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Indexed monoidal structures
&
regular double hyperdoctrines

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based on 'Double-functorial representation
of indexed monoidal structures'

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see Dawson, Pare, Preisk (2010)



Idea: $\text{Span}(\mathcal{C})^{\text{op}}$ represents Beck-Chernavsky fibrations $\mathcal{C}^{\text{op}} \xrightarrow{P} \mathcal{K}$. What about those also satisfying Frobenius reciprocity?

cartesian, but
may not have
the property for
all pullbacks

cartesian
2-cat.



Thm: A (generalised) regular hyperdoctrine $P: \mathcal{C}^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \mathcal{K}$
 \hookrightarrow pseudofunctorial
is the same as a lax symmetric monoidal double pseudofunctor

$$\text{Span}(\mathcal{C})^{\text{op}} \xrightarrow{P} \text{Qt}(\mathcal{K})$$

with companion commutator laxators.

→ adapted from Lawvere 1969

Def: Let \mathcal{C} be a cartesian category. A **regular hyperdoctrine** over \mathcal{C} is a functor $\mathcal{C}^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \mathbf{Pos}$ such that:

i.e., a cartesian monoidal poset

- Each poset PX is a \wedge -semilattice;
- Each $PY \xrightarrow{Pg} PX$ (for $X \xrightarrow{g} Y$ in \mathcal{C}) has a left adjoint $PX \xrightarrow{\exists g} PY$;
- For any pullback
$$\begin{array}{ccc} A & \xrightarrow{f} & B \\ h \downarrow & \lrcorner & \downarrow k \\ X & \xrightarrow{g} & Y \end{array}$$
 in \mathcal{C} , we have

$$\exists f \circ Ph = Pk \circ \exists g \quad (\text{Beck-Chevalley})$$

- For any $X \xrightarrow{g} Y$ in \mathcal{C} , $\varphi \in PX$, and $\psi \in PY$

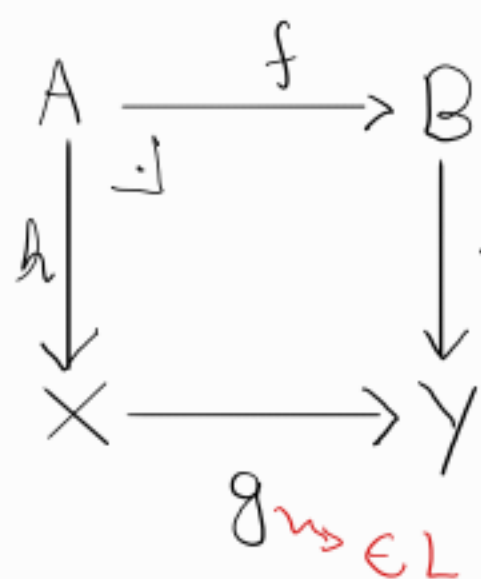
$$\text{we have } \exists g (Pg(\psi) \wedge \varphi) = \psi \wedge \exists g(\varphi)$$

(Frobenius reciprocity)

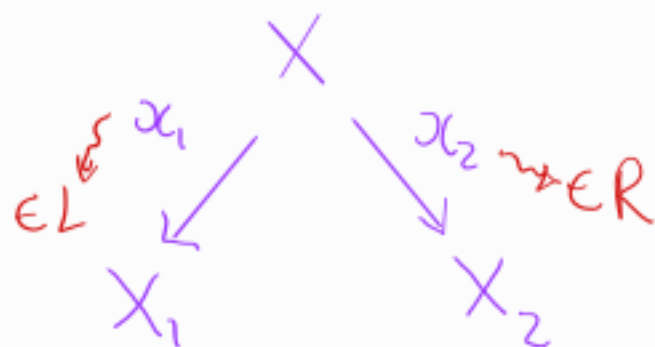
→ adapted from Barwick 2017, Haugseng et al 2020

Def: A **cartesian adequate triple** (\mathcal{C}, L, R) consists of a cartesian category \mathcal{C} and classes $L, R \subseteq \text{mor}(\mathcal{C})$ such that:

- L and R are closed under composition, finite products, projections, and identities;

- Pullbacks  exist in \mathcal{C} , and we have $h \in R, f \in L$.

