

HOT Compilation Notes

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Notes for 170131 (on substitution) are extremely incoherent so I did not include them by default.

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1 Compiler Structure

SML
 $\xrightarrow{\text{elaborate}}$ IL-Module
 $\xrightarrow{\text{phase-splitting}}$ IL-Direct
 $\xrightarrow{\text{cps conversion}}$ IL-CPS
 $\xrightarrow{\text{closure conversion}}$ IL-Closure
 $\xrightarrow{\text{hoisting}}$ IL-Hoist
 $\xrightarrow{\text{allocation}}$ IL-Alloc
 $\xrightarrow{\text{code-generation}}$ C

2 Introduction to the $F\omega$ type system

2.1 Grammar

$$\begin{aligned} k &::= \text{Type} \mid k \rightarrow k \\ c &::= \alpha \mid c \rightarrow c \mid \forall \alpha : k . c \mid c \ c \\ e &::= x \mid \lambda x : c . e \mid e \ e \mid \Lambda \alpha : k . e \mid e[c] \end{aligned}$$

Kind k , Type Constructor c , and Term e .

Note: Type is often referred to with just “T” (by Crary), for simplicity.

2.2 Context for Judgements

$$\Gamma ::= \epsilon \mid \Gamma, x : \tau \mid \Gamma, \alpha : k \tag{1}$$

Note: For simplicity, whenever a new α appears in the context, we implicitly ensure that α is not already in Γ .

2.3 $\Gamma \vdash c : k$

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{\Gamma(\alpha) = k}{\Gamma \vdash \alpha : k} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash \tau : T \quad \Gamma \vdash \tau_2 : T}{\Gamma \vdash \tau_1 \rightarrow \tau_2 : T} \quad \frac{\Gamma, \alpha : k \vdash \tau : T}{\Gamma \vdash \forall \alpha : k . \tau} \quad \frac{\Gamma, \alpha : k \vdash c : k'}{\Gamma \vdash \lambda \alpha : k . c : k \rightarrow k'} \\ &\frac{\Gamma \vdash c_1 : k \rightarrow k' \quad \Gamma \vdash c_2 : k}{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \ c_2 : k'} \end{aligned}$$

2.4 $\Gamma \vdash e : \tau$

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{\Gamma(x) = \tau}{\Gamma \vdash x : \tau} \quad \frac{\Gamma, x : \tau \vdash e : \tau'}{\Gamma \vdash \lambda x : \tau . e : \tau \rightarrow \tau'} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash e_1 : \tau \rightarrow \tau' \quad \Gamma \vdash e_2 : \tau}{\Gamma \vdash e_1 \ e_2 : \tau'} \\ &\frac{\Gamma, \alpha : k \vdash e : \tau}{\Gamma \vdash \Lambda \alpha : k . e : \forall \alpha : k . \tau} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash e : \forall \alpha : k . e \quad \Gamma \vdash c : k}{\Gamma \vdash e[c] : [c / \alpha]e} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash e : \tau \quad \Gamma \vdash \tau \equiv \tau' : T}{\Gamma \vdash e : \tau'} \end{aligned}$$

2.5 $\Gamma \vdash c \equiv c : k$

Definitional Equivalence.

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash c : k}{\Gamma \vdash c \equiv c : k} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c \equiv c' : k}{\Gamma \vdash c' \equiv c : k} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \equiv c_2 : k \quad \Gamma \vdash c_2 \equiv c_3 : k}{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \equiv c_3 : k}$$

The above are identity, reflexivity, and transitivity respectively.

The following are “compatibility” rules.

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \equiv c'_1 : k \quad \Gamma \vdash c_2 \equiv c'_2 : k}{\Gamma \vdash c_1 c_2 \equiv c'_1 c'_2 : k} \quad \frac{\Gamma, \alpha : k_1 \vdash c \equiv c' : k_2}{\Gamma \vdash \lambda \alpha : k_1 . c \equiv \lambda \alpha : k_1 . c' : k_1 \rightarrow k_2}$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash \tau_1 \equiv \tau'_1 : k \quad \Gamma \vdash \tau_2 \equiv \tau'_2 : k}{\Gamma \vdash \tau_1 \rightarrow \tau_2 \equiv \tau'_1 \rightarrow \tau'_2 : T} \quad \frac{\Gamma, \alpha : k \vdash \tau \equiv \tau' : T}{\Gamma \vdash \forall \alpha : k . \tau \equiv \forall \alpha : k . \tau' : T}$$

congruence = compatible equivalence relation

The following are the rules for beta equivalence and extensionality:

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash c_2 : k \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k \vdash c_1 : k'}{\Gamma \vdash (\lambda \alpha : k . c_1) c_2 \equiv [c_2 / \alpha] c_1 : k'}$$

$$\frac{\Gamma, \alpha : k_1 \vdash c \equiv c' : k_2 \quad \Gamma \vdash c : k_1 \rightarrow k_2 \quad \Gamma \vdash c' : k_1 \rightarrow k_2}{\Gamma \vdash c \equiv c' : k_1 \rightarrow k_2}$$

2.6 Extending $F\omega$

Note: This helps in the understanding of sml's module system

Grammar:

$$k ::= \dots \mid k \times k$$

$$c ::= \dots \mid \langle c, c \rangle \mid \pi_1 c \mid \pi_2 c$$

New Judgements:

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash c_1 : k_2 \quad \Gamma \vdash c_2 : k_2}{\Gamma \vdash \langle c_1, c_2 \rangle : k_1 \times k_2} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c : k_1 \times k_2}{\Gamma \vdash \pi_i c : k_i} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \equiv c'_1 : k_1 \quad \Gamma \vdash c_2 \equiv c'_2 : k_2}{\Gamma \vdash \langle c_1, c_2 \rangle \equiv \langle c'_1, c'_2 \rangle : k_1 \times k_2}$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash c \equiv c' : k_1 \times k_2}{\Gamma \vdash \pi_i c \equiv \pi_i c' : k_i} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c_1 : k_1 \quad \Gamma \vdash c_2 : k_2}{\Gamma \vdash \pi_i \langle c_1, c_2 \rangle \equiv c_i : k_i}$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash \pi_1 c \equiv \pi_1 c' : k_1 \quad \Gamma \vdash \pi_2 c \equiv \pi_2 c' : k_2}{\Gamma \vdash c \equiv c' : k_1 \times k_2}$$

3 Algorithmic Equivalence in the $F\omega$ Type System

3.1 Normalize-and-Compare

Note: We don't use this.

$\lambda\alpha : k . c_1 \ c_2 \xrightarrow{\beta} [c_2 / \alpha]c_1$
 $\pi_i \langle c_1, c_2 \rangle \xrightarrow{\beta} c_i$
+ some η reduction rules

According to some equivalence theorem, they will have normal forms and those normal forms will be equal if they are equivalent.

3.2 Grammar and Properties

Paths:

$p ::= \alpha \mid p \ c \mid \pi_1 \ p \mid \pi_2 \ p$

Weak-Head Normal Form:

$n ::= p \mid c_1 \rightarrow c_2 \mid \forall\alpha : k . c.$

Regularity:

If $\vdash \Gamma \text{ ok}$ and $\Gamma \vdash c_1 \equiv c_2 : k$, then $\Gamma \vdash c_1 : k$ and $\Gamma \vdash c_2 : k$.

If $\vdash \Gamma \text{ ok}$ and $\Gamma \vdash c : k$, then $\Gamma \vdash k : \text{kind}$.

Soundness:

If $\vdash \Gamma \text{ ok}$ and $\Gamma \vdash c_1, c_2 : k$ and $\Gamma \vdash c_1 \Leftrightarrow c_2 : k$, then $\vdash c_1 \equiv c_2 : k$.

Completeness:

If $\vdash \Gamma \text{ ok}$ and $\Gamma \vdash c_1 \equiv c_2 : k$, then $\Gamma \vdash c_1 \Leftrightarrow c_2 : k$.

$$\frac{}{\vdash \epsilon \text{ ok}} \qquad \frac{\vdash \Gamma \text{ ok} \quad \Gamma \vdash k : \text{kind}}{\vdash \Gamma, \alpha : k \text{ ok}} \qquad \frac{\vdash \Gamma \text{ ok} \quad \Gamma \vdash \tau : \text{Type}}{\vdash \Gamma, x : \tau \text{ ok}}$$

3.3 Algorithmic Constructor Equivalence

Form: $\Gamma \vdash c_1^+ \Leftrightarrow c_2^+ : k$

Note: $\overset{+}{x}$ indicates that x is an input.

$$\frac{\Gamma, \alpha : k_1 \vdash c \ \alpha \Leftrightarrow c' \ \alpha : k_2}{\Gamma \vdash c \Leftrightarrow c' : k_1 \rightarrow k_2} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash \pi_1 \ c \leftrightarrow \pi_1 \ c' : k_1 \quad \Gamma \vdash \pi_2 \ c \leftrightarrow \pi_2 \ c' : k_2}{\Gamma \vdash c \Leftrightarrow c' : k_1 \times k_2}$$

$$\frac{c_1 \Downarrow c'_1 \quad c_2 \Downarrow c'_2 \quad \Gamma \vdash c'_1 \leftrightarrow c'_2 : \text{Type}}{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \Leftrightarrow c_2 : \text{Type}}$$

3.4 Algorithmic Path Equivalence

Form: $\Gamma \vdash c_1^+ \Leftrightarrow c_2^+ : \bar{k}$

Note: \bar{x} indicates that x is an output.

$$\frac{\Gamma(\alpha) = k}{\Gamma \vdash \alpha \leftrightarrow \alpha : k} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash p \leftrightarrow p' : k_1 \rightarrow k_2 \quad \Gamma \vdash c \Leftrightarrow c' : k_1}{\Gamma \vdash p \ c \leftrightarrow p' \ c' : k_1} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash p \leftrightarrow p' : k_1 \times k_2}{\Gamma \vdash \pi_i \ p \leftrightarrow \pi_i \ p' : k_i}$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \Leftrightarrow c'_1 : T \quad \Gamma \vdash c_1 \Leftrightarrow c'_2 : T}{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \rightarrow c_2 \leftrightarrow c'_1 \rightarrow c'_2 : T} \quad \frac{\Gamma, \alpha : k \vdash c \Leftrightarrow c' : T}{\Gamma \vdash \forall \alpha : k . c \leftrightarrow \forall \alpha : k . c' : T}$$

