

1 Statically Typed String Sanitation Inside a 2 Python: Technical Report

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5 Abstract

6 This Technical Report contains supporting materials for Statically
7 Typed String Sanitation Inside a Python [1] including proofs of lem-
8 mas and theorems asserted in the paper, examples, and additional
9 discussion of the paper’s technical content.

10 1 Proofs of Lemmas and Theorems about λ_{RS}

11 This section presents proofs of lemmas and theorems about the type systems
12 presented in [1], the accompanying paper. In addition, we provide some
13 examples to help motivate and explain definitions.

14 To facilitate the type safety proof, we introduce a small step semantics
15 for both λ_{RS} and λ_P . All theorems in this section are proven as stated in [1].

16 Theorems and lemmas appearing in [1] are numbered, while supporting
17 facts appearing only in the Technical Report are lettered.

18 1.1 Head and Tail Operations

19 **Definition 1** (Definition of $\text{lhead}(r)$). The relation $\text{lhead}(r) = r'$ is defined
20 in terms of the structure of r :

- 21 • $\text{lhead}(\epsilon) = \epsilon$

- 22 • $\text{lhead}(\cdot) = a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_n$ for all $a_i \in \Sigma$ where $|\Sigma| = n$.
- 23 • $\text{lhead}(a) = a$
- 24 • $\text{lhead}(r_1 \cdot r_2) = \text{lhead}(r_1)$
- 25 • $\text{lhead}(r_1 + r_2) = \text{lhead}(r_1) + \text{lhead}(r_2)$
- 26 • $\text{lhead}(r*) = \epsilon + \text{lhead}(r)$

27 **Definition 2** (Brzozowski's Derivative). The *derivative of r with respect to*
 28 *s* is denoted by $\delta_s(r)$ and is $\delta_s(r) = \{t \mid st \in \mathcal{L}\{r\}\}$.

29 **Definition 3** (Definition of $\text{ltail}(r)$). The relation $\text{ltail}(r) = r'$ is defined
 30 in terms of $\text{lhead}(r)$. Note that $\text{lhead}(r) = a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_i$. We define
 31 $\text{ltail}(r) = \delta_{a_1}(r) + \delta_{a_2}(r) + \dots + \delta_{a_i}(r)$.

32 **TR Example A** (All the heads of all the tails can be more than one head
 33 and tail). $r \neq \text{lhead}(r) \cdot \text{ltail}(r)$.

34 *Proof.* A simple counter-example is $ab + cd$. Note that $\text{lhead}(ab + cd) = a + c$
 35 and $\text{ltail}(ab + cd) = b + d$. Therefore, $\{ad, bc\} \subset \mathcal{L}\{\text{lhead}(ab + cd) \cdot \text{ltail}(ab + cd)\}$
 36 even though neither of these is in $\mathcal{L}\{r\}$. \square

37 Example A does not imply a counter-example to type soundness because
 38 $s \in \mathcal{L}\{r\} \implies s \in \text{lhead}(r) \cdot \text{ltail}(r)$ is the property required for soundness.
 39 Still, in a production implementation, it will make sense to massage the def-
 40 initions of $\text{lhead}(r)$ and $\text{ltail}(r)$ so that type information is not unnecessarily
 41 lost during substring operations.

42 This is a general pattern in string operations: λ_{RS} simulates – within
 43 the type system – common operations on strings. If there is an operation for
 44 concatenating to strings, we define an operation for concatenating two regular
 45 expressions. If there is an operation for peeling off the first (n) characters
 46 of a string, then we define an operation for converting a regular expression r
 47 into a regular expression r' which recognizes any n^{th} suffix of a string in r .

48 It is important to note, however, that the type system need not *exactly*
 49 simulate the action of string operations. In the case of concatenation, we
 50 lose some information because more string values are possible – according
 51 the types – than are actually possible in the dynamic semantics. Soundness
 52 is not lost because the types are conservative in their approximation.

53 In the case of string replacement, there are *trivial* definitions of substitu-
 54 tion (on strings) and replacement (on languages) which over-approximate the
 55 effect of a substitution. Closing these gaps in approximation is important,
 56 and motivates the string operations portion of this technical report.

1.2 Some Corollaries About Substitution and Language Replacement

Definition 4 (**subst**). We consider several choices in the string operations section.

Definition 5 (**lreplace**). We consider several choices in the string operations section.

Proposition 6 (Closure). *If $\mathcal{L}\{r\}$, $\mathcal{L}\{r_1\}$ and $\mathcal{L}\{r_2\}$ are regular languages, then $\mathcal{L}\{\text{lreplace}(r, r_1, r_2)\}$ is also a regular language.*

Proof. This result is proven for various formulations in the next section. \square

Proposition 7 (Substitution Correspondence). *If $s_1 \in \mathcal{L}\{r_1\}$ and $s_2 \in \mathcal{L}\{r_2\}$ then $\text{subst}(r; s_1; s_2) \in \mathcal{L}\{\text{lreplace}(r, r_1, r_2)\}$.*

Proof. This is exactly the correctness result proven for some pairs of **subst** and **replace** in the previous section. \square

Lemma 8 (Properties of Regular Languages.).

- *If $s_1 \in \mathcal{L}\{r_1\}$ and $s_2 \in \mathcal{L}\{r_2\}$ then $s_1 s_2 \in \mathcal{L}\{r_1 \cdot r_2\}$.*
- *For all strings s and regular expressions r , either $s \in \mathcal{L}\{r\}$ or $s \notin \mathcal{L}\{r\}$.*
- *Regular languages are closed under reversal.*

Lemma 8 states some well-known properties about regular expressions.

Lemma 9. *If $\emptyset \vdash e : \text{stringin}[r]$ then r is a well-formed regular expression.*

Proof. The proof proceeds by induction on the derivation of the premise. The only non-trivial cases (those which require more than an appeal to inversion) are S-T-Case, S-T-Replace and S-T-Concat.

In the S-T-Case case, note that **lhead** and **ltail** are total functions for well-formed regular expressions to well-formed regular expressions.

In the S-T-Concat case, note that Lemma 6 implies that if r_1 and r_2 are regular expressions then so is $r_1 \cdot r_2$.

In the S-T-Replace case, it suffices to show that **lreplace**(r, r_1, r_2) is a regular expression assuming (inductively) that r, r_1 and r_2 are all regular expressions. This follows from the Closure proposition. \square

1.3 The Small Step Semantics

To prove type safety and the security theorems for the big step semantics, we first prove type safety for a small step semantics in Figure 7 and then extend this to the big step semantics in Figure 5 by proving a correspondence between the semantics.

TR Conjecture B. *if $\emptyset \vdash e : \sigma$ then $e \mapsto^* v$ such that $v \text{ val}$.*

We do not develop the full proof here, but note that the simply typed lambda calculus terminates. For the string fragment, observe that the S-T- rules do not add any non-trivial binding structure because substitutions $[e/x]e'$ may only occur in the special case where $e = \text{rstr}[s]$, so that the length of the term never increases and the number of free variables strictly decreases. Therefore, the standard normalization argument proceeds without complication after fixing an evaluation order for the compatibility rules (all our other proofs are agnostic to evaluation order).

TR Lemma C (Canonical Forms). *Suppose $v \text{ val}$.*

If $\emptyset \vdash v : \text{stringin}[r]$ then $v = \text{rstr}[s]$.

If $\emptyset \vdash v : \sigma \rightarrow \sigma'$ then $v = \lambda x.e'$ for some e' .

Proof. By inspection of valuation and typing rules. □

For the sake of completeness, we include a statement of the weaker lemma stated in the paper:

Lemma 10 (Canonical Forms for the String Fragment of λ_{RS}). *If $\emptyset \vdash e : \text{stringin}[r]$ and $e \Downarrow v$ then $v = \text{rstr}[s]$.*

Proof. This fact follows directly from Lemma C. □

TR Lemma D (Progress of small step semantics.). *If $\emptyset \vdash e : \sigma$ either $e \text{ val}$ or $e \mapsto e'$ for some e' .*

Proof. The proof proceeds by induction on the derivation of $\emptyset \vdash e : \sigma$.

