

Forcing as a program transformation

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Different notions of models

- **Tarski models:** $\llbracket A \rrbracket \in \{0, 1\}$
 - Interprets **classical provability** (correctness/completeness)

- **Intuitionistic realizability:** $\llbracket A \rrbracket \in \mathfrak{P}(\Lambda)$ [Kleene '45]
 - Interprets **intuitionistic proofs**
 - Independence results, in intuitionistic theories
 - Definitely incompatible with classical logic

- **Cohen forcing:** $\llbracket A \rrbracket \in \mathfrak{P}(P)$ [Cohen '63]
 - Independence results, in classical theories
(Negation of the continuum hypothesis, Solovay's axiom, etc.)

- **Classical realizability:** $\llbracket A \rrbracket \in \mathfrak{P}(\Pi)$ [Krivine '94, '01, '09, ...]
 - Interprets **classical proofs**
 - Generalizes Tarski models... and forcing

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What is forcing?

- A technique invented by Cohen ('63) to prove the independence of the **continuum hypothesis** (CH) w.r.t. ZFC:

The continuum hypothesis (CH), Hilbert's 1st problem

For every infinite subset $S \subseteq \mathbb{R}$:

- Either S is **denumerable** (i.e. in bijection with \mathbb{N})
- Either S has the **power of continuum** (i.e. is in bijection with \mathbb{R})

In symbols:

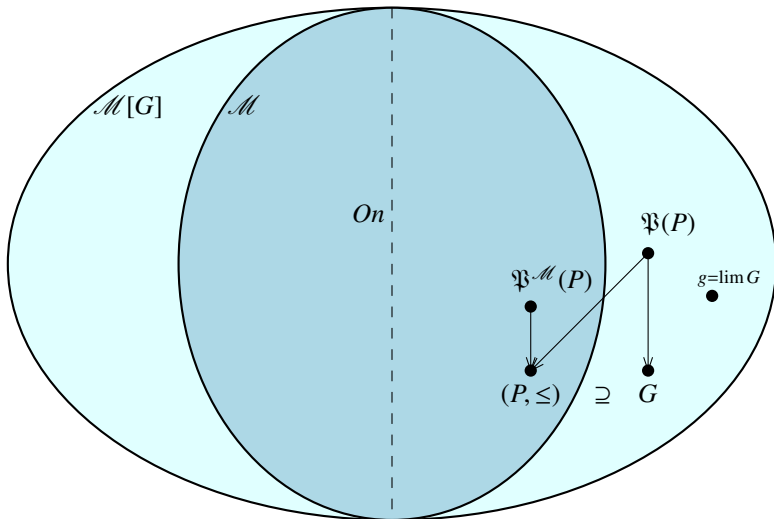
$$2^{\aleph_0} = \aleph_1$$

- Gödel ('38) proved $\text{ZFC} \not\vdash \neg\text{CH}$ introducing **constructible sets**
- Cohen ('63) proved $\text{ZFC} \not\vdash \text{CH}$ introducing **forcing**
- Related to **Boolean-valued models** [Scott, Solovay, Vopěnka]
- Used to prove the consistency/independence of many axioms [Solovay, Shelah, Woodin, etc.]

How does forcing work?

Exploit the underspecification of the powerset $\mathfrak{P}(X)$

(X infinite)



An analogy with algebra

Set theory

Start from a ground model \mathcal{M}

We want to add a new set approximated
by the elements of a given
forcing poset $(P, \leq) \in \mathcal{M}$

This defines a fictitious
generic filter $G \subseteq P$ (outside \mathcal{M})

which generates around \mathcal{M} a
generic extension $\mathcal{M}[G]$

Construction:

$$\mathcal{M}[G] := \mathcal{M}^{(P)} / \sim_{\text{Ext}}$$

Algebra

Start from a ground field F

We want to add a new point
that should be a root of a given
polynomial $P \in F[X]$

This defines a fictitious
root α of P (outside F)

which generates around F a
field extension $F[\alpha]$

Construction:

$$F[\alpha] := F[X] / PF[X]$$

Example: forcing $\neg\text{CH}$

- Aim:** Force the existence of an **injection** $h : \aleph_2 \rightarrow \mathfrak{P}(\omega)$
 We shall build it as a characteristic function $g : \aleph_2 \times \omega \rightarrow 2$
- The ideal object g is approximated in the ground model \mathcal{M} by elements of $(P, \leq) := (\text{Fin}(\aleph_2 \times \omega, 2), \supseteq)$ (**forcing poset**)
- Forcing invocation:** Let $\mathcal{M}[G]$ be the generic extension generated by an \mathcal{M} -generic filter $G \subseteq P$ (always exists!)
- In $\mathcal{M}[G]$, we let: $g := \lim G = \bigcup G$ ($: \aleph_2 \times \omega \rightarrow 2$)
 Using the \mathcal{M} -genericity of the filter $G \subseteq P$, we prove that:
 - Partial function $g : \aleph_2 \times \omega \rightarrow 2$ is actually **total**
 - Corresponding function $h : \aleph_2 \rightarrow \mathfrak{P}(\omega)$ is actually **injective**

Technicalities (countable chain condition) under the carpet

Compared properties of \mathcal{M} and $\mathcal{M}[G]$

Forcing theorem: Given a model \mathcal{M} and a forcing poset $(P, \leq) \in \mathcal{M}$, the generic extension $\mathcal{M}[G]$ always exists

- \mathcal{M} and $\mathcal{M}[G]$ have the very same ordinals
- If Axiom of Choice (AC) holds in \mathcal{M} , then it holds in $\mathcal{M}[G]$ too
- Finite cardinals and $\aleph_0 (= \omega)$ are the same in \mathcal{M} and in $\mathcal{M}[G]$
- $\mathcal{M}[G]$ has in general **fewer cardinals** than \mathcal{M}
 - **Intuition:** new bijections may appear in $\mathcal{M}[G]$ between sets in \mathcal{M} , thus identifying their cardinals in $\mathcal{M}[G]$
 - Cardinals are preserved if P fulfils the **countable chain condition** (This was the case for $P = \text{Fin}(E, 2)$ used for forcing $\neg\text{CH}$)
 - But in some circumstances, one may use forcing to kill cardinals: Levy collapse, Solovay's axiom, etc.

