

First Order Linear Logic
in
Symmetric Monoidal Closed Categories

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Abstract

There has recently been considerable interest in the development of ‘logical frameworks’ which can represent many of the logics arising in computer science in a uniform way. Within the Edinburgh LF project, this concept is split into two components; the first being a general proof theoretic encoding of logics, and the second a uniform treatment of their model theory. This thesis forms a case study for the work on model theory.

The models of many first and higher order logics can be represented as *fibred* or *indexed* categories with certain extra structure, and this has been suggested as a general paradigm. The aim of the thesis is to test the strength and flexibility of this paradigm by studying the specific case of Girard’s linear logic. It should be noted that the exact form of this logic in the first order case is not entirely certain, and the system treated here is significantly different to that considered by Girard.

To secure a good class of models, we develop a carefully restricted form of first order intuitionistic linear logic, called \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} , in which the linearity of the logic is also reflected at the level of types. That is, the terms of the logic are given by a *linear type theory* LTT corresponding to the algebraic idea of a symmetric monoidal closed category. The study of logic in such categories is motivated by two examples which are derived as linear analogues of presheaf topoi and Heyting valued sets respectively. We introduce the concept of a *monoidal factorisation system* over such categories to provide a basis for a theory of linear predicates. A monoidal factorisation system then gives rise to a structure preserving fibration between symmetric monoidal closed categories, which we term a *linear doctrine*. We provide a sequent calculus formulation of \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} and show that it is both sound and complete with respect to a linear doctrine semantics.

Although the logic \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} sits nicely within the fibred category framework, we note that it also displays some quite unexpected features which should be of interest in future work on both the categorical semantics of linear logic and model theory in the general case.

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Chapter 1

Introduction

Logic is a key tool in the theoretical analysis of computer science and the diversity of computational phenomena leads to a profusion of logical systems : first order, higher order, and equational logic are used in program specification; temporal, dynamic and modal action logics arise in the analysis of system behaviour; type theory and the λ -calculus form the basis of functional programming; and there are many other examples of importance.

Recently, there has been considerable interest in developing a ‘logical framework’ in which these logics can be represented in a uniform way. The Edinburgh LF [HHP87], Martin L of type theory [ML84], and the Isabelle proof environment [Pau89] are examples of such a framework, which all classify logics according to their proof theory. This thesis forms part of a complementary line of research, being undertaken at Edinburgh, which aims to provide a uniform representation of logics through their model theory. Traditionally, the model theoretic approach to logic has been more popular, but there has been little work on general model theoretic frameworks for logic. The ‘abstract model theory’ of Barwise [Bar74] is limited to the theories of classical logic; whereas the ‘institutions’ of [BG84] give a uniform understanding of the relationship between theories and models in an arbitrary logic, but no analysis of the structure of models. It is therefore not immediately clear what a model theoretic framework should be. As is often the case, category theory provides a convenient language in which to formulate the problem and evaluate ideas. There are numerous categorical studies of specific

first and higher order logics in which the models are presented as *fibred categories* with certain extra structure depending on the logic [MR77,See83,HJP80,See87a]. It is reasonable to suppose that fibred categories could form the basis of a general framework, and this is the view adopted by the Edinburgh group. The aim of this thesis is to gain further insight by studying another specific example; one which is of natural interest in computer science, yet is problematic enough to pose a challenge to the fibred category paradigm.

Linear logic [Gir87a] is the weakest of the family of relevance logics and provides the most discerning analysis of entailment so far. Its simplicity and elegance make it a natural vehicle for research, and it seems clear that a logic with such good structural properties should have many applications. Furthermore, linear logic lies close to many of the concerns which are important in computer science. In particular, it can be used to describe the properties of systems which change as they are observed (the necessary algebraic semantics were originally proposed in the context of quantum mechanics), and thus some of the most successful applications so far have been in the theory of concurrency. Linear logic has been employed to capture both the compositional properties [Dam88,Dam90] and the evolutionary properties [AV90] of processes in Milner's CCS [Mil89]. It has also been used to describe the behaviour of Petri nets [Bro90].

Interest in linear logic has generated a number of new ideas in the theory of programming languages. Girard, Scedrov and Scott [GSS] give a type system based on *bounded* linear logic in which an algorithm is typable if and only if it is computable in polynomial time. Lafont [Laf88] defines the *linear abstract machine*, an execution mechanism for the proof terms of intuitionistic linear logic. This simple model of functional programming can operate without garbage collection because storage is handled explicitly at the level of types. Abramsky [Abr90] takes this further, proposing that the proof terms of second order classical linear logic could form the basis of a full polymorphic functional programming language in which execution is both concurrent and without garbage collection. There is also work on logic programming in linear logic [HP,HM91].

Girard [Gir87b] describes linear logic as a logic of *action*. Whereas classical

and intuitionistic logic are concerned with stable truth, the nature of linear ‘facts’ is transient and depends upon the internal state of a dynamic system. This is illustrated by the simple example of buying a packet of cigarettes. Let ϕ, ψ, θ denote the following linear facts :

$\phi =$ to have \$1

$\psi =$ to have a packet of Camels

$\theta =$ to have a packet of Marlboro

A proof of the linear implication $\phi \multimap \psi$ is given by the action of spending \$1 and buying a packet of Camels. Thus linear implication involves a principle of *conservation of resource*. There are two distinct forms of conjunction in linear logic. The *meet* ($\psi \wedge \theta$) corresponds to the possibility of having a packet of one or other brand of cigarette, and the *fusion* ($\psi \circ \theta$) corresponds to actually having two packets. The difference between them is illustrated by the fact that $\phi \multimap (\psi \wedge \theta)$ is provable, since given \$1 we can buy either a packet of Camels or Marlboro, but $\phi \multimap (\psi \circ \theta)$ is not, since we cannot use \$1 to buy two packets¹.

Given the shift of perspective between linear logic and its forbears, it is unclear to what extent the categorical ideas developed for classical and intuitionistic logic apply in the linear case. Makkai and Reyes [MR77] give a categorical account of models of first order theories in classical logic. In this approach, the types and functions of a logic are modelled by the objects and morphisms of a category \mathcal{C} while the formulae are modelled by ‘subobjects’ in \mathcal{C} . The subobjects of an object A form a partial order $Sub(A)$ corresponding to the formulae ϕ with a free variable x of ‘type’ A . Pullback along a morphism $f : A \rightarrow B$ in \mathcal{C} gives rise to a functor $f^* : Sub(B) \rightarrow Sub(A)$. This models the operation of substitution which maps a formula ψ with free variable y of type B to the formula $\psi[f(x)/y]$ with free variable x of type A . If f^* has left and right adjoints then these can be interpreted as forms of existential and universal quantification respectively. This fundamental observation is due to Lawvere [Law69, Law70].

¹The author is inclined to save his \$’s and leave both packets on the shelf.

The subobjects as a whole form a *fibred category* with base \mathcal{C} [Gra66] in which the fibre over an object A is $\text{Sub}(A)$. The two main ingredients of categorical model theory are therefore a base category \mathcal{C} which forms the theory of types and functions, and a fibred category of subobjects whose objects represent predicates over these types. Given a category \mathcal{C} whose structure is sufficiently rich, we may adopt it as our ‘type theory’ and attempt a logical investigation of its subobjects. The logic thus obtained is the ‘*internal logic*’ of \mathcal{C} . In order to carry out our programme, we need structured categories for which first order linear logic is the internal logic.

A version of first order linear logic appears in Seely’s paper [See87b]. He treats first order linear logic as propositional linear logic ‘indexed over’ a category \mathcal{C} with finite limits. In that view, the connectives are taken as primitive and not related to any property of \mathcal{C} . Consequently, the only real models of this kind are given by construction [See90]. If, however, first order linear logic is to arise naturally from the subobjects of a category \mathcal{C} then there must be some structure on \mathcal{C} which allows the connectives to be defined. Specifically, the fusion of predicates should arise from a *tensor product* on \mathcal{C} and the linear implication from the corresponding *internal hom*. We therefore take the overall structure of \mathcal{C} to be that of a *symmetric monoidal closed category*, and define a modified version of first order linear logic whose models are given by the subobject structure of such categories.

The importance of symmetric monoidal closed categories as type theories is already well established in the context of *enriched category theory* [Kel82]. Here an arbitrary such category \mathcal{V} takes the place of \mathbf{Set} as the ambient universe. Jay [Jay89a, Jay90] has considered an internal language of types and functions for monoidal categories. This language can be used to simplify proofs in enriched category theory by allowing diagrammatic arguments to be replaced by simple type theoretic ones. We shall use it as the type theoretic basis for our logic.

Many of the nice algebraic properties of the categories studied by Makkai and Reyes stem from the fact that there is a good interaction between limit and colimit structure. We cannot hope for such a good situation. In linear logic the failure of meet to distribute over join is precisely the failure of this kind of neat interaction.

The logic of symmetric monoidal closed categories has several disturbing features. We shall see that substitution fails to permute with the logical connectives. The logic that we develop is therefore equipped with explicit *substitution operators*. These act very much like the additive connectives and there are various distributive and half-distributive laws which hold.

This analysis tells us three things about general model theoretic frameworks for classifying logics. First, there is an advantage in considering fibrations over indexed categories: the definition of a linear doctrine refers to the closure of the category of predicates as a whole, and so could not have been so conveniently expressed in terms of indexed categories. Secondly, there is a need for categories with added structure specified in terms of functors, natural transformations, and coherences; rather than categories with structure specified only by universal properties such as cartesian closed categories or elementary topoi. Lastly, as the logical connectives are not preserved by substitution, one must allow the possibility of making substitution explicit.

Other work on linear logic has focussed on its elegant proof theory, as this provided the original motivation for the logic, and there has been considerable work on the categorical semantics of linear proofs [See87b,dP89,BG90]. That work is concerned with the idea that the propositions and proofs of a (constructive) logic can be modelled by the objects and arrows of a suitable category, and is motivated by the celebrated ‘*Curry Howard isomorphism*’ between the normal form proofs of intuitionistic logic and the free cartesian closed category generated by the atomic propositions [LS86, part I]. The ‘semantics of proofs’ given by such work are in contrast to the model theoretic semantics developed here.

In chapter 2, we recall the theory of propositional linear logic. An elementary algebraic semantics is given in terms of ‘*consequence algebras*’ which we define here. The second half of the chapter deals with the class of consequence algebras which are lattice theoretically complete. These are known in the literature as ‘*commutative quantales with unity*’. Examples are given and the important features of the theory of quantales are reviewed. Finally, we elucidate the notion

of resource which is implicit in linear logic by developing an abstract *resource semantics* similar to the semi-lattice semantics for relevance logic.

In chapter 3, we introduce the concept of a symmetric monoidal closed category together with some standard examples. We use this to motivate our definition of the *linear type theory* LTT. This is based on Jay's language for monoidal categories [Jay89a], and comprises a system of types, combinators, and terms with restrictions on the occurrence of variables. We define the interpretations of an equational theory in LTT, and show that there is an initial model of such theories.

In chapter 4, we give two examples of symmetric monoidal closed categories that arise naturally from a consideration of linear logic. These are linear analogues of presheaf topoi and Heyting valued sets respectively, both of which have been developed independently and with different motivation in the theory of enriched categories.

In chapter 5, we introduce the minimal structure required to derive first order linear logic in a symmetric monoidal closed category. Both of the examples of chapter 4 have such structure. We take the notion of subobject to be relative to a *factorisation system* $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$ on \mathcal{C} where \mathcal{M} is a class of monomorphisms. We then define algebraic operations on these subobjects that correspond to the logical connectives. We assume that \mathcal{C} is sufficiently complete and cocomplete that the \mathcal{M} -subobjects of an object A form a lattice $Sub_{\mathcal{M}}(A)$. The additive connectives are interpreted by the lattice theoretic operations. The multiplicatives are defined in terms of the symmetric monoidal closed structure of \mathcal{C} , so we restrict to categories in which the factorisation system $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$ is *monoidal*, i.e. behaves well with respect to the tensor product. The multiplicatives are *non-fibrewise* operations, so rather than acting on a single fibre, they give families of maps

$$\begin{aligned} \circ_{A,B} & : Sub_{\mathcal{M}}(A) \times Sub_{\mathcal{M}}(B) \rightarrow Sub_{\mathcal{M}}(A \otimes B) \\ -\circ_{A,B} & : Sub_{\mathcal{M}}(A) \times Sub_{\mathcal{M}}(B) \rightarrow Sub_{\mathcal{M}}([A, B]) \end{aligned}$$

In theorem 5.4.5 we show that, despite their non-fibrewise nature, fusion and linear implication are related by an adjunction generalising that of the propositional case. The situation described above is quite general so there are many examples. The

category \mathbf{Ab} of abelian groups demonstrates many of the pathologies that can occur, and motivates many of the design decisions made about the form of the logic \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} .

In chapter 6, we give a sequent calculus presentation of the logic \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} which is built over the type theory LTT. Formulae are constructed by applying linear predicates to the terms of LTT. Sequents $\Gamma \vdash \phi(t)$ are subject to a *variable balancing condition* which says that every variable which appears has exactly one occurrence on each side of the turnstile. The introduction rules for the logical connectives appear as decorated forms of the corresponding rules in the propositional logic. There are also rules for the substitution operators and existential quantification. Many of the rules have side conditions to prevent the arbitrary permutation of substitution with the other operations. We give some examples of derivable sequents and present two small applications.

Finally in chapter 7, we present the model theory of \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} in terms of fibred categories. We define a notion of *linear doctrine* which adequately captures the categorical properties of the \mathcal{M} -subobjects of a monoidal factorisation system $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$ in \mathcal{C} , so that every category with such structure gives rise to a linear doctrine. We define an interpretation of the formulae and sequents of \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} in a linear doctrine and prove that the rules of \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} are sound with respect to such interpretations. We also prove a completeness result by constructing a linear doctrine from the syntax of \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} .

We assume a knowledge of the basic definitions of category theory; such as category, functor, natural transformation, and adjunction ; all of which can be found in Mac Lane's book [ML71]. Some knowledge of indexed categories and fibrations would also be useful; see [Gra66] or [Tay86]. Other concepts will be introduced, as necessary, in the main text.

Chapter 2

Linear Logic and Quantaes

Girard [Gir87a]		This thesis	
times	\otimes	fusion	\circ
		(non-commutative)	$\&$
with	$\&$	meet	\wedge
plus	\oplus	join	\vee
par	'&' inverted	par	\oplus
entails	\multimap	entails	\multimap

Linear logic was introduced by Girard [Gir87a]. It is essentially a logic derived from proof theoretic consideration of Gentzen's sequent calculi **LJ** and **LK** [Gen69]. An interesting discussion of linear logic and the philosophical ideas that surround it can be found in the first paper of the "Geometry of Interaction" series [Gir87b]. Girard notes that both the undecidability and nonconstructive nature of the classical predicate calculus **LK** can be traced back to the structural rule of contraction.

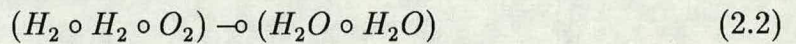
$$\begin{array}{cc}
 \text{(weakening)} \quad \frac{\Gamma_1, \Gamma_2 \vdash \psi}{\Gamma_1, \phi, \Gamma_2 \vdash \psi} &
 \text{(contraction)} \quad \frac{\Gamma_1, \phi, \phi, \Gamma_2 \vdash \psi}{\Gamma_1, \phi, \Gamma_2 \vdash \psi}
 \end{array} \quad (2.1)$$

It is therefore natural to consider logics without this rule, and this had already been suggested by Ono and Kormori [OK85].

Relevance logicians have considered logics without weakening. The effect of this restriction is to stop the introduction of spurious or non-causal dependencies between assumptions and conclusion. If a proposition appears as an assumption

then it is essential in deducing the conclusion. There is a large family of relevance logics. These logics often accept contraction and the distributivity of meet over join. Urquhart [Urq84] has shown that this is sufficient to make even the propositional logic undecidable.

In linear logic, both weakening and contraction are abandoned. This means that it actually matters *how many times* a proposition is asserted. In this way, a linear implication is analogous to a chemical equation where the various proportions of the reactants matter. In fact, Girard gives the combustion of hydrogen as the following linear implication.



There is a conservation principle acting between the two sides of a linear implication, and we therefore say that linear logic is *resource bounded*.

Linear logic has a number of pleasant features. In the fragment without modal operators, it is both relevant and constructive, the predicate logic is decidable, and there is a cut elimination algorithm executable in linear time.

The logic presented in [Gir87a] is often called *classical* linear logic because it features an involutive ‘negation’ reminiscent of that of classical logic. This thesis is essentially concerned with the nonstandard conjunction \circ and the problems that arise from it. It is therefore appropriate to work with *intuitionistic* linear logic.

In section 2.1, we define propositional intuitionistic linear logic together with an appropriate algebraic semantics given in terms of *consequence algebras*. We prove that the latter is sound and complete with respect to the former. In section 2.2, we define *quantales* as the consequence algebras which are lattice theoretically complete. We give some examples, and review their basic theory. We also define a *resource semantics* for propositional intuitionistic linear logic similar to the semilattice semantics for relevance logic given by Urquhart [Urq72].

2.1 Intuitionistic Linear Logic

Let $A = \{p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n, \dots\}$ be a countably infinite list of *atomic propositions*. The set F of formulae ϕ of intuitionistic linear logic is given by the following BNF grammar.

$$\phi ::= 0 \mid 1 \mid \top \mid p_n \mid \phi_1 \circ \phi_2 \mid \phi_1 \multimap \phi_2 \mid \phi_1 \wedge \phi_2 \mid \phi_1 \vee \phi_2 \quad (2.3)$$

If Γ is a finite list of formulae, possibly empty, and ϕ is a single formula then $\Gamma \vdash \phi$ is a *sequent* of intuitionistic linear logic. The *valid* sequents are those derived using the rules of inference given in the next two sections.

2.1.1 Structural rules

The following rules operate on the structure of derivations.

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{(ref)} \quad \frac{}{\phi \vdash \phi} \\ \text{(ex)} \quad \frac{\Gamma_1, \phi, \psi, \Gamma_2 \vdash \theta}{\Gamma_1, \psi, \phi, \Gamma_2 \vdash \theta} \\ \text{(cut)} \quad \frac{\Gamma_1, \phi \vdash \psi \quad \Gamma_2 \vdash \phi}{\Gamma_1, \Gamma_2 \vdash \psi} \end{array}$$

The additional structural rules of weakening and contraction given in Gentzen's sequent calculus **LJ** for intuitionistic logic [Gen69] are not allowed.

Avron [Avr87] states the three rules above as the definition of a '*consequence relation*'. This is a generalisation of the original definition given by Scott [Sco74] which included both weakening and contraction, but is still slightly too restrictive because there are logics without the exchange rule, eg. the *non-commutative* linear logic of Yetter [Yet90].

Note that the cut rule is slightly simplified in the presence of exchange because we can assume that the cut formula is adjacent to the turnstile. Similar simplifica-

tions occur in the logical rules below. In non-commutative linear logic, the order of the formulae is critical and the rules are more complex as a result.

2.1.2 Logical rules

The *logical rules* allow the introduction of constants and connectives in a sequent derivation. They are classified as either *left* or *right* rules, depending on which side of the turnstile the introduction occurs.

The constants and connectives of linear logic are divided into two classes which, on the basis of the coherence space semantics, Girard has named the *multiplicatives* and the *additives*. In relevance logic, these classes are termed *intensional* and *extensional* respectively.

Multiplicative Connectives

$$(1l) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \phi}{\Gamma, 1 \vdash \phi}$$

$$(1r) \frac{}{\vdash 1}$$

$$(o1) \frac{\Gamma, \phi, \psi \vdash \theta}{\Gamma, \phi \circ \psi \vdash \theta}$$

$$(or) \frac{\Gamma_1 \vdash \phi \quad \Gamma_2 \vdash \psi}{\Gamma_1, \Gamma_2 \vdash \phi \circ \psi}$$

$$(-o1) \frac{\Gamma_1 \vdash \phi \quad \Gamma_2, \psi \vdash \theta}{\Gamma_2, \phi \multimap \psi, \Gamma_1 \vdash \theta}$$

$$(-or) \frac{\Gamma, \phi \vdash \psi}{\Gamma \vdash \phi \multimap \psi}$$

where $!\Gamma$ denotes a finite sequence of formulae of the form $!\phi_1, \dots, !\phi_n$.

The “*of course*” modality gives linear logic the expressive power of intuitionistic logic, since intuitionistic implication can be defined as $\phi \supset \psi = !\phi \multimap \psi$ ¹. However, it is inessential to the main thrust of this thesis, so we exclude it from the basic logic.

2.1.4 Consequence Algebras

We define the notion of ‘consequence algebra’ and use it to give an algebraic semantics for the basic connectives of intuitionistic linear logic. This is similar to the Heyting algebra semantics for intuitionistic logic.

Definition 2.1.1 A *consequence algebra* is a structure $\langle L, \vee, 0, \wedge, \top, \circ, 1, \multimap \rangle$ where $\langle L, \vee, 0, \wedge, \top \rangle$ is a lattice, $\langle L, \circ, 1 \rangle$ is a commutative monoid, and \multimap is a binary operation on L ; such that for all $x, y, z \in L$

$$y \leq z \quad \Rightarrow \quad x \circ y \leq x \circ z \quad (2.4)$$

and

$$x \circ y \leq z \quad \iff \quad x \leq y \multimap z \quad (2.5)$$

In the terminology of [Bir48], the operation \multimap is called *residuation* and a consequence algebra is a residuated multiplicative lattice in which the multiplication is commutative and has a unit.

A *Heyting algebra* is a consequence algebra in which $\circ = \wedge$ and $1 = \top$. Other examples include de Morgan monoids, and the rational numbers between 0 and 1 under multiplication. In the next section, we consider ‘quantales’ which are consequence algebras whose underlying lattice is complete.

¹In [Gir87a], Girard gives a sound interpretation of intuitionistic logic in linear which is based on this translation.

Proposition 2.1.2 *The following identities (inequalities) hold in any consequence algebra A .*

$$(x \circ y) \multimap z = x \multimap (y \multimap z) \quad (2.6)$$

$$x \circ (y \vee z) = (x \circ y) \vee (x \circ z) \quad (2.7)$$

$$x \multimap (y \wedge z) = (x \multimap y) \wedge (x \multimap z) \quad (2.8)$$

$$(x \vee y) \multimap z = (x \multimap z) \wedge (y \multimap z) \quad (2.9)$$

$$(x \multimap y) \circ (y \multimap z) \leq (x \multimap z) \quad (2.10)$$

$$(u \multimap v) \circ (x \multimap y) \leq (u \circ x) \multimap (v \circ y) \quad (2.11)$$

Proof. These all follow routinely from the definition. We take 2.9 as an illustration.

First, since fusion is order preserving

$$x \circ [(x \vee y) \multimap z] \leq (x \vee y) \circ [(x \vee y) \multimap z] \leq z$$

where the second inequality follows immediately from 2.5. Thus $(x \vee y) \multimap z$ is less than or equal to $x \multimap z$ and similarly less or equal to $y \multimap z$. It follows that

$$(x \vee y) \multimap z \leq (x \multimap z) \wedge (y \multimap z)$$

In the other direction, we have

$$(x \multimap z) \wedge (y \multimap z) \leq x \multimap z$$

Using two applications of 2.5 together with the commutativity of fusion, we can swap the positions of x and $(x \multimap z) \wedge (y \multimap z)$ and so obtain

$$x \leq [(x \multimap z) \wedge (y \multimap z)] \multimap z$$

As the same argument applies to y , we deduce that

$$x \vee y \leq [(x \multimap z) \wedge (y \multimap z)] \multimap z$$

and hence that $(x \multimap z) \wedge (y \multimap z) \leq (x \vee y) \multimap z$ as required. \square

An *interpretation* of intuitionistic linear logic in a consequence algebra L is a function $\llbracket - \rrbracket : F \rightarrow L$ which sends each of the logical constants and connectives to the corresponding algebraic operation on L . Thus $\llbracket 1 \rrbracket = 1$, $\llbracket \phi \circ \psi \rrbracket = \llbracket \phi \rrbracket \circ \llbracket \psi \rrbracket$, $\llbracket \phi \wedge \psi \rrbracket = \llbracket \phi \rrbracket \wedge \llbracket \psi \rrbracket$, and so on. An interpretation $\llbracket - \rrbracket$ can be extended to a list of formulae by defining $\llbracket \] = 1$ and $\llbracket \Gamma, \phi \rrbracket = \llbracket \Gamma \rrbracket \circ \llbracket \phi \rrbracket$. A sequent $\Gamma \vdash \phi$ is *true* in the interpretation $\llbracket - \rrbracket : F \rightarrow L$ if $\llbracket \Gamma \rrbracket \leq \llbracket \phi \rrbracket$.

Theorem 2.1.3 *Intuitionistic linear logic is sound and complete with respect to the consequence algebra semantics.*

Proof. Soundness is straightforward. For completeness, we consider equivalence classes of formulae in the logic under the relation \equiv where $\phi \equiv \psi$ holds if both $\phi \vdash \psi$ and $\psi \vdash \phi$ are derivable sequents. These form a consequence algebra L and the function $\llbracket - \rrbracket : F \rightarrow L$ which maps each formula to its equivalence class yields an interpretation of intuitionistic linear logic such that $\Gamma \vdash \phi$ is derivable if and only if $\llbracket \Gamma \rrbracket \leq \llbracket \phi \rrbracket$. Thus, if $\Gamma \vdash \phi$ is true in every interpretation then $\llbracket \Gamma \rrbracket \leq \llbracket \phi \rrbracket$ holds in L and $\Gamma \vdash \phi$ is derivable. \square

2.2 Quantales

Recall [Joh82] that a *locale* is a complete lattice in which finite meets distribute over arbitrary joins. Locales provide an algebraic semantics for propositional intuitionistic logic, but also form the basis of the theory of *sheaves* and hence the algebraic treatment of higher order intuitionistic logic (see [FS79,LS86]).

Quantales are a generalisation of locales which were introduced by Mulvey [Mul86] in an attempt to provide a constructive formulation of the foundations of quantum mechanics. The idea was to represent the sequencing of time using a non-commutative version of conjunction. Mulvey defined a quantale to be a complete lattice with an associative binary operation $\&$ which distributes over suprema on both sides. The product $p \& q$ should be read as “ p holds *and then* q holds”.

Subsequently, Borceux and Van Den Bossche [BVDB85] extended the proof of the Gelfand-Naimark representation theorem, that every C^* -algebra is isomorphic to the object of complex numbers in a suitable topos, to the non-commutative case by using quantales. Here, the motivating example of a quantale is the lattice of closed right ideals of a non-commutative C^* -algebra. This has the additional properties that multiplication is idempotent and the top element is a right unit.

These very strong assumptions allow a large part of the theory of locales to be lifted to a non-commutative setting, and Borceux and Van Den Bossche have exploited this in a series of papers. In [BVDB85], they define *quantum spaces*, a variant of topological spaces in which the intersection of open sets is replaced by a noncommutative multiplication, and demonstrate a duality between the category of ‘sober’ quantum spaces and quantales ‘with enough points’. In [BVDB86] they give a notion of ‘*quantic sheaf*’.

Joyal and Tierney initiated the study of commutative quantales in [JT84]. They observed that many interesting properties of locales can be studied in the more general setting of ‘commutative monoids in the category of complete semi-lattices’ (commutative quantales with unity). There is a strong parallel between such monoids and rings. In particular, Joyal and Tierney show that commutative quantales have a theory of ‘*modules*’ similar to that for rings.

Mulvey’s formulation of quantales does not require $\&$ to have a unit. From a logical point of view this is an omission, because the unit determines which elements of the quantale are considered to represent ‘truths’. An element a of Q is said to be *valid* or *designated* if $1 \leq a$.

The assumption of idempotency is also undesirable from our point of view because it includes the logical principle of contraction. We shall concentrate on commutative non-idempotent quantales and refer to [Yet90] for an account of the quantale semantics of non-commutative linear logic.

Definition 2.2.1 A *commutative quantale with unity* is a structure $\langle Q, \leq, \circ, 1, 0, \top \rangle$ where $\langle Q, \leq, 0, \top \rangle$ is a complete lattice, $\langle Q, \circ, 1 \rangle$ is a commutative

monoid and \circ distributes over suprema, ie.

$$a \circ \left(\bigvee_{i \in S} b_i \right) = \bigvee_{i \in S} (a \circ b_i) \quad (2.12)$$

The multiplication \circ is called *fusion* in the tradition of relevance logic.

Notation 2.2.2 Henceforth, ‘*quantale*’ will mean ‘*commutative quantale with unity*’.

A *quantale homomorphism* is a function $f : Q \rightarrow Q'$ which preserves $1, \circ$ and suprema. Let **CQuant** denote the category of quantales and quantale homomorphisms.

We note that a quantale Q is necessarily a consequence algebra via :

$$a \multimap b = \bigvee \{x \mid x \circ a \leq b\} \quad (2.13)$$

In categorical terms, the functor $(-) \circ b$ from Q to Q preserves colimits and so, since the solution set condition is trivial for partial orders, has a right adjoint $b \multimap (-)$.

Conversely, if Q is consequence algebra whose underlying lattice is complete then Q is a quantale, because the existence of a right adjoint $b \multimap (-)$ ensures that the functor $(-) \circ b$ preserves colimits.

2.2.1 Examples

We know that every locale is a quantale with the multiplication given by binary meet. There are, however, many other forms of quantale. The examples in this section have been chosen to demonstrate their wide diversity and some of the possible pathologies.

Power Set of a Monoid

Let $\langle M, \cdot, e \rangle$ be a commutative monoid. The complete lattice $\langle \wp(M), \subseteq \rangle$ forms a quantale $\mathcal{P}(M)$ with $X \circ Y = XY = \{xy \mid x \in X, y \in Y\}$ and $1 = \{e\}$. The residual $X \multimap Y = \{z \in Q \mid \forall x \in X. xz \in Y\}$ is denoted $X \setminus Y$.

In fact $\mathcal{P}(M)$ is the free quantale on the monoid M .

3-Valued Logic

The behaviour of fusion on the elements $0 \leq 1 \leq \top$ is determined by the definitions: $x \circ 0 = 0$ since 0 is the sup of the empty set, \top is idempotent since $\top = \top \circ 1 \leq \top \circ \top$, and $x \circ 1 = x$ since 1 is the unit for \circ .

$$\begin{array}{c|ccc}
 \circ & 0 & 1 & \top \\
 \hline
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 1 & 0 & 1 & \top \\
 \top & 0 & \top & \top
 \end{array}
 \qquad
 \begin{array}{c|ccc}
 -\circ & 0 & 1 & \top \\
 \hline
 0 & \top & \top & \top \\
 1 & 0 & 1 & \top \\
 \top & 0 & 0 & \top
 \end{array}
 \tag{2.14}$$

The quantale consisting of the three elements $0 \leq 1 \leq \top$ with the induced multiplication has been used by Routley and Meyer as the basis of their three valued relevance logic (see [AB75]). We denote it **RM3**.

Additive Subgroups of a Commutative Ring

The subgroups of a group ordered by inclusion form a complete lattice with $\bigwedge_{\gamma \in I} X_\gamma = \bigcap_{\gamma \in I} X_\gamma$ and $\bigvee_{\gamma \in I} X_\gamma = \{\sum_{1 \leq i \leq n} x_i \mid x_i \in \bigcup_{\gamma \in I} X_\gamma\}$. Let $\langle R, +, 0, \times, 1 \rangle$ be a commutative ring, and consider subgroups of $\langle R, +, 0 \rangle$. We can define a multiplication of subgroups as follows.

$$X \circ Y = \{\sum_{1 \leq i \leq n} (x_i \times y_i) \mid x_i \in X, y_i \in Y\} \tag{2.15}$$

The subgroup generated by $\{1\}$ is a unit for this multiplication (its elements are known as the *integers* of R). As \circ is clearly monotone we need only check that $X \circ \bigvee_{\gamma \in I} Y_i \leq \bigvee_{\gamma \in I} (X \circ Y_i)$.

Suppose that $z \in X \circ \bigvee_{\gamma \in I} Y_i$, then z is a finite sum of terms $x \times \sum_{1 \leq j \leq m} y_j$ where $x \in X$ and $y \in \bigcup_{\gamma \in I} Y_\gamma$. By distributivity, this is just a finite sum of terms $x \times y$ where $y \in Y_\gamma$ ie. an element of $\bigvee_{\gamma \in I} (X \circ Y_i)$.

Similarly, the *ideals* of R form a quantale $\mathbf{Idl}(R)$.

Flat Quantales

Let $\langle M, \cdot, e \rangle$ be a commutative monoid, and let L be the complete lattice whose underlying set is $M \cup \{0, \top\}$ and whose order is defined as

$$x \leq y \iff x = y \text{ or } x = 0 \text{ or } y = \top \quad (2.16)$$

We can extend the multiplication on M to produce a monotone operation on L as follows.

$$x \circ y = \begin{cases} x \cdot y & \text{if } x, y \in M \\ 0 & \text{if } x = 0 \text{ or } y = 0 \\ \top & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \quad (2.17)$$

Now, suppose that $\langle M, \cdot, e \rangle$ is a commutative *cancellation* monoid. That is, for all $x, y \in M$ there is at most one $z \in M$ such that $xz = y$. We can define linear implication as follows.

$$x \multimap y = \begin{cases} \top & \text{if } x = 0 \text{ or } y = \top \\ z & \text{if } x, y \in M \text{ and } x \cdot z = y \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \quad (2.18)$$

It is easy to check that $x \multimap (-)$ is right adjoint to $(-) \circ x$, from which it follows that $\langle M \cup \{0, \top\}, \circ, e, \leq \rangle$ is a quantale. We call it the *flat quantale* on M and denote it $\mathcal{F}(M)$. The three element quantale **RM3** is the flat quantale on the trivial monoid.

Recall that an element of a quantale is said to be *designated* if it is greater than or equal to the unit, and that the designated elements are intended to represent linear ‘truths’. It is interesting to note that if G is a non-trivial abelian group then for any element $a \neq e$ we have that $aa^{-1} = e$ is a designated element of $\mathcal{F}(G)$ despite the fact that neither a nor a^{-1} is designated. In terms of linear logic, we have a conjunction which is valid as a whole without either of its conjuncts being valid.

Ordinal examples

An ordinal is a set whose elements are well ordered by membership. For any ordinal α let O_α be the set $\alpha + 1 = \alpha \cup \{\alpha\}$ with the opposite of the membership

order. This is a complete lattice with the supremum of $S \subseteq O_\alpha$ given by the least element of S with respect to the order of $\alpha + 1$. Fusion is based on ordinal addition.

$$\beta \circ \gamma = \min\{\beta + \gamma, \alpha\} \quad (2.19)$$

The distributivity is derived from the well-ordering of $\alpha + 1$ as follows.

$$\beta \circ \bigvee_{i \in I} \gamma_i = \min\{\beta + \min_{i \in I}(\gamma_i), \alpha\} \quad (2.20)$$

$$= \min\{\min_{i \in I}(\beta + \gamma_i), \alpha\} \quad (2.21)$$

$$= \min_{i \in I}(\min\{\beta + \gamma_i, \alpha\}) \quad (2.22)$$

$$= \bigvee_{i \in I}(\beta \circ \gamma_i) \quad (2.23)$$

In general, there is very little we can say about the relationship between fusion and meet. The ordinal examples illustrate the fact that fusion might not distribute over infs of chains. For example, consider the descending chain $1 \geq 2 \geq \dots \geq n \geq \dots$ in $O_{2\omega}$. We have $\bigwedge_{n \in \omega} 1 \circ n = \omega$ but $1 \circ \bigwedge_{n \in \omega} n = \omega + 1$.

Reals with ∞

Let $[0, \infty]$ be the ordered set of non-negative reals together with a maximum element ∞ and let $[0, \infty]^{op}$ be the same set with the opposite order. Addition is extended to ∞ by defining $x + \infty = \infty$ for all x . Every subset of $[0, \infty]$ has an infimum by the elementary properties of the reals, so $[0, \infty]^{op}$ is a complete lattice. Furthermore it is residuated

$$x + y \geq z \iff x \geq y \dot{-} z \quad (2.24)$$

where $\dot{-}$ denotes truncated subtraction given by :

$$a \dot{-} b = \begin{cases} a - b & \text{if } b \leq a \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \quad (2.25)$$

Thus $\mathfrak{R} = \langle [0, \infty]^{op}, +, 0 \rangle$ is a quantale. Note that the function $x \mapsto 2^{-x}$ is an isomorphism of quantaes between \mathfrak{R} and $\langle [0, 1], \leq, \times, 1 \rangle$.

2.2.2 Quotients and Nuclei

In this section, we review some basic results in the theory of quantales.

Recall [Bir48] that a *closure* (resp. *co-closure*) operation on a complete lattice L is an order preserving function $c : L \rightarrow L$ which is *increasing* (resp. *decreasing*) and idempotent. That is, $x \leq c(x)$ (resp. $c(x) \leq x$) and $c(c(x)) = c(x)$. We say that an element x of L is *c-closed* if $c(x) = x$, or equivalently if x lies in the image of c .

Definitions 2.2.3

1. A *quantic nucleus* on a quantale Q is a closure operation $j : Q \rightarrow Q$ such that for all $x, y \in Q$

$$j(x) \circ j(y) \leq j(x \circ y) \quad (2.26)$$

2. A *quantic conucleus* on Q is a co-closure operation $h : Q \rightarrow Q$ such that for all $x, y \in Q$

$$1 \leq h(1) \quad (2.27)$$

$$h(x) \circ h(y) \leq h(x \circ y) \quad (2.28)$$

In the terminology of the next chapter, quantales are a particular form of symmetric monoidal category and the conditions 2.26, 2.27 and 2.28 say that nuclei and conuclei are *monoidal functors*. Of course, the condition on a nucleus j which corresponds to 2.27 is already given by the fact that j is increasing.

