A Fugue in Agda

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Exposition

Constructive Mathematics

LEM if false, and here is why:

Theorem (van Dalen, 1973)

There exist such irrational numbers a and b that the number a^b is rational.

Proof.

Consider a number $\sqrt{2}^{\sqrt{2}}$. If it is rational, then we can put $a=\sqrt{2}$, $b=\sqrt{2}$. In other case if it is irrational, then we can put $a=\sqrt{2}^{\sqrt{2}}$, $b=\sqrt{2}$. Therefore, in any case such a and b must exist (due to the law of excluded middle).

Constructive Mathematics

Three dogmas of intuitionism:

- No LEM (Therefore, proofs by contradiction are not valid).
- Replace actual infinity with potential realizability (Brouwer sequences).
- Proofs are mathematical objects. To prove something means to construct a proof of it.



Luitzen Brouwer



Arend Heyting



Andrey Kolmogorov

BHK-interpretation

Brouwer-Heyting-Kolmogorov interpretation of logical constants

- A proof of $A \wedge B$ is a pair (a,b) where a is a proof of A, and b is a proof of B
- A proof of $A \lor B$ is a pair (a,1) where a is a proof of A, or a pair (0,b) where b is a proof of B
- \bullet A proof of $A \longrightarrow B$ is a function that takes proofs of A as inputs and produces proofs of B as outputs
- A proof of $\exists x \in A : \phi(x)$ is a pair (a,b) where $a \in A$, b is a proof of $\phi(a)$
- A proof of $\forall x \in A : \phi(x)$ is a function $f : A \longrightarrow \Phi$, $a \mapsto \phi(a)$ that converts elements a of A into proofs $\phi(a)$
- Negation defined as $A \longrightarrow \bot$
- \perp is an absurd statement (2 = 3) that cannot be proven
- * Ex Falso Quodlibet: $\bot \longrightarrow A$, where A is arbitrary

Curry-Howard isomorphism (propositions-as-types)

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Proof Theory	Type Theory
Proposition A	Туре
Proof of	Γ ⊢ a : A
$A \wedge B$	Product A B
$A \vee B$	Sum A B
$A\supset B$	$A \rightarrow B$
$\neg A(i.e.A \rightarrow \bot)$	$A \rightarrow \bot$
true, false	Т, ⊥
$\forall x \in A.B(x)$	$\prod_{x:a} B(x)$
$\exists x \in A.B(x)$	$\sum_{x:a}^{\lambda a} B(x)$
Induction	Inductive type (e.g. N)
Pierce's law	Continuation
$((P \to Q) \to P) \to P$	
double-negation translation	Continuation-passing style

Interlude

Remarks

- de Bruijn principle
- MLTT
- Girard's Paradox
- HoTT
- Coq
- Agda
- Idris
- NuPRL
- ...



Per Martin-Löf

Development

Plan

- Theoretical basics $(\Pi, \Sigma, ac, \top, \bot, \equiv, \cong)$
- Types & theorems (B, N, List, Vector, Stream)
- Monoid, Functor, Monad

MLTT

Π type

$$\begin{split} &\Pi: (A:\mathsf{Set}) \; (B:A \to \mathsf{Set}) \to \mathsf{Set} \\ &\Pi \; A \; B = (a:A) \to B \; a \\ \\ &\underline{\quad} \Rightarrow \underline{\quad} : (A \; B:\mathsf{Set}) \to \mathsf{Set} \\ &A \Rightarrow B = \Pi \; A \; (\lambda \; \underline{\quad} \to B) \end{split}$$

Σ type

Identity type

```
data \underline{} \equiv \{\ell\} \{A : Set \ell\} (a : A) : A \rightarrow Set \ell \text{ where}
     refl: a \equiv a
sym : \forall \{\ell\} \{A : \mathsf{Set} \ \ell\} \{a \ b : A\} \rightarrow
    a \equiv b \rightarrow b \equiv a
sym refl = refl
trans: \forall \{\ell\} \{A : \mathsf{Set} \ \ell\} \{a \ b \ c : A\} \rightarrow
     a \equiv b \rightarrow b \equiv c \rightarrow a \equiv c
trans refl refl = refl
cong : \forall \{\ell\} \{A : \mathsf{Set} \ \ell\} \{a \ b : A\} \{B : \mathsf{Set}\} \{f : A \to B\} \to
    a \equiv b \rightarrow (f \ a) \equiv (f \ b)
cong refl = refl
```

