

Last time:

Simply typed lambda calculus

$A \rightarrow B$ $\lambda x:A.M$ $M N$

... with products

$A \times B$ $\langle M, N \rangle$ **fst** M **snd** M

... and sums

$A + B$ **inl** M **inr** M **case** L **of** $x.M \mid y.N$

Polymorphic lambda calculus

$\forall \alpha::K.A$ $\Lambda \alpha::K.M$ $M [A]$

... with existentials

$\exists \alpha::K.A$ **pack** B, M **as** $\exists \alpha::K.A$ **open** L **as** α, x **in** M

Typing rules for existentials

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash M : A[\alpha := B] \quad \Gamma \vdash \exists \alpha :: K. A :: *}{\Gamma \vdash \text{pack } B, M \text{ as } \exists \alpha :: K. A : \exists \alpha :: K. A} \exists\text{-intro}$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash M : \exists \alpha :: K. A \quad \Gamma, \alpha :: K, x : A \vdash M' : B}{\Gamma \vdash \text{open } M \text{ as } \alpha, x \text{ in } M' : B} \exists\text{-elim}$$

Unit in OCaml

```
type u = Unit
```

Encoding data types in System F: unit

The **unit** type has **one inhabitant**.

We can **represent** it as the type of the **identity function**.

$$\text{Unit} = \forall \alpha :: *. \alpha \rightarrow \alpha$$

The unit value is the single inhabitant:

$$\text{unit} = \Lambda \alpha . \lambda a : \alpha . a$$

We can package the type and value as an **existential**:

```
pack ( $\forall \alpha :: *. \alpha \rightarrow \alpha$ ,  
        $\Lambda \alpha . \lambda a : \alpha . a$ )  
as  $\exists U :: *. u$ 
```

We'll write 1 for the unit type and $\langle \rangle$ for its inhabitant.

Booleans in OCaml

A boolean data type:

```
type bool = False | True
```

A destructor for bool:

```
val _if_ : bool -> 'a -> 'a -> 'a
```

```
let _if_ b _then_ _else_ =  
  match b with  
    False -> _else_  
  | True -> _then_
```

Encoding data types in System F: booleans

The **boolean** type has two inhabitants: **false** and **true**.

We can **represent** it using sums and unit.

$$\text{Bool} = 1+1$$

The constructors are represented as injections:

$$\begin{aligned}\text{false} &= \mathbf{inl} \ [1] \ \langle \rangle \\ \text{true} &= \mathbf{inr} \ [1] \ \langle \rangle\end{aligned}$$

The destructor (**if**) is implemented using **case**:

$$\lambda b : \text{Bool} .$$
$$\quad \Lambda \alpha :: * .$$
$$\quad \lambda r : \alpha .$$
$$\quad \lambda s : \alpha . \mathbf{case} \ b \ \mathbf{of} \ x.s \ | \ y.r$$

Encoding data types in System F: booleans

We can package the definition of booleans as an existential:

```
pack (1+1,  
      ⟨inr [1] ⟨⟩,  
      ⟨inl [1] ⟨⟩,  
      λb:Bool.  
        Λα::*.  
          λr:α.  
            λs:α.  
              case b of x.s | y.r⟩⟩)  
as ∃β::*.  
    β ×  
    β ×  
    (β → ∀α::*. α → α.α)
```

Natural numbers in OCaml

A nat data type

```
type nat =  
  Zero : nat  
  | Succ : nat -> nat
```

A destructor for nat:

```
val foldNat : nat -> 'a -> ('a -> 'a) -> 'a
```

```
let rec foldNat n z s =  
  match n with  
    Zero -> z  
  | Succ n -> s (foldNat n z s)
```


Encoding data types in System F: natural numbers

The type of **natural numbers** is inhabited by **Z**, **SZ**, **SSZ**, ...
We can represent it using a polymorphic function of two parameters:

$$\mathbb{N} = \forall \alpha :: *. \alpha \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow \alpha) \rightarrow \alpha$$

The **Z** and **S** constructors are represented as functions:

$$z : \mathbb{N}$$

$$z = \Lambda \alpha :: *. \lambda z : \alpha . \lambda s : \alpha \rightarrow \alpha . z$$

$$s : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$$

$$s = \lambda n : \forall \alpha :: *. \alpha \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow \alpha) \rightarrow \alpha .$$

$$\Lambda \alpha :: *. \lambda z : \alpha . \lambda s : \alpha \rightarrow \alpha . s \ (n \ [\alpha] \ z \ s) ,$$

