# 1 Syntax

#### 1.1 Source Syntax

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Types
                                          T ::= \alpha \mid \top \mid \tau_1 \rightarrow \tau_2 \mid \forall \alpha. \tau \mid \tau_1 \& \tau_2 \mid \{l:\tau\}
                                          \mathsf{E} \ := \ x \mid \top \mid \lambda(x:\tau). \, e \mid e_1 \mid e_2 \mid \Lambda \alpha. \, e \mid e \mid \tau \mid e_1, \, e_2 \mid \{l = e\} \mid e.l \mid e \setminus l
Expressions
                                                      | \operatorname{sig} s[\overline{\alpha}] where l:\tau in e
                                                     | \operatorname{sig} s_1[\overline{\alpha_1}] extends \overline{s_2[\overline{\alpha}]} where \overline{1:\tau} in e
                                                      algebra x implements s[\overline{\tau}] where l@(l_1 \ \overline{x_1}) = e_1 in e
                                                      algebra x extends \overline{x_0} implements \overline{s[\overline{\tau}]} where \overline{l@(l_1 \overline{x_1}) = e_1} in e
                                                      | data d from s[\overline{\alpha_0}].\alpha_1 in e
                                                      | \text{ let } x \ (\overline{x_1} : \overline{\tau_1}) \ (\overline{x_2} : d[\overline{\tau}]) : d[\overline{\tau}] = e_1 \text{ in } e
                                                      |e[\overline{\tau}]<\overline{x}>
                                          \Gamma := \epsilon \mid \Gamma, \alpha \mid \Gamma, x : \tau
Contexts
                                                      \mid \Gamma, s[\overline{\alpha}] \rightarrow \overline{\iota : \tau}
                                                      |\Gamma, \chi \multimap \overline{s[\overline{\tau}]}|
                                                     \Gamma, d \rightsquigarrow s[\overline{\alpha_0}].\alpha_1 : \tau
                                          l
Labels
                                                            (fields)
                                                             (interfaces)
                                          d
                                                             (datatypes)
Syntactic sugars
                                       0
                                                := s[\overline{\alpha_0}]
                                                := [\overline{\alpha_0}/\overline{\alpha}]\Gamma(s)
                                               := d(\overline{\tau_0})
                                               := [\overline{\tau_0}/(\overline{\alpha_0} \setminus \alpha_1)]\Gamma(d)
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### 1.2 Target Syntax

### 2 Translation Rules

$$\begin{array}{c} \Gamma,s[\overline{\alpha}]\to\overline{l:\tau}\vdash e:\tau_*\Rightarrow E\\ \hline \Gamma\vdash sigs[\overline{\alpha}]\to\overline{l:\tau}\vdash e:\tau_*\Rightarrow E\\ \hline \Gamma\vdash sigs[\overline{\alpha}]\to U_\varnothing[\overline{\alpha}/\alpha_2]\Gamma(s_2)\ U_\leftarrow\overline{l:\tau}\vdash e:\tau_*\Rightarrow E\\ \hline \Gamma\vdash sigs_1[\overline{\alpha_1}]\to U_\varnothing[\overline{\alpha}/\alpha_2]\Gamma(s_2)\ U_\leftarrow\overline{l:\tau}\vdash e:\tau_*\Rightarrow E\\ \hline \Gamma\vdash sigs_1[\overline{\alpha_1}]\to E_1 & \tau_1<:gen2_B(l_1) & \Gamma,x:\&[\overline{\tau}/\overline{\alpha}]\Gamma(s),x\to s[\overline{\tau}]\vdash e:\tau_*\Rightarrow E\\ \hline \Gamma\vdash s[\overline{\alpha}] & \overline{\Gamma},\overline{x_1}:gen2_A(l_1)\vdash e_1:\tau_1\Rightarrow E_1 & \tau_1<:gen2_B(l_1) & \Gamma,x:\&[\overline{\tau}/\overline{\alpha}]\Gamma(s)=\{l_1=\lambda(\overline{x_1}:gen2_A(l_1)),E_1\}\ in\ E\\ \hline \hline \Gamma\vdash s[\overline{\alpha}] & \overline{\Gamma\vdash x_0:\tau_0} & \overline{\Gamma},\overline{x_1}:gen2(l_1)\vdash e_1:\tau_1\Rightarrow E_1 & \Gamma,x:\&[\overline{\tau}/\overline{\alpha}]\Gamma(s)\vdash e:\tau_*\Rightarrow E\\ \hline \hline \Gamma\vdash s[\overline{\alpha}] & \overline{\Gamma\vdash x_0:\tau_0} & \overline{\Gamma},\overline{x_1}:gen2(l_1)\vdash e_1:\tau_1\Rightarrow E_1 & \Gamma,x:\&[\overline{\tau}/\overline{\alpha}]\Gamma(s)\vdash e:\tau_*\Rightarrow E\\ \hline \hline \Gamma\vdash s[\overline{\alpha}] & \overline{\Gamma\vdash x_0:\tau_0} & \overline{\Gamma},\overline{x_1}:gen2(l_1)\vdash e_1:\tau_1\Rightarrow E_1 & \Gamma,x:\&[\overline{\tau}/\overline{\alpha}]\Gamma(s)\vdash e:\tau_*\Rightarrow E\\ \hline \hline \Gamma\vdash s[\overline{\alpha}]\to \overline{l}:\overline{\tau} & \Gamma,d\hookrightarrow s[\overline{\alpha}_0].\alpha_1:\{accept:\forall\alpha_1.s[\overline{\alpha}_0]\to \alpha_1\}\vdash e:\tau_*\Rightarrow E\\ \hline \hline \Gamma\vdash data\ d\ from\ s[\overline{\alpha}_0].\alpha_1:\{accept:\forall\alpha_1.s[\overline{\alpha}_0]\to \alpha_1\}\vdash e:\tau_*\Rightarrow E\\ \hline \hline \Gamma\vdash data\ d\ from\ s[\overline{\alpha}_0].\alpha_1:\{accept:\forall\alpha_1.s[\overline{\alpha}_0]\to \alpha_1\}\vdash e:\tau_*\Rightarrow E\\ \hline \hline \Gamma\vdash data\ d\ from\ s[\overline{\alpha}_0].\alpha_1:\theta:\tau_*\Rightarrow e_1\ in\ e:\tau_*\Rightarrow e_1\ et\ gen3(l)=\dots\ in\ E\\ \hline \hline \Gamma\vdash let\ x(\overline{x_1}:\overline{\tau_1})(\overline{x_2}:d[\overline{\tau}]\vdash e_1:d[\overline{\tau}]\to e_1\ in\ e:\tau_*\Rightarrow let\ x=[gen4(d)]E_1\ in\ E\\ \hline \hline \Gamma\vdash s[\overline{\alpha}] & \Gamma\vdash e:\tau_0\Rightarrow E\\ \hline \hline \Gamma\vdash e[\overline{\tau}]<\overline{x}>:\tau_*\Rightarrow E.accept[\&\overline{\tau}]\ (merge_s\ \overline{x})\\ \hline \hline \end{array}$$

