Linear Dependent Types and Relative Completeness

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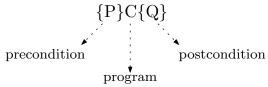
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Part I

Program Logics, Type Systems, and Relative Completeness

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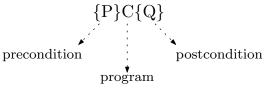
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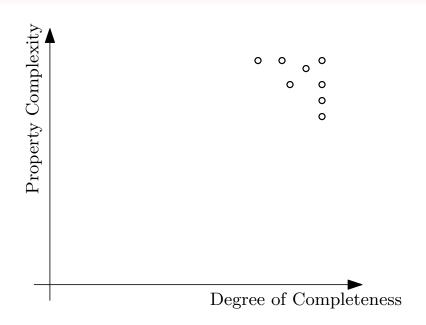
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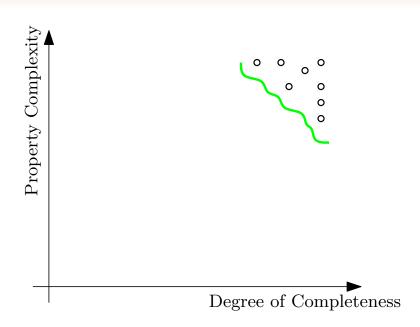
Relative Completeness

- ▶ The axiom system is sound.
 - If true formulas of PA are used as side-conditions.
- ▶ It's also relatively complete [Cook78].
 - All true assertions can be derived if *all true* PA formulas can be used as side-conditions.
- Concrete axiom systems can be derived by throwing in a concrete sound formal system \mathcal{F} for PA.
 - They are sound.
 - They are incomplete, due to Gödel incompleteness.
 - ${\mathcal F}$ is solely responsible for their incompleteness.
- A variety of FH logics enjoy the properties above.
 - Including some for higher-order programs [Honda2000]...
 - ... and some in which the complexity of programs and not only their extensional behavior is taken into account.

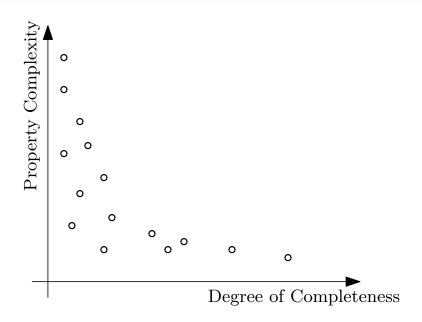
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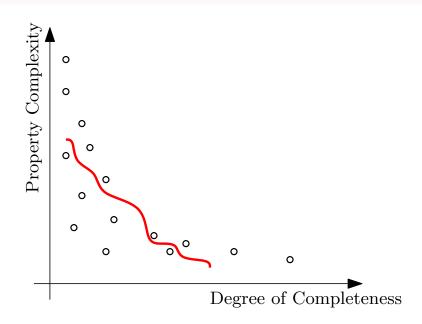
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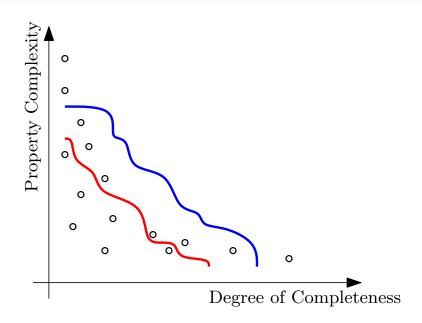
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Some Examples

Simply Types

- "Well-typed programs do not go wrong".
- Type inference and type checking are often decidable.

Dependent Types

- Type checking is decidable.
- Interesting, extensional properties can be specified.

Intersection Types

- · Sound and complete for termination.
- Type inference is not decidable.
- Studying programs as functions requires considering an infinite family of type derivations.

A Notable Exception: Bounded Linear Logic

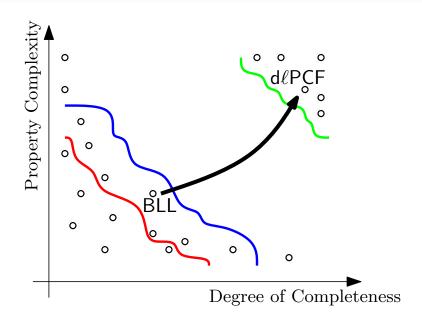
- One of the earliest examples of a system capturing polynomial time **functions** [GSS1992].
 - Extensionally!
 - For every polytime function there is at least one proof in BLL computing it.
- Types:

$$A ::= \alpha(p_1, \dots, p_n) \mid A \otimes A \mid A \multimap A \mid \forall \alpha.A \mid !_{x < p} A$$

- ▶ How many "polytime proofs" does BLL capture?
 - → There's evidence they are many [DLHofmann2010].
- ▶ Type checking can be **problematic**. As an example:

$$\frac{\Gamma,!_{x < p}A,!_{y < q}A\{p + y/x\} \vdash B \quad p + q \leqslant r}{\Gamma,!_{x < r}A \vdash B} X$$

This Work



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Part II

 $d\ell \mathsf{PCF}$

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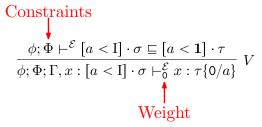
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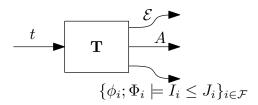
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Conclusions

- A relatively complete type system $d\ell PCF$.
- Type inference, type checking and derivation checking are undecidable, in general.
 - ... but can become manageable if \mathcal{E} is simple enough.
 - Light Logics!
- Current work: relative decidability of type inference.



Thank you!

Questions?

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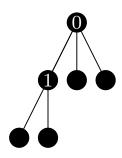
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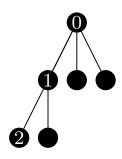
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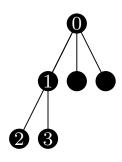
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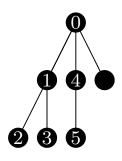
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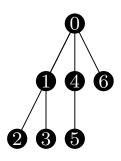
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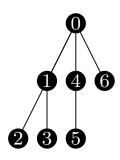
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