

# Calcuemus Igitur

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# 1986: Theory of Lists

$$f_* \cdot \# / = \# / \cdot f_{**}$$

$$\oplus / \cdot \# / = \oplus / \cdot \oplus / *$$

# 1997: Algebra of Programming

$$\Lambda R = (\epsilon \setminus R) \cap (R \setminus \epsilon)^\circ$$

$$([R]) \cdot ([S^\circ])^\circ \cdot ([S^\circ]) \cdot ([R])^\circ \subseteq id$$

# Binary Structures over $A$

Two formative operations:

$$\textit{Tip} :: A \rightarrow S_A$$

$$\textit{Fork} :: S_A \times S_A \rightarrow S_A$$

possibly with algebraic laws

# The Boom Hierarchy

Laws for *Fork*

Inhabitants of  $S_A$

(none)

Tiptrees

Assoc

Lists

Assoc+Comm

Bags

Assoc+Comm+Idemp

Sets

## But what about . . .

Laws for *Fork*

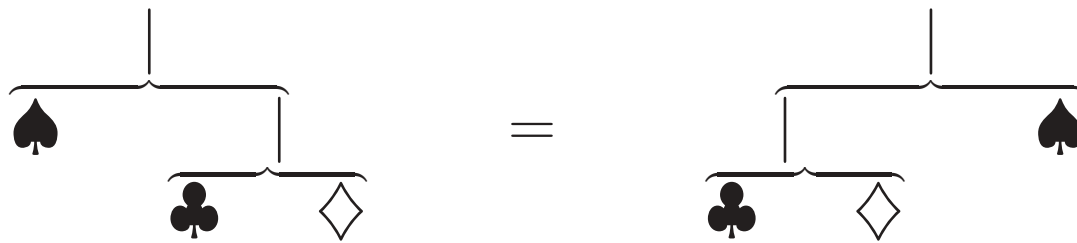
Inhabitants of  $S_A$

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Mobiles

?

For example,





## Notation for Mobiles

*Tip*  $a \longrightarrow [a]$

*Fork*  $(s, t) \longrightarrow s \hat{\ } t$

## The usual homomorphisms

$$f_* [a] = [f a]$$

$$f_* (s \wedge t) = (f_* s) \wedge (f_* t)$$

For *symmetric* operator  $\oplus$ :

$$\oplus / [a] = a$$

$$\oplus / (s \wedge t) = (\oplus / s) \oplus (\oplus / t)$$

## Examples

$shape \hat{=} !*$ , where  $! :: A \rightarrow 1$

$sum \hat{=} +/$

(for a mobile with numeric tips)

# Catamorphisms

The general catamorphism on mobiles:

$$\oplus / \cdot f_*$$

For example, if function  $tipweight :: A \rightarrow \mathbb{R}_+$  gives the weights of the tree tips, function

$$treeweight \hat{=} + / \cdot tipweight_*$$

returns the total weight of a mobile

## Weight-balanced mobiles

A mobile is called (*weight-*)balanced when in each sibling pair of subtrees the siblings have the same treeweight

(Note. No relationship to *depth-balanced* unless all tips have the same weight)

## Weight-balanced mobiles (2)

$balanced\ [a] = True$

$balanced\ (s^{\wedge}t) =$

$balanced\ s$

$\wedge\ balanced\ t$

$\wedge\ treeweight\ s = treeweight\ t$

# Zygomorphism

(Malcolm, 1990) Yet another origami pattern having both paramorphisms and “banana split” as special instances

$$(\textit{balanced}, \textit{treeweight}) = \oplus / \cdot f_*$$

for some  $\oplus$  and  $f$

How to find  $\oplus$  and  $f$ ? Calculate!

