

Category Theory

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- Idea:
- like sociology, not neuroscience
 - ideal for semantics
 - way of thinking
 - translate between fields

Def: a category consist of

- objects A, B, C, \dots
- morphisms $f, g, h, \dots : A \rightarrow B$ for every two objects A, B
- if $f: A \rightarrow B$ and $g: B \rightarrow C$, a morphism $g \circ f : A \rightarrow C$
- for every object A , a morphism $\text{id}_A : A \rightarrow A$

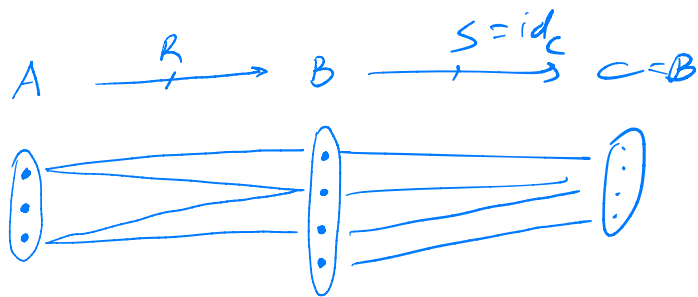
such that:

- associativity: $h \circ (g \circ f) = (h \circ g) \circ f$
- identity: $\text{id}_B \circ f = f = f \circ \text{id}_A$ for every $f: A \rightarrow B$

Examples:

① Set: obj: sets A, B, C, \dots
arr: functions $A \xrightarrow{f} B$

② Rel: obj: sets A, B, C, \dots
arr: relations $R \subseteq A \times B$



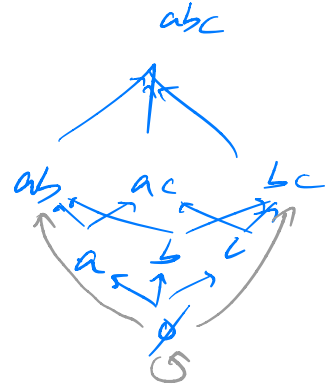
$$S \circ R = \{(a, c) \in A \times C \mid \exists b \in B: \begin{array}{l} (a, b) \in R \text{ and} \\ (b, c) \in S \end{array}\}$$

PFn: arr: partial functions $A \rightarrow B$

③ if (P, \leq) is partially ordered set

obj: $p \in P$

arr: $p \rightarrow q$ iff $p \leq q$



④ Poset: obj: partially ordered set P, Q, \dots

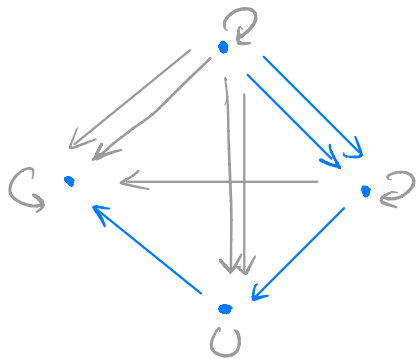
arr: monotone functions $f: P \rightarrow Q$

$$p \leq p' \implies f(p) \leq f(p')$$

⑤ if $G = (V, E)$ directed graph

obj: $v \in V$

arr $v \rightarrow w$ are paths $v \rightarrow w$



⑥ Graphs: obj: directed graphs

arr: $(V, E) \rightarrow (V', E')$ graph homomorphisms

$$f: V \rightarrow V'$$

$$(v, u) \in E \implies (f v, f u) \in E'$$

e.g. $id: V \rightarrow V$
 $v \mapsto v$

⑦ simply typed λ calculus:

obj: types

arr: $A \rightarrow B$ are β - η -equivalence classes of terms of type B with one free var of type A

⑧ Haskell: obj: Haskell types

arr $A \rightarrow B$ are closed Haskell expressions of type $A \rightarrow B$

comp: $g \circ f = (\lambda x \rightarrow g(f\ x))$

but: $\text{undefined} \circ \text{id} = \lambda x. \text{undefined} \neq \text{undefined}$

solution? equate $f, g: A \rightarrow B$ when $f\ x = g\ x$ for all $x: A$ but need operational semantics

Def: if \mathcal{C}, \mathcal{D} are categories, a functor $F: \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$ consists of:

- an object $FA \in \mathcal{D}$ for each object $A \in \mathcal{C}$

- a morphism $Ff: FA \rightarrow FB$ in \mathcal{D} for each morphism $A \xrightarrow{f} B$ in \mathcal{C}

such that:

$$- F(g \circ f) = Fg \circ Ff$$

$$- F(\text{id}_A) = \text{id}_{FA}$$

Examples: ③ if P, Q are posets

and $f: P \rightarrow Q$ monotone function

regard as categories \underline{P} and \underline{Q}

can make functor $\underline{f}: \underline{P} \rightarrow \underline{Q}$

$$p \mapsto f(p)$$

$$p \leq p' \implies f(p) \leq f(p')$$

⑤ If $G = (V, E)$ and $G' = (V', E')$ directed graphs
can regard as categories $\underline{G}, \underline{G}'$,

if $f: G \rightarrow G'$ graph homomorphism,

can regard as functor $\underline{G} \longrightarrow \underline{G}'$
 $v \longmapsto f(v)$

$$\left(\begin{array}{c} v_1 \\ \downarrow \\ v_2 \\ \vdots \\ v_n \end{array} \right) \longmapsto \left(\begin{array}{c} f(v_1) \\ \downarrow \\ f(v_2) \\ \vdots \\ f(v_n) \end{array} \right)$$

⑥

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \text{Set} & \xrightarrow{\Gamma} & \text{Rel} \\ A & \longmapsto & A \\ (A \xrightarrow{f} B) & \longmapsto & \{(a, f(a)) \in A \times B \mid a \in A\} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \text{Rel} & \xrightarrow{\mathcal{P}} & \text{Set} \\ A & \longmapsto & \mathcal{P}A \\ (R \subseteq A \times B) & \longmapsto & \left(\begin{array}{l} \mathcal{P}A \rightarrow \mathcal{P}B \\ u \longmapsto \{b \in B \mid \exists a \in u: (a, b) \in R\} \end{array} \right) \end{array}$$

④ Cat : obj : categories $\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{D}, \dots$
arr : functors $\mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$

⑤ $Posets \xrightarrow{\quad} Cat$
 $P \xrightarrow{\quad} \underline{P}$
 $f \xrightarrow{\quad} \underline{f}$

⑥ $Graph \xrightarrow{Path} Cat$
 $G \xrightarrow{\quad} Path(G)$
 $f \xrightarrow{\quad} Path(f)$

Universal properties

Def: an object $A \in \mathcal{C}$ is terminal if (strictly)
for any object $B \in \mathcal{C}$ there is a unique morphism $B \xrightarrow{!} A$.
↳ universal property

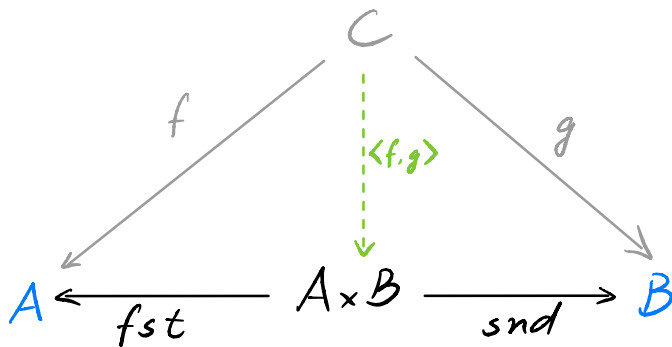
Ex: - Set: any singleton set
- Rel: the empty set
- Poset: any singleton poset

Def: a morphism $f: A \rightarrow B$ is an isomorphism if
there is $g: B \rightarrow A$ such that $g \circ f = id_A$ and $f \circ g = id_B$

Lem: terminal objects are unique up to isomorphism.

Pf: If A, B terminal, then $\begin{matrix} id_A \\ \hookrightarrow \end{matrix} A \xrightleftharpoons{\quad} B \xrightarrow{id_B} \begin{matrix} \hookrightarrow \\ \end{matrix}$

Def: If $A, B \in \mathcal{C}$, a product of A and B is an object $A \times B$ together with map $A \xleftarrow[\pi_A]{fst} A \times B \xrightarrow{snd} B$ such that for every object C and maps $A \xleftarrow{f} C \xrightarrow{g} B$ there is unique map $\langle f, g \rangle: C \rightarrow A \times B$ s.t. $f = fst \circ \langle f, g \rangle$ and $g = snd \circ \langle f, g \rangle$



Ex:

- Set: cartesian product of sets is a (categorical) product
- Rel: disjoint union of sets is a (categorical) product

"limit"
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 "cone"
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 "diagram"

