

So every $x \in \mathbb{Z}$ is a pre fixed point.

LEAST PFD

There is none.

(3) pred: $\mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$

↳ we want it monotone.

It should be the case that

$$x \leq y \Rightarrow \text{pred}(x) \leq \text{pred}(y)$$

$\quad \quad \quad \downarrow \quad \quad \quad \downarrow$
 $\quad \quad \quad x-1 \quad \quad \quad y-1$

So $0 \leq x \Rightarrow \text{pred}(0) \leq x-1$
($\forall x \geq 1$)

↳ forces the definition
pred(0) = 0

PREFIX POINTS

every $x \in \mathbb{N}$

LEAST PFP

is 0 and in fact it is
a fixed point pred(0) = 0

(4) $(\mathcal{P}(\mathbb{N}), \subseteq)$

↳ set of subsets of \mathbb{N}

$$f: \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{N}) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{N})$$

$$S \subseteq \mathbb{N} \mapsto \underbrace{\{0\} \cup \{x+2 \mid x \in S\}}_{\subseteq \mathbb{N}}$$

MONOTONICITY

$$X \subseteq Y \Rightarrow f(X) \subseteq f(Y)$$

Assume $X \subseteq Y$

$$f(X) = \{0\} \cup \{x+2 \mid x \in X\}$$

$\therefore \cap$

$$f(Y) = \{0\} \cup \{y+2 \mid y \in Y\}$$

PREFIXED POINTS

$$X \subseteq \mathbb{N} \text{ s.t. } f(X) \subseteq X$$

$$\text{s.t. } \{0\} \cup \{x+2 \mid x \in X\} \subseteq X$$

e.g. \mathbb{N} is a pfp.

$\{0\}$ is not a pfp.

Even is a pfp.

$$\left(\begin{array}{l} \overline{0 \in \text{Even}} \\ \underline{x \in \text{Even}} \\ \hline x+2 \in \text{Even} \end{array} \right)$$

$X \subseteq \mathbb{N}$ is a pfp

iff $0 \in X$

$$\& \forall x \in X. x+2 \in X$$

eg. Even $\cup \{k+2n \mid n \in \mathbb{N}\}$

where $k \in \underline{\text{Odd}}$

THE LEAST PREFIXED POINT EXISTS

and is Even

$f: D \rightarrow D$ D poset

L monotone

Assume $\underline{\text{fix}}(f)$, the least prefixed point, exists.

Want to show $f(\underline{\text{fix}}(f)) = \underline{\text{fix}}(f)$.

$$\frac{x \leq y}{f(x) \leq f(y)}$$

$$\frac{f(d) \leq d}{\underline{\text{fix}}(f) \leq d}$$

$$\frac{\text{lpf}}{f(\underline{\text{fix}}(f)) \leq \underline{\text{fix}}(f)}$$

$$\frac{\frac{\text{lpf}}{f(\underline{\text{fix}}(f)) \leq \underline{\text{fix}}(f)}}{f(f(\underline{\text{fix}}(f))) \leq f(\underline{\text{fix}}(f))}$$

$$\underline{\text{fix}}(f) \leq f(\underline{\text{fix}}(f))$$

$$f(\underline{\text{fix}}(f)) = \underline{\text{fix}}(f)$$

• Finite posets

Ques
 [?] Is every surjective function on a finite poset with a least element has a least pre-fix point?