The $\text{fold}_{\mathbb{N}}$ destructor allows us to analyse natural numbers:

$$\text{fold}_{\mathbb{N}} : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \forall \alpha . \alpha \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow \alpha) \rightarrow \alpha$$

$$\text{fold}_{\mathbb{N}} = \lambda n : \forall \alpha :: *. \alpha \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow \alpha) \rightarrow \alpha . n$$

Encoding data types: natural numbers (continued)

$$\text{fold}\mathbb{N} : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \forall\alpha. \alpha \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow \alpha) \rightarrow \alpha$$

For example, we can use $\text{fold}\mathbb{N}$ to write a function to test for zero:

$$\lambda n:\mathbb{N}. \text{fold}\mathbb{N} \ n \ [\text{Bool}] \ \text{true} \ (\lambda b:\text{Bool}. \text{false})$$

Or we could instantiate the type parameter with \mathbb{N} and write an addition function:

$$\lambda m:\mathbb{N}. \lambda n:\mathbb{N}. \text{fold}\mathbb{N} \ m \ [\mathbb{N}] \ n \ \text{succ}$$

Encoding data types: natural numbers (concluded)

Of course, we can package the definition of \mathbb{N} as an existential:

pack $(\forall \alpha :: * . \alpha \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow \alpha) \rightarrow \alpha ,$
 $\langle \Lambda \alpha :: * . \lambda z : \alpha . \lambda s : \alpha \rightarrow \alpha . z ,$
 $\langle \lambda n : \forall \alpha :: * . \alpha \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow \alpha) \rightarrow \alpha .$
 $\Lambda \alpha :: * . \lambda z : \alpha . \lambda s : \alpha \rightarrow \alpha . s \ (n \ [\alpha] \ z \ s) ,$
 $\langle \lambda n : \forall \alpha :: * . \alpha \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow \alpha) \rightarrow \alpha . n \rangle \rangle \rangle)$

as $\exists \mathbb{N} :: * .$

$\mathbb{N} \times$

$(\mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}) \times$

$(\mathbb{N} \rightarrow \forall \alpha . \alpha \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow \alpha) \rightarrow \alpha)$

System $F\omega$

(polymorphism + type abstraction)

System $F\omega$ by example

A kind for binary type operators

$* \Rightarrow * \Rightarrow *$

A binary type operator

$\lambda\alpha :: * \lambda\beta :: * . \alpha + \beta$

A kind for higher-order type operators

$(* \Rightarrow *) \Rightarrow * \Rightarrow *$

A higher-order type operator

$\lambda\phi :: * \Rightarrow * . \lambda\alpha :: * . \phi (\phi \alpha)$

Kind rules for System $F\omega$

$$\frac{K_1 \text{ is a kind} \quad K_2 \text{ is a kind}}{K_1 \Rightarrow K_2 \text{ is a kind}} \Rightarrow\text{-kind}$$

Kinding rules for System F_ω

$$\frac{\Gamma, \alpha :: K_1 \vdash A :: K_2}{\Gamma \vdash \lambda \alpha :: K_1. A :: K_1 \Rightarrow K_2} \Rightarrow\text{-intro}$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash A :: K_1 \Rightarrow K_2 \quad \Gamma \vdash B :: K_1}{\Gamma \vdash A B :: K_2} \Rightarrow\text{-elim}$$

Sums in OCaml

```
type ('a, 'b) sum =  
  |nl : 'a -> ('a, 'b) sum  
  |lnr : 'b -> ('a, 'b) sum
```

```
val case :  
  ('a, 'b) sum -> ('a -> 'c) -> ('b -> 'c) -> 'c
```

```
let case s | r =  
  match s with  
    |nl x -> l x  
    |lnr y -> r y
```


Encoding data types in System F ω : sums

We can finally **define** sums within the language.