The proof-theoretic point of view

- Construction of $\mathcal{M}[G]$ parameterized by a **forcing poset** (P, \leq) , whose elements are called **forcing conditions**
 - $p \leq q$ reads: 'p is stronger than q'
- Internally relies on a logical translation

$$A \mapsto p \Vdash A \quad ('p \text{ forces } A')$$

where p is a fresh variable (representing a condition)

- Complex definition by induction on A , using the poset (P, \leq)

Properties

- 1 $\vdash A$ entails $\vdash (\forall p \in P)(p \Vdash A)$
- 2 But $\vdash (\forall p \in P)(p \Vdash A)$ for more formulas A (depending on P)
- 3 $\vdash (\forall p \in P)(p \not\Vdash \perp)$ (consistency)

- **Remark:** Forcing commutes with \perp, \top, \wedge and \forall , but **not with** $\Rightarrow, \neg, \vee, \exists$

Kripke forcing versus Cohen forcing

Kripke models for (classical) modal logic (S4)

$$p \Vdash A \Rightarrow B \equiv (p \Vdash A) \Rightarrow (p \Vdash B)$$

$$p \Vdash \Box A \equiv \forall q \leq p (q \Vdash A)$$

$$\frac{p \Vdash A \Rightarrow B \quad p \Vdash A}{p \Vdash B}$$



Gödel's translation from LJ to S4

$$(A \Rightarrow B)^\dagger \equiv \Box(A^\dagger \Rightarrow B^\dagger)$$



Kripke models for intuitionistic logic (LJ)

$$p \Vdash A \Rightarrow B \equiv \forall q \leq p ((q \Vdash A) \Rightarrow (q \Vdash B))$$

$$\frac{p \Vdash A \Rightarrow B \quad q \Vdash A}{q \Vdash B} \quad q \leq p$$



$\neg\neg$ -translation from LK to LJ

(tricky!)



Forcing in classical logic (LK)

$$p \Vdash A \Rightarrow B \equiv \forall q ((q \Vdash A) \Rightarrow \forall r \leq p, q (r \Vdash B))$$

$$\frac{p \Vdash A \Rightarrow B \quad q \Vdash A}{r \Vdash B} \quad r \leq p, q$$

Cohen forcing versus classical realizability

Cohen forcing

$$[A] \in \mathfrak{P}(P)$$

$$p \Vdash A$$

$$\frac{p \Vdash A \Rightarrow B \quad q \Vdash A}{pq \Vdash B}$$

$$\underbrace{pq}_{\text{g.l.b.}} \Vdash B$$

$$\frac{p \Vdash A \quad q \Vdash B}{pq \Vdash A \wedge B}$$

$$A \wedge B = A \cap B$$

Classical realizability

$$|A| \in \mathfrak{P}(\Lambda_c)$$

$$t \Vdash A$$

$$\frac{t \Vdash A \Rightarrow B \quad u \Vdash A}{tu \Vdash B}$$

$$\underbrace{tu}_{\text{application}} \Vdash B$$

$$\frac{t \Vdash A \quad u \Vdash B}{\langle t, u \rangle \Vdash A \wedge B}$$

$$A \wedge B \neq A \cap B$$

- **Slogan:** Classical realizability = Non commutative forcing

Combining Cohen forcing with classical realizability

• Forcing in classical realizability

[Krivine '09]

- Introduce **realizability algebras**, generalizing the λ_c -calculus
- Discover the program transformation underlying forcing
- Extend iterated forcing to classical realizability
- Show how to force the existence of a well-ordering over \mathbb{R} (while keeping evaluation deterministic)

• Computational analysis of forcing

[M. '11]

- Focus on the underlying program transformation (no generic filter)
- Hard-wire the program transformation into the abstract machine

Underlying methodology

Translation of
formulas & proofs



Classical program
transformation



New abstract machine
(no transformation)

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Higher-order arithmetic ($\text{PA}\omega^+$)

- A multi-sorted language that allows to express

- Individuals (sort ι)
- Propositions (sort o)
- Functions over individuals ($\iota \rightarrow \iota$, $\iota \rightarrow \iota \rightarrow \iota$, ...)
- Predicates over individuals ($\iota \rightarrow o$, $\iota \rightarrow \iota \rightarrow o$, ...)
- Predicates over predicates... ($(\iota \rightarrow o) \rightarrow o$, ...)

Syntax of sorts (kinds) and higher-order terms

| | |
|--------------------|--|
| Sorts | $\tau, \sigma ::= \iota \mid o \mid \tau \rightarrow \sigma$ |
| Terms | $M, N, A, B ::= x^\tau \mid \lambda x^\tau . M \mid MN \mid 0 \mid s \mid \text{rec}_\tau$ $\mid A \Rightarrow B \mid \forall x^\tau A \mid M = M' \mapsto A$ |
| Proof terms | $t, u ::=$ (postponed) |

- Equational implication: $M = M' \mapsto A$
 - Means: A if $M = M'$ (equality of denotations)
 \top otherwise (\top = type of all proofs)
 - Provably equivalent to: $M =_\tau M' \Rightarrow A$ (Leibniz equality)

Encodings

- The logic of $\text{PA}\omega^+$ is ultimately based on \Rightarrow and \forall . Other constructions of logic are encoded as follows:

| | | |
|-----------------------|--|------------------------------|
| \perp | $\equiv \forall z^o z$ | (Absurdity) |
| $\neg A$ | $\equiv A \Rightarrow \perp$ | (Negation) |
| $A \wedge B$ | $\equiv \forall z^o ((A \Rightarrow B \Rightarrow z) \Rightarrow z)$ | (Conjunction) |
| $A \vee B$ | $\equiv \forall z^o ((A \Rightarrow z) \Rightarrow (B \Rightarrow z) \Rightarrow z)$ | (Disjunction) |
| $\exists x^\tau A(x)$ | $\equiv \forall z^o (\forall x^\tau (A(x) \Rightarrow z) \Rightarrow z)$ | (\exists at sort τ) |
| $M =_\tau M'$ | $\equiv \forall z^{\tau \rightarrow o} (z M \Rightarrow z M')$ | (Leibniz equality) |

- $M = M' \mapsto A$ (**equational implication**) provably equivalent to $M =_\tau M' \Rightarrow A$ (combination of Leibniz equality and implication), but has much more compact proof terms
- Top proposition: $\top \equiv (\text{tt} = \text{ff} \mapsto \perp)$ (type of all proof-terms)
 where $\text{tt} \equiv \lambda x^o y^o . x$, $\text{ff} \equiv \lambda x^o y^o . y$ and $\perp \equiv \forall z^o z$

Conversion

(1/2)

- Conversion $M \cong_{\mathcal{E}} M'$ parameterized by a (finite) set of equations

$$\mathcal{E} \equiv M_1 = M'_1, \dots, M_k = M'_k \quad (\text{non oriented, well sorted})$$

