# **Dequeue-Side Semantics**

**Disclaimer**: we assume familiarity with [MLF<sup>+</sup>23], adopt its notational conventions, and steal its definitions! Further, we work with a specific subset of *Rio*, denoted **Rio**, namely

$$\frac{c \in \mathsf{Class}}{\mathsf{edf}[c], \mathsf{fifo}[c] \in \mathsf{Rio}} \mathsf{set2stream} \qquad \frac{n \in \mathbb{N} \qquad rs \in \mathsf{Rio}^n}{\mathsf{strict}[rs], \mathsf{rr}[rs] \in \mathsf{Rio}} \mathsf{stream2stream}$$

where **Class** is an opaque collection of *classes*.

#### 1 Structure and Semantics of Rio Trees

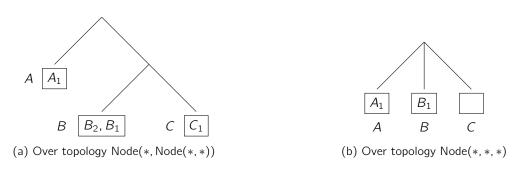


Figure 1. Rio trees decorated by classes A, B, and C

**Definition 1.1.** For topology  $t \in \textbf{Topo}$ , the set **RioTree**(t) of *Rio trees* over t is defined by

$$\frac{\rho \in \mathsf{PIFO}(\mathsf{Pkt}) \qquad c \in \mathsf{Class}}{\mathsf{Leaf}(\rho, c) \in \mathsf{RioTree}(*)} \qquad \frac{ts \in \mathsf{Topo}^n \qquad \forall 1 \leq i \leq n. \ qs[i] \in \mathsf{RioTree}(ts[i])}{\mathsf{Internal}(qs) \in \mathsf{RioTree}(\mathsf{Node}(ts))}$$

These are trees with leaves decorated by both classes and PIFOs.

**Definition 1.2.** For topology  $t \in \textbf{Topo}$ , the set OrdTree(t) of ordered trees over t is defined by

$$ts \in \mathbf{Topo}^n \qquad rs \in \mathbf{Rk}^n$$

$$\forall 1 \leq i < j \leq n. \ rs[i] \neq rs[j] \qquad \forall 1 \leq i \leq n. \ os[i] \in \mathbf{OrdTree}(ts[i])$$

$$\mathsf{Internal}(rs, os) \in \mathbf{OrdTree}(\mathsf{Node}(ts))$$

These are trees with each internal node's child given a *unique* rank, thereby inducing a total ordering of children.

Let **flow**:  $Pkt \rightarrow Class$  be an opaque mapping from packets to the class they belong to (flow inference).

**Definition 1.3.** For  $t \in \mathsf{Topo}$ , define push :  $\mathsf{RioTree}(t) \times \mathsf{Pkt} \times \mathsf{Rk} \to \mathsf{RioTree}(t)$  such that

$$\frac{\textbf{flow}(\mathsf{pkt}) = c \quad \mathsf{push}(p, \mathsf{pkt}, r) = p'}{\mathsf{push}(\mathsf{Leaf}(p, c), \mathsf{pkt}, r) = \mathsf{Leaf}(p', c)} \quad \frac{\forall 1 \leq i \leq |qs|. \; \mathsf{push}(qs[i], \mathsf{pkt}, r) = qs'[i]}{\mathsf{push}(\mathsf{Internal}(qs), \mathsf{pkt}, r) = \mathsf{Internal}(qs')} \quad \frac{\mathsf{flow}(\mathsf{pkt}) \neq c}{\mathsf{push}(\mathsf{Leaf}(p, c), \mathsf{pkt}, r) = \mathsf{Leaf}(p, c)}$$

Informally, we recursively push to all subtrees but only the PIFOs on leaves with the packet's flow are updated.

