1 Lambda lifting

let
$$g = 22$$
;
fun add $a = a + g$;

Listing 1: Simple add in ML

$$add' = \lambda g.\lambda a.a + g$$
$$add = add'g \tag{1}$$

let
$$g = 22$$
;
fun r a = r (a + g);

Listing 2: Recursive function in ML

$$r' = \lambda r. \lambda g. \lambda a. r(g)(a+g)$$
$$r = (r'r')(g) \tag{2}$$

Listing 3: Mutually recursive function in ML

$$f' = \lambda f. \lambda y. \lambda g. \lambda a. y \ y \ f \ g \ (a+g)$$

$$y' = \lambda y. \lambda f. \lambda g. \lambda a. f \ f \ y \ g \ (a+g)$$

$$f = f' \ (f') \ (y')$$

$$y = y' \ (y') \ (f')$$
or
$$f' = \lambda y. \lambda g. \lambda a. y \ g \ (a+g)$$

$$y' = \lambda f. \lambda g. \lambda a. f \ g \ (a+g)$$

$$f = f' \ (y' \ f')$$

$$y = y' \ (f' \ y')$$
(3)

Listing 4: Mutually recursive closure in ML

$$m' = \lambda y.\lambda a.y \ a$$

$$y' = \lambda m.\lambda a.m \ a$$

$$y = y' \ (m' \ y')$$

$$m = m' \ (y' \ m')$$
(4)

Listing 5: Closures in ML

$$g' = \lambda q \lambda a. \lambda x. \lambda b. a + b + x + q$$

$$f' = \lambda q. \lambda a. g' \ q \ a \ 22$$

$$f = f' \ 11 \tag{5}$$