3.5 Weak-Head Normalization

Form: $\overset{+}{c} \Downarrow \bar{n}$

$$\frac{c \rightsquigarrow c' \quad c' \Downarrow c''}{c \Downarrow c''} \quad \frac{c \not\rightsquigarrow}{c \Downarrow c}$$

3.6 Weak-Head Reduction

Form: $\overset{+}{c} \rightsquigarrow \bar{c}'$

$$\frac{}{(\lambda \alpha : k . c_1) \ c_2 \rightsquigarrow [c_2 / \alpha] c_1} \quad \frac{}{\pi_i \langle c_1, c_2 \rangle \rightsquigarrow c_i} \quad \frac{c_1 \rightsquigarrow c'_1}{c_1 \ c_2 \rightsquigarrow c'_1 \ c_2} \quad \frac{c \rightsquigarrow c'}{\pi_i c \rightsquigarrow \pi_i c'}$$

3.7 Kind Synthesis and Checking

Form: $\Gamma \vdash \overset{+}{c} \Rightarrow \bar{k}$ and $\Gamma \vdash \overset{+}{c} \Leftarrow \overset{+}{k}$

$$\begin{array}{c}
\frac{\Gamma(\alpha) = k}{\Gamma \vdash \alpha \Rightarrow k} \quad \frac{\Gamma, \alpha : k \vdash c \Rightarrow k'}{\Gamma \vdash \lambda \alpha : k . c \Rightarrow k \rightarrow k'} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \Rightarrow k \rightarrow k' \quad \Gamma \vdash c_2 \Leftarrow k}{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \ c_2 \Rightarrow k'} \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \Rightarrow k_1 \quad \Gamma \vdash c_2 \Rightarrow k_2}{\Gamma \vdash \langle c_1, c_2 \rangle \Rightarrow k_1 \times k_2} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c \Rightarrow k_1 \times k_2}{\Gamma \vdash \pi_i \ c \Rightarrow k_1} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \Leftarrow T \quad \Gamma \vdash c_2 \Leftarrow T}{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \rightarrow c_2 \Rightarrow T} \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma, \alpha : k \vdash c \Leftarrow T}{\Gamma \vdash \forall \alpha : k . c \Rightarrow T} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c \Rightarrow k}{\Gamma \vdash c \Leftarrow k}
\end{array}$$

3.8 Type Checking and Synthesis

Form: $\Gamma \vdash \overset{+}{e} \Rightarrow \bar{c}$ and $\Gamma \vdash \overset{+}{e} \Leftarrow \overset{+}{c}$

$$\begin{array}{c}
\frac{\Gamma(x) = \tau}{\Gamma \vdash x \Rightarrow \tau} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash \tau \Leftarrow T \quad \Gamma, x : \tau \vdash e \Rightarrow \tau'}{\Gamma \vdash \lambda x : \tau . e \Rightarrow \tau \rightarrow \tau'} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash e_1 \Rightarrow \tau_1 \quad \tau_1 \Downarrow \tau \rightarrow \tau' \quad \Gamma \vdash e_2 \Leftarrow \tau}{\Gamma \vdash e_1 \ e_2 \Rightarrow \tau'} \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma, \alpha : k \vdash e \Rightarrow \tau}{\Gamma \vdash \Lambda \alpha : k . e \Rightarrow \forall \alpha : k . \tau} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash e \Rightarrow \tau \quad \tau \Downarrow \forall \alpha : k . \tau' \quad \Gamma \vdash c \Leftarrow k}{\Gamma \vdash e[c] \Rightarrow [c / \alpha] \tau'} \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash e \Rightarrow \tau' \quad \Gamma \vdash \tau \Leftarrow \tau' : T}{\Gamma \vdash e \Leftarrow \tau}
\end{array}$$

4 Singleton Kinds

```
sig
  type t
  type 'a u
  type ('a, 'b) v
  type w = int
  type w' = w
  .
  .
  .
end
```

To represent this in type our type system, $t : \text{Type}$
 $u : \text{Type} \rightarrow \text{Type}$
 $v : \text{Type} \rightarrow \text{Type} \rightarrow \text{Type}$
 (or $v : \text{Type} \times \text{Type} \rightarrow \text{Type}$)
 $w : S(f)$
 $w' : S(w)$

4.1 Grammar and Judgements (Attempt 1)

Grammar:

$k ::= \text{Type} \mid k \rightarrow k \mid k \times k \mid S(c)$
 $c ::= \dots$

Judgements:

$$\frac{}{\Gamma \vdash c : S(c)} \qquad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c : S(c)}{\Gamma \vdash c \equiv c' : \text{Type}} \qquad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c : \text{Type}}{\Gamma \vdash S(c) : \text{kind}}$$

Signature for `list`.

```
sig
  .
  .
  .
  type 'a s = 'a list
  type 'a t
end
```

So we have $t : \text{Type} \rightarrow \text{Type}$.

How do we represent 'a s? Is $s : \text{Type} \rightarrow S(\alpha)$? But then what's α .

4.2 Dependent Kinds (Grammar)

$k ::= \text{Type} \mid \Pi\alpha : k . k \mid \Sigma\alpha : k . k \mid S(c)$

$c ::= \dots$

Note: Π is also known as “dependent product”

Σ is also known as “dependent sum” (but also sometimes as “dependent product”).

To avoid confusion, we name Π “dependent function (spaces)”.

