

preserves the structure

\subseteq, \perp, \sqcup

Tarski's Fixed Point Theorem

Let $f : D \rightarrow D$ be a continuous function on a domain D . Then

- f possesses a least pre-fixed point, given by

$$\text{fix}(f) = \bigsqcup_{n \geq 0} f^n(\perp).$$

- Moreover, $\text{fix}(f)$ is a fixed point of f , *i.e.* satisfies $f(\text{fix}(f)) = \text{fix}(f)$, and hence is the **least fixed point** of f .

$$f: D \rightarrow D$$

by induction
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$$\perp \subseteq f(\perp) \subseteq ff\perp \subseteq \dots$$

$$f^n(\perp) \subseteq f^{n+1}(\perp) \subseteq \dots$$

\perp is least \downarrow f monotone

$$f\perp \subseteq ff\perp$$

we have a countable chain

Consider $\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} f^n(\perp)$

apply f to the chain to obtain the new chain

$$f(\perp) \subseteq ff\perp \subseteq \dots \subseteq f^{n+1}(\perp) \subseteq f^{n+2}(\perp) \subseteq \dots$$

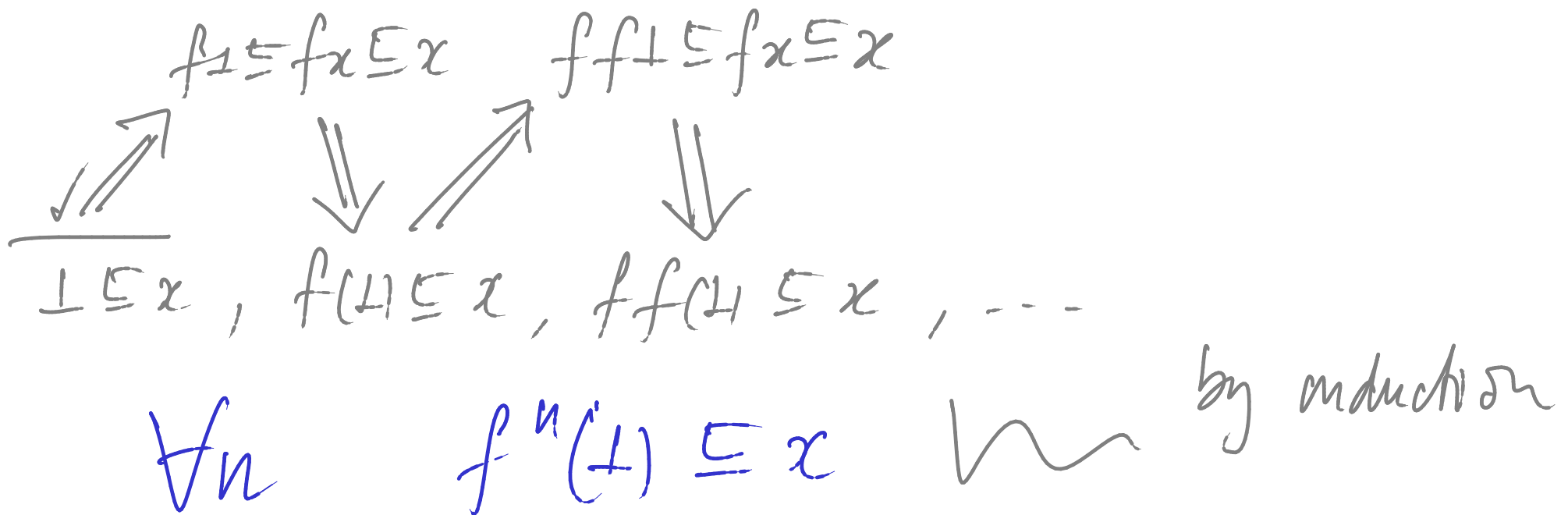
The green chain is the blue chain without the first element hence they have the same lub; i.e.

$$\bigcup_n f^n(\perp) = \bigcup_m f^{m+1}(\perp)$$

$$f\left(\bigcup_n f^n(\perp)\right) \underset{\text{by cont}}{=} \bigcup_n f(f^n \perp) = \bigcup_n f^{n+1}(\perp) \parallel$$

Hence, $\underline{\text{fix}}(f) = \text{def } \bigcup_n f^n(\perp)$ $\bigcup_n f^n(\perp)$
 is s.t. $f(\underline{\text{fix}}(f)) = \underline{\text{fix}}(f)$