The following result gives an easy way to identify quantic nuclei.

Lemma 2.2.4 [NR88] *A function $j : Q \rightarrow Q$ is a quantic nucleus if and only if $x \multimap j(y) = j(x) \multimap j(y)$ for all $x, y \in Q$.*

Quantic nuclei are important in that they give a way of constructing new quantales from old.

Lemma 2.2.5 [NR88] *The image Q_j of a quantic nucleus $j : Q \rightarrow Q$ forms a quantale with $1' = j(1)$, $x \circ' y = j(x \circ y)$, and $\bigvee'_{i \in I} x_i = j(\bigvee_{i \in I} x_i)$.*

The meet of a family of j -closed elements in Q is again j -closed, so infima in Q_j coincide with those of Q . This is also true for linear implications.

Clearly, we can regard a quantic nucleus $j : Q \rightarrow Q$ as a surjective map of quantales from Q to Q_j . Moreover, every surjective map of quantales $e : Q \rightarrow Q'$ is isomorphic to one produced in this way. Since e preserves suprema it has a right adjoint $e' : Q' \rightarrow Q$ defined by

$$e'(y) = \bigvee \{x \mid e(x) = y\} \quad (2.29)$$

Let $j : Q \rightarrow Q$ be the composite $e'e$. It is not difficult to show that j is a quantic nucleus and that e factors through $j : Q \rightarrow Q_j$ by an isomorphism $Q_j \cong Q'$.

Thus, the image Q_j of a quantic nucleus j is called a *quantic quotient*. The following lemma allows us to readily identify such quotients.

Lemma 2.2.6 [NR88] *A subset S of the quantale Q is a quantic quotient if and only if S is closed under \wedge and $x \multimap s \in S$ whenever $x \in Q$ and $s \in S$.*

We note from [Ros90] that every quantale can be presented as the quotient of the free quantale over a monoid M . Consider Q as a monoid and let $j : \mathcal{P}(Q) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(Q)$ be the function which maps a subset S of Q to the set of elements below $\bigvee(S)$. Then j is a quantic nucleus and $Q \cong \mathcal{P}(Q)_j$.

By the subset ordering on quotients, the quantic nuclei on Q form a complete lattice $\mathbf{N}(Q)$. This is isomorphic to the lattice of congruence relations on Q . It follows from the above that every quantale has a presentation in terms of *generators* and *relations* (see [Vic89]).

Examples 2.2.7

1. For any $p \in Q$, $t_p = p \multimap (p \circ (-)) : Q \rightarrow Q$ is a quantic nucleus.
2. $p \circ (-) : Q \rightarrow Q$ is a quantic nucleus if and only if p is an idempotent greater than 1. This is true if and only if $p \circ (-) = t_p$. In particular, $\top \circ (-)$ is a quantic nucleus.

3. $u_p = p \multimap (-) : Q \rightarrow Q$ is a quantic nucleus if and only if p is an idempotent less than 1. This is true if and only if $p \multimap (-) = t_p$.
4. $c_p = p \vee (-)$ is a quantic nucleus if and only if $p \circ \top \leq p$.

Proposition 2.2.8 *Let Q be a commutative quantale and b be any element of Q . Then $j(-) = ((-) \multimap b) \multimap b$ is a quantic nucleus. Furthermore, b is j -closed and the operation $(-) \multimap b$ is an involution on Q_j .*

Applying this construction to the free quantale on a commutative monoid, we obtain Girard's *phase semantics* for *classical linear logic*. We define a *Girard quantale* to be a quantale Q with an element \perp such that the operation $(-)^\perp$ defined by $x^\perp = x \multimap \perp$ is an involution. A simple example is given by **RM3** with $\perp = 1$.

We turn our attention briefly to conuclei.

Lemma 2.2.9 *Let $h : Q \rightarrow Q$ be a quantic conucleus. The image Q_h of h is a subquantale of Q . That is, Q_h contains the unit and is closed under \circ and \vee .*

The modal operator $!(-)$ can be interpreted as a conucleus. As $!$ -closed formulae are required to satisfy weakening and contraction, $!\phi$ must be interpreted by an idempotent element less than 1. The set of such elements form a locale, in fact the largest localic subquantale of Q . We take the interpretation of $!(-)$ to be the corresponding conucleus.

2.2.3 Resource Semantics

In this section, we aim to elucidate the conservation principles which are implicit in linear logic by developing a semantics based on an abstract notion of *resource*. These ideas will be used later on in the construction of the presheaf example of chapter 4. The resource semantics is similar in style to the semantics for relevance logic proposed by Urquhart [Urq72], Routley and Meyer [RM72], and Fine [Fin74]; an account of which can be found in [Dun86]. Similar ideas have been used by Dam

[Dam88,Dam90] to analyse the compositional properties of processes in Milner's CCS.

The minimum requirement of an abstract notion of resource is that there is an operation which combines resources. We shall go further and require that resources form a commutative monoid. A linear proposition ϕ will be modelled by the set of resources sufficient to prove it. Thus interpreting linear propositions in the power set of a monoid M gives a simple resource semantics. It is helpful to think of M as the natural numbers $\langle \mathbb{N}, +, 0, \leq \rangle$ and suppose that we are counting the number of computation steps in some process that will validate ϕ . Alternatively, if every element of M is idempotent then we can imagine that they are '*pieces of information*' which might allow us to deduce ϕ , and this is Urquhart's semi-lattice semantics [Urq72].

There may also be a partial order representing the idea that one resource is better than another, in the sense that it *can prove more facts*.

Definition 2.2.10 A *resource model* of propositional linear logic is a structure $\langle M, \cdot, e, \leq, \models \rangle$ where $\langle M, \cdot, e \rangle$ is a commutative monoid, \leq is a partial order on M such that multiplication is monotone in both arguments, and \models is a relation between elements of M and atomic propositions of intuitionistic linear logic which satisfies

$$x \leq y \text{ and } x \models \phi \quad \Rightarrow \quad y \models \phi \quad (2.30)$$

The relation \models can be extended to all linear propositions as follows.

$$x \models \phi \vee \psi \quad \Longleftrightarrow \quad x \models \phi \text{ or } x \models \psi \quad (2.31)$$

$$x \models \phi \wedge \psi \quad \Longleftrightarrow \quad x \models \phi \text{ and } x \models \psi \quad (2.32)$$

$$x \models \phi \circ \psi \quad \Longleftrightarrow \quad \exists y, z \in M (yz \leq x \text{ and } y \models \phi \text{ and } z \models \psi) \quad (2.33)$$

$$x \models \phi \multimap \psi \quad \Longleftrightarrow \quad \forall y \in M (y \models \phi \Rightarrow xy \models \psi) \quad (2.34)$$

$$x \models 1 \quad \Longleftrightarrow \quad e \leq x \quad (2.35)$$

$$x \models \top \quad \text{for all } x \in M \quad (2.36)$$

$$x \not\models 0 \quad \text{for any } x \in M \quad (2.37)$$

A sequent $\Gamma \vdash \phi$ is *valid* in the model $\langle M, \cdot, e, \leq, \models \rangle$ if $x \models \theta$ implies that $x \models \phi$, where θ is the fusion of formulae in Γ and is 1 when Γ is empty.

There is a straightforward connection between the resource semantics given above and the consequence algebra semantics. For any subset S of the monoid M let $\uparrow(S)$ denote the upward closure of S . As multiplication in M is monotone in both arguments, $\uparrow: \mathcal{P}(M) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(M)$ is a quantic nucleus whose image $\mathcal{P}(M)_{\uparrow}$ is the upwardly closed subsets of M . The resource semantics corresponds to an interpretation of linear propositions in the quantale $\mathcal{P}(M)_{\uparrow}$ and hence propositional intuitionistic linear logic is sound with respect to this semantics.

The interpretation of the linear connectives given above captures the intention of the relational semantics of Routley and Meyer [RM72]. Their ternary relation R can be defined as

$$Rxyz \iff xy \leq z \tag{2.38}$$

Note 2.2.11 Linear logic is not complete with respect to the resource semantics since the distributive law below is valid in all resource models but is not a derivable sequent of linear logic.

$$\phi \wedge (\psi \vee \theta) \vdash (\phi \wedge \psi) \vee (\phi \wedge \theta) \tag{2.39}$$

See [Rea88] for a discussion of linear logic with this additional rule.

Chapter 3

Symmetric Monoidal Closed Categories

There is now a well established correspondence between *type theories* and classes of ‘*category with structure*’ [See84,See87a,HP88]. This is often expressed as an equivalence between a category of type theories and the corresponding category of categories. Two important examples, both contained in [LS86], are the correspondence between elementary topoi and higher order intuitionistic type theory, and that between cartesian closed categories and the simply typed λ -calculus.

Symmetric monoidal closed categories are a mild, but important, generalisation of cartesian closed categories, and it is therefore natural to seek a syntactic analogue of these categories. In this chapter, we present a form of *linear type theory*, denoted LTT, and we state and prove a correspondence between LTT and symmetric monoidal closed categories. The system LTT forms a type theoretic basis for the logic of chapter 6.

In section 3.1, we define symmetric monoidal closed categories and give some standard examples. In the next chapter, we study in detail two further examples which are, perhaps, more interesting because they are actually derived from a consideration of linear logic.

In section 3.2, we introduce the language of LTT which consists of types and terms with restrictions placed on the occurrence of variables. In contrast to the other examples mentioned above, symmetric monoidal closed categories have less structure than cartesian closed categories. We must therefore limit the expressiveness of the syntax to the fragment of equational reasoning that is valid in a

symmetric monoidal closed category. In general, the tensor product of a symmetric monoidal closed category has no diagonal map, so we must restrict ourselves to terms in which there is no repetition of variables. We allow equational axioms between terms provided that the same variables occur on each side.

The definition of linear type theory is parametric in three arguments: a set B of *basic types*, a set \mathcal{F} of *function symbols*, and a set E of *equational axioms*. We use $\text{LTT}(B, \mathcal{F}, E)$ to denote the language defined with parameters B, \mathcal{F} and E .

In section 3.3, we define an *interpretation* of a linear type theory in a symmetric monoidal closed category \mathcal{C} , and give a syntactic construction to show that for every theory $\text{LTT}(B, \mathcal{F}, E)$ there exists an ‘*initial model*’ $\mathcal{T}_0(B, \mathcal{F}, E)$.

In section 3.4, we give examples of equational theories to illustrate the sort of equational reasoning that that is possible within a symmetric monoidal closed category. The first of these is a simple theory of monoids and monoid actions. The examples include quantales, which are monoids in the category \mathbf{CSLat} of complete semilattices, and rings, which are monoids in \mathbf{Ab} .

The idea that category theory itself can be internalised in a symmetric monoidal closed category is the foundation of *enriched category theory* [Kel82], and indeed ‘categories’ form the second of our examples.

Finally, we modify LTT so that it includes equations between types, and show that for any symmetric monoidal closed category \mathcal{C} there exists a (modified) linear type theory whose initial model is \mathcal{C} . This gives an equivalence between the category \mathbf{LTT} of linear type theories and the category \mathbf{SMCC} of symmetric monoidal closed categories.

3.1 Symmetric Monoidal Closed Categories

Definition 3.1.1 A *monoidal category* $\mathcal{C} = \langle \mathcal{C}, \otimes, I, a, l, r \rangle$ consists of a category \mathcal{C} , a functor $\otimes : \mathcal{C} \times \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$, an object I of \mathcal{C} , and natural isomorphisms

$$a_{X,Y,Z} : (X \otimes Y) \otimes Z \rightarrow X \otimes (Y \otimes Z) \quad (3.1)$$

$$l_X : I \otimes X \rightarrow X \quad (3.2)$$

$$r_X : X \otimes I \rightarrow X \quad (3.3)$$

which satisfy the following *coherence axioms*.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} ((W \otimes X) \otimes Y) \otimes Z & \xrightarrow{a \otimes 1} & (W \otimes (X \otimes Y)) \otimes Z \\ \downarrow a & & \downarrow a \\ (W \otimes X) \otimes (Y \otimes Z) & & \\ \downarrow a & & \\ W \otimes (X \otimes (Y \otimes Z)) & \xleftarrow{1 \otimes a} & W \otimes ((X \otimes Y) \otimes Z) \end{array} \quad (3.4)$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} (X \otimes I) \otimes Y & \xrightarrow{a} & X \otimes (I \otimes Y) \\ \searrow r \otimes 1 & & \swarrow 1 \otimes l \\ & X \otimes Y & \end{array} \quad (3.5)$$

These are called the *pentagon* and *triangle* laws respectively. A monoidal category is said to be *strict* if a, l, r are identities.

Definition 3.1.2 A *symmetry* for a monoidal category $\langle \mathcal{C}, \otimes, I, a, l, r \rangle$ is a natural transformation $c_{X,Y} : X \otimes Y \rightarrow Y \otimes X$ satisfying the following coherence axioms.

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} (X \otimes Y) \otimes Z & \xrightarrow{a} & X \otimes (Y \otimes Z) & \xrightarrow{c} & (Y \otimes Z) \otimes X \\ \downarrow c \otimes 1 & & & & \downarrow a \\ (Y \otimes X) \otimes Z & \xrightarrow{a} & Y \otimes (X \otimes Z) & \xrightarrow{1 \otimes c} & Y \otimes (Z \otimes X) \end{array} \quad (3.6)$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 X \otimes Y & & I \otimes X \xrightarrow{c} X \otimes I \\
 \downarrow c \quad \searrow 1 & & \searrow l \quad \swarrow r \\
 Y \otimes X \xrightarrow{c} X \otimes Y & & X
 \end{array} \tag{3.7}$$

A *symmetric monoidal category* is a monoidal category equipped with a symmetry.

If \mathcal{C} is a category with finite products then \mathcal{C} is a symmetric monoidal category with \otimes given by the cartesian product, I the terminal object, and a, c, l given by appropriate combinations of pairing and projection.

Definition 3.1.3 A symmetric monoidal category \mathcal{C} is *closed* if for each $X \in \text{Obj}(\mathcal{C})$ the functor $(-) \otimes X$ has a specified right adjoint $[X, -]$.

That is, there exist natural transformations

$$\begin{aligned}
 \varepsilon_{X,Y} &: [X, Y] \otimes X \rightarrow Y \\
 \delta_{X,Y} &: X \rightarrow [Y, X \otimes Y]
 \end{aligned}$$

which satisfy the triangle identities for an adjunction :

$$1 = \varepsilon(\delta \otimes 1) : X \otimes Y \rightarrow [Y, X \otimes Y] \otimes Y \rightarrow X \otimes Y \tag{3.8}$$

$$1 = [1, \varepsilon]\delta : [X, Y] \rightarrow [X, [X, Y] \otimes X] \rightarrow [X, Y] \tag{3.9}$$

The notion of an adjunction has several equivalent formulations [ML71, page 81], and we can also usefully state the definition of closure in terms of a universal property :

Lemma 3.1.4 A symmetric monoidal category \mathcal{C} is closed if for each $X, Y \in \text{Obj}(\mathcal{C})$ there exists an object $[X, Y]$ and an arrow $\varepsilon_{X,Y} : [X, Y] \otimes X \rightarrow Y$ which is universal from $(-) \otimes X$ to Y . That is, whenever $f : Z \otimes X \rightarrow Y$ is a morphism of \mathcal{C} , there exists a unique map $\lambda(f) : Z \rightarrow [X, Y]$ such that $\varepsilon_{X,Y}(\lambda(f) \otimes 1_X) = f$.

Remark 3.1.5 If \mathcal{C} is a symmetric monoidal closed category then, by the parameter theorem for adjunctions [ML71, page 100], there is a unique way to ‘piece

together' the hom functors $[X, -]$ to give a single functor $[-, -] : \mathcal{C}^{op} \times \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ such that the isomorphism

$$\mathcal{C}(Z \otimes X, Y) \cong \mathcal{C}(Z, [X, Y])$$

is natural in X, Y and Z .

Example 3.1.6 Perhaps the best known example of a symmetric monoidal closed category is the category **Ab** of abelian groups.

The tensor product of two abelian groups A and B is the abelian group generated by elements $a \otimes b$ with $a \in A$ and $b \in B$ subject to the relations

$$(a_1 + a_2) \otimes b = (a_1 \otimes b) + (a_2 \otimes b) \quad (3.10)$$

$$a \otimes (b_1 + b_2) = (a \otimes b_1) + (a \otimes b_2) \quad (3.11)$$

The unit for \otimes is given by \mathbb{Z} , the group of integers under addition. The internal hom $[A, B]$ is the set of all group homomorphisms from A to B with addition defined pointwise :

$$(f + g)(a) = f(a) + g(a) \quad (3.12)$$

and identity given by the trivial homomorphism mapping all of A to the zero in B .

In fact, the symmetric monoidal closed structure on **Ab** is a special case of that on the category $R\text{-Mod}$ of modules over a ring R , since **Ab** is equivalent to $\mathbb{Z}\text{-Mod}$ where \mathbb{Z} is the *ring* of integers.

Examples 3.1.7

1. Every consequence algebra, and hence every quantale, is strict symmetric monoidal closed when viewed as a category.
2. A category \mathcal{C} with finite products is said to be *cartesian closed* if it is closed with respect to \times . Examples of cartesian closed categories include **Set**, the category **Poset** of partial orders and order preserving maps, the category **Cat** of all small categories, the category **CPO** of partial orders with sups of ω -chains and Scott continuous maps between them [Sch86], Heyting algebras, and topoi.

3. The category of (generalised) metric spaces and distance decreasing maps (see section 4.2).
4. The category \mathbf{Set}_* of sets with a distinguished element $*$ and functions which preserve that element. The tensor product $X \otimes Y$ is the quotient of $X \times Y \cup \{*\}$ under the smallest equivalence relation containing the relations $\langle x, * \rangle \equiv * \equiv \langle *, y \rangle$ for all $x \in X$ and $y \in Y$. The unit I is the set $\{*\}$ and the internal hom $[X, Y]$ is the function space Y^X with distinguished element given by the constant function mapping all of X to $*$.

3.1.1 Monoidal Functors

There is more than one interesting notion of map between symmetric monoidal closed categories \mathcal{C} and \mathcal{D} . The most obvious is to take a functor $F : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$ which preserves all the structure on the nose. A more subtle notion is a functor which preserves the tensor product and unit up to a *comparison*. That is, $F(X \otimes Y)$ and $F(X) \otimes F(Y)$ are not necessarily equal, but there is a comparison map $F(X) \otimes F(Y) \rightarrow F(X \otimes Y)$ between them subject to certain coherence conditions. Quantic nuclei are an example of such a functor.

Definition 3.1.8 Let \mathcal{C}, \mathcal{D} be symmetric monoidal categories. A *symmetric monoidal functor* from \mathcal{C} to \mathcal{D} is a triple $\langle F, \tilde{F}, F^0 \rangle$ where $F : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$ is a functor, F^0 is a morphism $I \rightarrow F(I)$ in \mathcal{D} and \tilde{F} is natural transformation with components $\tilde{F}_{X,Y} : F(X) \otimes F(Y) \rightarrow F(X \otimes Y)$. The following coherence axioms are required.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 (F(X) \otimes F(Y)) \otimes F(Z) & \xrightarrow{a} & F(X) \otimes (F(Y) \otimes F(Z)) \\
 \tilde{F} \otimes 1 \downarrow & & \downarrow 1 \otimes \tilde{F} \\
 F(X \otimes Y) \otimes F(Z) & & F(X) \otimes F(Y \otimes Z) \\
 \tilde{F} \downarrow & & \downarrow \tilde{F} \\
 F((X \otimes Y) \otimes Z) & \xrightarrow{F(a)} & F(X \otimes (Y \otimes Z))
 \end{array} \tag{3.13}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 I \otimes F(X) & \xrightarrow{l} & F(X) \\
 F^0 \otimes 1 \downarrow & & \uparrow F(l) \\
 F(I) \otimes F(X) & \xrightarrow{\tilde{F}} & F(X \otimes I)
 \end{array} \tag{3.14}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 F(X) \otimes F(Y) & \xrightarrow{c} & F(Y) \otimes F(X) \\
 \tilde{F} \downarrow & & \downarrow \tilde{F} \\
 F(X \otimes Y) & \xrightarrow{F(c)} & F(Y \otimes X)
 \end{array} \tag{3.15}$$

Remark 3.1.9 In the nonsymmetric case we would need to give a coherence condition for r , but here it follows from the conditions on l, c and the fact that $r = lc$.

Note that the existence of a comparison $\tilde{F} : F(X) \otimes F(Y) \rightarrow F(X \otimes Y)$ automatically gives the following comparison for the internal hom.

$$\hat{F}_{X,Y} = \lambda(F(\varepsilon)\tilde{F}) : F[X, Y] \rightarrow [F(X), F(Y)] \tag{3.16}$$

The next definition gives some of the stronger notions of map between symmetric monoidal closed categories.

Definition 3.1.10 A symmetric monoidal functor $\langle F, \tilde{F}, F^0 \rangle : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$ is said to be

1. *strong* if F^0 and \tilde{F} are natural isomorphisms,
2. *strict* if F^0 and \tilde{F} are identities,
3. *strong closed* if F^0 and \hat{F} are natural isomorphisms,
4. *strict closed* if F^0 and \hat{F} are identities.

Quantale homomorphisms are examples of strict monoidal functors, but are not necessarily strict closed. The *linear doctrines* defined in chapter 7 (definition 7.1.5) are strict monoidal strict closed.

3.2 Linear Type Theory

In this section, we use a language of combinators and types to give a syntactic presentation of symmetric monoidal closed categories. This is based on Jay's language for monoidal categories [Jay89a, Jay90] but also bears some relation to the language of Lafont's *linear abstract machine* [Laf88].

3.2.1 Types

Let $B = \{X, Y, Z, \dots\}$ be a set of *basic types*. The set \mathcal{T} of *types* is built inductively from basic types and the *unit type* I , by the application of the binary type constructors *tensor product* \otimes and *internal hom* $[-, -]$.

$$t ::= I \mid X \mid t_1 \otimes t_2 \mid [t_1, t_2] \quad (3.17)$$

3.2.2 Combinators

The basic combinators are given below, together with their type.

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{Id}_A & : A \rightarrow A \\ \mathbf{assl}_{A,B,C} & : A \otimes (B \otimes C) \rightarrow (A \otimes B) \otimes C \\ \mathbf{assr}_{A,B,C} & : (A \otimes B) \otimes C \rightarrow A \otimes (B \otimes C) \\ \mathbf{swap}_{A,B} & : A \otimes B \rightarrow B \otimes A \\ \mathbf{open}_A & : A \rightarrow I \otimes A \\ \mathbf{close}_A & : I \otimes A \rightarrow A \\ \mathbf{eval}_{A,B} & : [A, B] \otimes A \rightarrow B \end{aligned} \quad (3.18)$$

In addition to the basic combinators above, we have a set \mathcal{F} of *function symbols*. Each $F \in \mathcal{F}$ has a specified type $F : A \rightarrow B$. General combinators are built

inductively from the function symbols and basic combinators by the following three rules.

$$\frac{\alpha : A \rightarrow B \quad \beta : B \rightarrow C}{\beta \bullet \alpha : A \rightarrow C} \quad (3.19)$$

$$\frac{\alpha : A \rightarrow B \quad \beta : C \rightarrow D}{\alpha \otimes \beta : A \otimes C \rightarrow B \otimes D} \quad (3.20)$$

$$\frac{\alpha : A \otimes B \rightarrow C}{\Lambda(\alpha) : A \rightarrow [B, C]} \quad (3.21)$$

In the tradition of the λ -calculus, we call $\Lambda(\alpha)$ the ‘*currying of α* ’.

3.2.3 Type Assignment and the Calculation of Subscripts

The combinators given above are explicitly typed. In proposition 3.2.3, we show that the subscripts on the basic components of a combinator α are uniquely determined by its type, and so can be dropped whenever the type is clear from the context. To do this we briefly consider an extension of the system of types which includes *type variables*. The *type expressions* are given by the following BNF grammar

$$e ::= I \mid X \mid x \mid e_1 \otimes e_2 \mid [e_1, e_2]$$

where x ranges over type variables. The *basic combinator schemes* are given by 3.18 where A, B, C are taken to range over type expressions. Function symbols are assumed to have a specified type $U \rightarrow V$ with no type variables. General combinator schemes are built up from basic schemes and function symbols using the rules 3.19 to 3.21.

In addition to the combinator schemes, we need to consider combinator expressions without subscripts. The *untyped combinators* are given by the following BNF grammar

$$c ::= \text{Id} \mid \text{assl} \mid \text{assr} \mid \text{swap} \mid \text{open} \mid \text{close} \mid \text{eval} \\ F \mid c_1 \bullet c_2 \mid c_1 \otimes c_2 \mid \Lambda(c) \quad (3.22)$$

If α is a combinator scheme then $\text{erase}(\alpha)$ denotes the untyped combinator derived from α by deleting the subscripts on basic components, eg.

$$\text{erase}(\text{open}_{[X,Y]} \bullet \Lambda(\text{eval}_{X,Y} \bullet \text{eval}_{X,[X,Y] \otimes X})) = \text{open} \bullet \Lambda(\text{eval} \bullet \text{eval})$$

Not all of the untyped combinators have a typed counterpart, $\text{swap} \bullet \Lambda(\text{swap})$ for example. We say that an untyped combinator γ is *stratified* if there exists a combinator scheme α with $\text{erase}(\alpha) = \gamma$.

We say that a combinator scheme $\alpha' : A' \rightarrow B'$ is a *substitution instance* of a scheme $\alpha : A \rightarrow B$ if there exists a simultaneous substitution θ of type expressions for type variables which maps A to A' , B to B' and α to α' . The following result says that if an untyped combinator γ is stratified then there exists a *most general* combinator scheme with erasure γ . This is similar to the *principal types* lemma found in [HS86].

Lemma 3.2.1 *If an untyped combinator γ is stratified then there exists a combinator scheme $\beta : C \rightarrow D$ such that $\text{erase}(\beta) = \gamma$ and, furthermore, whenever $\text{erase}(\beta') = \gamma$ then β' is a substitution instance of β .*

Proof. By induction on the structure of γ . Note that for any combinator scheme $\beta : A \rightarrow B$ with $\text{erase}(\beta) = \gamma$, the structure of the type derivation of β is exactly determined by the structure of γ .

The only difficult case is $\gamma = \gamma_1 \bullet \gamma_2$. By the induction hypothesis, there exist $\beta_1 : A \rightarrow B$ and $\beta_2 : B' \rightarrow C$ which are the most general combinator schemes such that $\text{erase}(\beta_i) = \gamma_i$ for $i = 1, 2$. We know that there exists a combinator scheme α such that $\text{erase}(\alpha) = \gamma$, so by examination of the type derivation of α there is at least one substitution of type expressions for type variables which makes B and B' equal. Thus, by the first order unification theorem (see [Rob79]), there exists a most general one θ . It is routine to verify that $\theta(\beta_2) \bullet \theta(\beta_1) : \theta(A) \rightarrow \theta(B)$ is the most general combinator scheme with $\text{erase}(\beta) = \gamma$. \square

Lemma 3.2.2 *Let $\beta : B \rightarrow C$ be a combinator scheme. Then every type variable in the subscripts of β appears either in B or in C .¹*

Proof. By induction on the structure of the type derivation.

Again, the only difficult case is the composition rule 3.19. Suppose that $\beta = \beta_2 \bullet \beta_1$ where $\beta_1 : B \rightarrow D$ and $\beta_2 : D \rightarrow C$. We use the fact that the combinators of LTT correspond to the consequence relation of intuitionistic linear logic. For each type variable x let v_x be a mapping of type expressions into the quantale **RM3** such that

$$v_x(A) = \begin{cases} \top & \text{if } A = x \\ v_x(A_1) \circ v_x(A_2) & \text{if } A = A_1 \otimes A_2 \\ v_x(A_1) -\circ v_x(A_2) & \text{if } A = [A_1, A_2] \\ 1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \quad (3.23)$$

Note that $v_x(A) = 1$ if and only if x does not occur in A . We can show inductively that if $\gamma : G \rightarrow H$ is a combinator scheme then $v_x(G) \leq v_x(H)$. For example, if γ is a function symbol then G and H contain no type variables, so $v_x(G) = v_x(H) = 1$.

If the type variable x does not appear in C or D above then

$$1 = v_x(B) \leq v_x(D) \leq v_x(C) = 1 \quad (3.24)$$

so x does not occur in D either. □

Proposition 3.2.3 *Let α, α' be combinators with the same type. If $\text{erase}(\alpha) = \text{erase}(\alpha')$ then $\alpha = \alpha'$.*

Proof.

Let $\beta : B \rightarrow C$ be the most general combinator with $\text{erase}(\beta) = \text{erase}(\alpha)$. It follows that both α, α' are substitution instances of β . As every type variable

¹This is related to a result by Kelly and Mac Lane [KML71] which says that the allowable natural transformations of a closed category have ‘graphs’ which do not contain any loops.

occurring in the subscripts of β appears in B or C , it suffices to know the domain and codomain of α to calculate a substitution θ such that $\alpha = \theta\beta$. Hence α, α' must be equal because they have the same domain and codomain. \square

Proposition 3.2.3 shows that the subscripts on a combinator are uniquely determined by its type, and the proof of lemma 3.2.1 embodies an algorithm for calculating them. Thus, we shall omit the subscripts from combinators when the overall type is clear. However, there are important situations where this is not the case (see remark 6.3.3) and the subscripts must be retained.

3.2.4 Derived Combinators

The following combinators are important enough to merit names.

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{hold}_{A,B} &= \Lambda(\mathbf{Id}) \\
&: A \rightarrow [B, A \otimes B] \\
\mathbf{inter}_{A,B,C,D} &= \mathbf{assr} \bullet ((\mathbf{assl} \bullet (\mathbf{Id} \otimes \mathbf{swap}) \bullet \mathbf{assr}) \otimes \mathbf{Id}) \bullet \mathbf{assl} \\
&: (A \otimes B) \otimes (C \otimes D) \rightarrow (A \otimes C) \otimes (B \otimes D) \\
\mathbf{tensor}_{A,B,C,D} &= \Lambda((\mathbf{eval} \otimes \mathbf{eval}) \bullet \mathbf{inter}) \\
&: [A, C] \otimes [B, D] \rightarrow [A \otimes B, C \otimes D] \\
\mathbf{comp}_{A,B,C} &= \Lambda(\mathbf{eval} \bullet (\mathbf{Id} \otimes \mathbf{eval}) \bullet \mathbf{assr}) \\
&: [B, C] \otimes [A, B] \rightarrow [A, C] \\
\mathbf{curry}_{A,B,C} &= \Lambda(\Lambda(\mathbf{eval} \bullet \mathbf{assr})) \\
&: [A \otimes B, C] \rightarrow [A, [B, C]]
\end{aligned}$$

If $\alpha : A' \rightarrow A$ and $\beta : B \rightarrow B'$ then we can define a combinator $[\alpha, \beta] : [A, B] \rightarrow [A', B']$ which corresponds to the morphism part of the hom functor.

$$[\alpha, \beta] = \Lambda(\beta \bullet \mathbf{eval} \bullet (1 \otimes \alpha)) \quad (3.25)$$

3.2.5 Variables and Terms

We assume that we have a countably infinite set $\mathit{var}(A) = \{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n, \dots\}$ of variables for each type A in \mathcal{T} . The following rules generate a set of *preterms* for each type A .

1. $() \in \text{preterm}(I)$.
2. If $a \in \text{var}(A)$ then $a \in \text{preterm}(A)$.
3. If $s \in \text{preterm}(A)$ and $t \in \text{preterm}(B)$ then $(s, t) \in \text{preterm}(A \otimes B)$.
4. If $s \in \text{preterm}(A)$ and $\alpha : A \rightarrow B$ then $\alpha(s) \in \text{preterm}(B)$ ².

A preterm s is a *term* if no variable occurs more than once in s . Thus $(F(x), \text{eval}(\text{comp}(f, g), y))$ is a term but $\text{swap}(x, x)$ is not. The set of terms of type A is denoted $\text{term}(A)$.

We say that a term is *basic* if it contains no combinators. Thus basic terms are built from variables and round brackets only. A basic term $(x, y) \in \text{term}(A \otimes B)$ is essentially a variable of the tensor type. The reason for introducing single variables $v \in \text{var}(A \otimes B)$ is to give a clean definition of substitution.

If t is a preterm and v is a variable of the same type then for any preterm s we can define the preterm $s[t/v]$, the result of substituting t for v in s as follows.

$$()[t/v] = () \quad (3.26)$$

$$w[t/v] = \begin{cases} t & \text{if } v = w \\ w & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \quad (3.27)$$

$$(s_1, s_2)[t/v] = (s_1[t/v], s_2[t/v]) \quad (3.28)$$

$$\alpha(s)[t/v] = \alpha(s[t/v]) \quad (3.29)$$

Lemma 3.2.4 *If s, t are terms with no variables in common, and v is a variable with the same type as t , then $s[t/v]$ is a term.*

Proof. Easy induction on the structure of s . □

²If $s = ()$ or $s = (t, u)$ then shall omit the brackets and write αs .

3.2.6 Equations between terms

Definition 3.2.5 An equivalence relation \approx on terms is *substitutive* if it satisfies the following two conditions.

1. whenever t_1, t_2 are terms with the same type as a variable v and s_1, s_2 are terms whose variables do not appear in t_1, t_2 then

$$s_1 \approx s_2 \text{ and } t_1 \approx t_2 \quad \Rightarrow \quad s_1[t_1/v] \approx s_2[t_2/v] \quad (3.30)$$

2. whenever x is a basic term with the same type as v , and none of the variables of x already appear in s_1, s_2 then

$$s_1[x/v] \approx s_2[x/v] \quad \Rightarrow \quad s_1 \approx s_2 \quad (3.31)$$

This second condition will allow us to assume that variables of the tensor type are actually pairs.

Definition 3.2.6 An equivalence relation \approx on terms is *extensional* if whenever f, g are terms of type $[X, Y]$ and x is a basic term of type X then

$$\text{eval}_{X,Y}(f, x) \approx \text{eval}_{X,Y}(g, x) \quad \Rightarrow \quad f \approx g \quad (3.32)$$

Definition 3.2.7 Let E be a set of *linear equational axioms*, that is pairs $\langle s \approx t \rangle$ of terms such that s, t have the same type and exactly the same variables. The relation \approx_E of *term equality* relative to E is defined to be the smallest substitutive and extensional equivalence relation \approx including the equational axioms E and the equations 3.33 to 3.41 below.

$$\text{Id}_A(s) \approx s \quad (3.33)$$

$$(\gamma \bullet \alpha)(s) \approx \gamma(\alpha(s)) \quad (3.34)$$

$$\alpha \otimes \beta(s, t) \approx (\alpha(s), \beta(t)) \quad (3.35)$$

$$\text{assl}_{A,B,C}(s, (t, u)) \approx ((s, t), u) \quad (3.36)$$

$$\text{assr}_{A,B,C}((s, t), u) \approx (s, (t, u)) \quad (3.37)$$

$$\text{swap}_{A,B}(s, t) \approx (t, s) \quad (3.38)$$

$$\mathbf{open}_A(s) \approx ((), s) \quad (3.39)$$

$$\mathbf{close}_A((), s) \approx s \quad (3.40)$$

$$\mathbf{eval}_{B,C}(\Lambda(\alpha)(s), t) \approx \alpha(s, t) \quad (3.41)$$

Definition 3.2.8 The language $\text{LTT}(B, \mathcal{F}, E)$ of *linear type theory* with a set B of basic types, \mathcal{F} of function symbols and E of linear equational axioms consists of the set \mathcal{T} of types generated from B together with, for each type A , the set $\text{term}(A)$ of terms of type A built from variables and function symbols in \mathcal{F} subject to the relation \approx_E of term equality defined above.

Notation 3.2.9 Henceforth, we shall omit the subscript E and write \approx for term equality wherever this causes no confusion.

Lemma 3.2.10 *If $s \approx t$ then s, t are terms of the same type with the same variables.*

Proof. By induction on the number of steps required to derive $s \approx t$. □

3.2.7 A Normal Form for Terms

In this section, we show that every term has a normal form consisting of a single combinator applied to a basic term. This means that we can separate the ‘function’ part of LTT from the ‘variable’ part, which is important for the interpretation of formulae given in section 7.2.

Definition 3.2.11 Let s be a term in $\text{LTT}(B, \mathcal{F}, E)$. We define an *associated combinator*, $\text{ac}(s)$, and an *associated basic term*, $\text{abt}(s)$, as follows.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ac}(()) &= \text{Id}_I & \text{abt}(()) &= () \\ \text{ac}(v_A) &= \text{Id}_A & \text{abt}(v) &= v \\ \text{ac}((s, t)) &= \text{ac}(s) \otimes \text{ac}(t) & \text{abt}((s, t)) &= (\text{abt}(s), \text{abt}(t)) \\ \text{ac}(\alpha(s)) &= \alpha \bullet \text{ac}(s) & \text{abt}(\alpha(s)) &= \text{abt}(s) \end{aligned} \quad (3.42)$$

Lemma 3.2.12 *If t is a term of type A and $v \in \text{var}(A)$ then for all terms s*

$$ac(s)(abt(s)[t/v]) \approx s[t/v] \quad (3.43)$$

In particular, if v does not occur in s then $s \approx ac(s)(abt(s))$.