- Reflexivity, symmetry, transitivity + base case:

$$\frac{}{M \cong_{\mathcal{E}} M'} \quad (M=M') \in \mathcal{E}$$

- β -conversion, recursion:

$$\begin{aligned} (\lambda x^\tau . M)N &\cong_{\mathcal{E}} M[x := N] \\ \text{rec}_\tau M M' 0 &\cong_{\mathcal{E}} M \\ \text{rec}_\tau M M' (s N) &\cong_{\mathcal{E}} M' N (\text{rec}_\tau M M' N) \end{aligned}$$

- Usual context rules + extended rule for $M = M' \mapsto A$:

$$\frac{A \cong_{\mathcal{E}, M=M'} A'}{M = M' \mapsto A \cong_{\mathcal{E}} M = M' \mapsto A'}$$

Conversion

(2/2)

- Rules for identifying computationally equivalent propositions, according to Curry-style proof terms (def. postponed):

$$\begin{aligned} \forall x^\tau \forall y^\sigma A &\cong_{\mathcal{E}} \forall y^\sigma \forall x^\tau A \\ \forall x^\tau A &\cong_{\mathcal{E}} A \end{aligned} \quad (\text{if } x^\tau \notin FV(A))$$

$$A \Rightarrow \forall x^\tau B \cong_{\mathcal{E}} \forall x^\tau (A \Rightarrow B) \quad (\text{if } x^\tau \notin FV(A))$$

$$M = M' \mapsto N = N' \mapsto A \cong_{\mathcal{E}} N = N' \mapsto M = M' \mapsto A$$

$$M = M \mapsto A \cong_{\mathcal{E}} A$$

$$A \Rightarrow (M = M' \mapsto B) \cong_{\mathcal{E}} M = M' \mapsto (A \Rightarrow B)$$

$$\forall x^\tau (M = M' \mapsto A) \cong_{\mathcal{E}} M = M' \mapsto \forall x^\tau A \quad (\text{if } x^\tau \notin FV(M, M'))$$

- Example: $\top := (\text{tt} = \text{ff} \mapsto \perp)$ (type of all proof-terms)

where $\text{tt} \equiv \lambda x^o y^o . x$, $\text{ff} \equiv \lambda x^o y^o . y$ and $\perp \equiv \forall z^o z$

we can derive that: $(A \Rightarrow \top) \cong \top$ (A any proposition)

Deduction system (typing)

- Proof terms: $t, u ::= x \mid \lambda x. t \mid tu \mid \mathbf{c}$ (Curry-style)
- Contexts: $\Gamma ::= x_1 : A_1, \dots, x_n : A_n$ (A_i of sort o)

Deduction/typing rules

$$\frac{}{\mathcal{E}; \Gamma \vdash x : A} \quad (x:A) \in \Gamma$$

$$\frac{\mathcal{E}; \Gamma \vdash t : A}{\mathcal{E}; \Gamma \vdash t : A'} \quad A \cong_{\mathcal{E}} A'$$

$$\frac{\mathcal{E}; \Gamma, x : A \vdash t : B}{\mathcal{E}; \Gamma \vdash \lambda x. t : A \Rightarrow B}$$

$$\frac{\mathcal{E}; \Gamma \vdash t : A \Rightarrow B \quad \mathcal{E}; \Gamma \vdash u : A}{\mathcal{E}; \Gamma \vdash tu : B}$$

$$\frac{\mathcal{E}, M = M'; \Gamma \vdash t : A}{\mathcal{E}; \Gamma \vdash t : M = M' \mapsto A}$$

$$\frac{\mathcal{E}; \Gamma \vdash t : M = M \mapsto A}{\mathcal{E}; \Gamma \vdash t : A}$$

$$\frac{\mathcal{E}; \Gamma \vdash t : A}{\mathcal{E}; \Gamma \vdash t : \forall x^T A} \quad x^T \notin FV(\mathcal{E}; \Gamma)$$

$$\frac{\mathcal{E}; \Gamma \vdash t : \forall x^T A}{\mathcal{E}; \Gamma \vdash t : A[x := N^T]}$$

$$\frac{}{\mathcal{E}; \Gamma \vdash \mathbf{c} : ((A \Rightarrow B) \Rightarrow A) \Rightarrow A}$$

Remark: All proof-terms have type $\top \equiv (\text{tt} = \text{ff} \mapsto \perp)$ (normalization fails)

From operational semantics...

- Krivine's λ_c -calculus

- λ -calculus with call/cc and **continuation constants**:

$$t, u ::= x \mid \lambda x. t \mid tu \mid \mathfrak{c} \mid k_\pi$$

- An abstract machine with explicit stacks:

- Stack = list of closed terms (notation: π, π')
- Process = closed term \star stack

- Evaluation rules

(weak head normalization, call by name)

| | | | |
|------------------|----------------------------------|----------|---------------------------|
| (Grab) | $\lambda x. t \star u \cdot \pi$ | γ | $t[x := u] \star \pi$ |
| (Push) | $tu \star \pi$ | γ | $t \star u \cdot \pi$ |
| (Call/cc) | $\mathfrak{c} \star t \cdot \pi$ | γ | $t \star k_\pi \cdot \pi$ |
| (Resume) | $k_\pi \star t \cdot \pi'$ | γ | $t \star \pi$ |

... to classical realizability semantics

- Interpreting higher-order terms:
 - Individuals interpreted as natural numbers
 - Propositions interpreted as **falsity values**
 - Functions interpreted set-theoretically

$$\begin{aligned} \llbracket \iota \rrbracket &:= \mathbf{IN} \\ \llbracket o \rrbracket &:= \mathfrak{F}(\Pi) \\ \llbracket \tau \rightarrow \sigma \rrbracket &:= \llbracket \sigma \rrbracket^{\llbracket \tau \rrbracket} \end{aligned}$$

- Parameterized by a pole $\perp \subseteq \Lambda_c \star \Pi$ (closed under anti-evaluation)
- Interpreting logical constructions:

$$\begin{aligned} \llbracket \forall x^\tau A \rrbracket &= \bigcup_{v \in \llbracket \tau \rrbracket} \llbracket A[x := v] \rrbracket & \llbracket A \Rightarrow B \rrbracket &= \llbracket A \rrbracket^\perp \cdot \llbracket B \rrbracket \\ \llbracket M = M' \mapsto A \rrbracket &= \begin{cases} \llbracket A \rrbracket & \text{if } \llbracket M \rrbracket = \llbracket M' \rrbracket \\ \emptyset & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

Adequacy

If $\mathcal{E}; x_1 : A_1, \dots, x_n : A_n \vdash t : B$ (in $\text{PA}\omega^+$)
 $\bullet \rho \models \mathcal{E}, u_1 \Vdash A_1[\rho], \dots, u_n \Vdash A_n[\rho]$
 then: $t[x_1 := u_1, \dots, x_n := u_n] \Vdash B[\rho]$

