

## Programming Languages and Compilers (CS 421)

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## Review: In Class Activity

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## Mea Culpa

- The above system can't handle polymorphism as in OCAML
- No type variables in type language (only meta-variable in the logic)
- Would need:
  - Object level type variables and some kind of type quantification
  - **let** and **let rec** rules to introduce polymorphism
  - Explicit rule to eliminate (instantiate) polymorphism

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## Support for Polymorphic Types

- Monomorphic Types ( $\tau$ ):
  - Basic Types: `int`, `bool`, `float`, `string`, `unit`, ...
  - Type Variables:  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \epsilon$
  - Compound Types:  $\alpha \rightarrow \beta$ , `int * string`, `bool list`, ...
- Polymorphic Types:
  - Monomorphic types  $\tau$
  - Universally quantified monomorphic types
  - $\forall \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n. \tau$
  - Can think of  $\tau$  as same as  $\forall. \tau$

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## Example FreeVars Calculations

- $\text{Vars}('a \rightarrow (\text{int} \rightarrow 'b) \rightarrow 'a) = \{ 'a, 'b \}$
- $\text{FreeVars}(\text{All } 'b. 'a \rightarrow (\text{int} \rightarrow 'b) \rightarrow 'a) = \{ 'a, 'b \} - \{ 'b \} = \{ 'a \}$
- $\text{FreeVars } \{$
- $x : \text{All } 'b. 'a \rightarrow (\text{int} \rightarrow 'b) \rightarrow 'a,$
- $\text{id} : \text{All } 'c. 'c \rightarrow 'c,$
- $y : \text{All } 'c. 'a \rightarrow ('b \rightarrow 'c)$
- $\} = \{ 'a \} \cup \{ \} \cup \{ 'a, 'b \} = \{ 'a, 'b \}$

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## Support for Polymorphic Types

- Typing Environment  $\Gamma$  supplies polymorphic types (which will often just be monomorphic) for variables
- Free variables of monomorphic type just type variables that occur in it
  - Write  $\text{FreeVars}(\tau)$
- Free variables of polymorphic type removes variables that are universally quantified
  - $\text{FreeVars}(\forall \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n. \tau) = \text{FreeVars}(\tau) - \{ \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n \}$
- $\text{FreeVars}(\Gamma) =$  all  $\text{FreeVars}$  of types in range of  $\Gamma$

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## Monomorphic to Polymorphic

- Given:
  - type environment  $\Gamma$
  - monomorphic type  $\tau$
  - $\tau$  shares type variables with  $\Gamma$
- Want most polymorphic type for  $\tau$  that doesn't break sharing type variables with  $\Gamma$
- $\text{Gen}(\tau, \Gamma) = \forall \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n. \tau$  where  $\{\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n\} = \text{freeVars}(\tau) - \text{freeVars}(\Gamma)$

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## Polymorphic Typing Rules

- A *type judgement* has the form  $\Gamma \vdash \text{exp} : \tau$ 
  - $\Gamma$  uses **polymorphic** types
  - $\tau$  still monomorphic
- Most rules stay same (except use more general typing environments)
- Rules that change:
  - Variables
  - Let and Let Rec
  - Allow polymorphic constants
- Worth noting functions again

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## Polymorphic Let and Let Rec

- let rule:

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash e_1 : \tau_1 \quad \{x : \text{Gen}(\tau_1, \Gamma)\} + \Gamma \vdash e_2 : \tau_2}{\Gamma \vdash (\text{let } x = e_1 \text{ in } e_2) : \tau_2}$$

- let rec rule:

$$\frac{\{x : \tau_1\} + \Gamma \vdash e_1 : \tau_1 \quad \{x : \text{Gen}(\tau_1, \Gamma)\} + \Gamma \vdash e_2 : \tau_2}{\Gamma \vdash (\text{let rec } x = e_1 \text{ in } e_2) : \tau_2}$$

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## Polymorphic Variables (Identifiers)

Variable axiom:

$$\frac{}{\Gamma \vdash x : \varphi(\tau)} \quad \text{if } \Gamma(x) = \forall \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n. \tau$$