Logic

```
data ⊥ : Set where
record T: Set where
  constructor T - cons
record _ V _ (A : Set) (B : Set) : Set where
  constructor _ + _
  field
     in_1:A
     in_2: B
```

Axiom of Choice

```
data R {A B : Set} (a : A) (b : B) : Set where ac : \{A B : Set\} \rightarrow \Pi \ A \ (\lambda \ a \rightarrow \Sigma \ B \ (\lambda \ b \rightarrow R \ a \ b)) \rightarrow \\ \Sigma \ (A \rightarrow B) \ (\lambda \ f \rightarrow (\Pi \ A \ (\lambda \ a \rightarrow R \ a \ (f \ a)))) \\ ac \ g = \Sigma \ (\lambda \ a \rightarrow pr_1 \ (g \ a)) \ , \ (\lambda \ a \rightarrow pr_2 \ (g \ a))
```

Booleans

Booleans

data B: Set where

 $\mathsf{tt}: \mathbb{B}$ $\mathsf{ff}: \mathbb{B}$

Operations on Booleans

infixl 5 _ _ _

$$_ \land _ : \mathbb{B} \to \mathbb{B} \to \mathbb{B}$$

 $\mathsf{tt} \land \mathsf{tt} = \mathsf{tt}$
 $\mathsf{a} \land \mathsf{b} = \mathsf{ff}$
infixl 4 _ _ _
 $_ \lor _ : \mathbb{B} \to \mathbb{B} \to \mathbb{B}$
 $\mathsf{tt} \lor \mathsf{b} = \mathsf{tt}$
 $\mathsf{ff} \lor \mathsf{b} = \mathsf{b}$

Idempotence

Distributivity

Absorption

```
\begin{array}{l} \land - \lor - \mathsf{absorp} : \forall \ \{a \ b\} \to (a \ \land \ (a \lor b)) \equiv \mathsf{tt} \to a \equiv \mathsf{tt} \\ \land - \lor - \mathsf{absorp} \ \{\mathsf{tt}\} \ p = \mathsf{refl} \\ \land - \lor - \mathsf{absorp} \ \{\mathsf{ff}\} \ () \end{array}
```

Natural Numbers

Natural numbers

```
data IN: Set where
   zero: N
   suc: \mathbb{N} \to \mathbb{N}
{-# BUILTIN NATURAL IN #-}
+ : \mathbb{N} \to \mathbb{N} \to \mathbb{N}
zero + n = n
suc m + n = suc (m + n)
* : \mathbb{N} \to \mathbb{N} \to \mathbb{N}
zero * n = zero
suc a * b = b + (a * b)
```

0 is right rero

+0 :
$$\forall$$
 (x : \mathbb{N}) \rightarrow x + 0 \equiv x
+0 zero = refl
+0 (suc x) rewrite +0 x = refl

+ commutes

```
+suc - lemma : \forall (x y : \mathbb{N}) \rightarrow x + (suc y) \equiv suc (x + y)
+suc - lemma zero y = refl
+suc - lemma (suc x) y rewrite +suc - lemma x y = refl
+comm : \forall (x y : \mathbb{N}) \rightarrow x + y \equiv y + x
+comm zero y rewrite +0 y = refl
+comm (suc x) y
   rewrite -- sucx + y \equiv y + sucx
   +comm x y \mid --suc(y+x) \equiv y + sucx
   +suc - lemma y x - - suc(y + x) \equiv suc(y + x)
   = refl
```

* left distributive to +

```
*Idistr+: \forall (x \ y \ z : \mathbb{N}) \rightarrow x * (y + z) \equiv x * y + x * z
*ldistr+ x zero z
   rewrite --x*(zero+z) \equiv x*zero+x*z
   *comm x (zero + z) | -z * x \equiv x * 0 + z * x
   *0 x   --z*x \equiv 0+z*x
   = refl
*Idistr+ x (suc y) z
   rewrite
                               --x*(sucy+z) \equiv x*sucy+x*z
   *suc - lemma x(y + z) = -x + x * (y + z) \equiv x * sucy + x * z
   *suc – lemma x y \mid -x + x * (y + z) \equiv x + x * y + x * z
   *ldistr+ x y z |
                               --x + (x * y + x * z) \equiv x + x * y + x * z
   +assoc x (x * y) (x * z) - -x + x * y + x * z \equiv x + x * y + x * z
   = refl
```

