

# Composite Theories and Distributive Laws

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## Preliminaries

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# Monads

**Monads** are

functor

$$S : C \rightarrow C$$

List

$$\mathcal{P}$$

unit

$$\eta : id \Rightarrow S$$

$$x \mapsto [x]$$

$$x \mapsto \{x\}$$

multiplication

$$\mu : SS \Rightarrow S$$

concat

$$\bigcup$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} S & \xrightarrow{S\eta} & S^2 \\ \eta S \downarrow & \swarrow & \downarrow \mu \\ S^2 & \xrightarrow[\mu]{} & S \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{ccc} S^3 & \xrightarrow{\mu S} & S^2 \\ S\mu \downarrow & & \downarrow \mu \\ S^2 & \xrightarrow[\mu]{} & S \end{array}$$

**S-algebras** are  $(X, SX \xrightarrow{\alpha} X)$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X & \xrightarrow{\eta_X} & SX \\ \swarrow & & \downarrow \alpha \\ X & & SX \xrightarrow[\alpha]{} X \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{ccc} S^2 X & \xrightarrow{\mu_X} & SX \\ S\alpha \downarrow & & \downarrow \alpha \\ SX & \xrightarrow[\alpha]{} & X \end{array}$$

**Distributive laws** are  $\lambda : ST \Rightarrow TS$   
E.g. multiplication over addition

$$\begin{array}{ccc} ST & \xrightarrow{\lambda} & TS \\ \eta^{ST} \swarrow & \nearrow T & \searrow T\eta^S \\ & \lambda & \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{ccc} ST & \xrightarrow{\lambda} & TS \\ S\eta^T \swarrow & \nearrow S & \searrow \eta^TS \\ & \lambda & \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} SST & \xrightarrow{S\lambda} & STS \not\xrightarrow{T\lambda} TSS \\ \downarrow \mu^{ST} & & \downarrow T\mu^S \\ ST & \xrightarrow{\lambda} & TS \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{ccc} STT \not\xrightarrow{\lambda T} TST \not\xrightarrow{T\lambda} TTS \\ \downarrow \mu^{ST} & & \downarrow \mu^TS \\ ST & \xrightarrow{\lambda} & TS \end{array}$$

# Algebraic theories

*Algebraic theories*  $\mathbb{S}$  are

- *signature*  $\Sigma_{\mathbb{S}} = \{f^{(2)}, g^{(1)}, \dots\}$
- *equations*  $E_{\mathbb{S}} = \{(s, t), \dots\}$

$\mathbb{S}$ -*algebras* are  $(X, \{X^2 \xrightarrow{\mathbb{f}1} X, \dots\})$  satisfying equations:

$$[\![s]\!]_\sigma = [\![t]\!]_\sigma \quad \forall (s, t) \in E, \forall \text{var. assign. } \sigma$$

$$\text{Set} \xrightleftharpoons[\substack{\perp \\ U}]{}^{\mathcal{T}(\Sigma_{\mathbb{S}}, -)/E_{\mathbb{S}}} \text{Alg}(\mathbb{S}) \implies \text{free algebra monad } T_{\mathbb{S}}$$

# Algebraic presentation

$\mathbb{S}$  is an *algebraic presentation* of  $S$  if

$$T_{\mathbb{S}} \cong S \quad \text{or equivalently} \quad \mathbf{Alg}(\mathbb{S}) \cong_{\text{conc}} \mathbf{EM}(S)$$

For instance

list	$[x_1, \dots, x_n]$	$\iff$	$x_1 \cdot \dots \cdot x_n$	in Monoid
set	$\{x_1, \dots, x_n\}$	$\iff$	$x_1 \cdot \dots \cdot x_n$	in JoinSemiLattices
distribution	$px + (1 - p)y$	$\iff$	$x \oplus_p y$	in ConvexAlgebras
	:	$\iff$		:

# Rewriting

String rewriting

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$$bc \rightarrow a$$

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Term rewriting

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Termination (SN)

Local Confluence (WCR)

Confluence (CR)

$\dots \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow \dots \not\rightarrow$



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- $SN \wedge CR \implies$  terms rewrite to unique normal forms (no more steps).
- Newman's Lemma:  $SN \wedge WCR \implies CR$
- *Critical pairs* are rules that overlap
  - $aa \xleftarrow{abc} \overline{abc} \xrightarrow{cc} cc$
- Critical Pair's Lemma:  $WCR \iff$  all critical pairs converge.