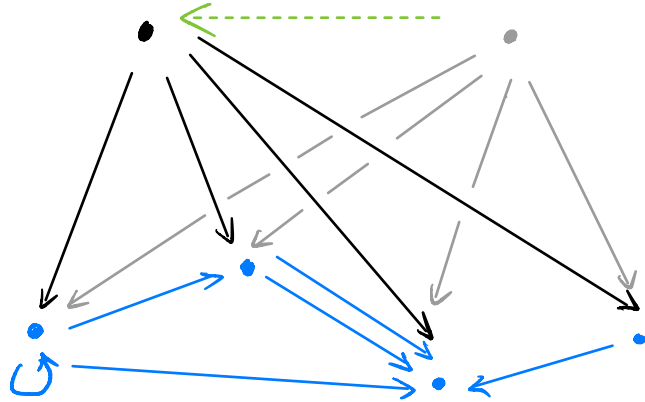
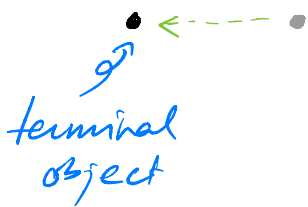
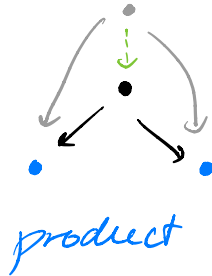


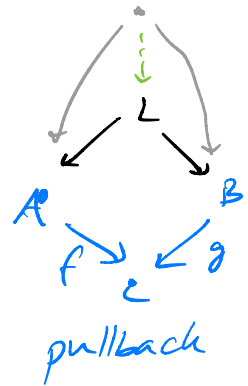
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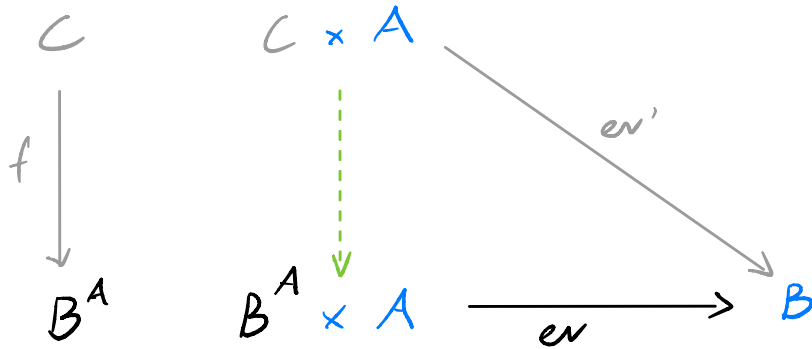
diagram



in Set: $L = \{(a, b) \in A \times B \mid fa = gb\}$



Def: If $A, B \in \mathcal{C}$, an exponential object is an object $B^A \in \mathcal{C}$



Ex 1 - in Set , $B^A = \{f: A \rightarrow B\}$

- in Graph , $H^G = \{f: (\bullet \rightarrow \bullet) \times G \rightarrow H \text{ graph homomorphism}\}$

Def: a category is cartesian closed if it has
a terminal object, all (binary) products, and all
exponential objects

if A, B are objects
then $A \times B$ exists
and B^A exists

Thm: Cart \rightleftarrows Lambda

obj: cartesian closed cats

arr: functors

models of simply-typed λ -calculi

Cat : obj: categories is cartesian closed:
arr: functors if \mathcal{C}, \mathcal{D} are categories,

$\mathcal{C} \times \mathcal{D}$? obj: (A, B) where $A \in \mathcal{C}, B \in \mathcal{D}$
arr $(A, B) \rightarrow (A', B')$ are pairs (f, g) where $f: A \rightarrow A'$ in \mathcal{C}
 $g: B \rightarrow B'$ in \mathcal{D}

$\mathcal{D}^{\mathcal{C}} = [\mathcal{C}, \mathcal{D}]$? obj: functors $F: \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{D}$
arr $F \rightarrow G$: natural transformations, i.e. collection
 $\alpha_A: FA \rightarrow GA$ for each $A \in \mathcal{C}$ such that

$[\mathcal{C}, \text{Set}]$ \mathcal{C} -presheaf

$$\begin{array}{ccc} A & & FA \xrightarrow{\alpha_A} GA \\ f \downarrow & & Ff \downarrow \quad \quad \downarrow Gf \\ B & & FB \xrightarrow{\alpha_B} GB \end{array}$$

Def 1: a monad ("standard construction", "triple") consists of

- a functor $T: \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$

- a natural transformation $\eta_A: A \rightarrow TA$ — "unit"

$\mu_A: T^2A \rightarrow TA$ — "multiplication" "join"

such that

$$\begin{array}{ccc} TA & \xrightarrow{T\eta_A} & T^2A \\ \eta_{TA} \downarrow & \parallel & \downarrow \mu_A \\ T^2A & \xrightarrow{\mu_A} & TA \end{array}$$