**Definition 1.4.** For  $t \in \mathsf{Topo}$ , define pop :  $\mathsf{RioTree}(t) \times \mathsf{OrdTree}(t) \rightharpoonup \mathsf{Pkt} \times \mathsf{RioTree}(t)$  such that

$$\begin{aligned} & \operatorname{pop}(qs[i], os[i]) = (\operatorname{pkt}, q) \\ & \operatorname{pop}(\operatorname{pop}(\operatorname{pet}, p')) \\ & \operatorname{pop}(\operatorname{Leaf}(p, c), \operatorname{Leaf}) = (\operatorname{pkt}, \operatorname{Leaf}(p', c)) \end{aligned} \qquad \begin{aligned} & \operatorname{pop}(qs[i], os[i]) = (\operatorname{pkt}, q) \\ & \forall 1 \leq j \leq |qs|, j \neq i \wedge \operatorname{pop}(qs[j], os[j]) = (\operatorname{pkt}', q') \implies rs[i] < rs[j] \\ & \operatorname{pop}(\operatorname{Internal}(qs), \operatorname{Internal}(rs, os)) = (\operatorname{pkt}, \operatorname{Internal}(qs[q/i])) \end{aligned}$$

Informally, we recursively pop the smallest ranked, poppable subtree.

## 2 Modelling Scheduling Algorithms

Like [MLF<sup>+</sup>23], we model scheduling algorithms through a *control*, a thin-layer over the tree policies run on. They keep track of

- (1) a state from a fixed collection **St**
- (2) an underlying tree of buffered packets
- (3) scheduling transactions that update state and construct auxillary structures to push or pop the tree

They come in two flavors: Rio & PIFO Controls. The former determines the order to forward packets at dequeue while latter does so at engueue.

#### 2.1 Controls

$$\frac{z_{\text{pre-push}}(s, \text{pkt}) = (r, s')}{\text{push}((s, q, z_{\text{pre-push}}, z_{\text{pre-pop}}, z_{\text{post-pop}}), \text{pkt}) = (s', q', z_{\text{pre-push}}, z_{\text{pre-pop}}, z_{\text{post-pop}})} \text{RioCtrl-Push}$$

$$\frac{z_{\text{pre-pop}}(s) = (o, s')}{\text{pop}((s, q, z_{\text{pre-push}}, z_{\text{pre-pop}}, z_{\text{post-pop}})) = (\text{pkt}, q')}{\text{pop}((s, q, z_{\text{pre-push}}, z_{\text{pre-push}}, z_{\text{pre-push}}, z_{\text{pre-pop}}, z_{\text{post-pop}}))} \text{RioCtrl-Pop}$$

$$\frac{z_{\text{pre-push}}(s, \text{pkt}) = (pt, s')}{\text{push}((s, q, z_{\text{pre-push}}, z_{\text{post-pop}}), \text{pkt}) = (s', q', z_{\text{pre-push}}, z_{\text{post-pop}})} \text{PIFOCtrl-Push}$$

$$\frac{pop(q) = (\text{pkt}, q')}{\text{pop}((s, q, z_{\text{pre-push}}, z_{\text{post-pop}})) = (\text{pkt}, (s', q', z_{\text{pre-push}}, z_{\text{post-pop}})} \text{PIFOCtrl-Pop}$$

Figure 2. Pushing and Popping Controls

**Definition 2.1.** Let  $t \in \textbf{Topo}$  and scheduling transactions  $z_{pre-push}$  and  $z_{post-pop}$  be partial functions

$$\begin{split} & z_{\text{pre-push}} : \textbf{St} \times \textbf{Pkt} \rightharpoonup \textbf{Path}(t) \times \textbf{St} \\ & z_{\text{post-pop}} : \textbf{St} \times \textbf{Pkt} \rightharpoonup \textbf{St} \end{split}$$

Define  $PIFOControl(t, z_{pre-push}, z_{post-pop})$  to be the set of quadruples

$$(s, q, z_{pre-push}, z_{post-pop})$$

where  $s \in \mathbf{St}$  and well-formed  $q \in \mathbf{PIFOTree}(t)$ .