- Where  $\varphi$  replaces all occurrences of  $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n$  by monotypes  $\tau_1, \dots, \tau_n$
- Note: Monomorphic rule special case:
 
$$\frac{}{\Gamma \vdash x : \tau} \quad \text{if } \Gamma(x) = \tau$$
- Constants treated same way

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## Fun Rule Stays the Same

- fun rule:

$$\frac{\{x : \tau_1\} + \Gamma \vdash e : \tau_2}{\Gamma \vdash \text{fun } x \rightarrow e : \tau_1 \rightarrow \tau_2}$$

- Types  $\tau_1, \tau_2$  monomorphic
- Function argument must always be used at same type in function body

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## Polymorphic Example

- Assume additional constants and primitive operators:
  - hd :  $\forall \alpha. \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \alpha$
  - tl :  $\forall \alpha. \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \alpha \text{ list}$
  - is\_empty :  $\forall \alpha. \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{bool}$
  - (::) :  $\forall \alpha. \alpha \rightarrow \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \alpha \text{ list}$
  - [] :  $\forall \alpha. \alpha \text{ list}$

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## Polymorphic Example

- Show:

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{ } |- let rec length =  
 fun l -> if is\_empty l then 0  
           else 1 + length (tl l)  
 in length (2 :: []) + length(true :: []) : int

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## Polymorphic Example: Let Rec Rule

- Show: (1) (2)
- $$\frac{\{ \text{length} : \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{int} \} \quad \{ \text{length} : \forall \alpha. \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{int} \}}{\{ \text{length} : \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{int} \} \quad \{ \text{length} : \forall \alpha. \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{int} \}}$$

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{ } |- let rec length =  
 fun l -> if is\_empty l then 0  
           else 1 + length (tl l)  
 in length (2 :: []) + length(true :: []) : int

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## Polymorphic Example (1)

- Show:

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{length:  $\alpha$  list  $\rightarrow$  int} |-  
 fun l -> if is\_empty l then 0  
           else 1 + length (tl l)  
 :  $\alpha$  list  $\rightarrow$  int

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## Polymorphic Example (1): Fun Rule

- Show: (3)

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{length:  $\alpha$  list  $\rightarrow$  int, l:  $\alpha$  list} |-  
 if is\_empty l then 0  
   else length (hd l) + length (tl l) : int

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{length:  $\alpha$  list  $\rightarrow$  int} |-  
 fun l -> if is\_empty l then 0  
           else 1 + length (tl l)  
 :  $\alpha$  list  $\rightarrow$  int

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## Polymorphic Example (3)

- Let  $\Gamma = \{ \text{length} : \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{int}, l : \alpha \text{ list} \}$
- Show

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$\Gamma$  |- if is\_empty l then 0  
           else 1 + length (tl l) : int

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## Polymorphic Example (3): IfThenElse

- Let  $\Gamma = \{ \text{length} : \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{int}, l : \alpha \text{ list} \}$
- Show

$$\frac{\frac{\Gamma \vdash \text{is\_empty } l \quad \Gamma \vdash 0 : \text{int}}{\Gamma \vdash \text{is\_empty } l \quad \Gamma \vdash 0 : \text{int}} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash 1 + \text{length } (tl \ l) \quad \Gamma \vdash 1 + \text{length } (tl \ l) : \text{int}}{\Gamma \vdash 1 + \text{length } (tl \ l) \quad \Gamma \vdash 1 + \text{length } (tl \ l) : \text{int}}}{\Gamma \vdash \text{if is\_empty } l \text{ then } 0 \text{ else } 1 + \text{length } (tl \ l) : \text{int}}$$

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### Polymorphic Example (4)

- Let  $\Gamma = \{\text{length} : \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{int}, l : \alpha \text{ list}\}$
- Show

$$\frac{?}{\Gamma \vdash \text{is\_empty } l : \text{bool}}$$

### Polymorphic Example (4):Application

- Let  $\Gamma = \{\text{length} : \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{int}, l : \alpha \text{ list}\}$
- Show

$$\frac{\frac{?}{\Gamma \vdash \text{is\_empty} : \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{bool}} \quad \frac{?}{\Gamma \vdash l : \alpha \text{ list}}}{\Gamma \vdash \text{is\_empty } l : \text{bool}}$$

### Polymorphic Example (4)

- Let  $\Gamma = \{\text{length} : \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{int}, l : \alpha \text{ list}\}$
- Show