Now, we have $s : \Pi\alpha : \text{Type} . S(\text{list } \alpha)$.

New judgements we need to be able to make:

$\Gamma \vdash k : \text{kind}$

$\Gamma \vdash k \equiv k' : \text{kind}$

$\Gamma \vdash k \leq k'$

$\Gamma \vdash c : k$

$\Gamma \vdash c \equiv c' : k$

$\Gamma \vdash e : \tau$

Note: $S(f) \leq \text{Type}$

4.3 $\Gamma \vdash k : \text{kind}$

$$\frac{}{\Gamma \vdash \text{Type} : \text{kind}} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c : \text{Type}}{\Gamma \vdash S(c) : \text{kind}} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash k_1 : \text{kind} \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k_1 \vdash k_2 : \text{kind}}{\Gamma \vdash \Pi\alpha : k_1 . k_2 : \text{kind}}$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash k_1 : \text{kind} \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k_1 \vdash k_2 : \text{kind}}{\Gamma \vdash \Sigma\alpha : k_1 . k_2 : \text{kind}}$$

4.4 $\Gamma \vdash k \equiv k' : \text{kind}$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash k : \text{kind}}{\Gamma \vdash k \equiv k : \text{kind}} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash k_1 \equiv k_2 : \text{kind}}{\Gamma \vdash k_2 \equiv k_1 : \text{kind}} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash k_1 \equiv k_2 : \text{kind} \quad \Gamma \vdash k_2 \equiv k_2 : \text{kind}}{\Gamma \vdash k_1 \equiv k_2 : \text{kind}}$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash c \equiv c' : \text{Type}}{\Gamma \vdash S(c) \equiv S(c') : \text{kind}} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash k_1 \equiv k'_1 : \text{kind} \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k_1 \vdash k_2 \equiv k'_2 : \text{kind}}{\Gamma \vdash \Pi\alpha : k_1 . k_2 \equiv \Pi\alpha : k'_1 . k'_2 : \text{kind}}$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash k_1 \equiv k'_1 : \text{kind} \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k_1 \vdash k_2 \equiv k'_2 : \text{kind}}{\Gamma \vdash \Sigma\alpha : k_1 . k_2 \equiv \Sigma\alpha : k'_1 . k'_2 : \text{kind}}$$

Note: for the latter two, keep $\Pi\alpha : k_1 . k_2 \stackrel{?}{\equiv} \Pi\alpha' : k'_1 . k'_2$ in mind

4.5 $\Gamma \vdash \alpha : k$

$$\begin{array}{c}
\frac{\Gamma(\alpha) = k}{\Gamma \vdash \alpha : k} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c_1 : \text{Type} \quad \Gamma \vdash c_2 : \text{Type}}{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \rightarrow c_2 : \text{Type}} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash k : \text{kind} \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k \vdash c : \text{Type}}{\Gamma \vdash \forall \alpha : k . c : \text{Type}} \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash k_1 : \text{kind} \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k_1 \vdash c : k_2}{\Gamma \vdash \lambda \alpha : k_1 . c : \Pi \alpha : k_1 . k_2} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c_1 : \Pi \alpha : k . k' \quad \Gamma \vdash c_2 : k}{\Gamma \vdash c_1 c_2 : [c_1 / \alpha]k'} \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash c_1 : k_2 \quad \Gamma \vdash c_2 : [c_1 / \alpha]k_2 \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k_1 \vdash k_2 : \text{kind}}{\Gamma \vdash \langle c_1, c_2 \rangle : \Sigma \alpha : k_2 . k_2} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c : \Sigma \alpha : k_1 . k_2}{\Gamma \vdash \pi_1 c : k_1} \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash c : \Sigma \alpha : k_1 . k_2}{\Gamma \vdash \pi_2 c : [\pi_1 c / \alpha]k_2} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c : k \quad \Gamma \vdash k \leq k'}{\Gamma \vdash c : k'}
\end{array}$$

Additional Judgements If $\vdash \Gamma$ ok and $\Gamma \vdash c : k$, then $\Gamma \vdash k : \text{kind}$.

If $\vdash \Gamma$ ok and $\Gamma \vdash k_1 \equiv k_2$, then $\Gamma \vdash k_1, k_2 \text{ kind}$.

If $\vdash \Gamma$ ok and $\Gamma \vdash k_1 \leq k_2$, then $\Gamma \vdash k_1, k_2 \text{ kind}$.

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash c : \text{Type}}{\Gamma \vdash c : S(c)}$$

Sub-kinding:

$$\begin{array}{c}
\frac{\Gamma \vdash k \equiv k' : \text{kind}}{\Gamma \vdash k \leq k'} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash k_1 \leq k_2 \quad \Gamma \vdash k_2 \leq k_3}{\Gamma \vdash k_1 \leq k_3} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c : \text{Type}}{\Gamma \vdash S(c) \leq \text{Type}} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c \equiv c' : \text{Type}}{\Gamma \vdash S(c) \leq S(c')} \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash k'_1 \leq k_1 \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k'_1 \vdash k_2 \leq k'_2 \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k_1 \vdash k_2 : \text{kind}}{\Gamma \vdash \Pi \alpha : k_1 . k_2 \leq \Pi \alpha : k'_1 . k'_2} \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash k_1 \leq k'_1 \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k_1 \vdash k_2 \leq k'_2 \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k'_1 \vdash k'_2 : \text{kind}}{\Gamma \vdash \Sigma \alpha : k_1 . k_2 \leq \Sigma \alpha : k'_1 . k'_2}
\end{array}$$

Note: Something about contravariance for 1st condition. Π contravariant the same way arrow is contravariant. Covariance for 2nd condition. This is for Π .