**Definition 2.2.** Let  $t \in \textbf{Topo}$  and scheduling transactions  $z_{pre-push}$ ,  $z_{pre-pop}$ ,  $z_{post-pop}$  be partial functions

$$\begin{split} &z_{\text{pre-push}}: \textbf{St} \times \textbf{Pkt} \, \rightharpoonup \, \textbf{Rk} \times \textbf{St} \\ &z_{\text{pre-pop}}: \textbf{St} \, \rightharpoonup \, \textbf{OrdTree}(t) \times \textbf{St} \\ &z_{\text{post-pop}}: \textbf{St} \times \textbf{Pkt} \, \rightharpoonup \, \textbf{St} \end{split}$$

Define **RioControl**(t,  $z_{pre-push}$ ,  $z_{pre-pop}$ ,  $z_{post-pop}$ ) to be the set of quintuples

where  $s \in \mathbf{St}$  and  $q \in \mathbf{RioTree}(t)$ .

Both controls admit push and pop operations:

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push : PIFOControl(t, z_{pre-push}, z_{post-pop}) \times Pkt \rightharpoonup PIFOControl(t, z_{pre-push}, z_{post-pop})
pop : PIFOControl(t, z_{pre-push}, z_{post-pop}) \rightharpoonup Pkt \times PIFOControl(t, z_{pre-push}, z_{post-pop})
push : RioControl(t, z_{pre-push}, z_{pre-pop}, z_{post-pop}) \times Pkt \rightharpoonup RioControl(t, z_{pre-push}, z_{pre-pop}, z_{post-pop})
pop : RioControl(t, z_{pre-push}, z_{pre-pop}, z_{post-pop}) \rightharpoonup Pkt \times RioControl(t, z_{pre-push}, z_{pre-pop}, z_{post-pop})
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Their semantics are written out in full in Figure 2.

#### 2.2 Simulations

**Definition 2.3.** For  $t \in \textbf{Topo}$ , define  $empty_t \in \textbf{PIFOTree}(t)$  such that

$$\frac{p \in \mathsf{PIFO}(\mathsf{Pkt}) \quad \mathsf{pop}(p) \text{ is undefined}}{\mathsf{empty}_* = \mathsf{Leaf}(p)} \\ \frac{ts \in \mathsf{Topo}^n \quad p \in \mathsf{PIFO}(\{1, \dots, n\})}{\mathsf{pop}(p) \text{ is undefined}} \\ \frac{\mathsf{pop}(p) \text{ is undefined}}{\mathsf{empty}_{\mathsf{Node}(ts)} = \mathsf{Internal}(p, qs)}$$

Informally, empty<sub>t</sub> is a PIFO tree of topology t, with empty PIFOs at all nodes.

$$\textbf{Definition 2.4.} \ \ \mathsf{Define the} \ \rightarrow \ \subseteq \textbf{PIFOControl}(\mathit{t}, \mathsf{z}_{\mathsf{pre-push}}, \mathsf{z}_{\mathsf{post-pop}}) \times \textbf{PIFOControl}(\mathit{t}, \mathsf{z}_{\mathsf{pre-push}}, \mathsf{z}_{\mathsf{post-pop}}) \ \ \mathsf{by}$$

$$\frac{\mathsf{pkt} \in \mathbf{Pkt} \qquad \mathsf{push}(c, \mathsf{pkt}) = c'}{c \to c'} \, \mathsf{Step-Push} \qquad \qquad \frac{\mathsf{pop}(c) = (\mathsf{pkt}, c')}{c \to c'} \, \mathsf{Step-Pop}$$

i.e.  $c \to c'$  if c' is a push or pop from c. We write  $\to^*$  for the reflexive transitive closure of  $\to$ .

