

Dualité du calcul et interprétations en terme de jeux

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Quelques repères et questions

Symétrie du calcul des séquents

- ↔ dualité termes/contextes d'évaluation
- ↔ la règle de coupure forme une paire critique

Modèles d'évaluation (élimination des coupures) basés sur la substitution

- ↔ deux manières asymétriques de résoudre la paire critique : appel par nom et appel par valeur

Peut-on mettre au point des modèles d'évaluation symétriques ?

↔ quels sont les calculs sous-jacents aux interprétations catégoriques symétriques de Došen, Lamarche et Straßburger, Straßburger, Pym et Führmann ?

Les stratégies des modèles en termes de jeux : des preuves sans coupure dans un calcul des séquents approprié

- coup d'Éloïse (le joueur principal, le proposant) = règle d'introduction de connecteur positif
- coup d'Abélard (l'opposant) = règle d'introduction de connecteur négatif
- interaction entre joueurs = élimination de tête des coupures (asymétrique)
- peut-on voir toute preuve sans coupure de tout calcul des séquents comme une stratégie ?
- peut-on imaginer une interaction qui respecte la symétrie ?

L'approche du système $\mu\tilde{\mu}$

- two axioms

- no contraction : simulated by cuts with the axioms

- three kinds of sequents $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{terms : distinguished formula on the right} \\ \text{ev. contexts : distinguished formula on the left} \\ \text{commands : no distinguished formula} \end{array} \right.$

$$\frac{}{\Gamma, x : A \vdash x : A; \Delta} Ax_R \quad \frac{}{\Gamma; \alpha : A \vdash \alpha : A, \Delta} Ax_L$$

$$\frac{c : (\Gamma \vdash \alpha : A, \Delta)}{\Gamma \vdash \mu\alpha.c : A; \Delta} \mu \quad \frac{c : (\Gamma, x : A \vdash \Delta)}{\Gamma; \tilde{\mu}x.c : A \vdash \Delta} \tilde{\mu}$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash v : A; \Delta \quad \Gamma; e : A \vdash \Delta}{\langle v \| e \rangle : (\Gamma \vdash \Delta)} Cut$$

Typing extensions (e.g. implication connective)

$$\frac{\Gamma, x : A \vdash v : B; \Delta}{\Gamma \vdash \lambda x.v : A \rightarrow B; \Delta} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash v : A; \Delta \quad \Gamma; e : B \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma; v \cdot e : A \rightarrow B \vdash \Delta}$$

Typing the $\mu\tilde{\mu}$ -subsystem (sequent calculus in context-free form)

Thanks to the absence of contraction, sequent calculus proofs can be represented *à la* natural deduction

$$\frac{[A \vdash] \quad \vdots \quad \vdash}{\vdash A} \mu \qquad \frac{[\vdash A] \quad \vdots \quad \vdash}{A \vdash} \tilde{\mu}$$

$$\frac{\vdash A \quad A \vdash}{\vdash} \textit{Cut}$$

$$\frac{[\vdash A] \quad \vdots \quad \vdash B}{\vdash A \rightarrow B} \rightarrow_R \qquad \frac{\vdash A \quad B \vdash}{A \rightarrow B \vdash} \rightarrow_L$$

The $\mu\tilde{\mu}$ -subsystem (the critical dilemma of computation)

Syntax

Commands $c ::= \langle v \| e \rangle$
Terms $v ::= \mu\alpha.c \mid x \mid \dots$
Evaluation contexts $e ::= \tilde{\mu}x.c \mid \alpha \mid \dots$

Semantics

(μ) $\langle \mu\alpha.c \| e \rangle \rightarrow c[\alpha \leftarrow e]$
 $(\tilde{\mu})$ $\langle v \| \tilde{\mu}x.c \rangle \rightarrow c[x \leftarrow v]$

The critical pair

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & \langle \mu\alpha.c \| \tilde{\mu}x.c' \rangle & \\ \swarrow (\mu) & & \searrow (\tilde{\mu}) \\ c[\alpha \leftarrow \tilde{\mu}x.c'] & & c'[x \leftarrow \mu\alpha.c] \end{array}$$

