Classical Distributive Restriction Categories arXiv:2305.16524

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- However, PAR still has products given by: $X \sqcup Y \sqcup (X \times Y)$, where the projections are $p_0: X \sqcup Y \sqcup (X \times Y) \rightarrow X$ and $p_1: X \sqcup Y \sqcup (X \times Y) \rightarrow Y$ are defined as:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} p_0(x) = x & p_0(y) \uparrow & p_0(x,y) = x \\ p_1(x) \uparrow & p_1(y) = y & p_1(x,y) = y \end{array}$$

The pairing is defined as follows:



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- We will explain when in a **distributive** restriction category, $A \oplus B \oplus (A \times B)$ is a product.

Theorem (Cockett and Lemay)

For a distributive restriction category $\mathbb X,$ the following are equivalent:

- O $A \oplus B \oplus (A \times B)$ is a product;
- X is classical;
- @ X is the Kleisli category of the exception monad $_\oplus 1$ of a distributive category.

Definition

A **restriction category** is a category X equipped with a **restriction operator** (, which associates every map $f : A \to B$ to a map $\overline{f} : A \to A$, called the **restriction of** f, and such that the following four axioms hold^a:

- [R.1] $\overline{f}f = f$
- [R.2] $\overline{f}\overline{g} = \overline{g}\overline{f}$
- [R.3] $\overline{\overline{g}f} = \overline{g}\overline{f}$
- [R.4] $f\overline{g} = \overline{fg}f$

A map f is total if $\overline{f} = 1$.

Cockett, R. and Lack, S. Restriction Categories I: Categories of partial maps.

^aComposition written in diagramatic order

Example

PAR is a restriction category where the restriction of a partial function $f: X \to Y$ is the partial function $\overline{f}: X \to X$ defined as follows:

$$\overline{f}(x) = \begin{cases} x & \text{if } f(x) \downarrow \\ \uparrow & \text{if } f(x) \uparrow \end{cases}$$

Total maps are precisely ordinary total functions between sets.

Example

Let k be a commutative ring and let k-CALG be the category whose objects are commutative k-algebras and whose maps are *non-unital* k-algebra morphisms, that is, k-linear morphisms $f : A \rightarrow B$ that preserve the multiplication, f(ab) = f(a)f(b), but not necessarily the multiplicative unit, so f(1) may not equal 1.

k-CALG $_{\bullet}^{op}$ is a restriction category, so k-CALG $_{\bullet}$ is a corestriction category where the corestriction of a non-unital k-algebra morphism $\overline{f}: A \to B$ is the non-unital k-algebra morphism $\overline{f}: B \to B$ defined as:

$$\overline{f}(b) = f(1)b$$

Definition

A Cartesian restriction category is a restriction category ${\mathbb X}$ with:

(2) A restriction terminal object, that is, an object 1 such that for every object A there exists a unique total map $t_A: A \to 1$ such that for every map $f: A \to B$:



② Binary **restriction products**, that is, every pair of objects *A* and *B*, there is an object $A \times B$ with total maps $\pi_0 : A \times B \to A$ and $\pi_1 : A \times B \to B$ such that for every pair of maps $f : C \to A$ and $g : C \to B$, there exists a unique map $(f, g) : C \to A \times B$ such that:



Example

PAR has restriction products:

- The restriction terminal object is a chosen singleton $1 = \{*\}$, and $t_X : X \to \{*\}$ maps everything to the single element, $t_X(x) = *$.
- The restriction product is given by the Cartesian product $A \times B$, where the projections $\pi_0: X \times Y \to X$ and $\pi_1: X \times Y \to Y$ are defined as $\pi_0(x, y) = x$ and $\pi_1(x, y) = y$, and the pairing of partial functions is defined as:

$$(f,g)(x) = \begin{cases} (f(x),g(x)) & \text{if } f(x) \downarrow \text{ and } g(x) \downarrow \\ \uparrow & \text{o.w.} \end{cases}$$

Example

k-CALG_•^{op} has restriction products, so k-CALG_• has corestriction coproducts where:

- The corestriction initial object is k, and $t_A: k \to A$ is defined by the k-algebra structure of A.
- The corestriction coproduct is given by the tensor product $A \otimes B$, where the injections $\iota_0 : A \to A \otimes B$ and $\iota_1 : B \to A \otimes B$ are defined as $\iota_0(a) = a \otimes 1$ and $\iota_1(b) = 1 \otimes b$, and where the copairing is given by:

$$[f,g](a\otimes b) = f(a)g(b)$$

- Restriction coproducts are actual coproducts in the usual sense.
- While we will only need to work with binary restriction products, for simplicity, it will be easier to work with finite (restriction) coproducts.
- For a category X with finite coproducts, we denote the coproduct as ⊕, with injection maps *ι_j* : *A_j* → *A*₀ ⊕ … ⊕ *A_n*, where the copairing operation is denoted by [-, …, -], and we denote the initial object as 0 with unique map *z_A* : 0 → *A*.