 $merge_s$ : the merge algebra for object algebra interface s.

$$\begin{split} \text{merge}_s: \forall \overline{\alpha_A}. \forall \overline{\alpha_B}. s[\overline{\alpha_A}] \rightarrow s[\overline{\alpha_B}] \rightarrow s[\overline{\alpha_A} \ \& \ \alpha_B] = \Lambda \overline{\alpha_A}. \Lambda \overline{\alpha_B}. \lambda (\text{alg}_1: s[\overline{\alpha_A}]). \lambda (\text{alg}_2: s[\overline{\alpha_B}]). \{\overline{l = [\overline{\alpha_A} \ \& \ \alpha_B/\overline{\alpha}]} \text{gen}(l) \} \\ \text{gen}(l): \ \lambda(\overline{x}:...). \text{alg}1.\overline{x}, \text{alg}2.\overline{x}. \end{split}$$

gen2(l): get the type from context  $\Gamma(s).l$ .

gen3(l): for each case l, generate an auxiliary function for building structures. Only consider those with return type  $\alpha_1$  in data d from  $s[\overline{\alpha_0}].\alpha_1$  in e.

[gen4(d)]:  $[\overline{l}[\overline{\tau}]/\overline{l}]$ . Only when  $d \rightsquigarrow s[\overline{\alpha_0}].\alpha_1$ , l is a constructor in s, and gen3(l) exists.

# 3 Auxiliary Rules for Expanding Types

### 4 Amendment

# 4.1 In translation: alg

Question: Type-check for  $\tau_1 <:$  the return type in  $\Gamma(s)$ ?

## 4.2 In translation: algext

Question: Type-check for  $\overline{s[\overline{\tau}]} = \overline{\tau_0} + \dots$ ?

#### 4.3 In translation: datatype

Question: Check if  $\alpha_1 \in \overline{\alpha_0}$ ? Not sure if something like ... makes sense.

#### 4.4 In translation: insta

Question: Check if e has the field "accept"? And the relationship between  $\tau_0$  and  $\tau_*$ ?

# 4.5 Critical: algebras in context?

Question: Put algebras into context? Need to check more for types in that case. But instantiation becomes more concise. Currently the translation rule for instantiation doesn't really work (it doesn't know which interface to use, since merge algebras are namespaced). The merge algebra is limited. And some constructors potentially cannot be generated automatically.

# 4.6 Extension: sig as type? structure building?

Question: Currently a structure can only be built from datatype. With signatures as types, the code could be more flexible.

#### 4.7 Notes

The rules should support both special syntax for algebras and common syntax.

- sig: (1) in the environment; (2) as a type synonym.
- alg: (1) in the environment; (2) as a function.
- data: (1) in the environment; (2) as a type synonym.