The $\mu\tilde{\mu}$ -subsystem

(the critical dilemma of computation)

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Commands	$c ::= \langle v \parallel e \rangle$
Terms	$v ::= \mu\alpha.c \mid x \mid \dots$
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Semantics

(μ)	$\langle \mu\alpha.c \parallel e \rangle$	\rightarrow	$c[\alpha \leftarrow e]$
$(\tilde{\mu})$	$\langle v \parallel \tilde{\mu}x.c \rangle$	\rightarrow	$c[x \leftarrow v]$

The critical pair

call-by-value	$\langle \mu\alpha.c \parallel \tilde{\mu}x.c' \rangle$	call-by-name
\swarrow	(μ)	$(\tilde{\mu}) \searrow$
$c[\alpha \leftarrow \tilde{\mu}x.c']$		$c'[x \leftarrow \mu\alpha.c]$

The $\mu\tilde{\mu}$ -subsystem

(the call-by-name confluent restriction)

Syntax

Commands	$c ::= \langle v \parallel e \rangle$
Terms	$v ::= \mu\alpha.c \mid x \mid \dots$
Evaluation contexts	$e ::= \tilde{\mu}x.c \mid E$
Linear ev. contexts	$E ::= \alpha \mid \dots$

Semantics

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 (\mu_n) & \langle \mu\alpha.c \parallel E \rangle \rightarrow c[\alpha \leftarrow E] \\
 (\tilde{\mu}) & \langle v \parallel \tilde{\mu}x.c \rangle \rightarrow c[x \leftarrow v]
 \end{array}$$

The solved critical pair

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \langle \mu\alpha.c \parallel \tilde{\mu}x.c' \rangle \\
 \begin{array}{l}
 \text{call-by-name} \\
 (\tilde{\mu}) \searrow \\
 c'[x \leftarrow \mu\alpha.c]
 \end{array}
 \end{array}$$

The $\mu\tilde{\mu}$ -subsystem

(the call-by-value confluent restriction)

Syntax

Commands	$c ::= \langle v \ e \rangle$
Terms	$v ::= \mu\alpha.c \mid V$
Evaluation contexts	$e ::= \tilde{\mu}x.c \mid \alpha \mid \dots$
Values	$V ::= x \mid \dots$

Semantics

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 (\mu) & \langle \mu\alpha.c \| e \rangle \rightarrow c[\alpha \leftarrow e] \\
 (\tilde{\mu}_v) & \langle V \| \tilde{\mu}x.c \rangle \rightarrow c[x \leftarrow V]
 \end{array}$$

The solved critical pair

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \text{call-by-value} \quad \langle \mu\alpha.c \| \tilde{\mu}x.c' \rangle \\
 \swarrow (\mu) \\
 c[\alpha \leftarrow \tilde{\mu}x.c']
 \end{array}$$

The $\mu\tilde{\mu}$ -subsystem

(two confluent dual asymmetric restrictions)

$\mu_n\tilde{\mu}$ -subsystem

Commands	$c ::= \langle v \ e \rangle$
Terms	$v ::= \mu\alpha.c \mid x \mid \dots$
Linear ev. contexts	$E ::= \alpha \mid \dots$
Evaluation contexts	$e ::= \tilde{\mu}x.c \mid E$

(μ_n)	$\langle \mu\alpha.c \ E \rangle \rightarrow c[\alpha \leftarrow E]$
$(\tilde{\mu})$	$\langle v \ \tilde{\mu}x.c \rangle \rightarrow c[x \leftarrow v]$

$\mu\tilde{\mu}_v$ -subsystem

Commands	$c ::= \langle v \ e \rangle$
Linear terms (= values)	$V ::= x \mid \dots$
Terms	$v ::= \mu\alpha.c \mid V$
Evaluation contexts	$e ::= \tilde{\mu}x.c \mid \alpha \mid \dots$

(μ)	$\langle \mu\alpha.c \ e \rangle \rightarrow c[\alpha \leftarrow e]$
$(\tilde{\mu}_v)$	$\langle V \ \tilde{\mu}x.c \rangle \rightarrow c[x \leftarrow V]$

Les E-dialogues de Lorenzen, d'après Felscher (formes normales, logique classique)

Le calcul des E-dialogues de Lorenzen coïncide, dans le cas classique, avec LK^Q équipé avec les connecteurs négatifs \rightarrow , \wedge_a et \vee_m .