Proof. Easy induction on the structure of s . □

Definition 3.2.13 A combinator is *central* if it is built entirely from instances of **Id**, **assl**, **assr**, **open**, **close**, **swap** by composition and tensor product.

Lemma 3.2.14 *If x, y are two basic terms with the same variables then there exists a central combinator ξ such that $\xi(x) \approx y$.*

Proof. Given a list $\Phi = \{A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n\}$ of types, there are two canonical ways to form a tensor product of Φ :

$$\begin{aligned} L(\Phi) &= (\dots((A_1 \otimes A_2) \otimes A_3) \otimes \dots \otimes A_n) \\ R(\Phi) &= (A_1 \otimes \dots \otimes (A_{n-2} \otimes (A_{n-1} \otimes A_n)) \dots) \end{aligned}$$

Let A be any other product of the types A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n which retains their order. We give an inductive definition of central combinators **left_n**: $A \rightarrow L(\Phi)$ and **right_n**: $A \rightarrow R(\Phi)$ which map basic terms of type A with variables in A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n to their left and right associated forms. That is, **left_n**(x) $\approx x'$ and **right_n**(x) $\approx x''$ where x' and x'' are basic terms of type $L(\Phi)$ and $R(\Phi)$ respectively.

If $n = 1$ then $L(\Phi) = R(\Phi) = A$ so **left₁**=**right₁**=**Id**. For $n \geq 2$, $A = B_1 \otimes B_2$ where B_1, B_2 are products of lists Φ_1, Φ_2 of length n_1, n_2 respectively. We define

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{left}_n &= \mathbf{assl}^{n_1-1} \bullet (\mathbf{left}_{n_1} \otimes \mathbf{right}_{n_2}) \\ \mathbf{right}_n &= \mathbf{assr}^{n_2-1} \bullet (\mathbf{left}_{n_1} \otimes \mathbf{right}_{n_2}) \end{aligned}$$

Given the right associated product $R(\Phi)$ of a list $\Phi = \{A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n\}$, we can define central combinators

$$\mathbf{pull}_i: A_1 \otimes (\dots A_{i-1} \otimes (A_i \otimes (A_{i+1} \otimes \dots))) \dots \rightarrow A_i \otimes (A_1 \otimes (\dots A_{i-1} \otimes (A_{i+1} \otimes \dots))) \dots$$

which move the i th term of an n -tuple to the first position.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{pull}_1 &= \text{Id} \\ \text{pull}_{i+1} &= \text{assr} \bullet \text{swap} \bullet \text{assl} \bullet (\text{Id} \otimes \text{pull}_i)\end{aligned}$$

These can be combined to give combinators which perform any permutation of the terms.

Let x and y be basic terms with the same variables. We can apply right_n to obtain the right associated form of x , then use the appropriate combinations of the pull_i to obtain the right associated form of y , and finally apply the inverse of right_n to obtain y . \square

3.3 The Interpretation of LTT in \mathcal{C}

Let $\langle \mathcal{C}, \otimes, I, [-, -], a, c, l, \varepsilon, \lambda \rangle$ be a symmetric monoidal closed category and let $\iota : B \rightarrow \text{Obj}(\mathcal{C})$ be a function which maps each basic type to an object of \mathcal{C} . We extend ι to all types as follows.

$$\begin{aligned}\iota(I) &= I \\ \iota(A \otimes B) &= \iota(A) \otimes \iota(B) \\ \iota([A, B]) &= [\iota(A), \iota(B)]\end{aligned}$$

Let j be a mapping of the basic function symbols given by \mathcal{F} to morphisms of \mathcal{C} such that

$$\gamma : A \rightarrow B \quad \Rightarrow \quad j(\gamma) : \iota(A) \rightarrow \iota(B) \quad (3.44)$$

We extend the definition of j inductively to all combinators in such a way that the functorial property 3.44 holds for an arbitrary γ . The basic combinators are

mapped to components of the natural transformations a, l, c, ε as follows.

$$\begin{aligned}
 j(\mathbf{Id}_A) &= 1_{\iota(A)} \\
 j(\mathbf{assr}_{A,B,C}) &= a_{\iota(A),\iota(B),\iota(C)} \\
 j(\mathbf{assl}_{A,B,C}) &= a_{\iota(A),\iota(B),\iota(C)}^{-1} \\
 j(\mathbf{swap}_{A,B}) &= c_{\iota(A),\iota(B)} \\
 j(\mathbf{open}_A) &= l_{\iota(A)} \\
 j(\mathbf{close}_A) &= l_{\iota(A)}^{-1} \\
 j(\mathbf{eval}_{A,B}) &= \varepsilon_{\iota(A),\iota(B)}
 \end{aligned} \tag{3.45}$$

If $\alpha : A \rightarrow B$ and $\beta : B \rightarrow C$ are composable combinators then, using 3.44 as an induction hypothesis, $j(\alpha)$ and $j(\beta)$ are composable morphisms of \mathcal{C} , and we can define

$$j(\beta \bullet \alpha) = j(\beta)j(\alpha) \tag{3.46}$$

Similarly for the tensor product

$$j(\alpha \otimes \beta) = j(\alpha) \otimes j(\beta) \tag{3.47}$$

Suppose that $\alpha : A \otimes B \rightarrow C$. By the induction hypothesis $j(\alpha)$ is a morphism from $\iota(A) \otimes \iota(B)$ to $\iota(C)$ in \mathcal{C} . We define $j(\Lambda(\alpha))$ to be the transpose of $j(\alpha)$ across the adjunction $(-) \otimes \iota(B) \dashv [\iota(B), -]$, i.e.

$$j(\Lambda(\alpha)) = \lambda(j(\alpha)) \tag{3.48}$$

Definition 3.3.1 Let $\iota : \mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathit{Obj}(\mathcal{C})$ and $j : \mathcal{F} \rightarrow \mathit{Mor}(\mathcal{C})$ be functions such that 3.44 holds. We say that the pair $\langle \iota, j \rangle$ is an *interpretation* of $\mathit{LTT}(B, \mathcal{F}, E)$ if whenever x is a basic term and $\alpha(x) \approx \beta(x)$ is derivable from the equational axioms E , then $j(\alpha) = j(\beta)$ in \mathcal{C} .

3.3.1 The category \mathcal{T}_0

We construct a symmetric monoidal closed category $\mathcal{T}_0(B, \mathcal{F}, E)$ from the syntax of $\mathit{LTT}(B, \mathcal{F}, E)$, and show that there is an interpretation of $\mathit{LTT}(B, \mathcal{F}, E)$ in $\mathcal{T}_0(B, \mathcal{F}, E)$ which is *initial* in the sense that every interpretation factors uniquely through it.

Let \equiv be the equivalence relation between combinators defined as follows.

$$\alpha \equiv \beta \iff \alpha(x) \approx \beta(x) \quad (3.49)$$

where x is a basic term of type A . Note that by 3.30 and 3.31, this definition is independent of the choice of x .

Notation 3.3.2 We use $[\alpha]$ to denote the equivalence class of α under \equiv .

Lemma 3.3.3 *The following are derived rules for the equivalence of combinators.*

$$\frac{\alpha \equiv \alpha' : A \rightarrow B \quad \beta \equiv \beta' : B \rightarrow C}{\beta \bullet \alpha \equiv \beta' \bullet \alpha' : A \rightarrow C} \quad (3.50)$$

$$\frac{\alpha \equiv \alpha' : A \rightarrow B \quad \beta \equiv \beta' : C \rightarrow D}{\alpha \otimes \beta \equiv \alpha' \otimes \beta' : A \otimes B \rightarrow C \otimes D} \quad (3.51)$$

$$\frac{\alpha \equiv \beta : A \otimes B \rightarrow C}{\Lambda(\alpha) \equiv \Lambda(\beta) : A \rightarrow [B, C]} \quad (3.52)$$

Lemma 3.3.4 *The following data define a category $\mathcal{T}_0(B, \mathcal{F}, E)$: the objects are the types of $\text{LTT}(B, \mathcal{F}, E)$ and morphisms from A to B are the equivalence classes of combinators $\alpha : A \rightarrow B$ under \equiv . Composition of equivalence classes $[\alpha] : A \rightarrow B$ and $[\beta] : B \rightarrow C$ is given by $[\beta \bullet \alpha] : A \rightarrow C$, and the identity on A is $[\text{Id}_A]$.*

Proof.

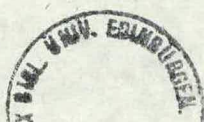
Composition is well defined by 3.50. To verify the axioms for a category we check the following equivalences

$$\text{Id}_B \bullet \alpha \equiv \alpha \equiv \alpha \bullet \text{Id}_A \quad (3.53)$$

$$\gamma \bullet (\beta \bullet \alpha) \equiv (\gamma \bullet \beta) \bullet \alpha \quad (3.54)$$

and this is straightforward. □

Proposition 3.3.5 $\mathcal{T}_0(B, \mathcal{F}, E)$ is a symmetric monoidal category.



Proof. We verify that $\mathcal{T}_0(B, \mathcal{F}, E)$ has the required data.

Tensor Product.

The tensor product on types gives rise to a functor $\otimes : \mathcal{T}_0 \times \mathcal{T}_0 \rightarrow \mathcal{T}_0$ where $[\alpha] \otimes [\beta]$ is $[\alpha \otimes \beta]$. This is well defined by 3.51. We need to check the following equivalences

$$\mathbf{Id}_A \otimes \mathbf{Id}_B \equiv \mathbf{Id}_{A \otimes B} \quad (3.55)$$

$$(\beta \otimes \beta') \bullet (\alpha \otimes \alpha') \equiv (\beta \bullet \alpha) \otimes (\beta' \bullet \alpha') \quad (3.56)$$

but this is quite routine. We shall omit the details of this and of the similar calculations below.

Natural Transformations.

We define

$$a_{A,B,C} = [\mathbf{assr}_{A,B,C}] : (A \otimes B) \otimes C \rightarrow A \otimes (B \otimes C)$$

$$a_{A,B,C}^{-1} = [\mathbf{assl}_{A,B,C}] : A \otimes (B \otimes C) \rightarrow (A \otimes B) \otimes C$$

$$l_A = [\mathbf{close}_A] : I \otimes A \rightarrow A$$

$$l_A^{-1} = [\mathbf{open}_A] : A \rightarrow I \otimes A$$

$$c_{A,B} = [\mathbf{swap}_{A,B}] : A \otimes B \rightarrow B \otimes A$$

To show that these define natural transformations we need to check the following equivalences.

$$\mathbf{assr} \bullet ((\alpha \otimes \beta) \otimes \gamma) \equiv (\alpha \otimes (\beta \otimes \gamma)) \bullet \mathbf{assr} \quad (3.57)$$

$$\mathbf{assl} \bullet (\alpha \otimes (\beta \otimes \gamma)) \equiv ((\alpha \otimes \beta) \otimes \gamma) \bullet \mathbf{assl} \quad (3.58)$$

$$\mathbf{open} \bullet \alpha \equiv (\mathbf{Id}_I \otimes \alpha) \bullet \mathbf{open} \quad (3.59)$$

$$\mathbf{close} \bullet (\mathbf{Id}_I \otimes \alpha) \equiv \alpha \bullet \mathbf{close} \quad (3.60)$$

$$\mathbf{swap} \bullet (\alpha \otimes \beta) \equiv (\beta \otimes \alpha) \bullet \mathbf{swap} \quad (3.61)$$

To show that a, l are isomorphisms we check that

$$\mathbf{assl} \bullet \mathbf{assr} \equiv \mathbf{Id}_{(A \otimes B) \otimes C} \quad (3.62)$$

$$\mathbf{assr} \bullet \mathbf{assl} \equiv \mathbf{Id}_{A \otimes (B \otimes C)} \quad (3.63)$$

$$\mathbf{open} \bullet \mathbf{close} \equiv \mathbf{Id}_{I \otimes A} \quad (3.64)$$

$$\mathbf{close} \bullet \mathbf{open} \equiv \mathbf{Id}_A \quad (3.65)$$

Coherence.

The remaining equivalences to be verified come from the coherence axioms given in diagrams 3.4 to 3.7.

$$\mathbf{assr} \bullet \mathbf{assr} \equiv (\mathbf{Id} \otimes \mathbf{assr}) \bullet \mathbf{assr} \bullet (\mathbf{assr} \otimes \mathbf{Id}) \quad (3.66)$$

$$(\mathbf{Id} \otimes \mathbf{close}) \bullet \mathbf{assr} \equiv (\mathbf{close} \bullet \mathbf{swap}) \otimes \mathbf{Id} \quad (3.67)$$

$$\mathbf{assr} \bullet \mathbf{swap} \bullet \mathbf{assr} \equiv (\mathbf{Id} \otimes \mathbf{swap}) \bullet \mathbf{assr} \bullet (\mathbf{swap} \otimes \mathbf{Id}) \quad (3.68)$$

$$\mathbf{swap} \bullet \mathbf{swap} \equiv \mathbf{Id} \quad (3.69)$$

□

To establish that $\mathcal{T}_0(B, \mathcal{F}, E)$ is closed with respect to the tensor product, we need the following lemma.

Lemma 3.3.6 *Let $\alpha : X \otimes Y \rightarrow Z$ and $\beta : W \rightarrow X$. The following equivalences are derivable from the equations 3.33 to 3.41.*

$$\mathbf{eval} \bullet (\Lambda(\alpha) \otimes \mathbf{Id}_Y) \equiv \alpha \quad (3.70)$$

$$\Lambda(\mathbf{eval}_{X,Y}) \equiv \mathbf{Id}_{[X,Y]} \quad (3.71)$$

$$\Lambda(\alpha \bullet (\beta \otimes \mathbf{Id}_Y)) \equiv \Lambda(\alpha) \bullet \beta \quad (3.72)$$

The equivalences 3.70 and 3.71 correspond to the λ -calculus notions of *beta-equivalence* and *eta-equivalence*.

Proposition 3.3.7 $\mathcal{T}_0(B, \mathcal{F}, E)$ is a symmetric monoidal closed category.

Proof. It remains to show that $\mathcal{T}_0(B, \mathcal{F}, E)$ is closed. Let $\varepsilon_{A,B} = [\mathbf{eval}_{A,B}] : [A, B] \otimes A \rightarrow B$. We show that $\varepsilon_{A,B}$ is universal from $(-)\otimes A$ to B and hence that \mathcal{T}_0 is closed. Let $[\alpha] : A \otimes B \rightarrow C$, we need to show that there is a unique map $[\beta] : A \rightarrow [B, C]$ such that $\varepsilon_{A,B}([\beta] \otimes 1_A) = [\alpha]$.

Using equivalence 3.70 from the lemma above, we see that $[\Lambda(\alpha)]$ satisfies the required condition. If $[\gamma]$ is another such map then $\mathbf{eval} \bullet (\gamma \otimes \mathbf{Id}) \equiv \alpha$ and so

$$\begin{aligned} \Lambda(\alpha) &\equiv \Lambda(\mathbf{eval} \bullet (\gamma \otimes \mathbf{Id})) && \text{by 3.52} \\ &\equiv \Lambda(\mathbf{eval}) \bullet \gamma && \text{by 3.72} \\ &\equiv \gamma && \text{by 3.71} \end{aligned}$$

The pair $\langle \text{id}, [-] \rangle$ is an interpretation of $\text{LTT}(B, \mathcal{F}, E)$ in $\mathcal{T}_0(B, \mathcal{F}, E)$, trivially, and we have the following result. \square

Proposition 3.3.8 *The pair $\langle \iota, j \rangle$ is an interpretation of LTT if and only if there exists a strict monoidal strict closed functor $\mathcal{I} : \mathcal{T}_0 \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ such that $\iota(A) = \mathcal{I}(A)$ and $j(\alpha) = \mathcal{I}([\alpha])$. Moreover, \mathcal{I} is the unique such.*

3.4 Equational Theories in LTT

The restrictions on the occurrence of variables limit the sort of equational theories which can be expressed in linear type theory. The theory of groups, for example, is excluded because the inverse law $xx^{-1} = e$ requires the variable x to be duplicated on the left and thrown away on the right. Nevertheless, the following examples show that there are worthwhile algebraic theories which lie in this fragment of equational reasoning.

3.4.1 Monoids

Definition 3.4.1 A *monoid* in a monoidal category \mathcal{C} consists of an object M of \mathcal{C} together with morphisms $\mu : M \otimes M \rightarrow M$ and $\eta : I \rightarrow M$ such that the following diagrams commute.

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} (M \otimes M) \otimes M & \xrightarrow{a} & M \otimes (M \otimes M) & \xrightarrow{1 \otimes \mu} & M \otimes M \\ \mu \otimes 1 \downarrow & & & & \downarrow \mu \\ M \otimes M & \xrightarrow{\mu} & & & M \end{array} \quad (3.73)$$

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 I \otimes M & \xrightarrow{\eta \otimes 1} & M \otimes M & \xleftarrow{1 \otimes \eta} & M \otimes I \\
 & \searrow l & \downarrow \mu & \swarrow r & \\
 & & M & &
 \end{array}
 \tag{3.74}$$

If \mathcal{C} is symmetric then a monoid M in \mathcal{C} is *commutative* if $\mu_{\mathcal{C}M,M} = \mu$.

If M is a monoid in \mathcal{C} and $X \in \text{Obj}(\mathcal{C})$ then a *left action* of M on X is a map $\nu : M \otimes X \rightarrow X$ such that the following diagram commutes.

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 (M \otimes M) \otimes X & \xrightarrow{a} & M \otimes (M \otimes X) & \xrightarrow{1 \otimes \nu} & M \otimes X & \xleftarrow{\eta \otimes 1} & I \otimes X \\
 \downarrow \mu \otimes 1 & & & & \downarrow \nu & \swarrow l & \\
 M \otimes X & \xrightarrow{\nu} & & & X & &
 \end{array}
 \tag{3.75}$$

Example 3.4.2

Monoidal Category \mathcal{C}	Monoids in \mathcal{C}
$\langle \mathbf{Set}, \times, 1 \rangle$	Monoids
$\langle \mathbf{Ab}, \otimes, I \rangle$	Rings
$\langle \mathbf{CSLat}, \otimes, \wp(1) \rangle$	Quantales [JT84]
$\langle \mathbf{Cat}, \times, 1 \rangle$	Strict Monoidal Categories
$\langle \mathcal{C}^{\mathcal{C}}, \cdot, 1 \rangle$	Monads

Thus, the analogy between rings and quantales, hinted at in chapter 2, is that they are both monoids in an appropriate monoidal category.

The theory of a monoid has the following presentation in LTT.

$$\begin{aligned}
 B &= \{M\} \\
 \mathcal{F} &= \{e : I \rightarrow M, m : M \otimes M \rightarrow M\} \\
 E &= \{m(u, m(v, w)) \approx m(m(u, v), w), \\
 &\quad m(e(), u) \approx u, m(u, e()) \approx u\}
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{3.76}$$

The theory of a commutative monoid has the additional equation $m(u, v) \approx m(v, u)$.

Clearly, if $\langle \iota, j \rangle$ is an interpretation of this theory in a symmetric monoidal closed category \mathcal{C} then $\langle \iota(M), j(m), j(e) \rangle$ is a monoid in \mathcal{C} .

The theory of a monoid with a left action on X is given by

$$\begin{aligned}
 B' &= B \cup \{X\} \\
 \mathcal{F}' &= \mathcal{F} \cup \{h : M \otimes X \rightarrow X\} \\
 E' &= E \cup \{h(u, h(v, x)) \approx h(m(u, v), x), h(e(), x) \approx x\}
 \end{aligned} \tag{3.77}$$

3.4.2 Enriched Categories

Recall that a monoid in **Set** is just a category with one object. Since the associativity and identity laws of a monoid are expressible in linear type theory, it is not surprising that this extends to the case of categories with more than one object.

The corresponding algebraic idea is that of a category *enriched in* \mathcal{V} or ‘ \mathcal{V} -category’ where \mathcal{V} is a symmetric monoidal closed category. Here, the ‘hom-sets’ in an ordinary category are replaced by ‘hom-objects’ taken from \mathcal{V} . In contrast to the internal categories of a topos [Joh77], the objects of an enriched category are not internalised. Enriched categories were originally motivated by constructions found in representation theory, but, more recently, have been studied in computer science (eg. the *O-categories* of [SP82] and the *quantaloids* of [AV90] are categories enriched in **cpo** and **CSLat** respectively). We refer to [Kel82] for the basic definitions of enriched category theory, and state just the type theoretic version below.

The theory of a (small) *enriched category* with object set O is given by

$$\begin{aligned}
 B &= \{\mathcal{A}(X, Y) \mid X, Y \in O\} \\
 \mathcal{F} &= \{m_{X, Y, Z} : \mathcal{A}(Y, Z) \otimes \mathcal{A}(X, Y) \rightarrow \mathcal{A}(X, Z), \\
 &\quad j_X : I \rightarrow \mathcal{A}(X, X) \mid X, Y, Z \in O\} \\
 E &= \{m_{W, Y, Z}(h, m_{W, X, Y}(g, f)) \approx m_{W, X, Z}(m_{X, Y, Z}(h, g), f) \\
 &\quad m_{X, Y, Y}(j_Y(), f) \approx f \\
 &\quad m_{X, X, Y}(f, j_X()) \approx f\}
 \end{aligned} \tag{3.78}$$

3.4.3 The Theory Associated with a Category

In section 3.3.1, we saw that every linear type theory $\Theta = \text{LTT}(B, \mathcal{F}, E)$ gives rise to a symmetric monoidal closed category $\mathcal{T}_0(B, \mathcal{F}, E)$. In this section we consider how to generate a linear type theory from the objects and morphisms of a symmetric monoidal closed category \mathcal{C} . In order to get a precise correspondance between the category and its type theory we extend the system of types and combinators given in sections 3.2.1 and 3.2.2 to include *equations between types*.

Let T be a set whose elements are pairs $\langle A, B \rangle$ where A, B are types. We define a relation \sim of *type equality* relative to T . This is the smallest equivalence relation on types containing T and closed under the following two rules.

$$\frac{A \sim A' \quad B \sim B'}{(A \otimes B) \sim (A' \otimes B')} \quad \frac{A \sim A' \quad B \sim B'}{[A, B] \sim [A', B']} \quad (3.79)$$

We extend the typing of combinators by the following rule³.

$$\frac{A \sim A' \quad \alpha : A \rightarrow B \quad B \sim B'}{\alpha : A' \rightarrow B'} \quad (3.80)$$

and similarly for terms

$$\frac{s \in \text{term}(A) \quad A \sim A'}{s \in \text{term}(A')} \quad (3.81)$$

Let $\text{LTT}(B, T, \mathcal{F}, E)$ denote linear type theory with the set T of type equations as a parameter and the additional rules given above.

Let $\langle \mathcal{C}, \otimes, I, a, l, r \rangle$ be a symmetric monoidal closed category. We use \mathcal{C} to define a linear type theory with equations between types as follows.

$$\begin{aligned} B &= \{ \overline{X} \mid X \text{ is an object of } \mathcal{C} \} \\ T &= \{ \overline{I} \sim I, \overline{X} \otimes \overline{Y} \sim \overline{X \otimes Y}, [\overline{X}, \overline{Y}] \sim \overline{[X, Y]} \mid X, Y \in \text{Obj}(\mathcal{C}) \} \\ \mathcal{F} &= \{ \overline{f} : \overline{X} \rightarrow \overline{Y} \mid f : X \rightarrow Y \text{ is a morphism of } \mathcal{C} \} \end{aligned}$$

³This, of course, invalidates the type assignment property given in proposition 3.2.3 because the type subscripts in α need no longer appear as part of the domain or codomain type.

The equational axioms are as follows, where x, y, z are basic terms of the appropriate type and α is any combinator.

$$\begin{aligned}
\overline{1}_A(x) &\approx x \\
\overline{gf}(x) &\approx \overline{g}(\overline{f}(x)) \\
\overline{f \otimes g}(x, y) &\approx (\overline{f}(x), \overline{g}(y)) \\
\overline{a_{A,B,C}}((x, y), z) &\approx (x, (y, z)) \\
\overline{c_{A,B}}(x, y) &\approx (y, x) \\
\overline{l}_A((), x) &\approx x \\
\overline{e_{B,C}}(\Lambda(\alpha)(x), y) &\approx \alpha(x, y)
\end{aligned}$$

We need to extend the definition of an interpretation $\langle \iota, j \rangle$ of LTT so that it respects type equality. That is, if $A \sim A'$ is provable then $\iota(A) = \iota(A')$. The construction of \mathcal{T}_0 is also modified so that the objects are the equivalence classes of types under \sim . We denote the equivalence class of X under \sim by $[X]$.

Proposition 3.4.3 *Let ι be the function which maps each basic type \overline{X} to the object X of \mathcal{C} and j be the function which maps each function symbol $\overline{f} : \overline{X} \rightarrow \overline{Y}$ to the morphism $f : X \rightarrow Y$. Then $\langle \iota, j \rangle$ is an interpretation of $\text{LTT}(B, T, \mathcal{F}, E)$ in \mathcal{C} and the functor $\mathcal{I} : \mathcal{T}_0 \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ given by proposition 3.3.8 is an isomorphism of categories.*

Proof. It is routine to verify that $\langle \iota, j \rangle$ is an interpretation.

We show that \mathcal{I} has an inverse. Let $H : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{T}_0$ be the mapping $X \mapsto [\overline{X}]$ on objects and similarly $f \mapsto [\overline{f}]$ on morphisms. It is easy to verify that H is a functor and that $IH = 1_{\mathcal{C}}$. To show that $HI = 1_{\mathcal{T}_0}$ we need to check that $A \sim \overline{\iota(A)}$ for all types A and that $\alpha \equiv \overline{j(\alpha)}$ for all combinators α . This is done by structural induction. \square

If $\Theta_1 = \text{LTT}(B_1, T_1, \mathcal{F}_1, E_1)$ and $\Theta_2 = \text{LTT}(B_2, T_2, \mathcal{F}_2, E_2)$ are linear type theories then a *strict map* from Θ_1 to Θ_2 is a pair $\langle F, G \rangle$ where F is a function mapping

types of Θ_1 to types of Θ_2 such that

$$\begin{aligned} F(I) &= I \\ F(A \otimes B) &= F(A) \otimes F(B) \\ F([A, B]) &= [F(A), F(B)] \end{aligned} \tag{3.82}$$

and if $A \sim B$ then $F(A) \sim F(B)$, and G is a function which maps each combinator $\alpha : A \rightarrow B$ of Θ_1 to a combinator $G(\alpha) : F(A) \rightarrow F(B)$ such that

$$\begin{aligned} G(\mathbf{Id}_A) &= \mathbf{Id}_{F(A)} \\ G(\alpha \otimes \beta) &= G(\alpha) \otimes G(\beta) \\ G(\beta \bullet \alpha) &= G(\beta) \bullet G(\alpha) \\ G(\mathbf{assl}_{A,B,C}) &= \mathbf{assl}_{F(A),F(B),F(C)} \\ G(\mathbf{assr}_{A,B,C}) &= \mathbf{assr}_{F(A),F(B),F(C)} \\ G(\mathbf{open}_A) &= \mathbf{open}_{F(A)} \\ &\vdots \\ G(\Lambda(\alpha)) &= \Lambda(G(\alpha)) \end{aligned} \tag{3.83}$$

and if $\alpha \approx \beta$ then $G(\alpha) \approx G(\beta)$. Thus, a strict map between type theories is a straightforward translation of one language into another which preserves all the structure on the nose. We view strict maps to be equivalent if they agree modulo the equivalence relations determined by \sim and \approx . Let **LTT** denote the category of linear type theories with type equality and equivalence classes of strict maps between them, and let **SMCC** denote the category of small symmetric monoidal closed categories and strict monoidal strict closed functors.

It is routine to verify that the construction of a linear type theory from a symmetric monoidal closed category gives rise to a functor $U : \mathbf{SMCC} \rightarrow \mathbf{LTT}$. Moreover, it follows from proposition 3.3.8, with a mild addition to account for type equality, that U has a left adjoint F . Further, by proposition 3.4.3, it follows that the counit of the adjunction is an isomorphism, and hence **SMCC** is a full reflective subcategory of **LTT**. U is also essentially surjective and hence an equivalence of categories. This correspondence can be treated more naturally at the level of 2-categories in terms of a biequivalence. However, the details of this correspondence are delicate, and are inessential to the main development of the thesis. We therefore omit an exposition of this form and summarize as follows.

Theorem 3.4.4 *The category **LTT** is equivalent to the category **SMCC** of small symmetric monoidal closed categories and strict monoidal strict closed functors.*

Chapter 4

Two Examples

The internal language of a topos is expressive enough to support a large fragment of mathematical reasoning. Lambek and Scott, for example, regard the free topos as “*an acceptable universe of mathematics for the moderate intuitionist*” [LS86, Preface]. We shall not be concerned with such foundational issues, but merely the question of how the underlying logic adopted changes the properties that one might expect from a ‘*universe of sets*’.

The study of linear logic is still in its infancy, and it may be some time before a definitive notion of ‘universe’ for linear logic emerges. In the meantime, we can provide evidence to support the belief that such a universe should be a symmetric monoidal closed category with some extra ‘logical’ structure.

In this chapter, we present two examples of categories which can have some claim to being categories of ‘*sets under linear logic*’. These both arise as linear analogues of constructions in the theory of topoi. The first is the category of *presheaves* over a small symmetric monoidal category $\langle \mathcal{C}, \otimes, I \rangle$. We view symmetric monoidal categories as a natural generalisation of resource monoids, and use ideas taken from the resource semantics to motivate the definition of a *resource bounded tensor product* of presheaves. This is the content of section 4.1. The second example is a category of sets with ‘equality predicates’ valued in a quantale Q , as explained in section 4.2. We show that both of these categories have a symmetric monoidal closed structure. Later on, in chapter 5, we shall see that they also have sufficient logical structure to provide models for first order linear logic.

4.1 Resource Semantics in a Presheaf Category

4.1.1 Presheaves and Kripke Models

We compare the Kripke semantics of propositional intuitionistic logic (found in eg. [Fit69]) with the resource semantics of section 2.2.3. Kripke semantics are defined with respect to a partial order $\langle W, \leq \rangle$. The elements of W are called *possible worlds* or *states of knowledge*, and a comparison $x \leq y$ indicates that y is a better world than x in the sense that more truths are known there. As in resource semantics, atomic propositions are interpreted as upwardly closed subsets of $\langle W, \leq \rangle$, and this interpretation can be extended to all propositions by an inductive definition. A key difference between the Kripke semantics and the resource semantics is that, in the former, there is no notion of *combining* possible worlds. In particular, intuitionistic implication is defined only in terms of the partial order on W .

$$x \models \phi \supset \psi \iff \forall y \geq x (y \models \phi \Rightarrow y \models \psi) \quad (4.1)$$

Kripke semantics are easily extended from the propositional logic to intuitionistic set theory. If A is an intuitionistic set then for each possible world x there is an ordinary set $A(x)$ which represents our knowledge of A at x . Knowledge of a set covers both the existence of elements and their equality. If $x \leq y$ then all the elements that exist in A at stage x must also exist at stage y so there is a comparison map $A_{x,y} : A(x) \rightarrow A(y)$. This map is not necessarily injective as elements considered distinct at stage x may become equated at y as a result of the greater knowledge available. Thus, an intuitionistic set corresponds to a *functor* $A : W \rightarrow \mathbf{Set}$.

Recall from section 2.2.3 that the idea of a computational resource can be modelled abstractly by a partially ordered monoid $\langle M, \cdot, e, \leq \rangle$. Multiplication represents the combination of resources and the order indicates where one resource is better than another. To adapt the above ideas in the case of the resource semantics, we imagine some process of calculating information about a set A which

is bounded by a limitation of resource measured in M . It is helpful to consider the natural numbers $\langle \mathbf{N}, +, 0, \leq \rangle$ and suppose that we are counting the number of computation steps, calls to a particular routine, or seconds elapsed in the computation. The set $A(x)$ represents the *totality* of all the information about A that could be acquired by the expenditure of resource x . As in the intuitionistic case, information covers both the existence of elements and their equality. If $x \leq y$ in M then y is a better resource than x so a computation using y yields more information about A than one using x . Again, it follows that there should be a comparison map $A_{x,y} : A(x) \rightarrow A(y)$ and that a *resource bounded set* should correspond to a functor $A : M \rightarrow \mathbf{Set}$.

The crucial difference between the two approaches comes when we consider the product of ‘sets’. The cartesian product of functors $A, B : M \rightarrow \mathbf{Set}$ is defined by

$$(A \times B)(x) = A(x) \times B(x) \quad (4.2)$$

This expression is natural enough in the Kripke semantics where x denotes a state of knowledge, but is more problematic in terms of resources. It says that to ascertain that $\langle a, b \rangle$ is an element of $A \times B$, we are allowed to use x twice to separately ascertain that a is in A and b is in B . Thus, the cartesian product fails to conserve resources. We seek instead a tensor product $A \otimes B$ which respects resources by analogy to the interpretation of fusion in 2.2.10. For example, if resource is a measure of time given by the monoid $\langle \mathbf{N}, +, 0, \leq \rangle$ then we anticipate that the tensor product will be such that $(A \otimes B)(n)$ is some suitable colimit of the sets $A(m) \times B(n - m)$. That is, the time taken to calculate that a pair $\langle a, b \rangle$ is an element of the tensor product $A \otimes B$ is the sum of the time taken to calculate that a is in A and that b is in B . In section 4.1.3, we develop a general form of ‘*resource bounded product*’, the next section introduces some of the categorical machinery that we shall need.

4.1.2 Ends and Kan extensions

Definition 4.1.1 Let $F : \mathcal{A}^{op} \times \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$ be a functor. A *wedge* $w : x \dashrightarrow F$ is an object x of \mathcal{B} together with a function assigning to each object A of \mathcal{A} an arrow

$w_A : x \rightarrow F(A, A)$ such that for every morphism $f : A \rightarrow B$ of \mathcal{A} the following diagram commutes.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 x & \xrightarrow{w_A} & F(A, A) \\
 \downarrow w_B & & \downarrow F(1, f) \\
 F(B, B) & \xrightarrow{F(f, 1)} & F(A, B)
 \end{array} \tag{4.3}$$

An *end* for F is a wedge $v : e \rightrightarrows F$ which is universal amongst wedges into F , that is, whenever $w : x \rightrightarrows F$ is a wedge there exists a unique morphism $g : x \rightarrow e$ with $v_A = w_A g$ for all A . Coends are defined dually.

We use the ‘integral’ notation $\int_A F(A, A)$ and $\int^A F(A, A)$ for the end and coend of F respectively.

Definition 4.1.2 Let \mathcal{X}, \mathcal{Y} and \mathcal{A} be categories and let $F : \mathcal{X} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}$ and $K : \mathcal{X} \rightarrow \mathcal{Y}$ be functors. A *left Kan extension of F along K* is a functor $L : \mathcal{Y} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}$ with natural transformation $\eta : F \rightrightarrows LK$ which is universal as an arrow from F to $\mathcal{A}^K : \mathcal{A}^{\mathcal{Y}} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}^{\mathcal{X}}$. That is,

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 & & \mathcal{A} \\
 & \nearrow F & \uparrow \\
 & \xrightarrow{\eta} & L \xrightarrow{\sigma} M \\
 & \searrow K & \uparrow \\
 \mathcal{X} & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \mathcal{Y}
 \end{array} \tag{4.4}$$

given any functor $M : \mathcal{Y} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}$ and natural transformation $\alpha : F \rightrightarrows KM$ there exists a unique natural transformation $\sigma : L \rightrightarrows M$ such that $\alpha = (\sigma K)\eta$.

Dually, a *right Kan extension of F along K* is a functor $R : \mathcal{Y} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}$ and a natural transformation $\epsilon : RK \rightrightarrows F$ which is universal as an arrow from $\mathcal{A}^K : \mathcal{A}^{\mathcal{Y}} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}^{\mathcal{X}}$ to F .

Let $Lan_K F$ denote the left Kan extension of F along K and Ran_K denote the right. If every functor from \mathcal{X} to \mathcal{A} has a left Kan extension along K then $\mathcal{A}^K : \mathcal{A}^{\mathcal{Y}} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}^{\mathcal{X}}$ has a left adjoint (and similarly for the right).

We refer to chapters IX and X of [ML71] for the properties of ends and Kan extensions. In particular, if \mathcal{X} is small, \mathcal{Y} is locally small and \mathcal{A} is complete then the Kan extensions of $F : \mathcal{X} \rightarrow \mathcal{A}$ along $K : \mathcal{X} \rightarrow \mathcal{Y}$ exist and have the following expressions in terms of ends

$$(\text{Lan}_K F)Y = \int^X \mathcal{Y}(K(X), Y) \cdot F(X) \quad (4.5)$$

$$(\text{Ran}_K F)Y = \int_X F(X)^{\mathcal{Y}(Y, K(X))} \quad (4.6)$$

(If S is a set then A^S and $S \cdot A$ denote the product and coproduct of S copies of A .)

Lemma 4.1.3 *Let \mathcal{C} be a small category and let $F : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathbf{Set}$ be a functor then*

$$F(\mathcal{C}) \cong \int^X \mathcal{C}(X, \mathcal{C}) \times F(X) \quad (4.7)$$

$$F(\mathcal{C}) \cong \int_X [\mathcal{C}(\mathcal{C}, X), F(X)] \quad (4.8)$$

Proof. Immediate from the observation that $\text{Lan}_1 F \cong F \cong \text{Ran}_1 F$. \square

Let \mathcal{A} be a small category, \mathcal{B} be locally small and $G, H : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$ be functors. Then the natural transformations from G to H form a set and this has the following end formulation

$$\mathbf{Nat}(F, G) = \int_A [F(A), G(A)] \quad (4.9)$$

Applying this above, 4.8 is recognisable as the Yoneda lemma [ML71, page 61].

