

Monads and Effects

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Monads and computational types:

- simple examples
- mathematical definitions

Metalanguages with computational types

Monadic approach to denotational semantics:

- CBN translation (for Haskell)
- CBV translation (for SML)
- PCF translation (for Algol)

Monad transformers and incremental approach:

- general methodology
- examples

Warning: computational types \neq monads

- Monad/Triple T mathematical notion (Category Theory)
monads arise in many contexts (e.g. algebraic theories)
Kleisli and Eilenberg-Moore: monads/comonads \iff adjunctions
- computational type/notion of computation T informal concept

$c \in TA \xrightleftharpoons{\Delta}$ “ c program computing values in A ”

$Y: (TA \rightarrow TA) \rightarrow TA$ recursive definitions of programs

thesis [Mog91]: notions of computation are (strong) monads

- * bulk/collection types T informal concept

$c \in TA \xrightleftharpoons{\Delta}$ “ c finite collection of elements of A ”

$0: TA$ empty collection and $+: TA \rightarrow TA \rightarrow TA$ merge of collections

thesis [BNTW95,Man98]: collection types are (strong) monads

Simple examples of notions of computation in sets (no recursive definitions of programs)

- **partiality** $TA = A_{\perp} \triangleq A + \{\perp\}$, \perp *diverging computation*
- **nondeterminism** $TA = \mathcal{P}_{fin}(A)$ set of finite subsets of A
- **side-effects** $TA = (A \times S)^S$, S is a set of states, e.g. U^L or U^*
- **exceptions** $TA = A + E$, E set of exceptions
- **continuations** $TA = R^{(R^A)}$, R set of results
- **interactive input** $TA = \mu X.A + X^U$, i.e. set of U -branching trees with A -labelled leaves, where $\mu X.\tau$ least solution to domain equation $X = \tau$
- **interactive output** $TA = \mu X.A + (U \times X) \cong U^* \times A$

Simple examples of notions of computation in cpos (allow recursive definitions of programs)

- **partiality** $TA = A_\perp$, i.e. *lifting*
- **nondeterminism** $TA = \text{powerdomain}$
- **side-effects** $TA = (A \times S)_\perp^S$
- **exceptions** $TA = (A + E)_\perp$
- **continuations** $TA = R^{(R^A)}$, R cpo with \perp
- **interactive input** $TA = \mu X.(A + X^U)_\perp$,
where $\mu X.\tau$ least solution to domain equation $X = \tau$
- **interactive output** $TA = \mu X.(A + (U \times X))_\perp$

More complex examples of notions of computation in sets

- $TA = ((A + E) \times S)^S$ imperative programs with exceptions
- $TA = ((A \times S) + E)^S$ imperative programs with exceptions
- $TA = \mu X. \mathcal{P}_{fin}(A + (U \times X))$ nondeterministic interactive programs,
related to synchronization trees up to strong bisimulation
- $TA = \mu X. \mathcal{P}_{fin}((A + X) \times S)^S$ parallel imperative programs,
related to resumptions and small-step operational semantics

Fix a category \mathcal{C} , e.g. the category of sets or cpos

$(T, \eta, -^*)$ **Kleisli triple/triple in extension form** $\triangleleft\triangleright$

$T: |\mathcal{C}| \rightarrow |\mathcal{C}|$, $\eta_A: A \rightarrow TA$ for $A \in |\mathcal{C}|$, $f^*: TA \rightarrow TB$ for $f: A \rightarrow TB$, s.t.

$$\begin{array}{c} A \xrightarrow{\eta_A} TA \\[-1ex] f \searrow \qquad \downarrow f^* \qquad \swarrow (f; g^*)^* \\[-1ex] TB \xrightarrow{g^*} TC \end{array}$$

- $\eta_A^* = \text{id}_{TA}$ and

Intuitive justification in terms of computational types:

- TA type of computations
- $a: A \xrightarrow{\eta_A} [a]: TA$ inclusion of values into computations
- $$\frac{a: A \xrightarrow{f} fa: TB}{c: TA \xrightarrow{f^*} \text{let } a \Leftarrow c \text{ in } fa: TB} \text{ extension of } f \text{ to computations}$$

Warning: the first choice to make is which category \mathcal{C} to use, e.g. to support recursive programs or recursive/polymorphic types.

Exercise: examples of notions of computation revised

Extend notions of computation given in sets/cpos to Kleisli triples, e.g.

