

TERM ASSIGNMENT

A "term assignment"
for Natural Deduction

[Church 1930s
Curry 1950s Howard 60s
Prawitz, '65 , Martin-Löf]

Propositions \approx Types

Proofs \approx Programs

$$\vdash \pi \quad \approx \quad \Gamma \vdash e : \tau$$

$\Gamma \vdash p$

Γ — set of propositions

label each element of Γ by a
distinct variable.

Helps us track which hypothesis
is being used, (and where) in a proof.

- Absurdity \perp can't have a proof
- A proof of $\phi_1 \wedge \phi_2$ is a proof
of ϕ_1 , and a proof of ϕ_2
- A proof of $\phi_1 \vee \phi_2$ is a proof of ϕ_1
or a proof of ϕ_2 , with a marker saying
which
- A proof of $\phi_1 \rightarrow \phi_2$ is a method
(function)
that takes a proof of ϕ_1 , and
(possibly using it) returns a proof
of ϕ_2 .
- A proof of $\neg\phi$ is a proof that
says that a proof of ϕ would be
absurd.

$$\begin{array}{c}
 (\text{Hyp}) \\
 = \text{VAR} \\
 \hline
 \Gamma \vdash x : p
 \end{array}
 \quad
 \boxed{x : p \in \Gamma}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 (\rightarrow I) \\
 = \text{ABS} \\
 \hline
 \frac{\Gamma, x : p_1 \vdash e : p_2}{\Gamma \vdash \lambda x. e : p_1 \rightarrow p_2}
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 (\rightarrow E) \\
 = \text{APP} \\
 \hline
 \frac{\Gamma \vdash e_1 : p_1 \rightarrow p_2 \quad \Gamma \vdash e_2 : p_1}{\Gamma \vdash (e_1, e_2) : p_2}
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 (\top I) \\
 \hline
 \Gamma \vdash \top : \top
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 (\wedge I) \\
 \hline
 \frac{\Gamma \vdash e_1 : p_1 \quad \Gamma \vdash e_2 : p_2}{\Gamma \vdash (e_1, e_2) : p_1 \wedge p_2}
 \end{array}$$

$$(\wedge E_\ell) \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash e : p_1 \wedge p_2}{\Gamma \vdash \text{proj}_1^{(2)} e : p_1}$$

$$(\wedge E_n) \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash e : p_1 \wedge p_2}{\Gamma \vdash \text{proj}_2^{(2)} e : p_2}$$

$$(\vee I_\ell) \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash e : p_1}{\Gamma \vdash \text{inl}(e) : p_1 \vee p_2}$$

$$(\vee I_n) \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash e : p_2}{\Gamma \vdash \text{inr}(e) : p_1 \vee p_2}$$

$$(\vee E) \quad \frac{\begin{array}{c} \Gamma \vdash e_0 : p_1 \vee p_2 \\ \Gamma, x : p_1 \vdash e_1 : q \\ \Gamma, y : p_2 \vdash e_2 : q \end{array}}{\Gamma \vdash \text{case } e_0 \text{ of } \text{inl}(x) \rightarrow e_1 \mid \dots \mid e_2 : q}$$