4.6 $\Gamma \vdash c \equiv c : k$

$$\begin{array}{c}
\frac{\Gamma \vdash c : k}{\Gamma \vdash c \equiv c : k} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \equiv c_2 : k}{\Gamma \vdash c_2 \equiv c_1 : k} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \equiv c_2 : k \quad \Gamma \vdash c_2 \equiv c_3 : k}{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \equiv c_3 : k} \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash c_2 : k \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k \vdash c_1 : k'}{\Gamma \vdash (\lambda \alpha : k . c_1) c_2 \equiv [c_2 / \alpha] c_1 : [c_2 / \alpha] k'} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c_1 : k_1 \quad \Gamma \vdash c_2 : k_2}{\Gamma \vdash \pi_i \langle c_1, c_2 \rangle \equiv c_i : k_i} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c : S(c')}{\Gamma \vdash c \equiv c' : S(c')} \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \equiv c_2 : k \quad \Gamma \vdash k \leq k'}{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \equiv c_2 : k'} \star \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c \equiv c' : \text{Type}}{\Gamma \vdash c \equiv c' : S(c)} \star \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash k_1 \equiv k'_1 : \text{kind} \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k_1 \vdash c \equiv c' : k_2}{\Gamma \vdash \lambda \alpha : k_1 . c \equiv \lambda \alpha : k'_1 . c' : \Pi \alpha : k_1 . k_2} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \equiv c'_1 : \Pi \alpha : k . k' \quad \Gamma \vdash c_2 \equiv c'_2 : k}{\Gamma \vdash c_1 c_2 \equiv c'_1 c'_2 : [c_2 / \alpha] k'}
\end{array}$$

5 Sub-Typing

$\tau \leq \tau'$ means you can use a τ wherever a τ' is expected.

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash e : \tau \quad \tau \leq \tau'}{\Gamma \vdash e : \tau'} \quad \frac{\tau_1 \leq \tau'_1 \quad \tau_2 \leq \tau'_2}{\Gamma \vdash \tau \times \tau_2 \leq \tau'_1 \times \tau'_2} \quad \frac{\tau'_1 \leq \tau_1 \quad \tau_2 \leq \tau'_2}{\tau_1 \rightarrow \tau_2 \leq \tau'_1 \rightarrow \tau'_2}$$

Note 1: This is a case of covariance on both sides.

Note 2: This is contravariant on the left and covariant on the right.

$\mathcal{N} \leq \mathcal{R}$.

Assume we have $f : \mathcal{N} \rightarrow \mathcal{N}$.

$f : \mathcal{R} \rightarrow \mathcal{R}$.

Assume we have $f : \mathcal{R} \rightarrow \mathcal{R}$.

Contravariance: $f : \mathcal{N} \rightarrow \mathcal{R}$.

$$\frac{\tau \equiv \tau' : \text{Type}}{\text{ref}(\tau) \leq \text{ref}(\tau')}$$

$\text{ref}(\tau)$ is neither covariant nor contravariant. Called “invariant”. (Poorly named, but it’s what’s used in literature.)

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash k'_1 \leq k_1 \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k'_1 \vdash k_2 \leq k'_2 \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k_1 \vdash k_2 : \text{kind}}{\Gamma \vdash \Pi \alpha : k_1 . k_2 \leq \Pi \alpha : k'_1 . k'_2}$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash k'_1 \leq k_1 \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k'_1 \vdash k_2 \leq k'_2 \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k_1 \vdash k_2 : \text{kind}}{\Gamma \vdash \Sigma \alpha : k_1 . k_2 \leq \Sigma \alpha : k'_1 . k'_2} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c : S(c')}{\Gamma \vdash c \equiv c' : S(c')}$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash c : S(c')}{\Gamma \vdash c \equiv c' : \text{Type}} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c \equiv c' : \text{Type}}{\Gamma \vdash c : c' : S(c')}$$

Note 1: Sound, but not what we want.

More compatibility rules.

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \equiv c'_1 : k_1 \quad \Gamma \vdash c_2 \equiv c'_2 : [c_1 / \alpha]k_2 \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k_1 \vdash k_2 : \text{kind}}{\Gamma \vdash \langle c_1, c_2 \rangle \equiv \langle c'_1, c'_2 \rangle : \Sigma \alpha : k_1 . k_2} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c \equiv c' : \Sigma \alpha : k_1 . k_2}{\Gamma \vdash \pi_1 c \equiv \pi_1 c' : k_1}$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash c \equiv c' : \Sigma \alpha : k_1 . k_2}{\Gamma \vdash \pi_2 c \equiv \pi_2 c' : [\pi_1 c / \alpha]k_2} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \equiv c'_1 : \text{Type} \quad \Gamma \vdash c_2 \equiv c'_2 : \text{Type}}{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \rightarrow c_2 \equiv c'_1 \rightarrow c'_2 : \text{Type}}$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash k \equiv k' : \text{kind} \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k \vdash c \equiv c' : \text{Type}}{\Gamma \vdash \forall \alpha : k . c \equiv \forall \alpha : k' . c' : \text{Type}}$$