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Representing conditions

- **Intuition:** Represent the set of conditions as an upwards closed subset of a meet-semilattice

- Take:
 - A sort κ of conditions, equipped with
 - A binary product $(p, q) \mapsto pq$ (of sort $\kappa \rightarrow \kappa \rightarrow \kappa$)
 - A unit 1 (of sort κ)
 - A predicate $p \mapsto C[p]$ of well-formedness (of sort $\kappa \rightarrow o$)

- **Typical example:** finite functions from τ to σ are modelled by
 - $\kappa := \tau \rightarrow \sigma \rightarrow o$ (binary relations $\subseteq \tau \times \sigma$)
 - $pq := \lambda x^\tau y^\sigma . pxy \vee qxy$ (union of relations p and q)
 - $1 := \lambda x^\tau y^\sigma . \perp$ (empty relation)
 - $C[p] :=$ “ p is a finite function from τ to σ ”

Combinators

- The forcing translation is parameterized by

- The sort κ + closed terms $\cdot, 1, C$

(logical level)

- 9 closed proof terms $\alpha_*, \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_8$

(computational level)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \alpha_* & : C[1] \\
 \alpha_1 & : \forall p^\kappa \forall q^\kappa (C[pq] \Rightarrow C[p]) \\
 \alpha_2 & : \forall p^\kappa \forall q^\kappa (C[pq] \Rightarrow C[q]) \\
 \alpha_3 & : \forall p^\kappa \forall q^\kappa (C[pq] \Rightarrow C[qp]) \\
 \alpha_4 & : \forall p^\kappa (C[p] \Rightarrow C[pp]) \\
 \alpha_5 & : \forall p^\kappa \forall q^\kappa \forall r^\kappa (C[(pq)r] \Rightarrow C[p(qr)]) \\
 \alpha_6 & : \forall p^\kappa \forall q^\kappa \forall r^\kappa (C[p(qr)] \Rightarrow C[(pq)r]) \\
 \alpha_7 & : \forall p^\kappa (C[p] \Rightarrow C[p1]) \\
 \alpha_8 & : \forall p^\kappa (C[p] \Rightarrow C[1p])
 \end{aligned}$$

This set is not minimal. One can take $\alpha_*, \alpha_1, \alpha_3, \alpha_4, \alpha_5, \alpha_7$ and define:

$$\alpha_2 := \alpha_1 \circ \alpha_3, \quad \alpha_6 := \alpha_3 \circ \alpha_5 \circ \alpha_3 \circ \alpha_5 \circ \alpha_3, \quad \alpha_8 := \alpha_3 \circ \alpha_7$$

Derived combinators

- The combinators $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_8$ can be composed:

Example: $\alpha_1 \circ \alpha_6 \circ \alpha_3 : \forall p^\kappa \forall q^\kappa \forall r^\kappa (C[(pq)r] \Rightarrow C[rp])$

- We will also use the following derived combinators:

| | | | | |
|---------------|-----------|---|-----|--|
| α_9 | $:\equiv$ | $\alpha_3 \circ \alpha_1 \circ \alpha_6 \circ \alpha_3$ | $:$ | $\forall p^\kappa \forall q^\kappa \forall r^\kappa (C[(pq)r] \Rightarrow C[pr])$ |
| α_{10} | $:\equiv$ | $\alpha_2 \circ \alpha_5$ | $:$ | $\forall p^\kappa \forall q^\kappa \forall r^\kappa (C[(pq)r] \Rightarrow C[qr])$ |
| α_{11} | $:\equiv$ | $\alpha_9 \circ \alpha_4$ | $:$ | $\forall p^\kappa \forall q^\kappa (C[pq] \Rightarrow C[p(pq)])$ |
| α_{12} | $:\equiv$ | $\alpha_5 \circ \alpha_3$ | $:$ | $\forall p^\kappa \forall q^\kappa \forall r^\kappa (C[p(qr)] \Rightarrow C[q(rp)])$ |
| α_{13} | $:\equiv$ | $\alpha_3 \circ \alpha_{12}$ | $:$ | $\forall p^\kappa \forall q^\kappa \forall r^\kappa (C[p(qr)] \Rightarrow C[(rp)q])$ |
| α_{14} | $:\equiv$ | $\alpha_5 \circ \alpha_3 \circ \alpha_{10} \circ \alpha_4 \circ \alpha_2$ | $:$ | $\forall p^\kappa \forall q^\kappa \forall r^\kappa (C[p(qr)] \Rightarrow C[q(rr)])$ |
| α_{15} | $:\equiv$ | $\alpha_9 \circ \alpha_3$ | $:$ | $\forall p^\kappa \forall q^\kappa \forall r^\kappa (C[p(qr)] \Rightarrow C[qp])$ |

- Important remark:**

- $C[pq] \Rightarrow C[p] \wedge C[q]$, but $C[p] \wedge C[q] \not\Rightarrow C[pq]$ (in general)
- Two conditions p and q are **compatible** when $C[pq]$

Ordering

- Let $p \leq q \equiv \forall r^\kappa (C[pr] \Rightarrow C[qr])$
- \leq is a preorder with greatest element 1:

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda c. c & : \forall p^\kappa (p \leq p) \\ \lambda x y c. y(xc) & : \forall p^\kappa \forall q^\kappa \forall r^\kappa (p \leq q \Rightarrow q \leq r \Rightarrow p \leq r) \\ \alpha_8 \circ \alpha_2 & : \forall p^\kappa (p \leq 1) \end{aligned}$$

- Product pq is the g.l.b. of p and q :

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha_9 & : \forall p^\kappa \forall q^\kappa (pq \leq p) \\ \alpha_{10} & : \forall p^\kappa \forall q^\kappa (pq \leq q) \\ \lambda x y. \alpha_{13} \circ y \circ \alpha_{12} \circ x \circ \alpha_{11} & : \forall p^\kappa \forall q^\kappa \forall r^\kappa (r \leq p \Rightarrow r \leq q \Rightarrow r \leq pq) \end{aligned}$$

- C (set of 'good' conditions) is upwards closed:

$$\lambda x c. \alpha_1 (x (\alpha_7 c)) : \forall p^\kappa \forall q^\kappa (p \leq q \Rightarrow C[p] \Rightarrow C[q])$$

- Bad conditions are smallest elements:

$$\lambda x c. x (\alpha_1 c) : \forall p^\kappa (\neg C[p] \Rightarrow \forall q^\kappa p \leq q)$$

The auxiliary translation $(-)^*$

- Translating sorts: $\tau \rightsquigarrow \tau^*$

$$l^* := l \quad o^* := \kappa \rightarrow o \quad (\tau \rightarrow \sigma)^* := \tau^* \rightarrow \sigma^*$$

