Script Grammar

1 Intdoduction

Script is a constrained stack-based language inspired by Forth.

Script programs (scripts) exist within Bitcoin transactions, which eventually are finalized or irrevocably committed to the global state of the Bitcoin network by their inclusion in a block which exists in the block-chain with the most proof of work expended.

Transactions consist of inputs and outputs, both of which include scripts. A transaction input script unlocks bitcoins; a transaction output script locks bitcoins. An input references the output of a previous transaction and provides a script which yields σ_0 when run. In order for the input to successfully unlock the bitcoins locked up in the referenced output, said output's script must yield $\sigma_1 = \sigma[V = valid]$ when run with it's state initialized to the state σ_0 -yielded by the unlocking/input/spending script.

Script program syntax is defined in terms of byte-commands. Each command is one byte long. Not all bytes are defined as valid commands and many bytes which are defined have syntactic restrictions on the following program bytes which must hold in order for the program to be well-formed. Script defines 173 such commands, each corresponding to a particular byte, also called words or opcodes. For example, the command that adds 1 to the value on top of the stack, is written 0x8b. These opcodes have human-readable aliases to make description of the language easier. For example, the opcode 0x8b is referred to as OP_1ADD in the reference implementation's source code and documentation.

Script is intentionally constrainted: There language does not allow for the expression of loops or recursion. This is desirable, guaranteeing that the runtime of a Script program is linear with the size of the program.

Script is defined by the specification provided by the reference implementation. Script is as sequences of bytecodes. In describing its semantics, we will generally not refer to the format of the values, but some commands in the language only have meaning if we take into account the fact that any part of a Script program is a byte vector. For this reason, we define byte vectors as the following, and will reserve b and B to express a byte and a byte vector, respectively.

Section 2 presents a consistent and exhaustive BNF describing Script's syntax.

Section 3 and Section 4 describe the big and small step operational semantics of these syntactic constructs.

2 Syntax

2.1 Fundamental data types

2.2 Transactions

```
\label{eq:tx_version} \begin{array}{l} \texttt{tx}\_\texttt{numin} \ \texttt{tx}\_\texttt{numout} \ \texttt{tx}\_\texttt{numout} \ \texttt{tx}\_\texttt{outputs} \ \texttt{tx}\_\texttt{locktime} \\ \texttt{tx}\_\texttt{version} ::= \texttt{B}^4 \end{array}
```

```
tx_numin ::= varint
tx_inputs ::= txin | txin tx_inputs
tx_numout ::= varint
tx_outputs ::= txout | txout tx_outputs
tx_locktime ::= B<sup>4</sup>
```

2.2.1 Transaction Inputs

2.2.2 Transaction Outputs

```
txout ::= txout_value txout_scriptlen txout_script
txout_value ::= B<sup>8</sup>
txout_scriptlen ::= varint
txout_script ::= script
```

2.3 Script

```
script ::= com | com script
com ::= scom | mcom
```

2.3.1 Single-Word Commands

```
scom ::= scom_push | scom_control | scom_stack | scom_splice | scom_bitlogic | scom_numeric |
scom_crypto | scom_expansion | scom_template
```

```
scom_push ::= OP_O | OP_FALSE | OP_1NEGATE | OP_RESERVED | OP_1 | OP_TRUE | OP_2 | OP_3 | OP_4 | OP_5 | OP_6 | OP_7 | OP_8 | OP_9 | OP_10 | OP_11 | OP_12 | OP_13 | OP_14 | OP_15 | OP_16
```

```
scom_control ::= OP_NOP | OP_VER | OP_VERIF | OP_VERNOTIF | OP_VERIFY | OP_RETURN
```

```
scom_splice ::= OP_CAT | OP_SUBSTR | OP_LEFT | OP_RIGHT | OP_SIZE
```

```
scom_bitlogic ::= OP_INVERT | OP_AND | OP_OR | OP_XOR | OP_EQUAL | OP_EQUALVERIFY | OP_RESERVED1
| OP_RESERVED2
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```
scom_numeric ::= OP_1ADD | OP_1SUB | <del>OP_2MUL</del> | <del>OP_2DIV</del> | OP_NEGATE | OP_ABS | OP_NOT | OP_ONOTEQUAL | OP_ADD | OP_SUB | <del>OP_MUL</del> | <del>OP_DIV</del> | <del>OP_MOD</del> | <del>OP_LSHIFT</del> | <del>OP_RSHIFT</del> | OP_BOOLAND | OP_BOOLOR | OP_NUMEQUAL | OP_NUMEQUALVERIFY | OP_NUMNOTEQUAL | OP_LESSTHAN | OP_GREATERTHAN | OP_LESSTHANOREQUAL | OP_GREATERTHANOREQUAL | OP_MIN | OP_MAX | OP_WITHIN
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```
scom_crypto ::= OP_RIPEMD160 | OP_SHA1 | OP_SHA256 | OP_HASH160 | OP_HASH256 | OP_CODESEPARATOR
   | OP_CHECKSIG | OP_CHECKSIGVERIFY | OP_CHECKMULTISIG | OP_CHECKMULTISIGVERIFY
scom_expansion ::= OP_NOP1 | OP_CHECKLOCKTIMEVERIFY | OP_NOP2 | OP_CHECKSEQUENCEVERIFY | OP_NOP3
   | OP_NOP4 | OP_NOP5 | OP_NOP6 | OP_NOP7 | OP_NOP8 | OP_NOP9 | OP_NOP10
scom_template ::= OP_SMALLINTEGER | OP_PUBKEYS | OP_PUBKEYHASH | OP_PUBKEY | OP_INVALIDOPCODE
2.3.2 Multiple-Word Commands
mcom ::= mcom_if | mcom_notif | mcom_push
mcom_if ::= OP_IF script OP_ENDIF | OP_IF script mcom_else OP_ENDIF
mcom_notif ::= OP_NOTIF script OP_ENDIF | OP_NOTIF script mcom_else OP_ENDIF
mcom_else ::= OP_ELSE script | OP_ELSE script mcom_else
mcom_push ::= OP_PUSHBYTES_N B^N \mid OP_PUSHDATA1 B^1 B \mid OP_PUSHDATA2 B^2 B \mid OP_PUSHDATA4 B^4 B
2.3.3 Disabled Commands
dcom ::= dcom_push | dcom_control | dcom_stack | dcom_splice | dcom_bitlogic | dcom_numeric |
   dcom_crypto | dcom_expansion | dcom_template
dcom_push ::= OP_RESERVED
scom_control ::= OP_VER | OP_VERIF | OP_VERNOTIF
dcom_stack ::=
dcom_splice ::= OP_CAT | OP_SUBSTR | OP_LEFT | OP_RIGHT
dcom_bitlogic ::= OP_INVERT | OP_AND | OP_OR | OP_XOR | OP_RESERVED1 | OP_RESERVED2
dcom_numeric ::= OP_2MUL | OP_2DIV | OP_MUL | OP_DIV | OP_MOD | OP_LSHIFT | OP_RSHIFT
dcom_crypto ::=
dcom_expansion ::= OP_NOP1 | OP_NOP4 | OP_NOP5 | OP_NOP6 | OP_NOP7 | OP_NOP8 | OP_NOP9 | OP_NOP10
dcom_template ::= OP_SMALLINTEGER | OP_PUBKEYS | OP_PUBKEYHASH | OP_PUBKEY | OP_INVALIDOPCODE
```