This is what is needed to compose spans



Def: Let $(\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{L}, \mathcal{R})$ be a cart. adg. triple and \mathcal{K} be a cartesian 2-category. A $(\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{L}, \mathcal{R})$ -regular hyperdoctrine with semantics in \mathcal{K} is a pseudo functor $P: \mathcal{C}^{\text{op}} \longrightarrow \mathcal{K}$ such that:

- Each poset PX is a pseudomonoid in \mathcal{K} ;
- Each $PY \xrightarrow{Pg} PX$ (for $X \xrightarrow{g} Y$ in \mathcal{R}) has a left adjoint $PX \xrightarrow{\exists g} PY$;

- For any pullback

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 A & \xrightarrow{f} & B \\
 h \downarrow & \lrcorner & \downarrow k \in \mathcal{R} \\
 X & \xrightarrow{g \in \mathcal{L}} & Y
 \end{array}$$
 in \mathcal{C} , the

canonical map $\exists f P h \Rightarrow P k \exists g$ is invertible (B.C.);

- For any $X \xrightarrow{g} Y$ in \mathcal{R} , the canonical map

$$\exists g (Pg \otimes_{PX} \text{id}_{PX}) \longrightarrow \exists g Pg \otimes_Y \exists g \longrightarrow \text{id}_{PY} \otimes_{PY} \exists g$$
 is invertible (Frobenius reciprocity).

Examples:

traditional regular hyperdoctrines

- $(\mathcal{C}, \text{all}, \text{all})$ \rightsquigarrow $\mathcal{C}^{\text{op}} \xrightarrow{P} \text{Cat}$ $\rightsquigarrow \exists f = \text{dependent sum}$
 $X \mapsto \mathcal{C}/X$
 $\mathcal{C} = \text{Set}, \text{Set}^{\text{op}} \xrightarrow{P} \text{Pos}$
 $X \mapsto [0, \infty]^X$ \hookrightarrow Lawvere quantale
i.e., \mathcal{C} has finite limits
generates lenses by taking Span

- $L = \text{vertical maps}, R = \text{cartesian maps for cart. fibration } \Pi: \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{B};$

- $\mathcal{C} = \text{Top} := \text{compact gen. spaces}, L = \text{Serre fibrations}, R = \text{all}$

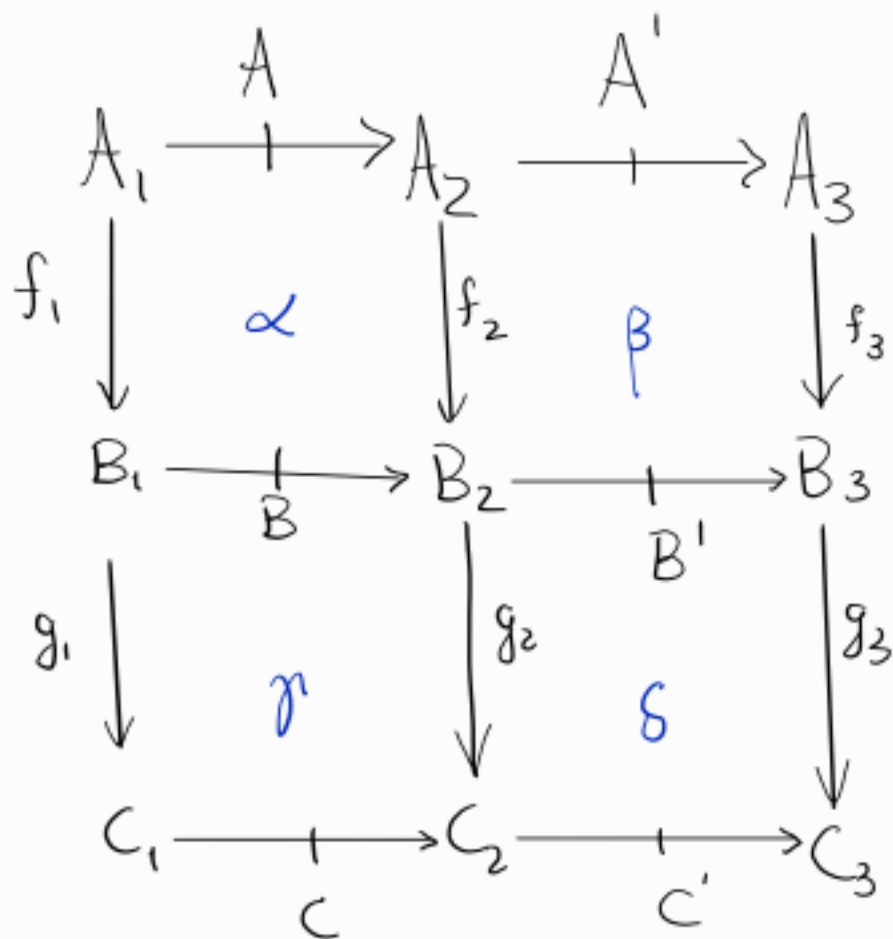
$P: X \longmapsto \text{Ho}(\text{Top} \downarrow X)$ is (\mathcal{C}, L, R) -regular
 with semantics in Cat

