# Determinism and termination in the semantics of the Céu programming language

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## 1 The original formulation

The semantics discussed in this section follows as much as possible the original semantics of Céu presented in [?]. Any deviations from original definitions are duly noted in the text.

#### 1.1 Abstract syntax

The abstract syntax of Céu programs is given by the following grammar:

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p \in P := skip
                                       do nothing
         v := a
                                       assignment
         | await(e) |
                                       await event
                                       emit event
         | emit(e) |
         | break
                                       break innermost loop
         | if b then p_1 else p_2 |
                                       conditional
                                       sequence
         | p_1; p_2 |
         | loop p_1 |
                                       repetition
         |p_1| and p_2
                                       par/and
         |p_1 \text{ or } p_2|
                                       par/or
         | fin p_1 |
                                       finalization
         | @awaiting(e, n)
                                       awaiting e since reaction n
         | @emitting(e, n)
                                       emitting e on stack level n
         |p_1@loop p_2|
                                       unwinded loop
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where  $n \in N$  is an integer,  $v \in V$  is a memory location (variable) identifier,  $e \in E$  is an event identifier,  $a \in A$  is an arithmetic expression,  $b \in B$  is a boolean expression, and  $p, p_1, p_2 \in P$  are programs. We assume the usual structure for arithmetic and boolean expressions, and omit their definition.

#### 1.2 The reaction inner-step relation

The *state* of a Céu program within a reaction is represented by a stack of events  $\alpha = e_1 e_2 \dots e_n \in E^*$  together with a memory map  $m: v \to N \in \mathcal{M}$ . A *configuration* 

skip precisa aparecer na gramática já que aprece nos programas em P.
 Atribuição agora aparece explicitamente na gramática. Expressões aritméticas e booleanas também estão na gramática mas a sua estrutura interna é omitida.

is a 4-tuple  $\langle p, \alpha, m, n \rangle \in \Delta$  that represents the situation of program p waiting to be evaluated in state  $\langle \alpha, m \rangle$  and reaction n. Given an initial configuration, each small-step within a program reaction is determined by the reaction-inner-step relation  $\to \in \Delta \times \Delta$  such that  $\langle p, \alpha, m, n \rangle \to \langle p', \alpha', m', n \rangle$  iff a reaction inner-step of program p in state  $\langle \alpha, m \rangle$  and reaction number n evaluates to a modified program p' and a modified state  $\langle \alpha', m' \rangle$  in the same reaction (n). Since relation  $\to$  can only relate configurations with the same n, we shall write  $\langle p, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p', \alpha', m' \rangle$  for  $\langle p, \alpha, m, n \rangle \to \langle p', \alpha', m', n \rangle$ .

Relation  $\rightarrow$  is defined inductively with the help of the auxiliary functions *eval*, *blocked*, and *clear*. The *eval* function evaluates arithmetic or boolean expressions on a given memory; we omit its definition and assume that such evaluation is deterministic and always terminates. The *blocked* function is a predicate that determines if all trails of a program p are blocked on a given event stack and reaction number. And the *clear* function extracts the body of fin blocks from a given program.

**Definition 1.1.** Function *blocked*:  $P \times E^* \times N \rightarrow \{0, 1\}$  is defined inductively as follows.

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blocked(\mathbf{skip}, e\alpha, n) = 0
blocked(\mathbf{wie}, e\alpha, n) = 0
blocked(\mathbf{await}(e'), e\alpha, n) = 0
blocked(\mathbf{emit}(e'), e\alpha, n) = 0
blocked(\mathbf{break}, e\alpha, n) = 0
blocked(\mathbf{if}\,b\,\mathbf{then}\,p_1\,\mathbf{else}\,p_2, e\alpha, n) = 0
blocked(\mathbf{p}_1; p_2, e\alpha, n) = blocked(p_1, e\alpha, n)
blocked(\mathbf{loop}\,p, e\alpha, n) = 0
blocked(\mathbf{p}_1\,\mathbf{and}\,p_2, e\alpha, n) = blocked(p_1, e\alpha, n) \cdot blocked(p_2, e\alpha, n)
blocked(\mathbf{p}_1\,\mathbf{or}\,p_2, e\alpha, n) = blocked(p_1, e\alpha, n) \cdot blocked(p_2, e\alpha, n)
blocked(\mathbf{fin}\,p_1, e\alpha, n) = 0
blocked(\mathbf{@awaiting}(e', n'), e\alpha, n) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } e \neq e' \text{ or } n = n' \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}
blocked(\mathbf{@emitting}(n'), e\alpha, n) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } |e\alpha| \neq n' \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}
blocked(\mathbf{p}_1\,\mathbf{@loop}\,p_2, e\alpha, n) = blocked(p_1, e\alpha, n)
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**Definition 1.2.** Function *clear*:  $P \rightarrow P'$ , where  $P' = \{v := a\}$ , is defined inductively as follows.

(1) Além de atribuições P'

não deveria conter instruções if-else?.

(2) No artigo original, clear(p<sub>1</sub>; p<sub>2</sub>) retorna apenas clear(p<sub>1</sub>). Achamos que isso está errado, já que apenas o primeiro fin seria considerado. (Confirmar com o Chicão).

(3) Adicionei clear(skip).

$$clear(skip) = skip$$
 $clear(v := a) = v := a$ 
 $clear(await(e')) = skip$ 
 $clear(emit(e')) = skip$ 
 $clear(break) = skip$ 
 $clear(break) = skip$ 
 $clear(if b then p_1 else p_2) = skip$ 
 $clear(p_1; p_2) = clear(p_1)$ 
 $clear(loop p) = clear(p)$ 
 $clear(p_1 and p_2) = clear(p_1); clear(p_2)$ 
 $clear(p_1 or p_2) = clear(p_1); clear(p_2)$ 
 $clear(fin p) = p$ 
 $clear(@awaiting(e', n')) = skip$ 
 $clear(@emitting(n')) = skip$ 
 $clear(p_1 @loop p_2) = clear(p_1)$ 

**Definition 1.3** (Reaction inner-step). Relation  $\rightarrow \subseteq \Delta \times \Delta$  is defined inductively as follows.

Await and emit

$$(1.1) \qquad \langle \mathsf{await}(e), \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle \mathsf{@awaiting}(e, n'), \alpha, m \rangle \quad \text{with } n' = n + 1$$

(1.2) 
$$\langle \text{@awaiting}(e, n'), e\alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle \text{skip}, e\alpha, m \rangle$$
 if  $n' \leq n$ 

$$(1.3) \qquad \langle \text{emit}(e), \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle \text{@emitting}(n'), e\alpha, m \rangle \quad \text{with } n' = |\alpha|$$

(1.4) 
$$\langle \text{@emitting}(n'), \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle \text{skip}, \alpha, m \rangle$$
 if  $n' = |\alpha|$ 

**Conditionals** 

(1.5) 
$$\langle \text{if } b \text{ then } p_1 \text{ else } p_2, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_1, \alpha, m \rangle \text{ if } eval(b, m) = 1$$

(1.6) 
$$\langle \text{if } b \text{ then } p_1 \text{ else } p_2, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_2, \alpha, m \rangle \text{ if } eval(b, m) = 0$$

Sequences

(1.7) 
$$\langle \text{skip}; p, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p, \alpha, m \rangle$$

$$(1.8) \langle v := a; p, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p, \alpha, m' \rangle \text{with } m' = m[v/eval(a)]$$

(1.9) 
$$\langle \text{break}; p, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle \text{break}, \alpha, m \rangle$$

$$(1.10) \qquad \frac{\langle p_1, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p'_1, \alpha', m' \rangle}{\langle p_1; p_2, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p'_1; p_2, \alpha', m' \rangle} \quad \text{if } p_1 \neq \text{skip}, v \coloneqq a, \text{break}$$

(1) Adicionamos o mapa de memória (m) à configuração e regras explícitas para atribuição. A avaliação de expressões aritméticas e booleanas está encapsulada na função eval. (2) Adicionamos regras para consumir instruções skip. (3) Adicionamos condições que garantem que a cada passo apenas uma regra é aplicável—não há escolha. Outra forma menos verbosa de fazer isso é dizer que elas devem ser avaliadas na ordem em que foram declaradas. Nesse caso, a primeira que for satisfeita deve ser aplicada.

