

Dependent products of polynomials

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Dialectica categories, polynomials, models of type theory

- [von Glehn, 2014]:

$(\mathbb{B}, \mathcal{F}) \mapsto (\mathbf{Poly}_{\mathcal{F}}, \mathcal{F}_{\mathbf{Poly}_{\mathcal{F}}})$ is an operation on display map categories.

\implies A dependently-typed version of Dialectica categories

[de Paiva, 1989], [Hyland, 2002],...

\implies A model of dependent types from freely adding sums and products

- Dependent types for other variants?

[Moss, 2018], [Moss, von Glehn, 2018]

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The category of polynomials

$$y := \text{id} \cong \mathbf{Set}(1, -) \in [\mathbf{Set}, \mathbf{Set}]$$

$$\mathbf{Poly} \simeq (\text{closure of } \{y\} \text{ under sums and products}) \subseteq [\mathbf{Set}, \mathbf{Set}]$$

$\Sigma(\mathbb{C})$, the free sum completion of \mathbb{C}

objects

$$\begin{array}{c} (c_i)_{i \in I} \\ \vdots \\ I \end{array} = \sum_{i \in I} c_i$$

with $I \in \mathbf{Set}$ and $c : I \rightarrow \text{ob } \mathbb{C}$.

morphisms

$$\begin{array}{ccc} (c_i)_i & \xrightarrow{(\phi_i)_i} & (d_{f(i)})_i \longrightarrow (d_j)_j \\ \vdots & \nearrow \text{dotted} & \downarrow \text{dotted} \\ I & \xrightarrow{f} & J \end{array}$$

universal property

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & \text{(preserving sums)} & \\ & \exists \text{ ess. unique} & \text{(has sums)} \\ \Sigma(\mathbb{C}) & \xrightarrow{\quad} & \mathcal{K} \\ \uparrow & \nearrow & \\ \mathbb{C} & & \end{array}$$

as presheaves

$\Sigma(\mathbb{C}) \simeq$ closure of
 $\{\mathbb{C}(-, c)\}_{c \in \mathbb{C}} \subseteq [\mathbb{C}^{\text{op}}, \mathbf{Set}]$
 under sums.

$\Pi(\mathbb{C})$: the free product completion of \mathbb{C}

$$\Pi(\mathbb{C}) := (\Sigma(\mathbb{C}^{\text{op}}))^{\text{op}} \simeq (\text{closure of } \{\mathbb{C}(c, -)\}_{c \in \mathbb{C}} \text{ under products}) \subseteq [\mathbb{C}, \mathbf{Set}]^{\text{op}}$$

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$$\begin{array}{ccccc} (c_i)_i & \longleftarrow & (c_{f(j)})_j & \xrightarrow{(\phi_j)_j} & (d_j)_j \\ & & \perp & \text{---} & \vdots \\ & & & & J \\ & & & & \vdots \\ & & & & I \end{array}$$

f

$\Sigma\Pi(\mathbb{C})$: adding products, then adding sums

objects

Bundles of bundles in
ob \mathbb{C} .

$$\begin{array}{c}
 (c_a)_{a \in A} \\
 \vdots \\
 A \\
 p \downarrow \\
 I
 \end{array}
 =
 \text{“} \sum_{i \in I} \prod_{a \in A_i} c_a \text{”}$$

morphisms

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 (c_a)_a & \longleftarrow & (c_{F(x)})_x & \xrightarrow{\quad} & (d_{\bar{f}(x)})_x & \longrightarrow & (d_b)_b \\
 \vdots & & \vdots & & \vdots & & \vdots \\
 A & \xleftarrow{\quad F \quad} & B_f & \xrightarrow{\quad \bar{f} \quad} & B & & B \\
 \downarrow & & \lrcorner & & \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 I & \xrightarrow{\quad f \quad} & & & J & & J
 \end{array}$$

Basic examples of $\Sigma(-)$, $\Pi(-)$, $\Sigma\Pi(-)$

$$\Sigma(\mathbb{1}) \simeq \mathbf{Set}$$

$$\Pi(\mathbb{1}) \simeq \mathbf{Set}^{\text{op}}$$

$$\Sigma\Pi(\mathbb{1}) \simeq \mathbf{Poly}$$

$\Sigma\Pi(\mathbb{2}) =$ ‘dependently-typed Dialectica category’

$$\Sigma(I) \simeq \mathbf{Set}^I \text{ (where } I \in \mathbf{Set}\text{)}$$

$$\Sigma\Pi(I) \simeq \text{polynomial functors } \mathbf{Set}^I \rightarrow \mathbf{Set}$$

Products in $\Sigma(\mathbb{C})$

If \mathbb{C} has products then $\Sigma(\mathbb{C})$ has products given by

$$\prod_{j \in J} \sum_{i \in I_j} c_{i,j} \cong \sum_{f \in \prod_{j \in J} I_j} \prod_{j \in J} c_{f(j),j}$$

and $\mathbb{C} \rightarrow \Sigma(\mathbb{C})$ preserves products.