λ fragment. Cases SS-T-Var, SS-T-Abs, and SS-T-App are exactly as in a proof of type safety for the simply typed lambda calculus.

S-T-Stringin-I. Suppose $\emptyset \vdash \text{rstr}[s] : \text{stringin}[s]$. The $\text{rstr}[s]$ val by SS-E-RStr.

116 **S-T-Concat.** Suppose $\emptyset \vdash \text{rconcat}(e_1; e_2) : \text{stringin}[s]$. By inversion
 117 and induction, $e_1 \mapsto e'_1$ or $e_1 \text{ val}$ and similarly for e_2 . If e_1 steps,
 118 then SS-E-Concat-Left applies and so $\text{rconcat}(e_1; e_2) \mapsto \text{rconcat}(e'_1; e_2)$.
 119 Similarly, if e_2 steps then e steps by SS-E-Concat-Right.

120 In the remaining case, $e_1 \text{ val}$ and $e_2 \text{ val}$. But then it follows by Canonical
 121 Forms that $e_1 = \text{rstr}[s_1]$ and $e_2 = \text{rstr}[s_2]$. Finally, by SS-E-Concat,
 122 $\text{rconcat}(\text{rstr}[s_1]; \text{rstr}[s_2]) \mapsto \text{rstr}[s_1 s_2]$.

123 **S-T-Case.** Suppose $e = \text{rstrcase}(e_1; e_2; x, y.e_3)$. By inversion,
 124 $\emptyset \vdash e_1 : \text{stringin}[r]$. From this fact, induction, and Canonical Forms
 125 it follows that $e_1 \mapsto e'_1$ or $e_1 = \text{rstr}[s]$. In the former case, e steps by
 126 S-E-Case-Left. In the latter case, note that $s = \epsilon$ or $s = at$ for some
 127 string t . If $s = \epsilon$ then e steps by S-E-Case- ϵ -Val, and if $s = at$ the e
 128 steps by S-E-Case-Concat.

S-T-Replace. Suppose $e = \text{rreplace}[r](e_1; e_2)$ and $\emptyset \vdash e : \text{stringin}[r']$
 where, by inversion of S-T-Replace,

$$\emptyset \vdash e_1 : \text{stringin}[r_1] \tag{1}$$

$$\emptyset \vdash e_2 : \text{stringin}[r_2] \tag{2}$$

$$\text{lreplace}(r, r_1, r_2) = r' \tag{3}$$

129 By (1), inversion and induction $e_1 \text{ val}$ or $e_1 \mapsto e'_1$ for some e'_1 . If $e_1 \mapsto e'_1$
 130 then e steps by SS-E-Replace-Left. Similarly, if e_2 steps then e steps by
 131 SS-E-Replace-Right. The only remaining case is where $e_1 \text{ val}$ and also
 132 $e_2 \text{ val}$. But then by Canonical Forms, $e_1 = \text{rstr}[s_1]$ and $e_2 = \text{rstr}[s_2]$.
 133 Therefore, $e \mapsto \text{rstr}[\text{subst}(r; s_1; s_2)]$ by SS-E-Replace.

134 **S-T-SafeCoerce.** Suppose that $\emptyset \vdash \text{rcoerce}[r](e_1) : \text{stringin}[r]$. By
 135 inversion of S-T-SafeCoerce, $\emptyset \vdash e_1 : \text{stringin}[r']$ for $\mathcal{L}\{r'\} \subseteq \mathcal{L}\{r\}$. By
 136 induction, $e_1 \text{ val}$ or $e_1 \mapsto e'_1$ for some e'_1 . If $e_1 \mapsto e'_1$ then e steps
 137 by SS-E-SafeCoerce-Step. Otherwise, $e_1 \text{ val}$ and by Canonical Forms
 138 $e_1 = \text{rstr}[s]$. In this case, $e = \text{rcoerce}[r](\text{rstr}[s]) \mapsto \text{rstr}[s]$ by SS-E-
 139 SafeCoerce.

S-T-SafeCheck Suppose that $\emptyset \vdash \text{rcheck}[r](e_0; x.e_1; e_2) : \text{stringin}[r]$.

By inversion of S-T-Check:

$$\vdash e_0 : \text{stringin}[r_0] \quad (4)$$

$$x : \text{stringin}[r] \vdash e_1 : \sigma \quad (5)$$

$$\vdash e_2 : \sigma \quad (6)$$

140 By (6) and induction, $e_0 \mapsto e'_0$ or e_0 **val**. In the former case e steps by
 141 SS-E-Check-StepRight. Otherwise, $e_0 = \text{rstr}[s]$ by Canonical Forms.
 142 By Lemma 8, either $s \in \mathcal{L}\{r_0\}$ or $s \notin \mathcal{L}\{r_0\}$. In the former case e
 143 takes a step by SS-E-Check-Ok. In the latter case e takes a step by
 144 SS-E-Check-NotOk.

145 □

146 **TR Lemma E** (Preservation for Small Step Semantics). *If $\emptyset \vdash e : \sigma$ and*
 147 *$e \mapsto e'$ then $\emptyset \vdash e : \sigma$.*

148 *Proof.* By induction on the derivation of $e \mapsto e'$.

149 **λ fragment.** Cases SS-T-Var, SS-T-Abs, and SS-T-App are exactly as
 150 in a proof of type safety for the simply typed lambda calculus.

151 **SS-E-Concat-Left.** Suppose $e = \text{rconcat}(e_1; e_2) \mapsto \text{rconcat}(e'_1; e_2)$ and
 152 $e_1 \mapsto e'_1$. By inversion of S-T-Concat, $\emptyset \vdash e_1 : \text{stringin}[r_1]$ where
 153 $\emptyset \vdash e : \text{stringin}[r_1 r_2]$. By induction, if $e_1 \mapsto e'_1$ then $\emptyset \vdash e'_1 : \text{stringin}[r_1]$.
 154 Therefore, $\emptyset \vdash \text{rconcat}(e'_1; e_2) : \text{stringin}[r_1 r_2]$.

155 **SS-E-Concat-Right.** Similar to SS-E-Concat-Left.

156 **SS-E-Concat.** Suppose $\emptyset \vdash \text{rconcat}(\text{rstr}[s_1]; \text{rstr}[s_2]) : \text{stringin}[r_1 r_2]$ and
 157 $\text{rconcat}(\text{rstr}[s_1]; \text{rstr}[s_2]) \mapsto \text{rstr}[s_1 s_2]$. Then by inversion $\emptyset \vdash \text{rstr}[s_1] :$
 158 $\text{stringin}[r_1]$ and similarly for $\text{rstr}[s_2]$. Therefore, $s_1 \in \mathcal{L}\{r_1\}$ and
 159 $s_2 \in \mathcal{L}\{r_2\}$ from which it follows by Lemma 8 that $s_1 s_2 \in \mathcal{L}\{r_1 r_2\}$.
 160 Therefore, $\emptyset \vdash \text{rstr}[s_1 s_2] : \text{stringin}[r_1 r_2]$ by S-T-Rstr.

S-E-Case-Left. Suppose that $e = \text{rstrcase}(e_1; e_2; x, y.e_3)$ and also that
 $e \mapsto \text{rstrcase}(e'_1; e_2; x, y.e_3)$ and $\emptyset \vdash e : \text{stringin}[r]$. By inversion of S-T-
 Case:

$$\emptyset \vdash e_1 : \text{stringin}[r] \quad (7)$$

$$\emptyset \vdash e_2 : \sigma \quad (8)$$

$$x : \text{stringin}[\text{lhead}(r)], y : \text{stringin}[\text{ltail}(r)] \vdash e_3 : \sigma \quad (9)$$

161 By (7) and the assumption that $e_1 \mapsto e'_1$, it follows by induction that
 162 $\emptyset \vdash e'_1 : \text{stringin}[r]$. This fact together with (8) and (9) implies by
 163 S-T-Case that $\emptyset \vdash \text{rstrcase}(e'_1; e_2; x, y.e_3) : \sigma$.