Rules for extentionality.

$$\begin{array}{c}
\frac{\Gamma, \alpha : k_1 \vdash c \alpha \equiv c' \alpha : k_2 \quad \Gamma \vdash c : \Pi \alpha : k_1 . k'_2 \quad \Gamma \vdash c' : \Pi \alpha : k_1 . k''_2}{\Gamma \vdash c \equiv c' : \Pi \alpha : k_1 . k_2} \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma, \alpha : k_1 \vdash c \alpha \equiv c' \alpha : k_2 \quad \Gamma \vdash c \equiv c' : \Pi \alpha : k_1 . k'_2}{\Gamma \vdash c \equiv c' : \Pi \alpha : k_1 . k_2} \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash \pi_1 c \equiv \pi_1 c' : k_1 \quad \Gamma \vdash \pi_2 c \equiv \pi_2 c' : [\pi_1 c / \alpha] k_2 \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k_1 \vdash k_2 : \text{kind}}{\Gamma \vdash c \equiv c' : \Sigma \alpha : k_1 . k_2}
\end{array}$$

Note 1: We only need this for proofs (regularity). We can safely ignore this.

We have no way of dealing with $S(c : k)$. So instead of redefining everything, treat it as a macro following the following rules:

$$S(c : \text{Type}) = S(c)$$

$$S(c : \Pi \alpha : k_1 . k_2) = \Pi \alpha : k_1 . S(c \alpha : k_2)$$

$$S(c : S(c')) = S(c) \text{ (note here, } c \equiv c', \text{ so we can use either, but it's easier for us to use } c)$$

$$S(c : \Pi \alpha : k_1 . k_2) = \Sigma \alpha : S(\pi_1 c : k_1) . S(\pi_2 c : k_2)$$

$$\text{OR } S(\pi_1 c : k_1) \times S(\pi_2 c : [\pi_1 c / \alpha] k_2)$$

We use the 2nd because it's nicer when not working without theory. The first is more theoretic, the second is syntactic.

1. If $\Gamma \vdash c : k$, then $\Gamma \vdash c : S(c : k)$
2. If $\Gamma \vdash c : S(c' : k)$, then $\Gamma \vdash c \equiv c' : k$

But the first doesn't hold. So let's make it hold. Add “declarative” rules:

$$\begin{array}{c}
\frac{\Gamma \vdash k_1 : \text{kind} \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k_1 \vdash c \alpha : k_2}{\Gamma \vdash c : \Pi \alpha : k_1 . k_2} \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash \pi_1 c : k_2 \quad \Gamma \vdash \pi_1 c : [\pi_1 c / \alpha] k_2 \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k_1 \vdash k_2 : \text{kind}}{\Gamma \vdash c : \Sigma \alpha : k_1 . k_2}
\end{array}$$

Notes on definitional equivalence:

$$\alpha : \text{Type} \vdash \alpha \neq \text{int} : \text{Type}$$

$$\alpha : S(\text{int}) \vdash \alpha \equiv \text{int} : \text{Type}$$

$$\vdash \lambda \alpha : \text{Type} . \alpha \neq \lambda \alpha : \text{Type} . \text{int} : \text{Type} \rightarrow \text{Type}$$

$$\vdash \lambda \alpha : \text{Type} . \alpha \neq \lambda \alpha : \text{Type} . \text{int} : S(\text{int}) \rightarrow \text{Type}$$

$$\beta : (\text{Type} \rightarrow \text{Type}) \rightarrow \text{Type} \vdash \beta(\lambda \alpha : \text{Type} . \alpha \neq \beta(\lambda \alpha : \text{Type} . \text{int} : \text{Type}))$$

$$\beta : (S(\text{int}) \rightarrow \text{Type}) \rightarrow \text{Type} \vdash \beta(\lambda \alpha : \text{Type} . \alpha \equiv \beta(\lambda \alpha : \text{Type} . \text{int} : \text{Type}))$$

$$\text{Type} \rightarrow \text{Type} \leq S(\text{int}) \rightarrow \text{Type}$$