Deux types de séquents : $\Gamma \vdash N; \Delta$ et $\Gamma \vdash; \Delta$

Interprétation possible en logique linéaire : $!\Gamma \vdash N; ?!\Delta$ et $!\Gamma \vdash; ?!\Delta$

$$\frac{\Gamma, A \vdash A; \Delta}{\Gamma, A \vdash; A, \Delta} Ax$$

$$\overline{\Gamma, A \vdash A; \Delta} Ax \text{ si } A \text{ est atomique}$$

$$\frac{\Gamma, A \rightarrow B \vdash A; \Delta \quad \Gamma, A \rightarrow B, B \vdash; \Delta}{\Gamma, A \rightarrow B \vdash; \Delta} \rightarrow_g$$

$$\frac{\Gamma, A \vdash; B}{\Gamma \vdash A \rightarrow B; \Delta} \rightarrow_d$$

$$\frac{\Gamma, A \wedge B, A \vdash; \Delta}{\Gamma, A \wedge B \vdash; \Delta} \wedge_g^1$$

$$\frac{\Gamma, A \wedge B, B \vdash; \Delta}{\Gamma, A \wedge B \vdash; \Delta} \wedge_g^2$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash; A \quad \Gamma \vdash; B}{\Gamma \vdash A \wedge B; \Delta} \wedge_d$$

$$\frac{\Gamma, A \vee B, A \vdash; C, \Delta \quad \Gamma, A \vee B, B \vdash; C, \Delta}{\Gamma, A \vee B \vdash; C, \Delta} \vee_g$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash; A, B}{\Gamma \vdash A \vee B; \Delta} \vee_d$$

Les E-dialogues de Lorenzen, d'après Felscher

(formes normales annotées)

$$\frac{\Gamma, A \vdash V : A; \Delta}{\langle V \parallel \alpha \rangle : (\Gamma, A \vdash; \alpha : A, \Delta)} Ax$$

$$\frac{}{\Gamma, x : A \vdash x : A; \Delta} Ax \text{ si } A \text{ est atomique}$$

$$\frac{\Gamma, z : A \rightarrow B \vdash V : A; \Delta \quad c : (\Gamma, z : A \rightarrow B, y : B \vdash; \Delta)}{\langle z \parallel V \cdot \tilde{\mu}y.c \rangle : (\Gamma, z : A \rightarrow B \vdash; \Delta)} \rightarrow_g \quad \frac{c : (\Gamma, x : A \vdash; \beta : B)}{\Gamma \vdash \lambda x. \mu\beta.c : A \rightarrow B; \Delta} \rightarrow_d$$

$$\frac{c : (\Gamma, z : A \wedge B, x : A \vdash; \Delta)}{\langle z \parallel \pi_1[\tilde{\mu}x.c] \rangle : (\Gamma, z : A \wedge B \vdash; \Delta)} \wedge_g^1 \quad \frac{c : (\Gamma, z : A \wedge B, y : B \vdash; \Delta)}{\langle z \parallel \pi_2[\tilde{\mu}y.c] \rangle : (\Gamma, z : A \wedge B \vdash; \Delta)} \wedge_g^2 \quad \frac{c : (\Gamma \vdash; \alpha : A) \quad c' : (\Gamma \vdash; \beta : B)}{\Gamma \vdash (\mu\alpha.c, \mu\beta.c') : A \wedge B; \Delta} \wedge_d$$

$$\frac{c : (\Gamma, z : A \vee B, x : A \vdash; C, \Delta) \quad c' : (\Gamma, z : A \vee B, y : B \vdash; C, \Delta)}{\langle z \parallel [\tilde{\mu}x.c, \tilde{\mu}y.c'] \rangle : \Gamma, z : A \vee B \vdash; C, \Delta} \vee_g \quad \frac{c : (\Gamma \vdash; \alpha : A, \beta : B)}{\Gamma \vdash \mu(\alpha, \beta).c : A \vee B; \Delta} \vee_d$$