"unit laws"

$$\begin{array}{ccc} T^2(TA) = T^3A & \xrightarrow{T\mu_A} & T^2A \\ \mu_{TA} \downarrow & & \downarrow \mu_A \\ T^2A & \xrightarrow{\mu_A} & TA \end{array}$$

"associative law"

Def 2: a monad ("Kleisli triple") consists of

- an object $T \in \mathcal{C}$ for every object $A \in \mathcal{C}$ — "type constructor"
- morphisms $\text{return}: A \rightarrow T(A)$ — "type converter"
- a morphism $\text{bind}(-, f) = (- \gg f): TA \rightarrow TB$ for each $f: A \rightarrow TB$ — "combinator"

such that:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{return}(x) \gg f &= f(x) \\ t \gg \text{return} &= t \quad \text{where } "t: TA" \\ t \gg (\lambda x \rightarrow (f(x) \gg g)) &= (t \gg f) \gg g \end{aligned}$$

Def 1 = def 2: \Rightarrow : $\text{bind}(x, f) = \mu_{Tf}(x)$ $\eta = \text{return}$

\Leftarrow : $\mu = \text{bind}(-, \text{id}_{TA})$

Remark: do notation: $\text{do } a \leftarrow b \dots = b \gg (\lambda a \rightarrow \dots)$

Example ①

Maybe:

$$\mathcal{C} = \text{Set}$$

$$T(A) = A + 1$$

$$T(f) = f + 1$$

$$\eta_A: A \longrightarrow A+1$$

$$a \longmapsto a$$

$$\mu_A: (A+1)+1 \longrightarrow A+1$$

$$a \longmapsto a$$

$$* \longmapsto *$$

$$* \longmapsto *$$

②

Exception:

$$\mathcal{C} = \text{Set}$$

\mathcal{C} work in any category with coproducts

$$T = (-) + E$$

E fixed set of 'exceptions'

$$\eta_A(a) = a$$

$$\mu_A: (A+E)+E \longrightarrow A+E$$

$$a \longmapsto a$$

$$e \longmapsto e$$

$$e \longmapsto e$$

③ Reader:

$TA = A^I$ \rightarrow fixed obj of 'inputs'

$$\begin{array}{c} A \xrightarrow{\mu_A} A^I \\ \hline A \times I \xrightarrow{fst} A \end{array}$$

$$\frac{(A^I)^I \xrightarrow{\mu_A} A^I}{(A^I)^I \times I \longrightarrow A} \quad \text{e.g. in Set: } \mu_A(\varphi)(i) = \varphi(i)(i)$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} (A^I)^I \times I & \longrightarrow & A \\ \text{id} \times \langle \text{id}, \text{id} \rangle \downarrow & & \uparrow \text{ev} \end{array}$$

$$(A^I)^I \times (I \times I) \xrightarrow{\text{ev} \times \text{id}_I} A^I \times I$$

④ Writer:

$TA = A \times 0$ \rightarrow fixed object of 'outputs' that is a semigroup

$$0 \times 0 \xrightarrow{c} 0 \quad | \xrightarrow{e} 0$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} A & \xrightarrow{\mu_A} & A \times 0 \\ & \searrow & \nearrow \text{id}_A \times e \\ & A \times 1 & \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} (A \times 0) \times 0 & \xrightarrow{\mu_A} & A \times 0 \\ & \searrow & \nearrow \text{id}_A \times c \\ & A \times (0 \times 0) & \end{array}$$

⑤ State :

$TA = (A \times S)^S$ where S fixed object of 'States'

$$\frac{A \xrightarrow{\eta_A} (A \times S)^S}{A \times S \xrightarrow{id_{A \times S}} A \times S}$$

$$\frac{((A \times S)^S \times S)^S \xrightarrow{\mu_A} (A \times S)^S}{((A \times S)^S \times S)^S \times S \xrightarrow{ev} (A \times S)^S \times S \xrightarrow{ev} A \times S}$$

⑥ Nondeterminism

$\mathcal{E} = \text{Set}$

$TA = \mathcal{P}A$ List A

$$\begin{array}{l} A \xrightarrow{\eta_A} \mathcal{P}A \\ a \longmapsto \{a\} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \mathcal{P}\mathcal{P}A \xrightarrow{\mu_A} \mathcal{P}A \quad \text{concat} \\ X \longmapsto \{a \in X \mid \exists u \in X: a \in u\} \end{array}$$

