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Extension (2): List Reversals

*rec' ~~is~~ foldl  
(in a x → x', a)*

Sometimes, the ordering of lists or arguments is reversed:

```

rev'      = fun a → fun l →
            match l with [] → a
            | x::xs → rev' (x::a) xs
rev       = rev' []
comp rev rev = id
swap      = fun f → fun x → fun y → f y x
comp swap swap = id

```

Then we have:

```

comp (map f) (tabulate g) = tabulate (comp f g)
comp (foldl f a) (tabulate g) = loop (comp2 f g) a

```

where

```

loop' = fun j → fun f → fun a → fun n →
        if j ≥ n then a
        else loop' (j + 1) f (f a j) n
loop  = loop' 0

```

```

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### Extension (3): Dependencies on the Index

- Correctness is proven by induction on the lengths of occurring lists.
- Similar composition results also hold for transformations which take the current indices into account:

```

mapi' = fun i → fun f → fun l → match l with [] → []
      | x::xs → f i x :: mapi' (i+1) f xs
mapi  = mapi' 0
  
```

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```

comp_i = fun f → fun g → fun i → fun x → f i (g i x)

comp_i1 = fun f → fun g → fun i → fun x1 → fun x2 →
          f i (g i x1) x2

comp_i2 = fun f → fun g → fun i → fun x1 → fun x2 →
          f i x1 (g i x2)

cmp1 = fun f → fun g → fun i → fun x1 → fun x2 →
       f i x1 (g x2)

cmp2 = fun f → fun g → fun i → fun x1 → fun x2 →
       f x1 (g i x2)
  
```

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Analogously, there is index-dependent accumulation:

```

foldli' = fun i → fun f → fun a → fun l →
          match l with [] → a
          | x::xs → foldli' (i+1) f (f i a x) xs
foldli  = foldli' 0
  
```

For composition, we must take care that always the same indices are used. This is achieved by:

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Then

```

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comp (map f) (mapi g)     = mapi (comp f g)
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comp (foldl f a) (map g)  = foldli (comp1 f g) a
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## Example

```
type tree α = Leaf | Node α (tree α) (tree α)
map         = fun f → fun t → match t with Leaf → Leaf
           | Node x l r → let l' = map f l
                           r' = map f r
                           in Node (f x) l' r'

foldl      = fun f → fun a → fun t → match t with Leaf → a
           | Node x l r → let a' = foldl f a l
                           in foldl f (f a' x) r
```

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## Caveat

Not every natural equation is valid:

```
comp to_list from_list = id
comp from_list to_list ≠ id
comp to_list (map f)   = comp (map f) to_list
comp from_list (map f) = comp (map f) from_list
comp (foldl f a) to_list = foldl f a
comp (foldl f a) from_list = foldl f a
```

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```
to_list' = fun a → fun t → match t with Leaf → a
         | Node x t1 t2 → let a' = to_list' a t2
                             in to_list' (x :: a') t1
```

```
to_list = to_list' []
```

```
from_list = fun l → match l
            with [] → Leaf
            | x :: xs → Node x Leaf (from_list xs)
```



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In this case, there is even a `rev`:

```
rev = fun t →
  match t with Leaf → Leaf
  | Node x t1 t2 → let s1 = rev t1
                    s2 = rev t2
                    in Node x s2 s1
```

```
comp to_list rev = comp rev to_list
comp from_list rev ≠ comp rev from_list
```

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## Example

```
from = fun n → n :: from (n + 1)
```

```
take = fun k → fun s → if k ≤ 0 then []
                       else match s with [] → []
                              | x :: xs → x :: take (k - 1) xs
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```
fac2 = fun x → fun a → if x ≤ 0 then a
                        else fac2 (x - 1) (a · x)
```

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## Discussion

- The multiplications are collected in the accumulating parameter through nested closures.
- Only when the value of a call `fac2 x 1` is accessed, this dynamic data structure is evaluated.
- Instead, the accumulating parameter should have been passed directly by-value !!!
- This is the goal of the following optimization ...

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 &\quad \mid \text{let } r_1 = e_1 \text{ in } e \\
 r &::= x \mid \#x \\
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 p &::= \text{letrec and } d_1 \dots \text{ and } d_n \text{ in } e
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## Idea

- Describe a  $k$ -ary function

$$f : \text{int} \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow \text{int}$$

by a function

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- 0 means: evaluation does definitely not terminate.
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$\implies$   $f$  is strict.