$c ::= \langle x \ E \rangle \mid \langle V \ \alpha \rangle$	choix formule introduite	$c ::= \left[\frac{x}{V} \mid \right]_E^\alpha$
$V ::= x \mid \lambda x. \mu \beta. c \mid (\mu \alpha_1. c, \mu \alpha_2. c) \mid \mu(\alpha_1, \alpha_2). c$	intro droite de négatif	$V ::= A \rightarrow B \mid A \wedge B \mid A \vee B$
$E ::= V \cdot \tilde{\mu} y. c \mid \pi_1[\tilde{\mu} x_1. c] \mid \pi_2[\tilde{\mu} x_2. c] \mid [\tilde{\mu} x_1. c, \tilde{\mu} x_2. c]$	intro gauche de négatif	$E ::= V \mid \wedge_1 \mid \wedge_2 \mid \vee$

Les E-dialogues de Lorenzen, d'après Felscher (interaction)

Règles de coupure

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash A; \Delta \quad \Gamma, A \vdash; \Delta}{\Gamma \vdash; \Delta} \text{Coupe(hyp)} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash; A, \Delta \quad \Gamma, A \vdash; \Delta}{\Gamma \vdash; \Delta} \text{Coupe(concl)}$$

Syntaxe enrichie (coupure = substitutions explicites)

$$c ::= c[\sigma] \\ [\sigma] ::= [] \mid [x := V[\sigma]; \sigma] \mid [\alpha := \tilde{\mu}x.c[\sigma]; \sigma]$$

Règles d'élimination des coupures de tête (interaction)

$$\begin{array}{lll} \langle x \parallel V \cdot \tilde{\mu}y.c \rangle [\sigma] & \rightarrow c'[x' := V[\sigma]; \alpha' := \tilde{\mu}y.c[\sigma]; \tau] & \sigma(x) \text{ est } \lambda x'. \mu \alpha'. c'[\tau] \\ \langle x \parallel \pi_1[\tilde{\mu}x_1.c_1] \rangle [\sigma] & \rightarrow c'_1[\alpha'_1 := \tilde{\mu}x_1.c_1[\sigma]; \tau] & \sigma(x) \text{ est } (\mu \alpha'_1.c'_1, \mu \alpha'_2.c'_2)[\tau] \\ \langle x \parallel \pi_2[\tilde{\mu}x_2.c_2] \rangle [\sigma] & \rightarrow c'_2[\alpha'_2 := \tilde{\mu}x_2.c_2[\sigma]; \tau] & \sigma(x) \text{ est } (\mu \alpha'_1.c'_1, \mu \alpha'_2.c'_2)[\tau] \\ \langle x \parallel [\tilde{\mu}x_1.c_1, \tilde{\mu}x_2.c_2] \rangle & \rightarrow c'[\alpha'_1 := \tilde{\mu}x_1.c_1[\sigma]; \alpha'_2 := \tilde{\mu}x_2.c_2[\sigma]; \tau] & \sigma(x) \text{ est } \mu(\alpha'_1, \alpha'_2).c'[\tau] \\ \langle V \parallel \alpha \rangle [\sigma] & \rightarrow c'[x' := V[\sigma]; \tau] & \sigma(\alpha) \text{ est } \tilde{\mu}x'. c'[\tau] \end{array}$$

+ règles pour le cas où V est x et le cas où $\sigma(x)$ ou $\sigma(\alpha)$ n'est pas défini.

Remarque : il y a alternance entre le monde de c, x, α, σ et celui de c', x', α', τ .