⑦ Probability

$\mathcal{E} = \text{Set}$

$TA = \{p: A \rightarrow [0,1] \mid \text{supp}(p) \text{ finite and } \sum_{a \in A} p(a) = 1\}$

$$\begin{array}{l} \eta_A: A \longrightarrow TA \\ a \longmapsto \lambda b: A. \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } a \neq b \\ 1 & \text{if } a = b \end{cases} \quad \text{Dirac distribution} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \mu_A: TA \longrightarrow TA \\ p \longmapsto \lambda a: A. \sum_{p \in TA} P(p) \cdot p(a) \end{array}$$

"pure" computations
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"effectful computations"
↓

Prop:

If $T: \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ is a monad, then there is a category
with obj: $A \in \mathcal{C}$ same as in \mathcal{C}
arr $A \rightarrow B$: are morphisms $f: A \rightarrow T(B)$ in \mathcal{C}

$\mathcal{Kl}(T) = \mathcal{C}_T$
↓
"Kleisli category of T "

Pf:

What is composition?

given $A \xrightarrow{f} T(B)$ and $B \xrightarrow{g} T(C)$ in \mathcal{C} ,

want $A \xrightarrow{f} TB \xrightarrow{Tg} T^2(C) \xrightarrow{\mu_C} T(C)$ in \mathcal{C}

What are identities?

want $A \xrightarrow{\eta_A} T(A)$ in \mathcal{C}

Ex ①

KL (Maybe) :

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PFun

obj: sets A, B, C

arr $A \rightarrow B$ are functions $A \rightarrow B + 1$

can be thought of as partial functions $A \rightarrow B$

②

KL (PowerSet) :

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Rel

arr $A \rightarrow B$ are functions $A \xrightarrow{f} \mathcal{P}B$

can be thought of as relations $R \subseteq A \times B$

$$R = \{(a, b) \mid b \in f(a)\}$$

$$f(a) = \{b \mid (a, b) \in R\}$$

Def: an (Eilenberg-Moore) algebra of a monad $T: \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ consists of:

- an object $A \in \mathcal{C}$ \rightarrow "carrier object"
- a morphism $TA \xrightarrow{a} A$ \in "structure map"

such that

$$\begin{array}{ccc} T^2A & \xrightarrow{Ta} & TA \\ \mu_A \downarrow & & \downarrow a \\ TA & \xrightarrow{a} & A \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} A & \xrightarrow{\eta_A} & TA \\ & \searrow & \downarrow a \\ & & A \end{array}$$

Prop: there is a category $EM(T) = \mathcal{C}^T$ with

obj: EM-algebras

arr $(A, a) \rightarrow (B, b)$ are $f: A \rightarrow B$ in \mathcal{C} s.t.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} TA & \xrightarrow{Tf} & TB \\ a \downarrow & & \downarrow b \\ A & \xrightarrow{f} & B \end{array}$$

Ex: $EM(\text{Powerset}) = \text{Complete Lattices}$ \rightarrow obj poset (P, \leq) s.t. each subset has a least upper bound $\vee(P)$
arr functions that preserve \vee

Def Functors $\mathcal{C} \begin{matrix} \xrightarrow{F} \\ \xleftarrow{G} \end{matrix} \mathcal{D}$ are adjoint, F being left adjoint
 G right adjoint
denoted $F \dashv G$

① if there is a natural bijection

$$\{f: FA \longrightarrow B \text{ in } \mathcal{D}\} \xrightarrow{\cong} \{g: A \longrightarrow GB \text{ in } \mathcal{C}\}$$

$\begin{matrix} \uparrow & & \downarrow \\ FA' & & B' \end{matrix}$
 $\begin{matrix} \uparrow & & \downarrow \\ A' & & GB' \end{matrix}$

or, equivalently

② there are natural transformations

$$\eta_A: A \longrightarrow GFA \quad \text{"unit"}$$

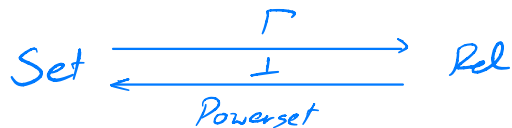
$$\epsilon_B: FGB \longrightarrow B \quad \text{"counit"}$$

satisfying

$$\begin{array}{ccc} FA & \xrightarrow{F\eta_A} & FGFA \\ & \searrow & \downarrow \epsilon_{FA} \\ & GA & FA \\ \eta_{GA} \downarrow & & \swarrow \\ GFGA & \xrightarrow{G\epsilon_A} & GA \end{array}$$

"zig-zag equations"