SS-E-Case-Right. We have that $e = \text{rstrcase}(e_1; e_2; x, y.e_3)$, Suppose
 $e \mapsto \text{rstrcase}(e_1; e'_2; x, y.e_3)$ and $\emptyset \vdash e : \text{stringin}[r]$. By inversion of S-T-
 Case:

$$\emptyset \vdash e_1 : \text{stringin}[r] \quad (10)$$

$$\emptyset \vdash e_2 : \sigma \quad (11)$$

$$x : \text{stringin}[\text{lhead}(r)], y : \text{stringin}[\text{ltail}(r)] \vdash e_3 : \sigma \quad (12)$$

164 By (11) and the assumption that $e_2 \mapsto e'_2$, it follows by induction that
 165 $\emptyset \vdash e'_2 : \text{stringin}[r]$. This fact together with (10) and (12) implies by
 166 S-T-Case that $\emptyset \vdash \text{rstrcase}(e_1; e'_2; x, y.e_3) : \sigma$.

SS-E-Case-Val. Suppose:

$$e = \text{rstrcase}(-; e_2; -)$$

$$\emptyset \vdash e : \sigma$$

$$e \mapsto e_2$$

167 By inversion of S-T-Case, $e_2 : \sigma$.

SS-E-Case-Concat. Suppose that $e = \text{rstrcase}(\text{rstr}[as]; e_2; x, y.e_3) \mapsto$
 $[\text{rstr}[a], \text{rstr}[s]/x, y]e_3$ and that $\emptyset \vdash e : \sigma$. By inversion of S-T-Case:

$$\emptyset \vdash \text{rstr}[as] : \text{stringin}[r] \quad (13)$$

$$\emptyset \vdash \text{rstr}[e_2] : \sigma \quad (14)$$

$$x : \text{stringin}[\text{lhead}(r)], y : \text{stringin}[\text{ltail}(r)] \vdash e_3 : \sigma \quad (15)$$

168 We know that $as \in \mathcal{L}\{r\}$ by (13) and inversion of S-T-Rstr. Therefore,
 169 $a \in \mathcal{L}\{\text{lhead}(r)\}$ by definition of lhead . Furthermore, $\text{ltail}(r) = \dots|\delta_a r|\dots$
 170 by definition of ltail . Note that $s \in \mathcal{L}\{\delta_a r\}$ by definition of the deriva-
 171 tive, and so $s \in \mathcal{L}\{\text{ltail}(r)\}$

172 From these facts about a and s we know by S-T-Rstr that $\emptyset \vdash \text{rstr}[a] :$
 173 $\text{stringin}[\text{lhead}(r)]$ and $\emptyset \vdash \text{rstr}[s] : \text{stringin}[\text{lhead}(r)]$. It follows by (15)
 174 that $\emptyset \vdash [\text{rstr}[a], \text{rstr}[s]/x, y]e_3 : \sigma$.

175 Cases **SS-E-Replace-Left**, **SS-E-Replace-Right**, **SS-E-Check-**
 176 **StepLeft**, **SS-E-SafeCoerce-Step**, **SS-E-Check-StepRight**. At
 177 this point the method for handling compatibility cases is clear; there-
 178 fore, we elide these cases.

179 **Case SS-E-Replace.**

Suppose $e = \text{rreplace}[r](\text{rstr}[s_1]; \text{rstr}[s_2]) \mapsto \text{rstr}[\text{subst}(r; s_1; s_2)]$. Assume $\emptyset \vdash e : \text{stringin}[r']$ for $r' = \text{lreplace}(r, r_1, r_2)$. Then by inversion of S-T-Replace:

$$\begin{aligned} \emptyset \vdash \text{rstr}[s_1] &: \text{stringin}[r_1] \\ \emptyset \vdash \text{rstr}[s_2] &: \text{stringin}[r_2] \end{aligned}$$

180 from which follows that $s_1 \in \mathcal{L}\{r_1\}$ and $s_2 \in \mathcal{L}\{r_2\}$. Therefore,
 181 $\text{subst}(r; s_1; s_2) \in \mathcal{L}\{\text{lreplace}(r, r_1, r_2)\}$ by Theorem 7. It is finally
 182 derivable by S-T-Rstr that:

$$183 \quad \emptyset \vdash \text{rstr}[\text{subst}(r; s_1; s_2)] : \text{stringin}[\text{lreplace}(r, r_1, r_2)].$$

184 **Case SS-E-SafeCoerce.** Suppose that $\text{rcoerce}[r](s_1) \mapsto \text{rstr}[s_1]$ and
 185 that $\emptyset \vdash \text{rcoerce}[r](s_1) : \text{stringin}[r]$. By inversion of S-T-SafeCoerce we
 186 know that $s \in \mathcal{L}\{r\}$. Therefore, $\emptyset \vdash s : \text{stringin}[r]$.

187 **Case SS-E-Check-Ok.** Suppose $\text{rcheck}[r](\text{rstr}[s]; x.e_1; e_2) \mapsto [\text{rstr}[s]/x]e_1$,
 188 $s \in \mathcal{L}\{r\}$, and $\emptyset \vdash \text{rcheck}[r](\text{rstr}[s]; x.e_1; e_2) : \sigma$. By inversion of S-T-
 189 Check, $x : \text{stringin}[r] \vdash e_1 : \sigma$. Note that $s \in \mathcal{L}\{r\}$ implies that
 190 $s : \text{stringin}[r]$ by S-T-RStr. Therefore, $\emptyset \vdash [\text{rstr}[s]/x]e_1 : \sigma$.

191 **Case SS-E-Check-NotOk.** Suppose $\text{rcheck}[r](\text{rstr}[s]; x.e_1; e_2) \mapsto e_2$,
 192 $s \notin \mathcal{L}\{r\}$, and $\emptyset \vdash \text{rcheck}[r](\text{rstr}[s]; x.e_1; e_2) : \sigma$. By inversion of S-T-
 193 Check, $\emptyset \vdash e_2 : \sigma$.

194 □

195 **TR Theorem F** (Type Safety for small step semantics.). *If $\emptyset \vdash e : \sigma$ then*
 196 *either $e \text{ val}$ or $e \mapsto^* e'$ and $\emptyset \vdash e' : \sigma$.*

197 *Proof.* Follows directly from progress and preservation. □

198 **1.3.1 Semantic Correspondence between Big and Small Step Se-**
 199 **mantics for λ_{RS}**

200 Before extending the previous theorem to the big step semantics, we first
 201 establish a correspondence between the big step semantics in Figure 7 and
 202 the small step semantics in Figure 5.

203 **TR Theorem G** (Semantic Correspondence for λ_{RS} (Part I)). *If $e \Downarrow v$ then*
 204 *$e \mapsto^* v$.*

205 *Proof.* We proceed by structural induction on e .

206 **Case** $e = \lambda x.e_1$. The only applicable rule is S-E-Abs, so $v = \lambda x.e_1$.
 207 Note that $\lambda x.e_2 \mapsto^* \lambda x.e_2$ by RT-Refl.

Case $e = e_1(e_2)$. The only applicable rule is S-E-App. By inversion,
 we establish that the following:

$$\begin{aligned} e_1 &\Downarrow \lambda x.e'_1 \\ e_2 &\Downarrow v_2 \\ [v_2/x]e'_1 &\Downarrow v \end{aligned}$$

From which it follows by induction that:

$$\begin{aligned} e_1 &\mapsto^* \lambda x.e'_1 \\ e_2 &\mapsto^* v_2 \\ [v_2/x]e'_1 &\mapsto^* v \end{aligned}$$

Note that the following rule is derivable by repeating applications of
 the left and right compatibility rules for application:

$$\frac{\text{L*-APP} \quad e_1 \mapsto^* e'_1 \quad e_2 \mapsto^* e'_2}{e_1(e_2) \mapsto^* e'_1(e'_2)}$$

208 From these facts and L-AppAbs, we may establish that $e_1(e_2) \mapsto^*$
 209 $(\lambda x.e_2)(v_2) \mapsto [v_2/x]e_2$. Note that $[v_2/x]e_2 \mapsto^* v$, so by RT-Trans it
 210 follows that $e = e_1(e_2) \mapsto^* v$.