Simply-typed $\mu_n \tilde{\mu}^{\rightarrow \mathbb{N}}$ -system (μPCF)
(Herbelin [1997], Laird [1997])

$N \rightarrow N$ interpreted as $?N^\perp \wp N$
 \mathbb{N} interpreted as $? \oplus_n 1$
maximal $\eta_{\rightarrow n}$ -expansion
maximal η_μ -expansion of atoms

$$c ::= \langle x_i^j \| v_1 \dots v_p \cdot [\mathbf{n} \mapsto c_n] \rangle \mid \langle \mathbf{n} \| \alpha_i \rangle$$

where $v ::= \lambda x_1 \dots x_n. \mu \alpha. c$

$$c ::= \begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{ccc} & \binom{j}{i} & \\ \swarrow & & \searrow \\ \lfloor 0 & \dots & \rfloor_0^p \end{array} \mid \lfloor \rfloor_i^n \\ \text{Initial state} \\ \langle x \mid \overbrace{v_1 \dots v_p \cdot [\mathbf{n} \mapsto c_n]}^{\text{Opponent}} \rangle \quad [x \leftarrow \overbrace{v}^{\text{Player}}] \end{array}$$

Interaction rules

$$\begin{array}{l} (\rightarrow \mu_n) \quad \langle x_i^j \| \vec{v} \cdot [\mathbf{n} \mapsto c_n] \rangle \quad [\sigma] \rightarrow c \quad [\vec{x} \leftarrow \vec{v}; \alpha \leftarrow [\mathbf{n} \mapsto c_n]; \sigma'] \\ (\mathbb{N}) \quad \langle \mathbf{n} \| \alpha_i \rangle \quad [\sigma] \rightarrow c_n \quad [\sigma'] \\ \sigma(x_i^j) = (\lambda \vec{x}. \mu \alpha. c)[\sigma'] \quad \sigma(\alpha_i) = ([\mathbf{n} \mapsto c_n])[\sigma'] \end{array}$$

Simply-typed $\mu \tilde{\mu}_v^{\rightarrow \mathbb{N}}$ -system (μPCF_v)
(Abramsky-McCusker [1997], Honda-Yoshida [1997], Laird [1998])

$P \rightarrow P$ interpreted as $P^\perp \wp! P$
 \mathbb{N} interpreted as $? \oplus_n 1$
maximal $\eta_{\rightarrow v}$ -expansion and $\eta_{\tilde{\mu}}$ -expansion
needs new constructions $\llbracket \mathbf{n}. v_n$ and $\mathbf{n} \cdot e$

$$c ::= \langle x_i \| V_\lambda \cdot e \rangle \mid \langle x_i \| \mathbf{n} \cdot e \rangle \mid \langle V_\lambda \| \alpha_i \rangle \mid \langle \mathbf{n} \| \alpha_i \rangle$$

where $V_\lambda ::= \lambda x. \mu \alpha. c \mid \llbracket \mathbf{n}. \mu \alpha. c_n$
 $e ::= \tilde{\mu} x. c \mid [\mathbf{n} \mapsto c_n]$

$$c ::= \begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{ccc} & \binom{\lambda}{i} & \\ \swarrow & & \searrow \\ \lfloor V & & \rfloor_0^V \end{array} \mid \begin{array}{c} \binom{n}{i} \\ \downarrow \\ \rfloor_0^V \end{array} \mid \lfloor \rfloor_i^\lambda \mid \lfloor \rfloor_i^n \\ \text{Initial states} \\ \langle \overbrace{\mathbf{n}}^{\text{Player}} \| \alpha \rangle \quad \langle \alpha \leftarrow \overbrace{[\mathbf{n} \mapsto c_n]}^{\text{Opponent}} \rangle \\ \langle \lambda x. \mu \alpha. c \| \alpha \rangle \quad \langle \alpha \leftarrow V_\lambda \cdot e \rangle \\ \langle \llbracket \mathbf{n}. \mu \alpha. c_n \| \alpha \rangle \quad \langle \alpha \leftarrow \mathbf{n} \cdot e \rangle \end{array}$$