As for \mathbb{N} sums are represented as a binary polymorphic function:

$$\text{Sum} = \lambda\alpha::*. \lambda\beta::*. \forall\gamma::*. (\alpha \rightarrow \gamma) \rightarrow (\beta \rightarrow \gamma) \rightarrow \gamma$$

The **inl** and **inr** constructors are represented as functions:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{inl} &= \Lambda\alpha::*. \Lambda\beta::*. \lambda v:\alpha. \Lambda\gamma::*. \\ &\quad \lambda l:\alpha \rightarrow \gamma. \lambda r:\beta \rightarrow \gamma. l \ v \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{inr} &= \Lambda\alpha::*. \Lambda\beta::*. \lambda v:\beta. \Lambda\gamma::*. \\ &\quad \lambda l:\alpha \rightarrow \gamma. \lambda r:\beta \rightarrow \gamma. r \ v \end{aligned}$$

The **foldSum** function behaves like **case**:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{foldSum} &= \\ &\Lambda\alpha::*. \Lambda\beta::*. \lambda c:\forall\gamma::*. (\alpha \rightarrow \gamma) \rightarrow (\beta \rightarrow \gamma) \rightarrow \gamma. c \end{aligned}$$

Encoding data types: sums (continued)

Of course, we can package the definition of **Sum** as an existential:

pack $\lambda\alpha::*. \lambda\beta::*. \forall\gamma::*. (\alpha \rightarrow \gamma) \rightarrow (\beta \rightarrow \gamma) \rightarrow \gamma,$
 $\Lambda\alpha::*. \Lambda\beta::*. \lambda v:\alpha. \Lambda\gamma::*. \lambda l:\alpha \rightarrow \gamma. \lambda r:\beta \rightarrow \gamma. l \ v$
 $\Lambda\alpha::*. \Lambda\beta::*. \lambda v:\beta. \Lambda\gamma::*. \lambda l:\alpha \rightarrow \gamma. \lambda r:\beta \rightarrow \gamma. r \ v$
 $\Lambda\alpha::*. \Lambda\beta::*. \lambda c:\forall\gamma::*. (\alpha \rightarrow \gamma) \rightarrow (\beta \rightarrow \gamma) \rightarrow \gamma. c$
as $\exists\phi::* \Rightarrow * \Rightarrow *.$
 $\forall\alpha::*. \forall\beta::*. \alpha \rightarrow \phi \ \alpha \ \beta$
 $\times \ \forall\alpha::*. \forall\beta::*. \beta \rightarrow \phi \ \alpha \ \beta$
 $\times \ \forall\alpha::*. \forall\beta::*. \phi \ \alpha \ \beta \rightarrow \forall\gamma::*. (\alpha \rightarrow \gamma) \rightarrow (\beta \rightarrow \gamma) \rightarrow \gamma$

(However, the pack notation becomes unwieldy as our definitions grow.)

Lists in OCaml

A list data type:

```
type 'a list =  
  Nil : 'a list  
  | Cons : 'a * 'a list -> 'a list
```

A destructor for lists:

```
val foldList :  
  'a list -> 'b -> ('a -> 'b -> 'b) -> 'b  
  
let rec foldList l n c =  
  match l with  
    Nil -> n  
  | Cons (x, xs) -> c x (foldList xs n c)
```

Encoding data types in System F: lists

We can define parameterised recursive types such as lists in System F ω .

As for \mathbb{N} lists are represented as a binary polymorphic function:

$$\text{List} = \lambda\alpha::*. \forall\phi::* \Rightarrow *. \phi \alpha \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow \phi \alpha \rightarrow \phi \alpha) \rightarrow \phi \alpha$$

The **nil** and **cons** constructors are represented as functions:

$$\text{nil} = \Lambda\alpha::*. \Lambda\phi::* \Rightarrow *. \lambda n:\phi \alpha. \lambda c:\alpha \rightarrow \phi \alpha \rightarrow \phi \alpha. n$$

$$\text{cons} = \Lambda\alpha::*. \lambda x:\alpha. \lambda xs:\text{List } \alpha.$$

$$\Lambda\phi::* \Rightarrow *. \lambda n:\phi \alpha. \lambda c:\alpha \rightarrow \phi \alpha \rightarrow \phi \alpha.$$

$$c \times (xs \ [\phi] \ n \ c)$$

The destructor corresponds to the foldList function:

$$\text{foldList} = \Lambda\alpha::*. \Lambda\beta::*. \lambda c:\alpha \rightarrow \beta \rightarrow \beta. \lambda n:\beta.$$

$$\lambda l:\text{List } \alpha. l \ [\lambda\gamma::*. \beta] \ n \ c$$

Encoding data types: lists (continued)