Corollary

$\Sigma\Pi(\mathbb{C})$ has products, and these distribute over sums.

(Actually a distributive law $\Pi\Sigma \xrightarrow{\delta} \Sigma\Pi$).

The fibration of \mathcal{F} -polynomials in a fibration $p : \mathbb{E} \rightarrow \mathbb{B}$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \begin{array}{c} \mathbb{E} \\ \downarrow p \\ \mathbb{B} \end{array} \xrightarrow{\mathcal{F}} \begin{array}{c} \Sigma_{\mathcal{F}} \Pi_{\mathcal{F}}(\mathbb{E}) \\ \downarrow \\ \mathbb{B} \end{array} \\
 \leftarrow \text{cod} \quad \leftarrow \text{cod}
 \end{array}
 \quad \text{where} \quad
 \Sigma_{\mathcal{F}}(p) \left\{ \begin{array}{l}
 \Sigma_{\mathcal{F}}(\mathbb{E}) \longrightarrow \mathbb{E} \\
 \downarrow \lrcorner \quad \downarrow p \\
 \mathcal{F} \longrightarrow \mathbb{B} \\
 \text{cod} \downarrow \quad \text{dom} \\
 \mathbb{B}
 \end{array} \right.$$

Recovering the basic setting

$$(\mathbb{E} \xrightarrow{p} \mathbb{B}) = (\Sigma(\mathbb{C}) \xrightarrow{\Sigma(!)} \Sigma(\mathbf{1}) \simeq \mathbf{Set})$$

$$\mathcal{F} = \mathbf{mor Set}$$

$$\Sigma \Pi(\mathbb{C}) = (\Sigma_{\mathcal{F}} \Pi_{\mathcal{F}}(\mathbb{E}))_1$$

Summary of polynomials in \mathbb{C}

- $\Sigma\Pi(\mathbb{C})$, the ‘polynomials in \mathbb{C} ’, is given by formally/freely adding sums and products to the category \mathbb{C} .
- **Poly** $\simeq \Sigma\Pi(\mathbb{1})$.
- The fibrational setting gives lots of flexibility. e.g.
 - (a) control the ‘sizes’ of sums/products are added,
 - (b) non-standard notions of ‘bundles’ of polynomials.

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The Day tensor on $\Sigma(\mathbb{C})$ (e.g. when \mathbb{C} is small)

Let (\mathbb{C}, \otimes, I) be symmetric monoidal.

- ‘Convolution’ extends \otimes to the Day tensor on $[\mathbb{C}^{\text{op}}, \mathbf{Set}]$...

$$(F \otimes G)c := \int^{x,y \in \mathbb{C}} Fx \times Gy \times \mathbb{C}(c, x \otimes y).$$

- ... which restricts to $\Sigma(\mathbb{C})$:

$$\left(\sum_{i \in I} c_i \right) \otimes \left(\sum_{j \in J} d_j \right) := \sum_{(i,j) \in I \times J} c_i \otimes d_j.$$

- \otimes has exponentials in $[\mathbb{C}^{\text{op}}, \mathbf{Set}]$

$$(G \multimap H)c := \int_{y,z \in \mathbb{C}} (\mathbb{C}(z, y \otimes c) \times Gy) \Rightarrow Hz$$

but not necessarily in $\Sigma(\mathbb{C})$.

Lifting tensors to $\Sigma\Pi(\mathbb{C})$

- Day convolution takes \times on $\Pi(\mathbb{C})$ to \times on $\Sigma\Pi(\mathbb{C})$.

$$\left(\sum_{i \in I} \prod_{a \in A_i} c_a \right) \times \left(\sum_{j \in J} \prod_{b \in B_j} d_b \right) = \sum_{(i,j) \in I \times J} \prod_{x \in A_i + B_j} (\dots)$$

- If (\mathbb{C}, \otimes, I) is monoidal, extend by Day convolution twice.