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## Auxiliary Function

$$\begin{aligned}
 \llbracket e \rrbracket^\# &: (\text{Vars} \rightarrow \mathbb{B}) \rightarrow \mathbb{B} \\
 \llbracket c \rrbracket^\# \rho &= 1 \\
 \llbracket x \rrbracket^\# \rho &= \rho x \\
 \llbracket \square_1 e \rrbracket^\# \rho &= \llbracket e \rrbracket^\# \rho \\
 \llbracket e_1 \square_2 e_2 \rrbracket^\# \rho &= \llbracket e_1 \rrbracket^\# \rho \wedge \llbracket e_2 \rrbracket^\# \rho \\
 \llbracket \text{if } e_0 \text{ then } e_1 \text{ else } e_2 \rrbracket^\# \rho &= \llbracket e_0 \rrbracket^\# \rho \wedge (\llbracket e_1 \rrbracket^\# \rho \vee \llbracket e_2 \rrbracket^\# \rho) \\
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## Example

For `fac2`, we obtain:

$$\begin{aligned}
 [\text{fac2}]^\# b_1 b_2 & = b_1 \wedge (b_2 \vee \\
 & \quad [\text{fac2}]^\# b_1 (b_1 \wedge b_2))
 \end{aligned}$$

Fixpoint iteration yields:

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1	<code>fun x → fun a → x ∧ a</code>
2	<code>fun x → fun a → x ∧ a</code>

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$$\begin{aligned}
 [\text{let } x_1 = e_1 \text{ in } e]^\# \rho & = [e]^\# (\rho \oplus \{x_1 \mapsto [e_1]^\# \rho\}) \\
 [\text{let } \#x_1 = e_1 \text{ in } e]^\# \rho & = ([e_1]^\# \rho) \wedge ([e]^\# (\rho \oplus \{x_1 \mapsto 1\}))
 \end{aligned}$$

## System of Equations

$$[f_i]^\# b_1 \dots b_k = [e_i]^\# \{x_j \mapsto b_j \mid j = 1, \dots, k\}, \quad i = 1, \dots, n, b_1, \dots, b_k \in \mathbb{B}$$

- The unknowns of the system of equations are the functions  $[f_i]^\#$  of the individual entries  $[f_i]^\# b_1 \dots b_k$  in the value table.
- All right-hand sides are **monotonic!**
- Consequently, there is a least solution.
- The complete lattice  $\mathbb{B} \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow \mathbb{B}$  has height  $\mathcal{O}(2^k)$ .

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$$x \wedge (a \vee [f](x)) \text{ (KR)}$$

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## Correctness of the Analysis

- The system of equations is an abstract **denotational** semantics.
- The denotational semantics characterizes the meaning of functions as least solution of the corresponding equations for the concrete semantics.
- For values, the denotational semantics relies on the **complete** partial ordering  $\mathbb{Z}_\perp$ .
- For complete partial orderings, **Kleene's** fixpoint theorem is applicable.
- As description relation  $\Delta$  we use:

$$\perp \Delta 0 \text{ and } z \Delta 1 \text{ for } z \in \mathbb{Z}_\perp$$

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## We conclude:

- The function `fac2` is strict in both arguments, i.e., if evaluation terminates, then also the evaluation of its arguments.
- Accordingly, we transform:

```
fac2 = fun x → fun a → if x ≤ 0 then a
                        else let # x' = x - 1
                                # a' = x · a
                        in fac2 x' a'
```

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## Extension: Data Structures

- Functions may vary in the parts which they require from a data structure ...

```
hd = fun l → match l with x::xs → x
```

- `hd` only accesses the first element of a list.
- `length` only accesses the backbone of its argument.
- `rev` forces the evaluation of the complete argument — given that the result is required completely ...

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## Extension of the Syntax

We additionally consider expression of the form:

$$e ::= \dots \mid \boxed{[] \mid e_1 :: e_2} \boxed{\text{match } e_0 \text{ with } [] \rightarrow e_1 \mid x :: xs \rightarrow e_2}$$
$$\mid \boxed{(e_1, e_2)} \boxed{\text{match } e_0 \text{ with } (x_1, x_2) \rightarrow e_1}$$

## Top Strictness

- We assume that the program is well-typed.
- We are only interested in top constructors.
- Again, we model this property with (monotonic) Boolean functions.
- For **int**-values, this coincides with strictness.
- We extend  $\llbracket e \rrbracket^\sharp \rho$  with rules for case-distinction ...