Intuition: Propositions become **sets of conditions**

- Translating terms: $M \rightsquigarrow M^*$

$$\begin{aligned} (x^\tau)^* &:= x^{\tau^*} & 0^* &:= 0 \\ (\lambda x^\tau . M)^* &:= \lambda x^{\tau^*} . M^* & s^* &:= s \\ (MN)^* &:= M^* N^* & \text{rec}_\tau^* &:= \text{rec}_{\tau^*} \\ (\forall x^\tau A)^* &:= \lambda r^{\kappa} . \forall x^{\tau^*} A^* r & & \\ (M_1 = M_2 \mapsto A)^* &:= \lambda r^{\kappa} . M_1^* = M_2^* \mapsto (A^* r) & & \\ (A \Rightarrow B)^* &:= \lambda r^{\kappa} . \forall q^{\kappa} \forall r'^{\kappa} (r = qr' \mapsto \forall s^{\kappa} (C[qs] \Rightarrow A^* s) \Rightarrow B^* r') & & \end{aligned}$$

Lemma

- $(M[x^\tau := N])^* \equiv M^*[x^{\tau^*} := N^*]$ (substitutivity)
- If $M_1 \cong_{\mathcal{E}} M_2$, then $M_1^* \cong_{\mathcal{E}^*} M_2^*$ (compatibility with conversion)

The forcing translation

- Given a proposition A and a condition p , let:

$$p \text{ IF } A \quad ::= \quad \forall r^\kappa (C[pr] \Rightarrow A^*r)$$

- The forcing translation is trivial on \forall and $_ = _ \mapsto _ :$

$$\begin{aligned} p \text{ IF } \forall x^\tau A &\cong_{\emptyset} \forall x^{\tau^*} (p \text{ IF } A) \\ p \text{ IF } M_1 = M_2 \mapsto A &\cong_{\emptyset} M_1^* = M_2^* \mapsto (p \text{ IF } A) \end{aligned}$$

- All the complexity lies in implication! (cf next slide)

General properties

$$\beta_1 \quad ::= \quad \lambda x y c . y (x c) \quad : \quad \forall p^\kappa \forall q^\kappa (q \leq p \Rightarrow (p \text{ IF } A) \Rightarrow (q \text{ IF } A))$$

$$\beta_2 \quad ::= \quad \lambda x c . x (\alpha_1 c) \quad : \quad \forall p^\kappa (\neg C[p] \Rightarrow p \text{ IF } A)$$

$$\beta_3 \quad ::= \quad \lambda x c . x (\alpha_9 c) \quad : \quad \forall p^\kappa \forall q^\kappa ((p \text{ IF } A) \Rightarrow (pq \text{ IF } A))$$

$$\beta_4 \quad ::= \quad \lambda x c . x (\alpha_{10} c) \quad : \quad \forall p^\kappa \forall q^\kappa ((q \text{ IF } A) \Rightarrow (pq \text{ IF } A))$$

Forcing an implication

- Definition of $p \Vdash A \Rightarrow B$ looks strange:

$$\begin{aligned} p \Vdash A \Rightarrow B &\equiv \forall r^\kappa (C[pr] \Rightarrow (A \Rightarrow B)^* r) \\ &\cong_{\emptyset} \forall r^\kappa (C[pr] \Rightarrow \forall q^\kappa \forall r'^\kappa (r = qr' \mapsto (q \Vdash A) \Rightarrow B^* r')) \end{aligned}$$

- But it is equivalent to

$$\forall q ((q \Vdash A) \Rightarrow (pq \Vdash B)) \quad \left(\text{Hint: } \frac{p \Vdash A \Rightarrow B \quad q \Vdash A}{pq \Vdash B} \right)$$

Coercions between $p \Vdash A \Rightarrow B$ and $\forall q ((q \Vdash A) \Rightarrow (pq \Vdash B))$

$$\gamma_1 := \lambda xcy. x y (\alpha_6 c) \quad : \quad (\forall q ((q \Vdash A) \Rightarrow (pq \Vdash B)) \Rightarrow p \Vdash A \Rightarrow B)$$

$$\gamma_2 := \lambda xyc. x (\alpha_5 c) y \quad : \quad (p \Vdash A \Rightarrow B) \Rightarrow \forall q ((q \Vdash A) \Rightarrow (pq \Vdash B))$$

$$\gamma_3 := \lambda xyc. x (\alpha_{11} c) y \quad : \quad (p \Vdash A \Rightarrow B) \Rightarrow (p \Vdash A) \Rightarrow (p \Vdash B)$$

$$\gamma_4 := \lambda xcy. x (y (\alpha_{15} c)) \quad : \quad \neg A^* p \Rightarrow p \Vdash A \Rightarrow B$$

The meaning of the definition of “ $p \Vdash A$ ”

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Where does the definition of “ $p \Vdash A$ ” come from?

$$p \Vdash A \quad :\equiv \quad \forall r^\kappa (C[pr] \Rightarrow A^*r)$$

The Boolean algebra generated by the forcing structure

- Given p^κ, r^κ let: $p \perp r \quad :\equiv \quad \neg C[pr]$ (“ p and r are **incompatible**”)

- To each set of conditions $S^{\kappa \rightarrow o}$ we associate its **orthogonal**

$$S^\perp \quad := \quad \{p^\kappa : \forall r^\kappa (S r \Rightarrow p \perp r)\} \quad (\kappa \rightarrow o)$$

- Write: $\mathcal{B} := \{S^{\kappa \rightarrow o} : S = S^{\perp\perp}\} : (\kappa \rightarrow o) \rightarrow o$
the set of all sets that are **bi-orthogonally closed**

Proposition

The poset (\mathcal{B}, \subseteq) is a **complete Boolean algebra**

(\mathcal{B}, \subseteq) is the **Boolean algebra** generated by the forcing structure $(\kappa, \cdot, 1, C)$

The meaning of the definition of “ $p \Vdash A$ ”

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- Given $p, r : \kappa$, $S : \kappa \rightarrow o$, recall that:

$$p \perp r \quad :\equiv \quad \neg C[pr]$$

$$S^\perp \quad :\equiv \quad \{p^\kappa : \forall r^\kappa (S r \Rightarrow p \perp r)\}$$

$$\mathcal{B} \quad :\equiv \quad \{S^{\kappa \rightarrow o} : S = S^{\perp\perp}\}$$