- **nondeterminism** $TA = \mathcal{P}_{fin}(A)$
 $\eta_A(a) = \{a\}$ and $f^* c = \cup\{fx \mid x \in c\}$
variant $TA = A^*$ set of finite sequences of A
- **side-effects** $TA = (A \times S)^S$
 $\eta_A(a) = \lambda s: S. (a, s)$ and $f^* c = \lambda s: S. \text{let } (a, s') = c s \text{ in } f a s'$
- **exceptions** $TA = A + E$
 $\eta_A(a) = \text{inl } a$ and $f^* c = \begin{cases} \text{inr } e & \text{if } c = \text{inr } e \\ fa & \text{if } c = \text{inl } a \end{cases}$
- **continuations** $TA = R^{(R^A)}$
 $\eta_A(a) = \lambda k: R^A. ka$ and $f^* c = \lambda k: R^B. c(\lambda a: A. fa k)$
variant $TA = \forall R. R^{(R^A)}$ definable in 2nd-order λ -calculus

The Kleisli category \mathcal{C}_T of programs

- $|\mathcal{C}_T| \triangleq |\mathcal{C}|$
- $\mathcal{C}_T(A, B) \triangleq \mathcal{C}(A, TB)$, programs of type B parameterized w.r.t. A
- $f;_T g \triangleq f; g^*$, sequential composition of programs

$$\frac{x: A \xrightarrow{f} fx: TB \quad y: B \xrightarrow{g} gy: TC}{x: A \xrightarrow{f;g^*} \text{let } y \Leftarrow f x \text{ in } gy: TC}$$

Prop. Axioms for Kleisli triples amounts to say \mathcal{C}_T is a category

(T, η, μ) monad/triple in monoid form $\overset{\Delta}{\iff}$

$T: \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ functor, $\eta: \text{id}_{\mathcal{C}} \dot{\rightarrow} T$ and $\mu: T^2 \dot{\rightarrow} T$ natural transformations, s.t.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 T^3 A & \xrightarrow{\mu_{TA}} & T^2 A \\
 \downarrow T\mu_A & & \downarrow \mu_A \\
 T^2 A & \xrightarrow{\mu_A} & TA
 \end{array}
 \qquad
 \begin{array}{ccccc}
 TA & \xrightarrow{\eta_{TA}} & T^2 A & \xleftarrow{T\eta_A} & TA \\
 \searrow \text{id}_{TA} & & \downarrow \mu_A & & \swarrow \text{id}_{TA} \\
 & & TA & &
 \end{array}$$

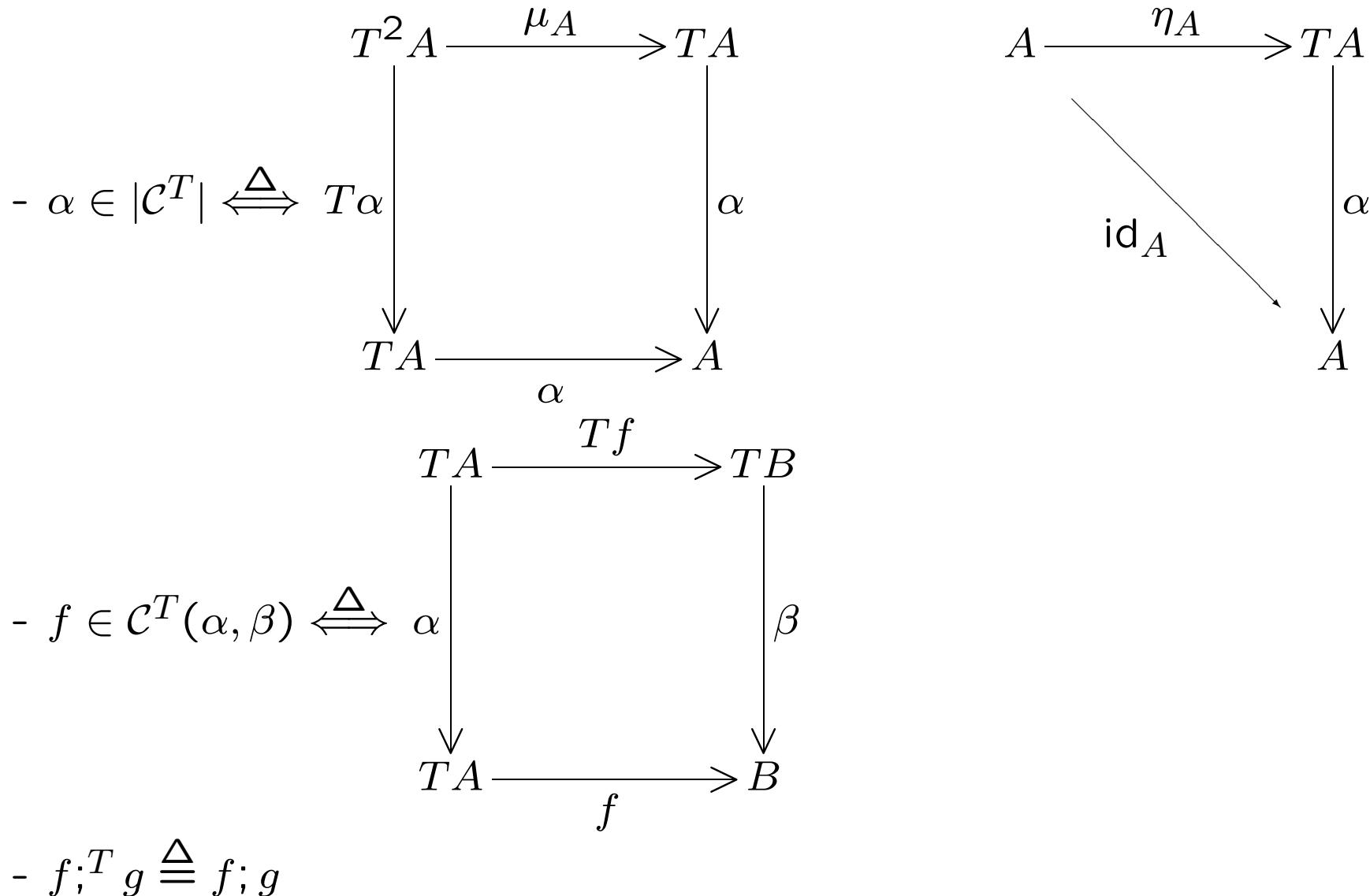
Prop. There is a bijection between Kleisli triples and monads:

- $(f: A \rightarrow TB)^* \stackrel{\Delta}{\cong} TA \xrightarrow{Tf} T^2 B \xrightarrow{\mu_B} TB$

- $T(f: A \rightarrow B) \stackrel{\Delta}{\cong} (A \xrightarrow{f} B \xrightarrow{\eta_B} TB)^*$
- $\mu_A \stackrel{\Delta}{\cong} (TA \xrightarrow{\text{id}_{TA}} TA)^*$

Warning: to verify that “ (T, η, μ) is a monad” there are 7 equations to check!

The Eilenberg-Moore category \mathcal{C}^T of T -algebras



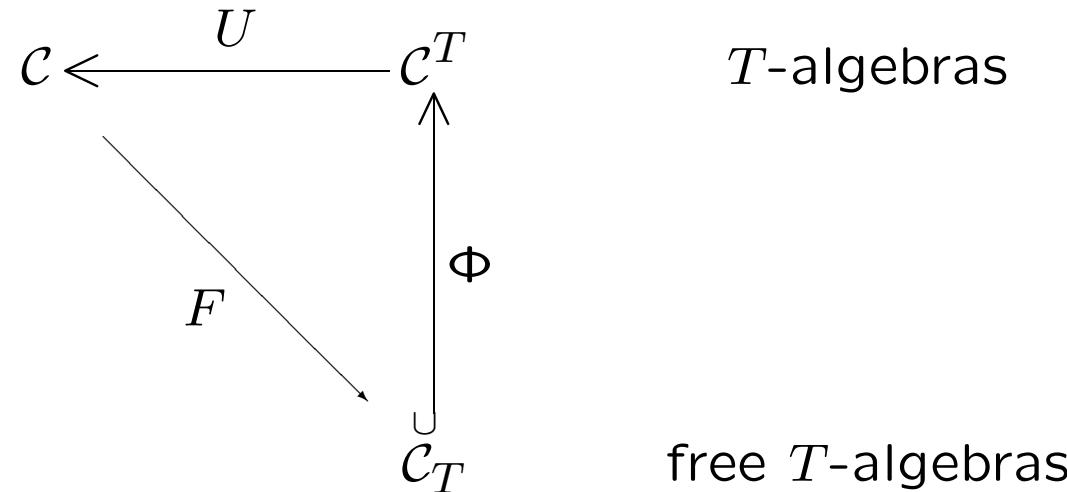
Monad on sets induced by algebraic signature Σ

- Σ single-sorted algebraic signature
- $TX \stackrel{\Delta}{=} T_\Sigma(X)$ set of Σ -terms with variables in X
- $\eta_X x \stackrel{\Delta}{=} x$, i.e. variable x as a term
- $f^* t \stackrel{\Delta}{=} t[f]$, i.e. substituting in term t every variable $x \in X$ with term $f x$

Prop. Eilenberg-Moore category \mathcal{C}^T isomorphic to category of Σ -algebras

The correspondence extends to single-sorted algebraic theories

Relations between \mathcal{C} , \mathcal{C}_T and \mathcal{C}^T



- $U(\alpha: TA \rightarrow A) \stackrel{\Delta}{=} A$, the carrier of T -algebra α
- $FA \stackrel{\Delta}{=} A$
- $\Phi A \stackrel{\Delta}{=} \mu_A: T^2A \rightarrow TA$, the free T -algebra over A

Prop. $F; \Phi \dashv U$ and $F \dashv \Phi; U$

Prop. Both adjunctions induce the monad T

The category $Mon(\mathcal{C})$ of monads/Kleisli triples over \mathcal{C}

- $|Mon(\mathcal{C})| \triangleq$ monads/Kleisli triples over \mathcal{C}
- $\sigma: (T, \eta, -^*) \rightarrow (T', \eta', -^{*'}) \iff \sigma_A: TA \rightarrow T'A$ for $A \in |\mathcal{C}|$ s.t.
 - 1) $\eta_A; \sigma_A = \eta'_A$
 - 2) $f^*; \sigma_B = \sigma_A; (f; \sigma_B)^{*'}$ for $f: A \rightarrow TB$

Prop. There is a bijection between monad morphisms $\sigma: T \rightarrow T'$ and *carrier preserving* functors $V: \mathcal{C}^{T'} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}^T$, i.e. $U(V\alpha') = U(\alpha': T'A \rightarrow A) = A$