211 **Case** $e = \mathbf{rstr}[s]$. The only applicable rule is S-E-RStr, so $v = \mathbf{rstr}[s]$.
 212 By RT-Refl, $\mathbf{rstr}[s] \mapsto^* \mathbf{rstr}[s]$.

Case $e = \mathbf{rconcat}(e_1; e_2)$. The only applicable rule is S-E-Concat, so
 $v = \mathbf{rstr}[s_1 s_2]$. By inversion, $e_1 \Downarrow \mathbf{rstr}[s_1]$ and $e_2 \Downarrow \mathbf{rstr}[s_2]$. By induction,
 $e_1 \mapsto^* \mathbf{rstr}[s_1]$ and $e_2 \mapsto^* \mathbf{rstr}[s_2]$. Note that the rule following is
 derivable:

$$\frac{\text{SS-E-CONCAT-LR}^* \quad \begin{array}{c} e_1 \mapsto^* e'_1 \quad e_2 \mapsto^* e'_2 \end{array}}{\mathbf{rconcat}(e_1; e_2) \mapsto^* \mathbf{rconcat}(e'_1; e'_2)}$$

213 From these facts, it follows that $\mathbf{rconcat}(e_1; e_2) \mapsto^* \mathbf{rconcat}(\mathbf{rstr}[s_1]; \mathbf{rstr}[s_2])$.
 214 Finally, $\mathbf{rconcat}(\mathbf{rstr}[s_1]; \mathbf{rstr}[s_2]) \mapsto \mathbf{rstr}[s_1 s_2]$ by SS-E-Concat. By RT-
 215 Step, it follows that $\mathbf{rconcat}(e_1; e_2) \mapsto^* \mathbf{rstr}[s_1 s_2]$.

216 **Case** $e = \mathbf{rstrcase}(e_1; e_2; x, y.e_3)$.

There are two subcases. For the first, suppose $\mathbf{rstrcase}(e_1; e_2; x, y.e_3) \Downarrow v$
 was finally derived by S-E-Case- ϵ . By inversion:

$$\begin{array}{c} e_1 \Downarrow \mathbf{rstr}[\epsilon] \\ e_2 \Downarrow v \end{array}$$

from which it follows by induction that:

$$\begin{array}{c} e_1 \mapsto^* \mathbf{rstr}[\epsilon] \\ e_2 \mapsto^* v \end{array}$$

217 Note that the following rule is derivable:

$$\frac{\text{SS-E-CASE-LR}^* \quad \begin{array}{c} e_1 \mapsto^* e'_1 \quad e_2 \mapsto^* e'_2 \end{array}}{\mathbf{rstrcase}(e_1; e_2; x, y.e_3) \mapsto^* \mathbf{rstrcase}(e'_1; e'_2; x, y.e_3)}$$

218 From these facts it follows that $e \mapsto^* \mathbf{rstrcase}(\mathbf{rstr}[\epsilon]; v; x, y.e_3)$. By
 219 S-E-Case- ϵ -Val and RT-Step it follows that $e \mapsto^* v$.

220 Now consider the other case where $\mathbf{rstrcase}(e_1; e_2; x, y.e_3) \Downarrow v$ was fi-
 221 nally derived by S-E-Case-Concat. By inversion, $e_1 \Downarrow \mathbf{rstr}[as]$ and

222 $[\mathbf{rstr}[a], \mathbf{rstr}[s]/x, y]e_3 \Downarrow v$. From these facts it follows by induction that
 223 $e_1 \mapsto^* \mathbf{rstr}[as]$ and $[\mathbf{rstr}[a], \mathbf{rstr}[s]/x, y]e_3 \mapsto^* v$.

224 By the first of these facts, it is derivable via SS-E-Case-LR* that
 225 $e \mapsto^* \mathbf{rstrcase}(e'_1; \mathbf{rstr}[as]; x, y.e_3)$. SE-E-Case-Concat applies to this
 226 form, so by RT-Step we know $e \mapsto^* [\mathbf{rstr}[a], \mathbf{rstr}[s]/x, y]e_3$. Recall that
 227 $[\mathbf{rstr}[a], \mathbf{rstr}[s]/x, y]e_3 \mapsto^* v$, so by RT-Trans we finally derive $e \mapsto^* v$.

Case $e = \mathbf{rreplace}[r](e_1; e_2)$. There is only one applicable rule, so $v = \mathbf{rstr}[s]$ and by inversion it follows that:

$$\begin{aligned} e_1 &\Downarrow \mathbf{rstr}[s_1] \\ e_2 &\Downarrow \mathbf{rstr}[s_2] \end{aligned}$$

From which it follows by induction that:

$$\begin{aligned} e_1 &\mapsto^* \mathbf{rstr}[s_1] \\ e_2 &\mapsto^* \mathbf{rstr}[s_2] \end{aligned}$$

228 Furthermore, $\mathbf{subst}(r; s_1; s_2) = s$ by induction. Note that the following
 229 rule is derivable:

$$\frac{\text{SS-E-REPLACE-LR}^* \quad \begin{array}{c} e_1 \mapsto^* e'_1 \quad e_2 \mapsto^* e'_2 \end{array}}{\mathbf{rreplace}[r](e_1; e_2) \mapsto^* \mathbf{rreplace}[r](e'_1; e'_2)}$$

230 From these facts, $\mathbf{rreplace}[r](e_1; e_2) \mapsto^* \mathbf{rreplace}[r](\mathbf{rstr}[s_1]; \mathbf{rstr}[s_2])$.

231 Finally, $\mathbf{rreplace}[r](\mathbf{rstr}[s_1]; \mathbf{rstr}[s_2]) \mapsto \mathbf{subst}(r; s_1; s_2)$.

232 From these two facts we know via RT-Step that $\mathbf{rreplace}[r](e_1; e_2) \mapsto^*$
 233 $\mathbf{rreplace}[r](e_1; e_2)$. Recall that $\mathbf{subst}(r; s_1; s_2) = s$, from which the con-
 234 clusion follows.

235 **Case** $e = \mathbf{rcoerce}[r](e_1)$. In this case $e \Downarrow v$ is only finally derivable via
 236 S-E-SafeCoerce. Therefore, $v = \mathbf{rstr}[s]$ and by inversion $e_1 \Downarrow \mathbf{rstr}[s]$. By
 237 induction, $e_1 \mapsto^* \mathbf{rstr}[s]$.

238 The following rule is derivable:

$$\frac{\text{SS-E-SAFE-CoERCE-STEP} \quad e \mapsto^* e'}{\text{rcoerce}[r](e) \mapsto^* \text{rcoerce}[r](e')}$$

239 Applying this rule at $e_1 \mapsto^* \mathbf{rstr}[s]$ derives $\text{rcoerce}[r](e_1) \mapsto^* \text{rcoerce}[r](\mathbf{rstr}[s])$.
 240 In the final step, $\text{rcoerce}[r](\mathbf{rstr}[s]) \mapsto \mathbf{rstr}[s]$ by SS-E-SafeCoerce. From
 241 this fact, we may derive via RT-Trans that $e \mapsto^* \mathbf{rstr}[s]$ as required.

242 **Case** $e = \text{rcheck}[r](e_1; x.e_2; e_3)$.

243 Note that the rule following is derivable:

$$\frac{\text{SS-E-CHECK-STEP} \quad e_1 \mapsto^* e'_1 \quad e_3 \mapsto^* e'_3}{\text{rcheck}[r](e_1; x.e_2; e_3) \mapsto^* \text{rcheck}[r](e'_1; x.e_2; e'_3)}$$

244 There are two ways to finally derive $e \Downarrow v$. In both cases, $e_1 \Downarrow \mathbf{rstr}[s]$
 245 by inversion. Therefore, in both cases, $e_1 \mapsto^* \mathbf{rstr}[s]$ by induction and
 246 so $e \mapsto^* \text{rcheck}[r](\mathbf{rstr}[s]; x.e_2; e_3)$ by SS-E-Check-Step.