2.3.4 OP Codes

1 1	00.00040	02 2001 02 0 01
push value	OP_2SWAP ::= 0x72	OP_BOOLOR ::= 0x9b
OP_O ::= 0x00	OP_IFDUP ::= 0x73	OP_NUMEQUAL ::= 0x9c
$OP_FALSE ::= OP_O$	$OP_DEPTH ::= 0x74$	OP_NUMEQUALVERIFY ::= 0x9d
$\texttt{OP_PUSHBYTES}^N ::= \texttt{0x01-0x4b}$	$OP_DROP ::= 0x75$	OP_NUMNOTEQUAL ::= 0x9e
OP_PUSHDATA1 ::= 0x4c	$OP_DUP ::= 0x76$	OP_LESSTHAN ::= 0x9f
OP_PUSHDATA2 ::= 0x4d	$OP_NIP ::= 0x77$	OP_GREATERTHAN ::= 0xa0
OP_PUSHDATA4 ::= 0x4e	$OP_OVER ::= 0x78$	OP_LESSTHANOREQUAL ::= 0xa1
OP_1NEGATE ::= Ox4f	$OP_PICK ::= 0x79$	OP_GREATERTHANOREQUAL ::=
OP_RESERVED ::= 0x50	OP_ROLL ::= 0x7a	0xa2
$OP_{-1} ::= 0x51$	$OP_ROT ::= 0x7b$	OP_MIN ::= 0xa3
OP_TRUE::=0P_1	OP_SWAP ::= 0x7c	OP_MAX ::= Oxa4
OP_2 ::= 0x52	OP_TUCK ::= 0x7d	OP_WITHIN ::= 0xa5
OP_3 ::= 0x53		
OP_4 ::= 0x54	splice ops	crypto
OP_5 ::= 0x55	OP_CAT ::= 0x7e	OP_RIPEMD160 ::= 0xa6
OP_6 ::= 0x56	OP_SUBSTR ::= 0x7f	OP_SHA1 ::= 0xa7
OP_7 ::= 0x57	OP_LEFT ::= 0x80	OP_SHA256 ::= 0xa8
OP_8 ::= 0x58	OP_RIGHT ::= 0x81	OP_HASH160 ::= 0xa9
$OP_{-9} ::= 0x59$	OP_SIZE ::= 0x82	OP_HASH256 ::= Oxaa
OP_10 ::= 0x5a		OP_CODESEPARATOR ::= Oxab
$OP_{-}11 ::= Ox5b$	bit logic	OP_CHECKSIG ::= 0xac
$OP_{-}12 ::= 0x5c$	OP_INVERT ::= 0x83	OP_CHECKSIGVERIFY ::= 0xad
$OP_{-}13 ::= 0x5d$	$OP_AND ::= 0x84$	OP_CHECKMULTISIG ::= Oxae
$OP_{-}14 ::= 0x5e$	$OP_{-}OR ::= 0x85$	OP_CHECKMULTISIGVERIFY ::=
$OP_{-}15 ::= 0x5f$	$OP_XOR ::= 0x86$	0xaf
$OP_{-}16 ::= 0x60$	$OP_EQUAL ::= 0x87$	
	OP_EQUALVERIFY ::= 0x88	expansion
$\operatorname{control}$	OP_RESERVED1 ::= 0x89	OP_NOP1 ::= 0xb0
OP_NOP ::= 0x61	OP_RESERVED2 ::= 0x8a	OP_CHECKLOCKTIMEVERIFY ::=
$OP_VER ::= 0x62$		OP_NOP2 ::= 0xb1
OP_IF ::= 0x63	numeric	OP_CHECKSEQUENCEVERIFY ::=
OP_NOTIF ::= 0x64	OP_1ADD ::= 0x8b	OP_NOP3 ::= 0xb2
OP_VERIF ::= 0x65	OP_1SUB ::= 0x8c	OP_NOP4 ::= 0xb3
OP_VERNOTIF ::= 0x66	OP_2MUL ::= 0x8d	OP_NOP5 ::= 0xb4
OP_ELSE ::= 0x67	OP_2DIV ::= 0x8e	OP_NOP6 ::= 0xb5
OP_ENDIF ::= 0x68	OP_NEGATE ::= 0x8f	OP_NOP7 ::= 0xb6
OP_VERIFY ::= 0x69	OP_ABS ::= 0x90	OP_NOP8 ::= 0xb7
OP_RETURN ::= 0x6a	OP_NOT ::= 0x91	OP_NOP9 ::= 0xb8
OF ILLIOITN OXOA	OP_ONOTEQUAL ::= 0x92	OP_NOP10 ::= 0xb9
atask and	OP_ADD ::= 0x93	OF_NOFIO OXD9
stack ops		1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
OP_TOALTSTACK ::= 0x6b	OP_SUB ::= 0x94	template matching params
OP_FROMALTSTACK ::= 0x6c	OP_MUL ::= 0x95	OP_SMALLINTEGER ::= Oxfa
OP_2DROP ::= 0x6d	OP_DIV ::= 0x96	OP_PUBKEYS ::= Oxfb
OP_2DUP ::= 0x6e	OP_MOD ::= 0x97	OP_PUBKEYHASH ::= Oxfd
$OP_3DUP ::= 0x6f$	OP_LSHIFT ::= 0x98	OP_PUBKEY ::= Oxfe
$OP_2OVER ::= 0x70$	OP_RSHIFT ::= 0x99	OP_INVALIDOPCODE ::= Oxff
$OP_2ROT ::= 0x71$	OP_BOOLAND ::= 0x9a	