## Composite theories

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## Example

Example: Monoids, Abelian group, and Rings.

$$\Sigma_{\text{Mon}} := \{ \cdot^{(2)}, 1^{(0)} \}$$

$$E_{\text{Mon}} := \left\{ \begin{array}{l} (x \cdot y) \cdot z = x \cdot (y \cdot z), \\ 1 \cdot x = x, \\ x \cdot 1 = x \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\Sigma_{\text{AbGrp}} := \{ 0^{(0)}, +^{(2)}, -^{(1)} \}$$

$$E_{\text{AbGrp}} := \left\{ \begin{array}{l} (x + y) + z = x + (y + z), \\ x + (-x) = 0, \\ x + y = y + x, \\ x + 0 = x \end{array} \right\}$$

Then:

$$\Sigma_{\text{Ring}} := \Sigma_{\text{Mon}} \uplus \Sigma_{\text{AbGrp}} \quad E_{\text{Ring}} := E_{\text{Mon}} \cup E_{\text{AbGrp}} \cup \left\{ \begin{array}{l} x(y + z) = (xy) + (xz), \\ (y + z)x = (yx) + (zx) \end{array} \right\}.$$

We can distribute everything, so every Ring term is equal to an AbGrp term with Monoid terms substituted.

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Example of equal modulo  $(\mathbb{S}, \mathbb{T})$ :  $\overline{0}^{\text{AbGrp}} = \overline{(1 \cdot x^{\text{Mon}}) + (-(\overline{x} \cdot 1^{\text{Mon}}))}^{\text{AbGrp}}$ .

- $x + (-x) =_{\text{AbGrp}} 0$
- $x \cdot 1 =_{\text{Monoid}} 1 \cdot x$

Dist. Laws  $\iff$  Composite Th.

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$\Leftarrow$  proof

### Theorem (D.L $\Leftarrow$ Comp. Th. Zwart'20)

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Given composite theory  $\mathbb{U}$  of  $\mathbb{T}$  after  $\mathbb{S}$ , then

$$\lambda_{\mathcal{V}} : ST\mathcal{V} \rightarrow TS\mathcal{V} :$$

$$\overline{s[t_x^{\mathbb{T}}/x]}^{\mathbb{S}} \mapsto \overline{t'[s'_x^{\mathbb{S}}/x]}^{\mathbb{T}} \text{ (a separation)}$$

is a distributive law with monad  $T \circ_\lambda S$  presented by  $\mathbb{U}$ .

### Proof.

$\lambda$  well-defined by equality modulo  $(\mathbb{S}, \mathbb{T})$ .

Straightforward but tedious.

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$\implies$  proof

### Theorem (D.L $\implies$ Comp. Th.)

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Distributive law  $\lambda : ST \Rightarrow TS$ .

$$E_\lambda := \left\{ (s[t_x/x], t[s_y/y]) \mid \lambda_V(\overline{s[\overline{t_x}^T/x]}^{\mathbb{S}}) = \overline{t[\overline{s_y}^{\mathbb{S}}/y]}^T \right\}.$$

$$\Sigma_{U^\lambda} := \Sigma_{\mathbb{S}} \uplus \Sigma_{\mathbb{T}},$$

$$E_{U^\lambda} := E_{\mathbb{S}} \cup E_{\mathbb{T}} \cup E_\lambda.$$

Then,  $U^\lambda$  is a composite theory of  $\mathbb{T}$  after  $\mathbb{S}$ .

More tools needed for the proof.

## Tools needed

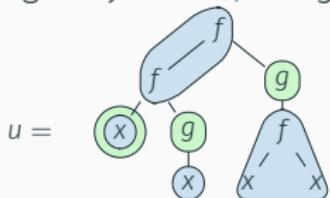
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$$u = \begin{array}{c} f \\ / \quad \backslash \\ x \quad g \\ | \quad \quad \quad | \\ x \quad x \quad / \quad \backslash \\ & & f & \\ & & | & \\ & & x & \end{array} \quad \text{type}(u) := STS\mathcal{V}.$$
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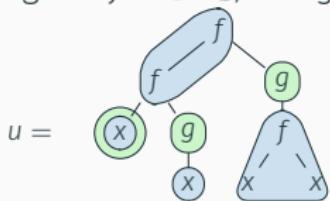


