

A Semantic Formulation of $\top\top$ -lifting and Logical Predicates for Computational Metalanguage

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Abstract. A semantic formulation of Lindley and Stark’s $\top\top$ -lifting is given. We first illustrate our semantic formulation of the $\top\top$ -lifting in **Set** with several examples, and apply it to the logical predicates for Moggi’s computational metalanguage. We then abstract the semantic $\top\top$ -lifting as the lifting of strong monads across bifibrations with lifted symmetric monoidal closed structures.

1 Introduction

Logical predicates are a method for extracting submodels of the pure simply typed lambda calculus (λ^{\Rightarrow} for short) by induction on type. Logical predicates are widely applied to the reasoning of the properties of λ^{\Rightarrow} [23, 9, 24, 16].

We are interested in extending logical predicates to *Moggi’s computational metalanguage* (λ_{ml} for short) [18], which has additional types $T\tau$ called *monadic type*. To do so, we need to consider a scheme to calculate a predicate at type $T\tau$ from a predicate at type τ . Recently, Lindley and Stark develop the *leapfrog method* and show the strong normalisation of λ_{ml} in the style of Tait-Girard reducibility [12, 11]. The novelty of the leapfrog method is the operation called $\top\top$ -lifting, which calculates a reducibility predicate at type $T\tau$ from a reducibility predicate at type τ .

However, Lindley and Stark’s $\top\top$ -lifting is defined with respect to the syntactic structure of λ_{ml} , and is designed for the proof of the strong normalisation. This paper attempts to provide a semantic aspect of their $\top\top$ -lifting. The main contribution of this paper is twofolds:

1. We provide a semantic formulation of Lindley and Stark’s $\top\top$ -lifting in set theory (section 3). This formulation is carried out by finding a semantic counterpart for each of the building block in $\top\top$ -lifting. We instantiate $\top\top$ -liftings with well-known strong monads over **Set**, and show that the logical predicates using the semantic $\top\top$ -lifting implies the *basic lemma* of logical predicates.
2. We re-formulate the above semantic $\top\top$ -lifting as a construction of *liftings* of strong monads, and give a categorical account of this construction within the framework of fibred category theory (section 4). We then show that the above semantic $\top\top$ -lifting and Abadi’s $\top\top$ -closure operation are instances of $\top\top$ -lifting.

2 Preliminaries

Moggi's Computational Metalanguage

We begin with the syntax of λ_{ml} . We define the set of types \mathbf{Typ}_{ml} by the following BNF (we consider a single base type b for simplicity):

$$\mathbf{Typ}_{ml} \ni \tau ::= b \mid \tau \Rightarrow \tau \mid T\tau.$$

Monadic types $T\tau$ are for the programs yielding values of type τ with some computational effect. A *typing context* (ranged over by Γ) is simply a finite sequence of variable-type pairs without any duplication of variables.

The calculus λ_{ml} has two new term constructions related to monadic types: $[-]$ and “let x^τ be M in N ”. Their typing rules are the following:

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash M : \tau}{\Gamma \vdash [M] : T\tau} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash M : T\tau \quad \Gamma, x : \tau \vdash N : T\tau'}{\Gamma \vdash \text{let } x^\tau \text{ be } M \text{ in } N : T\tau'}$$

The term $[M]$ expresses the value of M involving the trivial computational effect. The term “let x^τ be M in N ” expresses a sequential computation of M and N ; the term M is first computed, its value is then bound to x^τ and next the term N is computed.

Equational theory of λ_{ml} extends $\beta\eta$ axioms of λ^{\Rightarrow} with the following axioms:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{let } x^\tau \text{ be } [M] \text{ in } N &= N[M/x] & (T.\beta) \\ \text{let } x^\tau \text{ be } M \text{ in } [x^\tau] &= M & (T.\eta) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{let } x^\tau \text{ be } (\text{let } y^{\tau'} \text{ be } L \text{ in } M) \text{ in } N = \text{let } y^{\tau'} \text{ be } L \text{ in let } x^\tau \text{ be } M \text{ in } N \quad (T.\text{assoc})$$

Categorical Semantics of λ_{ml}

A categorical semantics of λ_{ml} is given in a Cartesian closed category \mathbb{C} equipped with a strong monad $\mathcal{T} = (T, \eta, \mu, \theta)$. We omit the formal definition of strong monads; see e.g. [18]. For a morphism $f : A \rightarrow TB$ in \mathbb{C} , we write $f^\#$ for the morphism $\mu_B \circ Tf : TA \rightarrow TB$.

