emptyset, D_P), \hat{\rho}', \sigma') \rightarrow \sigma''}{(\text{begin } D_V \ D_P \ S \ \text{end}, \hat{\lambda}, \hat{\rho}, \sigma) \rightarrow \sigma''}$$

where $\text{upd}(\lambda, \epsilon) = \lambda$ and $\text{upd}(\lambda, \text{proc } p \text{ is } S; D_P) = \text{upd}(\lambda[p \mapsto S], D_P)$

$$\frac{(\hat{\lambda}(p), \hat{\lambda}, \hat{\rho}, \sigma) \rightarrow \sigma'}{(\text{call } p, \hat{\lambda}, \hat{\rho}, \sigma) \rightarrow \sigma'}$$

Updating the rule for sequential composition:

$$\frac{(S_1, \hat{\lambda}, \hat{\rho}, \sigma) \rightarrow \sigma' \quad (S_2, \hat{\lambda}, \hat{\rho}, \sigma') \rightarrow \sigma''}{(S_1; S_2, \hat{\lambda}, \hat{\rho}, \sigma) \rightarrow \sigma''}$$

Similarly, other rules are adapted in a straightforward manner...

Static scope for variables and procedures: remember the intuition

Example (Static scope for variables and procedures)

```
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      var  $y := 1$   
      proc  $p$  is  $x := x * 2$ ;  
      proc  $q$  is call  $p$ ;  
      begin var  $x := 5$ ;  
            proc  $p$  is  $x := x + 1$ ;  
            call  $q$ ;  $y := x$ ;  
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Semantics with static scope for variables and procedures

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\mathbf{Env}_P &= \mathbf{Pname} \xrightarrow{\text{part.}} \mathbf{Stm} \times \mathbf{Env}_P^* \times \mathbf{Env}_V^* \ni \rho && \text{Procedure environment}
\end{aligned}$$

Definition (Updating the procedure environment)

$$\text{upd} : \mathbf{Env}_P^* \times \mathbf{Env}_V^* \times \mathbf{Env}_P \times \mathbf{Dec}_P \longrightarrow \mathbf{Env}_P$$

- ▶ $\text{upd}(\hat{\lambda}_g, \hat{\rho}, \lambda_l, \epsilon) = \lambda_l$, and
- ▶ $\text{upd}(\hat{\lambda}_g, \hat{\rho}, \lambda_l, \text{proc } p \text{ is } S; D_P) = \text{upd}(\hat{\lambda}_g, \hat{\rho}, \lambda_l[p \mapsto (S, \hat{\lambda}_g \oplus \lambda_l, \hat{\rho})], D_P)$.

Semantics with static scope for variables and procedures: transition system

Configurations: $(\mathbf{Stm} \times \mathbf{Env}_P^* \times \mathbf{Env}_V^* \times \mathbf{Store}) \cup \mathbf{Store}$

Transition rules:

$$\frac{(D_V, \hat{\rho}, \emptyset, \sigma) \rightarrow_D (\rho_I, \sigma') \quad (S, \hat{\lambda} \oplus \text{upd}(\hat{\lambda}, \hat{\rho} \oplus \rho_I, \emptyset, D_P), \hat{\rho} \oplus \rho_I, \sigma') \rightarrow \sigma''}{(\text{begin } D_V \ D_P \ S \ \text{end}, \hat{\lambda}, \hat{\rho}, \sigma) \rightarrow \sigma''}$$

OR (when there is only uninitialised variables):

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Procedure call:

$$[\text{call}] \quad \frac{(S, \hat{\lambda}', \hat{\rho}', \sigma) \rightarrow \sigma''}{(\text{call } p, \hat{\lambda}, \hat{\rho}, \sigma) \rightarrow \sigma''}$$

where $\hat{\lambda}(p) = (S, \hat{\lambda}', \hat{\rho}')$.

Example 1: semantics of a program with dynamic scope for variables and procedures

Syntax of the example program

Example (Program in **Proc**)

begin

D_{V_0} [var $x := 1$;

D_{P_0} [proc p is $x := x * 2$;

S_0 [**begin**
 call q
 end

end

Example 1: semantics of a program with dynamic scope for variables and procedures