By Const since  $\alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{bool}$   
is instance  $\{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha\}$  of

$$\forall \alpha. \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{bool} \quad ?$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash \text{is\_empty} : \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{bool} \quad \Gamma \vdash l : \alpha \text{ list}}{\Gamma \vdash \text{is\_empty } l : \text{bool}}$$

### Polymorphic Example (4)

- Let  $\Gamma = \{\text{length} : \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{int}, l : \alpha \text{ list}\}$
- Show

By Const since  $\alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{bool}$  is instance of  $\forall \alpha. \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{bool}$  By Variable  $\Gamma(l) = \alpha \text{ list}$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash \text{is\_empty} : \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{bool} \quad \Gamma \vdash l : \alpha \text{ list}}{\Gamma \vdash \text{is\_empty } l : \text{bool}}$$

- This finishes (4)

### Polymorphic Example (5):Const

- Let  $\Gamma = \{\text{length} : \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{int}, l : \alpha \text{ list}\}$
- Show

By Const Rule

$$\frac{}{\Gamma \vdash 0 : \text{int}}$$

### Polymorphic Example (6): BinOp

- Let  $\Gamma = \{\text{length} : \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{int}, l : \alpha \text{ list}\}$
- Show

$$\frac{\frac{\Gamma \vdash 1 : \text{int}}{\Gamma \vdash 1 : \text{int}} \quad \frac{\frac{\Gamma \vdash \text{length} : \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{int} \quad \Gamma \vdash (tl \ l) : \alpha \text{ list}}{\Gamma \vdash \text{length } (tl \ l) : \text{int}} \quad (7)}{\Gamma \vdash 1 + \text{length } (tl \ l) : \text{int}} \text{App}$$

### Polymorphic Example (7):App Rule

- Let  $\Gamma = \{\text{length} : \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{int}, l : \alpha \text{ list}\}$
- Show:

$$\frac{\text{Const} \quad \Gamma \vdash tl : \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \alpha \text{ list} \quad \text{Variable} \quad \Gamma \vdash l : \alpha \text{ list}}{\Gamma \vdash (tl \ l) : \alpha \text{ list}}$$

By Const since  $\alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \alpha \text{ list}$  is instance  $\{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha\}$  of  $\forall \alpha. \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \alpha \text{ list}$

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### Polymorphic Example: (2) by BinOp

- Let  $\Gamma' = \{\text{length} : \forall \alpha. \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{int}\}$
- Show:

$$\frac{\begin{array}{c} (8) \\ \Gamma' \vdash \\ \text{length}(2 :: []) : \text{int} \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} (9) \\ \Gamma' \vdash \\ \text{length}(\text{true} :: []) : \text{int} \end{array}}{\{\text{length} : \forall \alpha. \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{int}\} \\ \Gamma' \vdash \text{length}(2 :: []) + \text{length}(\text{true} :: []) : \text{int}}$$

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### Polymorphic Example: (8)AppRule

- Let  $\Gamma' = \{\text{length} : \forall \alpha. \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{int}\}$
- Show:

$$\frac{\Gamma' \vdash \text{length} : \text{int list} \rightarrow \text{int} \quad \Gamma' \vdash (2 :: []): \text{int list}}{\Gamma' \vdash \text{length}(2 :: []) : \text{int}}$$

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### Polymorphic Example: (8)AppRule

- Let  $\Gamma' = \{\text{length} : \forall \alpha. \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{int}\}$
- Show:

$$\frac{\Gamma' \vdash \text{length} : \text{int list} \rightarrow \text{int} \quad \Gamma' \vdash (2 :: []): \text{int list}}{\Gamma' \vdash \text{length}(2 :: []) : \text{int}}$$

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### Polymorphic Example: (8)AppRule

- Let  $\Gamma' = \{\text{length} : \forall \alpha. \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{int}\}$
- Show:

By Var since  $\text{int list} \rightarrow \text{int}$  is instance  $\{\alpha \rightarrow \text{int}\}$  of  $\forall \alpha. \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{int}$  (by  $\alpha \rightarrow \text{int}$ )

$$\frac{\Gamma' \vdash \text{length} : \text{int list} \rightarrow \text{int} \quad (10) \quad \Gamma' \vdash (2 :: []): \text{int list}}{\Gamma' \vdash \text{length}(2 :: []) : \text{int}}$$