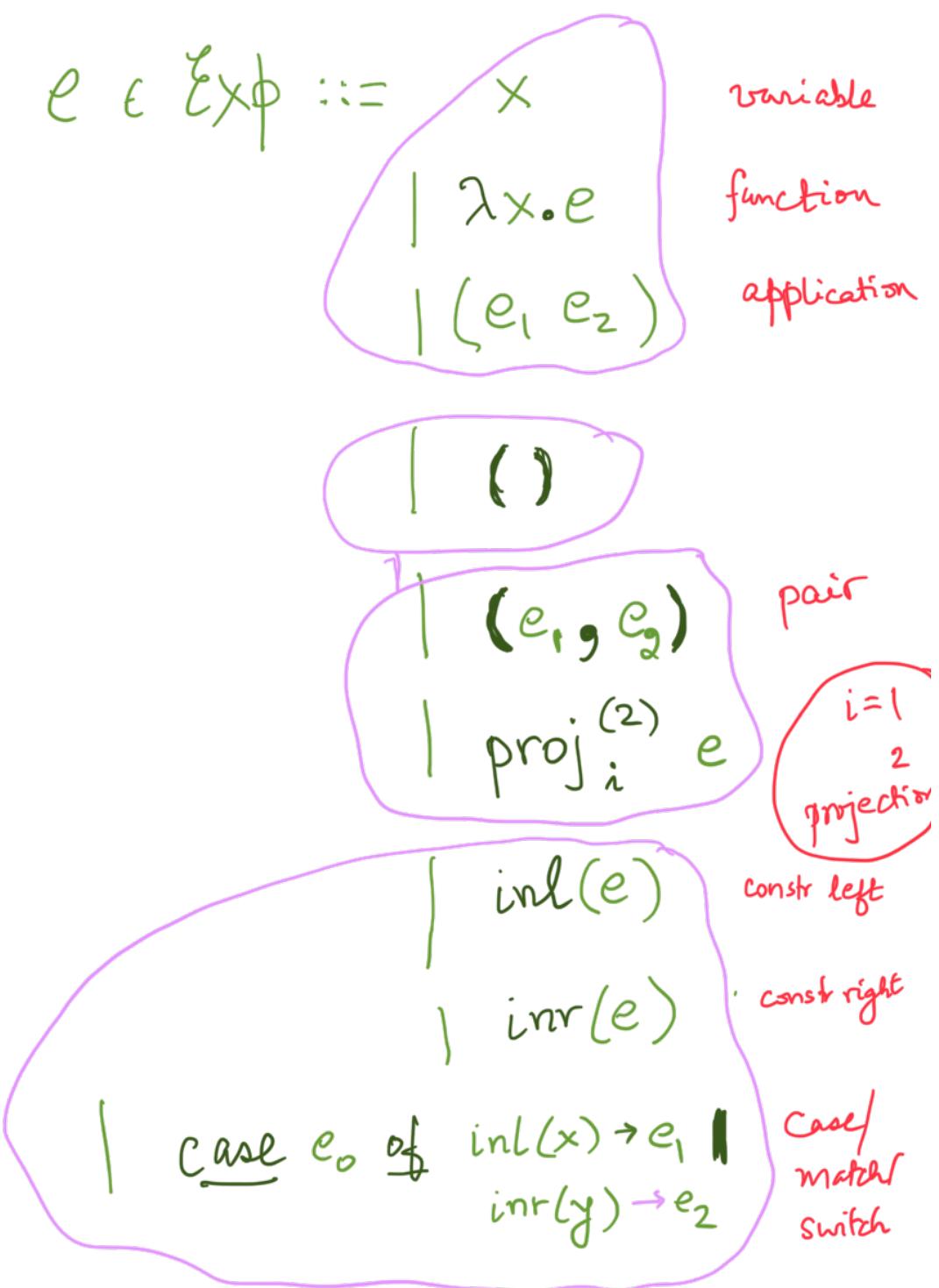
$$\text{unr}(y) \rightarrow c_2$$

Will not (yet) give you the
rules for negation ...

the model of computation is
not easy to understand

("continuations" GRIFFIN'90)

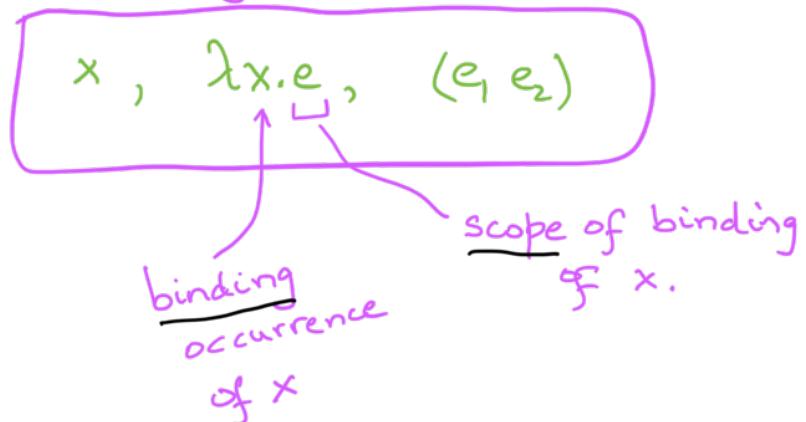
A functional language



free and bound variables

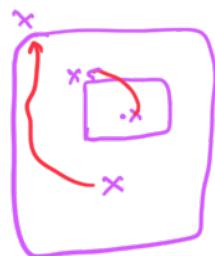
(free, binding, bound occurrences)

focussing on the first sub-language



- × "free" if not in the scope of a binding occurrence of x
- × bound if in the scope of a binding occurrence of x

scope inside a scope



Can rename systematically the binding & corresponding bound occurrences w/o changing meaning...
"λ-conversion".