Execution of the example program

We start with:

$$\frac{(D_{V_0}, \emptyset, \emptyset) \rightarrow ? \quad (S_0, \text{upd}(\emptyset, D_{P_0}), \emptyset, \emptyset) \rightarrow ?}{(\text{begin } D_{V_0}; D_{P_0} \quad S_0 \text{ end}, \emptyset, \emptyset) \rightarrow ?}$$

Let us compute / complete $(D_{V_0}, [\], [\]) \rightarrow_D ?$:

$$\frac{(\epsilon, \emptyset, [x \mapsto l_0]) \rightarrow_D ([x \mapsto l_0], [l_0 \mapsto 1])}{(D_{V_0}, \emptyset, \emptyset) \rightarrow_D ([x \mapsto l_0], [l_0 \mapsto 1])}$$

Let us compute $\text{upd}(\emptyset, D_{P_0})$:

$$\text{upd}(\emptyset, \text{proc } p \text{ is } x := x * 2) = \text{upd}(\epsilon, [p \mapsto x := x * 2]) = [p \mapsto x := x * 2]$$

Let us compute / complete $(S_0, \text{upd}([\], D_{P_0}), \emptyset, \emptyset) \rightarrow ?$:

$$\frac{(\textcolor{brown}{x} := \textcolor{brown}{x} * 2, [p \mapsto \textcolor{brown}{x} := \textcolor{brown}{x} * 2], [x \mapsto l_0], [l_0 \mapsto 1]) \rightarrow ([l_0 \mapsto 2])}{(\text{call } p, \text{upd}(\emptyset, D_{P_0}), [x \mapsto l_0], [l_0 \mapsto 1]) \rightarrow ([x \mapsto l_0], [l_0 \mapsto 2])}$$

Finally:

$$(\text{begin } D_{V_0}; D_{P_0} \quad S_0 \text{ end}, \emptyset, \emptyset) \rightarrow [l_0 \mapsto 2]$$

Example: semantics of a program with dynamic scope for variables and procedures

Syntax of the example program

Example (Program in **Proc**)

begin

$$D_{V_0} \left[\begin{array}{l} \text{var } x := 0; \\ \text{var } y := 1; \end{array} \right.$$

$$D_{P_0} \left[\begin{array}{l} \text{proc } p \text{ is } x := x * 2; \\ \text{proc } q \text{ is call } p; \end{array} \right.$$

$$S_0 \left[\begin{array}{l} \text{begin} \\ \quad D_{V_1} \left[\begin{array}{l} \text{var } x := 5; \end{array} \right. \\ \quad D_{P_1} \left[\begin{array}{l} \text{proc } p \text{ is } x := x + 1; \end{array} \right. \\ \quad S_1 \left[\begin{array}{l} \text{call } q; y := x; \end{array} \right. \\ \text{end} \end{array} \right.$$

end

Example 2: semantics of a program with dynamic scope

Derivation tree for the outer block

$$\frac{\gamma_0 \rightarrow (\rho_1, \sigma_1) \quad \frac{\gamma_1 \rightarrow (\rho_2, \sigma_2) \quad \overbrace{(S_1, \hat{\lambda}_1 \oplus \lambda_2, \hat{\rho}_1 \oplus \rho_2, \sigma_2) \rightarrow \sigma_0''}^{T_1}}{(S_0, \hat{\lambda}_1, \rho_1, \sigma_1) \rightarrow \sigma_0''}}{(\text{begin } D_{V_0}; D_{P_0}; S_0 \text{ end}, \hat{\lambda}_0, \hat{\rho}_0, \sigma_0) \rightarrow \sigma_0''}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
 \gamma_0 &= (D_{V_0}, \hat{\rho}_0, \emptyset, \sigma_0) \\
 \hat{\lambda}_0 &= \lambda_0 = \emptyset \\
 \hat{\rho}_0 &= \rho_0 = \emptyset \\
 \sigma_0 &= \emptyset \\
 \gamma_1 &= (D_{V_1}, \hat{\rho}_1, \emptyset, \sigma_1) \\
 \rho_1 &= [x \mapsto l_1, y \mapsto l_2] \\
 \sigma_1 &= [l_1 \mapsto 0, l_2 \mapsto 1] \\
 \hat{\lambda}_1 &= \lambda_1 = [p \mapsto x := x * 2, q \mapsto \text{call } p](\text{function upd}) \\
 \rho_2 &= [x \mapsto l_3] \\
 \sigma_2 &= [l_1 \mapsto 0, l_2 \mapsto 1, l_3 \mapsto 5] \\
 \lambda_2 &= [p \mapsto x := x + 1]
 \end{aligned}$$

Example 2: semantics of a program with dynamic scope for variables and procedures

Derivation tree for the inner block

Derivation tree T_1 :