4.1.3 Day's Tensor Product

There is a natural generalisation of the Kripke semantics which is given by replacing the partially ordered set W with an arbitrary category, by convention \mathcal{C}^{op} , so that intuitionistic sets become functors $\mathcal{C}^{op} \rightarrow \mathbf{Set}$ or *presheaves*. These form a topos and we refer to [LS86] for an account of the semantics of higher order intuitionistic logic in presheaf topoi.

The resource semantics can also be generalised from partial orders to categories. If \mathcal{C} is a small symmetric monoidal category then we regard \mathcal{C} as a *category*

of resources. The objects of \mathcal{C} are resources, the morphisms are comparisons or transformations of resource, and the tensor product of \mathcal{C} is the operation of combining resources. This includes the partially ordered monoids of section 2.2.3 as a special case, and we keep these in mind while developing the general theory. A *resource bounded set* built over a symmetric monoidal category \mathcal{C} is given by a presheaf $A : \mathcal{C}^{op} \rightarrow \mathbf{Set}$. We show that there is a *resource bounded product* on the category $\hat{\mathcal{C}}$ of presheaves over \mathcal{C} analogous to the interpretation of fusion in 2.2.10, and that this gives rise to a symmetric monoidal closed structure.

Let $\hat{\mathcal{C}}$ be the functor category $[\mathcal{C}^{op}, \mathbf{Set}]$ and let $Y : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \hat{\mathcal{C}}$ be the Yoneda functor, defined on objects of \mathcal{C} by $Y(x) = \mathcal{C}(-, x)$ with a corresponding action on morphisms. Recall [LS86] that the Yoneda functor is a full and faithful embedding. Our aim is to extend the monoidal structure of \mathcal{C} to $\hat{\mathcal{C}}$.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \mathcal{C} & \xrightarrow{Y} & \hat{\mathcal{C}} \\
 \otimes \uparrow & & \uparrow \hat{\otimes} \\
 \mathcal{C} \times \mathcal{C} & \xrightarrow{Y \times Y} & \hat{\mathcal{C}} \times \hat{\mathcal{C}}
 \end{array} \tag{4.10}$$

Let $\hat{\otimes} : \hat{\mathcal{C}} \times \hat{\mathcal{C}} \rightarrow \hat{\mathcal{C}}$ be the left Kan extension of the composite $Y \otimes$ along the embedding $Y \times Y$. The fact that $Y \times Y$ is full and faithful ensures that the unit

$$\eta_{Y \otimes} : Y \otimes \rightarrow \hat{\otimes}(Y \times Y) \tag{4.11}$$

is a natural isomorphism, so $Y(x) \hat{\otimes} Y(y) \cong Y(x \otimes y)$ for all objects x, y in \mathcal{C} .

We can use the coend formula for the left Kan extension to calculate $\hat{\otimes}$ explicitly for arbitrary presheaves A, B

$$A \hat{\otimes} B = (\mathit{Lan}_{Y \times Y} Y \otimes)(A, B) \tag{4.12}$$

$$= \int^{(x,y)} \hat{\mathcal{C}} \times \hat{\mathcal{C}}((Yx, Yy), (A, B)) \cdot Y(x \otimes y) \tag{4.13}$$

$$= \int^{(x,y)} (A(x) \times B(y)) \cdot Y(x \otimes y) \tag{4.14}$$

As limits and colimits are evaluated pointwise in $\hat{\mathcal{C}}$

$$A \hat{\otimes} B(u) = \int^{(x,y)} \mathcal{C}(u, x \otimes y) \times A(x) \times B(y) \tag{4.15}$$

We show that $(-)\hat{\otimes}B$ has a right adjoint in $\hat{\mathcal{C}}$. Consider the following sequence of isomorphisms in **Set**.

$$\begin{aligned}
\hat{\mathcal{C}}(A\hat{\otimes}B, C) &= \int_x [A\hat{\otimes}B(x), C(x)] \\
&= \int_x [\int^{y,z} C(x, y \otimes z) \times A(y) \times B(z), C(x)] \\
&\cong \int_{x,y,z} [C(x, y \otimes z) \times A(y) \times B(z), C(x)] \\
&\cong \int_{y,z} [A(y) \times B(z), \int_x [C(x, y \otimes z), C(x)]] \tag{4.16}
\end{aligned}$$

By the Yoneda lemma

$$\begin{aligned}
\hat{\mathcal{C}}(A\hat{\otimes}B, C) &\cong \int_{y,z} [A(y) \times B(z), C(y \otimes z)] \\
&\cong \int_y [A(y), \int_z [B(z), C(y \otimes z)]] \\
&= \hat{\mathcal{C}}(A, [B, C]) \tag{4.17}
\end{aligned}$$

where $[B, C]$ is defined by

$$[B, C] = \int_z [B(z), C(- \otimes z)] \tag{4.18}$$

The isomorphism 4.17 is natural in A and C by the parameter theorem for ends [ML71, page 224], so $[B, -]$ is a right adjoint for $(-) \otimes B$.

It is a matter of routine calculation to show that the associativity, symmetry and unit for \otimes induce corresponding structure for $\hat{\otimes}$. The coherence conditions also follow from the parameter theorem.

4.1.4 Discussion of Resources

The elements of $A \otimes B$ at stage u are, modulo an equivalence, triples

$$\langle f, a, b \rangle \in \mathcal{C}(u, x \otimes y) \times A(x) \times B(y) \tag{4.19}$$

The map $f : u \rightarrow x \otimes y$ is a comparison between the resource u and the combined resource $x \otimes y$. This can be interpreted as saying that u is *at least as good as* $x \otimes y$. In the partial order case, this reduces to $xy \leq u$. Thus if we can use resource x to show that a is an element of A and y to show that b is in B then u must be sufficient to show that $\langle a, b \rangle$ is an element of the product.

Note the correspondence between the definition of internal hom and the interpretation of linear implication in 2.2.10. We explain this in terms of resources as follows. If we can use resource x to show that b is an element of B and resource y to show f is a function from B to C then the combined resource $x \otimes y$ is sufficient to ascertain that $f(b)$ is an element of C .

In the specific case that \mathcal{C}^{op} is the natural numbers $\langle \mathbf{N}, +, 0, \leq \rangle$, the tensor product $A \hat{\otimes} B$ can be evaluated at stage n as the colimit of the following diagram in **Set**.

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 A(0) \times B(n-1) & \cdots & & A(n-1) \times B(0) & \\
 \swarrow & & & \searrow & \\
 A(0) \times B(n) & & & & A(n) \times B(0)
 \end{array}$$

This is easy enough to calculate if each of the comparison maps is a monomorphism, so the equality relations of A and B remain fixed as the measure of resource increases; but is much more difficult to calculate in general. It seems unlikely, given the complexity of its construction, that we will be able to analyse the properties of $\hat{\otimes}$ much beyond the observation that $\langle \hat{\mathcal{C}}, \hat{\otimes}, Y(I), [-, -] \rangle$ is symmetric monoidal closed. Fortunately, this suffices for our purposes because the extra properties required in chapter 5 to show that $\hat{\mathcal{C}}$ is a model of first order linear logic follow from the fact that it is a topos.

4.2 Q -sets

An important example of a topos is given by the category $\mathbf{Shv}(\Omega)$ of *sheaves* over a locale Ω . This is defined as the full subcategory of the presheaf category $[\Omega^{op}, \mathbf{Set}]$ whose objects satisfy a certain gluing condition [Joh82, page 171]. It is certainly possible to study sheaves by working directly with this definition, but there is an alternative approach which is based on the use of sets with Ω -valued equality predicates. This was pioneered by Fourman and Scott [FS79] and independently by Higgs [Hig73, Hig84].

An Ω -set X is a pair $\langle |X|, =_X \rangle$ where $|X|$ is a set and $=_X: |X| \times |X| \rightarrow \Omega$ is a function which is ‘symmetric’ and ‘transitive’ in the evident way. The reflexivity of equality is not taken as an axiom. Instead the value of $(x =_X x)$ is taken to be the extent to which x *exists*. Thus, the logic of sheaves is a logic of both *existence* and *equality*. Higgs showed that the category $\Omega\text{-Set}$, whose objects are Ω -sets and whose morphisms are ‘functional relations’, is equivalent to $\mathbf{Shv}(\Omega)$.

There is some difficulty in developing a theory of sets with quantale valued equality relations due to the presence of the two conjunctions. In his thesis [Naw85], Nawaz developed a theory of sets with a Q -valued equality where Q is a non-commutative quantale in which \top is a right unit and multiplication is idempotent. This work has been extended by Borceux and others [BCBSC89], but unfortunately rests heavily on the assumption of idempotence. More recently, Borceux has considered a category of Q -sets where Q is a commutative quantale in which multiplication is not necessarily idempotent but $1 = \top$ [Bor90].

In this section, we present a theory of sets with a Q -valued equality where Q is any commutative quantale with unity. We adopt the axiom of reflexivity in order to study the notion of quantale valued equality without reference to existence. This allows us to draw on the ideas about metric spaces and enriched categories given by Lawvere in [Law73].

This influential paper has inspired a great deal of work on monoidal categories, bicategories and the categories enriched in these, and the constructions we shall use are special cases of the much more general ones appearing in the literature. In particular, the notion of a ‘functional relation’ given in definition 4.2.9 is closely related to the notion of a ‘map’ in a bicategory [CW87], and the associated idea of ‘functional completeness’ is related to the notion of ‘Cauchy completeness’ appearing in [Wal81, Wal82, Str81]. The importance of studying the more restricted version of these concepts is that we stay close to a logical intuition and obtain a simple category in which it is possible to test ideas about the categorical semantics of linear logic by explicit calculation.

Definition 4.2.1 Let Q be a commutative quantale with unity. A Q -category X is a set $|X|$ equipped with a function $X(-, -): |X| \times |X| \rightarrow Q$ which satisfies the

axioms Q1 and Q2 below. A Q -category X is a Q -set if it satisfies the additional axiom Q3.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Q1} \quad & 1 \leq X(u, u) \\ \text{Q2} \quad & X(u, v) \circ X(v, w) \leq X(u, w) \\ \text{Q3} \quad & X(u, v) \leq X(v, u) \end{aligned}$$

If X is a Q -set then the function $X(-, -) : |X| \times |X| \rightarrow Q$ is said to be the *equality* or *metric* of X .

Remark 4.2.2 Recall that a quantale Q can be viewed as a symmetric monoidal closed category, in which case the notion of Q -category defined above coincides with that of a \mathcal{V} -enriched category in the sense of [Kel82] (compare the inequalities above with the basic function symbols of section 3.4.2). Note that the coherence conditions are trivial in the case that \mathcal{V} is a partial order.

In categorical terms, the last axiom states that X is a self dual category in the very strong sense that $X = X^{op}$, and in logical terms, it says that the equality on X is symmetric. Though formally less critical than the first two, it fits our logical intuition and greatly simplifies some of the definitions below.

As Q -sets are self dual Q -categories, one possible notion of map between them is that of Q -functor.

Definition 4.2.3 If X, Y are Q -categories then a Q -functor from X to Y is a function $f : |X| \rightarrow |Y|$ such that for all $x, x' \in |X|$

$$X(x, x') \leq Y(f(x), f(x')) \tag{4.20}$$

Let $Q\text{-Cat}$ denote the category of small Q -categories with Q -functors between them, and let $Q\text{-CatSD}$ denote the full subcategory of whose objects are self dual.

Example 4.2.4 The motivating example of [Law73] is that of *generalised metric spaces*. Recall from section 2.2.1 that the reals $[0, \infty]$ with the reverse of the usual order form a quantale \mathfrak{R} in which fusion is given by addition and the unit is 0.

When $Q = \mathfrak{R}$ the axioms above become

$$\begin{aligned} X(u, u) &= 0 \\ X(u, w) &\leq X(u, v) + X(v, w) \\ X(u, v) &= X(v, u) \end{aligned} \tag{4.21}$$

\mathfrak{R} -sets are therefore a generalisation of metric spaces which allow points with infinite distance between them and distinct points x, y with $X(x, y) = 0$. Lawvere goes further and drops symmetry as well. \mathfrak{R} -functors are distance decreasing maps.

We say that a generalised metric space X is *Cauchy complete* if every Cauchy sequence $\{x_i\}$ has a *unique* limit point in X ¹.

Example 4.2.5 [Bor90] Let \mathcal{R} be a commutative ring with unity. If $r \in \mathcal{R}$ then the annihilator of r is the ideal $\text{Ann}(r) = \{x \in \mathcal{R} | rx = 0\}$. The elements of \mathcal{R} can be given the structure of an $\text{Idl}(\mathcal{R})$ -set R by defining

$$R(r, s) = \text{Ann}(r - s) \tag{4.22}$$

If $x \in \text{Ann}(r - s)$ and $y \in \text{Ann}(s - t)$ then

$$xy(r - t) = xy(r - s) + xy(s - t) = 0 \tag{4.23}$$

so $\text{Ann}(r - s)\text{Ann}(s - t) \subseteq \text{Ann}(r - t)$. Q1 and Q3 are immediate.

Example 4.2.6 Any quantale Q itself forms a Q -set with the equality given by bi-implication.

It is well known [Kel82, page 65] that for a complete symmetric monoidal closed category \mathcal{V} the category $\mathcal{V}\text{-Cat}$ of small \mathcal{V} -categories is also complete symmetric monoidal closed. The tensor product and internal hom are given by

$$\begin{aligned} |X \otimes Y| &= |X| \times |Y| \\ X \otimes Y(\langle x, y \rangle, \langle x', y' \rangle) &= X(x, x') \otimes Y(y, y') \\ |[X, Y]| &= \{Q\text{-functors from } X \text{ to } Y\} \\ [X, Y](f, g) &= \int_x Y(f(x), g(x)) \end{aligned}$$

¹For spaces in which $X(x, y) = 0 \Rightarrow x = y$ the uniqueness is immediate

The unit I for the tensor product is defined by $|I| = \{*\}$ and $I(*, *) = I_{\mathcal{V}}$ where $I_{\mathcal{V}}$ is the unit for the tensor product in \mathcal{V} . Thus, in particular, $Q\text{-Cat}$ is complete symmetric monoidal closed. Though, in this case, the definition of $[X, Y]$ is simplified by the fact that the end reduces to a meet. The subcategory $Q\text{-CatSD}$ is also symmetric monoidal closed because it contains I and is closed under the tensor and hom constructions.

Although Q -functors are a natural notion of map between Q -sets, they bear little resemblance to the ‘functional relations’ defined between Ω -sets. Thus, in the spirit of Ω -valued sets, we pursue a more general notion of map.

Definition 4.2.7 If X, Y are Q -sets then a Q -valued relation $R : X \rightsquigarrow Y$ is a function $R : |X| \times |Y| \rightarrow Q$ which satisfies

$$\begin{aligned} \text{R1} \quad & X(x', x) \circ R(x, y) \leq R(x', y) \\ \text{R2} \quad & R(x, y) \circ Y(y, y') \leq R(x, y') \end{aligned}$$

Given relations $R : X \rightsquigarrow Y$ and $S : Y \rightsquigarrow Z$ the composite SR is defined by

$$SR(x, z) = \bigvee_y R(x, y) \circ S(y, z) \quad (4.24)$$

If R is a relation from X to Y then R^{op} is the relation from Y to X defined by $R^{op}(y, x) = R(x, y)$.

It is clear that composition of relations is associative, and that the identity relation on a Q -set X is the equality of X . Thus Q -sets and Q -valued relations between them form a category $Q\text{-Rel}$. In fact, $Q\text{-Rel}$ forms a locally ordered category with the evident ordering on relations.

If $Q = 2$ then a Q -set is just a set with an equivalence relation, a Q -valued relation $X \rightsquigarrow Y$ is a relation between equivalence classes of X and Y , and 4.24 is just the usual composition of relations. 2-Rel is therefore equivalent to the category \mathbf{Rel} of sets and relations. An important observation on the locally ordered category \mathbf{Rel} is that

Proposition 4.2.8 *A function is a relation which is left adjoint to its own opposite.*

That is, a relation $F \subseteq X \times Y$ is a function if and only if $1_X \leq F^{\text{op}}F$ and $FF^{\text{op}} \leq 1_Y$. We extend this idea to an arbitrary quantale Q .

Definition 4.2.9 A *functional relation* between Q -sets X and Y is a relation $F : X \rightsquigarrow Y$ such that $F \dashv F^{\text{op}}$, that is

$$\begin{aligned} \text{F1} \quad & F(x, y) \circ F(x, y') \leq Y(y, y') \\ \text{F2} \quad & X(x, x') \leq \bigvee_y F(x, y) \circ F(x', y) \end{aligned} \tag{4.25}$$

The identity relation on X is clearly functional and the composite of functional relations is again functional because adjunctions compose. Thus, Q -sets and functional relations form a category which we denote $Q\text{-Set}$.

Remark 4.2.10 We can give the following readings to F1 and F2. F1 says that F is *single-valued*: “if F maps x to y and also maps x to y' then y and y' are equal” and F2 says that F is *total*: “if $x = x'$ then there exists a y such that F maps x to y and F maps x' to y ”

Taking $x = x'$ in F2, we obtain

$$X(x, x) \leq \bigvee_y F(x, y) \circ F(x, y) \tag{4.26}$$

Note that the proposition “ F maps x to y ” is asserted *precisely twice*. This is in sharp contrast to the intuitionistic case, where it does not matter how many times a proposition is asserted and the axiom $(x =_X x) \leq \bigvee_y F(x, y)$ suffices to express the totality of F .

4.2.1 Functional Completeness

A Q -functor $f : X \rightarrow Y$ induces a functional relation $\hat{f} : X \rightarrow Y$ via

$$\hat{f}(x, y) = Y(f(x), y) \tag{4.27}$$

This correspondence gives rise to a functor $(\widehat{-}) : Q\text{-CatSD} \rightarrow Q\text{-Set}$ whose object part is the identity.

Given that every functor induces a functional relation, it is interesting to ask when the converse holds.

Definition 4.2.11 A Q -set Y is *functionally complete* if for every functional relation $F : X \rightarrow Y$ there is a unique Q -functor $f : X \rightarrow Y$ such that $F = \hat{f}$.

Lemma 4.2.12 A functional relation $F : X \rightarrow Y$ is induced by a Q -functor if and only if there exists a function $f : |X| \rightarrow |Y|$ such that $1 \leq F(x, f(x))$ for all $x \in |X|$.

Proof. Given such a function f , we have

$$\begin{aligned} X(x, y) &\leq X(x, y) \circ F(x, f(x)) \circ F(y, f(y)) \\ &\leq F(y, f(x)) \circ F(y, f(y)) \\ &\leq Y(f(x), f(y)) \end{aligned} \tag{4.28}$$

so f is a Q -functor. Furthermore, by F1

$$F(x, y) \leq F(x, f(x)) \circ F(x, y) \leq Y(f(x), y) \tag{4.29}$$

and by R2

$$Y(f(x), y) \leq F(x, f(x)) \circ Y(f(x), y) \leq F(x, y) \tag{4.30}$$

so $F = \hat{f}$. The converse is trivial. \square

Proposition 4.2.13 [Law73] A metric space is functionally complete if and only if it is Cauchy complete.

Proof. First, suppose that Y is Cauchy complete and that $F : X \rightarrow Y$ is a functional relation. By F2

$$0 = \inf \{F(x, y) \mid y \in |Y|\} \tag{4.31}$$

so we can choose a sequence y_n of points in $|Y|$ such that $F(x, y_n) \leq 1/n$. Such a sequence is Cauchy since, by F1,

$$Y(y_n, y_m) \leq F(x, y_n) + F(x, y_m) \leq 1/n + 1/m \tag{4.32}$$

and furthermore if $\{z_n\}$ is any other choice of points satisfying the same condition then $Y(y_n, z_n) \leq 2/n$ so $\{y_n\}$ and $\{z_n\}$ are equivalent Cauchy sequences. Let $f(x)$ be the unique limit of the sequence $\{y_n\}$. As F is a relation

$$F(x, f(x)) \leq \inf\{F(x, y_n) + Y(y_n, f(x))\} = 0 \quad (4.33)$$

so by lemma 4.2.12 f is a distance decreasing map with $\hat{f} = F$. As Y is Cauchy complete, it has the property that $Y(y, y') = 0 \Rightarrow (y = y')$. Hence the uniqueness of f follows from F1.

For the converse we note that every Cauchy sequence $\{y_n\}$ in $|Y|$ defines a functional relation $F : I \rightarrow Y$ via

$$F(*, y) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} Y(y, y_n) \quad (4.34)$$

If $f : I \rightarrow Y$ is a Q -functor satisfying $F(*, y) = Y(f(*), y)$ then $f(*)$ is a limit for $\{y_n\}$. \square

Remark 4.2.14 The observation that the Cauchy completeness of a metric space could be expressed in terms of \mathfrak{R} -valued relations, led Lawvere to propose the following generalised definition of Cauchy completeness for categories enriched in a symmetric monoidal category \mathcal{V} . A \mathcal{V} -category Y is said to be *Cauchy complete* if every pair of \mathcal{V} -valued relations or ‘bimodules’ $F : X \rightsquigarrow Y$ and $G : Y \rightsquigarrow X$ with $F \dashv G$ is induced by a unique functor $f : X \rightarrow Y$. Restricted to Q -sets, this definition is slightly stronger than that of functional completeness because there is no requirement that $G = F^{op}$. The precise relationship between functional and Cauchy completeness is not yet clear. If Q is a locale or $Q = \mathfrak{R}$ then they coincide, but this will not be so in general. It may be possible to characterise the cases in which they do coincide by considering the *modularity condition* on *allegories* given by Freyd and Scedrov [FS90], but we shall not pursue this here. Instead, we continue with our study of functional completeness.

Proposition 4.2.15 *Every quantale Q is functionally complete as a Q -set.*

Proof. Suppose that $F : X \rightarrow Q$ is a functional relation, and let $f : |X| \rightarrow |Q|$ be the function

$$f(x) = \bigvee_q F(x, q) \circ q \quad (4.35)$$

Then for all $p \in |Q|$, we have $F(x, p) \leq p \multimap f(x)$ and $F(x, y) \leq f(x) \multimap p$ by the following.

$$\begin{aligned} F(x, p) \circ f(x) &= \bigvee_q F(x, p) \circ F(x, q) \circ q \\ &\leq \bigvee_q (p \multimap q) \circ q \\ &\leq p \end{aligned} \tag{4.36}$$

Thus $F(x, p) \leq (p \multimap f(x)) = Q(p, f(x))$. It now follows that

$$\begin{aligned} 1 \leq X(x, x) &\leq \bigvee_q F(x, q) \circ F(x, q) \\ &\leq \bigvee_q F(x, q) \circ Q(q, f(x)) \\ &\leq F(x, f(x)) \end{aligned} \tag{4.37}$$

so by lemma 4.2.12 f is a Q -functor and $F = \hat{f}$. The uniqueness of f follows from F1 and the observation that in a quantale $1 \leq (p \multimap q)$ implies $p = q$. \square

4.2.2 Tensor Product and Internal Hom

In the next two propositions, we show that the tensor product of Q -CatSD can be lifted to a tensor product on Q -Set, and that Q -Set is closed with respect to this product.

Proposition 4.2.16 *Q -Set is a symmetric monoidal category.*

Proof. As in Q -Cat, the tensor product of Q -sets X, Y has underlying set $|X \otimes Y| = |X| \times |Y|$ and equality relation

$$X \otimes Y(\langle x, y \rangle, \langle x', y' \rangle) = X(x, x') \circ Y(y, y') \tag{4.38}$$

and the unit is the Q -set I with underlying set $|I| = \{*\}$ and equality $I(*, *) = 1$. If $F : X \rightarrow Y$ and $G : U \rightarrow V$ are functional relations then $F \otimes G$ is defined by

$$F \otimes G(\langle x, u \rangle, \langle y, v \rangle) = F(x, y) \circ G(u, v) \tag{4.39}$$

Let X, Y, Z be Q -sets. We define the functional relations

$$A_{X,Y,Z} : (X \otimes Y) \otimes Z \rightarrow X \otimes (Y \otimes Z)$$

$$L_X : I \otimes X \rightarrow X$$

$$C_{X,Y} : X \otimes Y \rightarrow Y \otimes X$$

to be those induced by the corresponding data in $Q\text{-CatSD}$:

$$A_{X,Y,Z}(\langle\langle x, y \rangle, z \rangle, \langle x', \langle y', z' \rangle \rangle) = X(x, x') \circ Y(y, y') \circ Z(z, z') \quad (4.40)$$

$$L_X(\langle *, x \rangle, x') = X(x, x') \quad (4.41)$$

$$C_{X,Y}(\langle x, y \rangle, \langle y', x' \rangle) = X(x, x') \circ Y(y, y') \quad (4.42)$$

Clearly A, L, C are isomorphisms. Naturality and coherences follow from the properties of \circ . \square

Proposition 4.2.17 *$Q\text{-Set}$ is a symmetric monoidal closed category.*

Proof. The internal hom $[X, Y]$ is defined as follows. The underlying set $|[X, Y]|$ is the set of all functional relations from X to Y . The equality is given by

$$[X, Y](F, G) = \bigwedge_{x,y} F(x, y) \circ\text{-}\circ G(x, y) \quad (4.43)$$

It is routine to check that $[X, Y]$ is a Q -set. It is immediate from this definition that

$$F(x, y) \circ [X, Y](F, G) \leq G(x, y) \quad (4.44)$$

for all $x \in |X|$ and $y \in |Y|$. The evaluation map $E : [X, Y] \otimes X \rightarrow Y$ is defined by

$$E(\langle F, x \rangle, y) = F(x, y) \quad (4.45)$$

which clearly satisfies R2 and F1. The other two conditions hold as follows.

$$\begin{aligned} ([X, Y] \otimes X)(\langle F', x' \rangle, \langle F, x \rangle) \circ E(\langle F, x \rangle, y) &= [X, Y](F', F) \circ X(x', x) \circ F(x, y) \\ &\leq [X, Y](F', F) \circ F(x', y) \\ &\leq E(\langle F', x' \rangle, y) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
([X, Y] \otimes X)(\langle F, x \rangle, \langle F', x' \rangle) &= [X, Y](F, F') \circ X(x, x') \\
&\leq \bigvee_y [X, Y](F, F') \circ F'(x, y) \circ F'(x', y) \\
&\leq \bigvee_y E(\langle F, x \rangle, y) \circ E(\langle F', x' \rangle, y)
\end{aligned}$$

Thus E is a functional relation. We show that it is universal from $(-)\otimes X$ to Y .

Let $F : Z \otimes X \rightarrow Y$ be a functional relation. Let F_z be the relation defined by $F_z(x, y) = F(\langle z, x \rangle, y)$. It is clear that F_z is functional. Furthermore, the mapping $z \mapsto F_z$ is a Q -functor from Z to $[X, Y]$.

$$Z(z, z') \leq \bigwedge_{x, y} F(\langle z, x \rangle, y) \circ \circ F(\langle z', x \rangle, y) = [X, Y](F_z, F_{z'}) \quad (4.46)$$

The currying of F is the functional relation G induced by this functor, i.e.

$$G(z, H) = [X, Y](F_z, H) \quad (4.47)$$

We now show that $E(G \otimes 1_X) = F$ and moreover that G is the unique map with this property.

$$\begin{aligned}
E(G \otimes 1_X)(\langle z, x \rangle, y) &= \bigvee_{\langle H, u \rangle} G(z, H) \circ X(x, u) \circ H(u, y) \\
&= \bigvee_H [X, Y](F_z, H) \circ H(x, y) \\
&= F_z(x, y) \\
&= F(\langle z, x \rangle, y)
\end{aligned}$$

For uniqueness, suppose that $G' : Z \otimes X \rightarrow Y$ is another functional relation satisfying $E(G' \otimes 1_X) = F$, i.e.

$$F(\langle z, x \rangle, y) = \bigvee_H G'(z, H) \circ H(x, y) \quad (4.48)$$

It follows that for all $H \in |[X, Y]|$

$$G'(z, H) \leq H(x, y) \circ \circ F(\langle z, x \rangle, y) \quad (4.49)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
G'(z, H) \circ F(\langle z, x \rangle, y) &= \bigvee_{H'} G'(z, H) \circ G'(z, H') \circ H'(x, y) \\
&\leq \bigvee_{H'} [X, Y](H, H') \circ H'(x, y) \\
&\leq H(x, y)
\end{aligned} \quad (4.50)$$

Combining 4.49 and 4.50 we have

$$G'(z, H) \leq \bigwedge_{x,y} F(\langle z, x \rangle, y) \circ \circ H(x, y) = G(z, H) \quad (4.51)$$

To get the converse inequality we note that

$$\begin{aligned} 1 \leq Z(z, z) &\leq \bigvee_H G'(z, H) \circ G'(z, H) \\ &\leq \bigvee_H G'(z, H) \circ G(z, H) \\ &= \bigvee_H G'(z, H) \circ [X, Y](H, F_z) \\ &= G'(z, F_z) \end{aligned} \quad (4.52)$$

and hence

$$\begin{aligned} G(z, H) &\leq G'(z, F_z) \circ G(z, H) \\ &\leq G'(z, F_z) \circ [X, Y](F_z, H) \\ &\leq G'(z, H) \end{aligned} \quad (4.53)$$

which concludes the proof. \square

4.2.3 Reflection Theorem

In this section, we show that $Q\text{-Set}$ is equivalent to a full reflective subcategory of $Q\text{-CatSD}$. In the case of metric spaces, this reflection is the familiar *Cauchy completion*. We use this result to construct limits in $Q\text{-Set}$.

Lemma 4.2.18 *For all Q -sets X and Y , the internal hom $[X, Y]$ is functionally complete.*

Proof. Let $F : Z \rightarrow [X, Y]$ be a functional relation. Since $Q\text{-Set}$ is symmetric monoidal closed, F is equal to the currying of $G = E(F \otimes 1_X)$ which is, by definition, induced by a Q -functor from Z to $[X, Y]$.

Suppose that $f, g : Z \rightarrow [X, Y]$ are Q -functors such that $\hat{f} = F = \hat{g}$ then

$$\begin{aligned} 1 \leq Z(z, z) &\leq \bigvee_H F(z, H) \circ F(z, H) \\ &= \bigvee_H [X, Y](f(z), H) \circ [X, Y](g(z), H) \\ &= [X, Y](f(z), g(z)) \end{aligned} \quad (4.54)$$

and hence $f(z) = g(z)$ for all $z \in |Z|$. \square

This lemma allows us to make the following series of observations.

Proposition 4.2.19 *Let s be the function which maps each Q -set X to the internal hom $[I, X]$ viewed as an object of $Q\text{-CatSD}$, and each functional relation $F : X \rightarrow Y$ to the unique Q -functor $f : [I, X] \rightarrow [I, Y]$ such that $\hat{f} = [I, F]$. The function s determines a full and faithful functor $S : Q\text{-Set} \rightarrow Q\text{-CatSD}$.*

Proof. The functoriality of S follows directly from that of $(\widehat{-}) : Q\text{-CatSD} \rightarrow Q\text{-Set}$. We verify that S is full and faithful.

Let f be a Q -functor $S(X) \rightarrow S(Y)$. As $Q\text{-Set}$ is a closed category, there is a natural isomorphism $X \cong [I, X]$. Applying this to $\hat{f} : [I, X] \rightarrow [I, Y]$, we find that there is a unique functional relation $F : X \rightarrow Y$ such that $[I, F] = \hat{f}$ and hence $S(F) = f$. \square

Theorem 4.2.20 *The functor $(\widehat{-}) : Q\text{-CatSD} \rightarrow Q\text{-Set}$ is left adjoint to S exhibiting $Q\text{-Set}$ as a reflective subcategory of $Q\text{-CatSD}$.*

Proof. If X is a Q -set then $S(\widehat{X}) = [I, X]$ is functionally complete so we can define a Q -functor $\eta_X : X \rightarrow S(\widehat{X})$ to be the unique map in $Q\text{-CatSD}$ such that η_X is the currying of the isomorphism $LC : X \otimes I \rightarrow X$ in $Q\text{-Set}$. We show that η_X is universal as an arrow from X to S .

Let $f : X \rightarrow S(Y)$ be a morphism of $Q\text{-CatSD}$. Then \hat{f} factors uniquely through $\widehat{\eta_X} : X \rightarrow [I, X]$ since this is an isomorphism in $Q\text{-Set}$, and hence f factors uniquely through η_X by the functional completeness of $S(Y) = [I, Y]$.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 X & & X \\
 \eta_X \downarrow & \searrow f & \widehat{\eta_X} \downarrow \cong \\
 S(\widehat{X}) & \dashrightarrow Y & [I, X] \longrightarrow Y
 \end{array} \tag{4.55}$$

Thus $(\widehat{-})$ is left adjoint to S , and it follows from the proposition above that S is equivalent to a reflective subcategory of $Q\text{-CatSD}$. \square

Proposition 4.2.21 *The adjunction $(\widehat{-}) \dashv S$ restricts to an equivalence between $Q\text{-Set}$ and the full subcategory \mathcal{A} of $Q\text{-CatSD}$ whose objects are functionally complete.*

Proof. It is clear that the adjunction can be restricted to the subcategory \mathcal{A} because the image of S is contained in \mathcal{A} . Furthermore, if X is functionally complete then the inverse to $\hat{\eta}_X : X \rightarrow [I, X]$ in $Q\text{-Set}$ yields an inverse to η_X , so every object in \mathcal{A} is isomorphic to one in the image of S . As S is full and faithful, we conclude that it is an equivalence of categories. \square

Corollary 4.2.22 *$Q\text{-Set}$ is complete and cocomplete.*

Proof. If $Q\text{-CatSD}$ is complete and cocomplete then so is $Q\text{-Set}$ because $Q\text{-Set}$ is equivalent to a full reflective subcategory of $Q\text{-CatSD}$. It is easy to show that $Q\text{-CatSD}$ is closed under limits and colimits in $Q\text{-Cat}$ and hence that the completeness and cocompleteness of $Q\text{-CatSD}$ follow from that of $Q\text{-Cat}$. \square

We give an explicit descriptions of products and equalisers in $Q\text{-Set}$.

Products

Let $\{X_i\}_{i \in S}$ be a family of Q -sets indexed by a set S . Then the product $\prod_{i \in S} X_i$ has underlying set $\prod_{i \in S} |X_i|$ and equality

$$\prod_{i \in S} (\langle x_i \rangle_{i \in S}, \langle y_i \rangle_{i \in S}) = \bigwedge_{i \in S} X_i(x_i, y_i) \quad (4.56)$$

The projections $P_j : \prod_{i \in S} X_i \rightarrow X_j$ are defined by

$$P_j(\langle x_i \rangle_{i \in S}, x) = X_j(x_j, x) \quad (4.57)$$

Given a cone $\{F_i : Y \rightarrow X_i\}_{i \in S}$ of functional relations, the mediator $F : Y \rightarrow \prod_{i \in S} X_i$ is defined by

$$F(y, \langle x_i \rangle_{i \in S}) = \bigwedge_{i \in S} F_i(y, x_i) \quad (4.58)$$

Equalisers

Let $F, G : X \rightarrow Y$ be functional relations. Let $|U| \subseteq |[I, X]|$ be the set of functional relations $S : 1 \rightarrow X$ such that $FS = GS$ and let U be the equality inherited from $[I, X]$. Then the functional relation $K : U \rightarrow X$ defined by $K(S, x) = S(*, x)$ is an equaliser of F and G .

Chapter 5

Monoidal Factorisation Systems

In this chapter, we investigate the minimal additional structure required to derive an internal logic from a symmetric monoidal closed category \mathcal{C} . We indicate the form that such a logic should take and discuss some of the problems that arise.

The basic categorical structure required is that of a factorisation system on \mathcal{C} , as defined in section 5.1. This gives two classes of morphisms in \mathcal{C} , called \mathcal{E} and \mathcal{M} , which satisfy an orthogonality condition and have the property that every map f in \mathcal{C} factors as an element of \mathcal{E} followed by an element of \mathcal{M} . An important example of such a factorisation system is given by the classes of epimorphisms and monomorphisms in a topos. Here, predicates over an object A are associated with monomorphisms with codomain A . We shall take the notion of predicate in the category \mathcal{C} to be relative to a particular factorisation system $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$ where \mathcal{M} is a subclass of the monomorphisms. Provided that \mathcal{C} is sufficiently complete and cocomplete, this allows us to define operations corresponding to the additive connectives, substitution and existential quantification.

The multiplicative connectives are defined in terms of the symmetric monoidal closed structure of \mathcal{C} . It is therefore important that the factorisation behaves well with respect to the tensor product. In section 5.2, we define a *monoidal* factorisation system to be one in which \mathcal{E} is closed under tensor product. This single condition is sufficient to prove that fusion is associative, and to allow the definition of linear implication. This is a mild condition, so there is a wide class of

examples. In particular, in section 5.3, we show that $Q\text{-Set}$ has a natural monoidal factorisation system.

The definition of the multiplicative connectives, given in section 5.4, is slightly unexpected. The form of first order linear logic given by Seely [See87b,See90] consists of an indexed category in which each fibre is a model of the propositional logic. The logical structure given by a monoidal factorisation system is somewhat different. The multiplicatives are *non-fibrewise* operations, eg. fusion maps a predicate over A and a predicate over B to a predicate over $A \otimes B$. In the next chapter, we shall see that this corresponds to a restriction on the occurrence of variables in formulae similar to that encountered in linear type theory.