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\sum_{i \in I} \prod_{a \in A_i} c_a \right) \otimes \left(\sum_{j \in J} \prod_{b \in B_j} d_b \right) &= \sum_{(i,j) \in I \times J} \left(\left(\prod_{a \in A_i} c_a \right) \otimes \left(\prod_{b \in B_j} d_b \right) \right) \\ &= \sum_{(i,j) \in I \times J} \prod_{(a,b) \in A_i \times B_j} c_a \otimes d_b \end{aligned}$$

Day exponentials in $\Sigma(\mathbb{C})$?

$$\mathbb{C} \subseteq \Sigma(\mathbb{C}),$$

is a *dense* subcategory closed under \otimes .

\implies Sufficient to check exponentials on $c \in \mathbb{C}$:

$$\frac{c \otimes Y \rightarrow Z}{c \rightarrow Y \multimap Z}$$

We will see: when $\Sigma(\mathbb{C})$ has products, enough that $(c \multimap d) \in \Sigma(\mathbb{C})$.

Exponentiating by connected objects

- $X \in \mathcal{E}$ is **connected** (or **coprime**) iff $\mathcal{E}(X, -) : \mathcal{E} \rightarrow \mathbf{Set}$ preserves coproducts.
- The connected objects in $\Sigma(\mathbb{C})$ are precisely $\mathbb{C} \subseteq \Sigma(\mathbb{C})$.

$$\implies c \multimap \left(\sum_j d_j \right) \cong \sum_j (c \multimap d_j)$$

Exponentiating when $\Sigma(\mathbb{C})$ is closed under products

Suppose $\Sigma(\mathbb{C})$ has products, e.g. because \mathbb{C} has products.

$$\left(\sum_i c_i \right) \multimap \left(\sum_j d_j \right) \cong \prod_i \sum_j (c_i \multimap d_j)$$

Then $(\Sigma(\mathbb{C}), \otimes, I)$ is closed under \multimap iff $(c \multimap d) \in \Sigma(\mathbb{C})$ for all $c, d \in \mathbb{C}$.

$\Sigma\Pi(\mathbb{C})$ is cartesian closed (for \mathbb{C} locally small)

[Altenkirch, Levy, Staton, 2010] for **Poly**

- \times in $\Pi(\mathbb{C})$ is *free* over \mathbb{C} :

$$\Pi(\mathbb{C})(X \times Y, c) \cong \Pi(\mathbb{C})(X, c) + \Pi(\mathbb{C})(Y, c)$$

\implies For $Y \in \Pi(\mathbb{C})$, $c \in \mathbb{C}$,

$$Y \Rightarrow c \cong c + \sum_{f \in \Pi(\mathbb{C})(Y, c)} 1.$$

- For general $(\prod_{k \in K} c_k) \in \Pi(\mathbb{C})$,

$$Y \Rightarrow (\prod_k c_k) \cong \prod_k (Y \Rightarrow c_k).$$

□

Tensors and exponentials so far

- Easy to lift a tensor \otimes from \mathbb{C} to $\Sigma(\mathbb{C})$ or to $\Sigma\Pi(\mathbb{C})$.
- $\Sigma\Pi(\mathbb{C})$ admits \multimap iff $c \multimap d$ exists in $\Sigma\Pi(\mathbb{C})$ for $c, d \in \mathbb{C}$.
- $\Sigma\Pi(\mathbb{C})$ cartesian closed.

Local exponentials?

Pullbacks in $\Sigma\Pi(\mathbb{C})$ are not guaranteed, so let's focus on **Poly** where having all finite limits simplifies things.

Dependent products in a category \mathcal{E} with finite limits

Dependent product along $f : B \rightarrow A$ is a right adjoint $\Pi_f : \mathcal{E}/B \rightarrow \mathcal{E}/A$ to pullback $f^* : \mathcal{E}/A \rightarrow \mathcal{E}/B$.

- Gives *local* exponentials: $\Pi_f(f^*(-)) \cong f \Rightarrow (-)$ in \mathcal{E}/A .
- Conversely: can construct $\Pi_f(-)$ from $f \Rightarrow (-)$ (and pullbacks).

\implies Dependent products along f exist iff f is **exponentiable** in \mathcal{E}/A .