$$fr(x) = \{x\}$$

$$fr(e_1 e_2) = fr(e_1) \cup fr(e_2)$$

$$fr(\lambda x. e) = fr(e) - \{x\}$$

Recall

Substitution in the

presence of binders $\lambda \dots$

$[x := e_2]e_1$ Substitute e_2 for

all free occurrences of x in e_1

— Should replace all and only

free occurrences of x in e_1

by e_2

- Should not "capture" any free z

in e_2 by a binding $\lambda z. \dots$ in e_1

(free in e_2 should stay free.)

Case-wise specification ($[x:=e_2]e_1$ written as $e_1[e_2/x]$)

	e_1	$e_1[e_2/x]$
(a)	x	e_2
(b)	y	y
(c)	$(e_{11} \ e_{12})$	$((e_{11}[e_2/x]) \ (e_{12}[e_2/x]))$
(d)	$\lambda x. e_{11}$	$\lambda x. e_{11}$
(e)	$\lambda y. e_{11}$	$\lambda y. (e_{11}[e_2/x])$
(f)	$\lambda y. e_{11}$	$\lambda z. ((e_{11}[z/y])[e_2/x])$

Annotations:

- (a) $y \neq x$
- (b) $y \neq x \text{ and } (x \notin \text{fr}(e_{11}) \text{ or } y \notin \text{fr}(e_2))$
- (c) $y \neq x \text{ and } x \in \text{fr}(e_{11}) \text{ and } y \in \text{fr}(e_2)$
- (d) $z \notin \text{fr}(e_{11}) \text{ and } z \notin \text{fr}(e_2)$
- "z fresh"

"Execution"

$$(\beta) \quad \overline{((\lambda x. e_1) \underline{e_2})} \xrightarrow{\triangleright_{\beta}} e_1[e_2/x]$$

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$$(\delta p) \quad \frac{e_1 \xrightarrow{\triangleright_{\beta}} e'_1}{(e_1 e_2) \xrightarrow{\triangleright_{\beta}} (e'_1 e_2)}$$

$$(\text{arg}) \quad \frac{e_2 \xrightarrow{\triangleright_{\beta}} e'_2}{(e_1 e_2) \xrightarrow{\triangleright_{\beta}} (e_1 e'_2)}$$

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$$(\xi) \quad \frac{e \xrightarrow{\triangleright_{\beta}} e'}{\lambda x. e \xrightarrow{\triangleright_{\beta}} \lambda x. e'}$$

✗

- Most programming language (all?) never use (ξ) rule. 
- Call by value (SML, OCaml, LISP,..) put restrictions on (β) and (arg) rules. (β_r), (arg_r)
- Call by name (Haskell, Miranda,...) do not use (arg) rule
- No restriction: Theoretical λ -calculus

SUBJECT REDUCTION THEOREM

If $\Gamma \vdash e : p$ 
 and $e \triangleright_{\beta}^p e'$
 then $\Gamma \vdash e' : p$ 

Type does not change during evaluation (execution)

SUBSTITUTION LEMMA (TYPING)

If $\Gamma, x : \phi_1 \vdash e_1 : \phi_2$

and $\Gamma \vdash e_2 : \phi_1$

then $\Gamma \vdash e_1[e_2/x] : \phi_2$

Proof of Substitution Lemma:

By induction on structure of e_1

• $e_1 \equiv x$

$$\Gamma, x : \phi_1 \vdash x : \phi_2 \quad (\because \phi_1 \equiv \phi_2)$$

Defn of
subst

$$e_1[e_2/x] \equiv e_2$$

But we are given $\Gamma \vdash e_2 : \phi_2$

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$$\cdot e_1 \equiv y \in T$$

$$\Gamma, x:\phi_1 \vdash y:\phi_2 \quad \boxed{y:\phi_2 \in T} \quad x \neq y$$

Defn of subst

$$e_1[e_2/x] \equiv y$$

$$\Gamma \vdash y:\phi_2$$

$$\cdot e_1 \equiv (e_{11} \quad e_{12})$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \Gamma, x:\phi_1 \vdash (e_{11} \quad e_{12}) : \phi_2 \\ & \Gamma, x:\phi_1 \vdash e_{11} : \phi_{21} \rightarrow \phi_2 \quad \text{why?} \\ & \Gamma, x:\phi_1 \vdash e_{12} : \phi_{21} \end{aligned}$$

Defn of subst

$$e_1[e_2/x] \equiv ((e_{11}[e_2/x]) \quad (e_{12}[e_2/x]))$$

$$\Gamma \vdash e_{11}[e_2/x] : \phi_{21} \rightarrow \phi_2$$

$$\Gamma \vdash e_{11}[e_2/x] : \phi$$

$$I \vdash e_{12} \vdash x : T_2$$

$$\frac{(\rightarrow E)}{\Gamma \vdash ((e_{11}[e_2/x]) (e_{12}[e_2/x])) : P_2}$$

- e_1 is $\lambda x. e_{11}$

$$\Gamma, x : P_1 \vdash \lambda x. e_{11} : P_{21} \rightarrow P_{22}$$

why?

$$\frac{\Gamma, x : P_1, x : P_{21} \vdash e_{11} : P_{22}}{\text{any free } x \text{ here is}}$$

By defn of subst.

$$\lambda x. e_{11} [e_2/x] \text{ is } \lambda x. e_{11}$$

$$\frac{\Gamma, x : P_{21} \vdash e_{11} : P_{22}}{\Gamma \vdash \lambda x. e_{11} : P_{21} \rightarrow P_{22}}$$

- e_1 is $\lambda y. e_{11}$ with $y \neq x$.

$$\Gamma, x : p_1 \vdash \lambda y. e_{11} : p_{21} \rightarrow p_{22}$$



$$\Gamma, x : p_1, y : p_{21} \vdash e_{11} : p_{22}$$

by defn of subst

$$(\lambda y. e_{11})[e_2/x] = \lambda y. (e_{11}[e_2/x])$$

$y \neq x, x \notin \text{fr}(e_{11})$

or $y \notin \text{fr}(e_2)$

$$\Gamma, y : p_{21} \vdash e_{11}[e_2/x] : p_{22}$$

$$(\rightarrow^I) \frac{}{\Gamma \vdash \lambda y. (e_{11}[e_2/x]) : p_{21} \rightarrow p_{22}}$$

(TRY OUR LEVEL BEST TO AVOID CASE (f))

- e_1 is $\lambda y. e_{11}$ with $x \neq y$

$y \in \text{fr}(e_2)$

$x \in \text{fr}(e_{11})$

$$\Gamma, x : p_1 \vdash \lambda y. e_{11} : p_{21} \rightarrow p_{22}$$



$$\Gamma, v : p_1, u : p_{21} \vdash e_{11} : p_{22}$$

By defn of subst

$$\lambda y. e_{11} [e_2/x] \equiv \lambda z. ((e_{11} [z/y]) [e_2/x])$$

Claim:

$$\Gamma, x:\phi_1, z:\phi_{21} \vdash e_{11} [z/y] : \phi_{22}$$

$$\frac{\Gamma, z:\phi_{21} \vdash ((e_{11} [z/y]) [e_2/x]) : \phi_{22}}{\Gamma \vdash \lambda z. ((e_{11} [z/y]) [e_2/x]) : \phi_{21} \rightarrow \phi_{22}}$$