\rightsquigarrow c.f. Shulman 2011
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- $\mathcal{C} = \text{LKHaus} := \text{loc. compact Hausdorff spaces}, L = \text{all}, R = \text{proper maps}$

$P: X \longmapsto \text{Ho} \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{unbounded chain} \\ \text{complexes of sheaves} \\ \text{of abelian groups over} \\ X \end{array} \right)$ is (\mathcal{C}, L, R)
 (co) regular.

We work with (weak/pseudo) double categories



$$\left(\frac{\alpha}{\beta} \right) \middle| \left(\frac{\beta}{\delta} \right) = \frac{(\alpha | \beta)}{(\gamma | \delta)}$$

Recap: $A \xrightarrow{f^*} B$ is a **companion** of $A \downarrow_f B$

is \exists $\begin{array}{ccc} A & \xrightarrow{f^*} & A \\ \parallel & \lceil_f & \downarrow f \\ A & \xrightarrow{f^*} & B \end{array}$ and $\begin{array}{ccc} A & \xrightarrow{f^*} & B \\ \downarrow f & \lceil_f & \parallel \\ B & \xrightarrow{f^*} & B \end{array}$ such that

$$\begin{array}{ccc} A & \xrightarrow{f^*} & B \\ \parallel & \text{id}_f & \parallel \\ A & \xrightarrow{f^*} & B \end{array} = \begin{array}{ccc} A & \xrightarrow{f^*} & A & \xrightarrow{f^*} & B \\ \parallel & \lceil_f & \downarrow f & \lceil_f & \parallel \\ A & \xrightarrow{f^*} & B & \xrightarrow{f^*} & B \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} A & \xrightarrow{f^*} & A \\ \downarrow f & \text{id} & \downarrow f \\ B & \xrightarrow{f^*} & B \end{array} = \begin{array}{ccc} A & \xrightarrow{f^*} & A \\ \parallel & \lceil_f & \downarrow f \\ A & \xrightarrow{f^*} & B \\ \downarrow f & \lceil_f & \parallel \\ B & \xrightarrow{f^*} & B \end{array}$$

Dually, we speak of a **conjoint** $B \xrightarrow{f_!} A$.

Def: A square $A_1 \xrightarrow{A} A_2$ is a

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$$\begin{array}{ccc} A_1 & \xrightarrow{A} & A_2 \\ f_1 \downarrow & \alpha & \downarrow f_2 \\ B_1 & \xrightarrow{B} & B_2 \end{array}$$

companion commutator if f_1 and f_2 have companions and

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} A_1 & \xlongequal{\quad} & A_1 & \xrightarrow{A} & A_2 & \xrightarrow{f_2^*} & B_2 \\ \parallel & \lceil f & f_1 \downarrow & \alpha & \downarrow f_2 & f_2 \rfloor & \parallel \\ A_1 & \xrightarrow{f_1^*} & B_1 & \xrightarrow{B} & B_2 & \xlongequal{\quad} & B_2 \end{array}$$

is invertible.

A tight transformation $\lambda : F \Rightarrow G$ is a companion commutator transformation if its components

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 FX_1 & \xrightarrow{FX} & FX_2 \\
 \lambda_{X_1} \downarrow & \lambda_X & \downarrow \lambda_{X_2} \\
 GX_1 & \xrightarrow{GX} & GX_2
 \end{array}$$

at loose maps $X_1 \xrightarrow{X} X_2$ are companion commutators.

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Thm: A (\mathcal{C}, L, R) -regular hyperdoctrine $P: \mathcal{C}^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \mathcal{K}$

is the same as^{*} a lax symmetric monoidal double pseudofunctor

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with companion commutator laxators.

* there are some minor conditions on (\mathcal{C}, L, R) .