**Definition 2.5.** A partial function

$$f: \mathbf{PIFOControl}(t, \mathsf{z}_{\mathsf{pre-push}}, \mathsf{z}_{\mathsf{post-pop}}) \rightharpoonup \mathbf{RioControl}(t', \mathsf{z}'_{\mathsf{pre-push}}, \mathsf{z}'_{\mathsf{pre-pop}}, \mathsf{z}'_{\mathsf{post-pop}})$$

is simulation if the following conditions are satisfied:

- (1) There exists  $c_{\text{init}} = (s, q, z_{\text{pre-push}}, z_{\text{post-pop}})$  where  $q = \text{empty}_t$  and  $c_{\text{init}} \in \text{dom } f$ .
- (2) When  $c_{\text{init}} \to^* c_1$  and  $f(c_1) = c_2$ , we can guarantee the following:

(a) 
$$pop(c_1)$$
 is undefined  $\implies pop(c_2)$  is undefined

(b) 
$$pop(c_1) = (pkt, c'_1) \implies pop(c_2) = (pkt, c'_2) \land f(c'_1) = c'_2$$

(c) 
$$\operatorname{push}(c_1,\operatorname{pkt}) = c_1' \implies \operatorname{push}(c_2,\operatorname{pkt}) = c_2' \wedge f(c_1') = c_2'$$

### 3 Example Controls & Simulations

All further discussion takes St = set of dictionaries mapping  $string \rightarrow float$  and  $Rk = Class = \mathbb{N}$ .

#### 3.1 Round-Robin

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1 def z_pre-push(st, pkt):
                                           1 def z_pre-push(st, pkt):
                                           2    r = int(st["counter"])
2    r = st["counter"]
3
     st["counter"] += 1
                                                st["counter"] += 1.0
    f = flow(pkt)
                                              return r
4
   rank_ptr = "r_" + str(f)
                                          1 def z_pre-pop(st):
   r_i = int(st[rank_ptr])
                                           turn = int(s["turn"])
7 st["rank_ptr"] += float(n)
                                               rs = []
                                           3
  return ((f, r_i) :: r, st)
                                              for i in range(n):
                                           4
                                              rs.append((i - turn) % n)
1 def z_post-pop(st, pkt):
                                           6 return Internal(rs, [Leaf] * n)
2
   f = flow(pkt)
     turn = int(s["turn"])
3
                                           1 def z_post-pop(st, pkt):
    i = turn
4
                                           f = flow(pkt)
    while i != f:
5
                                               st["turn"] = float((f + 1) % n)
                                          3
      st["r_" + str(i)] += n
                                               return st
        i = (i + 1) \% n
  st["turn"] = float((f + 1) % n)
8
                                                       (b) Round-Robin Rio Control
  if turn >= st["turn"]:
9
10
     st["cycle"] += 1
11 return st
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(a) Round-Robin PIFO Control

Figure 3. Scheduling Transactions

For  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , let's put our theory to use by constructing PIFO and Rio controls for

$$rr[(FIFO[0], FIFO[1], \dots, FIFO[n-1])]$$

Both controls use the same underlying topology, namely

$$t = \mathsf{Node}(\underbrace{*, *, \dots, *}_{n \text{ times}})$$

Figure 3 describes their scheduling transactions in pseudocode. Therefore, we have the materials to define

**PIFOControl**
$$(t, z_{pre-push}, z_{post-pop})$$
 and **RioControl** $(t, z'_{pre-push}, z'_{pre-pop}, z'_{post-pop})$ 

I.e. the collection of PIFO and Rio controls for our program. Let's find a simulation between them!

**Definition 3.1.** Let 
$$c_{RR} = (s, empty_t, z_{pre-push}, z_{post-pop}) \in \textbf{PIFOControl}(t, z_{pre-push}, z_{post-pop})$$
, where  $s["counter"] = 0$   $s["turn"] = 0$   $s["cycle"] = 1$   $s["r\_" + str(i)] = i$  for all  $0 \le i \le n-1$ 