#### Loops

$$(1.11) \qquad \langle \mathsf{loop}\,p,\alpha,m\rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p\,\mathsf{@loop}\,p,\alpha,m\rangle$$

(1.12) 
$$\langle \text{skip @loop } p, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle \text{loop } p, \alpha, m \rangle$$

$$(1.13) \quad \langle v := a \, @loop \, p, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle loop \, p, \alpha, m' \rangle \qquad \text{with } m' = m[v/eval(a)]$$

(1.14)  $\langle \text{break @loop } p, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle \text{skip}, \alpha, m \rangle$ 

$$(1.15) \qquad \frac{\langle p_1, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p'_1, \alpha', m' \rangle}{\langle p_1 @ loop \ p_2, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p'_1 @ loop \ p_2, \alpha', m' \rangle} \qquad \text{if } p_1 \neq \text{skip,} \\ v \coloneqq a, \text{break}$$

#### Par/and

 $(1.16) \qquad \langle \text{skip and } p, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p, \alpha, m \rangle$ 

(1.17) 
$$\langle p \text{ and skip}, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p, \alpha, m \rangle$$
 if  $blocked(p, \alpha, n) = 1$ 

$$(1.18) \quad \langle v := a \text{ and } p, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p, \alpha, m' \rangle \qquad \text{with } m' = m[v/eval(a)]$$

(1.19) 
$$\langle p \text{ and } v := a, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p, \alpha, m' \rangle$$
 if  $blocked(p, \alpha, n) = 1$ , with  $m' = m[v/eval(a)]$ 

(1.20) 
$$\langle \text{break and } p, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p'; \text{break}, \alpha, m \rangle$$
 with  $p' = clear(p)$ 

(1.21) 
$$\langle p \text{ and break}, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p'; \text{break}, \alpha, m \rangle$$
 if  $blocked(p, \alpha, n) = 1$ , with  $p' = clear(p)$ 

(1.22) 
$$\frac{\langle p_1, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p'_1, \alpha', m' \rangle}{\langle p_1 \text{ and } p_2, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p'_1 \text{ and } p_2, \alpha', m' \rangle} \quad \text{if } blocked(p_1, \alpha, n) = 0 \\ \text{and } p_1 \neq \text{skip}, \\ v := a, \text{break}$$

(1.23) 
$$\frac{\langle p_2, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p'_2, \alpha', m' \rangle}{\langle p_1 \text{ and } p_2, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_1 \text{ and } p'_2, \alpha', m' \rangle} \quad \text{if } blocked(p_1, \alpha, n) = 1 \\ \text{and } p_2 \neq \text{skip}, \\ v := a, \text{break}$$

Adicionamos a condição de o lado esquerdo estar bloqueado nas regras 1.17 e 1.19.

Par/or

(1.24) 
$$\langle \text{skip or } p, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p', \alpha, m \rangle$$
 with  $p' = clear(p)$ 

(1.25) 
$$\langle p \text{ or skip}, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p', \alpha, m \rangle$$
 if  $blocked(p, \alpha, n) = 1$ , with  $p' = clear(p)$ 

(1.26) 
$$\langle v := a \text{ or } p, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p', \alpha, m' \rangle$$
 with  $m' = m[v/eval(a)]$  and  $p' = clear(p)$ 

(1.27) 
$$\langle p \text{ or } v := a, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p', \alpha, m' \rangle$$
 if  $blocked(p, \alpha, n) = 1$ , with  $m' = m[v/eval(a)]$  and  $p' = clear(p)$ 

(1.28) 
$$\langle \text{break or } p, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p'; \text{break}, \alpha, m \rangle$$
 with  $p' = clear(p)$ 

(1.29) 
$$\langle p \text{ or break}, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p'; \text{break}, \alpha, m \rangle$$
 if  $blocked(p, \alpha, n) = 1$ , with  $p' = clear(p)$ 

(1.30) 
$$\frac{\langle p_1, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p'_1, \alpha', m' \rangle}{\langle p_1 \text{ or } p_2, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p'_1 \text{ or } p_2, \alpha', m' \rangle} \quad \text{if } blocked(p_1, \alpha, n) = 0 \\ \text{and } p_1 \neq \text{skip}, \\ v := a, \text{break}$$

(1.31) 
$$\frac{\langle p_2, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p'_2, \alpha', m' \rangle}{\langle p_1 \text{ or } p_2, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_1 \text{ or } p'_2, \alpha', m' \rangle} \quad \text{if } blocked(p_1, \alpha, n) = 1 \\ \text{and } p_2 \neq \text{skip}, \\ v := a, \text{break}$$

The next theorem establishes that the reaction inner-step relation is deterministic, i.e., that it is in fact a *partial* function.

**Theorem 1.4** (Determinism of the inner-step relation). For all p,  $p_1$ ,  $p_2 \in P$ ,  $\alpha$ ,  $\alpha_1$ ,  $\alpha_2 \in E^*$ , m,  $m_1$ ,  $m_2 \in \mathcal{M}$ , and  $n \in N$ ,

if 
$$\langle p, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_1, \alpha_1, m_1 \rangle$$
 and  $\langle p, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_2, \alpha_2, m_2 \rangle$ ,  
then  $\langle p_1, \alpha_1, m_1 \rangle = \langle p_2, \alpha_2, m_2 \rangle$ .

*Proof.* By induction on the structure of derivations. Suppose

$$d_1 \Vdash \langle p, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_1, \alpha_1, m_1 \rangle$$
 and  $d_2 \Vdash \langle p, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_2, \alpha_2, m_2 \rangle$ ,

for some derivations  $d_1$  and  $d_2$ . Then there are ten possibilities depending on the structure of p. (Note that p cannot be equal to skip, v := a, or break, as there are no rules to evaluate such programs.)

[Case 1] p = await(e), for some  $e \in E$ . Then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of axiom (1.1), and as such,  $p_1 = p_2 = \text{@awaiting}(e, n')$  with n' = n + 1, and  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$  and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 2] p = @awaiting(e, n'), for some  $e \in E$  and  $n' \in N$ . Then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of axiom (1.2), with  $n' \le n$ . Thus  $p_1 = p_2 = \text{skip}$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 3] p = emit(e), for some  $e \in E$ . Then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of axiom (1.3), and as such,  $p_1 = p2 = \text{@emitting}(n')$  with  $n' = |\alpha|$ , and  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = e\alpha$  and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 4] p = @emitting(e, n'), for some  $e \in E$  and  $n' \in N$ . Then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of axiom (1.4) with  $n' = |\alpha|$ . Thus  $p_1 = p_2 = \text{skip}$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$  and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 5] p = if b then p' else p'', for some  $b \in B$  and p',  $p'' \in P$ .

[Case 5.1] eval(b, m) = 1. Then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of axiom (1.5), and as such,  $p_1 = p_2 = p'$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 5.2] eval(b, m) = 0. Then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of axiom (1.6), and as such,  $p_1 = p_2 = p''$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 6] p = p'; p'', for some  $p', p'' \in P$ .

[Case 6.1] p' = skip. Then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of axiom (1.7), and as such,  $p_1 = p_2 = p''$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$  and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 6.2] p' = v := a, for some  $v \in V$  and  $a \in A$ . Then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of axiom (1.8), and as such,  $p_1 = p_2 = p''$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$  and, as *eval* is a total function,  $m_1 = m_2 = m[v/eval(a)]$ .