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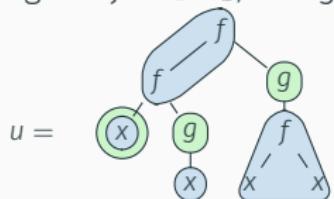
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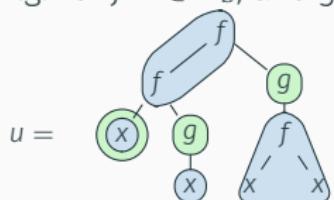
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We define:  $\mathcal{R}^{sep} = (\Sigma, R)$ , where

- $\Sigma := \{S, T\}$
- $R := \{\lambda : ST \rightarrow TS, \mu^S : SS \rightarrow S, \mu^T : TT \rightarrow T\}$

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## Lemma (FRS Newman's Lemma)

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## Lemma (FRS Critical Pair's Lemma)

$WCR \circlearrowleft \iff \text{all critical pairs converge with a commuting diagram.}$

# Properties of $\mathcal{R}^{sep}$

## Lemma

$\mathcal{R}^{sep} = (\{S, T\}, \{\lambda, \mu^S, \mu^T\})$  is SN and CR ○.

## Proof.

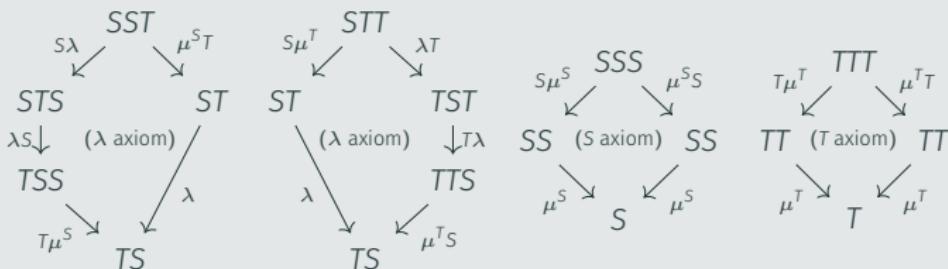
- SN: polynomial interpretation over  $\mathbb{N}$ .  $\llbracket S \rrbracket(x) := 2x + 1$ ,  $\llbracket T \rrbracket(x) := x + 1$

$$\llbracket ST \rrbracket(x) = 2x + 3 > 2x + 2 = \llbracket TS \rrbracket(x),$$

$$\llbracket SS \rrbracket(x) = 4x + 3 > 2x + 1 = \llbracket S \rrbracket(x),$$

$$\llbracket TT \rrbracket(x) = x + 2 > x + 1 = \llbracket T \rrbracket(x).$$

- WCR○: exactly 4 critical pairs:

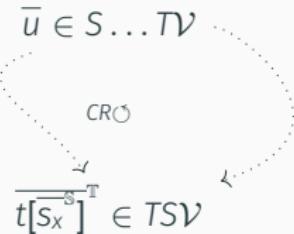


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## Consequences of $\mathcal{R}^{sep}$ being SN and CR ○

For  $U^\lambda$ -term  $u$ , define  $\text{sep}(u)$  separated and  $u =_{U^\lambda} \text{sep}(u)$ , thanks to:

- Unique normal form ( $TS$ ,  $S$  or  $T$ )
- Any paths to normal form are equal.



### Lemma

Every  $U^\lambda$ -term can be separated. ✓

# Finishing the proof

## Lemma

Any two separated terms equal in  $\mathbb{U}^\lambda$  are equal modulo  $(\mathbb{S}, \mathbb{T})$ .

## Sketch of proof.

Induction on proof-tree.

Each  $u = u'$ , we prove  $\text{sep}(u), \text{sep}(u')$  are equal modulo  $(\mathbb{S}, \mathbb{T})$

$\frac{(s, t) \in E_{\mathbb{S}}}{s = t} \text{ Ax.}$	E.g. $\overline{\text{sep}(s_1)}^{\mathbb{S}} = \overline{s_1}^{\mathbb{S}} = \overline{s_2}^{\mathbb{S}} = \overline{\text{sep}(s_2)}^{\mathbb{S}}$
$\overline{u = u} \text{ Refl.}$	$\overline{\text{sep}(u)}^{\mathbb{T}\mathbb{S}} = \overline{\text{sep}(u)}^{\mathbb{T}\mathbb{S}}$
$\frac{u_1 = u_2}{u_2 = u_1} \text{ Sym.}$	IH = goal

## Continued

Sketch of proof continued.