Prop. There is a bijection between monad morphisms $\sigma_A: TA \rightarrow T'A$ and *layerings* $\zeta_A: T(T'A) \rightarrow T'A$ of T' over T [Fil99], namely $\zeta_A = V\mu_A$

Metalanguages[§] with computational types (the syntactic/axiomatic counter-part of monads)

(§) e.g. equational logic and higher-order λ -calculus, with judgments:

$$\Gamma \vdash, \quad \Gamma \vdash \tau \text{ type}, \quad \Gamma \vdash e : \tau, \quad \Gamma \vdash e_1 = e_2 : \tau$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 T \frac{\Gamma \vdash \tau \text{ type}}{\Gamma \vdash T\tau \text{ type}} \quad \text{lift } \frac{\Gamma \vdash e : \tau}{\Gamma \vdash [e]_T : T\tau} \quad \text{let } \frac{\Gamma \vdash e_1 : T\tau_1 \quad \Gamma, x : \tau_1 \vdash e_2 : T\tau_2}{\Gamma \vdash (\text{let}_T x \Leftarrow e_1 \text{ in } e_2) : T\tau_2} * \\
 \\
 \frac{\Gamma \vdash e_1 : T\tau_1 \quad \Gamma, x_1 : \tau_1 \vdash e_2 : T\tau_2 \quad \Gamma, x_2 : \tau_2 \vdash e_3 : T\tau_3}{\Gamma \vdash \text{let}_T x_2 \Leftarrow (\text{let}_T x_1 \Leftarrow e_1 \text{ in } e_2) \text{ in } e_3 = \text{let}_T x_1 \Leftarrow e_1 \text{ in } (\text{let}_T x_2 \Leftarrow e_2 \text{ in } e_3) : T\tau_3} \\
 \\
 \frac{\Gamma \vdash e_1 : \tau_1 \quad \Gamma, x : \tau_1 \vdash e_2 : T\tau_2}{\Gamma \vdash \text{let}_T x \Leftarrow [e_1]_T \text{ in } e_2 = e_2[x := e_1] : T\tau_2} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash e : T\tau}{\Gamma \vdash \text{let}_T x \Leftarrow e \text{ in } [x]_T = e : T\tau}
 \end{array}$$

Prop. The axioms are sound and complete w.r.t. interpretation in a category with a parameterized[§] monad (see [Mog91] for details)

(§) parameterization related to the nature of contexts Γ , need of parametrized notions by now well-understood in categorical logic (see [Jac99,Pit00])

Interpretation in a category with finite products

General pattern for interpreting a simply typed calculus:

- context $\Gamma \vdash$ and type $\vdash \tau$ interpreted by objects Γ and τ ;
- term $\Gamma \vdash e : \tau$ interpreted by morphism $f : \Gamma \rightarrow \tau$

RULE	SYNTAX	SEMANTICS
T	$\vdash \tau$ type	$= \tau$
	$\vdash T\tau$ type	$= T\tau$
lift	$\Gamma \vdash e : \tau$	$= f : \Gamma \rightarrow \tau$
	$\Gamma \vdash [e]_T : T\tau$	$= f ; \eta_\tau : \Gamma \rightarrow T\tau$
let	$\Gamma \vdash e_1 : T\tau_1$	$= f_1 : \Gamma \rightarrow T\tau_1$
	$\Gamma, x : \tau_1 \vdash e_2 : T\tau_2$	$= f_2 : \Gamma \times \tau_1 \rightarrow T\tau_2$
	$\Gamma \vdash \text{let}_T x \Leftarrow e_1 \text{ in } e_2 : T\tau_2$	$= (\text{id}_\Gamma, f_1) ; f_2^* : \Gamma \rightarrow T\tau_2$

parameterized extension operation $_*$ maps $f : C \times A \rightarrow TB$ to $f^* : C \times TA \rightarrow TB$

Syntactic sugar

- iterated-let: $\text{let}_T \emptyset \Leftarrow \emptyset \text{ in } e' \stackrel{\Delta}{=} e'$, $\text{let}_T x, \bar{x} \Leftarrow e, \bar{e} \text{ in } e' \stackrel{\Delta}{=} \text{let}_T x \Leftarrow e \text{ in let}_T \bar{x} \Leftarrow \bar{e} \text{ in } e'$
- do-notation: $\text{do}\{e'\} \stackrel{\Delta}{=} e'$, $\text{do}\{x \Leftarrow e; \text{stmts}\} \stackrel{\Delta}{=} \text{let}_T x \Leftarrow e \text{ in do}\{\text{stmts}\}$

Combinators definable in higher order λ -calculus

- triple in extension form:

$$\frac{T: \bullet \rightarrow \bullet}{\text{unit}_T: \forall X: \bullet. X \rightarrow TX}$$

$$\frac{\text{unit}_T \textcolor{red}{X} x = [x]_T}{\text{let}_T: \forall X, Y: \bullet. (X \rightarrow TY) \rightarrow TX \rightarrow TY}$$

$$\text{let}_T \textcolor{red}{X} Y f c = \text{let}_T x \Leftarrow c \text{ in } f x$$