[Case 6.3] p' = break. Then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of axiom (1.9), and as such,  $p_1 = p_2 = p'$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$  and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 6.4]  $p' \neq \text{skip}, v := a$ , break. Then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.10). Thus there are derivations  $d_1'$  and  $d_2'$  such that

$$d'_1 \Vdash \langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p'_1, \alpha_1, m_1 \rangle$$
 and  $d'_2 \Vdash \langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p'_2, \alpha_2, m_2 \rangle$ ,

for some  $p_1'$ ,  $p_2' \in P$ . Since  $d_1' < d_1$  and  $d_2' < d_2$ , by induction hypothesis,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2$ ,  $m_1 = m_2$ , and  $p_1' = p_2'$ , which implies

$$p_1 = p_1'; p'' = p_2'; p'' = p_2.$$

[Case 7] p = loop p', for some  $p' \in P$ . Then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of axiom (1.11), and as such,  $p_1 = p_2 = p'$  @loop p',  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 8] p = p' @loop p'', for some p',  $p'' \in P$ .

[Case 8.1] p = skip @loop p', for some  $p' \in P$ . Then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of axiom (1.12), and as such,  $p_1 = p_2 = \text{loop } p'$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ 

[Case 8.2] p = v := a @ loop p', for some  $a \in A$ ,  $v \in V$ , and  $p' \in P$ . Then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of axiom (1.13), and as such,  $p_1 = p_2 = loop p'$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and as eval is a total function,  $m_1 = m_2 = m[v/eval(a)]$ .

[Case 8.3] p = break @loop p', for some  $p' \in P$ . Then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of axiom (1.14), and as such,  $p_1 = p_2 = \text{skip}$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 8.4] p = p' @loop p'', for some p',  $p'' \in P$  such that  $p' \neq \text{skip}$ ,  $v \coloneqq a$ , break. Then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.15). Thus there are derivations  $d_1'$  and  $d_2'$  such that

$$d_1' \Vdash \langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_1', \alpha_1, m_1 \rangle$$
 and  $d_2' \Vdash \langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_2', \alpha_2, m_2 \rangle$ ,

for some  $p_1'$ ,  $p_2' \in P$ . Since  $d_1' < d_1$  and  $d_2' < d_2$ , by induction hypothesis,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha$ ,  $m_1 = m_2$ , and  $p_1' = p_2'$ , which implies

$$p_1 = p_1'$$
 @loop  $p'' = p_2'$  @loop  $p'' = p_2$ .

[Case 9] p = p' and p'', for some p',  $p'' \in P$ .

[Case 9.1] p' = skip. Then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of axiom (1.16), and as such,  $p_1 = p_2 = p''$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 9.2] p'' = skip. Then either  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$  or  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ . If  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$  then this case becomes Case 9.7. Otherwise, if  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ , then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of axiom (1.17), and as such,  $p_1 = p_2 = p'$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 9.3] p' = v := a, for some  $v \in V$  and  $a \in A$ . Then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of axiom (1.18), and as such,  $p_1 = p_2 = p''$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and as eval is a total function,  $m_1 = m_2 = m[v/eval(a)]$ .

[Case 9.4] p'' = v := a, for some  $v \in V$  and  $a \in A$ . Then either  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$  or  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ . If  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$  then this case becomes Case 9.7. Otherwise, if  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ , then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of axiom (1.19), and as such,  $p_1 = p_2 = p'$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and as eval is a total function,  $m_1 = m_2 = m[v/eval(a)]$ .

[Case 9.5] p' = break. Then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of axiom (1.20), and as such,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ ,  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ , and as *clear* is a total function,  $p_1 = p_2 = clear(p'')$ ; break.

[Case 9.6] p'' = break. Then either  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$  or  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ . If  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$  then this case becomes Case 9.7. Otherwise, if  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ , then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of axiom (1.21), and as such,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ ,  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ , and as clear is a total function,  $p_1 = p_2 = clear(p')$ ; break.

[Case 9.7]  $p' \neq \text{skip}, v \coloneqq a, \text{break} \text{ and } p'' \neq \text{skip}, v \coloneqq a, \text{break}, \text{ for some } v \in V \text{ and } a \in A.$  Then there are two possibilities. If  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$  then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of (1.22). Thus there are derivations  $d_1'$  and  $d_2'$  such that

$$d'_1 \Vdash \langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p'_1, \alpha_1, m_1 \rangle$$
 and  $d'_2 \Vdash \langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p'_2, \alpha_2, m_2 \rangle$ ,

for some  $p_1'$ ,  $p_2' \in P$ . Since  $d_1' < d_1$  and  $d_2' < d_2$ , by induction hypothesis,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2$ ,  $m_1 = m_2$ , and  $p_1' = p_2'$ , which implies

$$p_1 = (p'_1 \text{ and } p'') = (p'_2 \text{ and } p'') = p_2.$$

If, however,  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ , then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of (1.23). Thus there are derivations  $d_1''$  and  $d_2''$  such that

$$d_1'' \Vdash \langle p'', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_1'', \alpha_1, m_1 \rangle \quad \text{and} \quad d_2'' \Vdash \langle p'', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_2'', \alpha_2, m_2 \rangle,$$

for some  $p_1''$ ,  $p_2'' \in P$ . Since  $d_1'' < d_1$  and  $d_2'' < d_2$ , by induction hypothesis,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2$ ,  $m_1 = m_2$ , and  $p_1'' = p_2''$ , which implies

$$p_1 = (p' \text{ and } p_1'') = (p' \text{ and } p_2'') = p_2.$$

[Case 10] p = p' or p'', for some p',  $p'' \in P$ .

[Case 10.1] p' = skip. Then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of axiom (1.24), and as such,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ ,  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ , and as *clear* is a total,  $p_1 = p_2 = clear(p'')$ .

[Case 10.2] p'' = skip. Then either  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$  or  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ . If  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$  then this case becomes Case 10.7. Otherwise, if  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ , then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of axiom (1.25), and as such,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ ,  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ , and as clear is a total function,  $p_1 = p_2 = clear(p')$ .

[Case 10.3] p' = v := a, for some  $v \in V$  and  $a \in A$ . Then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of axiom (1.26), and as such,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and as *eval* and *clear* are total functions,  $m_1 = m_2 = m[v/eval(a)]$  and  $p_1 = p_2 = clear(p'')$ .

[Case 10.4] p'' = v := a, for some  $v \in V$  and  $a \in A$ . Then either  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$  or  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ . If  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$  then this case becomes Case 10.7. Otherwise, if  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ , then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of axiom (1.27), and as such,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and as eval and clear are total functions,  $m_1 = m_2 = m[v/eval(a)]$  and  $p_1 = p_2 = clear(p')$ .

[Case 10.5] p' = break. Then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of axiom (1.28), and as such,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ ,  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ , and as *clear* is a total function,  $p_1 = p_2 = clear(p'')$ ; break.

[Case 10.6] p'' = break. Then either  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$  or  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ . If  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$  then this case becomes Case 10.7. Otherwise, if  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ , then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of axiom (1.29), and as such,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ ,  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ , and as clear is a total function,  $p_1 = p_2 = clear(p')$ ; break.

[Case 10.7]  $p' \neq \text{skip}, v \coloneqq a, \text{break} \text{ and } p'' \neq \text{skip}, v \coloneqq a, \text{break}, \text{ for some } v \in V \text{ and } a \in A.$  Then there are two possibilities. If  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$  then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of (1.30). Thus there are derivations  $d_1'$  and  $d_2'$  such that

$$d'_1 \Vdash \langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p'_1, \alpha_1, m_1 \rangle$$
 and  $d'_2 \Vdash \langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p'_2, \alpha_2, m_2 \rangle$ ,

for some  $p'_1, p'_2 \in P$ . Since  $d'_1 < d_1$  and  $d'_2 < d_2$ , by induction hypothesis,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2, m_1 = m_2$ , and  $p'_1 = p'_2$ , which implies

$$p_1 = (p'_1 \text{ or } p'') = (p'_2 \text{ or } p'') = p_2.$$

If, however,  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ , then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of (1.31). Thus there are derivations  $d_1''$  and  $d_2''$  such that

$$d_1'' \Vdash \langle p'', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_1'', \alpha_1, m_1 \rangle \quad \text{and} \quad d_2'' \Vdash \langle p'', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_2'', \alpha_2, m_2 \rangle,$$

for some  $p_1''$ ,  $p_2'' \in P$ . Since  $d_1'' < d_1$  and  $d_2'' < d_2$ , by induction hypothesis,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2$ ,  $m_1 = m_2$ , and  $p_1'' = p_2''$ , which implies

$$p_1 = (p' \text{ or } p_1'') = (p' \text{ or } p_2'') = p_2.$$

The next lemma establishes that given a program either it is possible to advance it by an inner-step or all its trails are blocked, but not both.