Ex: ①



$$\underline{\underline{R \subseteq A \times B}}$$

$$\underline{\underline{\Gamma A \rightarrow B \text{ in Rel}}}$$

$$\underline{\underline{A \rightarrow \mathcal{P}B \text{ in Set}}}$$

$$f: A \rightarrow \mathcal{P}B$$

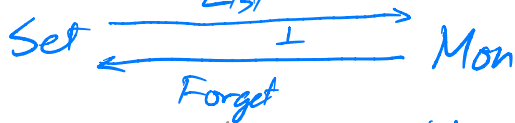
$$f(a) = \{b \mid (a, b) \in R\}$$

$$R = \{(a, b) \mid f(a) = b\}$$

Lemma: right adjoint preserve limits



Ex ②:

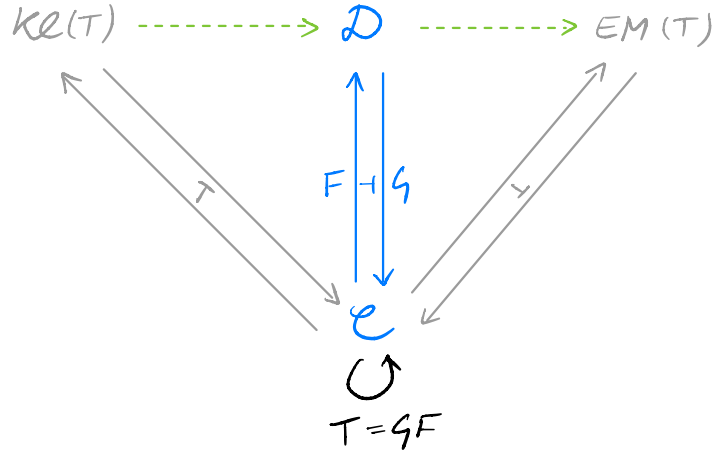


"forgetful"

sets A with $A \times A \rightarrow A$
 $1 \rightarrow A$

Lem: If $\mathcal{C} \xrightleftharpoons[F]{G} \mathcal{D}$ adjoint, then $T = GF$ is monad on \mathcal{C}

Thm:



Def: a ^{Symmetric} monoidal category is a category \mathcal{C} with

- a functor $\otimes : \mathcal{C} \times \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$
- a object I
- natural isomorphisms

$$\begin{array}{ccc} A & B & A \otimes B \\ \downarrow f & \downarrow g & \downarrow f \otimes g \\ A' & B' & A' \otimes B' \end{array}$$

$$\alpha_{A,B,C} : A \otimes (B \otimes C) \rightarrow (A \otimes B) \otimes C \text{ "associator"}$$

$$\lambda_A : I \otimes A \rightarrow A$$

$$\rho_A : A \otimes I \rightarrow A$$

$$\gamma_{A,B} : A \otimes B \rightarrow B \otimes A$$

} "units"

such that

$$A \otimes (I \otimes B) \xrightarrow{\alpha_{A,I,B}} (A \otimes I) \otimes B$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & & \\ \text{id}_A \otimes \gamma_B & \searrow & \\ & & A \otimes B \\ & \swarrow & \\ & & \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \\ \rho_A \circ \text{id}_B \\ \\ \end{array}$$

"triangle equations"

$$\begin{array}{ccc} A \otimes ((B \otimes C) \otimes D) & \xrightarrow{\alpha_{A,B \otimes C, D}} & (A \otimes (B \otimes C)) \otimes D \\ \text{id}_A \otimes \alpha_{B,C,D} \nearrow & & \searrow \alpha_{A,B,C} \otimes \text{id}_D \\ A \otimes (B \otimes (C \otimes D)) & & ((A \otimes B) \otimes C) \otimes D \\ \alpha_{A,B,C \otimes D} \searrow & & \nearrow \alpha_{A \otimes B, C, D} \\ & (A \otimes B) \otimes (C \otimes D) & \end{array}$$

"pentagon equations"

Ex: - If \mathcal{C} has finitary products, then $\otimes = \times$, $I=1$ makes \mathcal{C} monoidal
 - Vect under tensor product