- triple in monoid form: T , unit_T and

$$\frac{\begin{array}{c} \text{map}_T: \forall X, Y: \bullet. (X \rightarrow Y) \rightarrow TX \rightarrow TY \\ \text{map}_T \textcolor{red}{X} Y f c = \text{let}_T x \Leftarrow c \text{ in } [f x]_T \end{array}}{\begin{array}{c} \text{flat}_T: \forall X: \bullet. T^2 X \rightarrow TX \\ \text{flat}_T \textcolor{red}{X} c = \text{let}_T x \Leftarrow c \text{ in } x \end{array}}$$

Definitions in metalanguage with computational types

- $\alpha: TA \rightarrow A$ **T -algebra** $\overset{\Delta}{\iff}$

$$\begin{aligned} x: A &\vdash \alpha[x]_T = x: A \\ c: T^2A &\vdash \alpha(\text{let}_T x \Leftarrow c \text{ in } x) = \alpha(\text{let}_T x \Leftarrow c \text{ in } [\alpha x]_T): A \end{aligned}$$

- $f: A \rightarrow B$ **T -algebra morphism** from $\alpha: TA \rightarrow A$ to $\beta: TB \rightarrow B$ $\overset{\Delta}{\iff}$

$$c: TA \vdash f(\alpha c) = \beta(\text{let}_T x \Leftarrow c \text{ in } [fx]_T): B$$

- $\sigma: \forall X: \bullet. TX \rightarrow T'X$ **monad morphism** from T to T' $\overset{\Delta}{\iff}$

$$\begin{aligned} X: \bullet, x: X &\vdash \sigma \textcolor{red}{X} [x]_T = [x]_{T'}: T'X \\ X, Y: \bullet, c: TX, f: X \rightarrow TY &\vdash \sigma \textcolor{red}{Y} (\text{let}_T x \Leftarrow c \text{ in } fx) = \\ &\quad \text{let}_{T'} x \Leftarrow \sigma \textcolor{red}{X} c \text{ in } \sigma \textcolor{red}{Y} (fx): T'Y \end{aligned}$$

Monadic approach to denotational semantics

$$PL \xrightarrow{\text{transl}} ML_T(\Sigma) \xrightarrow{\text{interp}} \mathcal{C}$$

- 1) identify metalanguage $ML_T(\Sigma)$ with comp. types: **auxiliary notation**;
- 2) define translation of programming language PL into $ML_T(\Sigma)$;
- 3) construct model of $ML_T(\Sigma)$, e.g. via translation.

Pros and Cons

- + translation $PL \rightarrow ML_T(\Sigma)$ simple and usually
no need to be redefined (only extended) when PL is extended;
- + same $ML_T(\Sigma)$ can be **reused** for several translations/interpretations;
- interpretation of $ML_T(\Sigma)$ gets **complex** when PL/monad is complex,
but monad transformers/incremental approach provide a partial solution.

CBN translation

- pattern: $\{x_i : \tau_i | i \in m\} \vdash_{PL} e : \tau$ translated to $\{x_i : \textcolor{red}{T}\tau_i^n | i \in m\} \vdash_{ML} e^n : \textcolor{red}{T}\tau^n$
- $\Sigma \triangleq$ signature for datatype of integers,
 $Y : \forall X : \bullet. (\textcolor{red}{T}X \rightarrow \textcolor{red}{T}X) \rightarrow \textcolor{red}{T}X$ fix-point combinator
- types: $\text{Int}^n \triangleq \text{Int}$ $(\tau_1 \rightarrow \tau_2)^n \triangleq \textcolor{red}{T}\tau_1^n \rightarrow \textcolor{red}{T}\tau_2^n$ $(\tau_1 \times \tau_2)^n \triangleq \textcolor{red}{T}\tau_1^n \times \textcolor{red}{T}\tau_2^n$

$e \in PL$	$e^n \in ML_{\textcolor{red}{T}}(\Sigma)$
x	x
n	$[\textcolor{blue}{n}]_{\textcolor{red}{T}}$
$e_0 + e_1$	$\text{let}_{\textcolor{red}{T}} x_0, x_1 \Leftarrow e_0^n, e_1^n \text{ in } [x_0 + x_1]_{\textcolor{red}{T}}$
$\mu x : \tau. e$	$\textcolor{blue}{Y} \tau^n (\lambda x : \textcolor{red}{T}\tau^n. e^n)$
$\lambda x : \tau. e$	$[\lambda x : \textcolor{red}{T}\tau^n. e^n]_{\textcolor{red}{T}}$
$e_1 e_2$	$\text{let}_{\textcolor{red}{T}} f \Leftarrow e_1^n \text{ in } f e_2^n$
(e_1, e_2)	$[(e_1^n, e_2^n)]_{\textcolor{red}{T}}$
$\pi_i e$	$\text{let}_{\textcolor{red}{T}} x \Leftarrow e^n \text{ in } \pi_i x$