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### Polymorphic Example: (10)BinOpRule

- Let  $\Gamma' = \{\text{length} : \forall \alpha. \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{int}\}$
- Show:

$$\frac{\text{Const} \quad \Gamma' \vdash 2 : \text{int} \quad \Gamma' \vdash [] : \text{int list}}{\Gamma' \vdash (2 :: []) : \text{int list}}$$

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### Polymorphic Example: (10)BinOpRule

- Let  $\Gamma' = \{\text{length} : \forall \alpha. \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{int}\}$
- Show:
- By Const since  $\text{int list}$  is instance of  $\forall \alpha. \alpha \text{ list}$  (by  $\alpha \rightarrow \text{int}$ )

$$\frac{\frac{}{\Gamma' \vdash 2 : \text{int}} \quad \frac{}{\Gamma' \vdash [] : \text{int list}}}{\Gamma' \vdash (2 :: []) : \text{int list}}$$

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### Polymorphic Example: (9)AppRule

- Let  $\Gamma' = \{\text{length} \forall \alpha. \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{int}\}$
- Show:

$$\frac{\frac{?}{\Gamma' \vdash \text{length} : \text{bool list} \rightarrow \text{int}} \quad \frac{?}{\Gamma' \vdash (\text{true} :: []) : \text{bool list}}}{\Gamma' \vdash \text{length} (\text{true} :: []) : \text{int}}$$

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### Polymorphic Example: (9)AppRule

- Let  $\Gamma' = \{\text{length} \forall \alpha. \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{int}\}$
- Show:
- Var since  $\text{bool list} \rightarrow \text{int}$  is instance of  $\forall \alpha. \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{int}$  (by  $\alpha \rightarrow \text{bool}$ )

$$\frac{\frac{}{\Gamma' \vdash \text{length} : \text{bool list} \rightarrow \text{int}} \quad \frac{(10)}{\Gamma' \vdash (\text{true} :: []) : \text{bool list}}}{\Gamma' \vdash \text{length} (\text{true} :: []) : \text{int}}$$

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### Polymorphic Example: (10)BinOpRule

- Let  $\Gamma' = \{\text{length} : \forall \alpha. \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{int}\}$
- Show:

$$\frac{\frac{\text{Const}}{\Gamma' \vdash \text{true} : \text{bool}} \quad \frac{?}{\Gamma' \vdash [] : \text{bool list}}}{\Gamma' \vdash (\text{true} :: []) : \text{bool list}}$$

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### Polymorphic Example: (10)BinOpRule

- Let  $\Gamma' = \{\text{length} : \forall \alpha. \alpha \text{ list} \rightarrow \text{int}\}$
- Show:
- By Const since  $\text{bool list}$  is instance of  $\forall \alpha. \alpha \text{ list}$  (by  $\alpha \rightarrow \text{bool}$ )

$$\frac{\frac{}{\Gamma' \vdash \text{true} : \text{bool}} \quad \frac{}{\Gamma' \vdash [] : \text{bool list}}}{\Gamma' \vdash (\text{true} :: []) : \text{bool list}}$$

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### Two Problems

- Type checking
  - Question: Does exp.  $e$  have type  $\tau$  in env  $\Gamma$ ?
  - Answer: Yes / No
  - Method: Type **derivation**
- Typability
  - Question Does exp.  $e$  have **some type** in env.  $\Gamma$ ?  
If so, what is it?
  - Answer: Type  $\tau$  / error
  - Method: Type **inference**

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## Type Inference - Outline

- Begin by assigning a type variable as the type of the whole expression
- Decompose the expression into component expressions
- Use typing rules to generate constraints on components and whole
- Recursively find substitution that solves typing judgment of first subcomponent
- Apply substitution to next subcomponent and find substitution solving it; compose with first, etc.
- Apply comp of all substitution to orig. type var. to get answer

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## Type Inference - Example

- What type can we give to  
(fun x -> fun f -> f (f x))
- Start with a type variable and then look at the way the term is constructed