* Some auxiliary proofs are not shown

Lists

Lists

```
data List \{\ell\} (A : Set \ell) : Set \ell where

[] : List A

_ :: _ : (x : A) (xs : List A) \rightarrow List A

_ + +_ : \forall \{\ell\} {A : Set \ell} \rightarrow List A \rightarrow List A \rightarrow List A

[] ++ ys = ys
(x :: xs) ++ ys = x :: (xs ++ ys)
```

Functions on Lists

```
\mathsf{map} : \forall \{\ell\} \{A \ B : \mathsf{Set} \ \ell\} \to (A \to B) \to \mathsf{List} \ A \to \mathsf{List} \ B
map f [] = []
map f(x :: xs) = (f x) :: map f xs
length : \forall \{\ell\} \{A : \mathsf{Set} \ \ell\} \to \mathsf{List} \ A \to \mathbb{N}
length \Pi = zero
length (x :: xs) = suc (length xs)
reverse : \forall \{\ell\} \{A : \mathsf{Set} \ \ell\} \to \mathsf{List} \ A \to \mathsf{List} \ A
reverse [] = []
reverse (x :: xs) = reverse xs ++ x :: []
```

Second functor law

```
\begin{array}{l} \mathsf{map} - \circ : \forall \ \{\ell\} \ \{A \ B \ C : \mathsf{Set} \ \ell\} (f : B \to C) \\ (g : A \to B) \ (xs : \mathsf{List} \ A) \to \\ \mathsf{map} \ (f \circ g) \ xs \equiv ((\mathsf{map} \ f) \circ (\mathsf{map} \ g)) \ xs \\ \mathsf{map} - \circ f \ g \ [] = \mathsf{refl} \\ \mathsf{map} - \circ f \ g \ (x :: xs) \ \mathsf{rewrite} \ \mathsf{map} - \circ f \ g \ xs = \mathsf{refl} \end{array}
```

Reverse preserves length

```
--length - homo: length(xs + +ys) ≡ lengthxs + lengthys
reverse - preserves - length: ∀ {ℓ} {A : Set ℓ} → (xs : List A)

→ length (reverse xs) ≡ length xs
reverse - preserves - length [] = refl
reverse - preserves - length (x :: xs) rewrite
reverse - preserves - length xs |
length - homo (reverse xs) (x :: []) |
reverse - preserves - length xs |
+comm (length xs) 1
= refl
```

Vector

Internal vs External

- The way to reason about programs shown in previous examples is called external verification: we define non-dependent types and reason about them using ≡.
- Another way to produce verified programs is to define a dependent family of datatypes along with their intrinsic properties, which make it impossible to produce incorrect programs. This side of verificationism is calles internal verification.
- An familly T of types indexed with **values** of another type I means that for each i:I we have a member of this type familly T_i .
- ullet For instance, a type familly indexed over ${\mathbb B}$ would have precisely two members.
- A classic example of a dependent type is a dependent vector: a List-like container which can store a precise number of elements
- In recent versions of haskell some "dependent types" can be simulated using type families and type-level programming

Vectors

```
data Vec {a} (A : Set a) : \mathbb{N} \to \text{Set a where}
[] : Vec A zero
_ :: _ : \forall {n} (x : A) (xs : Vec A n) \to Vec A (suc n)
_ + +_ : \forall {a m n} {A : Set a} \to
Vec A m \to Vec A n \to Vec A (m + n)
[] ++ ys = ys
(x :: xs) ++ ys = x :: (xs ++ ys)
```

Coinduction

Basic operations & Streams

```
postulate
   \infty: \forall {a} (A : Set a) \rightarrow Set a
   \sharp : \forall {a} {A : Set a} \rightarrow A \rightarrow \infty A
   b : \forall \{a\} \{A : \mathsf{Set} \ a\} \to \infty \ A \to A
infix 1000
{-# BUILTIN INFINITY ∞ #-}
{-# BUILTIN SHARP # #-}
{-# BUILTIN FLAT b #-}
data Stream (A : Set) : Set where
   :: A \to \infty (\mathsf{Stream}\ A) \to \mathsf{Stream}\ A
```