3 Operational Semantics – Big Step Semantics

At any given point of a program's execution, the state is entirely described by the following elements:

- The stack S, whose elements S_i for $1 \le i \le |S|$ are indexed starting from the bottom;
- The alt-stack AS, an auxiliary stack indexed in the same way;
- The validity variable V, equal to true by default.

Any state in which V =false causes the program to immediately terminate with a special exception, handled by the environment in which the program was being run.

3.1 Generic rules

In order to more succinctly define the operational semantics of Script, we define generic rules not tied to any command in the language that express operations common in a stack-based language.

3.1.1 PUSH

$$\frac{\sigma_0(|S|) = L}{< \texttt{PUSH} \ B, \sigma_0 > \Downarrow \sigma[|S| = L+1, S_{L+1} = B]}$$

3.1.2 DROP

$$\frac{\sigma_0(|S|) = L \quad L \geq n}{< \text{DROP } n, \sigma_0 > \! \psi \; \sigma[S_i = \sigma_0(S_{i+1}) \quad \forall i. \; n \leq i < L]}$$

3.1.3 PUSH_ALT

$$\frac{\sigma_0(|AS|) = L}{< \texttt{PUSH_ALT} \;\; B, \sigma_0 > \!\!\!\! \downarrow \sigma[|AS| = L+1, AS_{|L+1|} = B]}$$

3.1.4 DROP_ALT

$$\frac{\sigma_0(|AS|) = L \quad L \geq n}{<\texttt{DROP_ALT} \quad n, \sigma_0 > \Downarrow \sigma[AS_i = \sigma_0(AS_{i+1}) \quad \forall i. \ n \leq i < L]}$$

3.1.5 PUSH_EX

$$\frac{\sigma_0(|ES|) = L}{< \texttt{PUSH_EX} \ b, \sigma_0 > \Downarrow \sigma[|ES| = L+1, ES_{L+1} = b]}$$

3.1.6 DROP_EX

$$\frac{\sigma_0(|ES|) = L \quad L \geq n}{<\texttt{DROP_EX} \ n, \sigma_0 > \Downarrow \sigma[ES_i = \sigma_0(ES_{i+1}) \quad \forall i. \ n \leq i < L]}$$

3.1.7 TEST

$$\frac{\sigma_0(|S|) \ge x \quad \sigma_0(S_x) \Downarrow t \quad t = 0}{< \text{TEST } x, \sigma_0 > \Downarrow FALSE}$$

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) \geq x \quad \sigma(S_x) \Downarrow t \quad t \neq 0}{< \text{TEST} \ x, \sigma > \Downarrow TRUE}$$

3.2 Constants

3.2.1 OP_0, OP_FALSE

Push the byte-vector representing 0 onto the stack.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad B \Downarrow 0}{< \mathtt{OP_O}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma[|S| = L + 1, S_{L+1} = B]}$$

3.2.2 OP_N, OP_PUSHNBYTES

Push the next N bytes onto the stack.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L}{< \texttt{OP_N} \ b_1 \dots b_N, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma[|S| = L+1, S_{L+1} = < b_1 \dots b_N >]}$$

3.2.3 OP_PUSHDATA1

The next byte specifies how many bytes to push onto the stack as a byte-vector.

$$\frac{B_1 \Downarrow k \quad \sigma(|S|) = L}{< \texttt{OP_PUSHDATA1} \quad B_1^1 \quad B_2^k, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma[|S| = L+1, S_{L+1} = B_2]}$$

3.2.4 OP_PUSHDATA2

The next two bytes specify how many bytes to push onto the stack as a byte-vector.

$$\frac{B_1 \Downarrow k \quad \sigma(|S|) = L}{< \text{OP_PUSHDATA2} \ B_1^2 \ B_2^k, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma[|S| = L+1, S_{L+1} = B_2]}$$

3.2.5 OP_PUSHDATA4

The next four bytes specify how many bytes to push onto the stack as a byte-vector.

$$\frac{B_1 \Downarrow k \quad \sigma(|S|) = L}{< \texttt{OP_PUSHDATA4} \quad B_1^4 \quad B_2^k, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma[|S| = L+1, S_{L+1} = B_2]}$$

3.2.6 OP_1NEGATE

Push the byte-vector representing -1 onto the stack.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad B \Downarrow -1}{< \mathtt{OP_O}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma[|S| = l+1, S_{l+1} = B]}$$

3.2.7 OP_1, OP_TRUE

Push the byte-vector representing 1 onto the stack.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad B \Downarrow 1}{< \mathtt{OP_O}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma[|S| = L + 1, S_{L+1} = B]}$$