**Lemma 1.5.** For all  $p \in P$ ,  $\alpha \in E^*$ ,  $m \in \mathcal{M}$ , and  $n \in N$ , if  $p \neq skip$ ,  $v \coloneqq a$ , break then either

$$\exists \delta \in \Delta(\langle p, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \delta) \quad or \quad blocked(p, \alpha, n) = 1,$$

but not both.

*Proof.* By induction on the structure of programs.

[Case 1] p = await(e), for some  $e \in E$ . Then by axiom (1.1),

$$\langle \text{await}(e), \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle \text{@awaiting}(e, n'), \alpha, m \rangle = \delta,$$

where n' = n + 1. And by Definition 1.1,  $blocked(await(e), \alpha, n) = 0$ .

[Case 2] p = @awaiting(e, n'), for some  $e \in E$  and  $n' \in N$ .

[Case 2.1] n' < n. If e is the top-of-stack event in  $\alpha$ , in symbols  $e = \alpha_{[1]}$ , then by axiom (1.2),

$$\langle \text{Qawaiting}(e, n'), \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle \text{skip}, \alpha, m \rangle = \delta.$$

And by Definition 1.1,  $blocked(@awaiting(e, n'), \alpha, n) = 0$ .

If, however,  $e \neq \alpha_{[1]}$ , then there is no such  $\delta$ , as no rule is applicable. And by Definition 1.1,  $blocked(@awaiting(e, n'), \alpha, n) = 1$ .

[Case 2.2] n' = n. [FIXME: Pelo axioma (1.2),

$$\langle @awaiting(e, n'), \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle skip, \alpha, m \rangle.$$

E  $blocked(@awaiting(e, n'), \alpha, n) = 1$ . Ou seja, ambos os lados do "ou" deram verdadeiro, o que invalida o lema.

[Case 2.3] n' > n. If  $e = \alpha_{[1]}$  then [FIXME: Não existe tal  $\delta$  e

$$blocked(@awaiting(e, n'), \alpha, n) = 0.$$

O que, novamente, invalida o lema. ]

If, however,  $e \neq \alpha_{[1]}$ , then there is no such  $\delta$  (no rule is applicable) and, by Definition 1.1,  $blocked(@awaiting(e, n'), \alpha, n) = 1$ .

[Case 3] p = emit(e), for some  $e \in E$ . Then by axiom (1.3),

$$\langle \text{emit}(e), \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle \text{@emitting}(n'), e\alpha, m \rangle = \delta,$$

where  $n' = |\alpha|$ . And by Definition 1.1,  $blocked(emit(e'), e\alpha, n) = 0$ .

[Case 4] p = @emitting(e, n'), for some  $e \in E$  and  $n' \in N$ .

[Case 4.1]  $n' = |\alpha|$ . By axiom (1.4),

$$\langle \text{Qemitting}(e, n'), \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle \text{skip}, \alpha, m \rangle = \delta.$$

And by Definition 1.1,  $blocked(@emitting(e, n'), \alpha, n) = 0$ .

[Case 4.2]  $n' \neq |\alpha|$ . Then there is no such  $\delta$  (no rule is applicable) and, by Definition 1.1,  $blocked(@emitting(e, n'), \alpha, n) = 1$ .

[Case 5]  $p = \text{if } b \text{ then } p' \text{ else } p'', \text{ for some } b \in B \text{ and } p', p'' \in P.$  By axioms (1.5) and (1.6), if eval(b, m) = 1,  $\delta = \langle p', \alpha, m \rangle$ , otherwise  $\delta = \langle p'', \alpha, m \rangle$ . And by Definition 1.1,  $blocked(\text{if } b \text{ then } p' \text{ else } p'', e\alpha, n) = 0$ 

[Case 6] p = p'; p'', for some  $p', p'' \in P$ . By Definition 1.1  $blocked(p'; p'', \alpha, n) = blocked(p', \alpha, n)$ 

[Case 6.1]  $p' = \text{skip. By axiom } (1.7), \delta = \langle p'', \alpha, m \rangle$ , and by Definition 1.1,  $blocked(\text{skip}, \alpha, n) = 0$ .

[Case 6.2] p' = v := a, for some  $v \in V$  and  $a \in A$ . By axiom (1.8),  $\delta = \langle p'', \alpha, m[v/eval(a)] \rangle$ , and by Definition 1.1,  $blocked(v := a, \alpha, n) = 0$ .

[Case 6.3] p' = break. By axiom (1.9),  $\delta = \langle \text{break}, \alpha, m \rangle$ , and by Definition 1.1,  $blocked(\text{break}, \alpha, n) = 0$ .

[Case 6.4]  $p' \neq \text{skip}, v \coloneqq a, \text{break}$ . By induction hypothesis, exactly one of the following hold:

$$\exists d' \in \Delta(\langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} d')$$
 or  $blocked(p', \alpha, n) = 1$ .

Suppose  $\langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p'_1, \alpha', m' \rangle$ , for some  $p'_1 \in P$ ,  $\alpha' \in E^*$ , and  $m' \in \mathcal{M}$ . Then by rule (1.10),

$$\langle p'; p'', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p'_1; p'', \alpha', m' \rangle.$$

And by Definition 1.1,

$$blocked(p'; p'', \alpha, n) = blocked(p', \alpha, n) = 0.$$

If, however,  $blocked(p', \alpha, n) = 1$ , then there is no such d (no rule is applicable) and by Definition 1.1,

$$blocked(p'; p'', \alpha, n) = blocked(p', \alpha, n) = 1.$$

[Case 7] p = loop p', for some  $p' \in P$ . By axiom (1.11),  $\delta = \langle p' \text{ @loop } p', \alpha, m \rangle$ . And by Definition 1.1,  $blocked(\text{loop } p', \alpha, m) = 0$ .

[Case 8] p = p' @loop p'', for some p',  $p'' \in P$ . By Definition 1.1 blocked(p') @loop p'',  $\alpha, n) = blocked(p', \alpha, n)$ 

[Case 8.1]  $p' = \text{skip. By axiom } (1.12), \delta = \langle \text{loop } p'', \alpha, m \rangle$ , and by Definition 1.1,  $blocked(\text{skip}, \alpha, n) = 0$ .

[Case 8.2] p' = v := a, for some  $v \in V$  and  $a \in A$ . By axiom (1.13),  $\delta = \langle \log p'', \alpha, m[v/eval(a)] \rangle$ , and by Definition 1.1,  $blocked(v := a, \alpha, n) = 0$ .

[Case 8.3] p' = break. By axiom (1.14),  $\delta = \langle \text{skip}, \alpha, m \rangle$ , and by Definition 1.1,  $blocked(\text{break}, \alpha, n) = 0$ .

[Case 8.4]  $p' \neq \text{skip}, v := a$ , break. By induction hypothesis, exactly one of the following hold:

$$\exists d' \in \Delta(\langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} d')$$
 or  $blocked(p', \alpha, n) = 1$ .