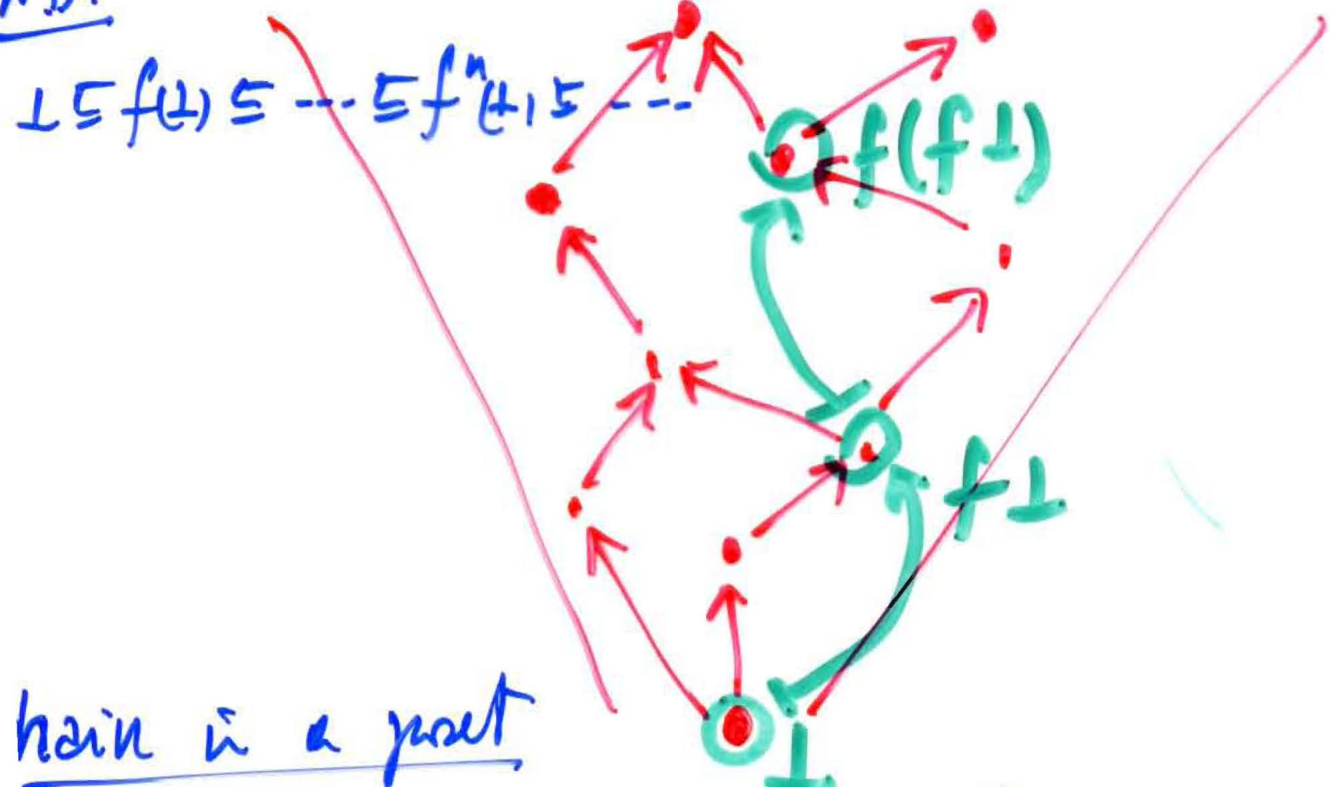
with least element

$B = \{ \text{true}, \text{false} \}$

$\text{id} : B \rightarrow B \quad (B, \subseteq)$

~~map~~ $f : B \rightarrow B \quad x \subseteq y \implies f(x) \subseteq f(y)$

NB.



chain in a poset

$x_0 \subseteq x_1 \subseteq \dots \subseteq x_n \subseteq \dots \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$

CPOs

$$\bigcup_n f^n(\perp)$$

$$f^n(\perp)$$

$$f^3(\perp)$$

$$f^2(\perp)$$

$$f(\perp)$$

\perp
 d_n
 u_1
 u_1
 d_2
 u_1
 d_1
 u_1 in D
 d_0

least element



\perp

$$\exists L_n \text{ du } \in D$$

s.t.

$$(1) \forall i \in \mathbb{N}. d_i \in L_n \text{ du}$$

$$d_i \in L_n \text{ du}$$

$$(2) \exists d \in D \text{ s.t.}$$

$$\forall i \in \mathbb{N}. d_i \leq d$$

Then

$$L_n \text{ du } \leq d.$$

\Downarrow

$$f : D \rightarrow D$$

monotone

IMPORTANT

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To define a cpo

(1) give a set D

(2) give a relation $\subseteq \subseteq D \times D$

(3) show \subseteq is a partial order.

(4) show that there are least upper bounds for all chains.

To define a domain

as above

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(5) give me a least element.