Although fusion and linear implication are not operations on a single fibre, they are still related by an adjunction. We define a category $\text{Sqr}(\mathcal{M})$ whose objects are elements of \mathcal{M} and prove, in theorem 5.4.5, that this is a symmetric monoidal closed category with tensor product and internal hom given by fusion and linear implication respectively.

There are various difficulties involved in developing a logic of symmetric monoidal closed categories, which we illustrate in the case of \mathbf{Ab} in section 5.5. The properties observed in \mathbf{Ab} fundamentally shape the logic presented in chapter 6. In particular, the fact that pullback fails to preserve the logical operations on the nose necessitates the use of explicit *substitution operators*, and removes the possibility of including universal quantification. We also note that the evident generalisation of the Beck-Chevalley condition fails. These are not a defects of our system, but rather the inevitable consequence of studying linear logic in a categorical framework.

5.1 Factorisation Systems

We recall the definitions and basic facts about factorisation systems [FK72].

Let f and g be morphisms of a category \mathcal{C} . We say that f is *orthogonal to* g , written $f \downarrow g$, if whenever there exist maps u, v with $vf = gu$ there is a unique *diagonal fill-in* w making both triangles below commute.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 A & \xrightarrow{f} & B \\
 \downarrow u & \nearrow w & \downarrow v \\
 C & \xrightarrow{g} & D
 \end{array}
 \tag{5.1}$$

Definition 5.1.1 A *factorisation system* for a category \mathcal{C} is a pair $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$, where \mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M} are classes of morphisms of \mathcal{C} such that

1. Both \mathcal{E} and \mathcal{M} are closed under composition, and contain the isomorphisms.
2. Every morphism f of \mathcal{C} has a factorisation $f = me$ with $e \in \mathcal{E}$ and $m \in \mathcal{M}$.
3. $e \downarrow m$ whenever $e \in \mathcal{E}$ and $m \in \mathcal{M}$.

A factorisation system $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$ is said to be *proper* if every element of \mathcal{E} is an epimorphism and every element of \mathcal{M} is a monomorphism.

Note 5.1.2 If $hme = m'e'g$ with $m, m' \in \mathcal{M}$ and $e, e' \in \mathcal{E}$, then since $e \downarrow m'$ there is a unique k which makes the diagram below commute.

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 X & \xrightarrow{e} & Y & \xrightarrow{m} & Z \\
 \downarrow g & & \vdots k & & \downarrow h \\
 X' & \xrightarrow{e'} & Y' & \xrightarrow{m'} & Z'
 \end{array}
 \tag{5.2}$$

Taking g and h to be identities we see that the factorisation of a map f is unique up to isomorphism. Provided that there is a *choice* of factorisation for each f diagram 5.2 shows that factorisation determines a functor $\mathcal{C}^{\rightarrow} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}^{\rightarrow}$ which maps an arrow f in \mathcal{C} to its *image* in \mathcal{M} and *co-image* in \mathcal{E} .

If \mathcal{F} is a class of morphisms then we write \mathcal{F}^\downarrow for $\{g|f \downarrow g \text{ for all } f \in \mathcal{F}\}$ and \mathcal{F}^\uparrow for $\{g|g \downarrow f \text{ for all } f \in \mathcal{F}\}$.

Lemma 5.1.3 [FK72] *If $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$ is a factorisation system for a category \mathcal{C} then $\mathcal{E} = \mathcal{M}^\uparrow$ and $\mathcal{M} = \mathcal{E}^\downarrow$.*¹

Proof. From the definition of a factorisation system $\mathcal{E} \subseteq \mathcal{M}^\uparrow$ and $\mathcal{M} \subseteq \mathcal{E}^\downarrow$. To show that $\mathcal{M}^\uparrow \subseteq \mathcal{E}$, suppose $g \in \mathcal{M}^\uparrow$ and let its factorisation be $g = ip$. Since $p \downarrow g$, there is a unique diagonal map t which fills in the square below.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 A & \xrightarrow{p} & C \\
 \downarrow 1 & \searrow t & \downarrow i \\
 A & \xrightarrow{g} & B
 \end{array}
 \tag{5.3}$$

Let $t = jq$ be the factorisation of t . By the uniqueness of the factorisation of $j \cdot qp = 1 = 1 \cdot 1$, we know that j is an isomorphism, and hence that $t \in \mathcal{E}$. By the uniqueness of the factorisation $1 \cdot i = gt = pt \cdot i$ we have that pt is an isomorphism. Since $tp = 1$, it follows that $(pt)^{-1}p$ is an inverse for t , and hence $g = it^{-1} \in \mathcal{M}$. \square

Definition 5.1.4 An epimorphism e in a category \mathcal{C} is said to be *extremal* if whenever $e = jt$ with j a monomorphism, then j is an isomorphism. Extremal monomorphisms are defined dually.

We write **Epi** for the class of epimorphisms in \mathcal{C} and **Epi**[†] for the class of extremal epimorphisms. Similarly, for monomorphisms we write **Mon** and **Mon**[†].

¹In [FK72], classes of morphisms \mathcal{F}, \mathcal{G} such that $\mathcal{F} = \mathcal{G}^\uparrow$ and $\mathcal{G} = \mathcal{F}^\downarrow$ are said to form a *pre-factorisation*.

Proposition 5.1.5 *If \mathcal{C} has all finite limits and admits an intersection for every class of monomorphisms $\{m_\alpha : X_\alpha \rightarrow A\}$ then $(\mathbf{Epi}^\dagger, \mathbf{Mon})$ is a proper factorisation system on \mathcal{C} .*

Proof. See [FK72] page 176. □

Thus, $(\mathbf{Epi}^\dagger, \mathbf{Mon})$ is likely to be a proper factorisation system in any category with reasonable limit properties.

Examples 5.1.6

1. For any ring R , $(\mathbf{Epi}, \mathbf{Mon})$ is a factorisation system on the categories of R -modules. In particular this is true for the category of abelian groups (\mathbf{Z} -modules) and vector spaces over a field F .
2. $(\mathbf{Epi}, \mathbf{Mon})$ is a factorisation system on any topos \mathcal{T} (see [LS86]). When $\mathcal{T} = \mathbf{Set}$ this factorisation restricts to the category \mathbf{Set}_* of pointed sets.
3. The category \mathbf{Cat} of small categories has several factorisation systems, eg. $(\mathcal{E}_i, \mathcal{M}_i)$ for $i = 1, 2$ where

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{E}_1 &= \{\text{functors which are bijective on objects}\} \\ \mathcal{M}_1 &= \{\text{fully faithful functors}\} \\ \mathcal{E}_2 &= \{\text{initial functors}\} \\ \mathcal{M}_2 &= \{\text{discrete op-fibrations}\}\end{aligned}$$

The first of these is straightforward and details of the second can be found in [SW73].

We summarise some of the important properties of factorisation systems.

Lemma 5.1.7 *If $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$ is a factorisation system for \mathcal{C} , then*

1. $\mathcal{E} \cap \mathcal{M}$ is the class of isomorphisms in \mathcal{C} .
2. \mathcal{M} is closed under pullback.

3. If $\{p_i : X \rightarrow Y_i\}_{i \in S}$ is the limit of a diagram $\{m_i : Y_i \rightarrow Z\}_{i \in S}$ where each m_i is in \mathcal{M} , then $k = m_i p_i : X \rightarrow Z$ is in \mathcal{M} .
4. Let \mathcal{J} be a category with terminal object t and $F : \mathcal{J} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ be a diagram such that every morphism in \mathcal{J} is mapped to an element of \mathcal{M} . If F has a limit then the projection $\lim F \rightarrow F(t)$ is in \mathcal{M} .
5. If i is a monomorphism, or $i \in \mathcal{M}$, or every element of \mathcal{E} is an epimorphism; then $ij \in \mathcal{M}$ implies $j \in \mathcal{M}$.
6. If every element of \mathcal{E} is an epimorphism then \mathcal{M} contains all equalisers in \mathcal{C} .

Proof. Easy consequences of lemma 5.1.3. Note that 3 is an immediate consequence of 4. □

If \mathcal{M} is a class of monomorphisms then clause 3 means that \mathcal{M} is closed under such intersections as exist. This is important for the interpretation of the additive conjunction. Similarly, clause 2 will be needed for the interpretation of substitution.

Definitions 5.1.8

1. Let A be an object of the category \mathcal{C} . The *slice category* \mathcal{C}/A is the category whose objects are morphisms with codomain A and whose morphisms $f : g_1 \rightarrow g_2$ are commuting triangles $g_1 = g_2 f$.
2. Let \mathcal{F} be any class of morphisms in a category \mathcal{C} and A be an object of \mathcal{C} . We define the *relative slice category* $\mathcal{C}/_{\mathcal{F}}A$ to be the full subcategory of the slice category whose objects are the morphisms of \mathcal{F} .

Note that if $f : m_1 \rightarrow m_2$ in $\mathcal{C}/_{\mathcal{M}}A$ then f is an element of \mathcal{M} by lemma 5.1.7 (5).

Proposition 5.1.9

1. If \mathcal{C} is complete (resp. finitely complete) then so is $\mathcal{C}/_{\mathcal{M}}A$.

2. If \mathcal{C} has finite (resp. small) coproducts then so does $\mathcal{C}/_{\mathcal{M}}A$.

Proof. The first part is immediate from lemma 5.1.7. The second can be shown by verifying that the image factorisation of the morphism $[m_i]_{i \in S} : \Sigma_{i \in S} X_i \rightarrow A$ in \mathcal{C} is a coproduct for the family $\{m_i : X_i \rightarrow A\}_{i \in S}$ of objects in $\mathcal{C}/_{\mathcal{M}}A$. \square

5.1.1 Subobjects

If $\mathcal{M} \subseteq \mathbf{Mon}$ then there is at most one map between any two objects of $\mathcal{C}/_{\mathcal{M}}A$. That is $\mathcal{C}/_{\mathcal{M}}A$ is a preorder

$$m_1 \prec m_2 \quad \iff \quad m_1 \text{ factors through } m_2 \quad (5.4)$$

We define the \mathcal{M} -subobjects of A to be the equivalence classes of objects in $\mathcal{C}/_{\mathcal{M}}A$ modulo \prec . Let $Sub_{\mathcal{M}}(A)$ denote the class of \mathcal{M} -subobjects of A with the induced partial order \leq . We say that \mathcal{C} is \mathcal{M} -well powered if for each object A of \mathcal{C} $Sub_{\mathcal{M}}(A)$ is a set.

Under reasonable assumptions, for example if \mathcal{C} is finitely complete, \mathcal{M} -well powered and has finite coproducts, $Sub_{\mathcal{M}}(A)$ is a lattice. If \mathcal{C} is complete then $Sub_{\mathcal{M}}(A)$ is a complete lattice. The additive connectives of first order linear logic will be interpreted by the lattice operations in $Sub_{\mathcal{M}}(A)$.

Notation 5.1.10 For the rest of this chapter we deal with categories \mathcal{C} with a specific factorisation system $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$. It is convenient to redefine the notation on arrows relative to this. Let

$$X \xrightarrow{e} \twoheadrightarrow Y$$

and

$$X \xrightarrow{m} \rightarrow Y$$

denote elements of \mathcal{E} and \mathcal{M} respectively. Note that, unless $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$ is proper, these arrows are not necessarily epimorphic or monomorphic.

5.1.2 Direct and Inverse Images

Let \mathcal{C} be a category with factorisation system $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$ such that every map has a choice of factorisation, and suppose that $f : A \rightarrow B$ is a morphism of \mathcal{C} . Then f induces a functor $f_* : \mathcal{C}/_{\mathcal{M}}A \rightarrow \mathcal{C}/_{\mathcal{M}}B$ as follows. The *direct image* of m along f is defined to be the \mathcal{M} part of the factorisation of fm .

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 X & \xrightarrow{e} & f_*X \\
 \downarrow m & & \downarrow f_*m \\
 A & \xrightarrow{f} & B
 \end{array} \tag{5.5}$$

If there exist choices of pullback for elements of \mathcal{M} along arbitrary maps in \mathcal{C} then f also induces a functor $f^* : \mathcal{C}/_{\mathcal{M}}B \rightarrow \mathcal{C}/_{\mathcal{M}}A$. The *inverse image* f^*k is the pullback of k along f . Note that $f^*k \in \mathcal{M}$ by lemma 5.1.7 (2).

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 f^*Y & \xrightarrow{\quad} & Y \\
 \downarrow f^*k & \lrcorner & \downarrow k \\
 A & \xrightarrow{f} & B
 \end{array} \tag{5.6}$$

Proposition 5.1.11 *The functors $f_* : \mathcal{C}/_{\mathcal{M}}A \rightarrow \mathcal{C}/_{\mathcal{M}}B$ and $f^* : \mathcal{C}/_{\mathcal{M}}B \rightarrow \mathcal{C}/_{\mathcal{M}}A$ are adjoint : $f_* \dashv f^*$*

The direct and inverse image constructions give rise to functors $f_* : \text{Sub}_{\mathcal{M}}(A) \rightarrow \text{Sub}_{\mathcal{M}}(B)$ and $f^* : \text{Sub}_{\mathcal{M}}(B) \rightarrow \text{Sub}_{\mathcal{M}}(A)$ on subobjects.

Example 5.1.12 Let $f : A \rightarrow B$ be a homomorphism of abelian groups and let X, Y be subgroups of A, B respectively. Then

$$b \in f_*X \iff \exists x(f(x) = b \text{ and } x \in X) \tag{5.7}$$

$$a \in f^*Y \iff f(a) \in Y \tag{5.8}$$

These expressions are identical to the ones giving the direct and inverse images in **Set**. So, at least in these constructions, the logic of **Ab** agrees with the underlying logic in **Set**.

The expression for f_*X makes it clear that we should regard the direct image as a form of existential quantification *along the morphism* f . The inverse image corresponds to *substitution along* f .

Note 5.1.13 By working exclusively with subobjects it is possible to avoid the assumption of specific choices of pullback and factorisation. However it is more convenient to continue working directly with the elements of \mathcal{M} and assume that the appropriate choices exist.

Note 5.1.14 Although ultimately we are only interested in factorisation systems in which $\mathcal{M} \subseteq \mathbf{Mon}$, few of the results or constructions in this chapter rely on this assumption. We give proofs in general and note that these can often be simplified if $\mathcal{M} \subseteq \mathbf{Mon}$ or $\mathcal{E} \subseteq \mathbf{Epi}$.

5.2 Monoidal Factorisations

Definition 5.2.1 Let $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$ be a factorisation system on a symmetric monoidal category $\langle \mathcal{C}, \otimes, I \rangle$. We say that $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$ is a *monoidal factorisation system* if the class \mathcal{E} is closed under the functor $(-) \otimes X$ for each object X of \mathcal{C} , ie.

$$e \in \mathcal{E} \Rightarrow e \otimes 1_X \in \mathcal{E}$$

or, equivalently, $e_1, e_2 \in \mathcal{E} \Rightarrow e_1 \otimes e_2 \in \mathcal{E}$.

Lemma 5.2.2 *If \mathcal{C} is a symmetric monoidal closed category with a factorisation system $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$ then \mathcal{E} is closed under $(-) \otimes X$ if and only if \mathcal{M} is closed under $[X, -]$.*

Proof. To show that $e \otimes 1_X$ is in \mathcal{E} , it suffices to show that it is orthogonal to every $m \in \mathcal{M}$. Suppose there exist morphisms f and g such that the left hand

square below commutes.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 A \otimes X & \xrightarrow{e \otimes 1} & B \otimes X \\
 \downarrow g & & \downarrow h \\
 C & \xrightarrow{m} & D
 \end{array}
 \qquad
 \begin{array}{ccc}
 A & \xrightarrow{e} & B \\
 \downarrow \lambda(g) & & \downarrow \lambda(h) \\
 [X, C] & \xrightarrow{[1, m]} & [X, D]
 \end{array}
 \tag{5.9}$$

Then the righthand square also commutes because it is the transposition of the left across the adjunction $(-) \otimes X \dashv [X, -]$. As $[1, m]$ is in \mathcal{M} , there exists a diagonal fill-in for the right and hence, transposing back again, for the left. \square

Let \mathcal{C} be a symmetric monoidal closed category on which $(\mathbf{Epi}^\dagger, \mathbf{Mon})$ is a factorisation system. Then $[X, -]$ preserves monomorphisms because it is a right adjoint and \mathbf{Epi}^\dagger is closed under tensor by the above. Thus, by proposition 5.1.5, there are plenty of examples of monoidal factorisation systems.

Remark 5.2.3 It is tempting to strengthen definition 5.2.1 to require that both \mathcal{E} and \mathcal{M} are closed under tensor product. This holds for vector spaces and pointed sets, but fails in the important example of abelian groups.

Let $i : \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}$ be the inclusion of the integers into the rationals. If $a \in A$ satisfies $na = 0$ for a positive integer n then for any $q \in \mathbb{Q}$

$$a \otimes q = a \otimes n(q/n) = na \otimes (q/n) = 0 \otimes (q/n) = 0 \tag{5.10}$$

In particular if A is a torsion group then $A \otimes \mathbb{Q} \cong \mathbf{0}$. In this case $1_A \otimes i$ cannot be a monomorphism since $\mathbb{Z} \otimes A \cong A$.

5.3 Factorisation in \mathbb{Q} -Set

There are two important subclasses of the morphisms in \mathbb{Q} -Set. Let \mathcal{E} denote the class of functional relations $F : X \rightarrow Y$ such that for all $y, y' \in |Y|$

$$\bigvee_x F(x, y) \circ F(x, y') = Y(y, y') \tag{5.11}$$

and let \mathcal{M} denote those for which

$$X(x, x') = \bigvee_y F(x, y) \circ F(x', y) \quad (5.12)$$

for all $x, x' \in |X|$. Note that by the axioms F1 and F2 both of these conditions already hold as an inequality left to right.

Theorem 5.3.1 $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$ is a proper monoidal factorisation system on $Q\text{-Set}$.

Proof. First we note that every $M \in \mathcal{M}$ is a monomorphism. Suppose that $M : X \rightarrow Y$ is in \mathcal{M} and $F, G : U \rightarrow X$ are functional relations such that $MF = MG$. Then

$$\begin{aligned} F(u, x) &= \bigvee_{x'} F(u, x') \circ X(x', x) \\ &= \bigvee_{x'} F(u, x') \circ (\bigvee_y M(x', y) \circ M(x, y)) \\ &= \bigvee_y MF(u, y) \circ M(x, y) \\ &= \bigvee_y MG(u, y) \circ M(x, y) \\ &= G(u, x) \end{aligned}$$

A similar calculation shows that every element of \mathcal{E} is an epimorphism. From the elementary properties of fusion, both \mathcal{E} and \mathcal{M} are closed under tensor product.

To show that $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$ is a factorisation system we first show that every map has an $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$ factorisation. Let $F : X \rightarrow Y$ be a functional relation. We define a Q -set U with the same underlying set as X .

$$U(x, x') = \bigvee_y F(x, y) \circ F(x', y) \quad (5.13)$$

By F2 $X(x, x') \leq U(x, x')$ so the ‘equality’ on U is stronger than that on X . Reflexivity (Q1) is immediate and symmetry (Q3) follows from the commutativity of fusion. We check Q2

$$\begin{aligned} U(x, x') \circ U(x', x'') &= \bigvee_{y, y'} F(x, y) \circ F(x', y) \circ F(x', y') \circ F(x'', y') \\ &\leq \bigvee_{y, y'} F(x, y) \circ Y(y, y') \circ F(x'', y') \\ &= \bigvee_y F(x, y) \circ F(x'', y) = U(x, x'') \end{aligned} \quad (5.14)$$

Let $G : X \rightarrow U$ and $H : U \rightarrow Y$ be defined by

$$G(x, u) = U(x, u) \quad (5.15)$$

$$H(u, y) = F(u, y) \quad (5.16)$$

It is easy to check that these are functional relations. We see that $H \in \mathcal{M}$ by replacing F with H in 5.13, and that $G \in \mathcal{E}$ by the following.

$$\begin{aligned} U(u, u') &= \bigvee_x U(u, x) \circ U(x, u') \\ &= \bigvee_x G(x, u) \circ G(x, u') \end{aligned} \quad (5.17)$$

The composite HG is equal to F .

$$\begin{aligned} HG(x, y) &= \bigvee_u G(x, u) \circ H(u, y) \\ &= \bigvee_u U(x, u) \circ F(u, y) \\ &= F(x, y) \end{aligned} \quad (5.18)$$

Thus we have shown that every map F factorises as a map in \mathcal{E} followed by a map in \mathcal{M} .

We now prove that maps in \mathcal{E} are orthogonal to those in \mathcal{M} and hence that $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$ is a factorisation system. Let $G \in \mathcal{E}$ and $H \in \mathcal{M}$ and suppose that there exist functional relations F_1 and F_2 such that $HF_1 = F_2G$. We need to show that there is a unique map K which makes both triangles in the diagram below commute.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} U & \xrightarrow{G} & V \\ F_1 \downarrow & \nearrow K & \downarrow F_2 \\ W & \xrightarrow{H} & X \end{array} \quad (5.19)$$

If such a map exists then it is certainly unique since G is epi. Take K to be $H^{\text{op}}F_2$. That is

$$K(v, w) = \bigvee_x F_2(v, x) \circ H(w, x) \quad (5.20)$$

This is the same as F_1G^{op} since

$$K(v, w) = \bigvee_{x, v'} V(v, v') \circ F_2(v', x) \circ H(w, x)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \bigvee_{x,v',u} G(u, v) \circ G(u, v') \circ F_2(v', x) \circ H(w, x) \\
&= \bigvee_{x,u} G(u, v) \circ F_2G(u, x) \circ H(w, x) \\
&= \bigvee_{x,u} G(u, v) \circ HF_1(u, x) \circ H(w, x) \\
&= \bigvee_u G(u, v) \circ F_1(u, w) \tag{5.21}
\end{aligned}$$

The last step is dual to the first two. We need to verify that K is a functional relation. It is not difficult to see that it satisfies R1 and R2. It satisfies F2 as follows

$$\begin{aligned}
\bigvee_w K(v, w) \circ K(v', w) &= \bigvee_{w,u,u'} G(u, v) \circ G(u', v) \circ F_1(u, w) \circ F_1(u', w) \\
&\geq \bigvee_{u,u'} G(u, v) \circ G(u', v') \circ U(u, u') \\
&= \bigvee_u G(u, v) \circ G(u, v') \\
&= V(v, v') \tag{5.22}
\end{aligned}$$

and, by a similar argument, it satisfies F1. It remains to show that K makes diagram 5.19 commute.

$$\begin{aligned}
KG(u, w) &= \bigvee_v G(u, v) \circ K(v, w) \\
&= \bigvee_{v,x} G(u, v) \circ F_2(v, x) \circ H(w, x) \\
&= \bigvee_{w',x} F_1(u, w') \circ H(w', x) \circ H(w, x) \\
&= \bigvee_{w'} F_1(u, w') \circ H(w', w) \\
&= F_1(u, w) \tag{5.23}
\end{aligned}$$

Thus $KG = F_1$ and by a similar argument $HK = F_2$. \square

Let $M : X \rightarrow Y$ be a morphism in \mathcal{M} and suppose that Y is functionally complete so that $M = \widehat{m}$ for some Q -functor $m : X \rightarrow Y$. Then

$$\begin{aligned}
X(x, x') &= \bigvee_y M(x, y) \circ M(x', y) \\
&= \bigvee_y Y(m(x), y) \circ Y(m(x'), y) \\
&= Y(m(x), m(x')) \tag{5.24}
\end{aligned}$$

Thus elements of \mathcal{M} are essentially inclusions of a subspace where the subspace bears the induced equality. In general there may be monomorphisms in $\mathcal{Q}\text{-Set}$ which are not of this form.

Example 5.3.2 Let X be the unit circle with the metric d_X where $d_X(x, x')$ is the shortest distance between x and x' along the perimeter of the circle, and let Y be the real plane with d_Y the Euclidean metric. The inclusion $j : X \hookrightarrow Y$ is a monomorphism in the category of metric spaces and distance decreasing maps, so the induced functional relation J is mono in $\mathfrak{R}\text{-Set}$ because X and Y are complete metric spaces. However $J \notin \mathcal{M}$ because $d_X(x, x')$ is strictly greater than $d_Y(j(x), j(x'))$ whenever x and x' are distinct.

5.4 Non-fibrewise Operations

This section introduces the algebraic operations which will correspond to multiplicative connectives in first order linear logic.

5.4.1 Fusion from Tensor Product

There are two different ways to construct the cartesian product of objects $m_1 : X_1 \rightarrow A$ and $m_2 : X_2 \rightarrow A$ in the relative slice category $\mathcal{C}/_{\mathcal{M}}A$. The first is to take the pullback of m_1 along m_2 and obtain a map $m_1 \wedge m_2 \in \mathcal{M}$ into A by composition.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 X_1 \wedge X_2 & \xrightarrow{\quad} & X_1 \\
 \downarrow & \lrcorner & \downarrow m_1 \\
 X_2 & \xrightarrow{\quad} & A \\
 & m_2 &
 \end{array}
 \tag{5.25}$$

It is not difficult to check that this is isomorphic to the pullback of $m_1 \times m_2$ along the diagonal $\Delta_A : A \rightarrow A \times A$.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 X_1 \wedge X_2 & \xrightarrow{\quad} & X_1 \times X_2 \\
 \downarrow m_1 \wedge m_2 & \lrcorner & \downarrow m_1 \times m_2 \\
 A & \xrightarrow{\quad} & A \times A \\
 & \Delta_A &
 \end{array} \tag{5.26}$$

This alternative view has the advantage of relating \wedge to the cartesian product \times .

Let \mathcal{C} be a symmetric monoidal category with a monoidal factorisation system $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$. We would like to obtain a second conjunction by replacing \times with \otimes in diagram 5.26. However, since the tensor product has no diagonal map, this cannot lead to a fibrewise operation. The best we can hope for is a binary operation which maps a pair of morphisms $m_1, m_2 \in \mathcal{M}$ with codomains A_1, A_2 to a morphism $m_1 \circ m_2$ in \mathcal{M} with codomain $A_1 \otimes A_2$.

Recall from remark 5.2.3 that, in \mathbf{Ab} , the tensor product of monomorphisms is not necessarily a monomorphism. Thus the *fusion* $m_1 \circ m_2$ of maps $m_1 : X_1 \rightarrow A_1$ and $m_2 : X_2 \rightarrow A_2$ is defined to be the image of $m_1 \otimes m_2$.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 X_1 \otimes X_2 & \xrightarrow{\quad} & X_1 \circ X_2 \\
 \searrow m_1 \otimes m_2 & & \downarrow m_1 \circ m_2 \\
 & & A_1 \otimes A_2
 \end{array} \tag{5.27}$$

The domain of $m_1 \circ m_2$ will be written $X_1 \circ X_2$, but it is important to remember that the meaning of this notation is relative to m_1 and m_2 .

Example 5.4.1 In \mathbf{Ab} , the fusion of subgroups $X_1 \subseteq A_1$ and $X_2 \subseteq A_2$ is the subgroup of $A_1 \otimes A_2$ generated by the elements $x_1 \otimes x_2$ with $x_1 \in X_1, x_2 \in X_2$. We will see below that fusion is associative *up to the* associativity of \otimes . That is,

there exists an isomorphism a' making the following square commute.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 (X_1 \circ X_2) \circ X_3 & \xrightarrow[\cong]{a'} & X_1 \circ (X_2 \circ X_3) \\
 \downarrow (m_1 \circ m_2) \circ m_3 & & \downarrow m_1 \circ (m_2 \circ m_3) \\
 (A_1 \otimes A_2) \otimes A_3 & \xrightarrow[\cong]{a} & A_1 \otimes (A_2 \otimes A_3)
 \end{array} \tag{5.28}$$

Similarly, \circ is commutative up to the symmetry of \otimes and $1_Z : Z \rightarrow Z$ is a unit for \circ up to the natural isomorphism $l_A : Z \otimes A \rightarrow A$.

Given the non-fibrewise nature of fusion — even to express its associativity we need to compare subobjects in different fibres — it makes little sense to restrict our attention to a single fibre. Instead we consider the subobjects in \mathcal{C} as a whole. Comparisons between different fibres consist of commuting squares and these define a category.

5.4.2 The Category $\text{Sqr}(\mathcal{M})$

Let $\text{Sqr}(\mathcal{M})$ denote the full subcategory of the functor category $\mathcal{C}^{\rightarrow}$ determined by the elements of \mathcal{M} . That is an object of $\text{Sqr}(\mathcal{M})$ is a morphism in \mathcal{M} and a morphism from m_1 to m_2 is a pair of maps (g, h) forming a commutative square :

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 X_1 & \xrightarrow{h} & X_2 \\
 m_1 \downarrow & & \downarrow m_2 \\
 A_1 & \xrightarrow{g} & A_2
 \end{array} \tag{5.29}$$

If $\mathcal{M} \subseteq \mathbf{Mon}$ and there is a morphism $(g, h) : m_1 \rightarrow m_2$ in $\text{Sqr}(\mathcal{M})$ then we say that m_1 entails m_2 along g (note that h is uniquely determined by g).

If \mathcal{C} is a symmetric monoidal category with monoidal factorisation system $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$ then fusion in \mathcal{C} functorial. The fusion of maps $(g_1, h_1) : m_1 \rightarrow n_1$ and $(g_2, h_2) : m_2 \rightarrow n_2$ is given by the pair $(g_1 \otimes g_2, h_1 \circ h_2)$ where $h_1 \circ h_2$ is the unique

map which makes the diagram below commute.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 X_1 \otimes X_2 & \xrightarrow{h_1 \otimes h_2} & Y_1 \otimes Y_2 \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 X_1 \circ X_2 & \xrightarrow{h_1 \circ h_2} & Y_1 \circ Y_2 \\
 \downarrow m_1 \circ m_2 & & \downarrow n_1 \circ n_2 \\
 A_1 \otimes A_2 & \xrightarrow{g_1 \otimes g_2} & B_1 \otimes B_2
 \end{array} \tag{5.30}$$

Note that the symbol ‘o’ has been overloaded again.

Lemma 5.4.2 $\langle \text{Sqr}(\mathcal{M}), \circ, 1_I \rangle$ is a symmetric monoidal category.

Proof. Let $e_{1,2}$ and $e_{2,3}$ be the \mathcal{E} components of the factorisations used to construct $X_1 \circ X_2$ and $X_2 \circ X_3$.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 (X_1 \otimes X_2) \otimes X_3 & \xrightarrow[\cong]{a} & X_1 \otimes (X_2 \otimes X_3) \\
 \downarrow e_{1,2} \otimes 1 & & \downarrow 1 \otimes e_{2,3} \\
 (X_1 \circ X_2) \otimes X_3 & & X_1 \otimes (X_2 \circ X_3) \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 (X_1 \circ X_2) \circ X_3 & \xrightarrow[\cong]{a'} & X_1 \circ (X_2 \circ X_3) \\
 \downarrow (m_1 \circ m_2) \circ m_3 & & \downarrow m_1 \circ (m_2 \circ m_3) \\
 (A_1 \otimes A_2) \otimes A_3 & \xrightarrow[\cong]{a} & A_1 \otimes (A_2 \otimes A_3)
 \end{array} \tag{5.31}$$

The exterior of diagram 5.31 represents two $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$ factorisations of the same map. Thus there is a unique map $a' : (X_1 \circ X_2) \circ X_3 \rightarrow X_1 \circ (X_2 \circ X_3)$ making the diagram commute. Moreover, a' is an isomorphism.

The pair (a, a') defines the associativity $(m_1 \circ m_2) \circ m_3 \cong m_1 \circ (m_2 \circ m_3)$ in $\text{Sqr}(\mathcal{M})$. Similar constructions give the symmetry and unit. The coherence

conditions follow easily from those of \mathcal{C} using the uniqueness properties of factorisations. \square

The import of lemma 5.4.2 can be conveniently summed up in a slogan.

Slogan : The tensor product on \mathcal{C} gives rise to a multiplicative structure on the category of subobjects *as a whole* rather than to the individual fibres.

5.4.3 Linear Implication by Pullback

Just as the fusion of two subobjects is a subobject of a tensor product, their linear implication is a subobject of an internal hom. Let $m_1, m_2 \in \mathcal{M}$ then $m_1 \multimap m_2$ is defined by the following pullback diagram.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 X_1 \multimap X_2 & \xrightarrow{\rho} & [X_1, X_2] \\
 \downarrow m_1 \multimap m_2 & \lrcorner & \downarrow [1, m_2] \\
 [A_1, A_2] & \xrightarrow{[m_1, 1]} & [X_1, A_2]
 \end{array} \tag{5.32}$$

Note that $[1, m_2] \in \mathcal{M}$ because $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$ is monoidal, and so $m_1 \multimap m_2 \in \mathcal{M}$ because \mathcal{M} is closed under pullback.

It is natural to ask in what sense can $m_1 \multimap m_2$ be considered an ‘implication’. We shall see below that linear implication is related to fusion by an adjunction in much the same way as in the propositional case. The situation is slightly more complex because the various objects involved in the adjunction lie in different fibres. The meaning of $m_1 \multimap m_2$ is clarified by the following two examples.

Example 5.4.3 Let $X_1 \subseteq A_1$ and $X_2 \subseteq A_2$ be inclusions in **Set**. Then

$$f \in X_1 \multimap X_2 \quad \text{iff} \quad \forall a \in A_1 (a \in X_1 \Rightarrow f(a) \in X_2) \tag{5.33}$$

That is, $X_1 \multimap X_2$ is the set of functions $A_1 \rightarrow A_2$ which map elements of X_1 to elements of X_2 .

Example 5.4.4 Let X_1 and X_2 be subgroups of the abelian groups A_1 and A_2 respectively. Then $X_1 \dashv X_2$ is the subgroup of $[A_1, A_2]$ consisting of all homomorphisms which map X_1 into X_2 . An element of $(X_1 \dashv X_2) \circ X_1$ is a finite sum $\sum_i f_i \otimes x_i$ where $x_i \in X_1$ and the f_i are homomorphisms from A_1 to A_2 mapping X_1 into X_2 . It follows that

$$\varepsilon(\sum_i f_i \otimes x_i) = \sum_i f_i(x_i) \tag{5.34}$$

is an element of X_2 and hence that $(X_1 \dashv X_2) \circ X_1$ entails X_2 along the evaluation map $\varepsilon : [A_1, A_2] \otimes A_1 \rightarrow A_2$.

Theorem 5.4.5 *Let \mathcal{C} be a symmetric monoidal closed category with monoidal factorisation system $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$ and suppose there exists a choice of pullback for each $m \in \mathcal{M}$ and $f \in \text{Mor}(\mathcal{C})$. Then $\langle \text{Sqr}(\mathcal{M}), \circ, 1_I, \dashv \rangle$ is symmetric monoidal closed.*

Proof. From lemma 5.4.2 we know that $\langle \text{Sqr}(\mathcal{M}), \circ, 1_I \rangle$ is a symmetric monoidal category, it remains to show that it is closed. For $m_1, m_2 \in \mathcal{M}$ we construct a morphism $\varepsilon_{m_1, m_2} : (m_1 \dashv m_2) \circ m_1 \rightarrow m_2$ in $\text{Sqr}(\mathcal{M})$ and show that it is universal from $(-)\circ m_1$ to m_2 .

First, observe that the following three squares, the front faces of a cube, form a commutative diagram.

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 (X_1 \dashv X_2) \otimes X_1 & \xrightarrow{\rho \otimes 1} & [X_1, X_2] \otimes X_1 & & \\
 \downarrow (m_1 \dashv m_2) \otimes 1 & & \downarrow [1, m_2] \otimes 1 & \searrow \varepsilon_{X_1, X_2} & \\
 [A_1, A_2] \otimes X_1 & \xrightarrow{[m_1, 1] \otimes 1} & [X_1, A_2] \otimes X_1 & & X_2 \\
 \downarrow 1 \otimes m_1 & & \downarrow \varepsilon_{X_1, A_2} & & \downarrow m_2 \\
 [A_1, A_2] \otimes A_1 & \xrightarrow{\varepsilon_{A_1, A_2}} & A_2 & & \\
 & & & & \downarrow \gamma \\
 & & & & A_2
 \end{array} \tag{5.35}$$

The top left hand square is just the pullback 5.32 tensored with X_1 . The commutativity of the other two squares follow from the fact that evaluation in \mathcal{C} is dinatural in its first and third arguments and natural in its second. The evaluation map ε_{m_1, m_2} is defined to be the pair $(\underline{\varepsilon}, \bar{\varepsilon})$ where $\underline{\varepsilon}$ is the evaluation $\varepsilon_{A_1, A_2} : [A_1, A_2] \otimes A_1 \rightarrow A_2$ in \mathcal{C} and $\bar{\varepsilon}$ is the unique map making the following diagram, the remaining faces of the cube, commute.