- Also: exponentiable maps are stable under pullback.

\implies If \mathcal{E} is a CCC (with pullbacks), then product projections are exponentiable.

Exponentiable maps in **Poly**

1. Product projections are exponentiable.

$y^B \xrightarrow{y^f} y^A$ is exponentiable whenever $f : A \rightarrow B$ is injective

2. In \mathbf{Poly}/y^A , exponentiable objects are closed under sums.
3. $\mathbf{Poly}/\sum_i y^{A_i} \simeq \prod_i (\mathbf{Poly}/y^{A_i})$ therefore exponentiable maps are closed under sums.

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} A & \xleftarrow{F} & B_f & \longrightarrow & B \\ p \downarrow & \swarrow & \lrcorner & & \downarrow q \\ I & \xleftarrow{\quad} & & \longrightarrow & J \\ & & & f & \end{array}$$

No other maps in **Poly** are exponentiable [von Glehn], [Altenkirch, Levy, Staton].

Summary of (local) exponentials

- $\Sigma\Pi(\mathbb{C})$ is always cartesian closed.
- **Poly** is not locally cartesian closed, but we know exactly which maps are exponentiable.
- In general $\Sigma\Pi(\mathbb{C})$ might not have all pullbacks. Instead, find a class

$$\mathcal{F} = \mathcal{F}_{\Sigma\Pi(\mathbb{C})} \subseteq \text{mor}(\Sigma\Pi(\mathbb{C}))$$

of display maps modelling “ Π -types”: Π_f where $f \in \mathcal{F}$, defined on \mathcal{F} , valued in \mathcal{F} .

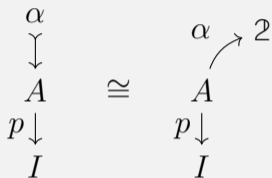
- The \mathcal{F} that works for **Poly** generalizes to $\Sigma\Pi(\mathbb{C})$.
(cf. “Reedy fibrations” of [Shulman, 2014], [Uemura, 2017]).

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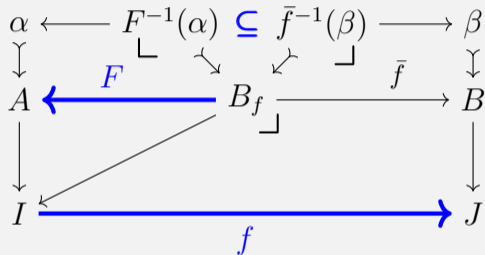
The 'Dialectica polynomials' $\Sigma\Pi(\mathcal{P})$ where $\mathcal{P} = \{\perp \leq \top\}$

objects



= " $\exists i \in I. \forall x \in A_i. \alpha(i, x)$ "

morphisms



"The proof of $\beta(f(i_0), y)$ must consume precisely one predetermined instantiation of $\forall x \in A_{i_0}. \alpha(i_0, x)$ ".

Dial ('classic Dialectica') [de Paiva, 1989]

Dial $\subseteq \Sigma\Pi(2)$ is the full subcategory on objects

$$\alpha \mapsto I \times A \rightarrow I$$

- **Dial** has sums of '∀-homogeneous' summands.

$$\begin{aligned} & (\exists i \in I. \forall x \in A. \alpha(i, x)) + (\exists j \in J. \forall x \in A. \beta(j, x)) \\ & \cong (\exists x \in I + J. \forall a \in A. \text{match } x \{ \text{inl}(i) \rightarrow \alpha(i, a), \text{inr}(j) \rightarrow \beta(j, a) \}). \end{aligned}$$

- [Hofstra, 2011]:
Take \mathcal{F} = product projections in **Set** and add \mathcal{F} -sums and \mathcal{F} -products to a fibration of propositions $\mathbb{P} \rightarrow \mathbf{Set}$.

Cf. **Lens** \subseteq **Poly**

Products and tensor in Dial

Dial is closed under the products of $\Sigma\Pi(\mathcal{Q})$:

$$\left(\sum_{i \in I} \prod_{x \in A} \alpha(i, x) \right) \times \left(\sum_{j \in J} \prod_{y \in B} \beta(j, y) \right) = \sum_{(i,j) \in I \times J} \underbrace{\left(\prod_{x \in A} \alpha(i, x) \right) \times \left(\prod_{y \in B} \beta(j, y) \right)}_{\text{product over } A + B}$$

and also the tensor product induced by $(\mathcal{Q}, \wedge, \top)$:

$$\left(\sum_{i \in I} \prod_{x \in A} \alpha(i, x) \right) \otimes \left(\sum_{j \in J} \prod_{y \in B} \beta(j, y) \right) = \sum_{(i,j) \in I \times J} \prod_{(x,y) \in A \times B} (\alpha(i, x) \wedge \beta(j, y))$$

$\Sigma\Pi(\mathcal{Q})$ has exponentials for both, **Dial** only for the latter.