$$\begin{array}{c}
 (x := x + 1, \hat{\lambda}_1 \oplus \lambda_2, \hat{\rho}_1 \oplus \rho_2, \sigma_2) \rightarrow \sigma_3 \\
 \hline
 (\text{call } p, \hat{\lambda}_1 \oplus \lambda_2, \hat{\rho}_1 \oplus \rho_2, \sigma_2) \rightarrow \sigma_3 \\
 \hline
 (\text{call } q, \hat{\lambda}_1 \oplus \lambda_2, \hat{\rho}_1 \oplus \rho_2, \sigma_2) \rightarrow \sigma_3 \quad (y := x, \hat{\lambda}_1 \oplus \lambda_2, \hat{\rho}_1 \oplus \rho_2, \sigma_3) \rightarrow \sigma_0'' \\
 \hline
 (S_1, \hat{\lambda}_1 \oplus \lambda_2, \hat{\rho}_1 \oplus \rho_2, \sigma_2) \rightarrow \sigma_0''
 \end{array}$$

where

$$\begin{array}{lcl}
 \sigma_3 & = & [l_1 \mapsto 0, l_2 \mapsto 1, l_3 \mapsto 6] \\
 \sigma_0'' & = & [l_1 \mapsto 0, l_2 \mapsto 6, l_3 \mapsto 6]
 \end{array}$$

Example 2bis: semantics of a program with static scope for variables and procedures

The only things that change are:

- ▶ function upd, and
- ▶ derivation tree T_1 .

Changes to function upd:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \hat{\lambda}_0 &= \emptyset = \lambda_0 \\
 \hat{\lambda}_{01} &= [p \mapsto (x := x * 2, \hat{\lambda}_0, \rho_1)] = \lambda_{01} \\
 \hat{\lambda}_1 &= [p \mapsto (x := x * 2, \hat{\lambda}_0, \rho_1), q \mapsto (\text{call } p, \hat{\lambda}_{01}, \rho_1)] = \lambda_1 \\
 \lambda_2 &= [p \mapsto (x := x + 1, \hat{\lambda}_1, \hat{\rho}_1 \oplus \rho_2)]
 \end{aligned}$$

Example 2bis: semantics of a program with static scope for variables and procedures

Derivation tree for the inner block

Derivation tree T_1 :

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \dfrac{(x := x * 2, \hat{\lambda}_0, \hat{\rho}_1, \sigma_2) \rightarrow \sigma_3}{(\text{call } p, \hat{\lambda}_{01}, \hat{\rho}_1, \sigma_2) \rightarrow \sigma_3} \\
 \dfrac{(\text{call } q, \hat{\lambda}_1 \oplus \lambda_2, \hat{\rho}_1 \oplus \rho_2, \sigma_2) \rightarrow \sigma_3 \quad (y := x, \hat{\lambda}_1 \oplus \lambda_2, \hat{\rho}_1 \oplus \rho_2, \sigma_3) \rightarrow \sigma_0''}{(S_0, \hat{\lambda}_1 \oplus \lambda_2, \hat{\rho}_1 \oplus \rho_2, \sigma_2) \rightarrow \sigma_0''}
 \end{array}$$

where

$$\begin{array}{lcl}
 \sigma_3 & = & [l_1 \mapsto 0, l_2 \mapsto 1, l_3 \mapsto 5] \\
 \sigma_0'' & = & [l_1 \mapsto 0, l_2 \mapsto 5, l_3 \mapsto 5]
 \end{array}$$

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Summary Natural Operational Semantics

Definition of the programming languages **While**, **Block**, and **Proc**:

- ▶ Syntax with inductive definitions of syntactic categories: **Var**, **Stm**, **Dec_V**, **Dec_P**.
- ▶ Semantics for arithmetic and Boolean expressions: \mathcal{A} , \mathcal{B} .
- ▶ Semantics for statements: \mathcal{S}_{ns} .
- ▶ Termination of programs
- ▶ Semantics of blocks (semantics of declarations given by a separate transition system)
- ▶ Semantics of **Proc**, giving a semantics to procedure declarations and calls (environment for procedures):
 - ▶ dynamic scope for variables and procedures
 - ▶ static scope for variables and procedures (symbol table and a memory)
 - ▶ dynamic scope for variables and static scope for procedures
 - ▶ static scope for variables and dynamic scope for procedures
 - ▶ recursive vs non-recursive calls (in the tutorial)