Suppose  $\langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p'_1, \alpha', m' \rangle$ , for some  $p'_1 \in P$ ,  $\alpha' \in E^*$ , and  $m' \in \mathcal{M}$ . Then by rule (1.15),

$$\langle p' \otimes loop p'', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p'_1 \otimes loop p'', \alpha', m' \rangle.$$

And by Definition 1.1,

$$blocked(p' @loop p'', \alpha, n) = blocked(p', \alpha, n) = 0.$$

If, however,  $blocked(p', \alpha, n) = 1$ , then there is no such d (no rule is applicable) and by Definition 1.1,

$$blocked(p'@loop p'', \alpha, n) = blocked(p', \alpha, n) = 1.$$

[Case 9] p = p' and p'', for some  $p' \in P$ , By Definition 1.1

$$blocked(p' \text{ and } p'', \alpha, n) = blocked(p', \alpha, n) \cdot blocked(p'', \alpha, n)$$

[Case 9.1]  $p' = \text{skip. By axiom } (1.16), \delta = \langle p'', \alpha, m \rangle$ , and by Definition 1.1,  $blocked(\text{skip}, \alpha, n) = 0$ .

[Case 9.2] p'' = skip. By induction hypothesis, exactly one of the following hold:

$$\exists d' \in \Delta(\langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} d')$$
 or  $blocked(p', \alpha, n) = 1$ .

If  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$ , then the derivation of  $\delta$  is similar to Case 9.7. If, however,  $blocked(p', \alpha, n) = 1$ , then by axiom (1.17),  $\delta = \langle p', \alpha, m \rangle$ . Either way,  $blocked(\mathtt{skip}, \alpha, n) = 0$ .

[Case 9.3] p' = v := a, for some  $v \in V$  and  $a \in A$ . By axiom (1.18),  $\delta = \langle p'', \alpha, m[v/eval(a)] \rangle$ , and by Definition 1.1,  $blocked(v := a, \alpha, n) = 0$ .

[Case 9.4] p'' = v := a, for some  $v \in V$  and  $a \in A$ . By induction hypothesis, exactly one of the following hold:

$$\exists d' \in \Delta(\langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} d')$$
 or  $blocked(p', \alpha, n) = 1$ .

If  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$ , then the derivation of  $\delta$  is similar to Case 9.7.

If, however,  $blocked(p', \alpha, n) = 1$ , then by axiom (1.19),  $\delta = \langle p', \alpha, m[v/eval(a)] \rangle$ . Either way,  $blocked(v := a, \alpha, n) = 0$ .

[Case 9.5] p' = break. By axiom (1.20),  $\delta = \langle clear(p''), \alpha, m \rangle$ , and by Definition 1.1,  $blocked(\text{break}, \alpha, n) = 0$ .

[Case 9.6] p'' = break. By induction hypothesis, exactly one of the following hold:

$$\exists d' \in \Delta(\langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} d')$$
 or  $blocked(p', \alpha, n) = 1$ .

If  $blocked(p', \alpha, n) = 0$ , then the derivation of  $\delta$  is similar to Case 9.7.

If, however,  $blocked(p', \alpha, n) = 1$ , then by axiom (1.21),  $\delta = \langle clear(p'), \alpha, m \rangle$ . Either way,  $blocked(break, \alpha, n) = 0$ .

[Case 9.7]  $p' \neq \text{skip}, v := a, \text{break}$ . By induction hypothesis, exactly one of the following hold:

$$\exists d' \in \Delta(\langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} d')$$
 or  $blocked(p', \alpha, n) = 1$ .

Suppose  $\langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p'_1, \alpha', m' \rangle$ , for some  $p'_1 \in P$ ,  $\alpha' \in E^*$ , and  $m' \in \mathcal{M}$ . Then by rule (1.22),

$$\langle p' \text{ and } p'', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p'_1 \text{ and } p'', \alpha', m' \rangle.$$

And by Definition 1.1,

$$blocked(p' \text{ and } p'', \alpha, n) = blocked(p', \alpha, n) \cdot blocked(p'', \alpha, n) = 0.$$

Now suppose  $\langle p'', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_1'', \alpha', m' \rangle$ , for some  $p_1'' \in P$ ,  $\alpha' \in E^*$ , and  $m' \in \mathcal{M}$ . Then by rule (1.23),

$$\langle p' \text{ and } p'', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p' \text{ and } p''_1, \alpha', m' \rangle.$$

And by Definition 1.1,

$$blocked(p' \text{ and } p'', \alpha, n) = blocked(p', \alpha, n) \cdot blocked(p'', \alpha, n) = 0.$$

[Case 10] p = p' or p'', for some  $p' \in P$ , By Definition 1.1

$$blocked(p' \text{ or } p'', \alpha, n) = blocked(p', \alpha, n) \cdot blocked(p'', \alpha, n)$$

[Case 10.1]  $p' = \text{skip. By axiom } (1.24), \delta = \langle clear(p''), \alpha, m \rangle$ , and by Definition 1.1,  $blocked(\text{skip}, \alpha, n) = 0$ .

[Case 10.2] p'' = skip. By induction hypothesis, exactly one of the following hold:

$$\exists d' \in \Delta(\langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} d')$$
 or  $blocked(p', \alpha, n) = 1$ .

If  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$ , then the derivation of  $\delta$  is similar to Case 10.7.

If, however,  $blocked(p', \alpha, n) = 1$ , then by axiom (1.25),  $\delta = \langle clear(p'), \alpha, m \rangle$ . Either way,  $blocked(\mathtt{skip}, \alpha, n) = 0$ .

[Case 10.3] p' = v := a, for some  $v \in V$  and  $a \in A$ . By axiom (1.26),  $\delta = \langle clear(p''), \alpha, m[v/eval(a)] \rangle$ , and by Definition 1.1,  $blocked(v := a, \alpha, n) = 0$ .

[Case 10.4] p'' = v := a, for some  $v \in V$  and  $a \in A$ . By induction hypothesis, exactly one of the following hold:

$$\exists d' \in \Delta(\langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} d')$$
 or  $blocked(p', \alpha, n) = 1$ .

If  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$ , then the derivation of  $\delta$  is similar to Case 10.7.

If, however,  $blocked(p', \alpha, n) = 1$ , then by axiom (1.27),  $\delta = \langle clear(p'), \alpha, m[v/eval(a)] \rangle$ . Either way,  $blocked(v := a, \alpha, n) = 0$ .

[Case 10.5] p' = break. By axiom (1.28),  $\delta = \langle clear(p''), \alpha, m \rangle$ , and by Definition 1.1,  $blocked(\text{break}, \alpha, n) = 0$ .

[Case 10.6] p'' = break. By induction hypothesis, exactly one of the following hold:

$$\exists d' \in \Delta(\langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} d')$$
 or  $blocked(p', \alpha, n) = 1$ .

If  $blocked(p', \alpha, n) = 0$ , then the derivation of  $\delta$  is similar to Case 10.7.

If, however,  $blocked(p', \alpha, n) = 1$ , then by axiom (1.29),  $\delta = \langle clear(p'), \alpha, m \rangle$ . Either way,  $blocked(break, \alpha, n) = 0$ .

[Case 10.7]  $p' \neq \text{skip}, v := a, \text{break}$ . By induction hypothesis, exactly one of the following hold:

$$\exists d' \in \Delta(\langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} d')$$
 or  $blocked(p', \alpha, n) = 1$ .

Suppose  $\langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p'_1, \alpha', m' \rangle$ , for some  $p'_1 \in P$ ,  $\alpha' \in E^*$ , and  $m' \in \mathcal{M}$ . Then by rule (1.30),

$$\langle p' \text{ or } p'', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p'_1 \text{ or } p'', \alpha', m' \rangle.$$

And by Definition 1.1,

$$blocked(p' \text{ or } p'', \alpha, n) = blocked(p', \alpha, n) \cdot blocked(p'', \alpha, n) = 0.$$

Now suppose  $\langle p'', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p''_1, \alpha', m' \rangle$ , for some  $p''_1 \in P$ ,  $\alpha' \in E^*$ , and  $m' \in \mathcal{M}$ . Then by rule (1.31),

$$\langle p' \text{ or } p'', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p' \text{ and } p''_1, \alpha', m' \rangle.$$

And by Definition 1.1,

 $blocked(p' \text{ or } p'', \alpha, n) = blocked(p', \alpha, n) \cdot blocked(p'', \alpha, n) = 0.$ 

#### 1.3 The reaction outer-step relation

From the previous inner-step relation we define an outer-step relation  $(\Rightarrow)$  that when necessary pops the event stack and advances blocked programs. [TODO: Improve this description.]