CBV translation

- pattern: $\{x_i : \tau_i | i \in m\} \vdash_{PL} e : \tau$ translated to $\{x_i : \tau_i^v | i \in m\} \vdash_{ML} e^v : \textcolor{red}{T}\tau^v$
- $\Sigma \triangleq$ signature for datatype of integers,
 $Y : \forall X : \bullet. (\textcolor{red}{T}X \rightarrow \textcolor{red}{T}X) \rightarrow \textcolor{red}{T}X$ fix-point combinator
- types: $\text{Int}^v \triangleq \text{Int}$ $(\tau_1 \rightarrow \tau_2)^v \triangleq \tau_1^v \rightarrow \textcolor{red}{T}\tau_2^v$ $(\tau_1 \times \tau_2)^v \triangleq \tau_1^v \times \tau_2^v$

$e \in PL$	$e^v \in ML_{\textcolor{red}{T}}(\Sigma)$
x	$[x]_{\textcolor{red}{T}}$
n	$[\text{n}]_{\textcolor{red}{T}}$
$e_0 + e_1$	$\text{let}_{\textcolor{red}{T}} x_0, x_1 \Leftarrow e_0^v, e_1^v \text{ in } [x_0 + x_1]_{\textcolor{red}{T}}$
$\mu f : \tau_1 \rightarrow \tau_2. \lambda x : \tau_1. e$	$*Y(\tau_1 \rightarrow \tau_2)^v (\lambda f : (\tau_1 \rightarrow \tau_2)^v. \lambda x : \tau_1^v. e^v)$
$\lambda x : \tau. e$	$[\lambda x : \tau^v. e^v]_{\textcolor{red}{T}}$
$e_1 e_2$	$\text{let}_{\textcolor{red}{T}} f, x \Leftarrow e_1^v, e_2^v \text{ in } f x$
(e_1, e_2)	$\text{let}_{\textcolor{red}{T}} x_1, x_2 \Leftarrow e_1^v, e_2^v \text{ in } [(x_1, x_2)]_{\textcolor{red}{T}}$
$\pi_i e$	$\text{let}_{\textcolor{red}{T}} x \Leftarrow e^v \text{ in } [\pi_i x]_{\textcolor{red}{T}}$

Extension of let and fix-point combinators to T -algebras

- _{*} sort of T -algebras

$U: \bullet_* \rightarrow \bullet$ forgetful functor

$*let_T: \forall X: \bullet. \forall \alpha: \bullet_*. (X \rightarrow U\alpha) \rightarrow TX \rightarrow U\alpha$

$*Y: \forall X\alpha: \bullet_*. (U\alpha \rightarrow U\alpha) \rightarrow U\alpha$

$$*let \frac{\Gamma \vdash e_1: T\tau_1 \quad \Gamma, x: \tau_1 \vdash e_2: U(\alpha: T\tau_2 \rightarrow \tau_2)}{\Gamma \vdash *let_T x \Leftarrow e_1 \text{ in } e_2 \stackrel{\Delta}{=} \alpha(\text{let}_T x \Leftarrow e_1 \text{ in } [e_2]_T): U(\alpha: T\tau_2 \rightarrow \tau_2)}$$

$$*Y \frac{\Gamma, x: \tau \vdash e: U(\alpha: T\tau \rightarrow \tau)}{\Gamma \vdash *Y \tau (\lambda x: \tau. e) \stackrel{\Delta}{=} \alpha(Y \tau (\lambda c: T\tau. [e[x := \alpha c]]_T): U(\alpha: T\tau \rightarrow \tau))}$$

to prove “ $*Y$ fix-point combinator” it suffices that $\eta_A; \alpha = \text{id}_A$

CBV translation extended to PL with integer locations

- $\Sigma \triangleq \dots$,
 Loc set of locations,
 ℓ : Loc fixed set of constants,
 $get: Loc \rightarrow T\text{Int}$ get integer from location,
 $set: Loc \rightarrow \text{Int} \rightarrow T1$ store integer into location
- interpretation of monad T , e.g. side-effects
- types: ... $\text{Loc}^v \triangleq \text{Loc}$ $\text{Unit}^v \triangleq 1$

$e \in PL$	$e^v \in ML_T(\Sigma)$
ℓ	$[\ell]_T$
$!e$	$\text{let}_T l \Leftarrow e^v \text{ in } get l$
$()$	$[()]_T$
$e_0 := e_1$	$\text{let}_T l, n \Leftarrow e_0^v, e_1^v \text{ in } set l n$

PCF translation

- pattern: $\{x_i : \tau_i | i \in m\} \vdash_{PL} e : \tau$ translated to $\{x_i : \tau_i^a | i \in m\} \vdash_{ML} e^a : \tau^a$
- $\Sigma \triangleq$ signature for datatype of integers,
 $Y : \forall X : \bullet. (\textcolor{red}{T}X \rightarrow \textcolor{red}{T}X) \rightarrow \textcolor{red}{T}X$ fix-point combinator
- types: $\text{Int}^a \triangleq \textcolor{red}{T}\text{Int}$ $(\tau_1 \rightarrow \tau_2)^a \triangleq \tau_1^a \rightarrow \tau_2^a$ $(\tau_1 \times \tau_2)^a \triangleq \tau_1^a \times \tau_2^a$