Proposition

The poset (\mathcal{B}, \subseteq) is a **complete Boolean algebra**

- Fact:** For each set $S^{\kappa \rightarrow o}$, we have $S^\perp = S^{\perp\perp\perp}$, hence $S^\perp \in \mathcal{B}$
- Recall that the translation $M \mapsto M^*$ turns each proposition $A : o$ into a set $A^* : \kappa \rightarrow o$. Then we observe that:

$$\begin{aligned} \{p^\kappa : p \Vdash A\} &= \{p^\kappa : \forall r^\kappa (C[pr] \Rightarrow A^* r)\} \\ &= \{p^\kappa : \forall r^\kappa (\neg A^* r \Rightarrow p \perp r)\} \\ &= ((A^*)^c)^\perp \in \mathcal{B} \end{aligned}$$

Translating proof-terms

- Krivine's program transformation $t \mapsto t^*$:

$$\begin{array}{lll}
 x^* \equiv x & \alpha^* \equiv \lambda c x . \alpha (\lambda k . x (\alpha_{14} c) (\gamma_4 k)) & \gamma_4 \equiv \lambda x c y . x (y (\alpha_{15} c)) \\
 (t u)^* \equiv \gamma_3 t^* u^* & & \gamma_3 \equiv \lambda x y c . x (\alpha_{11} c) y \\
 (\lambda x . t)^* \equiv \gamma_1 (\lambda x . t^* \underbrace{[x := \beta_4 x]}_{\text{bounded var}} \underbrace{[x_i := \beta_3 x_i]_{i=1}^n}_{\text{other free vars of } t}) & & \gamma_1 \equiv \lambda x c y . x y (\alpha_6 c) \\
 & & \beta_3 \equiv \lambda x c . x (\alpha_9 c) \\
 & & \beta_4 \equiv \lambda x c . x (\alpha_{10} c)
 \end{array}$$

- The translation inserts: γ_3 ("apply") in front of each app.
 γ_1 ("fold") in front of each λ
- A bound occurrence of x in t is translated as $\beta_3^k (\beta_4 x)$, where k is the **de Bruijn index** of this occurrence

Soundness (in $PA\omega^+$)

If $\mathcal{E}; x_1 : A_1, \dots, x_n : A_n \vdash t : B$
 then $\mathcal{E}^*; x_1 : (p \text{ IF } A_1), \dots, x_n : (p \text{ IF } A_n) \vdash t^* : (p \text{ IF } B)$

Translating proof-terms (optimized)

- The latter program transformation creates bureaucratic β -redexes due to the macros β_3 , β_4 , γ_3 , γ_1 and γ_4
- If we reduce them, we get the following transformation:

$$x^* \equiv x \quad \mathfrak{c}^* \equiv \lambda c x . \mathfrak{c} (\lambda k . x (\alpha_{14} c) (\lambda c x . k (x (\alpha_{15} c))))$$

$$(t u)^* \equiv \lambda c . t^* (\alpha_6 c) u^*$$

$$(\lambda x . t)^* \equiv \lambda c x . t^* \underbrace{[x := \lambda c . x (\alpha_{10} c)]}_{\text{bounded var}} \underbrace{[x_i := \lambda c . x_i (\alpha_9 c)]_{i=1}^n}_{\text{other free vars of } t} (\alpha_{11} c)$$

Soundness (in $\text{PA}\omega^+$)

If $\mathcal{E}; x_1 : A_1, \dots, x_n : A_n \vdash t : B$
 then $\mathcal{E}^*; x_1 : (p \Vdash A_1), \dots, x_n : (p \Vdash A_n) \vdash t^* : (p \Vdash B)$

Computational meaning of the transformation

- A proof of $p \text{ IF } A \equiv \forall r^{\kappa}(C[pr] \Rightarrow A^*r)$ is a function waiting an argument $c : C[pr]$ (for some r) \rightsquigarrow **computational condition**

$$\begin{array}{llll}
 (\lambda x.t)^* & \star & c \cdot u \cdot \pi & \gamma & t^*[x := \lambda c' . u(\alpha_{10} c')] & \star & \alpha_6 c \cdot \pi \\
 (tu)^* & \star & c \cdot \pi & \gamma & & & t^* \star \alpha_{11} c \cdot u^* \cdot \pi \\
 \mathfrak{a}^* & \star & c \cdot t \cdot \pi & \gamma & & & t \star \alpha_{14} c \cdot k_{\pi}^* \cdot \pi \\
 k_{\pi}^* & \star & c \cdot t \cdot \pi' & \gamma & & & t \star \alpha_{15} c \cdot \pi
 \end{array}$$

where:

$$k_{\pi}^* \equiv \gamma_4 k_{\pi} \quad (\approx \lambda cx . k_{\pi}(x(\alpha_{15} c)))$$

Evaluation combinators

$$\begin{array}{lll}
 \alpha_{10} & : & C[(pq)r] \Rightarrow C[qr] \\
 \alpha_6 & : & C[p(qr)] \Rightarrow C[(pq)r] \\
 \alpha_{11} & : & C[pr] \Rightarrow C[p(pr)] \\
 \alpha_{14} & : & C[p(qr)] \Rightarrow C[q(rr)] \\
 \alpha_{15} & : & C[p(qr)] \Rightarrow C[qp]
 \end{array}$$

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Krivine Forcing Abstract Machine (KFAM)

| | |
|---------------------|---|
| Terms | $t, u ::= x \mid \lambda x. t \mid tu \mid \mathfrak{c}$ |
| Environments | $e ::= \emptyset \mid e, x = c$ |
| Closures | $c ::= t[e] \mid k_\pi \mid \underbrace{t[e]^* \mid k_\pi^*}_{\text{forcing closures}}$ |
| Stacks | $\pi ::= \diamond \mid c \cdot \pi$ |

- Evaluation rules: real mode:

$$\begin{array}{llll}
 x[e, y = c] \star \pi & \gamma & x[e] \star \pi & (y \neq x) \\
 x[e, x = c] \star \pi & \gamma & c \star \pi & \\
 (\lambda x. t)[e] \star c \cdot \pi & \gamma & t[e, x = c] \star \pi & \\
 (tu)[e] \star \pi & \gamma & t[e] \star u[e] \cdot \pi & \\
 \mathfrak{c}[e] \star c \cdot \pi & \gamma & c \star k_\pi \cdot \pi & \\
 k_\pi \star c \cdot \pi' & \gamma & c \star \pi &
 \end{array}$$