Definition 1.6 (Reaction outer-step).

(1.32) 
$$\frac{\langle p, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p', \alpha', m' \rangle}{\langle p, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p', \alpha', m' \rangle} \text{ if } blocked(p, \alpha, n) = 0$$

$$(1.33) \langle p, e\alpha, m \rangle \stackrel{n}{\Rightarrow} \langle p, \alpha, m \rangle \text{if } blocked(p, \alpha, n) = 1$$

**Theorem 1.7** (Determinism of the outer-step relation). For all p,  $p_1$ ,  $p_2 \in P$ ,  $\alpha$ ,  $\alpha_1$ ,  $\alpha_2 \in E^*$ ,  $\alpha = \alpha_{[1]}...\alpha_{[n]}$  ( $\alpha_{[1]}$  is in the top of stack  $\alpha$ ), m,  $m_1$ ,  $m_2 \in M$ , and  $n \in N$ ,

if 
$$\langle p, \alpha, m \rangle \stackrel{n}{\Rightarrow} \langle p_1, \alpha_1, m_1 \rangle$$
 and  $\langle p, \alpha, m \rangle \stackrel{n}{\Rightarrow} \langle p_2, \alpha_2, m_2 \rangle$ ,  
then  $\langle p_1, \alpha_1, m_1 \rangle = \langle p_2, \alpha_2, m_2 \rangle$ .

Proof. By induction on the structure of derivations. Suppose

$$d_1 \Vdash \langle p, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_1, \alpha_1, m_1 \rangle$$
 and  $d_2 \Vdash \langle p, \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_2, \alpha_2, m_2 \rangle$ ,

for some derivations  $d_1$  and  $d_2$ . Then there are ten possibilities depending on the structure of p. (Note that p cannot be equal to skip, v := a, or break, as there are no rules to evaluate such programs.)

[Case 1]  $p = \mathsf{await}(e)$ , for some  $e \in E$ . By Definition 1.1  $blocked(\mathsf{await}(e), \alpha, m) = 0$ , therefore  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32) and, as such, by axiom (1.1),  $p_1 = p_2 = \mathsf{Qawaiting}(e, n')$  with n' = n + 1, and  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$  and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 2] p = @awaiting(e, n'), for some  $e \in E$  and  $n' \in N$ .

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[Case 2.1]  $e \neq \alpha_{[1]}$  or  $n' \neq |\alpha|$ . By Definition 1.1,  $blocked(@awaiting(e, n'), \alpha, m) = 1$ , therefore  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.33) and, as such,  $p_1 = p_2 = @awaiting(e, n')$  and  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha'$ , with  $\alpha' = \alpha_{[2]} \dots \alpha_{[n]}$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ . [Case 2.2] otherwise,  $blocked(@awaiting(e, n'), \alpha, m) = 0$ , therefore  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32) and, as such, by axiom (1.2),  $p_1 = p_2 = skip$  and  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$  and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 3] p = emit(e), for some  $e \in E$ . By Definition 1.1,  $blocked(\text{emit}(e), \alpha, m) = 0$ , therefore  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32) and, as such, by axiom (1.3),  $p_1 = p_2 = \text{@emitting}(n')$ , with  $n' = |\alpha|$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha'$ , with  $\alpha' = e\alpha_{[1]} \dots \alpha_{[n]}$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 4] p = @emitting(e, n'), for some  $e \in E$  and  $n' \in N$ .

[Case 4.1]  $n = |\alpha|$ . By Definition 1.1,  $blocked(@emitting(e, n'), \alpha, m) = 0$ , therefore  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32) and, as such, by axiom (1.4),  $p_1 = p_2 = \text{skip}$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 4.2]  $n' \neq |\alpha|$ . By Definition 1.1,  $blocked(@emitting(e, n'), \alpha, m) = 1$ , therefore  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.33) and, as such,  $p_1 = p_2 = @emitting(e, n')$  and  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha'$ , with  $\alpha' = \alpha_{[2]} \dots \alpha'_{[n]}$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 5] p = if b then p' else p'', for some  $b \in B$  and p',  $p'' \in P$ .

[Case 5.1] eval(b, m) = 1. By Definition 1.1,  $blocked(if b then p' else p'', \alpha, m) = 0$ , therefore  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32) and, as such, by axiom (1.5),  $p_1 = p_2 = p'$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 5.2] eval(b, m) = 0. By Definition 1.1,  $blocked(skip, \alpha, m) = 0$ , therefore  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32) and, as such, by axiom (1.6),  $p_1 = p_2 = p''$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 6] p = p'; p'', for some  $p', p'' \in P$ . By Definition 1.1,  $blocked(p'; p'', \alpha, m) = blocked(p', \alpha, m)$ .

[Case 6.1] p' = skip. By Definition 1.1,  $blocked(\text{skip}, \alpha, m) = 0$ , therefore  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32) and, as such, by axiom (1.7),  $p_1 = p_2 = p''$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 6.2] p' = v := a, for some  $v \in V$  and  $a \in A$ . By Definition 1.1,  $blocked(v := a, \alpha, m) = 0$ , therefore  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32) and, as such, by axiom (1.8),  $p_1 = p_2 = p''$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and, as eval is a total function,  $m_1 = m_2 = m[v/eval(a)]$ .

[Case 6.3] p' = break. By Definition 1.1,  $blocked(\text{break}, \alpha, m) = 0$ , therefore  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32) and, as such, by axiom (1.9),  $p_1 = p_2 = \text{break}$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 6.4]  $p' \neq \text{skip}, v := a, \text{break}$ . By Lemma 1.5, p' either has an applicable rule or  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ .

If  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$ , then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32), and, as such, by rule 1.10 there are derivations  $d'_1$  and  $d'_2$  such that

$$d_1' \Vdash \langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_1', \alpha_1', m_1' \rangle$$
 and  $d_2' \Vdash \langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_2', \alpha_2', m_2' \rangle$ ,

for some  $p_1'$ ,  $p_2' \in P$ ,  $\alpha_1'$ ,  $\alpha_2' \in E$  and  $m_1'$ ,  $m_2' \in \mathcal{M}$ . By Theorem 1.4  $d_1' = d_2'$ , therefore  $\alpha_1' = \alpha_2'$ ,  $m_1' = m_2'$ , and  $p_1' = p_2'$ , which implies

$$p_1 = p_1'; p'' = p_2'; p'' = p_2.$$

If, otherwise,  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ , then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.33) and, as such,  $p_1 = p_2 = p'$ ; p'' and  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha'$ , with  $\alpha' = \alpha_{[2]} \dots \alpha_{[n]}$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 7] p = loop p'. By Definition 1.1,  $blocked(\text{loop } p', \alpha, m) = 0$ , therefore  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32) and, as such, by axiom (1.11),  $p_1 = p_2 = p'$  @loop p',  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 8] p = p' @loop p''. By Definition 1.1, blocked(p' @loop  $p'', \alpha, m) = blocked(p', \alpha, m)$ .

[Case 8.1] p' = skip. By Definition 1.1,  $blocked(\text{skip}, \alpha, m) = 0$ , therefore  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32) and, as such, by axiom (1.12),  $p_1 = p_2 = \text{loop } p''$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 8.2] p' = v := a, for some  $a \in A$ ,  $v \in V$ . By Definition 1.1,  $blocked(v := a, \alpha, m) = 0$ , therefore  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32) and, as such, by axiom (1.13),  $p_1 = p_2 = \text{loop } p''$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and, as eval is a total function,  $m_1 = m_2 = m[v/eval(a)]$ .