Dialectica categories so far

- The simplest version is $\Sigma\Pi(\mathbb{2})$ — objects are “ $\exists i \in I. \forall x \in A_i. \alpha(i, x)$ ”.
The original **Dial** just requires $(A_i)_i$ be constant in $i \in I$.
- **Dial** is SMC with \otimes , cartesian, has only weak sums.
 $\Sigma\Pi(\mathbb{2})$ is SMC with \otimes , cartesian closed, has sums.
- ‘Really’ about adding quantifiers to a fibration $\mathbb{P} \rightarrow \mathbf{Set}$ of predicates.

Another way to ‘make’ **Dial** cartesian closed is to take the co-Kleisli category of a well-chosen comonad, e.g. such that \otimes becomes the cartesian product (cf. ! modality in linear logic).

- Diller-Nahm variant [de Paiva, 1989] using \mathcal{M}_{fin} .
- ‘Error’ variant [Biering, 2008] using $(-)+1$.

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The ‘type theory part’ of Dill

- The finite multisets monad $\mathcal{M}_{\text{fin}} : \mathbf{Set} \rightarrow \mathbf{Set}$ induces a comonad L on \mathbf{Poly} .

$$\sum_{i \in I} y^{A_i} \mapsto \sum_{i \in I} y^{\mathcal{M}_{\text{fin}} A_i}$$

- $(\mathbf{Poly})_L \simeq \Sigma((\mathbf{Set}_{\mathcal{M}_{\text{fin}}})^{\text{op}}) \simeq \Sigma(\mathbf{FreeCMon}^{\text{op}})$.

Recent work on automatic differentiation uses CC structure of $\Sigma(\mathbf{CMon})$, $\Sigma(\mathbf{CMon}^{\text{op}})$, ... [Vákár, Smeding, Lucatelli Nunes].

$\Sigma(\mathbb{A})$ is cartesian closed — when \mathbb{A} has biproducts and products

- Earlier: if \mathbb{A} has products, suffices to exponentiate \mathbb{A} 's by \mathbb{A} 's.
- $\times = \oplus = +$ in \mathbb{A} :

$$\mathbb{A}(a \oplus b, c) \cong \mathbb{A}(a, c) \times \mathbb{A}(b, c)$$

\implies Exponentiate \mathbb{A} 's by \mathbb{A} 's:

$$b \Rightarrow c \cong c \times \left(\sum_{f \in \mathbb{A}(b, c)} 1 \right) \cong \sum_{f \in \mathbb{A}(b, c)} c$$

□

Polynomials via an enriched sum completion?

[Kelly, Basic concepts of enriched category theory]

- Let $(\mathcal{V}, \otimes, I)$ be a bicomplete SMC (e.g. **CMon**, **Set**_{*}).
- Free \mathcal{V} -category $\mathbb{C}_{\mathcal{V}}$ on a **Set**-category \mathbb{C} :

$$\text{ob } \mathbb{C}_{\mathcal{V}} := \text{ob } \mathbb{C} \qquad \mathbb{C}_{\mathcal{V}}(c, d) := \mathbb{C}(c, d) \cdot I$$

- Free \mathcal{V} -sum completion $\Sigma_{\mathcal{V}}(\mathcal{A})$: close \mathcal{A} under sums in $[\mathcal{A}^{\text{op}}, \mathcal{V}]_{\mathcal{V}}$.
- $\mathbb{1}_{\mathbf{CMon}} \simeq \mathbb{N}$ (as a ‘semiring’/one-object **CMon**-category).
- **FreeCMon** $\simeq \Sigma_{\mathbf{CMon}}(\mathbb{1}_{\mathbf{CMon}})$ (cf. [Mac Lane, Ex. VIII.2.5–6]).
- Thus **(Poly)**_L $\simeq \Sigma\Pi_{\mathbf{CMon}}(\mathbb{1}_{\mathbf{CMon}})$.