3.2.8 OP_2-OP_16, *OP_PUSHN*

Push the byte-vector representing the number specified in the word name onto the stack.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad B \Downarrow N}{< \text{OP_PUSHN}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma[|S| = L+1, S_{L+1} = B]}$$

3.3 Flow Control

3.3.1 OP_NOP

Do nothing.

$$< OP_NOP, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma$$

3.3.2 OP_IF, OP_ELSE, OP_ENDIF

Run C_1 if top of stack is present and evaluates to true. Otherwise run C_2 if stack is present and evaluates to false.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 0 \quad < \texttt{TEST} \ L, \sigma > \Downarrow \texttt{TRUE} \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ L, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < C_1, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_IF} \ C_1 \ \texttt{OP_ENDIF} > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 0 \quad < \texttt{TEST} \quad L, \sigma > \Downarrow \texttt{FALSE} \quad < \texttt{DROP} \quad L, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_IF} \quad C_1 \quad \texttt{OP_ENDIF} > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 0 \quad < \texttt{TEST} \ L, \sigma > \Downarrow \ \texttt{TRUE} \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ L, \sigma > \Downarrow \ \sigma_1 \quad < C_1, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \ \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_IF} \ C_1 \ \texttt{OP_ELSE} \ C_2 \ \texttt{OP_ENDIF} > \Downarrow \ \sigma'}$$

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 0 \quad < \texttt{TEST} \ L, \sigma > \Downarrow \texttt{FALSE} \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ L, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < C_2, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_IF} \ C_1 \ \texttt{OP_ELSE} \ C_2 \ \texttt{OP_ENDIF} > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.3.3 OP_NOTIF, OP_ELSE, OP_ENDIF

Run C_1 if top of stack is present and evaluates to false. Otherwise run C_2 if stack is present and evaluates to true.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 0 \quad < \texttt{TEST} \ L, \sigma > \Downarrow \texttt{FALSE} \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ L, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < C_1, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_NOTIF} \ C_1 \ \texttt{OP_ENDIF} > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 0 \quad < \texttt{TEST} \quad L, \sigma > \Downarrow \; \texttt{TRUE} \quad < \texttt{DROP} \quad L, \sigma > \Downarrow \; \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_NOTIF} \quad C_1 \quad \texttt{OP_ENDIF} > \Downarrow \; \sigma'}$$

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 0 \quad < \texttt{TEST} \ L, \sigma > \Downarrow \texttt{FALSE} \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ L, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < C_1, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_NOTIF} \ C_1 \ \texttt{OP_ELSE} \ C_2 \ \texttt{OP_ENDIF} > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 0 \quad < \texttt{TEST} \ L, \sigma > \Downarrow \ \texttt{TRUE} \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ L, \sigma > \Downarrow \ \sigma_1 \quad < C_2, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \ \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_NOTIF} \ C_1 \ \texttt{OP_ELSE} \ C_2 \ \texttt{OP_ENDIF} > \Downarrow \ \sigma'}$$

$3.3.4 \quad OP_VERIFY := 0x69$

If top of stack is present and evaluates to true then remove top of stock and mark transaction as valid; otherwise mark transaction as invalid.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad < \mathtt{TEST} \ L, \sigma > \Downarrow \mathtt{FALSE} \ \sigma'(V) = \mathtt{invalid}}{< \mathtt{OP_VERIFY}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad < \mathtt{TEST} \ L, \sigma > \Downarrow \mathtt{TRUE} \quad < \mathtt{DROP} \ L, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma' \quad \sigma'(V) = \mathtt{valid}}{< \mathtt{OP_VERIFY}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

$3.3.5 \quad OP_RETURN := 0x6a$

Unconditionally mark transaction as invalid.

$$<$$
 OP_RETURN, $\sigma > \Downarrow \sigma[V = \text{invalid}]$

3.4 Stack

3.4.1 OP_TOALTSTACK

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 0 \quad \sigma(S_L) = x \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ \ L, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 < \texttt{PUSHALT} \ \ x, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_TOALTSTACK}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma}$$

3.4.2 OP_FROMALTSTACK

$$\frac{\sigma(|AS|) = L \quad L > 0 \quad \sigma(AS_L) = x \quad < \texttt{DROPALT} \quad L, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 < \texttt{PUSH} \quad x, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_FROMALTSTACK}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma}$$

3.4.3 OP_IFDUP

If top of stack is non-zero, duplicate the top of the stack.

$$\frac{\sigma(S_{|S|}) \neq 0 \quad < \mathtt{PUSH} \ S_{|S|} \Downarrow \sigma' >}{< \mathtt{OP_IFDUP}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.4.4 OP_DEPTH

Push the byte-vector representing the depth of the stack onto the stack.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad < \texttt{PUSH} \ L, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_DEPTH}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.4.5 OP_DROP

Remove the top of the stack.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 0 \quad < \mathtt{DROP} \ L, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \mathtt{OP_DROP}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.4.6 OP_DUP

Duplicate the top of the stack.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 0 \quad < \texttt{PUSH} \ S_L, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_DUP}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.4.7 OP_NIP

Remove the byte-vector second from the top of the stack.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 1 \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ \ L - 1, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_NIP}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.4.8 OP_OVER

Copy the byte-vector second from the top onto the top of the stack.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 1 \quad < \texttt{PUSH} \ S_{L-1}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_OVER}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.4.9 OP_PICK

Copy the byte-vector n from the top onto the top of the stack, not counting the top element n.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 0 \quad \sigma(S_L) = n \quad L > n \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ L, \\ \sigma > \Downarrow \ \sigma_1 \quad < \texttt{PUSH} \ S_{L-n-1}, \\ \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \ \sigma' \\ < \texttt{OP_PICK}, \\ \sigma > \Downarrow \ \sigma'$$

3.4.10 OP_ROLL

Move the byte-vector n from the top onto the top of the stack, not counting the top element n.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 0 \quad \sigma(S_L) = n \quad L > n \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ \ L, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \texttt{PUSH} \ \ S_{L-n-1}, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma_2 < \texttt{DROP} \ \ L - n - 1, \sigma_2 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_ROLL}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.4.11 OP_ROT