**Definition 3.2.** For set S, define ranks :  $PIFO(S) \times S \to \mathcal{M}(\mathbf{Rk})^1$  such that

$$\frac{\operatorname{pop}(p') = (j, p) \quad m = \min(\operatorname{ranks}(p', j)) \quad i = j}{\operatorname{ranks}(p, i) = \operatorname{ranks}(p', i) - \{m\}} \qquad \frac{\operatorname{pop}(p') = (j, p) \quad i \neq j}{\operatorname{ranks}(p) = \operatorname{ranks}(p', i)}$$

$$\frac{\operatorname{push}(p', j, r) = p \quad i = j}{\operatorname{ranks}(p, i) = \operatorname{ranks}(p, i) + \{r\}} \qquad \frac{\operatorname{pop}(p') = (j, p) \quad i \neq j}{\operatorname{ranks}(p) = \operatorname{ranks}(p', i)}$$

$$\frac{\operatorname{push}(p', j, r) = p \quad i \neq j}{\operatorname{ranks}(p, i) = \operatorname{ranks}(p', i)}$$

Informally, ranks(p, i) is the multiset of ranks with which i lives in PIFO p.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>We use  $\mathcal{M}(X)$  to denote the collection of multisets with entries in set X.

**Lemma 3.3.** If  $c_{RR} \rightarrow^* c = (s, q, z_{pre-push}, z_{post-pop})$  and p is q's root PIFO, i.e. q = Internal(p, qs), then

$$\operatorname{ranks}(p,i) = \begin{cases} \left\{ x \in \mathbf{Rk} \mid x \equiv i \pmod{n} \land n \cdot s[\text{``cycle''}] \leq x < s[\text{``r\_''} + \operatorname{str}(i)] \right\} & i < s[\text{``turn''}] \\ \left\{ x \in \mathbf{Rk} \mid x \equiv i \pmod{n} \land n \cdot (s[\text{``cycle''}] - 1) \leq x < s[\text{``r\_''} + \operatorname{str}(i)] \right\} & i \geq s[\text{``turn''}] \end{cases}$$

for all  $0 \le i \le n-1$ .

*Proof.* We'll proceed by induction on  $\rightarrow^*$ .

(Base Case) Let  $c = c_{RR}$  and fix arbitrary  $i \in [0, n-1]$ .

Recall  $q = \text{empty}_t$  by Definition 3.1. Therefore, pop(p) is undefined by Definition 2.3. Hence,

$$ranks(p, i) = \{\}$$

by Definition 3.2. Definition 3.1 also insists

$$s["turn"] = 0$$
  $s["cycle"] = 1$   $s["r_-" + str(i)] = i$ 

Hence,  $i \ge s["turn"]$  and

$$= \begin{cases} \left\{ x \in \mathbf{Rk} \mid x \equiv i \pmod{n} \land n \cdot s[\text{``cycle''}] \le x < s[\text{``r\_''} + \operatorname{str}(i)] \right\} & i < s[\text{``turn''}] \\ \left\{ x \in \mathbf{Rk} \mid x \equiv i \pmod{n} \land n \cdot \left( s[\text{``cycle''}] - 1 \right) \le x < s[\text{``r\_''} + \operatorname{str}(i)] \right\} & i \ge s[\text{``turn''}] \end{cases}$$

$$= \left\{ x \in \mathbf{Rk} \mid x \equiv i \pmod{n} \land n \cdot \left( s[\text{``cycle''}] - 1 \right) \le x < s[\text{``r\_''} + \operatorname{str}(i)] \right\}$$

$$= \left\{ x \in \mathbf{Rk} \mid x \equiv i \pmod{n} \land 0 \le x < i \right\} = \{ \}$$

Both sides of the desired equality are therefore the empty multiset {}.

(Inductive Step) Let  $c' = (s', q', z_{\text{pre-push}}, z_{\text{post-pop}}) \rightarrow c$  and q' = Internal(p', qs'). We have two cases. (Step-Push) Suppose c = push(c', pkt) and f = flow(pkt). From inspecting  $z_{\text{pre-push}}$  in Figure 3a,

$$\operatorname{push}\left(p',f,s'["r\_"+\operatorname{str}(f)]\right)=p \qquad \qquad s[x]=\begin{cases} s'[x]+n & x="r\_"+\operatorname{str}(f)\\ s'[x]+1 & x="\operatorname{counter}"\\ s'[x] & \operatorname{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Hence, by Definition 3.2 and the IH, for  $i \neq f$ ,