We show $\text{fix}(f) =_{\text{def}} \bigcup_n f^n(\perp)$ is least amongst all pre fixed points. So let x be a pre fixed point; i.e. $f(x) \sqsubseteq x$. We want to show $\text{fix}(f) \sqsubseteq x$



$$\bigcup_n f^n(\perp) = \text{fix}(f) \sqsubseteq x$$

[[while B do C]]

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$$= \text{fix}(f_{[[B]], [[C]])}$$

$$= \bigsqcup_{n \geq 0} f_{[[B]], [[C]]}^n(\perp)$$

$$= \lambda s \in \text{State}.$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{ll} [[C]]^k(s) & \text{if } k \geq 0 \text{ is such that } [[B]]([[C]]^k(s)) = \text{false} \\ & \text{and } [[B]]([[C]]^i(s)) = \text{true for all } 0 \leq i < k \\ \text{undefined} & \text{if } [[B]]([[C]]^i(s)) = \text{true for all } i \geq 0 \end{array} \right.$$

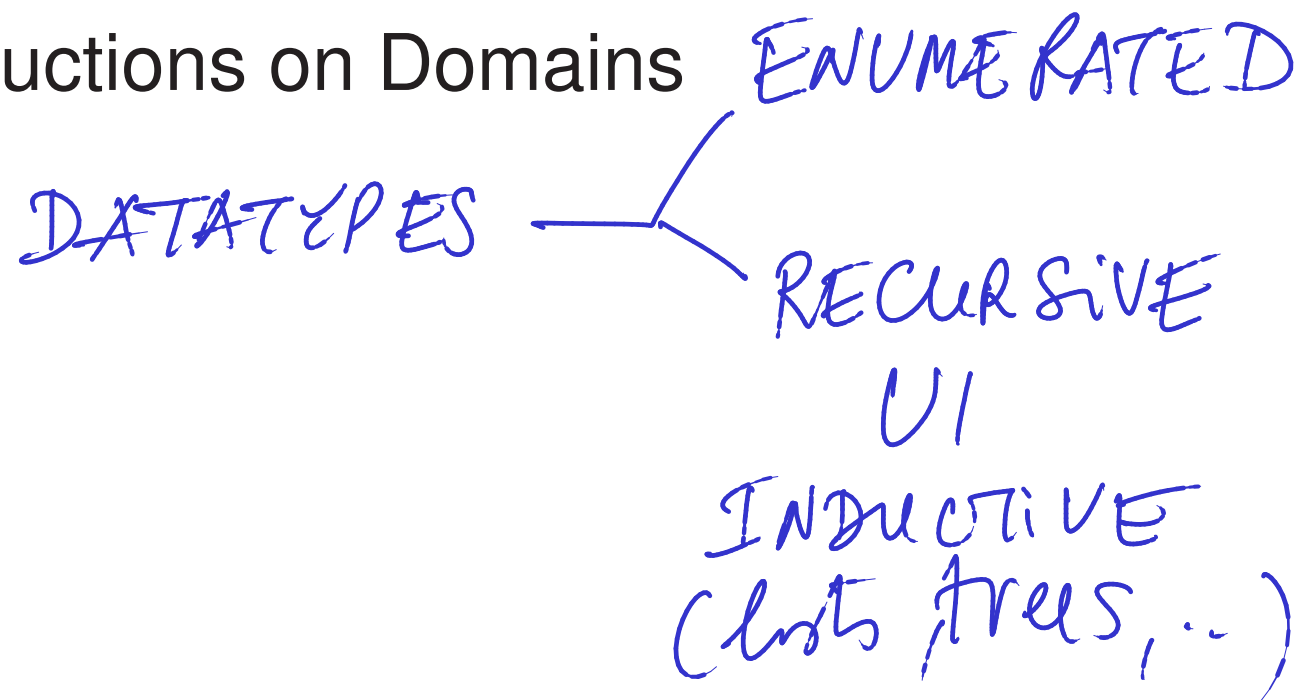
Modelling ML types. bool type
 nat type.

PRODUCTS
FUNCTIONS

α, β type $\Rightarrow \alpha * \beta$ type
 $\Rightarrow \alpha \rightarrow \beta$ type