Interaction rules

$$\begin{array}{l} (\rightarrow \mu) \quad \langle x_i \| V_\lambda \cdot e \rangle \quad [\sigma] \rightarrow c \quad [x \leftarrow V_\lambda; \alpha \leftarrow e; \sigma'] \\ (\rightarrow^{\mathbb{N}} \mu) \quad \langle x_i' \| \mathbf{n} \cdot e \rangle \quad [\sigma] \rightarrow c_n \quad [\alpha \leftarrow e; \sigma'] \\ (\tilde{\mu}_v) \quad \langle V_\lambda \| \alpha_i \rangle \quad [\sigma] \rightarrow c \quad [x \leftarrow V_\lambda; \sigma'] \\ (\mathbb{N}) \quad \langle \mathbf{n} \| \alpha_i' \rangle \quad [\sigma] \rightarrow c_n \quad [\sigma'] \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \sigma(x_i) = (\lambda x. \mu \alpha. c)[\sigma'] \quad \sigma(\alpha_i) = (\tilde{\mu} x. c)[\sigma'] \\ \sigma(x_i') = (\llbracket \mathbf{n}. \mu \alpha. c_n \| \sigma') \quad \sigma(\alpha_i') = ([\mathbf{n} \mapsto c_n])[\sigma'] \end{array}$$

A general, purely computational, definition of connective

A connective is the pair of a family of finite sequences of signs (standing for a family of constructors and the signs telling if the arguments are terms or evaluation contexts) and of a sign (telling if the connective “constructs” a term or an evaluation term). Here are examples :

conjunctive connectives :	$\bigwedge_m \{++\}+$	$\bigwedge_a \{\dot{-}, \dot{-}\}-$		
subtractive connectives :	$\setminus \{+\dot{-}\}+$	$\setminus' \{+-\}+$	$\diagup \{\dot{-}+\}+$	$\diagup' \{-+\}+$
disjunctive connectives :	$\bigvee_m \{--\}-$	$\bigvee_a \{\dot{+}, \dot{+}\}+$	$\bigvee_m^R \{-\dot{-}\}-$	$\bigvee_m^L \{\dot{-}-\}-$
implication connectives :	$\rightarrow \{+\dot{-}\}-$	$\rightarrow' \{+-\}-$	$\leftarrow \{\dot{-}+\}-$	$\leftarrow' \{-+\}-$
true connective :	$\top_a \{ \}+$	$\top_m \{ \epsilon \}-$	ϵ denotes the empty sequence	
false connective :	$\perp_m \{ \epsilon \}-$	$\perp_a \{ \}-$	ϵ denotes the empty sequence	
identity :	$\neg \{\dot{+}\}+$		whose constructors are isomorphic to those of $\{\dot{-}\}-$	
negation :	$\neg \{\dot{-}\}+$		whose constructors are isomorphic to those of $\{\dot{+}\}-$	
negating conjunctions :	$\bar{\bigvee}_m \{++\}-$	$\bar{\bigvee}_a \{\dot{-}, \dot{-}\}+$		
negated disjunctions :	$\bar{\bigwedge}_m \{--\}+$	$\bar{\bigwedge}_a \{\dot{+}, \dot{+}\}-$		
quantifiers :	$\exists \{\dot{+}\}_i+$	$\forall \{\dot{-}\}_i-$	where i ranges over some domain of terms	
negating quantifiers :	$\exists \neg \{\dot{-}\}_i+$	$\forall \neg \{\dot{+}\}_i-$	where i ranges over some domain of terms	
ludic's pos. connective :	$\bigoplus_{I \subset_{\text{fin}} \mathbb{N}} \bigotimes_I \overbrace{\{+\dots+\}}^{n \text{ times}}_{\{i_1, \dots, i_n\}}+$		where $\{i_1, \dots, i_n\}$ ranges over finite subsets of \mathbb{N}	
ludic's neg. connective :	$\big\&_{I \subset_{\text{fin}} \mathbb{N}} \big\wp_I \overbrace{\{-\dots-\}}^{n \text{ times}}_{\{i_1, \dots, i_n\}}-$		where $\{i_1, \dots, i_n\}$ ranges over finite subsets of \mathbb{N}	
ludic's modified p. conn. :	$\bigoplus_{n,j \in \mathbb{N}} \bigotimes_{[1;n]} \overbrace{\{+\dots+\}}^{n \text{ times}}_{n,j}+$		which differs only in that the component \bigotimes_{\emptyset} in	
ludic's modified n. conn. :	$\big\&_{n,j \in \mathbb{N}} \big\wp_{[1;n]} \overbrace{\{-\dots-\}}^{n \text{ times}}_{n,j}-$		$\bigoplus_{I \subset_{\text{fin}} \mathbb{N}} \bigotimes_I$ has now arbitrary many instances	