- Evaluation rules: **forcing mode**:

$$\begin{array}{llll}
 x[e, y = c]^* \star c_0 \cdot \pi & \gamma & x[e]^* \star \alpha_9 c_0 \cdot \pi & (y \neq x) \\
 x[e, x = c]^* \star c_0 \cdot \pi & \gamma & c \star \alpha_{10} c_0 \cdot \pi & \\
 (\lambda x. t)[e]^* \star c_0 \cdot c \cdot \pi & \gamma & t[e, x = c]^* \star \alpha_6 c_0 \cdot \pi & \\
 (tu)[e]^* \star c_0 \cdot \pi & \gamma & t[e]^* \star \alpha_{11} c_0 \cdot u[e]^* \cdot \pi & \\
 \mathfrak{c}[e]^* \star c_0 \cdot c \cdot \pi & \gamma & c \star \alpha_{14} c_0 \cdot k_\pi^* \cdot \pi & \\
 k_\pi^* \star c_0 \cdot c \cdot \pi' & \gamma & c \star \alpha_{15} c_0 \cdot \pi &
 \end{array}$$

Adequacy in real and forcing modes

- New abstract machine means:
 - New classical realizability model (based on the KFAM)
 - New adequacy results

Adequacy (real mode)

If $\bullet \mathcal{E}; x_1 : A_1, \dots, x_n : A_n \vdash t : B$ (in $\text{PA}\omega^+$)

$\bullet \rho \models \mathcal{E}, \quad c_1 \Vdash A_1[\rho], \dots, c_n \Vdash A_n[\rho]$

then: $t[x_1 = c_1, \dots, x_n = c_n] \Vdash B[\rho]$ (real mode)

- Assuming that $\alpha_i \Vdash \text{type of } \alpha_i$ (for $i = 6, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15$)

Adequacy (forcing mode)

If $\bullet \mathcal{E}; x_1 : A_1, \dots, x_n : A_n \vdash t : B$ (in $\text{PA}\omega^+$)

$\bullet \rho \models \mathcal{E}^*, \quad c_1 \Vdash (p_1 \text{ IF } A_1[\rho]), \dots, c_n \Vdash (p_n \text{ IF } A_n[\rho])$

then: $t[x_1 = c_1, \dots, x_n = c_n]^* \Vdash ((p_0 p_1) \cdots p_n \text{ IF } B[\rho])$ (forcing mode)

Program extraction in presence of forcing

- Assume that:

- We got a proof of B under some axiom A

$$x : A \vdash u : B \quad (\text{user program})$$

- Axiom A is not provable, but it can be forced using a suitable set of forcing conditions (C, \leq) :

$$\vdash s : (1 \text{ IF } A) \quad (\text{system program})$$

- Then:

- We have

$$u[x = s[]]^* \Vdash (1 \text{ IF } B)$$

- If moreover B is an arithmetic formula

$$(\xi_B z)[z = u[x = s[]]^*] \Vdash B$$

using a suitable wrapper $\xi_B \Vdash (1 \text{ IF } B) \Rightarrow B$

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Realizability algebras

[Krivine '10, M. '11]

Definition

A **realizability algebra** \mathcal{A} is given by:

- 3 sets Λ (\mathcal{A} -terms), Π (\mathcal{A} -stacks), $\Lambda \star \Pi$ (\mathcal{A} -processes)
- 3 functions $(\cdot) : \Lambda \times \Pi \rightarrow \Pi$, $(\star) : \Lambda \times \Pi \rightarrow \Lambda \star \Pi$, $(k_{\cdot}) : \Pi \rightarrow \Lambda$
- A **compilation function** $(t, \sigma) \mapsto t[\sigma]$ that takes:

- an open proof term t
- a Λ -substitution σ closing t

and returns an \mathcal{A} -term $t[\sigma] \in \Lambda$

- A set of \mathcal{A} -processes $\perp \subseteq \Lambda \star \Pi$ such that:

$$\begin{array}{llll}
 \sigma[x] \star \pi & \in \perp & \text{implies} & x[\sigma] \star \pi \in \perp \\
 t[\sigma, x := a] \star \pi & \in \perp & \text{implies} & (\lambda x. t)[\sigma] \star a \cdot \pi \in \perp \\
 t[\sigma] \star u[\sigma] \cdot \pi & \in \perp & \text{implies} & (tu)[\sigma] \star \pi \in \perp \\
 a \star k_{\pi} \cdot \pi & \in \perp & \text{implies} & \alpha[\sigma] \star a \cdot \pi \in \perp \\
 a \star \pi & \in \perp & \text{implies} & k_{\pi} \star a \cdot \pi' \in \perp
 \end{array}$$

Realizability model of $\text{PA}\omega^+$ (general case)

- Parameterized by a realizability algebra $\mathcal{A} = (\mathbf{\Lambda}, \mathbf{\Pi}, \mathbf{\Lambda} \star \mathbf{\Pi}, \dots, \perp)$

- Interpreting higher-order terms:

- Individuals interpreted as natural numbers
- Propositions interpreted as \mathcal{A} -falsity values
- Functions interpreted set-theoretically

$$\begin{aligned} \llbracket \iota \rrbracket &:= \mathbf{IN} \\ \llbracket o \rrbracket &:= \mathfrak{P}(\mathbf{\Pi}) \\ \llbracket \tau \rightarrow \sigma \rrbracket &:= \llbracket \sigma \rrbracket^{\llbracket \tau \rrbracket} \end{aligned}$$

- Interpreting logical constructions

$$\begin{aligned} \llbracket \forall x^\tau A \rrbracket &= \bigcup_{v \in \llbracket \tau \rrbracket} \llbracket A[x := v] \rrbracket & \llbracket A \Rightarrow B \rrbracket &= \llbracket A \rrbracket^\perp \cdot \llbracket B \rrbracket \\ \llbracket M = M' \mapsto A \rrbracket &= \begin{cases} \llbracket A \rrbracket & \text{if } \llbracket M \rrbracket = \llbracket M' \rrbracket \\ \emptyset & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

Adequacy

If $\mathcal{E}; x_1 : A_1, \dots, x_k : A_k \vdash t : B$ (in $\text{PA}\omega^+$)

- $\rho \models \mathcal{E}, \quad u_1 \Vdash A_1[\rho], \dots, u_k \Vdash A_k[\rho]$

then: $t[x_1 := u_1, \dots, x_k := u_k] \Vdash B[\rho]$

Examples

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- From an implementation of the λ_c -calculus:

Standard realizability algebra

- $\Lambda := \Lambda$, $\Pi := \Pi$, $\Lambda \star \Pi := \Lambda \star \Pi$
- k_π , $t \cdot \pi$, $t \star \pi$ defined as themselves
- Compilation function $(t, \sigma) \mapsto t[\sigma]$ defined as substitution
- $\perp\!\!\!\perp :=$ any saturated set of processes

- We can do the same for all classical λ -calculi :

- Parigot's $\lambda\mu$ -calculus
- Curien-Herbelin's $\bar{\lambda}\mu$ -calculus (CBN or CBV)
- Barbanera-Berardi's symmetric λ -calculus (\curlywedge comes for free)

