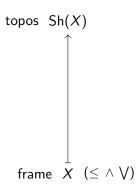
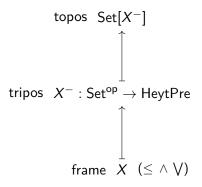
# Triposes and toposes via arrow algebras

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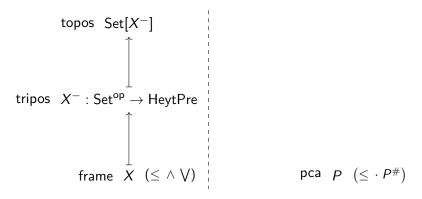




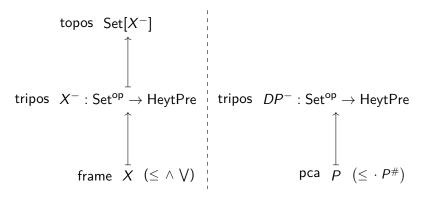
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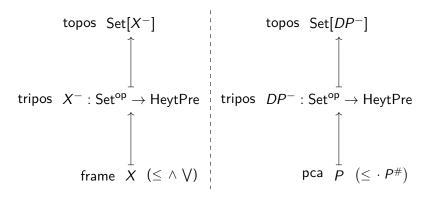
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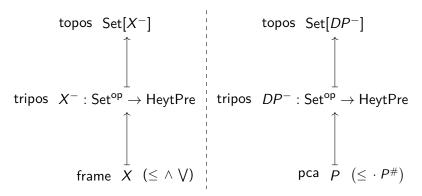
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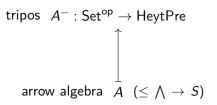
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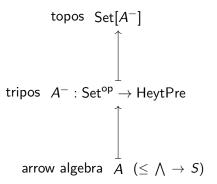
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More precisely, a morphism  $f:(A,\leq,\to,S_A)\to(B,\leq,\to,S_B)$  is a function  $f:A\to B$  such that:

- 1.  $f(S_A) \subseteq S_B$ ;
- 2.

$$\bigwedge_{a,a'\in A} f(a\to a')\to f(a)\to f(a')\in S_B;$$

3. for every  $I \subseteq A \times A$ ,

$$\text{if } \bigwedge_{(a,a')\in I} a \to a' \in S_{\mathcal{A}} \ \text{ then } \bigwedge_{(a,a')\in I} f(a) \to f(a') \in S_{\mathcal{B}}.$$

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$$Tripos_{cart}$$
  $A \longrightarrow f \longrightarrow B \simeq A^- \longrightarrow f \circ - \longrightarrow B^-$ 

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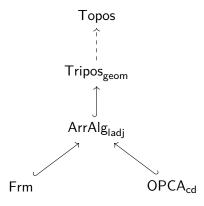
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  - geometric transformations of the induced triposes.



#### Categorically, we have the following picture:



# Subtoposes and nuclei

As an example of an application, we can characterize subtoposes in terms of nuclei on the underlying arrow algebra, generalizing what happens for locales.

#### Proposition

Let A be an arrow algebra. Then, every subtopos of  $Set[A^-]$  is induced by a geometric transformation of triposes

$$A^{-} \xrightarrow{id_{A} \circ -} A_{j}^{-}$$

for some nucleus j on A.