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 (X_1 \multimap X_2) \otimes X_1 & \xrightarrow{\rho \otimes 1} & [X_1, X_2] \otimes X_1 & & \\
 \downarrow & \searrow & \downarrow & \searrow \varepsilon_{X_1, X_2} & \\
 (m_1 \multimap m_2) \otimes 1 & & [X_1, A_2] \circ X_1 & \xrightarrow{\bar{\varepsilon}} & X_2 \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow m_2 \\
 [A_1, A_2] \otimes X_1 & & (m_1 \multimap m_2) \circ m_1 & & \\
 \searrow 1 \otimes m_1 & & \downarrow & & \\
 [A_1, A_2] \otimes A_1 & \xrightarrow{\varepsilon_{A_1, A_2}} & A_2 & &
 \end{array} \tag{5.36}$$

Let $k : Y \rightarrow B$ be a morphism in \mathcal{M} and let $\alpha = (\underline{\alpha}, \bar{\alpha})$ be a map $k \circ m_1 \rightarrow m_2$ in $\text{Sqr}(\mathcal{M})$. We need to show that there is a unique morphism $\sigma : k \rightarrow m_1 \multimap m_2$ such that $\varepsilon_{m_1, m_2}(\sigma \circ 1_{m_1}) = \alpha$.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \begin{array}{c} k \\ \vdots \\ \sigma \\ \vdots \\ m_1 \multimap m_2 \end{array} & & \begin{array}{ccc} k \circ m_1 & & \\ \vdots & \searrow \alpha & \\ (\sigma \circ 1_{m_1}) \downarrow & & m_2 \\ (m_1 \multimap m_2) \circ m_1 & \xrightarrow{\varepsilon_{m_1, m_2}} & \end{array}
 \end{array} \tag{5.37}$$

Remember that $k \circ m_1$ is the \mathcal{M} part of the $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$ factorisation of $k \otimes m$ and let

e be the \mathcal{E} part. We have the following commutative diagram in \mathcal{C} .

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 Y \otimes X_1 & \xrightarrow{e} & Y \circ X_1 & \xrightarrow{\bar{\alpha}} & X_2 \\
 \downarrow k \otimes 1 & & \downarrow k \circ m_1 & & \downarrow m_2 \\
 B \otimes X_1 & \xrightarrow{1 \otimes m_1} & B \otimes A_1 & \xrightarrow{\underline{\alpha}} & A_2
 \end{array} \tag{5.38}$$

Transposing diagram 5.38 across the adjunction $(-) \otimes X_1 \dashv [X_1, -]$ gives

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 Y & \xrightarrow{\lambda(\bar{\alpha}e)} & [X_1, X_2] \\
 \downarrow k & & \downarrow [1, m_2] \\
 B & \xrightarrow{\lambda(\underline{\alpha}(1 \otimes m_1))} & [X_1, A_2]
 \end{array} \tag{5.39}$$

Recall from remark 3.1.5 that the isomorphism $\lambda_{U,V,W} : \mathcal{C}(U \otimes V, W) \cong \mathcal{C}(U, [V, W])$ is natural in V as well as in U, W . Therefore

$$\lambda(\underline{\alpha}(1 \otimes m_1)) = [m_1, 1]\lambda(\underline{\alpha}) \tag{5.40}$$

and so the commutative square in diagram 5.39 forms the exterior of diagram 5.41.

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 & & \lambda(\bar{\alpha}e) & & \\
 & & \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 Y & \overset{\bar{\sigma}}{\dashrightarrow} & X_1 \circ X_2 & \xrightarrow{\rho} & [X_1, X_2] \\
 \downarrow k & & \downarrow m_1 \circ m_2 & \lrcorner & \downarrow [1, m_2] \\
 B & \xrightarrow{\lambda(\underline{\alpha})} & [A_1, A_2] & \xrightarrow{[m_1, 1]} & [X_1, A_2]
 \end{array} \tag{5.41}$$

We define σ to be the pair $(\underline{\sigma}, \bar{\sigma})$ where $\underline{\sigma} = \lambda(\underline{\alpha})$ and $\bar{\sigma}$ is the unique mediator of the pullback in 5.41. It is clear that σ is a morphism of $\text{Sqr}(\mathcal{M})$, it remains to

check that it satisfies the conditions required.

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 Y \otimes X_1 & \xrightarrow{\bar{\sigma} \otimes 1} & (X_1 \multimap X_2) \otimes X_1 & & \\
 \downarrow e & & \downarrow & \searrow \varepsilon_{X_1, X_2}(\rho \otimes 1) & \\
 Y \circ X_1 & \xrightarrow{\bar{\sigma} \circ 1} & (X_1 \multimap X_2) \circ X_1 & \xrightarrow{\bar{\varepsilon}} & X_2 \\
 \downarrow k \circ m_1 & & \downarrow (m_1 \multimap m_2) \circ m_1 & & \downarrow m_2 \\
 B \otimes A_1 & \xrightarrow{\underline{\sigma} \otimes 1} & [A_1, A_2] \otimes A_1 & \xrightarrow{\underline{\varepsilon}} & A_2
 \end{array} \tag{5.42}$$

The composite $\varepsilon_{m_1, m_2}(\sigma \circ 1)$ is given by the lower half of diagram 5.42. Note that this diagram commutes from the definitions of ε_{m_1, m_2} and $\sigma \circ 1$. The lower component of $\varepsilon_{m_1, m_2}(\sigma \circ 1)$ is

$$\underline{\varepsilon}(\underline{\sigma} \otimes 1) = \varepsilon_{A_1, A_2}(\lambda(\underline{\alpha}) \otimes 1) = \underline{\alpha} \tag{5.43}$$

It remains to show that the upper component $\bar{\varepsilon}(\bar{\sigma} \circ 1)$ is $\bar{\alpha}$. From the definition of $\bar{\sigma}$ we know that $\rho\bar{\sigma} = \lambda(\bar{\alpha}e)$. Hence

$$\varepsilon_{X_1, X_2}(\rho \otimes 1)(\bar{\sigma} \otimes 1) = \varepsilon_{X_1, X_2}(\lambda(\bar{\alpha}e) \otimes 1) = \bar{\alpha}e \tag{5.44}$$

Also $\underline{\alpha}(k \circ m_1) = m_2\bar{\alpha}$ because $(\underline{\alpha}, \bar{\alpha}) : k \circ m_1 \rightarrow m_2$ is a morphism of $\text{Sqr}(\mathcal{M})$. These two equations are enough to ensure that $\bar{\alpha} = \bar{\varepsilon}(\bar{\sigma} \circ 1)$ because of the orthogonality between e and m_2 .

Let $\tau = (\underline{\tau}, \bar{\tau})$ be any morphism of $\text{Sqr}(\mathcal{M})$ which satisfies $\varepsilon_{m_1, m_2}(\tau \circ 1_{m_1}) = \alpha$. The first component $\underline{\tau}$ satisfies $\varepsilon_{A_1, A_2}(\underline{\tau} \otimes 1) = \underline{\alpha}$ and hence $\underline{\tau} = \lambda(\underline{\alpha})$ by the universal property of ε_{A_1, A_2} .

The second component $\bar{\tau}$ satisfies $\bar{\varepsilon}(\bar{\tau} \circ 1) = \bar{\alpha}$. Precomposing with e yields

$$\varepsilon_{X_1, X_2}(\rho\bar{\tau} \otimes 1) = \bar{\varepsilon}(\bar{\tau} \circ 1)e = \bar{\alpha}e \tag{5.45}$$

Thus $\rho\bar{\tau} = \lambda(\bar{\alpha}e)$ by the universal property of ε_{X_1, X_2} and $\bar{\sigma} = \bar{\tau}$ by the uniqueness of the mediator in diagram 5.41. \square

5.5 Algebraic Limitations

To explain the problems involved in developing a logic of symmetric monoidal closed categories it suffices to take \mathbf{Ab} as an example. We have seen that $(\mathbf{Epi}, \mathbf{Mon})$ is a monoidal factorisation system on \mathbf{Ab} , and so provides a model for the calculus \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} of first order linear logic presented in the next chapter. We make a series of observations on the structure of \mathbf{Ab} which shape the logic \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} . These mostly amount to drawing distinctions between \mathcal{M} -subobjects one might have thought equivalent. The logic must respect these distinctions and this necessitates the use of side conditions on the rules to carefully limit the derivations.

A key observation on the subobject structure of \mathbf{Ab} is that $Sub(G)$ is not necessarily distributive. For example, let U, V, W be the three distinct subgroups of order 2 in $\mathbb{Z}_2 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2$.

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 & & \mathbb{Z}_2 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2 & & \\
 & \nearrow m & \uparrow & \nwarrow & \\
 U & & V & & W \\
 & \nwarrow & \downarrow & \nearrow & \\
 & & \mathbf{O} & &
 \end{array} \tag{5.46}$$

Then $U \wedge (V \vee W) = U$ strictly contains $(U \wedge V) \vee (U \wedge W) = \mathbf{O}$. This observation has led algebraists to the study of modular rather than distributive lattices (see [Bir48]). Recall from chapter 2 that the distributive law does not hold as a theorem of propositional linear logic.

Regarding $Sub(U)$ as a sublattice of $Sub(\mathbb{Z}_2 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2)$ the operation $U \wedge (-)$ is equivalent to m^* . The nondistributivity of $Sub(\mathbb{Z}_2 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2)$ can therefore be restated as the fact that $m^* : Sub(\mathbb{Z}_2 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2) \rightarrow Sub(\mathbb{Z}_2)$ fails to preserve suprema. In particular, the following inclusion is strict

$$m^*V \vee m^*W \subset m^*(V \vee W) \tag{5.47}$$

This has two unpleasant consequences for our logic which might initially seem to be quite serious drawbacks. Firstly, it means that m^* cannot have a right adjoint and so, in the internal logic of \mathbf{Ab} and hence in our version of first order linear logic, there is no notion of universal quantification. Secondly, it means that substitution does not arbitrarily permute with logical connectives; in this case, it fails to permute with join. These problems are so closely related to linearity in the model that it would be impossible to correct them without making restrictions which are sufficient to rule out most of the natural examples. In the absence of a clear remedy, it seems more sensible to accept these features as part of the nonstandard flavour of the logic rather than attempting a cure.

Join is not the only connective which behaves badly with respect to substitution. One might expect to be able to exchange pullback and fusion as follows.

$$(f^*X) \circ Y = (f \otimes 1)^*(X \circ Y) \tag{5.48}$$

where X, Y are subgroups of A, B and f is a group homomorphism $A' \rightarrow A$. In general this only holds as an inclusion left to right.

Example 5.5.1 Let $i : Z \rightarrow Q$ be the inclusion of the integers into the rationals and consider the two subgroups $O \hookrightarrow Q$ and $Z_p \hookrightarrow Z_p$. We note that the subgroup $(i \otimes 1_{Z_p})^*(O \circ Z_p)$ of $Z \otimes Z_p \cong Z_p$ is actually the entire group, whereas $i^*O \otimes Z_p$ is the trivial subgroup.

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{ccc} O & \longrightarrow & O \\ \downarrow Y & \lrcorner & \downarrow Y \\ Z & \xrightarrow{i} & Q \end{array} \right\} \otimes Z_p \cong \begin{array}{ccc} O & \longrightarrow & O \\ \downarrow Y & & \downarrow Y \\ Z_p & \longrightarrow & O \end{array} \tag{5.49}$$

Note 5.5.2 In \mathbf{Ab} the pullback of the unique map $O \rightarrow H$ along $f : G \rightarrow H$ is the kernel of f . In logical terms, this means that substituting into the “false” predicate has a nontrivial content.

5.5.1 The Beck Chevalley Condition

Let $ur = st$ be a commutative square in \mathcal{C} and suppose that m is a morphism in \mathcal{M} with the same codomain as r . Consider the following cube.

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 r^*Y & \overset{e'}{\dashrightarrow} & s^*u_*Y & & \\
 \downarrow & \searrow & \downarrow & \searrow & \\
 r^*m & & s^*u_*m & & \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \\
 X & \xrightarrow{\quad} & u_*X & & \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \\
 m & & & & \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \\
 A & \xrightarrow{\quad} & B & & \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \\
 r & & s & & \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \\
 C & \xrightarrow{\quad} & D & & \\
 & & u & &
 \end{array}
 \tag{5.50}$$

The front face is the $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$ factorisation defining u_*m and the two sides are the pullbacks defining r^*m and s^*u_*m respectively. As the left face is a pullback there is a unique map $e' : r^*Y \rightarrow s^*u_*Y$ making the top and back commute. It follows that t_*r^*m factors through s^*u_*m so there exists a map $t_*r^*m \rightarrow s^*u_*m$ in $\mathcal{C}/_{\mathcal{M}}B$.

We say that \mathcal{C} satisfies the *Beck Chevalley condition* if this map is an isomorphism whenever the square $ur = st$ is a pullback. As is well known, this holds precisely when \mathcal{E} is closed under pullback.

If the base of 5.50 is a pullback then so is the top by elementary properties of pullback squares. \mathcal{E} closed under pullback means that $e' \in \mathcal{E}$ and hence the comparison $t_*r^*m \rightarrow s^*u_*m$ is an isomorphism by the uniqueness of factorisation. Conversely, suppose that the base of 5.50 is a pullback with $u \in \mathcal{E}$. Take m to be the identity on C so that all the vertical maps are isomorphisms. By the Beck condition the image of t is iso and hence $t \in \mathcal{E}$.

Let $f : A \rightarrow C$ and $g : B \rightarrow D$ and consider the following commuting square.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 A \otimes B & \xrightarrow{1_A \otimes g} & A \otimes D \\
 f \otimes 1_B \downarrow & & \downarrow f \otimes 1_D \\
 C \otimes B & \xrightarrow{1_C \otimes g} & B \otimes D
 \end{array} \tag{5.51}$$

In the particular case where \otimes is actually the cartesian product then 5.51 is a pullback diagram, and provided that \mathcal{C} satisfies the Beck condition then

$$\exists_{f \otimes 1_B} (1_A \otimes g)^* = (1_C \otimes g)^* \exists_{(f \otimes 1_D)} \tag{5.52}$$

This would seem a desirable property since it states that substitution and existential quantification do not interfere when they act on different variables. However, it is too much to expect 5.52 to hold in general. Even if \mathcal{C} satisfies the Beck condition, there is no reason why 5.51 should be a pullback. For example, let $i : \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}$ be the inclusion of the integers in the rationals and let $h : \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_p$ be the quotient map with kernel $p\mathbb{Z}$.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \mathbb{Z} \otimes \mathbb{Z} & \xrightarrow{i \otimes 1} & \mathbb{Q} \otimes \mathbb{Z} \\
 1 \otimes h \downarrow & & \downarrow 1 \otimes h \\
 \mathbb{Z} \otimes \mathbb{Z}_p & \xrightarrow{i \otimes 1} & \mathbb{Q} \otimes \mathbb{Z}_p
 \end{array}
 \qquad
 \begin{array}{ccc}
 \mathbb{Z} & \xrightarrow{i} & \mathbb{Q} \\
 h \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 \mathbb{Z}_p & \longrightarrow & \mathbb{O}
 \end{array} \tag{5.53}$$

We showed in 5.2.3 that $\mathbb{Q} \otimes \mathbb{Z}_p \cong \mathbb{O}$. Thus the lefthand square is isomorphic to the right which is clearly not a pullback.

Consider the trivial subgroup of \mathbb{Z}_p . Pulling back along h and then taking the image along i we obtain $p\mathbb{Z}$ as a subgroup of \mathbb{Q} ; but taking the image and then pulling back we obtain the whole of \mathbb{Q} .

Chapter 6

First Order Linear Logic

In the previous chapter, we saw various algebraic operations which can be defined on the \mathcal{M} -subobjects of a symmetric monoidal closed category \mathcal{C} with monoidal factorisation system $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$. These operations provide the connectives for the internal logic of \mathcal{C} . We already know some of their algebraic properties: recall from lemma 5.4.2 that fusion is associative, and from theorem 5.4.5 that fusion and linear implication are related by an adjunction; but so far, we have only alluded to the form of logic which they define.

In this chapter, we give a syntactic account of the internal logic using a formal system \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} . This is a first order extension of the sequent calculus presentation of propositional linear logic and is based on the type theory of chapter 3.

Recall from section 5.5, that some of the familiar principles of logic fail in the context of \mathcal{M} -subobjects. Notably, the logical connectives do not necessarily commute with substitution. We shall see that others remain valid (eg. the distributive laws of section 6.3.1). The proposed sequent calculus is carefully formulated to allow only the valid inferences to be derived. Thus, the logic \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} delimits the fragment of ordinary first order reasoning available in symmetric monoidal closed categories. This is achieved via restrictions on the occurrence of variables and also on the use of substitution operators. These restrictions appear quite natural in the sequent calculus presentation. For instance, the *variable balancing property* says that each variable which appears has exactly one occurrence on each side of the turnstile.

Each of the algebraic operations defined in chapter 5 gives rise to a corresponding logical operation on the predicates of \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} . A formula in \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} consists of a predicate applied to a term of LTT. For instance, if ϕ and ψ are predicates on terms of type A and B respectively then their fusion is a predicate on pairs of type $A \otimes B$. We write $(\phi \circ \psi)(s, t)$ rather than $\phi(s) \circ \psi(t)$ to emphasise this. This choice is also important with respect to the relative order of binding between logical operations and substitution.

Since variables cannot be repeated in the terms of LTT, we cannot form the expression $(\phi \circ \psi)(x, x)$. On the other hand the operations of meet and join are fibrewise. The repetition of variables in $\phi(x) \wedge \psi(x)$ is therefore harmless and we write $(\phi \wedge \psi)(x)$ to be clear.

Both fusion and meet can be read naturally as “and”: $(\phi \circ \psi)(s, t)$ means that ϕ holds of s and ψ holds of t , whereas $(\phi \wedge \psi)(s)$ means that both ϕ and ψ hold of s . The fact that they apply to different arguments removes some of the confusion generated by having two forms of conjunction.

The meaning of the other connectives requires some explanation. Recall that the linear implication of two \mathcal{M} -subobjects is a subobject of an internal hom. Thus, in the logic \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} , if ϕ and ψ are predicates of type A and B respectively then the linear implication $\phi \multimap \psi$ is a predicate of the hom type $[A, B]$. Given a term f of type $[A, B]$, we expect $\phi \multimap \psi$ to hold of f if whenever ϕ holds of a term s of type A then ψ holds of f evaluated at s . This form of implication is already quite familiar in computer science (eg. see [BJ90]). One can think of the linear implication $\phi \multimap \psi$ as a *specification* of the function term f . The predicates ϕ and ψ are the precondition and postcondition of the specification respectively, and a function f satisfies the specification if whenever its input satisfies the precondition then its output satisfies the postcondition. Note that if we were working in ordinary first order logic then this would be a compound statement involving both implication and universal quantification. The restrictions imposed by the structure of symmetric monoidal closed categories force us to accept the above operation as primitive.

The form of existential quantification presented in \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} is quite standard

in categorical logic. Recall that if m is an \mathcal{M} -subobject of an object X and $g : X \rightarrow Y$ is a morphism of \mathcal{C} then the direct image $g^*(m)$ is a subobject of Y . Correspondingly in the logic \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} , if ϕ is a term of type A and α is a combinator of type $A \rightarrow B$ then $\exists[\alpha]\phi$ is a predicate of type B . The intended meaning of $\exists[\alpha]\phi(t)$ is that there *exists* an element x of type A such that $\alpha(x) = t$ and $\phi(x)$ holds. Again, this would be a compound statement in ordinary logic but here we are forced to take it as primitive.

The remaining operations are straightforward. The fibrewise join of \mathcal{M} -subobjects corresponds to a binary connective \vee which can adequately read as “or”: $\phi \vee \psi$ holds of s if either ϕ or ψ holds of s . The inverse image operations on \mathcal{M} -subobjects correspond to substitution operators in the logic. If ψ is a predicate of type B and α is a combinator of type $A \rightarrow B$ then $\alpha^*\psi$ is a predicate of type A . Given a term s of type A , the meaning of $\alpha^*\phi(s)$ is the same as that of $\phi(\alpha(s))$.

Finally, the top and bottom elements of the subobject lattices $Sub_{\mathcal{M}}(X)$ give rise to constants \mathbf{T}_A and \mathbf{F}_A for each type A . These are units for the logical operations of meet and join. \mathbf{T}_I is also a unit for fusion.

Recall from chapter 3 that the language of linear type theory has three parameters : a set B of basic types, a set \mathcal{F} of function symbols, and a set E of equations. The language of first order linear logic is defined in terms of these parameters, but also has the additional parameter P which is a set of atomic predicates. We use $\mathcal{L}_{FOLL}(B, \mathcal{F}, E, P)$ to denote the language of first order linear logic with parameters B, \mathcal{F}, E and P .

In section 6.1 we define the formulae of first order linear logic; in section 6.2 we present the rules; and in section 6.3 we derive some basic theorems and properties of \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} , and illustrate the use of the language by two examples arising from the subobjects of a monoid and Girard’s ‘double negation’ closure operation respectively.

6.1 Formulae and Sequents

Let $P = \{\phi, \psi, \theta, \dots\}$ be a set of predicate symbols each of which has an associated type. We use the following rules to define a set $\text{pred}(A)$, the predicates of type A , for each type A in $\text{LTT}(B, \mathcal{F}, E)$.

1. If ϕ is a predicate symbol of type A then $\phi \in \text{pred}(A)$.
2. If $\phi \in \text{pred}(A)$ and $\psi \in \text{pred}(B)$ then $\phi \circ \psi \in \text{pred}(A \otimes B)$ and $\phi \multimap \psi \in \text{pred}([A, B])$.
3. If ϕ and ψ are members of $\text{pred}(A)$ then so are $\phi \wedge \psi$ and $\phi \vee \psi$.
4. If $\phi \in \text{pred}(B)$ and α is a combinator of type $A \rightarrow B$ then $\alpha^* \phi \in \text{pred}(A)$.
5. If $\phi \in \text{pred}(A)$ and α is a combinator of type $A \rightarrow B$ then $\exists[\alpha]\phi \in \text{pred}(B)$.
6. \mathbf{T}_A and \mathbf{F}_A are members of $\text{pred}(A)$, for all A .

A *formula* $\phi(s)$ of type A consists of a predicate ϕ of type A applied to a term s of type A .

A *sequent* is an expression

$$\Gamma \vdash \phi(s)$$

where $\phi(s)$ is a formula and Γ is a finite list of formulae. The formulae before the turnstile \vdash are termed the *antecedents* and the single formula after the turnstile is the *succedent*.

A sequent $\Gamma \vdash \phi(s)$ is said to be *well formed* if each variable which appears in Γ or $\phi(s)$ has exactly one occurrence on each side of the turnstile. This ‘variable balancing’ property is essential to the interpretation of sequents given in section 7.2.

A sequent $\Gamma \vdash \phi(s)$ is said to be *valid* in $\mathcal{L}_{\text{FOLL}}(B, \mathcal{F}, E, P)$ if it can be derived from the rules given in the following section.

6.2 Rules

As in the propositional case, the rules are divided into those which operate on the structure of derivation trees and those which introduce logical connectives.

6.2.1 Structural Rules

For each formula $\phi(s)$, we allow :

$$\text{(Ref)} \quad \frac{}{\phi(s) \vdash \phi(s)}$$

We also accept the structural rules of *Exchange* (on the left), and *Cut* :

$$\text{(Ex)} \quad \frac{\Gamma_1, \phi(s), \psi(t), \Gamma_2 \vdash \theta(u)}{\Gamma_1, \psi(t), \phi(s), \Gamma_2 \vdash \theta(u)}$$

$$\text{(Cut)} \quad \frac{\Gamma_1, \phi(s) \vdash \psi(t) \quad \Gamma_2 \vdash \phi(s)}{\Gamma_1, \Gamma_2 \vdash \psi(t)}$$

The structural rules of contraction and weakening would allow the formulae of a sequent to be duplicated and discarded respectively. They cannot be incorporated into \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} without violating the restrictions on the occurrence of variables, and are therefore forbidden.

As in the propositional case, the presence of exchange simplifies many of the other rules.

6.2.2 Logical Rules

The logical rules are subject to two forms of restriction. Firstly, there are restrictions on the occurrence of variables, which ensure that all the derivable sequents are well formed. Secondly, the introduction rules for connectives are often restricted

to predicates on basic terms (that is, terms containing no combinators). This maintains an order between the introduction of connectives and the introduction of substitution operators, and so prevents the derivation of sequents in which these are permuted.

Notation 6.2.1 If e is either a term, a formula, or a list of formulae in the language of \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} then $V(e)$ denotes the set of variables occurring in e .

True and False

$$\begin{array}{l}
 \text{(TR)} \quad \frac{}{\Gamma \vdash \mathbf{T}_X(s)} \quad V(\Gamma) = V(s) \\
 \text{(TL)} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash \phi(s)}{\Gamma, \mathbf{T}_I() \vdash \phi(s)} \\
 \text{(T}\otimes\text{)} \quad \frac{\Gamma, \mathbf{T}_X(s), \mathbf{T}_Y(t) \vdash \phi(u)}{\Gamma, \mathbf{T}_{X\otimes Y}(s, t) \vdash \phi(u)} \\
 \text{(F)} \quad \frac{}{\Gamma, \mathbf{F}_X(x) \vdash \phi(s)} \quad \begin{array}{l} x \text{ is a basic term and} \\ V(\Gamma) \cup V(x) = V(s). \end{array}
 \end{array}$$

Note that $\vdash \mathbf{T}_I()$ is derivable as a special case of (TR).

Fusion

$$\begin{array}{l}
 \text{(oR)} \quad \frac{\Gamma_1 \vdash \phi(s) \quad \Gamma_2 \vdash \psi(t)}{\Gamma_1, \Gamma_2 \vdash (\phi \circ \psi)(s, t)} \quad V(\Gamma_1) \cap V(\Gamma_2) = \emptyset \\
 \text{(oL)} \quad \frac{\Gamma_1, \phi(x), \psi(y), \Gamma_2 \vdash \theta(u)}{\Gamma_1, (\phi \circ \psi)(x, y), \Gamma_2 \vdash \theta(u)} \quad x, y \text{ are basic terms.}
 \end{array}$$

Linear Implication

$$\begin{array}{l}
(-\circ R) \quad \frac{\Gamma, \phi(x) \vdash \psi(\mathbf{eval}_{X,Y}(f, x))}{\Gamma \vdash (\phi -\circ \psi)(f)} \quad x \text{ is a basic term.} \\
(-\circ L) \quad \frac{\Gamma_1 \vdash \phi(s) \quad \Gamma_2, \psi(\mathbf{eval}_{X,Y}(f, s)) \vdash \theta(t)}{\Gamma_2, (\phi -\circ \psi)(f), \Gamma_1 \vdash \theta(t)}
\end{array}$$

Existential Quantification

$$\begin{array}{l}
(\exists R) \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash \phi(s)}{\Gamma \vdash (\exists[\alpha]\phi)(\alpha(s))} \\
(\exists L) \quad \frac{\Gamma, \phi(x) \vdash \psi(s[\alpha(x)/v])}{\Gamma, (\exists[\alpha]\phi)(v) \vdash \psi(s)} \quad \begin{array}{l} x \text{ is a basic term and } v \text{ does} \\ \text{not occur in the premise.} \end{array}
\end{array}$$

Meet

$$\begin{array}{l}
(\wedge L1) \quad \frac{\Gamma, \phi(s) \vdash \theta(t)}{\Gamma, (\phi \wedge \psi)(s) \vdash \theta(t)} \quad (\wedge L2) \quad \frac{\Gamma, \psi(s) \vdash \theta(t)}{\Gamma, (\phi \wedge \psi)(s) \vdash \theta(t)} \\
(\wedge R) \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash \phi(s) \quad \Gamma \vdash \psi(s)}{\Gamma \vdash (\phi \wedge \psi)(s)}
\end{array}$$

Note that the rules for meet have no side conditions. This reflects the fact that meet behaves well with respect to substitution.

Join

$$(\vee L) \quad \frac{\Gamma, \phi(x) \vdash \theta(t) \quad \Gamma, \psi(x) \vdash \theta(t)}{\Gamma, (\phi \vee \psi)(x) \vdash \theta(t)} \quad x \text{ is a basic term.}$$

$$(\text{VR1}) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \phi(s)}{\Gamma \vdash (\phi \vee \psi)(s)}$$

$$(\text{VR2}) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \psi(s)}{\Gamma \vdash (\phi \vee \psi)(s)}$$

Substitution

$$(*\text{L}) \frac{\Gamma, \phi(\alpha(s)) \vdash \psi(t)}{\Gamma, \alpha^* \phi(s) \vdash \psi(t)}$$

$$(*\text{R}) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \phi(\alpha(s))}{\Gamma \vdash \alpha^* \phi(s)}$$

$$(\approx \text{L}) \frac{\Gamma, \phi(s) \vdash \psi(u) \quad s \approx t}{\Gamma, \phi(t) \vdash \psi(u)}$$

$$(\approx \text{R}) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \phi(s) \quad s \approx t}{\Gamma \vdash \phi(t)}$$

$$(\text{Subst1}) \frac{\Gamma, \phi(s) \vdash \psi(t)}{\Gamma, \phi(s[u/v]) \vdash \psi(t[u/v])}$$

none of the variables of u
occur in the premise.

$$(\text{Subst2}) \frac{\Gamma, \phi(s[x/v]) \vdash \psi(t[x/v])}{\Gamma, \phi(s) \vdash \psi(t)}$$

x is a basic term and
 v does not occur in Γ .

6.3 Properties of the Calculus \mathcal{L}_{FOLL}

The following lemma shows that our rules have the promised *variable balancing property*.

Lemma 6.3.1 *Every derivable sequent of \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} is well formed.*

Proof. By induction on the structure of derivations. Clearly the conclusion $\phi(s) \vdash \phi(s)$ of the reflexive rule (Ref) is well formed because s contains no repeated variables. The other rules preserve this property.

For instance, consider $(\neg \circ L)$. The induction hypothesis states that

$$V(\Gamma_1) = V(\phi(s))$$

and

$$V(\Gamma_2, \psi(\mathbf{eval}(f, s))) = V(\theta(t))$$

and furthermore that no variable is repeated in Γ_1 or $\Gamma_2, \psi(\mathbf{eval}(f, s))$. By the first of these equations, $V((\phi \neg \circ \psi)(f), \Gamma_1) = V(f, s) = V(\psi(\mathbf{eval}(f, s)))$ and hence by the second

$$V(\Gamma_2, (\phi \neg \circ \psi)(f), \Gamma_1) = V(\theta(t))$$

Now, since no variable is repeated in $\Gamma_2, \psi(\mathbf{eval}(f, s))$, we must have $V(\Gamma_1) \cap V(\Gamma_2) = \emptyset$ and hence no variable is repeated in $\Gamma_2, (\phi \neg \circ \psi)(f), \Gamma_1$. \square

Note 6.3.2 As a consequence of lemma 3.2.12, every formula $\phi(s)$ is provably equivalent to a predicate applied to a basic term :

$$\phi(s) \dashv\vdash (ac(s)^* \phi)(abt(s)) \quad (6.1)$$

Remark 6.3.3 As both variables and predicates have a specified type, it is often possible to determine both the domain and codomain of the combinators appearing in formula $\phi(t)$, in which case we may omit the subscripts on their components. For example, this holds if $\phi(t) = \alpha^* \psi(s)$ or $\phi(t) = \exists[\beta] \psi(x)$ with ψ atomic and x basic. However, there are important situations where this is not the case, and the subscripts must be retained. For instance, if

$$\phi(t) = (\exists[\mathbf{eval}_{X,Y}] \mathbf{eval}_{X,Y}^* \psi)(x) \quad (6.2)$$

then X cannot be deduced from the types of x and ψ alone.

6.3.1 Theorems and Derivations in \mathcal{L}_{FOLL}

We define a preorder on predicates as follows. Let $\phi, \psi \in \mathit{pred}(A)$ then

$$\phi \vdash \psi \iff \phi(x) \vdash \psi(x) \text{ is a derivable sequent in } \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} \quad (6.3)$$

where x is a basic term of type A . The rules for substitution ensure that this definition is independent of the choice of x . The reflexivity and transitivity of \vdash follow from *(Ref)* and *(Cut)* respectively.

Let $\dashv\vdash$ denote the equivalence relation induced by \vdash , that is

$$\phi \dashv\vdash \psi \iff \phi \vdash \psi \text{ and } \psi \vdash \phi$$

Lemma 6.3.4 *The logical operations $\circ, \vee, \wedge, \alpha^*$ and $\exists[\alpha]$ are monotone with respect to the preorder \vdash . Linear implication \multimap is anti-monotone in its first argument and monotone in its second.*

It follows that the equivalence $\dashv\vdash$ on predicates is a congruence relation with respect to the logical operations.

Lemma 6.3.5 *Let ϕ and ψ be predicates of type A and B respectively, and let α, β be combinators of type $A \rightarrow B$. Then*

$$\alpha \equiv \beta \Rightarrow \exists[\alpha]\phi \dashv\vdash \exists[\beta]\phi' \tag{6.4}$$

$$\alpha \equiv \beta \Rightarrow \alpha^*\psi \dashv\vdash \beta^*\psi' \tag{6.5}$$

Many of the laws which hold in propositional linear logic have a counterpart in \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} , although the interpretation here is slightly different. For example, the properties of fusion and the distributive laws given below are well known as valid sequents of the propositional logic, but here they refer to the typed predicates of \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} . The derivations required are given by modifying the corresponding ones in the propositional calculus and we omit them here. There are some more substantial derivations to be found in the proof of first order specific properties, for example proposition 6.3.9.

Proposition 6.3.6 *For all predicates ϕ, ψ and θ the following laws are derivable in \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} .*

$$\mathbf{T}_I \circ \phi \dashv\vdash \phi \tag{6.6}$$

$$\phi \circ \psi \dashv\vdash \psi \circ \phi \tag{6.7}$$

$$\phi \circ (\psi \circ \theta) \dashv\vdash (\phi \circ \psi) \circ \theta \tag{6.8}$$

Proposition 6.3.7 *Let ϕ be a predicate of type A and let ψ and θ be predicates of type B . The following laws are derivable in \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} .*

$$\phi \circ \mathbf{F}_B \dashv\vdash \mathbf{F}_{A \otimes B} \quad (6.9)$$

$$\phi \circ (\psi \vee \theta) \dashv\vdash (\phi \circ \psi) \vee (\phi \circ \theta) \quad (6.10)$$

$$\phi \multimap \mathbf{T}_B \dashv\vdash \mathbf{T}_{[A,B]} \quad (6.11)$$

$$\phi \multimap (\psi \wedge \theta) \dashv\vdash (\phi \multimap \psi) \wedge (\phi \multimap \theta) \quad (6.12)$$

$$\mathbf{F}_B \multimap \phi \dashv\vdash \mathbf{T}_{[B,A]} \quad (6.13)$$

$$(\psi \vee \theta) \multimap \phi \dashv\vdash (\psi \multimap \phi) \wedge (\theta \multimap \phi) \quad (6.14)$$

Proposition 6.3.8 *Let ϕ and ψ be predicates of type B and let α and β be combinators of type $A \rightarrow B$ and $B \rightarrow C$ respectively. The following distributive laws are derivable in \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} .*

$$\alpha^* \mathbf{T}_B \dashv\vdash \mathbf{T}_A \quad (6.15)$$

$$\alpha^*(\phi \wedge \psi) \dashv\vdash \alpha^* \phi \wedge \alpha^* \psi \quad (6.16)$$

$$\exists[\beta] \mathbf{F}_B \dashv\vdash \mathbf{F}_C \quad (6.17)$$

$$\exists[\beta](\phi \vee \psi) \dashv\vdash \exists[\beta] \phi \vee \exists[\beta] \psi \quad (6.18)$$

The following ‘half-distributive’ laws are also valid.

$$\alpha^* \phi \vee \alpha^* \psi \vdash \alpha^*(\phi \vee \psi) \quad (6.19)$$

$$\exists[\alpha](\phi \wedge \psi) \vdash \exists[\alpha] \phi \wedge \exists[\alpha] \psi \quad (6.20)$$

Proposition 6.3.9 *Let ϕ, ψ and θ be predicates of type A, B and C respectively, and let α be a combinator of type $B \rightarrow C$. The following two distributive laws are derivable in \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} .*

$$\phi \circ \exists[\alpha] \psi \dashv\vdash \exists[\mathbf{Id}_A \otimes \alpha](\phi \circ \psi) \quad (6.21)$$

$$\phi \multimap \alpha^* \theta \dashv\vdash \Lambda(\alpha \bullet \text{eval})^*(\phi \multimap \theta) \quad (6.22)$$

Proof. The following two derivations show that fusion distributes over existential quantification.