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## Type Inference - Example

- First approximate:  
 $\{ \} \vdash (\text{fun } x \rightarrow \text{fun } f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \alpha$
- Second approximate: use fun rule  
$$\frac{\{x : \beta\} \vdash (\text{fun } f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \gamma}{\{ \} \vdash (\text{fun } x \rightarrow \text{fun } f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \alpha}$$
- Remember constraint  $\alpha \equiv (\beta \rightarrow \gamma)$

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## Type Inference - Example

- Third approximate: use fun rule  
$$\frac{\frac{\{f : \delta ; x : \beta\} \vdash f (f x) : \varepsilon}{\{x : \beta\} \vdash (\text{fun } f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \gamma}}{\{ \} \vdash (\text{fun } x \rightarrow \text{fun } f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \alpha}$$
- $\alpha \equiv (\beta \rightarrow \gamma); \gamma \equiv (\delta \rightarrow \varepsilon)$

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## Type Inference - Example

- Fourth approximate: use app rule  
$$\frac{\frac{\frac{\{f : \delta ; x : \beta\} \vdash f : \varphi \rightarrow \varepsilon \quad \{f : \delta ; x : \beta\} \vdash f x : \varphi}{\{f : \delta ; x : \beta\} \vdash (f (f x)) : \varepsilon}}{\{x : \beta\} \vdash (\text{fun } f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \gamma}}{\{ \} \vdash (\text{fun } x \rightarrow \text{fun } f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \alpha}$$
- $\alpha \equiv (\beta \rightarrow \gamma); \gamma \equiv (\delta \rightarrow \varepsilon)$

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## Type Inference - Example

- Fifth approximate: use var rule, get constraint  $\delta \equiv \varphi \rightarrow \varepsilon$ , Solve with same
- Apply to next sub-proof  
$$\frac{\frac{\frac{\{f : \delta ; x : \beta\} \vdash f : \varphi \rightarrow \varepsilon \quad \{f : \delta ; x : \beta\} \vdash f x : \varphi}{\{f : \delta ; x : \beta\} \vdash (f (f x)) : \varepsilon}}{\{x : \beta\} \vdash (\text{fun } f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \gamma}}{\{ \} \vdash (\text{fun } x \rightarrow \text{fun } f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \alpha}$$
- $\alpha \equiv (\beta \rightarrow \gamma); \gamma \equiv (\delta \rightarrow \varepsilon)$

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## Type Inference - Example

- Current subst:  $\{\delta \equiv \varphi \rightarrow \varepsilon\}$

$$\frac{\dots \quad \{f: \varphi \rightarrow \varepsilon; x: \beta\} \vdash f x : \varphi}{\{f: \delta; x: \beta\} \vdash (f (f x)) : \varepsilon} \quad \frac{\{x: \beta\} \vdash (fun f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \gamma}{\{ \} \vdash (fun x \rightarrow fun f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \alpha}$$

- $\alpha \equiv (\beta \rightarrow \gamma); \gamma \equiv (\delta \rightarrow \varepsilon)$

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## Type Inference - Example

- Current subst:  $\{\delta \equiv \varphi \rightarrow \varepsilon\}$  Use App Rule

$$\frac{\{f: \varphi \rightarrow \varepsilon; x: \beta\} \vdash f: \zeta \rightarrow \varphi \quad \{f: \varphi \rightarrow \varepsilon; x: \beta\} \vdash x: \zeta}{\dots \quad \{f: \varphi \rightarrow \varepsilon; x: \beta\} \vdash f x : \varphi} \quad \frac{\{x: \beta\} \vdash (fun f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \gamma}{\{ \} \vdash (fun x \rightarrow fun f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \alpha}$$

- $\alpha \equiv (\beta \rightarrow \gamma); \gamma \equiv (\delta \rightarrow \varepsilon)$

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## Type Inference - Example

- Current subst:  $\{\delta \equiv \varphi \rightarrow \varepsilon\}$
- Var rule: Solve  $\zeta \rightarrow \varphi \equiv \varphi \rightarrow \varepsilon$  **Unification**

$$\frac{\{f: \varphi \rightarrow \varepsilon; x: \beta\} \vdash f: \zeta \rightarrow \varphi \quad \{f: \varphi \rightarrow \varepsilon; x: \beta\} \vdash x: \zeta}{\dots \quad \{f: \varphi \rightarrow \varepsilon; x: \beta\} \vdash f x : \varphi} \quad \frac{\{x: \beta\} \vdash (fun f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \gamma}{\{ \} \vdash (fun x \rightarrow fun f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \alpha}$$