Topic 3

Constructions on Domains



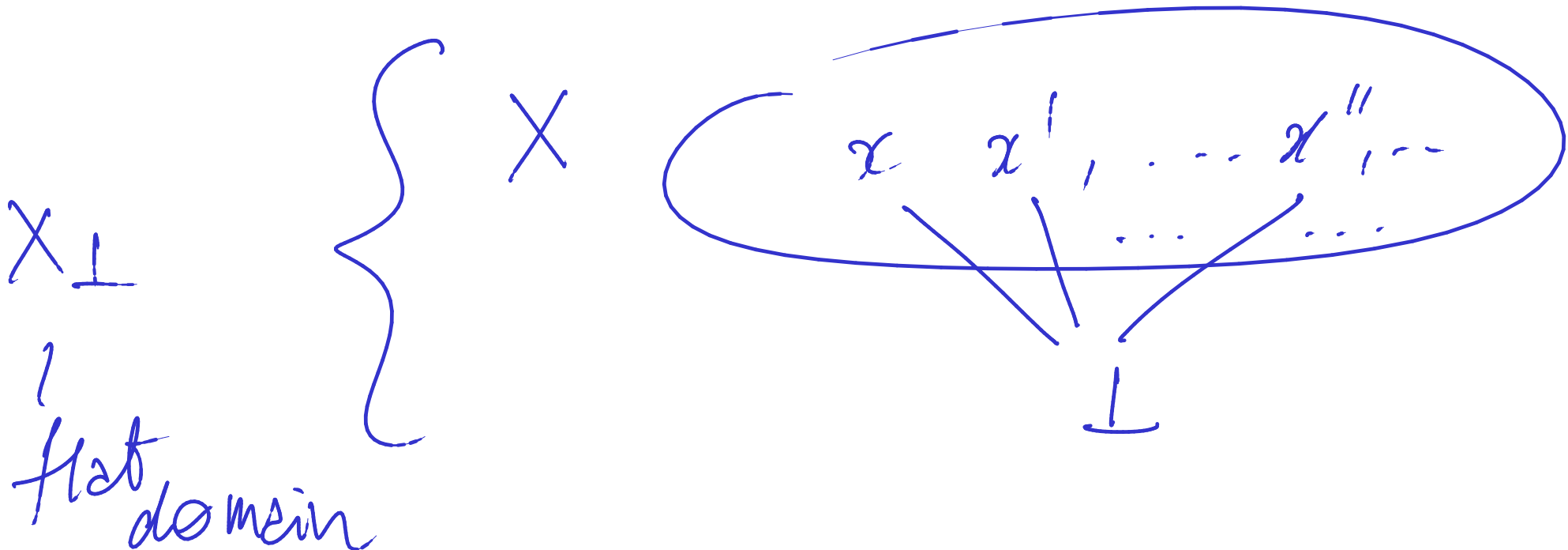
outside the scope of the course

Discrete cpo's and flat domains

For any set X , the relation of equality

$$x \sqsubseteq x' \stackrel{\text{def}}{\iff} x = x' \quad (x, x' \in X)$$

makes (X, \sqsubseteq) into a cpo, called the **discrete** cpo with underlying set X .



$\mathbb{B} = \{\text{true}, \text{false}\} \rightsquigarrow \mathbb{B}_\perp$ boolean domain

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\mathbb{N}_\perp natural numbers domain

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Let $X_\perp \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} X \cup \{\perp\}$, where \perp is some element not in X . Then

$$d \sqsubseteq d' \stackrel{\text{def}}{\iff} (d = d') \vee (d = \perp) \quad (d, d' \in X_\perp)$$

makes (X_\perp, \sqsubseteq) into a domain (with least element \perp), called the **flat** domain determined by X .

Binary product of cpo's and domains

The **product** of two cpo's (D_1, \sqsubseteq_1) and (D_2, \sqsubseteq_2) has underlying set

$$D_1 \times D_2 = \{(d_1, d_2) \mid d_1 \in D_1 \ \& \ d_2 \in D_2\}$$

and partial order \sqsubseteq defined by

$$(d_1, d_2) \sqsubseteq (d'_1, d'_2) \stackrel{\text{def}}{\iff} d_1 \sqsubseteq_1 d'_1 \ \& \ d_2 \sqsubseteq_2 d'_2 .$$

pointwise order

$$\frac{(x_1, x_2) \sqsubseteq (y_1, y_2)}{x_1 \sqsubseteq_1 y_1 \quad x_2 \sqsubseteq_2 y_2}$$

Show that $D_1 \times D_2$ is a cpo for $D_1, D_2 \text{ cpo}$
domains

Suppose \perp_1 is least in D_1 and \perp_2 is least in D_2
Then, (\perp_1, \perp_2) is least in $D_1 \times D_2$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \checkmark & & \checkmark \\ \hline \perp_1 \sqsubseteq d_1 & & \perp_2 \sqsubseteq d_2 \\ \hline (\perp_1, \perp_2) \sqsubseteq (d_1, d_2) \end{array}$$

Let $(x_0, y_0) \subseteq (x_1, y_1) \subseteq \dots \subseteq (x_n, y_n) \subseteq \dots$

be a chain in $\mathcal{D}_1 \times \mathcal{D}_2$

Let (d_1, d_2) be an upper bound for the above chain; i.e.