Resuming the main theorem

Proof: By induction on structure
of reason why $e \rightarrow e'$

Assume π

$$e \triangleright_{\beta} e'$$

Structure of π

Base Case

v

$$\text{ht}(\pi) = 0$$

$$\therefore (\beta) \xrightarrow[e]{\Delta_{\beta}} e'$$

$$\therefore e \equiv (\lambda x. e_1) e_2$$

$$e' \equiv e_1 [e_2/x]$$

$$\frac{\begin{array}{c} \Gamma, x : \phi_1 \vdash e_1 : \phi_2 \\ (\rightarrow I) \end{array}}{\Gamma \vdash \lambda x. e_1 : \phi_1 \rightarrow \phi} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash e_2 : \phi_1}{(\rightarrow E) \quad \Gamma \vdash (\lambda x. e_1) e_2 : \phi}$$

The diagram illustrates the derivation of a substitution rule. It shows three rows of inference steps. The first row has a red bracket around its first two terms. The second row has a red bracket around its first term. The third row is the conclusion. Above the first row is a set of orange shaded blocks labeled π_1 , and above the second row is another set labeled π_2 . Green lines connect the terms in the middle row to their corresponding shaded blocks.

By SUBSTITUTION LEMMA

$$\Gamma \vdash e_1 [e_2/x] : \phi_2$$



Induction Hypothesis

Assume that if

$$\frac{\pi \quad \hat{e} \triangleright_{I\beta} \hat{e}'}{ht(\hat{\pi}) \leq k}$$

and $\widehat{\Gamma} \vdash \hat{e} : \hat{P}$

then $\widehat{\Gamma} \vdash \hat{e}' : \hat{P}$

Induction Step. e is (e_1, e_2)

$$\frac{(arg) \quad \begin{array}{c} \pi_1 \\ \backslash \qquad / \\ e_2 \quad \triangleright_{I\beta} \quad e_2' \\ \hline (e_1, e_2) \quad \triangleright_{I\beta} \quad (e_1, e_2') \end{array}}{e'}$$

$$\Gamma \vdash (e_1, e_2) : P$$

$$\Gamma \vdash e_1 : P_1 \rightarrow P$$

$$\Gamma \vdash e_1 : P_1$$

$$I.H \text{ on } \pi_1 \quad \begin{array}{l} \hat{\Gamma} = \Gamma \\ \hat{e} = e_2 \\ \hat{e}' = e_2' \\ \hat{p} = p_1 \end{array}$$

$$\Gamma \vdash e_2' : p_1$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash e_1 : p_1 \rightarrow p \quad \Gamma \vdash e_2' : p_1}{(\rightarrow E) \quad \Gamma \vdash (e_1 \ e_2') : p}$$

• e is $(e_1 \ e_2)$

$$(arg) \quad \frac{\begin{array}{c} e_1 \quad \triangleright_{1p} \quad e_1' \\ (e_1 \ e_2) \quad \triangleright_{1p} \quad (e'_1 \ e_2) \end{array}}{\Gamma \vdash (e_1 \ e_2) : p}$$

$\swarrow \qquad \pi_1 \qquad \searrow$

e'

$\Gamma \vdash e_1 : P_1 \rightarrow P$

$\Gamma \vdash e_2 : P_1$

I.H. on π_1 , $\hat{\Gamma} = \Gamma$

$\hat{e} = e_1$

$\hat{e}' = \hat{e}_1'$

$\hat{P} = P_1 \rightarrow P$

$\Gamma \vdash e'_1 : P_1 \rightarrow P$

$\Gamma \vdash e'_1 : P_1 \rightarrow P$

$\Gamma \vdash e_2 : P_1$

$$(\rightarrow E) \frac{}{\Gamma \vdash (e'_1 e_2) : P}$$

- e is $\lambda x.e_1$



$$(\Sigma) \frac{e_1 \triangleright_{I_\beta} e_1'}{\lambda x. e_1 \triangleright_{I_\beta} \lambda x. e_1'}$$

$$\Gamma \vdash \lambda x. e_1 : \phi_1 \rightarrow \phi_2$$

↖

$$\Gamma, x : \phi_1 \vdash e_1 : \phi_2$$

By I.H on π_1 with

$$\hat{\Gamma} = \Gamma, x : \phi_1$$

$$\hat{e} = e_1$$

$$\hat{e}' = e_1'$$

$$\hat{\phi} = \phi_2$$

we get

$$\Gamma, x : \phi_1 \vdash e_1' : \phi_2$$