

Typify types

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Parser and tools for type signatures of **typify**. Essentially the language is dependent type theory, with omitted lambda constructor.

1 Formal syntax definition

level	name		associativity	example
9	recursive	μ	prefix, right associative	$\mu a \rightarrow \mu b \rightarrow a b \equiv \mu a \rightarrow (\mu b \rightarrow (a b))$
8	optional	$?$	postfix	$a?$
7	application	$a b$	left associative	$a b c \equiv (a b) c$
6	conjunction	\wedge	associative	$(a \wedge b) \wedge c \equiv a \wedge (b \wedge c)$
5	disjunction	\vee	associative	$(a \vee b) \vee c \equiv a \vee (b \vee c)$
4	ellipsis	\dots	postfix	$a \dots$
3	type	$:$	right associative	$x : a$
2	product	\times	associative	$(a \times b) \times c \equiv a \times (b \times c)$
1	function	\rightarrow	right associative	$a \rightarrow b \rightarrow c \equiv a \rightarrow (b \rightarrow c)$
0	semicolon	$;$	associative	

Table 1: Operator precedence

name	code variants	
any	\top	$\top *$
nothing	\perp	$\perp _ _$
unit	$\mathbb{1}$	$\mathbb{1} ()$
optional	$?$	$?$
conjunction	\wedge	$\wedge $
disjunction	\vee	$\vee \&$
ellipsis	\dots	\dots (either three dots, or unicode ellipsis)
type	$:$	$:$
product	\times	$\times ,$
function	\rightarrow	$\rightarrow \rightarrow$
semicolon	$;$	$;$
rec	μ	μrec

Table 2: Special character code representations

Terminals:

$\top : \text{type}$	ANY	$\perp : \text{type}$	NOTHING	$\mathbb{1} : \text{type}$	UNIT
$\text{number} : \text{type}$	NUMBER	$\text{string} : \text{type}$	STRING	$\text{bool} : \text{type}$	BOOLEAN

Identifiers:

$n : \text{name}$ $n : \text{type}$	IDENTIFIER
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Record pairs:

$n : \text{name} \quad a : \text{type}$ $n : a : \text{pair}$	RECORD-PAIR	$r : \text{pair}$ $r : \text{rlist}$	RECORD-SINGLETON	$p : \text{pair} \quad r : \text{rlist}$ $p; r : \text{rlist}$	RECORD-CONS
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Records:

$\{\} : \text{type}$	EMPTY-RECORD	$r : \text{rlist}$ $\{r\} : \text{type}$	RECORD
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Row types:

$a : \text{type} \quad b : \text{type}$ $a \wedge b : \text{type}$	CONJUNCTION	$a : \text{type} \quad b : \text{type}$ $a \vee b : \text{type}$	DISJUNCTION	$a : \text{type}$ $a? : \text{type}$	OPTIONAL
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Application:

$a : \text{type} \quad b : \text{type}$ $a b : \text{type}$	APPLICATION
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Special modifiers:

$a : \text{type} \quad b : \text{type}$ $a \times b : \text{type}$	PRODUCT	$a : \text{type}$ $a \dots : \text{type}$	VARIADIC	$n : \text{name} \quad p : \text{type}$ $n : p : \text{type}$	NAMED
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Brackets:

$p : \text{type}$ $[p] : \text{type}$	BRACKETS
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Functions:

$a : \text{type} \quad b : \text{type}$ $a \rightarrow b : \text{type}$	FUNCTION
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Recursive types:

$n : \text{name} \quad a : \text{type}$ $\mu n \rightarrow a : \text{type}$	RECURSIVE
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Figure 1: Typify syntax rules

$$\begin{aligned}
a \times ys : b \dots \times c \rightarrow d \rightarrow e & \\
\equiv x : a \times ys : (b \dots) \times c \rightarrow d \rightarrow e & \\
\equiv (x : a) \times (ys : (b \dots)) \times c \rightarrow d \rightarrow e & \\
\equiv ((x : a) \times (ys : (b \dots))) \times c \rightarrow d \rightarrow e & \\
\equiv ((x : a) \times (ys : (b \dots))) \times c \rightarrow (d \rightarrow e) & \\
a \times y : b \rightarrow c & \\
\equiv a \times (y : b) \rightarrow c & \\
\equiv (a \times (y : b)) \rightarrow c &
\end{aligned}
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\begin{aligned}
a \vee b? \wedge c d \dots \rightarrow e & \\
\equiv a \vee (b?) \wedge (c d) \dots \rightarrow e & \\
\equiv a \vee ((b?) \wedge (c d)) \dots \rightarrow e & \\
\equiv (a \vee ((b?) \wedge (c d))) \dots \rightarrow e & \\
\equiv ((a \vee ((b?) \wedge (c d))) \dots) \rightarrow e &
\end{aligned}$$

Figure 2: Examples of operator precedence

Either a b $\equiv \{type : \text{"left"}; value : a\} \vee \{type : \text{"right"}; value : b\}$
flatMap : $(@ : Observable\ A \times f : A \rightarrow Observable\ B \vee Event\ B \vee B) \rightarrow EventStream\ B$

Figure 3: Examples of real world types