

编程语言的设计原理 Design Principles of Programming Languages

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Practice in Class

arith, fullsimple, fullref



main.ml drives the whole process

Scan tokes (lexer.mll)

Parse terms (parser.mly)

Evaluate each terms (eval in core.ml) Print the values (printtm in syntax.ml)



syntax. ml defines the terms

```
type term =
    TmTrue of info
| TmFalse of info
| TmIf of info * term * term * term
| TmZero of info
| TmSucc of info * term
| TmPred of info * term
| TmIsZero of info * term
```

Info:

a data type recording the position of the term in the source file



```
let rec isnumericval t = match t with
```

```
TmZero(_) → true
```

| TmSucc(_,t1) → isnumericval t1

```
|_ → false
```



eval in core.ml

```
let rec eval t =
  try let t' = eval1 t
    in eval t'
  with NoRuleApplies → t
```

eval1: perform a single step reduction

Some abbreviations



- UCID = upper case identifier
- LCID = lower case identifier
- ty = type
- tm = term
- LCURLY = "{"
- RCURLY = "}"
- USCORE = "_"

Commands



- Each line of the source file is parsed as a command
 - type command = | Eval of info * term
 - New commands will be added later
- Main routine for each file

```
let process_file f =
    alreadyImported := f :: !alreadyImported;
    let cmds = parseFile f in
    let g c =
        open_hvbox 0;
    let results = process_command c in
    print_flush();
    results
in
    List.iter g cmds
```

Homework for 3/9



- Please get familiar with OCaml and its utilities
- Please download the implementation package of the TAPL, and digest the source codes in archives of arith, tyarith, untype.
- Please give your implementation for Chap. 4
 - Submit your code as a compressed file with one of the above names
 - Your submission should contain file test.f that contains exactly the expressions to be tested
 - TA will perform the following two commands to verify your submission:
 - make
 - ./f test.f

Exercise arith.simple_use



- Using arith to write the following equation
 - Return five if two is not zero, otherwise return nine

Hint: read the code in parser.mly

Exercise arith.size



- Make the evaluation computes the size of a term (3.3.2) instead of reducing the term, and test it on the original test.f
 - Hint:
 - pr: string->unit
 prints a string to the screen
 - string_of_int : int->string converts an integer into a string
 - Remember to change both .ml and .mli files

Big-step vs small-step



- Big-step is usually easier to understand
 - called "natural semantics" in some articles
- Big-step often leads to simpler proof
- Big-step cannot describe computations that do not produce a value
 - Non-terminating computation
 - "Stuck" computation

Exercise arith.big-step



- Change the evaluation to use big-step semantics, and compute the following expressions:
 - true;
 - if false then true else false;
 - if 0 then 1 else 2;
 - if true then (succ false) else 2;
 - -0;
 - succ (pred 0);
 - iszero (pred (succ (succ 0)));

fullsimple



- Implementing all extensions in Chapter 11
- Allow different types of command:
 - Evaluation: type-checking and reducing a term
 - Bindings
 - Variable binding: a:Int;
 - Type variable binding: T;
 - Term abbreviation binding: t = succ 0;
 - Type abbreviation binding: T = Nat -> Nat;
- Types can be used without declaration (uninterpreted types)

```
x:X
(lambda a:X. a) x
```

Review: nameless representation



What is the nameless representation of the following term?

$$\lambda x. x (\lambda y. x y)$$

$$\lambda$$
. 0 (λ . 1 0)

Fullsimple, terms



```
type term =
   TmVar of info * int * int
   | TmAbs of info * string * ty * term
   | TmApp of info * term * term
   | ...
```

- Using nameless representation of terms
- The second int for TmVar is used for debugging
 - = the number of items in the context
- The "string" in TmAbs is used for printing

Example: printing terms



```
and printtm ATerm outer ctx t = match t with
  | TmVar(fi, x, n) ->
     if ctxlength ctx = n then
          pr (index2name fi ctx x)
     else
          pr ("[bad index: " ^ ...
  | TmAbs(fi, x, tyT1, t2) ->
     (let (ctx',x') = (pickfreshname ctx x) in
          obox(); pr "lambda ";
           pr x'; pr ":"; printty Type false ctx tyT1; pr "."; ...
           printtm Term outer ctx' t2; ...
```

Review: context



- What contexts are used in our course?
 - Mapping names to integers in nameless representation
 - Σ: mapping variables to types
- Can be combined into one
- New contexts in the implementation
 - Type variable binding: marking type variables
 - Term abbreviation binding: Mapping variables to terms (and their types)
 - Type abbreviation binding: Mapping type variables to terms

```
type binding =
    NameBind
    | TyVarBind
    | VarBind of ty
    | TmAbbBind of term * (ty option) |
     TyAbbBind of ty

type context = (string * binding) list
```

Auxiliary functions for nameless representation



name2index

info->context ->string->int return the index of a name

 index2name info->context ->int->string

inverse of the above

pickfreshname

```
context->string ->(context, string)
generate a fresh name using the second
parameter as hint
```

Exercise fullsimple.nameless



 Construct a term t that is evaluated a term t' in fullsimple, where t' is different from t via only alpha-renaming (i.e., no beta-reduction)

Exercise fullsimple.match



- Add pattern matching for tuples, and test on the following expressions
 - $\text{ let } \{x, y, z\} = \{\text{true}, 1, \{2\}\} \text{ in } z;$
 - let $\{x, y, z\} = \{true, 1, \{2\}\}\ in (lambda x:Nat. x) y;$
 - let $\{x, y, z\}$ = let x = 1 in $\{true, x, \{2\}\}$ in z;
 - lambda x:Nat. let $\{x, y\} = \{true, 1\}$ in x;
 - $\text{ let } x = 0 \text{ in let } \{y, z\} = \{1, 2\} \text{ in } x;$
 - $\text{ let } \{y, z\} = \{1, 2\} \text{ in let } y = 3 \text{ in } y;$
- Part of the code is already provided to you in the following two pages

Partial code for fullsimple.match



- Adding the following line to "type term =" in syntax.ml
 - | TmPLet of info * string list * term * term
- Adding the following lines after line 235 in parser.mly
 - | LET Pattern EQ Term IN Term { fun ctx -> TmPLet(\$1, \$2, \$4 ctx, \$6 (List.fold_left (fun x y -> addname x y) ctx \$2)) }

– Pattern :

```
LCURLY MetaVars RCURLY { $2 } | LCURLY RCURLY | { [] }
```

- Add the following line to tminfo in syntax.ml
 - | TmPLet(fi,__,__,) -> fi

Partial code for fullsimple.match



Adding the following lines to "printtm_Term" in syntax.ml

```
| TmPLet(fi, xs, t1, t2) ->
obox0();
pr "let {";
let rec print xs =
match xs with
   x::x'::rest -> pr x; pr ","; print (x'::rest);
    | x::[] -> pr x;
    | [] -> pr ""; in
print xs;
pr "} = ";
printtm Term false ctx t1;
print_space(); pr "in"; print_space();
let ctx' = List.fold_left (fun ctx x -> addname ctx x) ctx xs in
printtm_Term false ctx' t2;
cbox()
```