- $\alpha \equiv (\beta \rightarrow \gamma); \gamma \equiv (\delta \rightarrow \varepsilon)$

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## Type Inference - Example

- Current subst:  $\{\zeta \equiv \varepsilon, \varphi \equiv \varepsilon\} \circ \{\delta \equiv \varphi \rightarrow \varepsilon\}$
- Var rule: Solve  $\zeta \rightarrow \varphi \equiv \varphi \rightarrow \varepsilon$  **Unification**

$$\frac{\{f: \varphi \rightarrow \varepsilon; x: \beta\} \vdash f: \zeta \rightarrow \varphi \quad \{f: \varphi \rightarrow \varepsilon; x: \beta\} \vdash x: \zeta}{\dots \quad \{f: \varphi \rightarrow \varepsilon; x: \beta\} \vdash f x : \varphi} \quad \frac{\{x: \beta\} \vdash (fun f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \gamma}{\{ \} \vdash (fun x \rightarrow fun f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \alpha}$$

- $\alpha \equiv (\beta \rightarrow \gamma); \gamma \equiv (\delta \rightarrow \varepsilon)$

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## Type Inference - Example

- Current subst:  $\{\zeta \equiv \varepsilon, \varphi \equiv \varepsilon, \delta \equiv \varepsilon \rightarrow \varepsilon\}$
- Apply to next sub-proof

$$\frac{\dots \quad \{f: \varepsilon \rightarrow \varepsilon; x: \beta\} \vdash x: \varepsilon}{\dots \quad \{f: \varphi \rightarrow \varepsilon; x: \beta\} \vdash f x : \varphi} \quad \frac{\{x: \beta\} \vdash (fun f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \gamma}{\{ \} \vdash (fun x \rightarrow fun f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \alpha}$$

- $\alpha \equiv (\beta \rightarrow \gamma); \gamma \equiv (\delta \rightarrow \varepsilon)$

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## Type Inference - Example

- Current subst:  $\{\zeta \equiv \varepsilon, \varphi \equiv \varepsilon, \delta \equiv \varepsilon \rightarrow \varepsilon\}$
- Var rule:  $\varepsilon \equiv \beta$

$$\frac{\dots \quad \{f: \varepsilon \rightarrow \varepsilon; x: \beta\} \vdash x: \varepsilon}{\dots \quad \{f: \varphi \rightarrow \varepsilon; x: \beta\} \vdash f x : \varphi} \quad \frac{\{x: \beta\} \vdash (fun f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \gamma}{\{ \} \vdash (fun x \rightarrow fun f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \alpha}$$

- $\alpha \equiv (\beta \rightarrow \gamma); \gamma \equiv (\delta \rightarrow \varepsilon)$

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### Type Inference - Example

- Current subst:  $\{\varepsilon \equiv \beta\} \circ \{\zeta \equiv \varepsilon, \varphi \equiv \varepsilon, \delta \equiv \varepsilon \rightarrow \varepsilon\}$
- Solves subproof; return one layer

$$\frac{\dots \quad \frac{\frac{\frac{\dots \quad \{f : \varepsilon \rightarrow \varepsilon; x : \beta\} \mid - x : \varepsilon}{\dots \quad \{f : \varphi \rightarrow \varepsilon; x : \beta\} \mid - f x : \varphi}}{\{f : \delta; x : \beta\} \mid - (f (f x)) : \varepsilon}}{\{x : \beta\} \mid - (\text{fun } f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \gamma}}{\{ \} \mid - (\text{fun } x \rightarrow \text{fun } f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \alpha}}{\alpha \equiv (\beta \rightarrow \gamma); \gamma \equiv (\delta \rightarrow \varepsilon)}$$

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### Type Inference - Example