Definition

A coCartesian restriction category is a restriction category \mathbb{X} with finite restriction coproducts, that is, \mathbb{X} has finite coproducts where all the injection maps $\iota_i : A_i \to A_0 \oplus \cdots \oplus A_n$ are total.

Example

PAR has restriction coproducts, the initial object is the empty set $0 = \emptyset$ and the coproduct is given by disjoint union $X \oplus Y = X \sqcup Y$.

Example

k-CALG^{op} has restriction coproducts, so *k*-CALG• has corestriction products where the terminal object is the zero algebra 0 and the product is given by the product of *k*-algebras $A \times B$.

Definition

A distributive restriction category is a restriction category $\mathbb X$ which is both a Cartesian restriction category and a coCartesian restriction category such that:

$$(A \times B) \oplus (A \times C) \cong A \times (B \oplus C)$$
 $0 \cong A \times 0$ (3)

Cockett, R. and Lack, S. Restriction Categories III: Colimits, Partial Limits and Extensivity.

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- But first we need to define the projections! To do that we need restriction zeroes...

Definition

A restriction category X is said to have **restriction zeroes** if X has zero maps such that $\overline{0} = 0$.

Example

PAR has restriction zeroes, where the restriction zero maps are the partial functions $0: X \to Y$ which is nowhere defined, $0(x) \uparrow$ for all $x \in X$.

Example

k-CALG_•^{op} has restriction zeroes, so k-CALG_• has corestriction zeroes, where $0: A \rightarrow B$ is the zero morphism, 0(a) = 0.

Definition (Cockett and Lemay)

A distributive restriction category X is said to have **classical products** if X has restriction zeroes and for every pair of objects A and B, the following is a product diagram:

$$A \xleftarrow{p_0 \coloneqq [1_A, 0, \pi_0]} A \oplus B \oplus (A \times B) \xrightarrow{p_1 \coloneqq [0, 1_B, \pi_1]} B$$

$$(4)$$

We call:

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the classical product and $p_0: A\&B \to A$ and $p_1: A\&B \to B$ the classical projections.

Lemma

A distributive restriction category with classical products has finite products (the terminal object is the restriction initial object 0).

Example

PAR has classical products where:

$$X\&Y = X \sqcup Y \sqcup (X \times Y)$$

Example

k-CALG^{op} has classical products, so k-CALG• has coclassical coproducts where:

 $A\&B = A \times B \times (A \otimes B)$

and the coclassical injections $p_0: A \rightarrow A\&B$ and $p_1: B \rightarrow A\&B$ are defined as:

 $p_0(a) = (a, 0, a \otimes 1)$ $p_1(b) = (0, b, 1 \otimes b)$

The coclassical copairing $\langle\!\langle f, g \rangle\!\rangle : A\&B \to C$ is defined as follows:

 $\langle\!\langle f,g \rangle\!\rangle (a,b,x \otimes y) = f(a) - f(a)g(1) + g(b) - f(1)g(b) + f(x)g(y)$

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Why the name classical products?

Because a distributive restriction category has classical products if and only if it classical!

A classical restriction category is a restriction category with:

- Joins
- Relative Complements

This allows for classical Boolean reasoning.

Joins

In a restriction category for parallel maps $f : A \rightarrow B$ and $g : A \rightarrow B$ we say that:

- f is less than or equal to g, f ≤ g, if f g = f;
 IDEA: When f(x) is defined then g(x) is defined and g(x) = f(x)
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A **join restriction category** is a restriction category \mathbb{X} such that for any finite family of parallel maps $f_0 : A \to B$, ..., $f_n : A \to B$ that is pairwise compatible, so $f_i \sim f_j$ for all $0 \le i, j, \le n$, is a (necessarily unique) map $f_0 \lor \cdots \lor f_n : A \to B$ such that:

- $f_i \leq f_0 \vee \cdots \vee f_n$ for all $0 \leq i \leq n$;
- If $g : A \to B$ is a map such that $f_i \leq g$ for all $0 \leq i \leq n$ then $f_0 \lor \cdots \lor f_n \leq g$;
- $h(f_0 \vee \cdots \vee f_n) = hf_0 \vee \cdots \vee hf_n$.

Join restriction categories have restriction zeroes given by the join of the empty family.

Joins – Examples

Example

PAR is a join restriction category where

- $f \leq g$ if g(x) = f(x) whenever $f(x) \downarrow$.
- $f \sim g$ if f(x) = g(x) whenever both $f(x) \downarrow$ and $g(x) \downarrow$.
- If $f \sim g$, then their join $f \vee g$ is defined as follows:

$$(f \lor g)(x) = \begin{cases} f(x) & \text{if } f(x) \downarrow \text{ and } g(x) \uparrow \\ g(x) & \text{if } f(x) \uparrow \text{ and } g(x) \downarrow \\ f(x) = g(x) & \text{if } f(x) \downarrow \text{ and } g(x) \downarrow \\ \uparrow & \text{if } f(x) \uparrow \text{ and } g(x) \uparrow \end{cases}$$