[Case 8.3] p' = break. By Definition 1.1,  $blocked(\text{break}, \alpha, m) = 0$ , therefore  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32) and, as such, by axiom (1.14),  $p_1 = p_2 = \text{skip}$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 8.4]  $p' \neq \text{skip}, v \coloneqq a, \text{break} \text{ and } p'' \neq \text{skip}, v \coloneqq a, \text{break}.$  By Lemma 1.5, p' either has an applicable rule or  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ .

If  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$ , then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32), and, as such, by rule 1.15 there are derivations  $d'_1$  and  $d'_2$  such that

$$d_1' \Vdash \langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_1', \alpha_1', m_1' \rangle$$
 and  $d_2' \Vdash \langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_2', \alpha_2', m_2' \rangle$ ,

for some  $p_1'$ ,  $p_2' \in P$ ,  $\alpha_1'$ ,  $\alpha_2' \in E$  and  $m_1'$ ,  $m_2' \in \mathcal{M}$ . By Theorem 1.4  $d_1' = d_2'$ , therefore  $\alpha_1' = \alpha_2'$ ,  $m_1' = m_2'$ , and  $p_1' = p_2'$ , which implies

$$p_1 = p'_1$$
 @loop  $p'' = p'_2$  @loop  $p'' = p_2$ .

If, otherwise,  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ , then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.33) and, as such,  $p_1 = p_2 = p'$  @loop p'' and  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha'$ , with  $\alpha' = \alpha_{[2]} \dots \alpha_{[n]}$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 9] p = p' and p''. By Definition 1.1, blocked(p') and p'',  $\alpha$ , m) = blocked(p'),  $\alpha$ , m).

[Case 9.1] p' = skip. By Definition 1.1,  $blocked(\text{skip}, \alpha, m) = 0$ , therefore  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32) and, as such, by axiom (1.16),  $p_1 = p_2 = p''$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 9.2] p'' = skip. There are two cases. Either  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$  or  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ . By Definition 1.1,  $blocked(\text{skip}, \alpha, m) = 0$ , therefore, in both cases,  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32).

If  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$ , then the derivations of  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are similar to Case 9.7. Otherwise, if  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ , then by axiom 1.17,  $p_1 = p_2 = p'$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 9.3] p' = v := a, for some  $v \in V$  and  $a \in A$ . By Definition 1.1,  $blocked(v := a, \alpha, m) = 0$ , therefore  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32) and, as such, by rule (1.18),  $p_1 = p_2 = p''$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and, as eval is a total function,  $m_1 = m_2 = m[v/eval(a)]$ .

[Case 9.4] p'' = v := a, for some  $v \in V$ ,  $a \in A$ . There are two cases. Either  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$  or  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ . By Definition 1.1,  $blocked(v := a, \alpha, m) = 0$ , therefore, in both cases,  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32).

If  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$ , then the derivations of  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are similar to Case 9.7. Otherwise, if  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ , then by axiom 1.19,  $p_1 = p_2 = p'$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and, as eval is a total function,  $m_1 = m_2 = m[v/eval(a)]$ .

[Case 9.5] p' = break. By Definition 1.1,  $blocked(break, \alpha, m) = 0$ , therefore  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32) and, as such, by rule (1.20),  $p_1 = p_2 = clear(p'')$ ; break,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 9.6] p'' = break. There are two cases. Either  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$  or  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ . By Definition 1.1,  $blocked(break, \alpha, m) = 0$ , therefore, in both cases,  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32).

If  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$ , then the derivations of  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are similar to Case 9.7. Otherwise, if  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ , then by axiom 1.21,  $p_1 = p_2 = clear(p')$ ; break,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 9.7]  $p' \neq \text{skip}, v \coloneqq a, \text{break} \text{ and } p'' \neq \text{skip}, v \coloneqq a, \text{break}.$  By Lemma 1.5, p either has an applicable rule or  $blocked(p, \alpha, m) = 1$ .

If  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$ , then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32), and, as such, by rule 1.22 there are derivations  $d_1'$  and  $d_2'$  such that

$$d_1' \Vdash \langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_1', \alpha_1', m_1' \rangle$$
 and  $d_2' \Vdash \langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_2', \alpha_2', m_2' \rangle$ ,

for some  $p_1'$ ,  $p_2' \in P$ ,  $\alpha_1'$ ,  $\alpha_2' \in E$  and  $m_1'$ ,  $m_2' \in M$ . By Theorem 1.4  $d_1' = d_2'$ , therefore  $\alpha_1' = \alpha_2'$ ,  $m_1' = m_2'$ , and  $p_1' = p_2'$ , which implies

$$p_1 = p'_1$$
 and  $p'' = p'_2$  and  $p'' = p_2$ .

If, otherwise,  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ , then there are two cases. Either  $blocked(p'', \alpha, m) = 0$  or  $blocked(p'', \alpha, m) = 1$ .

If  $blocked(p'', \alpha, m) = 0$ , then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32), and, as such, by rule 1.23 there are derivations  $d_1''$  and  $d_2''$  such that

$$d_1'' \Vdash \langle p'', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_1'', \alpha_1'', m_1'' \rangle \quad \text{and} \quad d_2'' \Vdash \langle p'', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_2'', \alpha_2'', m_2'' \rangle,$$

for some  $p_1'', p_2'' \in P, \alpha_1'', \alpha_2'' \in E$  and  $m_1'', m_2'' \in M$ . By Theorem 1.4  $d_1'' = d_2''$ , therefore  $\alpha_1'' = \alpha_2'', m_1'' = m_2''$ , and  $p_1'' = p_2''$ , which implies

$$p_1 = p'$$
 and  $p_1'' = p'$  and  $p_2'' = p_2$ .

If, otherwise,  $blocked(p'', \alpha, m) = 1$ , then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.33) and, as such,  $p_1 = p_2 = p'$  and p'' and  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha'$ , with  $\alpha' = \alpha_{[2]} \dots \alpha_{[n]}$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 10] p = p' or p''. By Definition 1.1, blocked(p') or  $p'', \alpha, m) = blocked(p', \alpha, m) \cdot blocked(p'', \alpha, m)$ .

[Case 10.1] p' = skip. By Definition 1.1,  $blocked(\text{skip}, \alpha, m) = 0$ , therefore  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32) and, as such, by axiom (1.24),  $p_1 = p_2 = clear(p'')$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 10.2] p'' = skip. There are two cases. Either  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$  or  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ . By Definition 1.1,  $blocked(\text{skip}, \alpha, m) = 0$ , therefore, in both cases,  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32).

If  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$ , then the derivations of  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are similar to Case 10.7. Otherwise, if  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ , then by axiom 1.25,  $p_1 = p_2 = clear(p')$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 10.3] p' = v := a, for some  $v \in V$  and  $a \in A$ . By Definition 1.1,  $blocked(v := a, \alpha, m) = 0$ , therefore  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32) and, as such, by rule (1.26),  $p_1 = p_2 = clear(p'')$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and, as eval is a total function,  $m_1 = m_2 = m[v/eval(a)]$ .

[Case 10.4] p'' = v := a, for some  $v \in V$ ,  $a \in A$ . There are two cases. Either  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$  or  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ . By Definition 1.1,  $blocked(v := a, \alpha, m) = 0$ , therefore, in both cases,  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32).

If  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$ , then the derivations of  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are similar to Case 10.7. Otherwise, if  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ , then by axiom 1.27,  $p_1 = p_2 = clear(p')$ ,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and, as eval is a total function,  $m_1 = m_2 = m[v/eval(a)]$ .

[Case 10.5] p' = break. By Definition 1.1,  $blocked(\text{break}, \alpha, m) = 0$ , therefore  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32) and, as such, by rule (1.28),  $p_1 = p_2 = clear(p'')$ ; break,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 10.6] p'' = break. There are two cases. Either  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$  or  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ . By Definition 1.1,  $blocked(\text{break}, \alpha, m) = 0$ , therefore, in both cases,  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32).