247 Suppose $e \Downarrow v$ is finally derived via SS-E-Check-Ok. By the facts
 248 mentioned above and SS-E-Check-Step, $e \mapsto^* \text{rcheck}[r](\mathbf{rstr}[s]; x.e_2; e_2)$.
 249 Note that by inversion $s \in \mathcal{L}\{r\}$. Therefore, SS-E-Check-Ok applies
 250 and so by RT-Trans $e \mapsto^* [\mathbf{rstr}[s]/x]e_1$. By inversion, $[\mathbf{rstr}[s]/x]e_1 \Downarrow v$.
 251 Therefore, by induction and RT-Step $e \mapsto^* v$ as required.

252 Suppose that $e \Downarrow v$ is instead finally derived via SS-E-Check-NotOk.
 253 By inversion, $e_3 \Downarrow v$ and by induction $e_3 \mapsto^* v$. From these facts at
 254 SS-E-Check-Step, it is derivable that $e \mapsto^* \text{rcheck}[r](\mathbf{rstr}[s]; x.e_2; v)$.

255 Also by inversion, $s \notin \mathcal{L}\{r\}$ and so SS-E-Check-NotOk applies. There-
 256 fore, $\text{rcheck}[r](\mathbf{rstr}[s]; x.e_2; v) \mapsto v$.

257 The conclusion $e \mapsto^* v$ follows from these facts by RT-Step.

258 □

259 **TR Theorem H** (Semantic Correspondence for λ_{RS} (Part II)). *If $\emptyset \vdash e : \sigma$,*
 260 *$e \mapsto^* v$ and v val then $e \Downarrow v$.*

261 *Proof.* The proof proceeds by structural induction on e .

262 **Case** $e = \text{concat}(e_1; e_2)$. By inversion, $\emptyset \vdash e_1 : \text{stringin}[r_1]$. By Type
 263 Safety, Canonical Forms and Termination it follows that $e_1 \mapsto^* \text{rstr}[s_1]$
 264 for some s_1 . By induction, $e_1 \Downarrow \text{rstr}[s_1]$.

265 Similarly, $e_2 \mapsto^* \text{rstr}[s_2]$ and $e_2 \Downarrow \text{rstr}[s_2]$.

266 Note that $\text{concat}(e_1; e_2) \mapsto^* \text{concat}(\text{rstr}[s_1]; \text{rstr}[s_2]) \mapsto \text{rstr}[s_1 s_2]$ by SS-
 267 E-Concat-LR* and S-E-Concat. Therefore, $e \mapsto^* \text{rstr}[s_1 s_2]$ by RT-Step.
 268 So it suffices to show that $e \Downarrow \text{rstr}[s_1 s_2]$.

269 Finally, $e \Downarrow \text{rstr}[s_1 s_2]$ follows via S-E-Concat from the facts that $e_1 \Downarrow$
 270 $\text{rstr}[s_1]$ and $e_2 \Downarrow \text{rstr}[s_2]$. This completes the case.

271 **Case** $e = \text{rreplace}[r](e_1; e_2)$. By inversion of S-T-Replace, $\emptyset \vdash e_1 :$
 272 $\text{stringin}[r_1]$ for some r_1 . It follows by Type Safety, Termination and
 273 Canonical Forms that $e_1 \mapsto^* \text{rstr}[s_1]$. By induction, $e_1 \Downarrow \text{rstr}[s_1]$.

274 Similarly, $e_2 \mapsto^* \text{rstr}[s_2]$ and $e_2 \Downarrow \text{rstr}[s_2]$.

275 Note that $e \mapsto^* \text{rreplace}[r](\text{rstr}[s_1]; \text{rstr}[s_2]) \mapsto \text{rstr}[\text{subst}(r; s_1; s_2)]$ by SS-
 276 Replace-LR* and SS-E-Replace. Therefore $e \mapsto^* \text{rstr}[\text{subst}(r; s_1; s_2)]$ by
 277 RT-Step.

278 It suffices to show $e \Downarrow \text{rstr}[\text{subst}(r; s_1; s_2)]$, which follows by S-E-Replace
 279 from the facts that $e_1 \Downarrow \text{rstr}[s_1]$ and $e_2 \Downarrow \text{rstr}[s_2]$.

280 **Case** $e = \text{rstrcase}(e_1; e_2; x.y.e_3)$. By inversion, $\emptyset \vdash e_1 : \text{stringin}[r]$ and
 281 $e_2 : \sigma$. By Type Safety, Canonical Forms and Termination $e_1 \mapsto^*$
 282 $\text{stringin}[s_1]$ and by induction $e_1 \Downarrow \text{stringin}[s_1]$. Similarly, $e_2 \mapsto^* v_2$ and
 283 $\emptyset \vdash e_2 \Downarrow v_2$.

284 By SS-E-Case-LR*, $\text{rstrcase}(e_1; e_2; x.y.e_3) \mapsto^* \text{rstrcase}(v_1; v_2; x.y.e_3)$.

285 Note that either $s_1 = \epsilon$ or $s_1 = as$ because we define strings as either
 286 empty or finite sequences of characters. We proceed by cases.

287 If $s_1 = \epsilon$ then $\text{rstrcase}(v; v_2; x.y.e_3) \mapsto v_2$ by SS-E-Case- ϵ . Therefore,
 288 by RT-Step, $e \mapsto^* v_2$. Recall $e_1 \Downarrow \text{rstr}[\epsilon]$ and $e_2 \Downarrow v_2$, which is enough
 289 to establish by S-E-Case- ϵ that $e \Downarrow v_2$.

290 If $s_1 = as$ instead, then $\text{rstrcase}(\text{rstr}[s_1]; v_2; x.y.e_3) \mapsto [\text{rstr}[a], \text{rstr}[s]/x, y]e_3$
 291 by SS-E-Case-Concat. Inversion of the typing relation satisfies the as-
 292 sumptions necessary to appeal to termination. Therefore,

$[\mathbf{rstr}[a], \mathbf{rstr}[s]/x, y]e_3 \mapsto^* v$ for $v \text{ val}$.

293 It follows by RT-Step that $e \mapsto^* v$.

294 Note that the substitution does not change the structure of e_3 . So by
 295 induction, $[\mathbf{rstr}[a], \mathbf{rstr}[s]/x, y]e_3 \Downarrow v$. Recall that $e_1 \Downarrow \mathbf{rstr}[s_1]$ and so by
 296 S-E-Case it follows that $e \Downarrow [a, s/x, y]e_3 \Downarrow v$.

297 The cases for coercion and checking are straightforward. □

298 1.4 Extension of Safety for Small Step Semantics

299 **Theorem 11** (Type Safety). *If $\emptyset \vdash e : \sigma$ then $e \Downarrow v$ and $\emptyset \vdash v : \sigma$.*

300 *Proof.* If $\emptyset \vdash e : \sigma$ then $e \mapsto^* v$ for $v \text{ val}$ by termination. Therefore, $e \Downarrow v$ by
 301 part 2 of the semantic correspondence theorem.

302 Since $\emptyset \vdash e : \sigma$ and $e \mapsto^* v$, it follows that $\emptyset \vdash v : \sigma$ by type safety for the
 303 small step semantics. □

304 1.4.1 The Security Theorem

305 **Theorem 12** (Correctness of Input Sanitation for λ_{RS}). *If $\emptyset \vdash e : \text{stringin}[r]$
 306 and $e \Downarrow \mathbf{rstr}[s]$ then $s \in \mathcal{L}\{r\}$.*

307 *Proof.* If $\emptyset \vdash e : \text{stringin}[r]$ and $e \Downarrow \mathbf{rstr}[s]$ then $\emptyset \vdash \mathbf{rstr}[s] : \text{stringin}[r]$ by Type
 308 Safety. By inversion of S-T-Rstr, $s \in \mathcal{L}\{r\}$. □

309 **2 Proofs of Lemmas and Theorems About λ_P**

310 **3 Proofs and Lemmas and Theorems About**
311 **Translation**

312 **4 String Substitution and Language Replace-**
313 **ment**

314 **4.1 The Trivial Definition**

315 **4.2 An Automaton Construction**

316 Insert Automaton stuff...

317 **4.3 Toward a Precise Definition**

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$$r ::= \epsilon \mid . \mid a \mid r \cdot r \mid r + r \mid r^* \quad a \in \Sigma$$

Figure 1: Regular expressions over the alphabet Σ .