- Current subst:  $\{\varepsilon \equiv \beta, \zeta \equiv \beta, \varphi \equiv \beta, \delta \equiv \beta \rightarrow \beta\}$
- Solves this subproof; return one layer

$$\frac{\dots \quad \frac{\frac{\frac{\dots \quad \{f : \varphi \rightarrow \varepsilon; x : \beta\} \mid - f x : \varphi}}{\{f : \delta; x : \beta\} \mid - (f (f x)) : \varepsilon}}{\{x : \beta\} \mid - (\text{fun } f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \gamma}}{\{ \} \mid - (\text{fun } x \rightarrow \text{fun } f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \alpha}}{\alpha \equiv (\beta \rightarrow \gamma); \gamma \equiv (\delta \rightarrow \varepsilon)}$$

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### Type Inference - Example

- Current subst:  $\{\varepsilon \equiv \beta, \zeta \equiv \beta, \varphi \equiv \beta, \delta \equiv \beta \rightarrow \beta\}$
- Need to satisfy constraint  $\gamma \equiv (\delta \rightarrow \varepsilon)$ , given subst, becomes:  $\gamma \equiv ((\beta \rightarrow \beta) \rightarrow \beta)$

$$\frac{\dots \quad \frac{\frac{\frac{\dots \quad \{f : \delta; x : \beta\} \mid - (f (f x)) : \varepsilon}}{\{x : \beta\} \mid - (\text{fun } f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \gamma}}{\{ \} \mid - (\text{fun } x \rightarrow \text{fun } f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \alpha}}{\alpha \equiv (\beta \rightarrow \gamma); \gamma \equiv (\delta \rightarrow \varepsilon)}$$

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### Type Inference - Example

- Current subst:  $\{\gamma \equiv ((\beta \rightarrow \beta) \rightarrow \beta), \varepsilon \equiv \beta, \zeta \equiv \beta, \varphi \equiv \beta, \delta \equiv \beta \rightarrow \beta\}$
- Solves subproof; return one layer

$$\frac{\dots \quad \frac{\frac{\frac{\dots \quad \{f : \delta; x : \beta\} \mid - (f (f x)) : \varepsilon}}{\{x : \beta\} \mid - (\text{fun } f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \gamma}}{\{ \} \mid - (\text{fun } x \rightarrow \text{fun } f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \alpha}}{\alpha \equiv (\beta \rightarrow \gamma); \gamma \equiv (\delta \rightarrow \varepsilon)}$$

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- Current subst:  $\{\gamma \equiv ((\beta \rightarrow \beta) \rightarrow \beta), \varepsilon \equiv \beta, \zeta \equiv \beta, \varphi \equiv \beta, \delta \equiv \beta \rightarrow \beta\}$
- Need to satisfy constraint  $\alpha \equiv (\beta \rightarrow \gamma)$  given subst:  $\alpha \equiv (\beta \rightarrow ((\beta \rightarrow \beta) \rightarrow \beta))$

$$\frac{\dots \quad \frac{\frac{\dots \quad \{x : \beta\} \mid - (\text{fun } f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \gamma}}{\{ \} \mid - (\text{fun } x \rightarrow \text{fun } f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \alpha}}{\alpha \equiv (\beta \rightarrow \gamma);}$$

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### Type Inference - Example

- Current subst:  $\{\alpha \equiv (\beta \rightarrow ((\beta \rightarrow \beta) \rightarrow \beta)), \gamma \equiv ((\beta \rightarrow \beta) \rightarrow \beta), \varepsilon \equiv \beta, \zeta \equiv \beta, \varphi \equiv \beta, \delta \equiv \beta \rightarrow \beta\}$
- Solves subproof; return on layer

$$\frac{\dots \quad \frac{\frac{\dots \quad \{x : \beta\} \mid - (\text{fun } f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \gamma}}{\{ \} \mid - (\text{fun } x \rightarrow \text{fun } f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \alpha}}{\alpha \equiv (\beta \rightarrow \gamma);}$$

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## Type Inference - Example

- Current subst:

$\{\alpha \equiv (\beta \rightarrow ((\beta \rightarrow \beta) \rightarrow \beta)),$

$\gamma \equiv ((\beta \rightarrow \beta) \rightarrow \beta), \varepsilon \equiv \beta, \zeta \equiv \beta, \varphi \equiv \beta, \delta \equiv \beta \rightarrow \beta\}$

- Done:  $\alpha \equiv (\beta \rightarrow ((\beta \rightarrow \beta) \rightarrow \beta))$

$\{ \} \vdash (\text{fun } x \rightarrow \text{fun } f \rightarrow f (f x)) : \alpha$