If  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$ , then the derivations of  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are similar to Case 10.7. Otherwise, if  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ , then by axiom 1.29,  $p_1 = p_2 = clear(p')$ ; break,  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

[Case 10.7]  $p' \neq \text{skip}, v \coloneqq a, \text{break} \text{ and } p'' \neq \text{skip}, v \coloneqq a, \text{break}$ . By Lemma 1.5, p either has an applicable rule or  $blocked(p, \alpha, m) = 1$ .

If  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 0$ , then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32), and, as such, by rule 1.30 there are derivations  $d'_1$  and  $d'_2$  such that

$$d_1' \Vdash \langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_1', \alpha_1', m_1' \rangle$$
 and  $d_2' \Vdash \langle p', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_2', \alpha_2', m_2' \rangle$ ,

for some  $p_1'$ ,  $p_2' \in P$ ,  $\alpha_1'$ ,  $\alpha_2' \in E$  and  $m_1'$ ,  $m_2' \in \mathcal{M}$ . By Theorem 1.4  $d_1' = d_2'$ , therefore  $\alpha_1' = \alpha_2'$ ,  $m_1' = m_2'$ , and  $p_1' = p_2'$ , which implies

$$p_1 = p'_1 \text{ or } p'' = p'_2 \text{ or } p'' = p_2.$$

If, otherwise,  $blocked(p', \alpha, m) = 1$ , then there are two cases. Either  $blocked(p'', \alpha, m) = 0$  or  $blocked(p'', \alpha, m) = 1$ .

If  $blocked(p'', \alpha, m) = 0$ , then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.32), and, as such, by rule 1.31 there are derivations  $d_1''$  and  $d_2''$  such that

$$d_1'' \Vdash \langle p'', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_1'', \alpha_1'', m_1'' \rangle \quad \text{and} \quad d_2'' \Vdash \langle p'', \alpha, m \rangle \xrightarrow{n} \langle p_2'', \alpha_2'', m_2'' \rangle,$$

for some  $p_1'', p_2'' \in P, \alpha_1'', \alpha_2'' \in E$  and  $m_1'', m_2'' \in M$ . By Theorem 1.4  $d_1'' = d_2''$ , therefore  $\alpha_1'' = \alpha_2'', m_1'' = m_2''$ , and  $p_1'' = p_2''$ , which implies

$$p_1 = p'$$
 or  $p_1'' = p'$  or  $p_2'' = p_2$ .

If, otherwise,  $blocked(p'', \alpha, m) = 1$ , then  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  are instances of rule (1.33) and, as such,  $p_1 = p_2 = p'$  or p'' and  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2 = \alpha'$ , with  $\alpha' = \alpha_{[2]} \dots \alpha_{[n]}$ , and  $m_1 = m_2 = m$ .

**Theorem 1.8** (Termination of the outer-step relation). For all  $p \in P$ ,  $\alpha \in E$  and  $m \in M$ , if  $p \neq skip$ ,  $v \coloneqq a$ , break then

$$\exists \delta \in \Delta(\langle p, \alpha, m \rangle \stackrel{n}{\Rightarrow} \delta).$$

*Proof.* [TODO: Directly from Lemma 1.5.]

#### 1.4 The reaction relation

From the reflexive-transitive closure of the outer-step relation ( $\stackrel{*}{\Rightarrow}$ ) we define the reaction relation  $\models \subseteq \Delta \times (P \times M \times N)$ , which computes a full program reaction. Given an initial configuration, the reaction relation evaluates it until the event stack becomes empty.

**Definition 1.9** (Reaction). Let  $p, p' \in P, \alpha \in E^*, m, m' \in \mathcal{M}$ . Then

$$\langle p, \alpha, m \rangle \stackrel{n}{\models} \langle p', m' \rangle$$
 iff  $\langle p, \alpha, m \rangle \stackrel{*}{\Rightarrow} \langle p', \varepsilon, m' \rangle$ .

The next two theorems establish, respectively, that reactions are deterministic and always terminate (for the nontrivial programs  $p \neq \text{skip}, v \coloneqq a, \text{break}$ ).

**Theorem 1.10** (Determinism of the reaction relation). *For all p, p*<sub>1</sub>,  $p_2 \in P$ ,  $\alpha \in E^*$ , m,  $m_1$ ,  $m_2 \in M$ , and  $n \in N$ ,

if 
$$\langle p, \alpha, m \rangle \stackrel{n}{\vDash} \langle p_1, m_1 \rangle$$
 and  $\langle p, \alpha, m \rangle \stackrel{n}{\vDash} \langle p_2, m_2 \rangle$ ,  
then  $\langle p_1, m_1 \rangle = \langle p_2, m_2 \rangle$ .

Proof. [TODO: ?]

**Theorem 1.11** (Termination of the reaction relation). *For all*  $p \in P$ ,  $\alpha \in E$ , and  $m \in M$ , *if*  $p \neq skip$ ,  $v \coloneqq a$ , break then

$$\langle p, \alpha, m \rangle \stackrel{n}{\vDash} \langle p', m' \rangle$$
,

for some  $p' \in P$  and  $m' \in M$ .

Proof. [TODO: ?]

### 2 Big-step version of the original formulation

[TODO: Minha ideia aqui é fazer uma versão big-step da formulação original. E no final comparar as duas versões, i.e., mostrar que são equivalentes.]

**Definition 2.1.** [TODO: Parcial e provavelmente incorreta.]

Empty program

$$(2.1) \langle \varepsilon, \alpha, m, n \rangle \leadsto \langle \alpha, m, n \rangle$$

Assignment

$$(2.2) \langle v := a, \alpha, m, n \rangle \leadsto \langle \alpha, m[v/eval(a)], n \rangle$$

**Conditionals** 

(2.3) 
$$\frac{\langle p_1, \alpha, m, n \rangle \leadsto \langle \alpha', m', n' \rangle}{\langle \text{if } b \text{ then } p_1 \text{ else } p_2, \alpha, m, n \rangle \leadsto \langle \alpha', m', n' \rangle} \text{ if } eval(b, m) = 1$$

(2.4) 
$$\frac{\langle p_2, \alpha, m, n \rangle \leadsto \langle \alpha', m', n' \rangle}{\langle \text{if } b \text{ then } p_1 \text{ else } p_2, \alpha, m, n \rangle \leadsto \langle \alpha', m', n' \rangle} \text{ if } eval(b, m) = 0$$

Await

$$(2.5) \qquad \frac{\langle @\mathsf{awaiting}(e,n+1),e\alpha,m,n\rangle \leadsto \langle \alpha',m',n'\rangle}{\langle \mathsf{await}(e),\alpha,m,n\rangle \leadsto \langle \alpha',m',n'\rangle}$$

$$(2.6) \qquad \langle @\mathsf{awaiting}(e',n'), e\alpha, m, n \rangle \leadsto \langle \alpha, m, n \rangle \qquad \text{if } e' = e \text{ and } n' < n$$

$$(2.7) \qquad \frac{\langle @\mathsf{awaiting}(e',n'),\alpha,m,n\rangle \leadsto \langle \alpha'',m'',n''\rangle}{\langle @\mathsf{awaiting}(e',n'),e\alpha,m,n\rangle \leadsto \langle \alpha'',m'',n''\rangle} \quad \text{if } e'\neq e \text{ or } n'\geq n$$

**Emit** 

(2.8) 
$$\frac{\langle \text{@emitting}(|\alpha|), e\alpha, m, n \rangle \leadsto \langle \alpha', m', n' \rangle}{\langle \text{emit}(e), \alpha, m, n \rangle \leadsto \langle \alpha', m', n' \rangle}$$

(2.9) 
$$\langle \text{@emitting}(n'), e\alpha, m, n \rangle \leadsto \langle \alpha, m, n \rangle$$
 if  $|e\alpha| = n'$ 

$$(2.10) \qquad \frac{\langle @\mathsf{emitting}(n'), \alpha, m, n \rangle \leadsto \langle \alpha'', m'', n'' \rangle}{\langle @\mathsf{emitting}(n'), e\alpha, m, n \rangle \leadsto \langle \alpha'', m'', n'' \rangle} \quad \text{if } |e\alpha| \neq n'$$