$e \in PL$	$e^a \in ML_{\textcolor{red}{T}}(\Sigma)$
x	x
n	$[\textcolor{blue}{n}]_{\textcolor{red}{T}}$
$e_0 + e_1$	$\text{let}_{\textcolor{red}{T}} x_0, x_1 \Leftarrow e_0^a, e_1^a \text{ in } [x_0 + x_1]_{\textcolor{red}{T}}$
$\mu x : \tau. e$	$*Y \textcolor{green}{\tau^a} (\lambda x : \tau^a. e^a)$
$\lambda x : \tau. e$	$\lambda x : \tau^a. e^a$
$e_1 e_2$	$e_1^a e_2^a$
(e_1, e_2)	(e_1^a, e_2^a)
$\pi_i e$	$\pi_i e^a$

PCF translation extended to Algol

- monads $T \xrightarrow{\sigma} T'$, e.g. T state-readers and T' side-effects
- $\Sigma \triangleq \dots$
 - Loc set of locations,
 - ℓ : Loc fixed set of constants,
 - $get : Loc \rightarrow T \text{Int}$ get integer from location,
 - $set : Loc \rightarrow \text{Int} \rightarrow T' 1$ store integer into location
- types: ... $\text{Loc}^a \triangleq T \text{Loc}$ $\text{Cmd}^a \triangleq T' 1$

$e \in PL$	$e^a \in ML_{T,T'}(\Sigma)$
ℓ	$[\ell]_T$
$!e$	$\text{let}_T l \Leftarrow e^a \text{ in } get l$
$e_0 := e_1$	$\text{let}_{T'} l, n \Leftarrow \sigma e_0^a, \sigma e_1^a \text{ in } set l n$
skip	$[(\cdot)]_{T'}$
$e_0; e_1$	$\text{let}_{T'} - \Leftarrow e_0^a \text{ in } e_1^a$

Incremental approach: general methodology

$$PL \xrightarrow{\text{transl}} ML(\Sigma_n) \xrightarrow{\text{transl}} \dots \xrightarrow{\text{transl}} ML(\Sigma_0) \xrightarrow{\text{interp}} \mathcal{C}$$

incremental definition of auxiliary notation [CM93, Mog97, LHJ95, LH96, Fil99]

Filinski's approach: $I: ML_{T', \bar{T}}(\Sigma_{old} + \Sigma'_{new}) \rightarrow ML_{\bar{T}}(\Sigma_{old})$

- 1) I definitional extension, i.e. identity on $ML_{\bar{T}}(\Sigma_{old})$
- 2) T' new computational type, monadic reflection and reification
- 3) Σ'_{new} auxiliary notation related to T'

Usually T' defined by applying monad transformer for adding new computational effect to a T in \bar{T} . Σ'_{new} may include operations op' extending to T' pre-existing op for T , and operations associated to new computational effect.

Monad transformers semantically

- function $F: |Mon(\mathcal{C})| \rightarrow |Mon(\mathcal{C})|$ mapping monads (over \mathcal{C}) to monads
- monad morphism $in_T: T \rightarrow FT$ for any monad T

Often F functor on $Mon(\mathcal{C})$, and $in: id_{Mon(\mathcal{C})} \rightarrow F$ natural transformation

Monad transformers syntactically: $I_F: ML_{T',T}(\Sigma_{par}) \rightarrow ML_T(\Sigma_{par})$

- Σ_{par} parameters of the monad transformer

Examples of I_F in higher order λ -calculus: general pattern

- new monad T' and monad morphism $in: T \rightarrow T'$
- operations in Σ_{new} associated to new computational effect
- operation $op': \forall X: \bullet . A \rightarrow (B \rightarrow T'X) \rightarrow T'X$ extending
pre-existing $op: \forall X: \bullet . A \rightarrow (B \rightarrow TX) \rightarrow TX$

Haskell constructor classes provide convenient setting for the incremental approach [LHJ95]: type inference allows concise and readable definitions, type-checking detects most errors.

Logical frameworks needed to express and validate properties [Mog97].

Monad transformer I_{se} for adding side-effects

Σ_{par} states $S: \bullet$

Σ_{new} lookup $lkp': T'S$
 update $upd': S \rightarrow T'1$

$$\frac{\begin{array}{c} T'X \triangleq S \rightarrow T(X \times S) \\ [x]_{T'} \triangleq \lambda s. [(x, s)]_T \\ \text{let}_{T'} x \Leftarrow c \text{ in } f x \triangleq \lambda s. \text{let}_T (x, s') \Leftarrow c s \text{ in } f x s' \\ \text{in } X c \triangleq \lambda s. \text{let}_T x \Leftarrow c \text{ in } [(x, s)]_T \end{array}}{\text{let}_{T'} x \Leftarrow c \text{ in } f x \triangleq \lambda s. \text{let}_T (x, s') \Leftarrow c s \text{ in } f x s'}$$

$$lkp' \triangleq \lambda s. [(s, s)]_T$$

$$upd' s \triangleq \lambda s'. [(*, s)]_T$$

$$op' \textcolor{red}{X} a f \triangleq \lambda s. op (\textcolor{red}{X} \times S) a (\lambda b. f b s)$$

lkp' and upd' do not fit format for op . However, given $*op: A \rightarrow TB$ one can define $op: \forall X: \bullet. A \rightarrow (B \rightarrow TX) \rightarrow TX$, i.e. $op X a f \triangleq \text{let}_T b \Leftarrow *op a \text{ in } f b$