Thm: ("coherence theorem") any two "well-typed" morphisms $A \rightarrow B$ in a monoidal category built from $\text{id}, \alpha, \lambda, \rho$ using \circ, \otimes are equal

$$f: A \rightarrow B$$



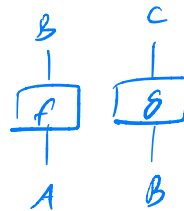
$$g: B \rightarrow C$$

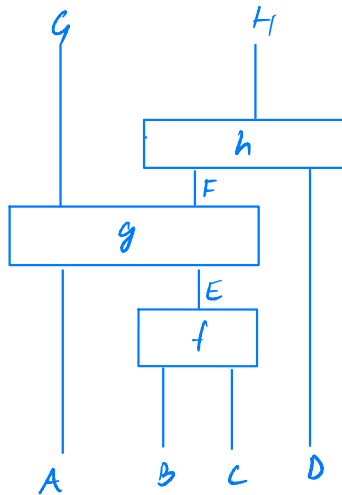


$$g \circ f: A \rightarrow C$$



$$f \otimes g: A \otimes B \rightarrow B \otimes C$$





↔

$$\begin{array}{c}
 G \otimes H \\
 \uparrow \text{id}_G \otimes h \\
 G \otimes (F \otimes D) \\
 \uparrow \alpha_{G,F,H}^{-1} \\
 (G \otimes F) \otimes D \\
 \uparrow g \otimes \text{id}_D \\
 (A \otimes E) \otimes D \\
 \uparrow \alpha_{A,E,D} \\
 A \otimes (E \otimes D) \\
 \uparrow \text{id}_A \otimes (f \otimes \text{id}_D) \\
 A \otimes ((B \otimes C) \otimes D) \\
 \uparrow \text{id}_A \otimes \alpha_{B,C,D} \\
 A \otimes (B \otimes (C \otimes D))
 \end{array}$$

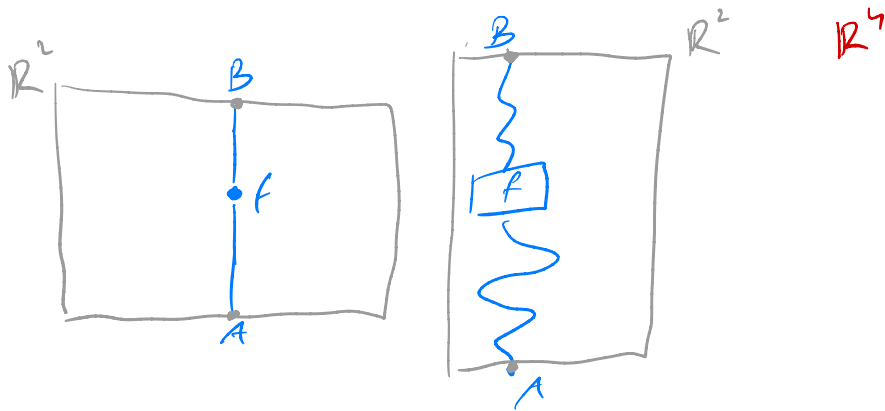
Thm ("Correctness of graphical calculus")

two morphisms $A \rightarrow B$ in a monoidal category are equal

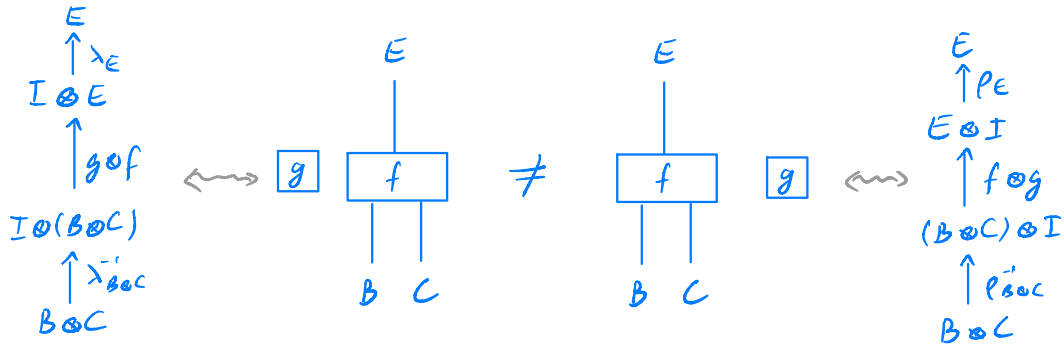


their pictures are isotopic

of



But e.g.:



Def: a monad $T: \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ on a monoidal category \mathcal{C} is strong if it has a natural transformation

$$st_{A,B}: A \otimes B \longrightarrow T(A \otimes B)$$

"strength map"

such that

$$\begin{array}{ccc} I \otimes TA & \xrightarrow{st_{I,A}} & T(I \otimes A) \\ & \searrow \lambda_{TA} & \swarrow T\lambda_A \\ & & TA \end{array} \qquad \begin{array}{ccc} A \otimes B & \xrightarrow{id_A \otimes \eta_B} & A \otimes TB \\ & \searrow \eta_{A \otimes B} & \swarrow st_{A,B} \\ & & T(A \otimes B) \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} (A \otimes B) \otimes TC & \xrightarrow{st_{A \otimes B, C}} & T((A \otimes B) \otimes C) \\ \downarrow \alpha_{A,B,TC} & & \downarrow T\alpha_{A \otimes B, C} \\ A \otimes (B \otimes TC) & \xrightarrow{id_A \otimes st_{B,C}} & A \otimes T(B \otimes C) \xrightarrow{st_{A, B \otimes C}} & T(A \otimes (B \otimes C)) \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} A \otimes T'B & \xrightarrow{st_{A, T'B}} & T(A \otimes T'B) \xrightarrow{Tst_{A,B}} & T^2(A \otimes B) \\ \downarrow id_A \otimes \eta_B & & \downarrow \mu_{A \otimes B} \\ A \otimes TB & \xrightarrow{\alpha_{A,B}} & T(A \otimes B) \end{array}$$

Def: T is commutative if it is strong and

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 & & T(T(A) \otimes B) & \xrightarrow{T(st'_{A,B})} & T^2(A \otimes B) & \xrightarrow{\mu_{A \otimes B}} & T(A \otimes B) \\
 & \nearrow st_{T,A,B} & & & & & \\
 TA \otimes TB & & & \xrightarrow{dst} & & & \\
 & \searrow st'_{A,TB} & T(A \otimes TB) & \xrightarrow{T(st_{A,B})} & T^2(A \otimes B) & \xrightarrow{\mu_{A \otimes B}} & T(A \otimes B)
 \end{array}$$

where

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 TA \otimes B & \xrightarrow{st'_{A,B}} & T(A \otimes B) \\
 \eta_{TA,B} \downarrow & & \uparrow T\eta_{B,A} \\
 B \otimes TA & \xrightarrow{st_{B,A}} & T(B \otimes A)
 \end{array}$$

Lemma: $Kl(T)$ is symmetric monoidal $\iff T$ is commutative

Ex: Maybe is strong: $A \times (B+1) \longrightarrow (A \times B) + 1$

Writer is strong: $A \times (B \times 0) \longrightarrow (A \times B) \times 0$

Writer is commutative $\iff 0 \times 0 \rightarrow 0$ is commutative

any monad on Set is strong:

$$A \times TB \longrightarrow T(A \times B)$$

$$(a, t) \longmapsto T(\lambda b. (a, b))(t)$$

Def: a distributive law of monad $S: \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ over a monad $T: \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ is a natural transformation $\delta_A: TSA \rightarrow STA$ such that

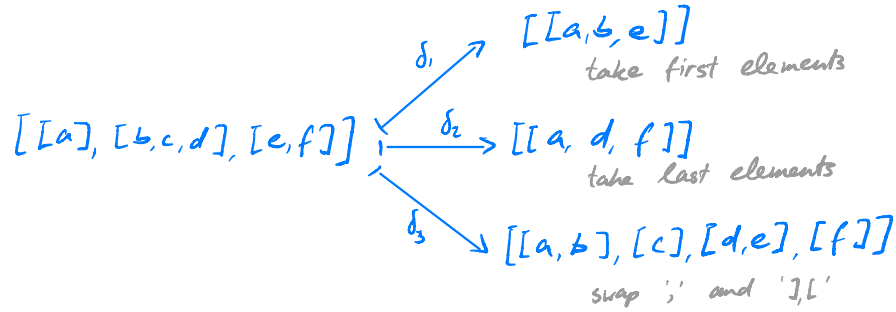
$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 TSSA & \xrightarrow{\delta_{SA}} & STSA & \xrightarrow{S\delta_A} & SSTA \\
 \downarrow T\eta_A^S & & & & \downarrow \eta_{TA}^S \\
 TSA & \xrightarrow{\delta_A} & STA & & STA \\
 \uparrow \eta_{SA}^T & & & & \uparrow S\eta_A^T \\
 TTSA & \xrightarrow{T\delta_A} & TSTA & \xrightarrow{\delta_{TA}} & STTA
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 & TA & \\
 T\eta_A^S \swarrow & & \searrow \eta_{TA}^S \\
 TSA & \xrightarrow{\delta_A} & STA
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 & SA & \\
 \eta_{SA}^T \swarrow & & \searrow S\eta_A^T \\
 TSA & \xrightarrow{\delta_A} & STA
 \end{array}$$

Thm: if δ is distributive law, then $ST: \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$ is a monad

Ex: $S=T = \text{nonempty}$ List monad



Ex: Powerset does not distributive over Distribution
so nondeterminism and probability hard to combine