Pf (key ideas) (Hydrodoctrine \Rightarrow double pseudofunctor):

- Extend P to P^* by acting on spans by pull-push

$$\begin{array}{ccc} x_1 & \xrightarrow{X} & x_2 \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ X_1 & & X_2 \end{array} \mapsto PX_1 \xrightarrow{P(x_1)} PX \xrightarrow{\exists x_2} PX_2$$

\hookrightarrow see Moeller & Vasilakopoulou 2020
Shulman 2008

- The monoidal structures on the fibres PX induce a monoidal structure on P ;

$$\mu_{X,Y} := PX \times PY \xrightarrow{P(\pi_X) \times P(\pi_Y)} P(X \times Y) \times P(X \times Y) \xrightarrow{\otimes_{P(X \times Y)}} P(X \times Y)$$

- The monoidal laxators for P extend to tight transformations that serve as laxators for p ;

e.g.:

$$\mu_{A_1 \xrightarrow{A} A_2, X_1 \xrightarrow{X} X_2} :=$$

$\exists a_2 \times \exists x_2 \mu_{a_2, x_2}$

$\exists(a_2 \times x_2)$

- Use the Beck-Chevalley and Frobenius cells to build an inverse to the companion squares of the $\mu_{A,X}$.

(Double functor to hyperdoctrine)

The tight component $e^{\mathcal{P}} \xrightarrow{Q_0} K$ of $\text{Span}(e)^{\mathcal{P}} \xrightarrow{Q} \text{At}(X)$ is a regular hyperdoctrine:

- (Unitary) double functors preserve companions and conjoints;
 $\xrightarrow{\quad} \rightsquigarrow$ gives an adjunction $Q(f!) \dashv Q(f)$ internal to K \rightsquigarrow Dawson, Pre, Pre 2010
- Defining $\exists f := Q(f!)$ makes Q_0 a B.C-fibration
- The monoidal structure on Q induces one on the fibres QX :

$$QX \times QX \xrightarrow{\mu_{X,X}} Q(X \times X) \xrightarrow{Q(\Delta_X)} QX$$
- The companion commutators can be used to build inverses to the Frobenius maps.

Def: A regular double hyperdoctrine is
 a lax symmetric monoidal double
 pseudofunctor

$$\mathbb{C}tx^{\mathcal{Q}} \xrightarrow{\mathcal{Q}} \mathbb{D}$$

symm. monoidal
 ↗ semantic double
 cat.

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 B.C double cat.
 of contexts

with companion commutator laxators.

Work-in-progress

- $\mathbf{DbI}_t^{\text{ps}}$ admits the construction of algebras

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbf{DbI}_t^{\text{ps}} & \xrightleftharpoons[\text{IAlg}(-)]{i_{\text{ident.}}} & \mathbf{Mnd}(\mathbf{DbI}_t^{\text{ps}}) \end{array}$$

- $\text{Span} : \mathbf{Cat}_{\text{pb}} \rightarrow \mathbf{DbI}_t^{\text{ps}}$ preserves lax limits (thus E-M objects);

thus: a lax map of monads

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{C}^{\text{op}} & \xrightarrow{P} & \text{Pos} \\ \downarrow I^{\text{op}} & \searrow \vartheta & \downarrow L \\ \mathcal{C} & \xrightarrow{P} & \text{Pos} \end{array}$$

addition of behaviours (I a pb-preserving comonad on \mathcal{C})

logical enhancement monad

induces

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \text{Alg}(\mathcal{S}) & & \\
 \downarrow & \text{Alg}(\mathcal{S}) & \\
 \text{Alg}(\text{Span}(\mathcal{I})^{\text{op}}) & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \text{Alg}(\text{Qt}(L)^{\text{op}}) \\
 \parallel & & \parallel \\
 \text{Span}(\text{coalg}(\mathcal{I})^{\text{op}}) & & \text{Qt}(\text{alg}(L)^{\text{op}})
 \end{array}$$

an existential double hyperdoctrine.

E.g.:

\mathcal{I} = stream comonad

L = free temporal algebra monad

$P = \text{Sub} : \text{Set}^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \text{Pos}$

$\mathcal{S}_X : L \text{Sub}(X) \longrightarrow \text{Sub}(X^{\text{IV}})$
 temporal $\varphi(s) \mapsto \{\text{streams that}\}_{\models \varphi}$

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Obbrigade!