$$\frac{u_1 = u_2 \quad u_2 = u_3}{u_1 = u_3} \text{ Trans.}$$

$$\overline{\text{sep}(u_1)}^{\text{TS}} = \overline{\text{sep}(u_2)}^{\text{TS}} = \overline{\text{sep}(u_3)}^{\text{TS}}$$

$$\frac{u_1 = u'_1 \quad \dots \quad u_n = u'_n}{\text{op}(u_1, \dots, u_n) = \text{op}(u'_1, \dots, u'_n)} \text{ Cong.}$$

E.g. when  $\text{op} \in \Sigma_{\mathbb{T}}$ :

$$\begin{aligned} & \overline{\text{sep}(\text{op}(u_1, \dots, u_n))}^{\text{TS}} \\ &= \mu^T S(\overline{\text{op}(t_1[s_1], \dots, t_n[s_n])}^{\text{TTS}}) \\ &\stackrel{\text{IH}}{=} \mu^T S(\overline{\text{op}(t'_1[s'_1], \dots, t'_n[s'_n])}^{\text{TTS}}) \\ &= \overline{\text{sep}(\text{op}(u'_1, \dots, u'_n))}^{\text{TS}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{u = u'}{u[f] = u'[f]} \text{ Subt. .}$$

Separate substitution:  $f(y) =_{U^\lambda} t_y[s_z]$ .

$$\begin{aligned} & \overline{\text{sep}(u[f])}^{\text{TS}} \\ &= \mu^{\text{TS}} (\overline{t[s_x[t_y[s_z]]]}^{\text{TS TS}}) \\ &\stackrel{\text{IH}}{=} \mu^{\text{TS}} (\overline{t'[s'_x[t_y[s_z]]]}^{\text{TS TS}}) \\ &= \overline{\text{sep}(u'[f])}^{\text{TS}} \end{aligned}$$

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# Presentation of $\mathbb{U}^\lambda$

## Theorem (Zwart'20)

The monad  $T \circ_\lambda S$  is presented by  $\mathbb{U}^\lambda$ .

## Proof updated.

Shortcut  $\mathbf{EM}(TS) \cong_{\text{conc}} \mathbf{Alg}(\lambda)$ .

$\lambda$ -algebras are triples  $(X, \sigma, \tau)$ , such that

- $(X, \sigma)$  is an  $S$ -algebra
- $(X, \tau)$  is a  $T$ -algebra

$\lambda$ -algebra morphisms are  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  such that

- $f : (X, \sigma_X) \rightarrow (Y, \sigma_Y)$  is  $S$ -algebra morphism.
- $f : (X, \tau_X) \rightarrow (Y, \tau_Y)$  is  $T$ -algebra morphisms.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 STX & \xrightarrow{\lambda} & TSX \\
 S\tau \downarrow & & \downarrow T\sigma \\
 SX & & TX
 \end{array}
 \quad \square$$

$\sigma \searrow \quad \swarrow \tau \quad X$

## Axiomatisation $\mathbb{U}^\lambda$

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## Axiomatisation example

Main theorem requires  $E_\lambda$  to contain **all** distributivity equations.

### Example (Ring)

$$\lambda : \text{Mon} \cdot \text{AbGrp} \Rightarrow \text{AbGrp} \cdot \text{Mon}$$

$$x = x$$

$$(x + y)z = xz + yz$$

$$x \cdot 0 = 0$$

$$(-x)y = -(xy)$$

$$x = x + 0$$

$$x(y + z) = xy + xz$$

$$0 \cdot x = 0$$

$$x(-y) = -(xy)$$

$$x = 0 + x$$

$$(x + y)(z + w) = xz + xw + yz + yw$$

$$0 \cdot x = 0 + 0$$

$$(-x)(-y) = xy$$

 $\vdots$  $\vdots$  $\vdots$  $\vdots$ 

**Goal:** Find **minimal** axiomatisation  $\implies$  general tools

# Layers

## Definition

**ST-layers** of term  $s[t_x/x] \in \Sigma_{\mathbb{S}}^* \Sigma_{\mathbb{T}}^* \mathcal{V}$ , are pair  $(m, n) \in \mathbb{N}^2$

$$\begin{cases} m := \text{depth}(s) \\ n := \max\{\text{depth}(t_x) \mid x \in \text{var}(s)\} \end{cases} \quad (\text{const. depth } 1)$$