Some recursive functions

```
take : \{A: Set\}\ (n: \mathbb{N}) \to Stream\ A \to Vec\ A\ n take zero xs = [] take (suc n) (x::xs) = x: V: take n (\flat xs) drop : \{A: Set\} \to \mathbb{N} \to Stream\ A \to Stream\ A drop zero xs = xs drop (suc n) (x::xs) = drop\ n\ (<math>\flat xs)
```

Some corecursive functions

```
\begin{split} & \text{iterate}: \{A:\mathsf{Set}\} \to (A \to A) \to A \to \mathsf{Stream} \ A \\ & \text{iterate} \ f \ x = x :: \sharp \ \text{iterate} \ (f \circ f) \ x \\ \\ & \mathsf{map}: \{A \ B:\mathsf{Set}\} \to (A \to B) \to \mathsf{Stream} \ A \to \mathsf{Stream} \ B \\ & \mathsf{map} \ f \ (x :: xs) = f \ x :: \sharp \ \mathsf{map} \ f \ (\flat \ xs) \\ \\ & \mathsf{zipWith}: \{A \ B \ C:\mathsf{Set}\} \to (A \to B \to C) \to \\ & \mathsf{Stream} \ A \to \mathsf{Stream} \ B \to \mathsf{Stream} \ C \\ & \mathsf{zipWith} \ z \ (x :: xs) \ (y :: ys) = \\ & z \ x \ y :: \sharp \ \mathsf{zipWith} \ z \ (\flat \ xs) \ (\flat \ ys) \end{split}
```

Equivalence on streams

```
data _ ≈ _ {A : Set} : Stream A \rightarrow Stream A \rightarrow Set where _ :: _ : (x : A) {xs ys : ∞ (Stream A)} \rightarrow \infty (\flat xs ≈ \flat ys) \rightarrow x :: xs ≈ x :: ys infix 4 _ _
```

Proofs about Stream equivalence

```
srefl: \{A : Set\} \{xs : Stream A\} \rightarrow
    xs \approx xs
srefl \{A\} \{x :: xs\} = x :: \sharp srefl
ssym : \{A : Set\} \{xs \ ys : Stream \ A\} \rightarrow
    xs \approx ys \rightarrow ys \approx xs
ssym (x :: xs) = x :: \sharp ssym (h xs)
strans : \{A : Set\} \{xs \ ys \ zs : Stream \ A\} \rightarrow
    xs \approx ys \rightarrow ys \approx zs \rightarrow xs \approx zs
strans (x :: xs) (.x :: ys) =
   x :: \sharp strans (\flat xs) (\flat ys)
```

Finale

Symbols

П	\Pi	Σ	\Sigma	Σ	\Sigma
ℓ	\ell	λ	\G1	Σ	\Sigma
\rightarrow	\r	(\<	Σ	\Sigma
∞	\inf	b	\b	Σ	\Sigma
#	\#	\mathbb{B}	\bb	Σ	\Sigma
N	\bn	Т	\top	Σ	\Sigma
上	\bot	=	\==		\glb
~	2 tilda	::	\::		\lub
Ф	\oplus	\otimes	\otimes	\mapsto	\mapsto
0	\0	ω	\om	Ω	\Omega

^{*} To find out how to type arbitrary symbol, use M-x describe-char in Agda mode.

Resources

- A bit outdated: http://oxij.org/note/BrutalDepTypes/
- Wiki: http://wiki.portal.chalmers.se/agda
- Classic tutorial: www.cse.chalmers.se/~ulfn/papers/afp08/tutorial.pdf
- http://www.cse.chalmers.se/~peterd/papers/ DependentTypesAtWork.pdf
- Wonderfull tutorial here http://people.inf.elte.hu/divip/AgdaTutorial/Index.html
- Norell's PhD
- Agda Standard Library https://github.com/agda/agda-stdlib
- NAL (NURE Agda Library) https://github.com/zelinskiy/NAL

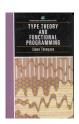
Books



A. Stump



P. Martin-Löf



S. Thompson



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Questions