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma &::= \sigma \rightarrow \sigma \mid \text{stringin}[r] && \text{source types} \\ e &::= x \mid \lambda x.e \mid e(e) && \text{source terms} \\ &\quad \mid \text{rstr}[s] \mid \text{rconcat}(e; e) \mid \text{rstrcase}(e; e; x, y.e) && s \in \Sigma^* \\ &\quad \mid \text{rreplace}[r](e; e) \mid \text{rcoerce}[r](e) \mid \text{rcheck}[r](e; x.e; e) \\ v &::= \lambda x.e \mid \text{rstr}[s] && \text{source values} \end{aligned}$$

Figure 2: Syntax of λ_{RS} .

$$\begin{aligned} \tau &::= \tau \rightarrow \tau \mid \text{string} \mid \text{regex} && \text{target types} \\ \iota &::= x \mid \lambda x.\iota \mid \iota(\iota) && \text{target terms} \\ &\quad \mid \text{str}[s] \mid \text{concat}(\iota; \iota) \mid \text{strcase}(\iota; \iota; x, y.\iota) \\ &\quad \mid \text{rx}[r] \mid \text{replace}(\iota; \iota; \iota) \mid \text{check}(\iota; \iota; \iota; \iota) \\ \dot{v} &::= \lambda x.\iota \mid \text{str}[s] \mid \text{rx}[r] && \text{target values} \end{aligned}$$

Figure 3: Syntax for the target language, λ_P , containing strings and statically constructed regular expressions.

$$\boxed{\Psi \vdash e : \sigma} \quad \Psi ::= \emptyset \mid \Psi, x : \sigma$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
\text{S-T-VAR} \\
\frac{x : \sigma \in \Psi}{\Psi \vdash x : \sigma}
\end{array}
\quad
\begin{array}{c}
\text{S-T-ABS} \\
\frac{\Psi, x : \sigma_1 \vdash e : \sigma_2}{\Psi \vdash \lambda x. e : \sigma_1 \rightarrow \sigma_2}
\end{array}
\quad
\begin{array}{c}
\text{S-T-APP} \\
\frac{\Psi \vdash e_1 : \sigma_2 \rightarrow \sigma \quad \Psi \vdash e_2 : \sigma_2}{\Psi \vdash e_1(e_2) : \sigma}
\end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
\text{S-T-STRINGIN-I} \\
\frac{s \in \mathcal{L}\{r\}}{\Psi \vdash \text{rstr}[s] : \text{stringin}[r]}
\end{array}
\quad
\begin{array}{c}
\text{S-T-CONCAT} \\
\frac{\Psi \vdash e_1 : \text{stringin}[r_1] \quad \Psi \vdash e_2 : \text{stringin}[r_2]}{\Psi \vdash \text{rconcat}(e_1; e_2) : \text{stringin}[r_1 \cdot r_2]}
\end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
\text{S-T-CASE} \\
\frac{\Psi \vdash e_1 : \text{stringin}[r] \quad \Psi, x : \text{stringin}[\text{lhead}(r)], y : \text{stringin}[\text{ltail}(r)] \vdash e_3 : \sigma}{\Psi \vdash \text{rstrcase}(e_1; e_2; x, y. e_3) : \sigma}
\end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
\text{S-T-REPLACE} \\
\frac{\Psi \vdash e_1 : \text{stringin}[r_1] \quad \Psi \vdash e_2 : \text{stringin}[r_2] \quad \text{lreplace}(r, r_1, r_2) = r'}{\Psi \vdash \text{rreplace}[r](e_1; e_2) : \text{stringin}[r']}
\end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
\text{S-T-SAFECOERCE} \\
\frac{\Psi \vdash e : \text{stringin}[r'] \quad \mathcal{L}\{r'\} \subseteq \mathcal{L}\{r\}}{\Psi \vdash \text{rcoerce}[r](e) : \text{stringin}[r]}
\end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
\text{S-T-CHECK} \\
\frac{\Psi \vdash e_0 : \text{stringin}[r_0] \quad \Psi, x : \text{stringin}[r] \vdash e_1 : \sigma \quad \Psi \vdash e_2 : \sigma}{\Psi \vdash \text{rcheck}[r](e_0; x. e_1; e_2) : \sigma}
\end{array}$$

Figure 4: Typing rules for λ_{RS} . The typing context Ψ is standard.

$$\boxed{e \Downarrow v}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
\text{S-E-ABS} \quad \frac{}{\lambda x.e \Downarrow \lambda x.e} \quad \text{S-E-APP} \quad \frac{e_1 \Downarrow \lambda x.e_3 \quad e_2 \Downarrow v_2 \quad [v_2/x]e_3 \Downarrow v}{e_1(e_2) \Downarrow v} \quad \text{S-E-RSTR} \quad \frac{}{\text{rstr}[s] \Downarrow \text{rstr}[s]} \\
\\
\text{S-E-CONCAT} \quad \frac{e_1 \Downarrow \text{rstr}[s_1] \quad e_2 \Downarrow \text{rstr}[s_2]}{\text{rconcat}(e_1; e_2) \Downarrow \text{rstr}[s_1 s_2]} \quad \text{S-E-CASE-}\epsilon \quad \frac{e_1 \Downarrow \text{rstr}[\epsilon] \quad e_2 \Downarrow v_2}{\text{rstrcase}(e_1; e_2; x, y.e_3) \Downarrow v_2} \\
\\
\text{S-E-CASE-CONCAT} \quad \frac{e_1 \Downarrow \text{rstr}[as] \quad [\text{rstr}[a], \text{rstr}[s]/x, y]e_3 \Downarrow v_3}{\text{rstrcase}(e_1; e_2; x, y.e_3) \Downarrow v_3} \\
\\
\text{S-E-REPLACE} \quad \frac{e_1 \Downarrow \text{rstr}[s_1] \quad e_2 \Downarrow \text{rstr}[s_2] \quad \text{subst}(r; s_1; s_2) = s}{\text{rreplace}[r](e_1; e_2) \Downarrow \text{rstr}[s]} \quad \text{S-E-SAFE} \text{COERCE} \quad \frac{e \Downarrow \text{rstr}[s]}{\text{rcoerce}[r](e) \Downarrow \text{rstr}[s]} \\
\\
\text{S-E-CHECK-OK} \quad \frac{e \Downarrow \text{rstr}[s] \quad s \in \mathcal{L}\{r\} \quad [\text{rstr}[s]/x]e_1 \Downarrow v}{\text{rcheck}[r](e; x.e_1; e_2) \Downarrow v} \quad \text{S-E-CHECK-NOTOK} \quad \frac{e \Downarrow \text{rstr}[s] \quad s \notin \mathcal{L}\{r\} \quad e_2 \Downarrow v}{\text{rcheck}[r](e; x.e_1; e_2) \Downarrow v}
\end{array}$$

Figure 5: Big step semantics for λ_{RS} .

$$\boxed{e \text{ val}}$$

$$\frac{\text{L-VAL}}{\lambda x : \tau. t \text{ val}}$$

$$\boxed{e \mapsto e}$$

$$\frac{\text{L-E-APPLEFT} \quad e_1 \mapsto e'_1}{e_1 e_2 \mapsto e'_1 e_2}$$

$$\frac{\text{L-E-APPRIGHT} \quad e_2 \mapsto e'_2}{e_1 e_2 \mapsto e_1 e'_2}$$

$$\frac{\text{L-E-APPABS}}{(\lambda x : \tau_{11}. t_{12}) v_2 \mapsto [v_2/x] t_{12}}$$

$$\boxed{e \mapsto^* e}$$

$$\frac{\text{RT-REFL}}{e \mapsto^* e}$$

$$\frac{\text{RT-TRANS} \quad e \mapsto^* e' \quad e' \mapsto^* e''}{e \mapsto^* e''}$$

$$\frac{\text{RT-STEP}^1 \quad e \mapsto^* e' \quad e' \mapsto v}{e \mapsto^* v}$$

Figure 6: Call-by-name small step Semantics for λ and its reflexive, transitive closure.