## Example (Ring, $\mathbb{S} = \text{Mon}$ , $\mathbb{T} = \text{AbGrp}$ )

ST-Layers	(0, 0)	(0, 1)	(1, 0)	(1, 1)	(0, 2)
Examples	$x$	$0$	$1$	$x \cdot 0$	$x + 0$
	$y$	$x + y$	$x \cdot y$	$(x + y) \cdot (y + z)$	$(x + y) + z$

## Lemmas

### Lemma

For all  $E' \subseteq E_\lambda$  such that for each  $f^{(n)} \in \Sigma_S$ ,  $g^{(m)} \in \Sigma_T$  and each  $i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$ ,  $E'$  contains one equation of the form  $l = r$ , where

- $l = f(x_1, \dots, x_{i-1}, g(\vec{y}), x_{i+1}, \dots, x_n)$
- $r \in \lambda_V(\bar{l}^{ST})$ ,

If the TRS  $(\Sigma_{U^\lambda} = \Sigma_S \uplus \Sigma_T, E')$  is terminating (SN), then

congruence by  $E_S \cup E_T \cup E' =$  congruence by  $E_S \cup E_T \cup E_\lambda$ .

### Lemma

If  $R$  is a set rules of the form  $s[t_x/x] \rightarrow t[s_y/y]$  such that

- $s[t_x/x]$  has ST-layers  $(1, 1)$
- $t[s_y/y]$  has TS-layers  $(*, 1)$
- $s_y$  is linear<sup>1</sup> in  $Z = \{t_x \mid t_x \text{ is a variable}\}$ ,

then  $R$  is terminating.

<sup>1</sup>Linear in a TRS sense, i.e. variables appearing at most once.

# Axiomatisation examples

## Example

- Ring from  $\lambda : \text{Mon} \cdot \text{AbGrp} \rightarrow \text{AbGrp} \cdot \text{Mon}$ .

$$(x + y)z = xz + yz:$$

- ▶ RHS TS-layers (1, 1) ✓
- ▶ linearity ✓



- $\lambda : \mathcal{D}\mathcal{R} \rightarrow R\mathcal{D}$  (distribution over reader): for each  $p \in [0, 1]$

$$f(x_1, \dots, x_n) \oplus_p y = f(x_1 \oplus_p y, \dots, x_n \oplus_p y).$$

- $\lambda : \mathcal{M}\mathcal{D} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}\mathcal{M}$  (multiset over distribution): for each  $p \in [0, 1]$

$$(x_1 \oplus_p x_2) \cdot y = (x_1 \cdot y) \oplus_p (x_2 \cdot y).$$

- $\lambda : \text{Mon}^+ \text{Mon}^+ \rightarrow \text{Mon}^+ \text{Mon}^+$  (non-empty list over itself)

$$a * (b * c) = a * b$$

$$(a * b) * c = a * c.$$

# Counterexample

Note:  $E' \subseteq E_\lambda$  not terminating  $\implies$  conclusion not guaranteed.

## Example (Famous $ab \rightarrow bbaa$ TRS example)

Define two theories and a distributive law:

$$\begin{cases} \Sigma_S := \{a^{(1)}\} \\ E_S := \{aaa = aa\} \end{cases} \quad \begin{cases} \lambda: STV \rightarrow TSV \\ \overline{a^n b^m x}^S \mapsto \overline{b^2 a^2 x}^T, & \text{for } n, m \in \{1, 2\} \\ \overline{a^n x}^S \mapsto \overline{a^n x}^T, & \text{for } n \in \{1, 2\} \\ \Sigma_T := \{b^{(1)}\} \\ E_T := \{bbb = bb\} \end{cases}$$

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However  $E' = \{ab = b^2a^2\}$  cannot derive  $(aab, bbaa) \in E_\lambda$ .

$$\begin{aligned} a\underline{ab} &=_{E'} \underline{abb}aa =_{E'} bba\underline{ab}aa =_{E'} bbabb\underline{aaaa} =_{E_S} bb\underline{abb}aa \\ &=_{E'} bbb\underline{baab}aa =_{E_T} bbaabaa =_{E'} \dots \text{(loop)} \end{aligned}$$

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Contribution:

- Proved constructively: Distributive Laws  $\iff$  Composite Theories.  
More than the result: it's the proof strategy.
- Gave criteria for minimal axiomatisation  $E' \subseteq E_\lambda$ .

Future work:

- More TRS criteria for  $E' \subseteq E_\lambda$  termination.
- Extend correspondence further:
  - ▶ non-finitary monads
  - ▶ change base category Set
  - ▶ *weak composite theories?*
  - ▶ *multi-sorted distributive laws?*