We defined **add** for \mathbb{N} , and we can define **append** for lists:

append = $\Lambda\alpha::*.$

```
   $\lambda l:\text{List } \alpha.\lambda r:\text{List } \alpha.$   
    foldList [ $\alpha$ ] [List  $\alpha$ ]  
      l r (cons [ $\alpha$ ])
```

Nested types in OCaml

A regular type:

```
type 'a tree =  
  Empty : 'a tree  
| Tree : 'a tree * 'a * 'a tree -> 'a tree
```

A non-regular type:

```
type 'a perfect =  
  ZeroP : 'a -> 'a perfect  
| SuccP : ('a * 'a) perfect -> 'a perfect
```

Encoding data types in System $F\omega$: nested types

We can represent non-regular types like **perfect** in System $F\omega$:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Perfect} &= \lambda\alpha::*. \forall\phi::* \Rightarrow *. \\ &\quad (\forall\alpha::*. \alpha \rightarrow \phi \alpha) \rightarrow \\ &\quad (\forall\alpha::*. \phi (\alpha \times \alpha) \rightarrow \phi \alpha) \rightarrow \\ &\quad \phi \alpha \end{aligned}$$

This time the arguments to **zeroP** and **succP** are themselves polymorphic:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{zeroP} &= \Lambda\alpha::*. \lambda x:\alpha. \Lambda\phi::* \Rightarrow *. \\ &\quad \lambda z:\forall\alpha::*. \alpha \rightarrow \phi \alpha. \lambda s:\phi (\alpha \times \alpha) \rightarrow \phi \alpha. \\ &\quad z \ [\alpha] \ x \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{succP} &= \Lambda\alpha::*. \lambda p:\text{Perfect} (\alpha \times \alpha). \Lambda\phi::* \Rightarrow *. \\ &\quad \lambda z:\forall\alpha::*. \alpha \rightarrow \phi \alpha. \lambda s:(\forall\beta::*. \phi (\beta \times \beta) \rightarrow \phi \beta). \\ &\quad s \ [\alpha] \ (p \ [\phi] \ z \ s) \end{aligned}$$

Encoding data types in System F ω : Leibniz equality

Recall Leibniz's equality:

consider objects equal if they behave identically in any context

In System F ω :

$$\text{Eq} = \lambda\alpha::*. \lambda\beta::*. \forall\phi::*\Rightarrow*. \phi\ \alpha \rightarrow \phi\ \beta$$

Equality is **reflexive** ($A \equiv A$):

$$\text{refl} = \Lambda\alpha::*. \Lambda\phi::*\Rightarrow*. \lambda x:\phi\ \alpha. x$$

and **symmetric** ($A \equiv B \rightarrow B \equiv A$):

$$\text{symm} = \Lambda\alpha::*. \Lambda\beta::*.$$

$$\lambda e:(\forall\phi::*\Rightarrow*. \phi\ \alpha \rightarrow \phi\ \beta). e\ [\lambda\gamma::*. \text{Eq}\ \gamma\ \alpha]\ (\text{refl}\ [\alpha])$$

and **transitive** ($A \equiv B \wedge B \equiv C \rightarrow A \equiv C$):

$$\text{trans} = \Lambda\alpha::*. \Lambda\beta::*. \Lambda\gamma::*.$$

$$\lambda ab:\text{Eq}\ \alpha\ \beta. \lambda bc:\text{Eq}\ \beta\ \gamma. bc\ [\text{Eq}\ \alpha]\ ab$$

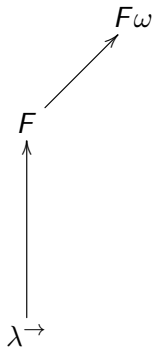
Abstract what where?

	abstract terms	abstract types
build terms	$A \rightarrow B$ $\lambda x : A.M$	$\forall \alpha :: K.A$ $\Lambda \alpha :: K.M$
build types		$K_1 \Rightarrow K_2$ $\lambda \alpha :: K.A$

Abstract what where?

	abstract terms	abstract types
build terms	$A \rightarrow B$ $\lambda x : A.M$	$\forall \alpha :: K.A$ $\Lambda \alpha :: K.M$
build types	$\Pi x : A.K$ $\Pi x : A.B$	$K_1 \Rightarrow K_2$ $\lambda \alpha :: K.A$

The roadmap again



The lambda cube