The top three items on the stack are rotated. Equivalently, move the byte-vector third from the top to the top of the stack.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 2 \quad < \texttt{PUSH} \ \ S_{L-2}, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma_2 < \texttt{DROP} \ \ L - 2, \sigma_2 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_ROT}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.4.12 **OP_SWAP**

The top two items on the stack are swapped.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 1 \quad < \texttt{PUSH} \ \ S_{L-1}, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma_2 < \texttt{DROP} \ \ L - 1, \sigma_2 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_SWAP}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.4.13 OP_TUCK

The item at the top of the stack is copied and inserted before the second-to-top item.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) > 1 \quad \sigma(S_{|S|}) = x \quad \sigma(S_{|S|-1}) = y \quad < \text{DROP} \ |S|, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \text{DROP} \ |S|, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma_2}{< \text{PUSH} \ x, \sigma_2 > \Downarrow \sigma_3 \quad < \text{PUSH} \ y, \sigma_3 > \Downarrow \sigma_4 \quad < \text{PUSH} \ x, \sigma_4 > \Downarrow \sigma'} < OP_TUCK, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.4.14 OP_2DROP

Removes the top two stack items.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) > 1 \quad < \mathtt{DROP} \ |S|, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \mathtt{DROP} \ |S|, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \mathtt{OP_2DROP}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.4.15 OP_2DUP

Duplicates the top two stack items.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 1 \quad < \texttt{PUSH} \ \ S_{L-1}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \texttt{PUSH} \ \ S_L, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_2DUP}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.4.16 OP_3DUP

Duplicates the top three stack items.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 2 \quad < \texttt{PUSH} \ \ S_{L-2}, \sigma > \Downarrow \ \sigma_1 \quad < \texttt{PUSH} \ \ S_{L-1}, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \ \sigma_2 \quad < \texttt{PUSH} \ \ S_L, \sigma_2 > \Downarrow \ \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_3DUP}, \sigma > \Downarrow \ \sigma'}$$

3.4.17 OP_2OVER

Copies the pair of items two spaces back in the stack to the front.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 3 \quad < \texttt{PUSH} \ S_{L-3}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \texttt{PUSH} \ S_{L-2}, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_20VER}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.4.18 OP_2ROT

The fifth and sixth items back are moved to the top of the stack.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 5 \quad < \texttt{PUSH} \ \ S_{L-5}, \sigma_2 > \Downarrow \sigma_3 \quad < \texttt{PUSH} \ \ S_{L-4}, \sigma_3 > \Downarrow \ \sigma' \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ \ L - 5, \sigma > \Downarrow \ \sigma_1 \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ \ L - 4, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \ \sigma_2}{< \texttt{OP_2ROT}, \sigma > \Downarrow \ \sigma'}$$

3.4.19 OP_2SWAP

The first and second items are swapped. The third and fourth items are swapped.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 3 \quad \sigma(S_L) = x \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) = y \quad < \texttt{DROP} \quad L, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \texttt{DROP} \quad L - 1, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma_2}{< \texttt{PUSH} \quad S_{L-3}, \sigma_2 > \Downarrow \sigma_3 \quad < \texttt{DROP} \quad L - 3, \sigma_3 > \Downarrow \sigma_4 \quad < \texttt{PUSH} \quad y, \sigma_4 > \Downarrow \sigma_5 \quad < \texttt{PUSH} \quad x, \sigma_5 > \Downarrow \sigma'} < < \texttt{OP_2SWAP}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'$$

3.5 Splice

3.5.1 OP_CAT

Disabled

Concatenates two byte strings.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad < \texttt{PUSH} \ \ S_L S_{L-1}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ \ L, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma_2 \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ \ L-1, \sigma_2 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_CAT}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.5.2 OP_SUBSTR

Disable a

Returns a subtring of the top element, starting from index given by second element, of size given by third element.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad \sigma(S_L) = b_1 \dots b_k \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) = start \quad \sigma(S_{L-2}) = size \quad start < k \quad start + size < k }{< \text{PUSH} \quad b_{start} \dots b_{start + size}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \text{DROP} \quad L, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma_2 \quad < \text{DROP} \quad L - 1, \sigma_2 > \Downarrow \sigma_3 \quad < \text{DROP} \quad L - 2, \sigma_3 > \Downarrow \sigma' } < \text{OP_SUBSTR}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma' }$$

3.5.3 OP_LEFT

Disabled

Returns only character left of a specified point in top element, index given by second element.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad \sigma(S_L) = b_1 \dots b_k \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) = idx \quad idx \leq k}{< \text{PUSH} \ b_1 b_{idx-1}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \text{DROP} \ L, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma_2 \quad < \text{DROP} \ L - 1, \sigma_2 > \Downarrow \sigma'} < \text{OP_LEFT}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.5.4 OP_RIGHT

Disable d

Returns only character right of a specified point in top element, index given by second element.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad \sigma(S_L) = b_1 \dots b_k \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) = idx \quad idx \leq k}{< \text{PUSH} \ b_{idx} \dots b_k, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \text{DROP} \ L, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma_2 \quad < \text{DROP} \ L - 1, \sigma_2 > \Downarrow \sigma'} < \text{OP_RIGHT}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.5.5 OP_SIZE

Pushes the number of bytes of the top element of the stack.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 0 \quad \sigma(S_L) = B \quad < \mathtt{PUSH} \ |B|, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \mathtt{OP_SIZE}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.6 Bitwise Logic

3.6.1 OP_INVERT

Disabled

Flips all bits of the top stack element.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad \sigma(S_L) = b_1 \dots b_k \quad < \texttt{PUSH} \ \, \neg b_1 \neg b_2 \dots \neg b_k, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ \, L, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_EQUAL}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.6.2 OP_AND