Example

k-CALG_•^{op} is a join restriction category, so k-CALG_• is a (co?)join corestriction category:

- $f \leq g$ if f(1)g(a) = f(a).
- $f \sim g$ if g(1)f(a) = f(1)g(a).
- If $f \sim g$, then their join $f \vee g$ is defined as follows:

 $(f \lor g)(a) = f(a) + g(a) + g(1)f(a) = f(a) + g(a) + g(1)f(a)$

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A classical restriction category is a join restriction category \mathbb{X} such that all for parallel maps $f: A \to B$ and $g: A \to B$ such that $f \leq g$, there exists a (necessarily unique) map $g \setminus f: A \to B$, called the **relative complement**, such that:

- $g \setminus f \perp f$
- $g \setminus f \vee f = g$

Cockett, R. and Manes, E. Boolean and Classical Restriction Categories.

Example

PAR is a classical restriction category where if $f \le g$, then the relative complement f/g is defined as follows:

$$(g \setminus f)(x) = \begin{cases} g(x) & \text{if } f(x) \uparrow \text{ and } g(x) \downarrow \\ \uparrow & \text{if } f(x) \downarrow \text{ or } g(x) \uparrow \end{cases}$$

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k-CALG^{op} is a classical restriction category, so k-CALG_o is a coclassical corestriction category where if $f \leq g$, then the relative complement $g \setminus f$ is defined as follows:

 $(g \setminus f)(a) = g(a) - f(1)g(a)$

Theorem (Cockett and Lemay)

A distributive restriction category is classical if and only if it has classical products.

Define the classical pairing $\langle\!\langle f,g \rangle\!\rangle : C \to A \oplus B \oplus (A \times B)$ as the join of these three maps:

$$\langle\!\langle f,g\rangle\!\rangle \coloneqq (f\backslash(\overline{g}f))\iota_0 \lor (g\backslash(\overline{f}g))\iota_1 \lor \langle f,g\rangle\iota_2 \tag{6}$$

If $f \sim g$ then define their join $f \vee g$ as follows:

$$f \lor g \coloneqq A \xrightarrow{\langle\!\langle f, g \rangle\!\rangle} B \oplus B \oplus (B \times B) \xrightarrow{[1_B, 1_B, \pi_0]} B$$
(7)

If $f \leq g$ then define their relative complement $g \setminus f$ as follows:

$$g \setminus f := A \xrightarrow{\langle \langle f, g \rangle \rangle} B \oplus B \oplus (B \times B) \xrightarrow{[0, 1_B, 0]} B$$
(8)

• It turns out that classical distributive restriction categories are precisely the Kleisli categories of exception monads!

A distributive category is a category $\mathbb D$ with finite products (\times and 1) and finite coproducts (\oplus and 0) such that:

$$(A \times B) \oplus (A \times C) \cong A \times (B \oplus C) \qquad \qquad 0 \cong A \times 0 \tag{9}$$

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Proposition (Cockett and Lack)

The Kleisli category $\mathbb{D}_{-\oplus 1}$ is a distributive restriction category where:

• For a Kleisli map $f : A \rightarrow B \oplus 1$, its restriction is:

$$A \xrightarrow{\langle 1_A, f \rangle} A \times (B \oplus 1) \cong (A \times B) \oplus (A \times 1) \xrightarrow{\pi_0 \oplus \pi_1} A \oplus 1$$
(10)

- \bullet × is the restriction product and 1 is the restriction terminal object;
- $\bullet \ \oplus$ is the restriction coproduct and 0 is the restriction initial object.

Lemma

The Kleisli category $\mathbb{D}_{\oplus 1}$ has products given by $A \oplus B \oplus (A \times B)$.

This is because $(A \times B) \oplus 1 \cong (A \oplus B \oplus (A \times B)) \oplus 1$.

Proposition (Cockett and Lemay)

The Kleisli category $\mathbb{D}_{\oplus 1}$ is a classical distributive restriction category.

For any distributive restriction category $\mathbb X,$ its subcategory of total maps $\mathcal T[\mathbb X]$ is a distributive category.

Proposition (Cockett and Lemay)

A distributive restriction category X is classical/has classical products if and only if $X \cong T[X]_{\pm 0.1}$.

Given a total map $f : A \to B \oplus 1$, define $f^{\sharp} : A \to B$ as the composite:

$$f^{\sharp} \coloneqq A \xrightarrow{f} B \oplus 1 \xrightarrow{[1_B,0]} B \tag{11}$$

Given a map $g : A \to B$, define the total map $g^{\flat} : A \to B \oplus 1$ as the join:

$$g^{\flat} \coloneqq g\iota_0 \vee t_A \backslash (\overline{g}t_A)\iota_1$$

IDEA: Where g is defined, send it to B and where g is undefined sent it to 1.

Theorem (Cockett and Lemay)

For a distributive restriction category X, the following are equivalent:

- X is classical;
- We have a classical products;
- **(4)** There is a distributive category \mathbb{D} such that \mathbb{X} is restriction equivalent to $\mathbb{D}_{-\oplus 1}$.

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