SS-E-RSTR	SS-E-CONCAT-LEFT
$\overline{\text{rstr}[s] \text{ val}}$	$\overline{e_1 \mapsto e'_1}$
	$\text{rconcat}(e_1; e_2) \mapsto \text{rconcat}(e'_1; e_2)$
SS-E-CONCAT-RIGHT	SS-E-CONCAT
$\overline{e_2 \mapsto e'_2}$	$\overline{\text{rconcat}(\text{rstr}[s_1]; \text{rstr}[s_2]) \mapsto \text{rstr}[s_1 s_2]}$
	$\text{rconcat}(e_1; e_2) \mapsto \text{rconcat}(e_1; e'_2)$
SS-E-CASE-LEFT	
$\overline{e_1 \mapsto e'_1}$	
	$\text{rstrcase}(e_1; e_2; x, y.e_3) \mapsto \text{rstrcase}(e'_1; e_2; x, y.e_3)$
SS-E-CASE-RIGHT	
$\overline{e_2 \mapsto e'_2}$	
	$\text{rstrcase}(e_1; e_2; x, y.e_3) \mapsto \text{rstrcase}(e_1; e'_2; x, y.e_3)$
SS-E-CASE- ϵ -VAL	
	$\overline{\text{rstrcase}(\text{rstr}[\epsilon]; e_2; x, y.e_3) \mapsto e_2}$
SS-E-CASE-CONCAT	
	$\overline{\text{rstrcase}(\text{rstr}[as]; e_2; x, y.e_3) \mapsto [\text{rstr}[a], \text{rstr}[s]/x, y]e_3}$
SS-E-REPLACE-LEFT	SS-E-REPLACE-RIGHT
$\overline{e_1 \mapsto e'_1}$	$\overline{e_2 \mapsto e'_2}$
$\text{rreplace}[r](e_1; e_2) \mapsto \text{rreplace}[r](e'_1; e_2)$	$\text{rreplace}[r](e_1; e_2) \mapsto \text{rreplace}[r](e_1; e'_2)$
SS-E-REPLACE	SS-E-SAFECOERCE-STEP
$\overline{\text{rreplace}[r](\text{rstr}[s_1]; \text{rstr}[s_2]) \mapsto \text{rstr}[\text{subst}(r; s_1; s_2)]}$	$\overline{e \mapsto e'}$
	$\text{rcoerce}[r](e) \mapsto \text{rcoerce}[r](e')$
SS-E-SAFECOERCE	SS-E-CHECK-STEPLLEFT
$\overline{\text{rcoerce}[r](\text{rstr}[s]) \mapsto \text{rstr}[s]}$	$\overline{e \mapsto e'}$
	$\text{rcheck}[r](e; x.e_1; e_2) \mapsto \text{rcheck}[r](e'; x.e_1; e_2)$
SS-E-CHECK-STEPSRIGHT	
$\overline{e_2 \mapsto e'_2}$	
	$\text{rcheck}[r](e; x.e_1; e_2) \mapsto \text{rcheck}[r](e; x.e_1; e'_2)$
SS-E-CHECK-OK	SS-E-CHECK-NOTOK
$\overline{s \in \mathcal{L}\{r\}}$	$\overline{s \notin \mathcal{L}\{r\}}$
$\text{rcheck}[r](\text{rstr}[s]; x.e_1; e_2) \mapsto [\text{rstr}[s] \not\vdash]_{e_1} \text{rcheck}[r](\text{rstr}[s]; x.e_1; e_2) \mapsto e_2$	

Figure 7: Small step semantics for λ_{RS} . Extends 6.

$$\boxed{\Theta \vdash \iota : \tau} \quad \Theta ::= \emptyset \mid \Theta, x : \tau$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
\begin{array}{c} \text{P-T-VAR} \\ \hline x : \tau \in \Theta \\ \hline \Theta \vdash x : \tau \end{array}
\quad
\begin{array}{c} \text{P-T-ABS} \\ \hline \Theta, x : \tau_1 \vdash \iota_2 : \tau_2 \\ \hline \Theta \vdash \lambda x. \iota_2 : \tau_1 \rightarrow \tau_2 \end{array}
\quad
\begin{array}{c} \text{P-T-APP} \\ \hline \Theta \vdash \iota_1 : \tau_2 \rightarrow \tau \quad \Theta \vdash \iota_2 : \tau_2 \\ \hline \Theta \vdash \iota_1(\iota_2) : \tau \end{array} \\
\\
\begin{array}{c} \text{P-T-STRING} \\ \hline \hline \Theta \vdash \text{str}[s] : \text{string} \end{array}
\quad
\begin{array}{c} \text{P-T-REGEX} \\ \hline \hline \Theta \vdash \text{rx}[r] : \text{regex} \end{array}
\quad
\begin{array}{c} \text{P-T-CONCAT} \\ \hline \Theta \vdash \iota_1 : \text{string} \quad \Theta \vdash \iota_2 : \text{string} \\ \hline \Theta \vdash \text{concat}(\iota_1; \iota_2) : \text{string} \end{array} \\
\\
\begin{array}{c} \text{P-T-CASE} \\ \hline \Theta \vdash \iota_1 : \text{string} \quad \Theta \vdash \iota_2 : \tau \quad \Theta, x : \text{string}, y : \text{string} \vdash \iota_3 : \tau \\ \hline \Theta \vdash \text{strcase}(\iota_1; \iota_2; x, y. \iota_3) : \tau \end{array} \\
\\
\begin{array}{c} \text{P-T-REPLACE} \\ \hline \Theta \vdash \iota_1 : \text{regex} \quad \Theta \vdash \iota_2 : \text{string} \quad \Theta \vdash \iota_3 : \text{string} \\ \hline \Theta \vdash \text{replace}(\iota_1; \iota_2; \iota_3) : \text{string} \end{array} \\
\\
\begin{array}{c} \text{P-T-CHECK} \\ \hline \Theta \vdash \iota_r : \text{regex} \quad \Theta \vdash \iota_1 : \text{string} \quad \Theta \vdash \iota_2 : \sigma \quad \Theta \vdash \iota_3 : \sigma \\ \hline \Theta \vdash \text{check}(\iota_r; \iota_1; \iota_2; \iota_3) : \sigma \end{array}
\end{array}$$

Figure 8: Typing rules for λ_P . The typing context Θ is standard.