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \frac{\psi(z) \vdash \psi(z)}{\psi(z) \vdash (\exists[\alpha]\psi)(\alpha(z))} \text{ } (\exists R) \\
 \frac{\phi(x) \vdash \phi(x) \quad \psi(z) \vdash (\exists[\alpha]\psi)(\alpha(z))}{\phi(x), \psi(z) \vdash (\phi \circ \exists[\alpha]\psi)(x, \alpha(z))} \text{ } (\circ R) \\
 \frac{\phi(x), \psi(z) \vdash (\phi \circ \exists[\alpha]\psi)(x, \alpha(z))}{\phi \circ \psi(x, z) \vdash (\phi \circ \exists[\alpha]\psi)(\mathbf{Id}_A \otimes \alpha(x, z))} \text{ } (\circ L, \approx R) \\
 \frac{\phi \circ \psi(x, z) \vdash (\phi \circ \exists[\alpha]\psi)(\mathbf{Id}_A \otimes \alpha(x, z))}{\exists[\mathbf{Id}_A \otimes \alpha](\phi \circ \psi)(x, y) \vdash (\phi \circ \exists[\alpha]\psi)(x, y)} \text{ } (\exists L)
 \end{array} \tag{6.23}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \frac{\phi(x) \vdash \phi(x) \quad \psi(z) \vdash \psi(z)}{\phi(x), \psi(z) \vdash \phi \circ \psi(x, z)} \text{ } (\circ R) \\
 \frac{\phi(x), \psi(z) \vdash \phi \circ \psi(x, z)}{\phi(x), \psi(z) \vdash \exists[\mathbf{Id}_A \otimes \alpha](\phi \circ \psi)(\mathbf{Id}_A \otimes \alpha(x, z))} \text{ } (\exists R) \\
 \frac{\phi(x), \psi(z) \vdash \exists[\mathbf{Id}_A \otimes \alpha](\phi \circ \psi)(\mathbf{Id}_A \otimes \alpha(x, z))}{\phi(x), \psi(z) \vdash \exists[\mathbf{Id}_A \otimes \alpha](\phi \circ \psi)(x, \alpha(z))} \text{ } (\approx R) \\
 \frac{\phi(x), \psi(z) \vdash \exists[\mathbf{Id}_A \otimes \alpha](\phi \circ \psi)(x, \alpha(z))}{\phi(x), \exists[\alpha]\psi(y) \vdash \exists[\mathbf{Id}_A \otimes \alpha](\phi \circ \psi)(x, y)} \text{ } (\exists L) \\
 \frac{\phi(x), \exists[\alpha]\psi(y) \vdash \exists[\mathbf{Id}_A \otimes \alpha](\phi \circ \psi)(x, y)}{(\phi \circ \exists[\alpha]\psi)(x, y) \vdash \exists[\mathbf{Id}_A \otimes \alpha](\phi \circ \psi)(x, y)} \text{ } (\circ L)
 \end{array} \tag{6.24}$$

The next two derivations show that linear implication distributes over substitution.

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \frac{\theta(\alpha(\mathbf{eval}(f, x))) \vdash \theta(\alpha(\mathbf{eval}(f, x)))}{\alpha^* \theta(\mathbf{eval}(f, x)) \vdash \theta(\alpha \bullet \mathbf{eval}(f, x))} \text{ } (*L, \approx R) \\
 \frac{\phi(x) \vdash \phi(x) \quad \alpha^* \theta(\mathbf{eval}(f, x)) \vdash \theta(\alpha \bullet \mathbf{eval}(f, x))}{(\phi \multimap \alpha^* \theta)(f), \phi(x) \vdash \theta(\alpha \bullet \mathbf{eval}(f, x))} \text{ } (\multimap L) \\
 \frac{(\phi \multimap \alpha^* \theta)(f), \phi(x) \vdash \theta(\alpha \bullet \mathbf{eval}(f, x))}{(\phi \multimap \alpha^* \theta)(f), \phi(x) \vdash \theta(\mathbf{eval}(\Lambda(\alpha \bullet \mathbf{eval})(f), x))} \text{ } (\approx R) \\
 \frac{(\phi \multimap \alpha^* \theta)(f), \phi(x) \vdash \theta(\mathbf{eval}(\Lambda(\alpha \bullet \mathbf{eval})(f), x))}{(\phi \multimap \alpha^* \theta)(f) \vdash (\phi \multimap \theta)(\Lambda(\alpha \bullet \mathbf{eval})(f))} \text{ } (\multimap R) \\
 \frac{(\phi \multimap \alpha^* \theta)(f) \vdash (\phi \multimap \theta)(\Lambda(\alpha \bullet \mathbf{eval})(f))}{(\phi \multimap \alpha^* \theta)(f) \vdash \Lambda(\alpha \bullet \mathbf{eval})^*(\phi \multimap \theta)(f)} \text{ } (*R)
 \end{array} \tag{6.25}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \frac{\theta(\alpha(\mathbf{eval}(f, x))) \vdash \theta(\alpha(\mathbf{eval}(f, x)))}{\theta(\mathbf{eval}(\Lambda(\alpha \bullet \mathbf{eval})(f), x)) \vdash \theta(\alpha(\mathbf{eval}(f, x)))} \text{ } (\approx L) \\
 \frac{\phi(x) \vdash \phi(x) \quad \theta(\mathbf{eval}(\Lambda(\alpha \bullet \mathbf{eval})(f), x)) \vdash \theta(\alpha(\mathbf{eval}(f, x)))}{\phi \multimap \theta(\Lambda(\alpha \bullet \mathbf{eval})(f)), \phi(x) \vdash \theta(\alpha(\mathbf{eval}(f, x)))} \text{ } (\multimap L) \\
 \frac{\phi \multimap \theta(\Lambda(\alpha \bullet \mathbf{eval})(f)), \phi(x) \vdash \theta(\alpha(\mathbf{eval}(f, x)))}{\phi \multimap \theta(\Lambda(\alpha \bullet \mathbf{eval})(f)) \vdash (\phi \multimap \alpha^* \theta)(f)} \text{ } (*R, \multimap R) \\
 \frac{\phi \multimap \theta(\Lambda(\alpha \bullet \mathbf{eval})(f)) \vdash (\phi \multimap \alpha^* \theta)(f)}{\Lambda(\alpha \bullet \mathbf{eval})^*(\phi \multimap \theta)(f) \vdash (\phi \multimap \alpha^* \theta)(f)} \text{ } (*L)
 \end{array} \tag{6.26}$$

□

The next two propositions are a logical expression of the adjunctions relating fusion and linear implication (theorem 5.4.5), and substitution and existential quantification (proposition 5.1.11).

Proposition 6.3.10 *Let ϕ and ψ be predicates of type A and B respectively, and let θ be a predicate of type $A \otimes B$. Then*

$$\phi \circ \psi \vdash \theta \quad \text{iff} \quad \exists[\mathbf{hold}_{A,B}]\phi \vdash \psi \multimap \theta \quad (6.27)$$

$$\phi \vdash \psi \multimap \theta \quad \text{iff} \quad \phi \circ \psi \vdash \mathbf{eval}^* \theta \quad (6.28)$$

Proposition 6.3.11 *Let ϕ and ψ be predicates of type A and B respectively and let α be a combinator of type $A \rightarrow B$. Then*

$$\exists[\alpha]\phi \vdash \psi \quad \text{iff} \quad \phi \vdash \alpha^* \psi \quad (6.29)$$

Proposition 6.3.12 *Let ϕ be a predicate of type $B \otimes C$ and let α and β be combinators of type $A \rightarrow B$ and $C \rightarrow D$ respectively. Then the following sequent is derivable in \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} .*

$$\exists[\mathbf{Id}_A \otimes \beta](\alpha \otimes \mathbf{Id}_C)^* \phi \vdash (\alpha \otimes \mathbf{Id}_D)^* \exists[\mathbf{Id}_B \otimes \beta]\phi \quad (6.30)$$

The above law corresponds to the part of the modified Beck condition (5.52) which always holds. The converse is not derivable because the full condition does not hold in general.

6.3.2 Predicates on a Monoid

We now develop two small applications of the logic \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} . These show how the logic can be used to calculate directly the order theoretic properties of \mathcal{M} -subobjects, which would otherwise require a confusing diagram chase. In the next section, we shall consider how Girard's double negation operator can be translated into the first order logic, but first we look at the properties of predicates over a commutative monoid.

Let (B, \mathcal{F}, E) be the theory of a commutative monoid given in section 3.4.1. The comparisons $m : M \otimes M \rightarrow M$ and $\Lambda(m) : M \rightarrow [M, M]$ allow us to define the following versions of fusion and linear implication for predicates over M .

$$1 = \exists[e] \mathbf{T}_I \quad (6.31)$$

$$\phi \cdot \psi = \exists[m]\phi \circ \psi \quad (6.32)$$

$$\phi \supset \psi = \Lambda(m)^*(\phi \multimap \psi) \quad (6.33)$$

Let C be the set of equivalence classes of $\text{pred}(M)$ under $\dashv\vdash$. By lemma 6.3.4, $\dashv\vdash$ is a congruence with respect to the operations \cdot and \supset so these give rise to operations $\hat{\cdot}$ and $\hat{\supset}$ on equivalence classes. Let $\langle C, \hat{\vee}, \hat{\mathbf{F}}_M, \hat{\wedge}, \hat{\mathbf{T}}_M, \hat{\cdot}, \hat{1}, \hat{\supset} \rangle$ denote the set C with the various induced operations.

Proposition 6.3.13 $\langle C, \hat{\vee}, \hat{\mathbf{F}}_M, \hat{\wedge}, \hat{\mathbf{T}}_M, \hat{\cdot}, \hat{1}, \hat{\supset} \rangle$ is a consequence algebra.

Proof. It is routine to verify that $\langle C, \hat{\vee}, \hat{\mathbf{F}}_M, \hat{\wedge}, \hat{\mathbf{T}}_M \rangle$ is a lattice. The monotonicity of the multiplication \cdot follows from lemma 6.3.4. We show that multiplication is associative as follows.

$$\phi \cdot (\psi \cdot \theta) = \exists[m](\phi \circ \exists[m](\psi \circ \theta)) \quad (6.34)$$

$$\dashv\vdash \exists[m]\exists[\mathbf{Id} \otimes m](\phi \circ (\psi \circ \theta)) \quad (6.35)$$

$$\dashv\vdash \exists[m \bullet (\mathbf{Id} \otimes m)]((\phi \circ \psi) \circ \theta) \quad (6.36)$$

There is a similar expression for $(\phi \cdot \psi) \cdot \theta$ and this is equal to the above by the associativity of m .

The following derivations show that $(\phi \supset \psi) \cdot \phi \vdash \psi$ and $\phi \vdash \psi \supset (\phi \cdot \psi)$ respectively.

$$\frac{\frac{\frac{\psi(m(x, y)) \vdash \psi(m(x, y))}{\psi(\mathbf{eval}(\Lambda(m)(x), y)) \vdash \psi(m(x, y))} (\approx L)}{\phi(y) \vdash \phi(y)} (\text{--} L)}{\frac{\phi \text{--} \psi(\Lambda(m)(x)), \phi(y) \vdash \psi(m(x, y))}{\Lambda(m)^*(\phi \text{--} \psi)(x), \phi(y) \vdash \psi(m(x, y))} (*L)} (\text{oL})} \frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\phi(x) \vdash \phi(x)}{\phi(x), \psi(y) \vdash \phi \circ \psi(x, y)} (\text{oR})}{\psi(y) \vdash \psi(y)} (\text{oR})}{\phi(x), \psi(y) \vdash \phi \circ \psi(x, y)} (\text{--} R)}{\phi(x), \psi(y) \vdash \exists[m]\phi \circ \psi)(m(x, y))} (\approx R)}{\phi(x), \psi(y) \vdash \exists[m]\phi \circ \psi)(\mathbf{eval}(\Lambda(m)(x), y))} (\text{--} R)}{\phi(x) \vdash (\psi \text{--} \exists[m]\phi \circ \psi)(\Lambda(m)(x))} (*R)} \frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\phi(x) \vdash \phi(x)}{\phi(x), \psi(y) \vdash \phi \circ \psi(x, y)} (\text{oR})}{\psi(y) \vdash \psi(y)} (\text{oR})}{\phi(x), \psi(y) \vdash \phi \circ \psi(x, y)} (\text{--} R)}{\phi(x), \psi(y) \vdash \exists[m]\phi \circ \psi)(m(x, y))} (\approx R)}{\phi(x), \psi(y) \vdash \exists[m]\phi \circ \psi)(\mathbf{eval}(\Lambda(m)(x), y))} (\text{--} R)}{\phi(x) \vdash (\psi \text{--} \exists[m]\phi \circ \psi)(\Lambda(m)(x))} (*R)}{\exists[m](\Lambda(m)^*(\phi \text{--} \psi) \circ \phi)(z) \vdash \psi(z)} (\exists L)} \quad (6.37)$$

$$\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\phi(x) \vdash \phi(x)}{\phi(x), \psi(y) \vdash \phi \circ \psi(x, y)} (\text{oR})}{\psi(y) \vdash \psi(y)} (\text{oR})}{\phi(x), \psi(y) \vdash \phi \circ \psi(x, y)} (\text{--} R)}{\phi(x), \psi(y) \vdash \exists[m]\phi \circ \psi)(m(x, y))} (\approx R)}{\phi(x), \psi(y) \vdash \exists[m]\phi \circ \psi)(\mathbf{eval}(\Lambda(m)(x), y))} (\text{--} R)}{\phi(x) \vdash (\psi \text{--} \exists[m]\phi \circ \psi)(\Lambda(m)(x))} (*R)}{\phi(x) \vdash \Lambda(m)^*(\psi \text{--} \exists[m]\phi \circ \psi)(x)} (*R)} \quad (6.38)$$

Thus, $\hat{\cdot}$ and $\hat{\supset}$ are related by the required adjunction. \square

6.3.3 Girard's Double Negation Closure

Let \perp be a fixed predicate of type Z , and for all $\phi \in \text{pred}(A)$ let ϕ^\perp denote the predicate $\phi \multimap \perp$ of type $[A, Z]$. Let $\text{at}_{A,B}: A \rightarrow [[A, B], B]$ be the derived combinator

$$\text{at}_{A,B} = \Lambda(\text{eval}_{A,B} \bullet \text{swap}_{A,[A,B]}) \quad (6.39)$$

which given a term s returns the function "evaluate at s ".

$$\begin{aligned} \text{eval}(\text{at}(s), f) &\approx \text{eval}(\Lambda(\text{eval} \bullet \text{swap})(s), f) & (6.40) \\ &\approx (\text{eval} \bullet \text{swap})(s, f) \\ &\approx \text{eval}(f, s) \end{aligned}$$

If ϕ is a predicate of type A then $\phi^{\perp\perp} \in \text{pred}([[A, Z], Z])$, and hence $\diamond_A(\phi) = \text{at}_{A,Z}^*(\phi^{\perp\perp})$ is a predicate of type A . We show that \diamond is a closure operation on predicates over A .

$$\begin{array}{c} \frac{\phi(x) \vdash \phi(x) \quad \perp(\text{eval}(f, x)) \vdash \perp(\text{eval}(f, x))}{\phi(x), \phi^\perp(f) \vdash \perp(\text{eval}(f, x))} \quad (\multimap L) \\ \frac{\phi(x), \phi^\perp(f) \vdash \perp(\text{eval}(f, x))}{\phi(x), \phi^\perp(f) \vdash \perp(\text{eval}(\text{at}(x), f))} \quad (\approx R) \\ \frac{\phi(x), \phi^\perp(f) \vdash \perp(\text{eval}(\text{at}(x), f))}{\phi(x) \vdash \phi^{\perp\perp}(\text{at}(x))} \quad (\multimap R) \\ \frac{\phi(x) \vdash \phi^{\perp\perp}(\text{at}(x))}{\phi(x) \vdash \text{at}^*(\phi^{\perp\perp})(x)} \quad (*R) \end{array} \quad (6.41)$$

The idempotency of \diamond_A is a consequence of the following.

$$\begin{array}{c} \frac{\phi^\perp(f), \phi^{\perp\perp}(\text{at}(g)) \vdash \perp(\text{eval}(\text{at}(g), f))}{\phi^\perp(f), \text{at}^*(\phi^{\perp\perp})(g) \vdash \perp(\text{eval}(f, g))} \quad (*L, \approx R) \\ \frac{\phi^\perp(f), \text{at}^*(\phi^{\perp\perp})(g) \vdash \perp(\text{eval}(f, g))}{\phi^\perp(f) \vdash (\text{at}^*(\phi^{\perp\perp}))^\perp(f)} \quad (\multimap R) \\ \frac{\phi^\perp(f) \vdash (\text{at}^*(\phi^{\perp\perp}))^\perp(f)}{\phi^\perp(f), (\text{at}^*(\phi^{\perp\perp}))^{\perp\perp}(h) \vdash \perp(\text{eval}(h, f))} \quad (\multimap L) \\ \frac{\phi^\perp(f), (\text{at}^*(\phi^{\perp\perp}))^{\perp\perp}(h) \vdash \perp(\text{eval}(h, f))}{(\text{at}^*(\phi^{\perp\perp}))^{\perp\perp}(h) \vdash \phi^{\perp\perp}(h)} \quad (\multimap R) \end{array} \quad (6.42)$$

Where the missing premise for the application of $(\multimap L)$ is supplied by the axiom $\perp(\text{eval}(h, f)) \vdash \perp(\text{eval}(h, f))$.

For all $\phi \in \text{pred}(A)$ and $\psi \in \text{pred}(B)$, the following relation holds.

$$\diamond_A \phi \circ \diamond_B \psi \vdash \diamond_{A \otimes B}(\phi \circ \psi) \quad (6.43)$$

The diamond operator is the first order analogue of the double negation nucleus given in proposition 2.2.8. Unfortunately, the presence of a combinator in the

definition of \diamond_A prevents us from constructing an involutive “negation” on the \diamond_A -closed predicates.

Chapter 7

Model Theory

In chapter 5, we developed the algebraic theory of \mathcal{M} -subobjects in a symmetric monoidal closed category with a monoidal factorisation system $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$. This provided the motivation for the logic \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} presented in chapter 6, and remains the primary example of a model.

In the present chapter, we shall develop the model theory of \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} in terms of *linear doctrines*. These are an axiomatisation of the subobject model viewed as a fibred category. We define interpretations of \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} in a linear doctrine, and show that \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} is both sound and complete with respect to this semantics. Choosing to work with fibrations rather than directly with the subobject semantics clarifies the statement and proof of these theorems. Furthermore, nothing is lost by taking this approach as there are translations back and forth between the two forms of model.

In section 7.1, we first give the definition of a fibration and some subsidiary definitions. We show how every factorisation system gives rise to a fibration. We then define the notion of a linear doctrine as a fibration with extra structure, and prove that our leading example of a monoidal factorisation yields a linear doctrine. Finally, we prove some elementary results about linear doctrines and give a construction on quantales as a further example.

In section 7.2, we define the interpretation of formulae of \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} in a linear doctrine, and prove that linear doctrines are sound models of \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} .

Finally, in section 7.3, we prove that linear doctrines form a complete class of models for \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} , and further deduce that those linear doctrines which arise from monoidal factorisation systems also form a complete class of models.

7.1 Linear Doctrines

Before giving our presentation of linear doctrines, we recall some of the definitions and basic facts associated with the theory of fibred categories.

7.1.1 Fibrations

Fibrations [Gra66,B85] give an abstract formulation of the notion of an ‘indexed family’. This extends the familiar notion of a family indexed by a set to include families indexed by the objects of an arbitrary base category \mathcal{B} . Families of objects indexed by B and families of morphisms between them form a category \mathcal{F}_B , the *fibre* over B . The fibres over different objects form part of a larger category \mathcal{F} where the morphisms crossing between fibres involve re-indexing along a morphism of \mathcal{B} . One consequence of the definition given below is that morphisms in \mathcal{F} can always be separated into a *vertical* component, lying within a single fibre, followed by a *cartesian* component, corresponding to the re-indexing.

Definition 7.1.1 Let \mathcal{F} and \mathcal{B} be categories, $z : \mathcal{F} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$ be a functor and $f : U \rightarrow V$ be a morphism in \mathcal{F} . We say that f is *cartesian* with respect to z if for all $g : W \rightarrow V$ and for all $\gamma : z(W) \rightarrow z(U)$ such that $z(g) = z(f)\gamma$, there exists a

unique map $h : W \rightarrow U$ in \mathcal{F} such that $fh = g$ and $z(h) = \gamma$.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 W & & \\
 \searrow h & \searrow g & \\
 & U & \xrightarrow{f} & V \\
 & & & \\
 z(W) & & \\
 \searrow \gamma & \searrow z(g) & \\
 & z(U) & \xrightarrow{z(f)} & z(V)
 \end{array}
 \tag{7.1}$$

If α is a morphism of \mathcal{B} then f is *cartesian over* α if f is cartesian and $z(f) = \alpha$. The functor $z : \mathcal{F} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$ is a *fibration* if for each object X in \mathcal{F} and for each morphism $\alpha : A \rightarrow z(X)$ in \mathcal{B} there exists a morphism $f : U \rightarrow X$ in \mathcal{F} which is cartesian over α .

Dually, a functor $z : \mathcal{F} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$ is an *op-fibration* if $z^{op} : \mathcal{F}^{op} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}^{op}$ is a fibration.

If $z : \mathcal{F} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$ is a fibration or op-fibration and B is an object of \mathcal{B} then \mathcal{F}_B denotes the *fibre over* B , that is, the subcategory of \mathcal{F} whose objects and morphisms are mapped to B and 1_B respectively.

Definition 7.1.2 A fibration $z : \mathcal{F} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$ is *cleaved* if for each morphism $\alpha : A \rightarrow B$ in \mathcal{B} and each object $p \in \mathcal{F}_B$ there exists a *choice* of morphism $\nu_{\alpha,p} : \alpha^*p \rightarrow p$ which is cartesian over α . Such a choice is called a *cleavage* of z .

A fibration is *split* if it is cleaved and the choices of cartesian lifting cohere as follows. For all objects p of \mathcal{F} such that $z(p) = C$, and for all morphisms $\alpha : A \rightarrow B$ and $\beta : B \rightarrow C$ in \mathcal{T} the following diagrams commute.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \begin{array}{ccc}
 p & & \\
 \parallel & \searrow 1_p & \\
 \parallel & & p \\
 \parallel & \xrightarrow{\nu_{1_C,p}} & \\
 1_C^*p & &
 \end{array}
 & &
 \begin{array}{ccc}
 \alpha^*(\beta^*p) & \xrightarrow{\nu_{\alpha,\beta^*p}} & \beta^*p \\
 \parallel & & \downarrow \nu_{\beta,p} \\
 (\beta\alpha)^*p & \xrightarrow{\nu_{\beta\alpha,p}} & p
 \end{array}
 \end{array}
 \tag{7.2}$$

Example 7.1.3 Let $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$ be a factorisation system on the category \mathcal{C} and let $\mathbf{cod} : \mathbf{Sqr}(\mathcal{M}) \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ be the functor which maps an object of $\mathbf{Sqr}(\mathcal{M})$, that is a morphism $m \in \mathcal{M}$, to its codomain in \mathcal{C} and a morphism $(f, g) : m_1 \rightarrow m_2$ of $\mathbf{Sqr}(\mathcal{M})$ to its first component. Then $\mathbf{cod} : \mathbf{Sqr}(\mathcal{M}) \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ is an op-fibration. If pullbacks exist in \mathcal{C} for every pair $m \in \mathcal{M}$ and $f \in \mathbf{Mor}(\mathcal{C})$ with a common codomain then $\mathbf{cod} : \mathbf{Sqr}(\mathcal{M}) \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ is also a fibration. Furthermore if there exist choices of pullback and factorisation then these give rise to a cleavage and op-cleavage respectively.

There is a well known correspondence between split fibrations $z : \mathcal{F} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$ and functors $F : \mathcal{B}^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \mathbf{Cat}$, often known as ‘*strict indexed categories*’ [PS78]. Given a split fibration $z : \mathcal{F} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$, we define a functor $F : \mathcal{B}^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \mathbf{Cat}$ as follows. If B is an object of \mathcal{B} then $F(B)$ is the fibre over B , that is, the subcategory of \mathcal{F} which maps to B under z . If $\alpha : U \rightarrow V$ is an arrow of \mathcal{B} then we can verify that the map $p \mapsto \alpha^*p$ extends to a functor $F(\alpha) : F(B) \rightarrow F(V)$ by the universal properties of a fibration. The coherences of 7.2 ensure that $F(1_A) = 1_{F(A)}$ and $F(g)F(f) = F(gf)$ and hence that F forms a functor $\mathcal{B}^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \mathbf{Cat}$.

Conversely, given a functor $F : \mathcal{B}^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \mathbf{Cat}$, we can use the following construction, due to Grothendieck, to produce fibration $z_F : \mathcal{F} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$. The objects of \mathcal{F} are pairs (B, X) where B is an object of \mathcal{B} and X is an object of $F(B)$. A morphism in \mathcal{F} from (B, X) to (C, Y) is a pair (α, f) where $\alpha : B \rightarrow C$ in \mathcal{B} and $f : X \rightarrow F(\alpha)(Y)$ in $\mathcal{C}(B)$. The composition of two such maps $(\alpha, f) : (B, X) \rightarrow (C, Y)$ and $(\beta, g) : (C, Y) \rightarrow (D, Z)$ is given by $(\beta\alpha, F(\alpha)(g)f)$ and the identity on (B, X) is $(1_B, 1_X)$. It is routine to verify that this data defines a category and furthermore that the functor $z_F : \mathcal{F} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$ which maps objects and morphisms of \mathcal{F} to their first component is actually a split fibration.

There is a similar correspondence between cleaved fibrations and ‘*pseudo-functors*’ $F : \mathcal{B}^{\text{op}} \rightarrow \mathbf{Cat}$, which preserve identities and composition up to coherent isomorphism. Despite these correspondences, fibrations have a certain conceptual advantage over indexed categories. See [B85] for a philosophical discussion of fibrations and a critique of [PS78]. In our case, there are clear practical reasons for

adopting the fibred category view; to formulate the definition of a linear doctrine we need to consider the category of predicates as a whole. We make no further mention of indexed categories except to note that the Grothendieck construction is implicit in the proof of the theorem 7.2.3 (the soundness of \mathcal{L}_{FOLL}).

If $z : \mathcal{F} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$ is a fibration then we say that a map f of \mathcal{F} is *vertical* if $z(f)$ is an isomorphism. We write \mathbf{Vert}_z for the class of vertical maps, and \mathbf{Cart}_z for the class of cartesian maps. Note that it is more usual to take the vertical maps to be those lying within a single fibre. We need to take the weaker definition in order to get the following result.

Lemma 7.1.4 *If $z : \mathcal{F} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$ is a fibration then $(\mathbf{Vert}, \mathbf{Cart})$ is a factorisation system on \mathcal{F} .*

Proof. Clearly, both \mathbf{Cart} and \mathbf{Vert} contain the isomorphisms and are closed under composition. If $g : U \rightarrow V$ is any morphism in \mathcal{F} then we know that there exists a map f which is cartesian over $z(g)$ and hence, by the universal property of f , a vertical map v such that $z(v) = 1_{z(U)}$ and g factors as fv .

Now, let $v \in \mathbf{Vert}$ and $f \in \mathbf{Cart}$, and suppose that we have a commuting square $hv = fg$.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 U & \xrightarrow{v} & V \\
 g \downarrow & \searrow \sigma & \downarrow h \\
 W & \xrightarrow{f} & X
 \end{array}
 \qquad
 \begin{array}{ccc}
 z(U) & \xrightarrow{z(v)} & z(V) \\
 z(g) \downarrow & \searrow \rho & \downarrow z(h) \\
 z(W) & \xrightarrow{z(f)} & z(X)
 \end{array}
 \tag{7.3}$$

Since $z(v)$ is an isomorphism, there is a unique map ρ making both triangles of the righthand square commute. By the universal property of f applied to h , there exists a unique map $\sigma : V \rightarrow W$ such that $z(\sigma) = \rho$ and $h = f\sigma$. Applying the same universal property to hv , we deduce that $\sigma v = g$. Thus σ is the unique map making the lefthand square commute, since any other map σ' with this property would necessarily satisfy $z(\sigma') = \rho$. \square

7.1.2 Linear Doctrines

The concept of a linear doctrine isolates the properties of the \mathcal{M} -subobjects of a monoidal factorisation system $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$ which are needed to prove the soundness and completeness of \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} .

Definition 7.1.5 Let $\langle \mathcal{P}, \circ, 1, -\circ \rangle$ and $\langle \mathcal{T}, \otimes, I, [-, -] \rangle$ be symmetric monoidal closed categories. A strict monoidal strict closed functor $z : \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \mathcal{T}$ is a *linear doctrine* if

1. z is both a fibration and an op-fibration,
2. for each object A of \mathcal{T} , the fibre \mathcal{F}_A has finite products and finite coproducts,
3. 1 is a terminal object in \mathcal{P}_I , and whenever \top_A and \top_B are terminal in \mathcal{P}_A and \mathcal{P}_B respectively, then $\top_A \circ \top_B$ is terminal in $\mathcal{P}_{A \otimes B}$.

The key example of a linear doctrine is given by the codomain fibration $\mathbf{cod} : \mathbf{Sqr}(\mathcal{M}) \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ of example 7.1.3 in the case that $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$ is a monoidal factorisation.

Proposition 7.1.6 *Let \mathcal{C} be a symmetric monoidal closed category with finite coproducts and a monoidal factorisation system $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$. Suppose that there exists a choice of pullback for every pair of maps $m \in \mathcal{M}$ and $f \in \mathbf{Mor}(\mathcal{C})$ with a common codomain and a choice of factorisation for every morphism of \mathcal{C} . Then $\mathbf{cod} : \mathbf{Sqr}(\mathcal{M}) \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ is a linear doctrine with cleavage and op-cleavage.*

Proof. We know that $\mathbf{cod} : \mathbf{Sqr}(\mathcal{M}) \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ is a fibration and op-fibration and that the choices of factorisation and pullback give rise to a cleavage and op-cleavage. Theorem 5.4.5 states that $\langle \mathbf{Sqr}(\mathcal{M}), \circ, 1_I, -\circ \rangle$ is symmetric monoidal closed and an examination of the data given reveals that the codomain components are given by the corresponding data in $\langle \mathcal{C}, \otimes, I, [-, -] \rangle$ so \mathbf{cod} is strict monoidal strict closed. The fibre over an object A of \mathcal{C} is, of course, the relative slice category $\mathcal{C}/_{\mathcal{M}}A$ and this has finite products and coproducts by lemma 5.1.9. Finally, a terminal object

in the fibre over A is an isomorphism $m : A' \cong A$ and these are preserved by fusion. \square

Remark 7.1.7 There are two important special cases of a linear doctrine: where the fibres are preorders and partial orders respectively. If the factorisation system of the above proposition satisfies $\mathcal{M} \subseteq \mathbf{Mon}$ then the fibres of $\mathbf{cod} : \mathbf{Sqr}(\mathcal{M}) \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ are preordered. By taking an appropriate quotient of $\mathbf{Sqr}(\mathcal{M})$, we can obtain a fibration $z : \mathcal{F} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ whose fibres are the \mathcal{M} -subobject lattices of \mathcal{C} , and hence partial orders. The interpretation of the logic \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} given in the next section will be defined with respect to a linear doctrine whose fibres are partially ordered.

Proposition 7.1.6 shows that a monoidal factorisation system gives rise to a linear doctrine. In fact, there is a converse to this result.

Proposition 7.1.8 *Let $\mathcal{P} = \langle \mathcal{P}, \circ, 1, -\circ \rangle$ and $\mathcal{T} = \langle \mathcal{T}, \otimes, I, [-, -] \rangle$ be symmetric monoidal closed categories, and $z : \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \mathcal{T}$ be a linear doctrine. Then for all $p \in \mathbf{Obj}(\mathcal{P})$, \mathbf{OpCart}_z is closed under $(-) \circ p$ and \mathbf{Cart}_z is closed under $p -\circ (-)$.*

Proof. By the dual of lemma 7.1.4, $(\mathbf{OpCart}_z, \mathbf{Vert}_z)$ is a factorisation system on \mathcal{P} . We note that \mathbf{Vert}_z is closed under $p -\circ (-)$. If $g : q_1 \rightarrow q_2$ is vertical then $z(g)$ is an isomorphism and hence so is

$$z(p -\circ g) = [z(p), z(g)] : [z(p), z(q_2)] \rightarrow [z(p), z(q_1)] \quad (7.4)$$

Thus, by lemma 5.2.2, \mathbf{OpCart}_z is closed under $(-) \circ p$.

The second part is just the dual of the first. \square

Corollary 7.1.9 *If $z : \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \mathcal{T}$ is a linear doctrine then $(\mathbf{OpCart}_z, \mathbf{Vert}_z)$ is a monoidal factorisation system on \mathcal{P} .*

We turn briefly to the connection between linear doctrines and quantales. One way to view the predicates of \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} is that they are much the same as the formulae of the propositional logic but ‘spread out’ over an underlying type theory. It seems that if we could collect together the predicates of different types then this should give a model of the propositional logic. We make this statement precise in terms

of linear doctrines. Let $z : \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \mathcal{T}$ be a linear doctrine with \mathcal{T} small, and suppose that the fibres of z are complete lattices. For each $f : X \rightarrow Y$ in \mathcal{T} , the direct image functor $f_* : \mathcal{P}_X \rightarrow \mathcal{P}_Y$ preserves suprema since it is left adjoint to f^* . Thus, f_* is a morphism of complete semilattices, and z defines a functor $F : \mathcal{T} \rightarrow \mathbf{CSLat}$ mapping objects to fibres and morphisms to direct image maps.

Proposition 7.1.10 *The colimit of the diagram $F : \mathcal{T} \rightarrow \mathbf{CSLat}$ is a quantale.*

Proof. Let Q be the colimit of F . For each pair of objects X, Y in \mathcal{T} , fusion defines a bilinear map from $\mathcal{P}_X \times \mathcal{P}_Y$ to $\mathcal{P}_{X \otimes Y}$ and hence a morphism $\circ_{X,Y} : \mathcal{P}_X \otimes \mathcal{P}_Y \rightarrow \mathcal{P}_{X \otimes Y}$ of \mathbf{CSLat} .

Let $f : X \rightarrow X'$ and $g : Y \rightarrow Y'$ be morphisms of \mathcal{T} . As a result of lemma 7.1.8 the following diagram commutes.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \mathcal{P}_X \otimes \mathcal{P}_Y & \xrightarrow{\circ_{X,Y}} & \mathcal{P}_{X \otimes Y} \\
 f_* \otimes g_* \downarrow & & \downarrow (f \otimes g)_* \\
 \mathcal{P}_{X'} \otimes \mathcal{P}_{Y'} & \xrightarrow{\circ_{X',Y'}} & \mathcal{P}_{X' \otimes Y'}
 \end{array} \tag{7.5}$$

Thus $\circ_{X,Y} : \mathcal{P}_X \otimes \mathcal{P}_Y \rightarrow \mathcal{P}_{X \otimes Y}$ are the components of a natural transformation $\otimes(F \times F) \rightarrow F$.

Since \mathbf{CSLat} is symmetric monoidal closed, \otimes preserves colimits and so

$$Q \otimes Q = \text{colim}(F) \otimes \text{colim}(F) \cong \text{colim}(\otimes(F \times F)) \tag{7.6}$$

We define the multiplication $m : Q \otimes Q \rightarrow Q$ to be the map between colimits induced by the natural transformation above. It is routine to verify that m is associative, commutative and has a unit. \square

7.2 Soundness of the calculus \mathcal{L}_{FOLL}

We give an interpretation of the sequents of \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} in a linear doctrine $z : \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \mathcal{T}$ whose fibres are partial orders and prove that it is sound.

7.2.1 Interpretation of formulae

Let $z : \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \mathcal{T}$ be a linear doctrine, and let $\langle \iota, j \rangle$ be an interpretation of LTT in \mathcal{T} . Let $|-|$ be a mapping of atomic predicates to objects of \mathcal{P} such that if ϕ is of type A then $|\phi|$ lies in the fibre $\mathcal{P}_{\iota(A)}$. We extend $|-|$ to an interpretation of all predicates as follows.

$$\begin{aligned}
 |\phi \circ \psi| &= |\phi| \circ |\psi| & |\alpha^* \phi| &= j(\alpha)^* |\phi| \\
 |\phi \multimap \psi| &= |\phi| \multimap |\psi| & |\exists[\alpha]\phi| &= j(\alpha)_* |\phi| \\
 |\phi \wedge \psi| &= |\phi| \wedge |\psi| & |\mathbf{T}_X| &= \top_{\iota(X)} \\
 |\phi \vee \psi| &= |\phi| \vee |\psi| & |\mathbf{F}_X| &= \mathbf{0}_{\iota(X)}
 \end{aligned} \tag{7.7}$$

Lemma 7.2.1 *For all predicates $\phi \in \text{pred}(A)$, $z(|\phi|) = \iota(A)$.*

We can now give a function $\llbracket - \rrbracket$ from lists of formulae to objects of \mathcal{P} . Let \bar{s} denote $j(\text{ac}(s))$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \llbracket \rrbracket &= 1 \\
 \llbracket \phi(s) \rrbracket &= \bar{s}^* |\phi| \\
 \llbracket \Gamma, \phi(s) \rrbracket &= \llbracket \Gamma \rrbracket \circ \bar{s}^* |\phi|
 \end{aligned} \tag{7.8}$$

We are not quite ready to state the soundness theorem. Although we can interpret the formulae on each side of the turnstile, these interpretations may lie in different fibres. To interpret a sequent $\Gamma \vdash \phi(s)$ we need to define a comparison map $z(\llbracket \Gamma \rrbracket) \rightarrow z(\llbracket \phi(s) \rrbracket)$. Firstly, we extend the concept of associated basic term to lists of formulae.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Abt}() &= () \\
 \text{Abt}(\phi(s)) &= \text{abt}(s) \\
 \text{Abt}(\Gamma, \phi(s)) &= (\text{Abt}(\Gamma), \text{abt}(s))
 \end{aligned} \tag{7.9}$$

If no variable occurs twice in the list γ then $\text{Abt}(\Gamma)$ is a term. In particular, if $\Gamma \vdash \phi(s)$ is a valid sequent then $\text{Abt}(\Gamma)$ and $\text{Abt}(\phi(s))$ are terms by the variable balancing property.