 $= \operatorname{ranks}(p, i) = \operatorname{ranks}(p', i)$ 

$$= \begin{cases} \left\{ x \in \mathbf{Rk} \mid x \equiv i \pmod{n} \land n \cdot s'[\text{"cycle"}] \le x < s'[\text{"r}_{-}\text{"} + \operatorname{str}(i)] \right\} & i < s'[\text{"turn"}] \\ \left\{ x \in \mathbf{Rk} \mid x \equiv i \pmod{n} \land n \cdot (s'[\text{"cycle"}] - 1) \le x < s'[\text{"r}_{-}\text{"} + \operatorname{str}(i)] \right\} & i \ge s'[\text{"turn"}] \end{cases}$$

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Instead, for i = f, let  $r = s'["r\_" + str(i)]$ . Definition 3.2 and the IH then once again show  $= ranks(p, i) = ranks(p', i) + \{r\}$ 

$$= \begin{cases} \left\{ x \in \mathbf{Rk} \mid x \equiv i \pmod{n} \land n \cdot s'[\text{``cycle''}] \le x < s'[\text{``r_-''} + \operatorname{str}(i)] \right\} + \{r\} & i < s'[\text{``turn''}] \\ \left\{ x \in \mathbf{Rk} \mid x \equiv i \pmod{n} \land n \cdot (s'[\text{``cycle''}] - 1) \le x < s'[\text{``r_-''} + \operatorname{str}(i)] \right\} + \{r\} & i \ge s'[\text{``turn''}] \end{cases}$$

$$= \begin{cases} \left\{ x \in \mathbf{Rk} \mid x \equiv i \pmod{n} \land n \cdot s'[\text{``cycle''}] \le x < s'[\text{``r_-''} + \operatorname{str}(i)] + n \right\} & i < s'[\text{``turn''}] \\ \left\{ x \in \mathbf{Rk} \mid x \equiv i \pmod{n} \land n \cdot (s'[\text{``cycle''}] - 1) \le x < s'[\text{``r_-''} + \operatorname{str}(i)] + n \right\} & i \ge s'[\text{``turn''}] \end{cases}$$

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(Step-Pop) Suppose (pkt, c) = pop(c') and f = **flow**(pkt). From inspecting  $z_{post-pop}$  in Figure 3a,

$$pop(p') = (f, p)$$
  $s["cycle"] \in \{s'["cycle"], s'["cycle"] + 1\}$ 

Consider the case where s["cycle"] = s'["cycle"], i.e.  $s'["turn"] \le f < s["turn"] = f + 1$ .

 $\bullet$  For i < s' ["turn"] or  $i \ge s$  ["turn"], lines 5-7 of  $z_{post-pop}$  in Figure 3a show

$$s["r_-" + str(i)] = s'["r_-" + str(i)]$$

Therefore, by Definition 3.2 and the IH,

$$= \operatorname{ranks}(p, i) = \operatorname{ranks}(p', i)$$

$$= \begin{cases} \left\{ x \in \mathbf{Rk} \mid x \equiv i \pmod{n} \wedge n \cdot s'[\text{``cycle''}] \leq x < s'[\text{``r_-''} + \operatorname{str}(i)] \right\} & i < s'[\text{``turn''}] \\ \left\{ x \in \mathbf{Rk} \mid x \equiv i \pmod{n} \wedge n \cdot (s'[\text{``cycle''}] - 1) \leq x < s'[\text{``r_-''} + \operatorname{str}(i)] \right\} & i \geq s'[\text{``turn''}] \end{cases}$$