5.1 Algorithm for Equivalence Checking

$$\begin{array}{c}
\frac{\Gamma, \alpha : k_1 \vdash c \ \alpha \Leftrightarrow c' \ \alpha : k_2}{\Gamma \vdash c \Leftrightarrow c' : \Pi \alpha : k_1 . k_2} \qquad \frac{\Gamma \vdash \pi_1 c \Leftrightarrow \pi_2 c' : k_1 \quad \Gamma \vdash \pi_2 c \Leftrightarrow \pi_2 c' : [\pi_1 c / \alpha] k_2}{\Gamma \vdash c \Leftrightarrow c' : \Sigma \alpha : k_1 . k_2} \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \Downarrow c'_1 \quad \Gamma \vdash c_2 \Downarrow c'_2 \quad \Gamma \vdash c'_1 \Leftrightarrow c'_2 : \text{Type}}{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \Leftrightarrow c_2 : \text{Type}} \qquad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c \rightsquigarrow c' \quad \Gamma \vdash c' \Downarrow c''}{\Gamma \vdash c \Downarrow c''} \qquad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c \not\rightsquigarrow}{\Gamma \vdash c \Downarrow c} \\
\\
\frac{}{\Gamma \vdash (\lambda \alpha : k . c_1) \ c_2 \rightsquigarrow [c_2 / \alpha] c_1} \qquad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \rightsquigarrow c'_1}{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \ c_2 \rightsquigarrow c'_1 \ c_2} \qquad \frac{}{\Gamma \vdash \pi_i \langle c_1, c_2 \rangle \rightsquigarrow c_i} \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash c \rightsquigarrow c'}{\Gamma \vdash pi_i c \rightsquigarrow pi_i c'} \qquad \frac{\Gamma \vdash p \uparrow S(c)}{\Gamma \vdash p} \qquad \frac{\Gamma(\alpha) = k}{\Gamma \vdash \alpha \uparrow k} \qquad \frac{\Gamma \vdash p \uparrow \Pi \alpha : k_1 . k_2}{\Gamma \vdash p \ c \uparrow [c / \alpha] k_2} \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash p \uparrow \Sigma \alpha : k_1 . k_2}{\Gamma \vdash \pi_1 p \uparrow k_1} \qquad \frac{\Gamma \vdash p \uparrow \Sigma \alpha : k_1 . k_2}{\Gamma \vdash \pi_2 p \uparrow [\pi_1 p / \alpha] k_2}
\end{array}$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash p \uparrow S(c)}{\Gamma \vdash p \rightsquigarrow c}$$

Example:

$$\frac{\frac{\frac{\alpha : S(\text{int}) \vdash \alpha \uparrow S(\text{int})}{\alpha : S(\text{int}) \vdash \alpha \rightsquigarrow \text{int}} \quad \frac{\dots \vdash \text{int} \not\rightsquigarrow}{\dots \vdash \text{int} \Downarrow \text{int}}}{\dots \vdash (\lambda \alpha : \text{Type} \alpha \rightsquigarrow \alpha \quad \dots \vdash \alpha \Downarrow \text{int}} \quad \frac{\alpha : S(\text{int}) \vdash (\lambda \alpha : \text{Type} . \alpha) \alpha \Downarrow}{\alpha : S(\text{int}) \vdash (\lambda \alpha : \text{Type} \text{int}) \alpha \Downarrow \text{int}}}{\frac{\frac{\alpha : S(\text{int}) \vdash \text{int} \Leftrightarrow \text{int} : \text{Type}}{\alpha : S(\text{int}) \vdash (\lambda \alpha : \text{Type} . \alpha) \alpha \Leftrightarrow (\lambda \alpha : \text{Type} . \text{int}) \alpha \Leftrightarrow} \quad \vdash \lambda \alpha : \text{Type} . \alpha \Leftrightarrow \lambda \alpha : \text{Type} . \text{int} : S(\text{int}) \rightarrow \text{Type}}}$$

One final rule:

$$\overline{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \Leftrightarrow c_2 : S(c)}$$

The precondition is that both c_1 and c_2 belong to $S(c)$, meaning they are equivalent to c and by transitivity, equivalent to each other.

Some rules that we will never use:

$$\overline{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \rightarrow c_2 \uparrow \text{Type}} \quad \overline{\Gamma \vdash \forall \alpha : k . c \uparrow \text{Type}}$$

Structural rules:

$$\frac{\Gamma(\alpha) = k}{\Gamma \vdash \alpha \Leftrightarrow \alpha : k} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash p \Leftrightarrow p' : \Pi \alpha : k_1 . k_2 \quad \Gamma \vdash c \Leftrightarrow c' : k_1}{\Gamma \vdash p \ c \Leftrightarrow p' \ c' : [c / \alpha] k_2} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash p \Leftrightarrow p' : \Sigma \alpha : k_1 . k_2}{\Gamma \vdash \pi_1 p \Leftrightarrow \pi_1 p' : k_1}$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash p \Leftrightarrow p' : \Sigma \alpha : k_1 . k_2}{\Gamma \vdash \pi_1 p \Leftrightarrow \pi_1 p' : [\pi_1 p / \alpha] k_2} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \Leftrightarrow c'_1 : \text{Type} \quad \Gamma \vdash c_2 \Leftrightarrow c'_2 : \text{Type}}{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \rightarrow c_2 \Leftrightarrow c'_1 \rightarrow c'_2 : \text{Type}}$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash k \Leftrightarrow k' : \text{kind} \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k \vdash c \Leftrightarrow c' : \text{Type}}{\Gamma \vdash \forall \alpha : k . c \Leftrightarrow \forall \alpha : k' . c' : \text{Type}}$$

If $\Gamma \vdash c \Leftrightarrow c' : k$ then $\Gamma \vdash c \uparrow k$ also $\exists k' . \Gamma \vdash c' \uparrow k'$ and $\Gamma \vdash k \equiv k' : \text{kind}$