Disabled

Boolean and between bits of first and second stack elements.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad \sigma(S_L) = B_1 \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) = B_2}{< \texttt{PUSH} \ B_1 \ \& \ B_2, \sigma > \Downarrow \ \sigma_1 \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ \ L, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \ \sigma_2 \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ \ L - 1, \sigma_2 > \Downarrow \ \sigma'} < \text{OP_AND}, \sigma > \Downarrow \ \sigma'}$$

3.6.3 OP_OR

Disabled

Boolean and between bits of first and second stack elements.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad \sigma(S_L) = B_1 \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) = B_2}{< \texttt{PUSH} \ B_1 \mid B_2, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ L, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma_2 \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ L - 1, \sigma_2 > \Downarrow \sigma'} < \texttt{OP_OR}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.6.4 OP_XOR

Disabled

Boolean and between bits of first and second stack elements.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad \sigma(S_L) = B_1 \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) = B_2}{< \texttt{PUSH} \ B_1 \ ^{\land} B_2, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ L, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma_2 \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ L - 1, \sigma_2 > \Downarrow \sigma'} < \texttt{OP_XOR}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.6.5 OP_EQUAL

Returns 1 if the two top elements are equal, 0 otherwise.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 1 \quad \sigma(S_L) = B_1 \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) = B_2 \quad B_1 = B_2 \quad < \texttt{PUSH} \ 1, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_EQUAL}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 1 \quad \sigma(S_L) = B_1 \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) = B_2 \quad B_1 \neq B_2 \quad < \texttt{PUSH} \quad 0, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_EQUAL}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.6.6 OP_EQUALVERIFY

Description.

$$\frac{<\texttt{OP_EQUAL} \ , \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 < \texttt{OP_VERIFY} \ , \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{<\texttt{OP_EQUALVERIFY}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.7 Arithmetic

3.7.1 OP_1ADD

Add 1 to the top of the stack.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 0 \quad \sigma(S_L) \Downarrow x \quad B \Downarrow x + 1 \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ L, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \texttt{PUSH} \ B, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_2SWAP}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.7.2 OP_1SUB

Subtract 1 from the top of the stack.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 0 \quad \sigma(S_L) \Downarrow x \quad B \Downarrow x - 1 \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ L, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \texttt{PUSH} \ B, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_1SUB}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.7.3 OP_ABS

The top of the stack is replaced with the byte-vector representing it's absolute value.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 0 \quad \sigma(S_L) \Downarrow x \quad B \Downarrow |x| \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ L, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \texttt{PUSH} \ B, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_1SUB}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.7.4 OP_NEGATE

The top of the stack is negated.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 0 \quad \sigma(S_L) \Downarrow x \quad B \Downarrow -x \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ \ L, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \texttt{PUSH} \ \ B, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_1SUB}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.7.5 OP_NOT

If the top of the stack is 0, replace it with the byte vector representing 1. Otherwise, replace it with the byte-vector representing 0.

$$\frac{<\texttt{OP_IF PUSH OP_O OP_ELSE PUSH OP_1 OP_ENDIF}, \sigma> \Downarrow \sigma'}{<\texttt{OP_NOT}, \sigma> \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.7.6 OP_ONOTEQUAL

Push the byte-vector representing 0 onto the stack if the top of stack is 0. Otherwise replace the top of stack with the byte-vector representing 1.

$$\frac{<\texttt{OP_IF PUSH OP_1 OP_ELSE PUSH OP_0 OP_ENDIF}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}{<\texttt{OP_ONOTEQUAL}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.7.7 OP_ADD

Let the inputs be the top two items of the stack, a and b. Push the byte-vector representing a + b onto the stack.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 1 \quad \sigma(S_L) \Downarrow x \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) \Downarrow y \quad B \Downarrow x + y \quad < \texttt{OP_2DROP}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \texttt{PUSH B}, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_ADD}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.7.8 OP_SUB

Let the inputs be the top two items of the stack, a and b. Push the byte-vector representing a - b onto the stack.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 1 \quad \sigma(S_L) \Downarrow x \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) \Downarrow y \quad B \Downarrow y - x \quad < \texttt{OP_2DROP}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \texttt{PUSH B}, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_SUB}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.7.9 OP_BOOLAND

Let the inputs be the top two items of the stack, a and b. If both a and b are not 0, then push 1 onto the stack.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 1 \quad \sigma(S_L) \Downarrow a \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) \Downarrow b \quad a \neq 0 \land b \neq 0 \\ < \texttt{OP_BOOLAND}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \\ < \texttt{OP_BUSH OP_1}, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'$$

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 1 \quad \sigma(S_L) \Downarrow a \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) \Downarrow b \quad a = 0 \lor b = 0 \\ < \texttt{OP_BOOLAND}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma' \\ < \texttt{OP_BOOLAND}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'$$

3.7.10 OP_BOOLOR

Let the inputs be the top two items of the stack, a and b. If either a or b are not 0, then push 1 onto the stack.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 1 \quad \sigma(S_L) \Downarrow a \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) \Downarrow b \quad a \neq 0 \lor b \neq 0 \quad < \texttt{OP_2DROP}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \texttt{OP_1}, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_BOOLOR}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 1 \quad \sigma(S_L) \Downarrow a \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) \Downarrow b \quad a \neq 0 \land b \neq 0 \quad < \texttt{OP_2DROP}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \texttt{OP_0}, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_BOOLOR}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.7.11 OP_NUMEQUAL

Let the inputs be the top two items of the stack, a and b. Push 1 onto the stack if a = b; push 0 onto the stack otherwise.

$$<$$
 OP_SUB, σ $> \psi$ σ_1 $<$ OP_IF PUSH OP_O OP_ELSE PUSH OP_1, σ_1 $> \psi$ σ' $<$ OP_NUMEQUAL, σ $> \psi$ σ'

