

PROGRAM LOGICS VIA DISTRIBUTIVE MONOIDAL CATEGORIES

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- from categorical structure, derive verification axioms
- general categorical semantics for program logics

CATEGORICAL STRUCTURE FOR pGCL

$\delta; g$

composition

- δ - g -

skip

identity

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if b then δ
else g

coproducts

-b [δ]
[g] -

while b do δ

trace

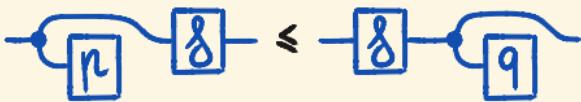
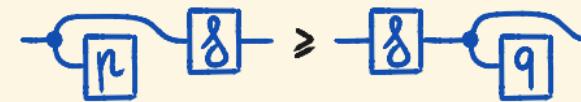
S-b- δ

$x \leftarrow e, x \xleftarrow{\$} \mu$

copy-discard
monoidal

e — , μ —

PROGRAM TRIPLES

	CORRECTNESS	INCORRECTNESS
ASSERT		
	Hoare logic	
PREDICATE	$\neg r \leq g - q$	$\neg r \geq g - q$
	Outcome logic	
STATE	$r - g \leq q -$	$r - g \geq q -$
		Incorrectness logic

THEOREM. The rules of program logics derive from the axioms of imperative categories.

RELATIONAL PROGRAM TRIPLES

There is a coupling $\mu \triangleright \& g$ such that

	CORRECTNESS	INCORRECTNESS
ASSERT	$n \xrightarrow{\mu} q$	$n \xrightarrow{\mu} q$
PREDICATE	$\exists n \leq \mu q$	$\exists n \geq \mu q$
STATE	$n \mu \leq q$	$n \mu \geq q$

THEOREM. The rules of relational program logics derive from the axioms of imperative categories.

EXAMPLES

- Par, deterministic semantics
- Rel, relational semantics
- Stoch \leq , discrete probabilistic semantics
- BorelStoch \leq , measurable probabilistic semantics
- Imp, discrete imprecise probabilistic semantics