## Finding $f$

Since  $(\oplus/\cdot f^*)[a] = f a$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} & f a \\ = & \quad \{\text{above, zygo}\} \\ & (\text{balanced}, \text{treeweight})[a] \\ = & \quad \{\text{commatics}\} \\ & (\text{balanced}[a], \text{treeweight}[a]) \\ = & \quad \{\text{definitions}\} \\ & (\text{True}, \text{tipweight } a) \end{aligned}$$



## Finding $\oplus$

Given

$$\text{balanced } s = p \quad \text{treeweight } s = u$$

$$\text{balanced } t = q \quad \text{treeweight } t = v$$

$$\text{balanced}(s \hat{=} t) = r \quad \text{treeweight}(s \hat{=} t) = w$$

solve for  $\oplus$

$$(p, u) \oplus (q, v) = (r, w)$$

## Finding $\oplus$ (2)

$$\begin{aligned} & r \\ = & \quad \{\text{given}\} \\ & \text{balanced}(s \sim t) \\ = & \quad \{\text{definition}\} \\ & \text{balanced } s \wedge \text{balanced } t \\ & \quad \wedge \text{treeweight } s = \text{treeweight } t \\ = & \quad \{\text{given}\} \\ & p \wedge q \wedge u = v \end{aligned}$$

## Finding $\oplus$ (3)

Similarly, we find  $w = u + v$ ,  
resulting in the definition

$$(p, u) \oplus (q, v) = (p \wedge q \wedge u = v, u + v)$$

Sanity check:  $\oplus$  is indeed symmetric

## Balancing mobiles

Consider mobiles over  $\mathbb{R}_+$ , where the tip values are the tip weights (i.e., *tipweight* is the identity function)

Given a weight (value) and a mobile, can we construct another mobile of the same shape that is balanced and has the given weight?

## Balancing mobiles (2)

Abbreviate  $(bal, tw) \hat{=} (balanced, treeweight)$

Find function  $mkbal$  satisfying

$$\begin{aligned} shape (w \text{ `mkbal` } t) &= shape t \\ (bal, tw) (w \text{ `mkbal` } t) &= (True, w) \end{aligned}$$

## Finding $mkbal$

From the preservation of *shape* we have

$$\begin{aligned}w \text{ `mkbal` } [a] &= [b] \\w \text{ `mkbal` } (s \wedge t) &= x \wedge y\end{aligned}$$

for some  $b$ ,  $x$  and  $y$  such that  
 $shape\ x = shape\ s$  and  $shape\ y = shape\ t$

For which values? Calculemus!

## Finding $b$

$$\begin{aligned} & (bal, tw)[b] = (\text{True}, w) \\ \equiv & \quad \{\text{definition}\} \\ & (\text{True}, b) = (\text{True}, w) \\ \equiv & \quad \{\text{commatics}\} \\ & b = w \end{aligned}$$

## Finding $x$ and $y$

$$\begin{aligned} & (bal, tw)(x \wedge y) = (\text{True}, w) \\ \equiv & \quad \{\text{definition}\} \\ & (bal\ x \wedge bal\ y \wedge tw\ x = tw\ y, tw\ x + tw\ y) = \\ & \quad (\text{True}, w) \\ \equiv & \quad \{\text{commatics, logic}\} \\ & bal\ x \wedge bal\ y \wedge tw\ x = tw\ y \wedge \\ & \quad tw\ x + tw\ y = w \end{aligned}$$



## Finding $x$ and $y$ (continued)

$$\begin{aligned} bal\ x \wedge bal\ y \wedge tw\ x = tw\ y \wedge \\ tw\ x + tw\ y = w \end{aligned}$$

$\equiv$  {algebra}

$$bal\ x \wedge bal\ y \wedge tw\ x = tw\ y = w/2$$

$\equiv$  {commatics}

$$(bal, tw)\ x = (True, w/2) \wedge$$

$$(bal, tw)\ y = (True, w/2)$$

$\Leftarrow$  {constructive hypothesis}

$$x = (w/2)\ `mkbal` s \wedge$$

$$y = (w/2)\ `mkbal` t$$

## Conclusion

Pattern ingredients can often be constructed by simple and straightforward calculation

So Let Us Calculate

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