3.7.12 OP_NUMEQUALVERIFY

Let the inputs be the top two items of the stack, a and b. Push 1 onto the stack if a = b; push 0 onto the stack otherwise. If 0 is pushed onto the stack, mark the transaction as invalid.

$$\frac{<\texttt{OP_NUMEQUAL}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad <\texttt{OP_VERIFY}, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{<\texttt{OP_NUMEQUALVERIFY}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.7.13 OP_NUMNOTEQUAL

Let the inputs be the top two items of the stack, a and b. Push 1 if the numbers are equal, 0 otherwise.

$$\frac{<\texttt{OP_SUB}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1}{<\texttt{OP_IF PUSH OP_1 OP_ELSE PUSH OP_0}, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{<\texttt{OP_NUMNOTEQUAL}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.7.14 OP_LESSTHAN

Let the inputs be the element on the top of the stack(b) and the element second to the top (a). Push 1 onto the stack if a is less than b, otherwise push 0.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 1 \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) \Downarrow a \quad \sigma(S_L) \Downarrow b \quad a \geq b \quad < \text{OP_2DROP}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \text{OP_0}, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \text{OP_LESSTHAN}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 1 \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) \Downarrow a \quad \sigma(S_L) \Downarrow b \quad a < b \quad < \text{OP_2DROP}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \text{OP_1}, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \text{OP_LESSTHAN}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.7.15 OP_GREATERTHAN

Let the inputs be the element on the top of the stack(b) and the element second to the top (a). Push 1 onto the stack if a is greater than b, otherwise push 0.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 1 \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) \Downarrow a \quad \sigma(S_L) \Downarrow b \quad a \leq b \quad < \texttt{OP_2DROP}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \texttt{OP_0}, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_GREATERTHAN}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 1 \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) \Downarrow a \quad \sigma(S_L) \Downarrow b \quad a > b \quad < \texttt{OP_2DROP}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \texttt{OP_1}, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_GREATERTHAN}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.7.16 OP_LESSTHANOREQUAL

Let the inputs be the element on the top of the stack(b) and the element second to the top (a). Push 1 onto the stack if a is less than or equal to b, otherwise push 0.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 1 \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) \Downarrow a \quad \sigma(S_L) \Downarrow b \quad a > b \quad < \texttt{OP_2DROP}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \texttt{OP_0}, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_LESSTHANOREQUAL}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 1 \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) \Downarrow a \quad \sigma(S_L) \Downarrow b \quad a \leq b \quad < \texttt{OP_2DROP}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \texttt{OP_1}, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_LESSTHANOREQUAL}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.7.17 OP_GREATERTHANOREQUAL

Let the inputs be the element on the top of the stack(b) and the element second to the top (a). Push 1 onto the stack if a is greater than or equal to b, otherwise push 0.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 1 \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) \Downarrow a \quad \sigma(S_L) \Downarrow b \quad a < b \quad < \text{OP_2DROP}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \text{OP_0}, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \text{OP_GREATERTHANOREQUAL}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 1 \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) \Downarrow a \quad \sigma(S_L) \Downarrow b \quad a \geq b \quad < \texttt{OP_2DROP}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma_1 \quad < \texttt{OP_1}, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_GREATERTHANOREQUAL}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.7.18 OP_MIN

the larger of the two elements at the top of the stack is removed.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 1 \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) \Downarrow a \quad \sigma(S_L) \Downarrow b \quad a \leq b \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ \ L, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_MIN}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 1 \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) \Downarrow a \quad \sigma(S_L) \Downarrow b \quad b < a \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ L - 1, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_MIN}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.7.19 **OP_MAX**

the smaller of the two elements on the top of the stack is removed.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 1 \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) \Downarrow a \quad \sigma(S_L) \Downarrow b \quad a \geq b \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ \ L, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_MAX}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 1 \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) \Downarrow a \quad \sigma(S_L) \Downarrow b \quad b > a \quad < \texttt{DROP} \ \ L - 1, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_MAX}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

3.7.20 OP_WITHIN

the input is the 3 elements at the top of the stack x, min, max where max is the top of the stack. push 1 if x is greater than or equal to min and less than max, otherwise push 0.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 2 \quad \sigma(S_L) \Downarrow max \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) \Downarrow min \quad \sigma(S_{L-2}) \Downarrow x \quad min \leq x < max \quad < \texttt{OP_I}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}{< \texttt{OP_WITHIN}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'}$$

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 2 \quad \sigma(S_L) \Downarrow max \quad \sigma(S_{L-1}) \Downarrow min \quad \sigma(S_{L-2}) \Downarrow x \quad \neg(min \leq x < max) \\ < \text{OP_WITHIN}, \sigma > \Downarrow \sigma'$$

3.8 Crypto

3.8.1 OP_RIPEMD160

The element at the top of the stack is hashed with RIPEMD-160.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 0 \quad B = \text{RIPEMD-160}(\sigma(S_L)) \quad < \text{DROP} \quad L, \sigma > \Downarrow sigma_1 \quad < \text{PUSH} \quad B, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow sigma'}{< \text{OP_RIPEMD-160}, \sigma > \Downarrow sigma'}$$

3.8.2 OP_SHA1

The element at the top of the stack is hashed with SHA-1.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 0 \quad B = \operatorname{SHA-1}(\sigma(S_L)) \quad < \operatorname{DROP} \ L, \sigma > \Downarrow sigma_1 \quad < \operatorname{PUSH} \ B, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow sigma'}{< \operatorname{OP_SHA1}, \sigma > \Downarrow sigma'}$$

3.8.3 OP_SHA256

The element at the top of the stack is hashed with SHA-256.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 0 \quad B = \text{SHA-256}(\sigma(S_L)) \quad < \text{DROP} \quad L, \sigma > \Downarrow sigma_1 \quad < \text{PUSH} \quad B, \sigma_1 > \Downarrow sigma'}{< \text{OP_SHA-256}, \sigma > \Downarrow sigma'}$$