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• For  $s'["turn"] \le i < f$ , lines 5-7 of  $z_{post-pop}$  in Figure 3a show

$$s["r_-" + str(i)] = s'["r_-" + str(i)] + n$$

and the IH says

$$\operatorname{ranks}(p',i) = \left\{ x \in \mathbf{Rk} \mid x \equiv i \pmod{n} \land n \cdot (s'[\text{"cycle"}] - 1) \le x < s'[\text{"r\_"} + \operatorname{str}(i)] \right\}$$

$$\operatorname{ranks}(p',f) = \left\{ x \in \mathbf{Rk} \mid x \equiv f \pmod{n} \land n \cdot (s'[\text{"cycle"}] - 1) \le x < s'[\text{"r\_"} + \operatorname{str}(f)] \right\}$$

Since popping p' returned f, it must be a minimally ranked element. However,

$$n \cdot (s'["cycle"] - 1) + i < n \cdot (s'["cycle"] - 1) + f$$

Therefore, ranks $(p', i) = \{\}$ : i.e. there are no numbers congruent to  $i \mod n$  in

$$[n \cdot (s'["cycle"] - 1), s'["r_-" + str(i)])$$

The same is therefore true of

$$[n \cdot s'["cycle"], s'["r_-" + str(i)] + n)$$

Putting all this together with Definition 3.2,

$$= \operatorname{ranks}(p, i) = \operatorname{ranks}(p', i)$$

$$= \left\{ x \in \mathbf{Rk} \mid x \equiv i \pmod{n} \land n \cdot (s'["cycle"] - 1) \le x < s'["r_-" + str(i)] \right\}$$
  
= \{\}

$$= \left\{ x \in \mathbf{Rk} \mid x \equiv i \pmod{n} \land n \cdot s'[\text{"cycle"}] \le x < s'[\text{"r\_"} + \text{str}(i)] + n \right\}$$

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$$= \left\{ \left\{ x \in \mathbf{Rk} \mid x \equiv i \pmod{n} \land n \cdot s[\text{"cycle"}] \le x < s[\text{"r\_"} + \operatorname{str}(i)] \right\} \quad i < s[\text{"turn"}] \right\}$$

$$\left\{ x \in \mathbf{Rk} \mid x \equiv i \pmod{n} \land n \cdot (s[\text{"cycle"}] - 1) \le x < s[\text{"r\_"} + \operatorname{str}(i)] \right\} \quad i \ge s[\text{"turn"}]$$

• For i = f, lines 5-7 of  $z_{post-pop}$  in Figure 3a yet again show

$$s["r_-" + str(i)] = s'["r_-" + str(i)]$$

and the IH says

$$\operatorname{ranks}(p',i) = \left\{ x \in \mathbf{Rk} \mid x \equiv i \pmod{n} \land n \cdot (s'[\text{``cycle''}] - 1) \le x < s'[\text{``}r\_\text{''} + \operatorname{str}(i)] \right\}$$

By Definition 3.2,

$$\begin{split} &= \operatorname{ranks}(p,i) = \operatorname{ranks}(p') - \{n \cdot (s'[\text{``cycle''}] - 1)\} \\ &= \left\{ x \in \operatorname{\mathbf{Rk}} \mid x \equiv i \pmod{n} \wedge n \cdot s'[\text{``cycle''}] \leq x < s'[\text{``}r_-\text{''} + \operatorname{str}(i)] \right\} \\ &= \left\{ x \in \operatorname{\mathbf{Rk}} \mid x \equiv i \pmod{n} \wedge n \cdot s[\text{``cycle''}] \leq x < s[\text{``}r_-\text{''} + \operatorname{str}(i)] \right\} \\ &= \left\{ \left\{ x \in \operatorname{\mathbf{Rk}} \mid x \equiv i \pmod{n} \wedge n \cdot s[\text{``cycle''}] \leq x < s[\text{``}r_-\text{''} + \operatorname{str}(i)] \right\} \quad i < s[\text{``turn''}] \\ &\left\{ x \in \operatorname{\mathbf{Rk}} \mid x \equiv i \pmod{n} \wedge n \cdot (s[\text{``cycle''}] - 1) \leq x < s[\text{``}r_-\text{''} + \operatorname{str}(i)] \right\} \quad i \geq s[\text{``turn''}] \end{split}$$

# 3.2 Strict

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