Lemma 7.2.2 *If Γ is a list of formulae with $\text{Abt}(\Gamma) \in \text{term}(A)$ then $z(\llbracket \Gamma \rrbracket) = \iota(A)$.*

Theorem 7.2.3 Soundness of \mathcal{L}_{FOLL}

Let $z : \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \mathcal{T}$ be a linear doctrine whose fibres are partial orders and let $\langle i, j, | - | \rangle$ be an interpretation of $\mathcal{L}_{FOLL}(\mathcal{B}, \mathcal{F}, E)$ in z . If $\Gamma \vdash \phi(s)$ is derivable in $\mathcal{L}_{FOLL}(\mathcal{B}, \mathcal{F}, E)$ then there exists a morphism in \mathcal{P}

$$g : \llbracket \Gamma \rrbracket \rightarrow \llbracket \phi(s) \rrbracket \quad (7.10)$$

and a central combinator ξ such that $z(g) = j(\xi)$ and $\xi(\text{Abt}(\Gamma)) \approx \text{Abt}(\phi(s))$.

Remark 7.2.4 The existence of $g : \llbracket \Gamma \rrbracket \rightarrow \llbracket \phi(s) \rrbracket$ such that $z(g) = j(\xi)$ is equivalent to the inequality

$$\llbracket \Gamma \rrbracket \leq j(\xi)^* \llbracket \phi(s) \rrbracket \quad (7.11)$$

holding in the fibre $\mathcal{P}_{i(A)}$ where A is the type of $\text{Abt}(\Gamma)$.

Proof. The proof proceeds by induction on the structure of derivations. For each rule of \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} , we show that theorem 7.2.3 holds of the conclusion if it holds of the premises. We present only the more difficult cases.

Fusion.

$$(\text{oR}) \quad \frac{\Gamma_1 \vdash \phi(s) \quad \Gamma_2 \vdash \psi(t)}{\Gamma_1, \Gamma_2 \vdash \phi \circ \psi(s, t)} \quad \text{provided that} \quad V(\Gamma_1) \cap V(\Gamma_2) = \emptyset.$$

Induction Hypothesis: There exist morphisms

$$g_1 : \llbracket \Gamma_1 \rrbracket \rightarrow \bar{s}^* | \phi | \quad g_2 : \llbracket \Gamma_2 \rrbracket \rightarrow \bar{t}^* | \psi |$$

and central combinators ξ_1, ξ_2 such that $\xi_1(\text{Abt}(\Gamma_1)) \approx \text{abt}(s)$, $\xi_2(\text{Abt}(\Gamma_2)) \approx \text{abt}(t)$ and $z(g_i) = j(\xi_i)$ for $i = 1, 2$.

$\text{Abt}(\Gamma_1, \Gamma_2)$ is the left associated form of $(\text{Abt}(\Gamma_1), \text{Abt}(\Gamma_2))$. Following the proof of lemma 3.2.14, we can construct a central combinator, **left** such that $\text{left}(\text{Abt}(\Gamma_1), \text{Abt}(\Gamma_2)) \approx \text{Abt}(\Gamma_1, \Gamma_2)$. There is a semantic counterpart to this construction which gives us a morphism $h : \llbracket \Gamma_1 \rrbracket \circ \llbracket \Gamma_2 \rrbracket \rightarrow \llbracket \Gamma_1, \Gamma_2 \rrbracket$ in \mathcal{P} with $z(h) = j(\text{left})$.

Let $\nu_1 : \bar{s}^*|\phi| \rightarrow |\phi|$, $\nu_2 : \bar{t}^*|\psi| \rightarrow |\psi|$ and $\nu : (\bar{s} \otimes \bar{t})^*|\phi \circ \psi| \rightarrow |\phi \circ \psi|$ be cartesian over \bar{s}, \bar{t} and $\bar{s} \otimes \bar{t}$ respectively. Then

$$z((\nu_1 \circ \nu_2)(g_1 \circ g_2)) = \bar{s} \otimes \bar{t} j(\xi_1 \otimes \xi_2) \quad (7.12)$$

By the universal property of ν , there is a unique map $g : \llbracket \Gamma_1, \Gamma_2 \rrbracket \rightarrow (\bar{s} \otimes \bar{t})^*|\phi \circ \psi|$ with $z(g) = \bar{s} \otimes \bar{t}$ making the diagram below commute.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \llbracket \Gamma_1, \Gamma_2 \rrbracket & \cong & \llbracket \Gamma_1 \rrbracket \circ \llbracket \Gamma_2 \rrbracket \xrightarrow{g_1 \circ g_2} \bar{s}^*|\phi| \circ \bar{t}^*|\psi| \\ & & \vdots \qquad \qquad \qquad \downarrow \nu_1 \circ \nu_2 \\ & & g \downarrow \qquad \qquad \qquad \downarrow \nu \\ & & (\bar{s} \otimes \bar{t})^*|\phi \circ \psi| \xrightarrow{\nu} |\phi \circ \psi| \end{array} \quad (7.13)$$

The required map $\llbracket \Gamma_1, \Gamma_2 \rrbracket \rightarrow (\bar{s} \otimes \bar{t})^*|\phi \circ \psi|$ is thus the composition gh^{-1} . Note that $z(gh^{-1}) = j((\xi_1 \otimes \xi_2) \bullet \mathbf{left}^{-1})$ where \mathbf{left}^{-1} is the obvious ‘inverse’ of \mathbf{left} .

$$(\circ L) \quad \frac{\Gamma_1, \phi(x), \psi(y), \Gamma_2 \vdash \theta(u)}{\Gamma_1, \phi \circ \psi(x, y), \Gamma_2 \vdash \theta(u)}$$

The soundness of ($\circ L$) follows from the observation that $\llbracket \Gamma_1, \phi(x), \psi(y), \Gamma_2 \rrbracket$ and $\llbracket \Gamma_1, \phi \circ \psi(x, y), \Gamma_2 \rrbracket$ are just different products of the same finite set of objects in \mathcal{P} .

Linear Implication.

$$(\rightarrow R) \quad \frac{\Gamma, \phi(x) \vdash \psi(\mathbf{eval}_{X,Y}(f, x))}{\Gamma \vdash (\phi \rightarrow \psi)(f)} \quad x \text{ is a basic term.}$$

Induction Hypothesis : There exists a map $g : \llbracket \Gamma \rrbracket \circ |\phi| \rightarrow (\varepsilon(\bar{f} \otimes 1))^*|\psi|$ such that $z(g) = j(\xi)$ where ξ is a central combinator satisfying $\xi(\mathbf{Abt}(\Gamma), x) \approx (\mathbf{abt}(f), x)$.

$\mathbf{Abt}(\Gamma)$ and $\mathbf{abt}(f)$ are basic terms in the same variables so by lemma 3.2.14, there exists a central combinator ξ' such that $\xi'(\mathbf{Abt}(\Gamma)) \approx \mathbf{abt}(f)$. It follows that

$$\xi' \otimes \mathbf{Id}(\mathbf{Abt}(\Gamma), x) \approx (\mathbf{abt}(f), x) \approx \xi(\mathbf{abt}(f), x) \quad (7.14)$$

and hence $j(\xi') \otimes 1 = j(\xi)$.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \llbracket \Gamma \rrbracket \circ |\phi| & & \\
 \searrow g & \nearrow h & \\
 \varepsilon(\bar{f} \otimes 1)^* |\psi| & \xrightarrow{\nu} & |\psi|
 \end{array} \tag{7.15}$$

$$\iota(A \otimes B) \xrightarrow{j(\xi)} \iota(A' \otimes B) \xrightarrow{\varepsilon(\bar{f} \otimes 1)} \iota(C)$$

Let $h = \nu g$ where $\nu : \varepsilon(\bar{f} \otimes 1)^* |\psi| \rightarrow |\psi|$ is cartesian and let

$$\check{h} = [1, h]\delta : \llbracket \Gamma \rrbracket \rightarrow |\phi| \multimap |\psi| = |\phi \multimap \psi|$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned}
 z(\check{h}) &= [1, z(h)]\delta \\
 &= [1, \varepsilon(\bar{f} \otimes 1)j(\xi)]\delta \\
 &= [1, \varepsilon(\bar{f}j(\xi') \otimes 1)]\delta \\
 &= \bar{f}j(\xi')
 \end{aligned} \tag{7.16}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \llbracket \Gamma \rrbracket & & \\
 \searrow g' & \nearrow \check{h} & \\
 \bar{f}^* |\phi \multimap \psi| & \xrightarrow{\nu'} & |\phi \multimap \psi|
 \end{array} \tag{7.17}$$

$$\iota(A) \xrightarrow{j(\xi')} \iota(A') \xrightarrow{\bar{f}} \iota([B, C])$$

Thus \check{h} factors as $\check{h} = \nu' g'$ where ν' is cartesian over \bar{f} and $z(g') = j(\xi')$.

$$(\multimap L) \quad \frac{\Gamma_1 \vdash \phi(s) \quad \Gamma_2, \psi(\text{eval}_{X,Y}(f, s)) \vdash \theta(t)}{\Gamma_2, (\phi \multimap \psi)(f), \Gamma_1 \vdash \theta(t)} \quad \text{provided that } V(\Gamma_1) \cap V(\Gamma_2) = \emptyset.$$

Induction Hypothesis: There exist morphisms g_1, g_2 in \mathcal{P}

$$g_1 : \llbracket \Gamma_1 \rrbracket \rightarrow \bar{s}^* |\phi|$$

$$g_2 : \llbracket \Gamma_2 \rrbracket \circ (\varepsilon(\bar{f} \otimes \bar{s}))^* |\psi| \rightarrow \bar{t}^* |\theta|$$

and central combinators ξ_1, ξ_2 such that

$$\begin{aligned} z(g_1) &= j(\xi_1) & \xi_1(\text{Abt}(\Gamma_1)) &\approx \text{abt}(s) \\ z(g_2) &= j(\xi_2) & \xi_2(\text{Abt}(\Gamma_1), \text{abt}(f, s)) &\approx \text{abt}(t) \end{aligned}$$

It is easy to check that $\xi = \xi_2 \bullet \text{assr} \bullet (\text{Id} \otimes \xi_1)$ satisfies

$$\xi((\text{Abt}(\Gamma_2), \text{abt}(f)), \text{Abt}(\Gamma_1)) \approx \text{abt}(t) \quad (7.18)$$

We shall define a morphism g as the composition of a series of arrows :

$$\begin{aligned} ([\Gamma_2] \circ \bar{f}^*|\phi \multimap \psi|) \circ [\Gamma_1] &\xrightarrow{h_1} [\Gamma_2] \circ (\bar{f}^*|\phi \multimap \psi| \circ \bar{s}^*|\phi|) \\ &\xrightarrow{h_2} [\Gamma_2] \circ (\varepsilon(\bar{f} \otimes \bar{s}))^*|\psi| \\ &\longrightarrow \bar{t}^*|\theta| \end{aligned}$$

Clearly, the last step is just g_2 . We define $h_1 = a(1 \circ g_1)$ and note that $z(h_1) = j(\text{assr} \bullet (\text{Id} \otimes \xi_1))$.

Let $\nu_1 : \bar{f}^*|\phi \multimap \psi| \rightarrow |\phi \multimap \psi|$, $\nu_2 : \bar{s}^*|\phi| \rightarrow |\phi|$ and $\nu : (\varepsilon(\bar{f} \otimes \bar{s}))^*|\psi| \rightarrow |\psi|$ be cartesian over \bar{f}, \bar{s} and $\varepsilon(\bar{f} \otimes \bar{s})$ respectively.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \bar{f}^*|\phi \multimap \psi| \circ \bar{s}^*|\phi| & \xrightarrow{\nu_1 \circ \nu_2} & |\phi \multimap \psi| \circ |\phi| \\ \downarrow k & & \downarrow \varepsilon_{|\phi|, |\psi|} \\ (\varepsilon(\bar{f} \otimes \bar{s}))^*|\psi| & \xrightarrow{\nu} & |\psi| \end{array} \quad (7.19)$$

Since $z(\varepsilon(\nu_1 \circ \nu_2)) = \varepsilon(\bar{f} \otimes \bar{s})$, there is a unique map k with $z(k) = 1 = j(\text{Id})$ making the above diagram commute. We now define $h_2 = 1 \circ k$ and $g = g_2 h_2 h_1$. It is routine to verify that

$$z(g) = j(\xi_2 \bullet \text{assr} \bullet (\text{Id} \otimes \xi_1)) \quad (7.20)$$

Existential Quantification.

$$(\exists R) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \phi(s)}{\Gamma \vdash (\exists[\alpha]\phi)(\alpha(s))}$$

Let g be a map $[\Gamma] \rightarrow \bar{s}^*|\phi|$ with $z(g) = j(\xi)$. From the adjunction $j(\alpha)_* \dashv j(\alpha)^*$, we obtain a unique map

$$\bar{s}^*|\phi| \rightarrow j(\alpha)^* j(\alpha)_* \bar{s}^*|\phi| \quad (7.21)$$

in the fibre \mathcal{P}_A (where A is the type of $abt(s)$), and composing this with g gives the required map g' .

$$(\exists L) \quad \frac{\Gamma, \phi(x) \vdash \psi(s[\alpha(x)/v])}{\Gamma, (\exists[\alpha]\phi)(v) \vdash \psi(s)} \quad \begin{array}{l} x \text{ is a basic term and } v \text{ does} \\ \text{not occur in the premise.} \end{array}$$

Induction Hypothesis : There exists a map

$$g : \llbracket \Gamma \rrbracket \circ |\phi| \rightarrow \overline{s[\alpha(x)/v]^*} |\psi|$$

such that $z(g) = j(\xi)$ where ξ is a central combinator satisfying $\xi(Abt(\Gamma), x) \approx abt(s[\alpha(x)/v])$.

First, note that $(Abt(\Gamma), v)$ and $abt(s)$ are basic terms with the same variables, and hence there exists a central combinator ξ' such that $\xi(Abt(\Gamma), v) \approx abt(s)$. Using the substitutivity of \approx

$$\xi(Abt(\Gamma), \alpha(x)) \approx abt(s)[\alpha(x)/v] \quad (7.22)$$

Thus

$$\begin{aligned} (ac(s) \bullet \xi' \bullet (\mathbf{Id} \otimes \alpha))(Abt(\Gamma), x) &\approx ac(s)(abt(s)[\alpha(x)/v]) \\ &\approx s[\alpha(x)/v] \end{aligned} \quad (7.23)$$

By the induction hypothesis

$$\begin{aligned} (ac(s[\alpha(x)/v]) \bullet \xi)(Abt(\Gamma), x) &\approx ac(s[\alpha(x)/v])(\xi(Abt(\Gamma), x)) \\ &\approx ac(s[\alpha(x)/v])abt(s[\alpha(x)/v]) \\ &\approx s[\alpha(x)/v] \end{aligned} \quad (7.24)$$

It follows from definition 3.3.1 that

$$j(ac(s) \bullet \xi' \bullet (\mathbf{Id} \otimes \alpha)) = j(ac(s[\alpha(x)/v]) \bullet \xi) \quad (7.25)$$

The existence of g in the induction hypothesis is equivalent to the inequality

$$\llbracket \Gamma \rrbracket \circ |\phi| \leq j(\xi)^* \overline{s[\alpha(x)/v]^*} |\psi| \quad (7.26)$$

and hence by 7.25 to

$$\llbracket \Gamma \rrbracket \circ |\phi| \leq j(\mathbf{Id} \otimes \alpha)^* j(\xi')^* \overline{s}^* |\psi| \quad (7.27)$$

Transposing this inequality across the adjunction $j(\mathbf{Id} \otimes \alpha)_* \dashv j(\mathbf{Id} \otimes \alpha)^*$

$$(1 \otimes j(\alpha))^*(\llbracket \Gamma \rrbracket \circ |\phi|) \leq j(\xi')^* \bar{s}^* |\psi| \quad (7.28)$$

The result now follows from the fact that the op-cartesian maps in \mathcal{P} are closed under fusion.

$$\llbracket \Gamma \rrbracket \circ j(\alpha)^* |\phi| \leq j(\xi')^* \bar{s}^* |\psi| \quad (7.29)$$

□

7.3 Completeness of \mathcal{L}_{FOLL}

Theorem 7.3.1 *Let $\mathcal{L}_{FOLL}(B, \mathcal{F}, E, P)$ be a theory of first order linear logic. Then there exists a linear doctrine $z_0 : \mathcal{P}_0 \rightarrow \mathcal{T}_0$ and an interpretation $\langle \iota_0, \jmath_0, | - |_0 \rangle$ of $\mathcal{L}_{FOLL}(B, \mathcal{F}, E, P)$ in z_0 such that whenever there exists a morphism*

$$g : \llbracket \Gamma \rrbracket \rightarrow \llbracket \phi(s) \rrbracket \quad (7.30)$$

and a central combinator ξ such that $z_0(g) = \jmath_0(\xi)$ and $\xi(\text{Abt}(\Gamma)) \approx \text{Abt}(\phi(s))$, then $\Gamma \vdash \phi(s)$ is derivable in $\mathcal{L}_{FOLL}(B, \mathcal{F}, E, P)$

The proof of theorem 7.3.1 is the content of section 7.3.1.

Corollary 7.3.2 *\mathcal{L}_{FOLL} is complete with respect to the linear doctrine semantics.*

Proof. If a sequent $\Gamma \vdash \phi(s)$ is valid in every linear doctrine interpretation of $\mathcal{L}_{FOLL}(B, \mathcal{F}, E, P)$ then it is valid for the interpretation $\langle \iota_0, \jmath_0, | - |_0 \rangle$ in z_0 and hence is derivable in $\mathcal{L}_{FOLL}(B, \mathcal{F}, E, P)$. □

Every monoidal factorisation system $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$ on a symmetric monoidal closed category \mathcal{C} gives rise to a linear doctrine. For completeness the apparent extra generality of linear doctrines is illusory because we have the following result.

Corollary 7.3.3 *For every theory $\mathcal{L}_{FOLL}(B, \mathcal{F}, E, P)$ of first order linear logic, there is a monoidal factorisation $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$ on a symmetric monoidal closed category \mathcal{C} such that the associated factorisation system satisfies the conditions of theorem 7.3.1.*

Proof. Given $z_0 : \mathcal{P}_0 \rightarrow \mathcal{T}_0$ as in theorem 7.3.1, it follows from corollary 7.1.9 that $(\mathbf{OpCart}_{z_0}, \mathbf{Vert}_{z_0})$ is a monoidal factorisation system on \mathcal{P}_0 . Consider $z' : \text{Sqr}(\|\!|_{z_0}) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}_0$ and define the interpretation $\langle i', j', | - |' \rangle$ by $i'(A) = \mathbf{T}_A$, $j'(\alpha) = \langle \mathbf{T}_A, [\alpha], \mathbf{T}_B \rangle$ and $|\phi|'$ is the unique map from $|\phi|$ to \mathbf{T}_A in the fibre $(\mathcal{P}_0)_A$. \square

7.3.1 The fibre category \mathcal{P}_0 and the functor $z_0 : \mathcal{P}_0 \rightarrow \mathcal{T}_0$

Given $\mathcal{L}_{FOLL}(B, \mathcal{F}, E, P)$ a theory of first order linear logic, define $\mathcal{T}_0(B, \mathcal{F}, E)$ as in lemma 3.3.4. Given an object A of \mathcal{T}_0 , the objects of \mathcal{P}_0 in the fibre over A are equivalence classes of predicates with type A under the equivalence relation \dashv defined in section 6.3.1. Let $[\phi]$ denote the equivalence class of ϕ .

Let $\phi \in \text{pred}(A)$, $\psi \in \text{pred}(B)$ and α be a combinator of type $A \rightarrow B$ in $\text{LTT}(B, \mathcal{F}, E)$. The triple $\langle [\phi], [\alpha], [\psi] \rangle$ is a morphism $[\phi] \rightarrow [\psi]$ in \mathcal{P}_0 with $z_0 \langle [\phi], [\alpha], [\psi] \rangle = [\alpha]$ provided that

$$\phi \vdash \alpha^* \psi \tag{7.31}$$

The identity on $[\phi]$ is the triple $\langle [\phi], [\mathbf{Id}_A], [\phi] \rangle$ and composition is defined as follows.

$$\langle [\psi], [\beta], [\theta] \rangle \langle [\phi], [\alpha], [\psi] \rangle = \langle [\phi], [\beta \bullet \alpha], [\theta] \rangle \tag{7.32}$$

It is easy to check that this defines a morphism of \mathcal{P}_0 . That is

$$\frac{\phi \vdash \alpha^* \psi \quad \psi \vdash \beta^* \theta}{\phi \vdash (\beta \bullet \alpha)^* \theta} \tag{7.33}$$

Given that two morphisms of \mathcal{P}_0 have the same domain and codomain, their equality is determined by their middle components. Hence, composition is associative and z_0 is a functor. Moreover, the commutativity of diagrams in \mathcal{P}_0 reduces to the commutativity of corresponding diagrams in \mathcal{T}_0 . Thus, we shall see that the equational axioms required to show that \mathcal{P}_0 is symmetric monoidal closed are essentially those already checked in section 3.3.1.

Where it is clear from the context, we shall drop the domain and codomain parts of a triple. Thus we write $\langle \alpha \rangle : [\phi] \rightarrow [\psi]$ rather than $\langle [\phi], [\alpha], [\psi] \rangle : [\phi] \rightarrow [\psi]$.

Tensor Product

\mathcal{T}_0 is given the tensor product of proposition 3.3.5, and we define a tensor product on objects of \mathcal{P}_0 in the evident way : $[\phi] \circ [\psi] = [\phi \circ \psi]$. This is well defined by lemma 6.3.4, and z_0 strictly preserves the tensor product.

Let $\langle \alpha \rangle : [\phi] \rightarrow [\psi]$ and $\langle \beta \rangle : [\phi'] \rightarrow [\psi']$. The following derived rule for \vdash shows that $\langle \alpha \otimes \beta \rangle : [\phi \circ \psi] \rightarrow [\phi' \circ \psi']$ is a morphism of \mathcal{P}_0 .

$$\frac{\phi \vdash \alpha^* \psi \quad \phi' \vdash \beta^* \psi'}{\phi \circ \psi \vdash (\alpha \otimes \beta)^* \phi' \circ \psi'} \quad (7.34)$$

We therefore define $\langle \alpha \rangle \circ \langle \beta \rangle$ to be $\langle \alpha \otimes \beta \rangle : [\phi \circ \psi] \rightarrow [\phi' \circ \psi']$. The functoriality of \circ follows in the same way as the functoriality of \otimes in \mathcal{T}_0 (see 3.53 and 3.54).

Natural Transformations

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \mathbf{assr}_{X,Y,Z} \rangle & : [(\phi \circ \psi) \circ \theta] \rightarrow [\phi \circ (\psi \circ \theta)] \\ \langle \mathbf{assl}_{X,Y,Z} \rangle & : [\phi \circ (\psi \circ \theta)] \rightarrow [(\phi \circ \psi) \circ \theta] \\ \langle \mathbf{close}_X \rangle & : [\mathbf{T}_I \circ \phi] \rightarrow [\phi] \\ \langle \mathbf{open}_X \rangle & : [\phi] \rightarrow [\mathbf{T}_I \circ \phi] \\ \langle \mathbf{swap}_{X,Y} \rangle & : [\phi \circ \psi] \rightarrow [\psi \circ \phi] \end{aligned}$$

where X, Y, Z are the types of the predicates ϕ, ψ, θ respectively. Naturality follows from the base category, as do the coherence conditions.

Closure

By proposition 3.3.7, \mathcal{T}_0 is symmetric monoidal closed. We note that $\langle \mathbf{eval}_{X,Y} \rangle : [(\phi \multimap \psi) \circ \phi] \rightarrow [\psi]$ is a morphism of \mathcal{P}_0 , and show that it is universal from $(-) \circ [\phi]$ to $[\psi]$.

Let $\langle \alpha \rangle : [\theta \circ \phi] \rightarrow [\psi]$ then

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \vdots \\
 \frac{\theta(x), \phi(y) \vdash \theta \circ \phi(x, y) \quad \theta \circ \phi(x, y) \vdash \psi(\alpha(x, y))}{\theta(x), \phi(y) \vdash \psi(\alpha(x, y))} \text{ (Cut)} \\
 \frac{\theta(x), \phi(y) \vdash \psi(\mathbf{eval}(\Lambda(\alpha)(x), y))}{\theta(x) \vdash \phi \multimap \psi(\Lambda(\alpha)(x))} (\approx R) \\
 \frac{\theta(x), \phi(y) \vdash \psi(\mathbf{eval}(\Lambda(\alpha)(x), y))}{\theta(x) \vdash \phi \multimap \psi(\Lambda(\alpha)(x))} (\multimap R)
 \end{array} \tag{7.35}$$

It follows from the above derivation that $\langle \Lambda(\alpha) \rangle : [\theta] \rightarrow [\phi \multimap \psi]$ is a morphism of \mathcal{P}_0 . As in \mathcal{T}_0 , we have that $\langle \Lambda(\alpha) \rangle$ is the unique map satisfying $\langle \mathbf{eval} \rangle (\langle \Lambda(\alpha) \rangle \circ 1_{[\theta]}) = \langle \alpha \rangle$. Moreover, z_0 is strict monoidal strict closed.

Note 7.3.4 The unit of the adjunction $(-) \circ [\phi] \dashv [\phi] \multimap (-)$ is

$$\langle \mathbf{hold}_X \rangle : [\phi] \rightarrow [\psi \multimap (\phi \circ \psi)]$$

Fibration/op-fibration

We have defined $z_0 : \mathcal{P}_0 \rightarrow \mathcal{T}_0$ be the functor which maps an object $[\phi]$ to the type of ϕ and a morphism $\langle \alpha \rangle : [\phi] \rightarrow [\psi]$ to its middle component $[\alpha] : X \rightarrow Y$.

Let $\psi \in \text{pred}(C)$ and $[\gamma] : B \rightarrow C$ in \mathcal{T}_0 . We show that $\langle \gamma \rangle : [\gamma^* \psi] \rightarrow [\psi]$ is cartesian over $[\gamma]$.

Let $\langle \alpha \rangle : [\phi] \rightarrow [\psi]$ and suppose that $z_0(\langle \alpha \rangle) = [\alpha]$ factors through $[\gamma]$. That is $\alpha \equiv \gamma \bullet \beta$ for some β . Then

$$\alpha^* \psi \dashv \vdash (\gamma \bullet \beta)^* \psi \dashv \vdash \beta^* (\gamma^* \psi) \tag{7.36}$$

It follows that $\phi \vdash \beta^* (\gamma^* \psi)$ and so $\langle \beta \rangle : [\phi] \rightarrow [\gamma^* \psi]$ is a morphism in \mathcal{P}_0 . Clearly, $\langle \beta \rangle$ makes the following diagram commute

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 [\phi] & & \\
 \langle \beta \rangle \searrow & & \langle \alpha \rangle \searrow \\
 & [\gamma^* \psi] & \longrightarrow [\psi] \\
 & & \langle \gamma \rangle
 \end{array} \tag{7.37}$$

and, like all maps in \mathcal{P}_0 , is uniquely determined by its domain, codomain, and image under z_0 .

Let $\phi \in \text{pred}(B)$ and $[\beta] : B \rightarrow C$ in \mathcal{T}_0 . We show that $\langle \beta \rangle : [\phi] \rightarrow [\exists[\beta]\phi]$ is op-cartesian over $[\beta]$.

Let $\langle \alpha \rangle : [\phi] \rightarrow [\psi]$ and suppose that $z_0(\langle \alpha \rangle) = [\alpha]$ factors through $[\beta]$. That is $\alpha \equiv \gamma \bullet \beta$ for some γ . Then $\alpha^* \psi \dashv\vdash \beta^*(\gamma^* \psi)$ and hence $\langle \gamma \rangle : [\exists[\beta]\phi] \rightarrow [\psi]$ is a morphism of \mathcal{P}_0 by the following derived rule for \vdash .

$$\frac{\phi \vdash \beta^*(\gamma^* \psi)}{\exists[\beta]\phi \vdash \gamma^* \psi} \quad (7.38)$$

Clearly, $\langle \gamma \rangle$ makes the following diagram commute.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & & [\psi] \\ & \nearrow \langle \alpha \rangle & \\ [\phi] & \xrightarrow{\langle \beta \rangle} & [\exists[\beta]\phi] \\ & \searrow \langle \gamma \rangle & \end{array} \quad (7.39)$$

Again the uniqueness property of $[\gamma]$ is trivial.

Interpretation of $\mathcal{L}_{FOLL}(B, \mathcal{F}, E, P)$ in $z_0 : \mathcal{P}_0 \rightarrow \mathcal{T}_0$

The interpretation $\langle z_0, j_0, | - |_0 \rangle$ is given by the identity on types, the function mapping a combinator to its equivalence class under \approx , and the function mapping a predicate to its equivalence class under $\dashv\vdash$. It is immediate from the definitions that this interpretation satisfies the conditions of theorem 7.3.1.

Chapter 8

Conclusions and Further Work

The work contained in this thesis represents a first attempt to apply the techniques developed in the categorical model theory of classical and intuitionistic logic to linear logic. The main body of the work is concerned with the derivation of a system \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} of first order intuitionistic linear logic from its intended model theory. This forms part of a wider programme of research to develop a uniform model theoretic framework for the logics arising in computer science, and the main benefits of the work are to illuminate the issues and requirements of such a framework. Specifically, we have shown that the analysis of first order logics as fibred categories with added structure can be applied in the case of linear logic, though not without considerable care.

As we move away from classical logic to intuitionistic, relevance, or linear logic, many of the logical principles which were taken for granted no longer continue to hold. The interest and challenge of these weaker logics is to reformulate the standard concepts in such a way to recover as much of the logical intuition as possible. The work here shows the difficulty of correctly formulating a first order version of linear logic, even given a good understanding of the propositional logic. The easiest path would have been to follow Seely [See87b] and consider predicates to be families of propositions indexed over some category with finite limits. However, this leads to a theory whose only models are given by construction [See90], and so gives no insight into the meaning of the logical operations and connectives.

In contrast, the system of first order linear logic \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} presented here has a simple and clear semantics, in terms of, say, the subgroups of abelian groups. The price to be paid for this simplicity is that the logic contains a number of compromises which perhaps detract from its aesthetic appeal. Some of these are inevitable consequences of the linearity constraints; for example the failure of pull-back to preserve joins, the nonfibrewise nature of the multiplicative connectives, and the slightly strange presentation of existential quantification. The status of others is less clear cut. The failure of the modified Beck condition 5.52 is justified because it does not hold in \mathbf{Ab} , but perhaps, if we were more discerning about our class of models, this is a property which could hold.

Clearly, we would like to go on to investigate categories with stronger logical properties, but it is important to resist the temptation to refine the class of models too early. The various features mentioned above might lead one to dismiss categories such as \mathbf{Ab} as ‘nonlogical’. The main point of the work presented here is to proceed undeterred by these apparent failings and extract the logical content that still remains. The fact that we retain \mathbf{Ab} as an example gives our logic an independent mathematical interest.

The suggested class of models, symmetric monoidal closed categories \mathcal{C} with a monoidal factorisation system $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$, is based on a simple condition which relates factorisation and tensor product, that \mathcal{E} is closed under tensor product. This condition is the minimum requirement for the \mathcal{M} -subobjects to form a model of linear logic, and is mild enough to retain a large number of interesting examples. Furthermore, it appears in practice in some of the more complex constructions in enriched category theory; for instance, as part of the definition of a ‘*locally bounded*’ symmetric monoidal closed category [Kel82, page 210]. This gives a hint of the implicit logical content of these constructions.

There is obviously more work to be done before we fully understand the role of linear logic as an internal logic of symmetric monoidal closed categories. The work done here is intended to provide a firm basis for further research. It identifies some of the important concepts and issues in the categorical study of linear logic, in particular the connection between linearity in the logic and linearity in the

type theory. This is illustrated by the examples of chapter 4 where the linearity constraints of the logic are used to define a tensor product at the level of types.

More generally, this analysis tells us three things about general model theoretic frameworks for classifying logics. First, there is an advantage in considering fibrations over indexed categories; the definition of a linear doctrine refers to the closure of the category of predicates as a whole, and so could not have been so conveniently expressed in terms of indexed categories. Secondly, there is a need for categories with added structure specified in terms of functors, natural transformations, and coherences; rather than categories with structure specified only by universal properties. Lastly, as the logical connectives are not preserved by substitution, one must allow the possibility of making substitution explicit.

For future work, some of the algebraic ideas developed in chapters 5 and 7 seem worth pursuing; in particular, the theory of monoidal factorisations and linear doctrines. It may be possible to reformulate the definition of a linear doctrine as an indexed category rather than a fibration, although it would seem to be more difficult to state the closure condition on predicates in this setting. If \mathcal{C} is a complete symmetric monoidal closed category with monoidal factorisation system $(\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{M})$ then we can show that $Sub_{\mathcal{M}} : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathbf{CSLat}$ is a monoidal functor with comparison maps

$$\begin{aligned} \top_I & : I \rightarrow Sub_{\mathcal{M}}(I) \\ \circ_{A,B} & : Sub_{\mathcal{M}}(A) \otimes Sub_{\mathcal{M}}(B) \rightarrow Sub_{\mathcal{M}}(A \otimes B) \end{aligned}$$

where \top_I picks out the top element of $Sub_{\mathcal{M}}(I)$ and $\circ_{A,B}$ is the fusion of subobjects. An important property of monoidal functors is that they preserve monoids. Thus, a monoid in \mathcal{C} will be mapped to a monoid in \mathbf{CSLat} . That is, the subobjects of a monoid M in \mathcal{C} form a quantale, and hence a consequence algebra. This gives a simple algebraic proof of the observation proved syntactically in section 6.3.2.

There are several obvious questions to be answered about the logic \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} . In the main these relate to the possible extensions. One possibility is to extend the logic to include an involutive negation similar to that of the classical propositional logic. However, from section 6.3.3, it seems clear that any category \mathcal{C} providing a

model for this would have to be $*$ -autonomous to ensure that the double negation $\phi^{\perp\perp}$ of a subobject ϕ lies in the same fibre as ϕ . This would seem to greatly reduce the interest in such a negation, since there are fewer good examples of a $*$ -autonomous category.

In a similar vein, one might consider trying to add a modal operator $!(-)$ to reintroduce weakening and contraction, though it is far from clear how this can be done. The repetition of a formula $\phi(t)$ appearing in the premise of a contraction contains a duplication of the variables in t , and hence violates the variable balancing condition. To successfully incorporate the $!(-)$ modality, we must devise a mechanism round this; either a more lenient set of restrictions, or a similar ‘modal’ operator at the level of types.

Jay [Jay89b] makes some interesting observations on natural numbers objects in symmetric monoidal closed categories. If N is a natural numbers object in \mathcal{V} then we can define maps $N \rightarrow N \otimes N$ and $N \rightarrow I$ by ‘recursion’. The effect of these maps is to duplicate and destroy variables respectively. Thus there may be some interest in adding recursive types to LTT.

An early version of LTT had cartesian products together with a much more complicated variable occurrence condition. These could be reintroduced together with coproducts. However, one should not speculate too deeply on the possible syntactic extensions, without a clearer analysis of the class of models it is intended to represent. The logic that we have produced so far is justified by its particularly wide class of models. We should not consider making unnatural restrictions on the models in order to accommodate the features which although present in the propositional logic, may be of less significance here.

Another aspect of the logic \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} which perhaps deserves more attention is the associated proof theory. It is natural to ask whether there is a cut elimination theorem for proofs in \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} . This has not been a concern in the work so far because we have been interested in the theories $\mathcal{L}_{FOLL}(B, \mathcal{F}, E, P)$ where E is a nonempty set of linear equational axioms. In this case, there is no hope of a cut elimination theorem, and the consistency of the logic is established by appeal to existence of nontrivial models. However, if $E = \emptyset$ then the sequent calculus

presentation of \mathcal{L}_{FOLL} is just a decorated extension of that for the propositional calculus, and it seems likely that there is a cut elimination algorithm.

As remarked in the introduction to chapter 4, there is yet no notion of a universe for linear logic which compares with that of topos for intuitionistic logic. The two examples presented in chapter 4 represent the first steps towards an appropriate generalisation which would permit an analysis of higher order linear logic.

The presheaf example is perhaps the less promising of the two. It is difficult to work with, the tensor product is almost impossible to calculate in all but the most trivial cases, and $[\mathcal{C}^{op}, \mathbf{Set}]$ has too many extra properties, derived from the fact that it is a topos, to give any clear guidance on the required categorical structure. Note that the presheaf model is a generalisation of the resource semantics of section 2.2.3 and, as such, inherits the distributivity of meet over join 2.39.

By comparison, it is quite easy to make explicit calculations in the category of Q -sets, and this seems the most promising area for further work. As Q itself is a Q -set it seems that there should be some form of higher order linear logic to be discovered. This should be analogous to the form of logic given by a topos, but may be significantly different in detail. For example, in metric spaces every subspace $X \hookrightarrow Y$ induces a ‘classifying map’ $\chi_X : Y \rightarrow \mathfrak{R}$ which sends each point $y \in |Y|$ to its *distance from the subspace* X . The subspace X is certainly a pullback of $\{0\}$ along this map, but χ is not unique with this property. Johnstone has suggested that the category of metric spaces and distance decreasing maps should be an example of a ‘*collapsed topos*’ but the precise definition of this structure is not yet certain. It seems reasonable to suppose that further experimentation with Q -sets might suggest the requisite categorical axioms.

The theory of locale valued sets includes the concept of partial existence which we have avoided for simplicity. It should certainly be possible to reintroduce an existence predicate, though this must be done explicitly because the intuitionistic ‘trick’ of encoding existence into equality depends crucially upon the properties of the conjunction \wedge . One possible idea is to take categories enriched in a suitable bicategory rather than in a quantale. Walters has already shown that sheaves on a

locale can be viewed in this way [Wal81,Wal82], but it is not clear how to modify this work for a quantale.

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