Ludics syntax (a slight generalization, syntax)

Cut-free syntax

Commands	$c ::= \langle x \parallel n \ p \ V_1 \dots V_n \rangle \mid \Omega \mid \dagger$
Terms	$V ::= \lambda n. \lambda p. \lambda x_1 \dots x_n. c$

“Dessein” = x ’s occur linearly and p branching is degenerated when $n = 0$ (since there is only one empty subset while there are infinitely many finite subset of non-zero cardinal – p is the index of a subset in an enumeration of finite subsets of cardinal n)

Remark : To avoid variable captures, names are made of sequences of integers. In $\langle x \parallel n \ p \ V_1 \dots V_n \rangle$, if V_i is $\lambda n. \lambda p. \lambda x_1 \dots x_n. c_p^n$ then x_j is the concatenation of j to the name x .

Remark : The generalization allows for instance to represent $true := \langle x \parallel 0 \ 0 \rangle : 1 \oplus 1$ and $false := \langle x \parallel 0 \ 1 \rangle : 1 \oplus 1$ (where x is the name of the formula $1 \oplus 1$).

Remark : one could also have used the abbreviation $E ::= n \ p \ V_1 \dots V_n$ and $c ::= \langle x \parallel E \rangle$ to make a closer relation with the syntax used for E-dialogues.

Ludics syntax

(a slight generalization, semantics)

Syntax with cuts

Commands	c	$::= \langle x \parallel n \ p \ V_1 \dots V_n \rangle \mid \Omega \mid \dagger \mid c[\sigma]$
Terms	V	$::= \lambda n. \lambda p. \lambda x_1 \dots x_n. c$
Substitutions	$[\sigma]$	$::= [] \mid [x := V[\sigma]; \sigma]$

Semantics

Weak-head cut-elimination :

$\langle x \parallel n \ p \ V_1 \dots V_n \rangle[\sigma]$	$\rightarrow c_p^n[x_1 := V_1[\sigma]; \dots; x_n := V_n[\sigma]; \tau]$	if $\sigma(x)$ is $\lambda n. \lambda p. \lambda x_1 \dots x_n. c_p^n[\tau]$
$\Omega[\sigma]$	$\rightarrow \Omega$	failure
$\dagger[\sigma]$	$\rightarrow \dagger$	final step

Strong reduction (weak-head cut-elimination below constructors) :

$$\langle x \parallel n \ p \ V_1 \dots V_n \rangle[\sigma] \rightarrow \langle x \parallel n \ p \ V'_1 \dots V'_n \rangle \quad \text{if } x \text{ not bound in } \sigma$$

where V_i is $\lambda n. \lambda p. \lambda x_1 \dots x_n. c_{np}$ and $c_{np}[\sigma] \rightarrow c'_{np}$ and V'_i is $\lambda n. \lambda p. \lambda x_1 \dots x_n. c'_{np}$

Ludics as a sequent calculus

(a slight generalization, typing)

Types

$$N ::= \&_{I \in \mathcal{I}} \wp_{i \in I} N_{I_i}^\perp \quad \text{where } \mathcal{I} \subset \mathcal{P}_{fin}(\mathbb{N})$$