Monad transformer I_{ex} for adding exceptions

Σ_{par} exceptions $E : \bullet$

Σ_{new} raise $raise' : \forall X : \bullet. E \rightarrow T'X$
 handle $handle' : \forall X : \bullet. (E \rightarrow T'X) \rightarrow T'X \rightarrow T'X$

$$\begin{aligned} T'X &\triangleq T(X + E) \\ [x]_{T'} &\triangleq [\text{inl } x]_T \\ \text{let}_{T'} x \Leftarrow c \text{ in } f x &\triangleq \text{let}_T u \Leftarrow c \text{ in } (\text{case } u \text{ of } x \Rightarrow f x \mid n \Rightarrow [\text{inr } n]_T) \\ \text{in } X c &\triangleq \text{let}_T x \Leftarrow c \text{ in } [\text{inl } x]_T \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} raise' X n &\triangleq [\text{inr } n]_T \\ handle' X f c &\triangleq \text{let}_T u \Leftarrow c \text{ in } (\text{case } u \text{ of } x \Rightarrow [\text{inl } x]_T \mid n \Rightarrow f n) \end{aligned}$$

$$op' \textcolor{red}{X} a f \triangleq op(X + E) a f$$

The definition of op' works for extending more general type of operations

Monad transformer I_{co} for adding complexity

Σ_{par} monoid $M: \bullet$
 $1: M$
 $*: M \rightarrow M \rightarrow M$ (we use infix notation for *)

to prove “ T' monad” we should add axioms “ $(M, 1, *)$ monoid”

Σ_{new} cost $tick': M \rightarrow T'1$

$$\begin{aligned} T'X &\triangleq T(X \times M) \\ [x]_{T'} &\triangleq [(x, 1)]_T \\ \text{let}_{T'} x \Leftarrow c \text{ in } f x &\triangleq \text{let}_T (x, m) \Leftarrow c \text{ in } (\text{let}_T (y, n) \Leftarrow f x \text{ in } [(y, m * n)]_T) \\ \text{in } X c &\triangleq \text{let}_T x \Leftarrow c \text{ in } [(x, 1)]_T \end{aligned}$$

$$tick' m \triangleq [(*, m)]_T$$

$$op' \textcolor{red}{X} a f \triangleq op (X \times M) a f$$

Monad transformer I_{con} for adding continuations

Σ_{par} results $R: \bullet$

Σ_{new} abort $abort': \forall X: \bullet. R \rightarrow T'X$
 call-cc $callcc': \forall X, Y: \bullet. ((X \rightarrow T'Y) \rightarrow T'X) \rightarrow T'X$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \frac{}{T'X \triangleq (X \rightarrow TR) \rightarrow TR} \\
 \frac{}{[x]_{T'} \triangleq \lambda k. k x} \\
 \frac{\text{let}_{T'} x \Leftarrow c \text{ in } f x \triangleq \lambda k. c(\lambda x. f x k)}{\text{in } X c \triangleq \lambda k. \text{let}_T x \Leftarrow c \text{ in } k x} \\
 \frac{}{abort' X r \triangleq \lambda k. [r]_T} \\
 \frac{}{callcc' X Y f \triangleq \lambda k. f(\lambda x. \lambda k'. [k x]_T) k} \\
 \frac{}{op' \textcolor{red}{X} a f \triangleq \lambda k. op \textcolor{red}{R} a (\lambda b. f b k)}
 \end{array}$$

$callcc'$ does not fit format for op . I_{con} does not extend to a functor

Exercises

- 3.3) Extend CBN/CBV/PCF translation to PL with polymorphic types.
- 3.7) Use translation to Validate laws for PL , or find counterexamples.
- 3.8) Give translation for Haskell with integer locations.
- 3.9) Give translation for SML with allocation of integer locations.
- 3.10) Give translation for SML with references of any type.
- 3.14) Validate monad transformers, i.e. T' monad and in monad morphism.
- 3.15) For each monad transformer define Y' for T' given Y for T .
Try to extend an op of type $\forall X, Y: \bullet. ((X \rightarrow TY) \rightarrow TX) \rightarrow TX$.
- 3.16) Define monad transformer I_{sr} for state-readers, and relate it to I_{se} .
- 3.17) Check which monad transformers commute up to iso.

HARD) Define predicates for $c \in T'X \triangleq S \rightarrow T(X \times S)$ capturing properties:
“ c does not read from S ” and “ c does not write in S ”.
Define a predicate for $c \in T'X \triangleq T(X + E)$ capturing property “ c does not raise exceptions in E ”.