$$\boxed{\iota \Downarrow \dot{v}}$$

$\frac{\text{P-E-ABS}}{\lambda x.e \Downarrow \lambda x.e}$	$\frac{\text{P-E-APP} \quad \iota_1 \Downarrow \lambda x.\iota_3 \quad \iota_2 \Downarrow \dot{v}_2 \quad [\dot{v}_2/x]\iota_3 \Downarrow \dot{v}_3}{\iota_1(\iota_2) \Downarrow \dot{v}_3}$	$\frac{\text{P-E-STR}}{\text{str}[s] \Downarrow \text{str}[s]}$
$\frac{\text{P-E-RX}}{\text{rx}[r] \Downarrow \text{rx}[r]}$	$\frac{\text{P-E-CONCAT} \quad \iota_1 \Downarrow \text{str}[s_1] \quad \iota_2 \Downarrow \text{str}[s_2]}{\text{concat}(\iota_1; \iota_2) \Downarrow \text{str}[s_1 s_2]}$	$\frac{\text{P-E-CASE-}\epsilon \quad \iota_1 \Downarrow \text{str}[\epsilon] \quad \iota_2 \Downarrow \dot{v}_2}{\text{strcase}(\iota_1; \iota_2; x, y.\iota_3) \Downarrow \dot{v}_2}$
$\frac{\text{P-E-CASE-CONCAT} \quad \iota_1 \Downarrow \text{str}[as] \quad [\text{str}[a], \text{str}[s]/x, y]\iota_3 \Downarrow \dot{v}}{\text{strcase}(\iota_1; \iota_2; x, y.\iota_3) \Downarrow \dot{v}}$		
$\frac{\text{P-E-REPLACE} \quad \iota_1 \Downarrow \text{rx}[r] \quad \iota_2 \Downarrow \text{str}[s_2] \quad \iota_3 \Downarrow \text{str}[s_3] \quad \text{subst}(r; s_2; s_3) = s}{\text{replace}(\iota_1; \iota_2; \iota_3) \Downarrow \text{str}[s]}$		
$\frac{\text{P-E-CHECK-OK} \quad \iota_r \Downarrow \text{rx}[r] \quad \iota \Downarrow \text{str}[s] \quad s \in \mathcal{L}\{r\} \quad \iota_1 \Downarrow \dot{v}_1}{\text{check}(\iota_r; \iota; \iota_1; \iota_2) \Downarrow \dot{v}_1}$		
$\frac{\text{P-E-CHECK-NOTOK} \quad \iota_r \Downarrow \text{rx}[r] \quad \iota \Downarrow \text{str}[s] \quad s \notin \mathcal{L}\{r\} \quad \iota_2 \Downarrow \dot{v}_2}{\text{check}(\iota_r; \iota; \iota_1; \iota_2) \Downarrow \dot{v}_2}$		

Figure 9: Big step semantics for λ_P

$$\boxed{\iota \Downarrow \dot{v}}$$

$\frac{\text{SP-E-ABS}}{\lambda x.e \Downarrow \lambda x.e}$	$\frac{\text{SP-E-APP} \quad \iota_1 \Downarrow \lambda x.\iota_3 \quad \iota_2 \Downarrow \dot{v}_2 \quad [\dot{v}_2/x]\iota_3 \Downarrow \dot{v}_3}{\iota_1(\iota_2) \Downarrow \dot{v}_3}$	$\frac{\text{SP-E-STR}}{\text{str}[s] \Downarrow \text{str}[s]}$
$\frac{\text{SP-E-RX}}{\text{rx}[r] \Downarrow \text{rx}[r]}$	$\frac{\text{SP-E-CONCAT} \quad \iota_1 \Downarrow \text{str}[s_1] \quad \iota_2 \Downarrow \text{str}[s_2]}{\text{concat}(\iota_1; \iota_2) \Downarrow \text{str}[s_1 s_2]}$	$\frac{\text{SP-E-CASE-}\epsilon \quad \iota_1 \Downarrow \text{str}[\epsilon] \quad \iota_2 \Downarrow \dot{v}_2}{\text{strcase}(\iota_1; \iota_2; x, y.\iota_3) \Downarrow \dot{v}_2}$
$\frac{\text{SP-E-CASE-CONCAT} \quad \iota_1 \Downarrow \text{str}[as] \quad [\text{str}[a], \text{str}[s]/x, y]\iota_3 \Downarrow \dot{v}}{\text{strcase}(\iota_1; \iota_2; x, y.\iota_3) \Downarrow \dot{v}}$		
$\frac{\text{SP-E-REPLACE} \quad \iota_1 \Downarrow \text{rx}[r] \quad \iota_2 \Downarrow \text{str}[s_2] \quad \iota_3 \Downarrow \text{str}[s_3] \quad \text{subst}(r; s_2; s_3) = s}{\text{replace}(\iota_1; \iota_2; \iota_3) \Downarrow \text{str}[s]}$		
$\frac{\text{SP-E-CHECK-OK} \quad \iota_r \Downarrow \text{rx}[r] \quad \iota \Downarrow \text{str}[s] \quad s \in \mathcal{L}\{r\} \quad \iota_1 \Downarrow \dot{v}_1}{\text{check}(\iota_r; \iota; \iota_1; \iota_2) \Downarrow \dot{v}_1}$		
$\frac{\text{SP-E-CHECK-NOTOK} \quad \iota_r \Downarrow \text{rx}[r] \quad \iota \Downarrow \text{str}[s] \quad s \notin \mathcal{L}\{r\} \quad \iota_2 \Downarrow \dot{v}_2}{\text{check}(\iota_r; \iota; \iota_1; \iota_2) \Downarrow \dot{v}_2}$		

Figure 10: Small step semantics for λ_P

$$\boxed{\llbracket \sigma \rrbracket = \tau}$$

$$\frac{\text{TR-T-STRING}}{\llbracket \text{stringin}[r] \rrbracket = \text{string}}$$

$$\frac{\text{TR-T-ARROW} \quad \llbracket \sigma_1 \rrbracket = \tau_1 \quad \llbracket \sigma_2 \rrbracket = \tau_2}{\llbracket \sigma_1 \rightarrow \sigma_2 \rrbracket = \tau_1 \rightarrow \tau_2}$$

$$\boxed{\llbracket \Psi \rrbracket = \Theta}$$

$$\frac{\text{TR-T-CONTEXT-EMP}}{\llbracket \emptyset \rrbracket = \emptyset}$$

$$\frac{\text{TR-T-CONTEXT-EXT} \quad \llbracket \Psi \rrbracket = \Theta \quad \llbracket \sigma \rrbracket = \tau}{\llbracket \Psi, x : \sigma \rrbracket = \Theta, x : \tau}$$

$$\boxed{\llbracket e \rrbracket = \iota}$$

$$\frac{\text{TR-VAR}}{\llbracket x \rrbracket = x}$$

$$\frac{\text{TR-ABS} \quad \llbracket e \rrbracket = \iota}{\llbracket \lambda x. e \rrbracket = \lambda x. \iota}$$

$$\frac{\text{TR-APP} \quad \llbracket e_1 \rrbracket = \iota_1 \quad \llbracket e_2 \rrbracket = \iota_2}{\llbracket e_1(e_2) \rrbracket = \iota_1(\iota_2)}$$

$$\frac{\text{TR-CASE} \quad \llbracket e_1 \rrbracket = \iota_1 \quad \llbracket e_2 \rrbracket = \iota_2 \quad \llbracket e_3 \rrbracket = \iota_3}{\llbracket \text{rstrcase}(e_1; e_2; x, y. e_3) \rrbracket = \text{strcase}(\iota_1; \iota_2; x, y. \iota_3)}$$

$$\frac{\text{TR-STRING}}{\llbracket \text{rstr}[s] \rrbracket = \text{str}[s]}$$

$$\frac{\text{TR-CONCAT} \quad \llbracket e_1 \rrbracket = \iota_1 \quad \llbracket e_2 \rrbracket = \iota_2}{\llbracket \text{rconcat}(e_1; e_2) \rrbracket = \text{concat}(\iota_1; \iota_2)}$$

$$\frac{\text{TR-SUBST} \quad \llbracket e_1 \rrbracket = \iota_1 \quad \llbracket e_2 \rrbracket = \iota_2}{\llbracket \text{rreplace}[r](e_1; e_2) \rrbracket = \text{replace}(\text{rx}[r]; \iota_1; \iota_2)}$$

$$\frac{\text{TR-SAFECOERCE} \quad \llbracket e \rrbracket = \iota}{\llbracket \text{rcoerce}[r'](e) \rrbracket = \iota}$$

$$\frac{\text{TR-CHECK} \quad \llbracket e \rrbracket = \iota \quad \llbracket e_1 \rrbracket = \iota_1 \quad \llbracket e_2 \rrbracket = \iota_2}{\llbracket \text{rcheck}[r](e; x. e_1; e_2) \rrbracket = \text{check}(\text{rx}[r]; \iota; (\lambda x. \iota_1)(\iota); \iota_2)}$$

Figure 11: Translation from source terms (e) to target terms (ι).