Typing

$$\frac{\Delta \vdash V_1 : N_{I_0 i_1} \quad \dots \quad \Delta \vdash V_n : N_{I_0 i_n}}{\langle x \parallel n (\#_n I_0) V_1 \dots V_n \rangle : (\Delta, x : \&_{I \in \mathcal{I}} \wp_{i \in I} N_{I_i}^\perp) \quad I_0 = \{i_1 \dots i_n\}} \quad \frac{\forall I = \{i_1 \dots i_n\} \in \mathcal{I} \quad c_{\#_n I}^n : (\Delta, x_1 : N_{I_{i_1}}, \dots, x_n : N_{I_{i_n}} \vdash)}{\Delta \vdash \lambda n. \lambda p. \lambda x_1 \dots x_n. c_p^n : \&_{I \in \mathcal{I}} \wp_{i \in I} N_{I_i}^\perp} \quad \mathcal{I}}{\text{where } c_{\#_n I}^n \text{ is } \Omega \text{ if } I \notin \mathcal{I}}$$

$$\frac{\dots \quad \Delta \vdash V_i : N_i \quad \dots \quad c : (\Delta, x_1 : N_1, \dots, x_n : N_n \vdash)}{c[x_1 := V_1; \dots; x_n := V_n] : (\Delta \vdash)}$$

$$\overline{\dagger : (\vdash \Delta)}$$

$$\frac{\dots \quad \Delta \vdash V_i : N_i \quad \dots \quad \Delta, x_1 : N_1, \dots, x_n : N_n \vdash V : N}{\Delta \vdash V[x_1 := V_1; \dots; x_n := V_n] : N}$$

($\#_n I$ is the index of $I \in \mathbb{N}^n$ in an enumeration of \mathbb{N}^n)

Ludics as a $\mu\tilde{\mu}^{(\&\wp)}$ -calculus

Syntax

Commands	$c ::= \langle V \ e \rangle \mid \Omega \mid \dagger$
Terms	$V ::= x \mid \lambda n. \lambda p. \lambda x_1 \dots x_n. c$
Evaluation contexts	$e ::= n \ p \ V_1 \dots V_n \mid \tilde{\mu}x. c$

Semantics

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \lambda n. \lambda p. \lambda x_1 \dots x_n. c_p^n \| n \ p \ V_1 \dots V_n \rangle &\rightarrow c_p^n[V_1/x_1 \dots V_n/x_n] \\ \langle V \| \tilde{\mu}x. c \rangle &\rightarrow c[V/x] \end{aligned}$$

Typing

$$\frac{\Delta \vdash V_1 : N_{I_0 i_1} \ \dots \ \Delta \vdash V_n : N_{I_0 i_n}}{\Delta; n \ (\#_n I_0) \ V_1 \dots V_n : \&_{I \in \mathcal{I}} \wp_{i \in I} N_{I i}^\perp \quad I_0 = \{i_1 \dots i_n\}} \quad \frac{\forall I = \{i_1, \dots, i_n\} \in \mathcal{I} \quad c_{\#_n I}^n : (\Delta, x_1 : N_{I i_1}, \dots, x_n : N_{I i_n} \vdash)}{\Delta \vdash \lambda n. \lambda p. \lambda x_1 \dots x_n. c_p^n : \&_{I \in \mathcal{I}} \wp_{i \in I} N_{I i}^\perp \quad \mathcal{I}} \quad \text{where } c_{\#_n I}^n \text{ is } \Omega \text{ if } I \notin \mathcal{I}$$

$$\frac{c : (\Delta, x : N \vdash)}{\Delta; \tilde{\mu}x. c : N \vdash} \quad \frac{\Delta \vdash V : N \quad \Delta; e : N \vdash}{\langle V \| e \rangle : (\Delta \vdash)} \quad \frac{}{\Omega : (\vdash \Delta)} \quad \frac{}{\dagger : (\vdash \Delta)} \quad \frac{x : N \text{ in } \Delta}{\Delta \vdash x : N}$$

$(\#_n I \text{ is the index of } I \in \mathbb{N}^n \text{ in an enumeration of } \mathbb{N}^n)$