Examples

(2/2)

- From a meet semi-lattice L :

- $\Lambda = \Pi = \Lambda \star \Pi := L$

- $k_\pi := \pi, \quad t \star \pi = t \star \pi := t\pi$ (product in L)

- Compilation function $(t, \sigma) \mapsto t[\sigma]$:

$$t[\sigma] := \prod_{x \in FV(t)} \sigma(x)$$

- $\perp\!\!\!\perp :=$ any ideal of L

- Corresponding **realizability model** isomorphic to the **Boolean valued model** on the complete Boolean algebra $\mathcal{B}(L)/\perp\!\!\!\perp$

KFAM: The realizability algebra of real mode

- From a saturated set $\perp\!\!\!\perp$ in the KFAM:

The realizability algebra $\mathcal{A} := (\Lambda, \Pi, \Lambda \star \Pi, \dots, \perp\!\!\!\perp)$

- Λ , Π , $\Lambda \star \Pi$:= sets of closures, stacks, processes of the KFAM
- k_π (real mode), $t \cdot \pi$, $t \star \pi$ defined as in the KFAM
- Compilation function: $(t, [\sigma]) \mapsto t[\sigma]$:= closure formation (real mode)
- $\perp\!\!\!\perp$:= itself

- Adequacy w.r.t. the algebra $\mathcal{A} =$

Adequacy in the KFAM in real mode (w.r.t. the pole $\perp\!\!\!\perp$)

KFAM: The realizability algebra of forcing mode

- Given $\mathcal{A} = (\mathbf{\Lambda}, \mathbf{\Pi}, \mathbf{\Lambda} \star \mathbf{\Pi}, \dots, \perp\!\!\!\perp)$ (cf prev. slide)
+ a forcing structure $(\kappa, C, \cdot, 1)$

The realizability algebra $\mathcal{A}^* := (\mathbf{\Lambda}^*, \mathbf{\Pi}^*, \mathbf{\Lambda}^* \star \mathbf{\Pi}^*, \dots, \perp\!\!\!\perp^*)$

- $\mathbf{\Lambda}^* := \mathbf{\Lambda} \times \llbracket \kappa \rrbracket$, $\mathbf{\Pi}^* := \mathbf{\Pi} \times \llbracket \kappa \rrbracket$, $\mathbf{\Lambda}^* \star \mathbf{\Pi}^* := (\mathbf{\Lambda} \star \mathbf{\Pi}) \times \llbracket \kappa \rrbracket$
- $k_{(\pi, p)} := (k_{\pi}^*, p)$ (forcing mode)
- $(t, p) \cdot (\pi, q) := (t \cdot \pi, pq)$
- $(t, p) \star (\pi, q) := (t \star \pi, pq)$
- Compilation function:

$$t[x_1 := (c_1, p_1), \dots, x_k := (c_k, p_k)] \equiv (t[x_1 := c_1, \dots, x_k := c_k]^*, ((1p_1) \cdots) p_k)$$
 (forcing mode)
- $\perp\!\!\!\perp^* := \{(t \star \pi, p) : \forall c \in \mathbf{\Lambda} ((c \Vdash_{\mathcal{A}} C[p]) \Rightarrow (t \star c \cdot \pi) \in \perp\!\!\!\perp)\}$

The connection lemma

- Write $\llbracket - \rrbracket$ (resp. $\llbracket - \rrbracket^*$) the interpretation w.r.t. \mathcal{A} (resp. w.r.t. \mathcal{A}^*)
- Notice that: $\llbracket o \rrbracket^* = \wp(\Pi \star \llbracket \kappa \rrbracket) \simeq (\wp(\Pi))^{\llbracket \kappa \rrbracket} = \llbracket o^* \rrbracket$

Connection lemma

- 1 There exists an iso: $\psi_\tau : \llbracket \tau^* \rrbracket \xrightarrow{\sim} \llbracket \tau \rrbracket^*$
- 2 For all closed M of sort τ : $\llbracket M \rrbracket^* = \psi_\tau(\llbracket M^* \rrbracket)$
- 3 Given a closed formula A and a pair $(c, p) \in \mathbf{\Lambda}^* (= \mathbf{\Lambda} \star \llbracket \kappa \rrbracket)$

$$(c, p) \Vdash_{\mathcal{A}^*} A \quad \text{iff} \quad c \Vdash_{\mathcal{A}} (p \text{ IF } A)$$

- Connection lemma + Adequacy w.r.t. the algebra $\mathcal{A}^* =$
 Adequacy in the KFAM in **forcing mode** (w.r.t. the pole $\perp\!\!\!\perp$)

To sum up

- **From syntax...**

- The program transform $t \mapsto t^*$ underlying Cohen forcing :

$$\vdash t : A \quad \rightsquigarrow \quad \vdash t^* : (p \text{ IF } A)$$

- A new machine (KFAM) with two execution modes such that

$$t[]^* \text{ has the same behavior as } t^*[]$$

- **... to semantics : iterated forcing**

- Two realizability algebras \mathcal{A} and \mathcal{A}^* related by

$$(c, p) \Vdash_{\mathcal{A}^*} A \quad \text{iff} \quad c \Vdash_{\mathcal{A}} (p \text{ IF } A)$$

- Two adequacy lemmas (real/forcing) as instances of the general lemma of adequacy

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Conclusion

Underlying methodology

Translation of
formulas & proofs



Classical program
transformation



New abstract machine
(no transformation)

- This methodology applies to the forcing translation (Cohen)
 - Computational meaning of the underlying program transformation
 - A new abstract machine: the KFAM
 - Reminiscent from well-known tricks of computer architecture (protection rings, virtualization, monitoring...)
- New insights in logic:
 - Logical meaning of explicit environments
 - Logical meaning of a particular side effect
 - Backtrack defines the limit between the stack and the memory

Related and future work

- How this computation model works in practical cases of forcing?
 - ↪ Need to take into account the **generic set** G
 - Particular case when $C[p]$ is a data type:
Lionel Rieg: Herbrand theorem by forcing (PhD thesis) [2014]
 - Variations on the same theme, in a linear setting:
Aloïs Brunel: *The Monitoring Power of Forcing* (PhD) [2014]
 - Formalization of the generic set in $PA\omega^+$ (general case):
Pierre Pradic (Master 2 thesis) [2015]
- Does the same methodology apply to other logical translations?
 - Pierre-Marie Pédro: *A Materialist Dialectica* (PhD) [2015]
- Use this methodology the other way around!
 - Deduce new logical translations from computation models borrowed to computer architecture, operating systems...
- Towards an integration of side effects into the CH correspondence?