Structural comparison:

$$\begin{array}{c}
\frac{}{\Gamma \vdash \text{Type} \Leftrightarrow \text{Type} : \text{kind}} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c \Leftrightarrow c' : \text{Type}}{\Gamma \vdash S(c) \Leftrightarrow S(c') : \text{kind}} \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash k_1 \Leftrightarrow k'_1 : \text{kind} \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k_1 \vdash k_2 \Leftrightarrow k'_2 : \text{kind}}{\Gamma \vdash \Pi \alpha : k_1 . k_2 \Leftrightarrow \Pi \alpha : k'_1 . k'_2} \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash k_1 \Leftrightarrow k'_1 : \text{kind} \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k_1 \vdash k_2 \Leftrightarrow k'_2 : \text{kind}}{\Gamma \vdash \Sigma \alpha : k_1 . k_2 \Leftrightarrow \Sigma \alpha : k'_1 . k'_2}
\end{array}$$

$\Gamma \vdash k \leq k'$

$$\begin{array}{c}
\frac{}{\Gamma \vdash \text{Type} \leq \text{Type}} \quad \frac{}{\Gamma \vdash S(c) \leq \text{Type}} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c \Leftrightarrow c' : \text{Type}}{\Gamma \vdash S(c) \leq S(c')} \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash k'_1 \leq k_1 \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k'_1 \vdash k_2 \leq k'_2}{\Gamma \vdash \Pi \alpha : k_1 . k_2 \leq \Pi \alpha : k'_1 . k'_2} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash k_1 \leq k'_1 \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k_1 \vdash k_2 \leq k'_2}{\Gamma \vdash \Sigma \alpha : k_1 . k_2 \leq \Sigma \alpha : k'_1 . k'_2}
\end{array}$$

$\Gamma \vdash k \Leftarrow \text{kind}$

$$\frac{}{\Gamma \vdash \text{Type} \Leftarrow \text{kind}} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c \Leftarrow \text{Type}}{\Gamma \vdash S(c) \Leftarrow \text{kind}} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash k_1 \Leftarrow \text{kind} \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k_1 \vdash k_2 \Leftarrow \text{kind}}{\Gamma \vdash \Pi \alpha : k_1 . k_2 \Leftarrow \text{kind}}$$

Suppose $\vdash \Gamma$ ok. Then:

Soundness

- If $\Gamma \vdash c_1, c_2 : k$ and $\Gamma \vdash c_1 \Leftrightarrow c_2 : k$ then $\Gamma \vdash c_1 \equiv c_2 : k$
- If $\Gamma \vdash k_1, k_2 : \text{kind}$ and $\Gamma \vdash k_1 \Leftrightarrow k_2 : \text{kind}$ then $\Gamma \vdash k_1 \equiv k_2 : \text{kind}$
- If $\Gamma \vdash k_1, k_2 : \text{kind}$ and $\Gamma \vdash k_1 \leq k_2$ then $\Gamma \vdash k_1 \leq k_2$
- If $\Gamma \vdash k \Leftarrow \text{kind}$ then $\Gamma \vdash k : \text{kind}$
- If $\Gamma \vdash c \Rightarrow k$ then $\Gamma \vdash c : k$

Completeness

- If $\Gamma \vdash c_1 \equiv c_2 : k$ then $\Gamma \vdash c_1 \Leftrightarrow c_2 : k$
- If $\Gamma \vdash k_1 \equiv k_2 : \text{kind}$ then $\Gamma \vdash k_1 \Leftrightarrow k_2 : \text{kind}$
- If $\Gamma \vdash k_1 \leq k_2$ then $\Gamma \vdash k_1 \leq k_2$
- If $\Gamma \vdash k : \text{kind}$ then $\Gamma \vdash k \Leftarrow \text{kind}$
- If $\Gamma \vdash c : k$ then $\Gamma \vdash c \Rightarrow k'$ and $\Gamma \vdash k' \leq S(c : k)$

TODO: principle type

TODO: principle kind is a subkind of every other kind

Checking principle...

$\Gamma \vdash c \Rightarrow k$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash c \Rightarrow k' \quad \Gamma \vdash k' \leq k}{\Gamma \vdash c \Leftarrow k}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \frac{\Gamma(\alpha) = k}{\Gamma \vdash \alpha \Rightarrow S(\alpha : k)} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash k \Leftarrow \text{kind} \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k \vdash c \Rightarrow k'}{\Gamma \vdash \lambda \alpha : k . c \Rightarrow \Pi \alpha : k . k'} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \Rightarrow \Pi \alpha : k . k' \quad \Gamma \vdash c_2 \Leftarrow k}{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \ c_2 \Rightarrow [c_2 / \alpha] k'} \\[10pt] \frac{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \Rightarrow k_1 \quad \Gamma \vdash c_2 \Rightarrow k_2}{\Gamma \vdash \langle c_1, c_2 \rangle \Rightarrow k_1 \times k_2} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c \Rightarrow \Sigma \alpha : k_1 . k_2}{\Gamma \vdash \pi_1 c \Rightarrow k_1} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash c \Rightarrow \Sigma \alpha : k_1 . k_2}{\Gamma \vdash \pi_2 c \Rightarrow [\pi_1 c / \alpha] k_2} \\[10pt] \frac{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \Leftarrow \text{Type} \quad \Gamma \vdash c_2 \Leftarrow \text{Type}}{\Gamma \vdash c_1 \rightarrow c_2 \Rightarrow S(c_1 \rightarrow c_2)} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash k \Leftarrow \text{kind} \quad \Gamma, \alpha : k \vdash c \Leftarrow \text{Type}}{\Gamma \vdash \forall \alpha : k . c \Rightarrow S(\forall \alpha : k . c)} \end{array}$$