$\forall n \ (x_n, y_n) \subseteq (d_1, d_2)$ iff $\forall n \ x_n \subseteq d_1$ & $y_n \subseteq d_2$

$$\Leftrightarrow \bigcup_n x_n \subseteq d_1 \text{ \& \ } \bigcup_n y_n \subseteq d_2$$

Using \Leftarrow with $d_1 = \bigcup_n x_n$ and $d_2 = \bigcup_n y_n$, we get

$$\forall n \ (x_n, y_n) \subseteq \left(\bigcup_n x_n, \bigcup_n y_n \right)$$

and (\Rightarrow) shows it is least.

Lubs of chains are calculated componentwise:

$$\bigsqcup_{n \geq 0} (d_{1,n}, d_{2,n}) = \left(\bigsqcup_{i \geq 0} d_{1,i}, \bigsqcup_{j \geq 0} d_{2,j} \right) .$$

If (D_1, \sqsubseteq_1) and (D_2, \sqsubseteq_2) are domains so is $(D_1 \times D_2, \sqsubseteq)$
and $\perp_{D_1 \times D_2} = (\perp_{D_1}, \perp_{D_2})$.

Continuous functions of two arguments

Proposition. *Let D, E, F be cpo's. A function $f : (D \times E) \rightarrow F$ is monotone if and only if it is monotone in each argument separately:*

$$\forall d, d' \in D, e \in E. d \sqsubseteq d' \Rightarrow f(d, e) \sqsubseteq f(d', e)$$

$$\forall d \in D, e, e' \in E. e \sqsubseteq e' \Rightarrow f(d, e) \sqsubseteq f(d, e').$$

Moreover, it is continuous if and only if it preserves lubs of chains in each argument separately:

$$f\left(\bigsqcup_{m \geq 0} d_m, e\right) = \bigsqcup_{m \geq 0} f(d_m, e)$$

$$f\left(d, \bigsqcup_{n \geq 0} e_n\right) = \bigsqcup_{n \geq 0} f(d, e_n).$$

$$f: (D \times E) \rightarrow F$$

$$f \text{ monotone iff } (x, y) \sqsubseteq (x', y') \subseteq D \times E \\ \Rightarrow f(x, y) \sqsubseteq f(x', y') \subseteq F$$

$$\text{lemma} \text{ — iff } x \sqsubseteq x' \Rightarrow f(x, y) \sqsubseteq f(x', y) \quad \forall y \\ \text{and} \\ y \sqsubseteq y' \Rightarrow f(x, y) \sqsubseteq f(x, y') \quad \forall x$$

$$(\bullet \Rightarrow \bullet) \quad (x, y) \sqsubseteq (x', y') \Rightarrow x \overset{\textcircled{1}}{\sqsubseteq} x' \ \& \ y \overset{\textcircled{2}}{\sqsubseteq} y'$$

$$\textcircled{1} \Rightarrow (x, y) \sqsubseteq (x', y) \Rightarrow f(x, y) \sqsubseteq f(x', y)$$

$$\textcircled{2} \Rightarrow (x', y) \sqsubseteq (x', y') \Rightarrow f(x', y) \sqsubseteq f(x', y')$$

} transitivity

f is cont. $\iff f$ is monotone and

$$f\left(\bigcup_n (x_n, y_n)\right)$$

$$= \bigcup_n f(x_n, y_n)$$

$\iff f$ is monotone and

\forall chain $\langle x_n \rangle$ and y ,

and $f\left(\bigcup_n x_n, y\right) = \bigcup_n f(x_n, y)$

\forall chain $\langle y_n \rangle$ and x ,

$$f\left(x, \bigcup_n y_n\right) = \bigcup_n f(x, y_n)$$

- A couple of derived rules:

$$\frac{x \sqsubseteq x' \quad y \sqsubseteq y'}{f(x, y) \sqsubseteq f(x', y')} \quad (f \text{ monotone})$$

$$\frac{}{f(\bigsqcup_m x_m, \bigsqcup_n y_n) = \bigsqcup_k f(x_k, y_k)} \quad (f \text{ continuous})$$

N.B.:

$$\begin{aligned} f(\bigsqcup_m x_m, \bigsqcup_n y_n) &= \bigsqcup_m f(x_m, \bigsqcup_n y_n) = \bigsqcup_m \bigsqcup_n f(x_m, y_n) \\ &= \bigsqcup_k f(x_k, y_k) \end{aligned}$$