3.8.4 OP_HASH160

The element at the top of the stack is hashed with SHA-256 and then with RIPEMD-160.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 0 \quad B = \text{RIPEMD-160}(\text{SHA-256}(\sigma(S_L))) \\ < \text{OP_HASH160}, \\ \sigma > \Downarrow sigma' \\ < \text{OP_HASH160}, \\ \sigma > \Downarrow sigma'$$

3.8.5 **OP_HASH256**

The element at the top of the stack is hashed twice with SHA-256.

$$\frac{\sigma(|S|) = L \quad L > 0 \quad B = \text{SHA-256}(\text{SHA-256}(\sigma(S_L))) \\ < \text{OP_HASH256}, \sigma > \Downarrow sigma' \\ < \text{OP_HASH256}, \sigma > \Downarrow sigma' \\$$

- 3.8.6 OP_CODESEPARATOR
- 3.8.7 OP_CHECKSIG
- 3.8.8 OP_CHECKSIGVERIFY
- 3.8.9 OP_CHECKMULTISIG
- 3.8.10 OP_CHECKMULTISIGVERIFY
- 3.9 Locktime
- 3.9.1 OP_CHECKLOCKTIMEVERIFY (previously OP_NOP2)
- 3.9.2 OP_CHECKSEQUENCEVERIFY (previously OP_NOP3)
- 3.10 Disabled / Reserved / Invalid

All disabled, reserved or otherwise invalid opcodes transition to an invalid state.

$$\overline{<\mathtt{dcom},\sigma>} \Downarrow \sigma[V=invalid]$$

4 Operational Semantics – Small Step Semantics

4.1 Local reduction rules

[No need to add PUSHDATA commands: these can be described as atomic commands, if we remember that the PUSHDATA opcode is only part of the push commands defined in the syntax - Hugo]

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<\mathsf{OP\_NOP}\ \mathsf{com},\sigma> \longrightarrow <\mathsf{com},\sigma> \\ <\mathsf{scom},\sigma[S=s,V=v]> \longrightarrow <\mathsf{OP\_NOP},\sigma[S=s',V=v']>^1 \\ <\mathsf{OP\_RETURN}\ \mathsf{com},\sigma> \longrightarrow <\mathsf{OP\_NOP},\sigma[V=false]> \\ <\mathsf{OP\_IF}\ \mathsf{com}\ \mathsf{OP\_ENDIF},\sigma[S_{|S|}\neq 0]> \longrightarrow <\mathsf{com},\sigma> \\ <\mathsf{OP\_IF}\ \mathsf{com}\ \mathsf{OP\_ENDIF},\sigma[S_{|S|}\neq 0]> \longrightarrow <\mathsf{OP\_NOP},\sigma> \\ <\mathsf{OP\_NOTIF}\ \mathsf{com}\ \mathsf{OP\_ENDIF},\sigma[S_{|S|}\neq 0]> \longrightarrow <\mathsf{OP\_NOP},\sigma> \\ <\mathsf{OP\_NOTIF}\ \mathsf{com}\ \mathsf{OP\_ENDIF},\sigma[S_{|S|}\neq 0]> \longrightarrow <\mathsf{com},\sigma> \\ <\mathsf{OP\_IF}\ \mathsf{com}_1\ \mathsf{OP\_ELSE}\ \mathsf{com}_2\ \mathsf{OP\_ENDIF},\sigma[S_{|S|}\neq 0]> \longrightarrow <\mathsf{com}_1,\sigma> \\ <\mathsf{OP\_IF}\ \mathsf{com}_1\ \mathsf{OP\_ELSE}\ \mathsf{com}_2\ \mathsf{OP\_ENDIF},\sigma[S_{|S|}\neq 0]> \longrightarrow <\mathsf{com}_2,\sigma> \\ <\mathsf{OP\_NOTIF}\ \mathsf{com}_1\ \mathsf{OP\_ELSE}\ \mathsf{com}_2\ \mathsf{OP\_ENDIF},\sigma[S_{|S|}\neq 0]> \longrightarrow <\mathsf{com}_2,\sigma> \\ <\mathsf{OP\_NOTIF}\ \mathsf{com}_1\ \mathsf{OP\_ELSE}\ \mathsf{com}_2\ \mathsf{OP\_ENDIF},\sigma[S_{|S|}\neq 0]> \longrightarrow <\mathsf{com}_2,\sigma> \\ <\mathsf{OP\_NOTIF}\ \mathsf{com}_1\ \mathsf{OP\_ELSE}\ \mathsf{com}_2\ \mathsf{OP\_ENDIF},\sigma[S_{|S|}\neq 0]> \longrightarrow <\mathsf{com}_2,\sigma> \\ <\mathsf{OP\_NOTIF}\ \mathsf{com}_1\ \mathsf{OP\_ELSE}\ \mathsf{com}_2\ \mathsf{OP\_ENDIF},\sigma[S_{|S|}=0]> \longrightarrow <\mathsf{com}_1,\sigma> \\ <\mathsf{OP\_NOTIF}\ \mathsf{com}_1\ \mathsf{OP\_ENDIF},\sigma[S_{|S|}=0]> \longrightarrow <\mathsf{com}_1,\sigma> \\ <\mathsf{OP\_NOTIF}\ \mathsf{OP\_ENDIF},\sigma[S_{|S|}=0]> \longrightarrow <\mathsf{COM}_1,\sigma> \\ <\mathsf{OP\_NOTIF},\sigma[S_{|S|}=0]> \longrightarrow <\mathsf{COM}_1,\sigma> \\ <\mathsf{OP\_NOTIF},\sigma[S_{|S|}=0]> \longrightarrow <\mathsf{
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4.2 Global reduction rules

Since programs in Script are evaluated strictly from left to right, there is really only global reduction rule aside from \bullet .

¹In reality there is one local reduction rule per single-word command. For each of them the state is changed in the way described in the big-step operational semantics. The important information here is that every single-word command reduces to OP_NOP in a single step.