Let B be an object in \mathbb{C} . We first assign to each type τ an object $\llbracket \tau \rrbracket$ in \mathbb{C} by induction on type:

$$\llbracket b \rrbracket = B, \quad \llbracket \tau \Rightarrow \tau' \rrbracket = \llbracket \tau \rrbracket \Rightarrow \llbracket \tau' \rrbracket, \quad \llbracket T\tau \rrbracket = T\llbracket \tau \rrbracket.$$

We extend this assignment to typing contexts by

$$\llbracket x_1 : \tau_1, \dots, x_n : \tau_n \rrbracket = \llbracket \tau_1 \rrbracket \times \dots \times \llbracket \tau_n \rrbracket.$$

The semantics of λ_{ml} in \mathbb{C} is an extension of the standard categorical semantics of λ^{\Rightarrow} with the following rules:

- For a well-formed term $\Gamma \vdash [M] : T\tau$, we define

$$\llbracket [M] \rrbracket = \eta_{\llbracket \tau \rrbracket} \circ \llbracket M \rrbracket.$$

- For a well-formed term $\Gamma \vdash \text{let } x^\tau \text{ be } M \text{ in } N : T\tau'$, we define

$$\llbracket \text{let } x^\tau \text{ be } M \text{ in } N \rrbracket = \llbracket N \rrbracket^\# \circ \theta_{\llbracket \Gamma \rrbracket, \llbracket \tau \rrbracket} \circ \langle \text{id}_{\llbracket \Gamma \rrbracket}, \llbracket M \rrbracket \rangle$$

3 A Semantic Formulation of $\top\top$ -lifting

In [12], Lindley and Stark prove the strong normalisation of λ_{ml} by extending the reducibility predicate technique. The novelty of their method is the operation called $\top\top$ -lifting, which calculates a reducibility predicate at a monadic type from that at an ordinary type.

Definition 3.1 ([12], section 3.1).

1. We define the set of raw continuations by the following BNF:

$$K ::= \text{Id} \mid K \circ (x^\tau.N)$$

where the notation $(x^\tau.N)$ indicates that N is a term with a distinguished free variable x^τ .

A judgement for a raw continuation is a triple $T\tau \vdash_C K : T\tau'$. Raw continuations are typed by the following rules:

$$\frac{}{T\tau \vdash_C \text{Id} : T\tau} \quad \frac{x : \tau \vdash N : T\tau' \quad T\tau' \vdash_C K : T\tau''}{T\tau \vdash_C K \circ (x^\tau.N) : T\tau''}$$

We write $T\tau \vdash_C K$ to mean that there exists a (unique) type $T\tau'$ such that $T\tau \vdash_C K : T\tau'$ is derived from the above rules.

2. We define an application $K @ M$ of a term M to a continuation K by

$$\text{Id} @ M = M, \quad (K \circ (x^\tau.N)) @ M = K @ (\text{let } x^\tau \text{ be } M \text{ in } N).$$

3. Given a set P of terms of type τ , we define a set $P^{\top\top}$ of terms of type $T\tau$ by

$$P^\top = \{T\tau \vdash_C K \mid \forall M \in P. K @ [M] \in SN\}$$

$$P^{\top\top} = \{M : T\tau \mid \forall K \in P^\top. K @ M \in SN\}$$

where SN is the set of strongly normalising terms.

From this point, we let $\mathcal{T} = (T, \eta, \mu, \theta)$ be a strong monad over \mathbf{Set} , and fix a categorical semantics of λ_{ml} with respect to the strong monad \mathcal{T} and the evident CCC structure in \mathbf{Set} . We give a semantic formulation of the syntactic $\top\top$ -lifting by finding semantic counterparts of continuations, applications and the set SN . This formulation is carried out with respect to the strong monad \mathcal{T} . We introduce the following notation: for subsets $X \subseteq I$ and $Y \subseteq J$, by $X \Rightarrow Y$ we mean the subset $\{f \mid \forall x \in X. f(x) \in Y\}$ of $I \Rightarrow J$.

To simplify the situation, we assume that all continuations in definition 3.1 have the same type $T\rho$ (this restriction will be relaxed in section 5). We let $R = \llbracket \rho \rrbracket$.

Continuation We formulate a continuation as a function

$$f \in \llbracket \tau \rrbracket \Rightarrow TR.$$

We explain the idea of this formulation below. We notice that a continuation $T\tau \vdash_C \text{Id} \circ (x^\tau.M) : T\rho$ is equivalent to a context $\text{let } x^\tau \text{ be } - \text{ in } M$, and an application of a term to the continuation is equivalent to plugging the term in the hole of the context. The essential information of the context is the body M , and it has the following typing:

$$x : \tau \vdash M : T\rho.$$

Our formulation represents this information as a function $f \in \llbracket \tau \rrbracket \Rightarrow TR$.

Application We define an application of an element $x \in \llbracket T\tau \rrbracket$ to a continuation $f \in \llbracket \tau \rrbracket \Rightarrow TR$ to be $f^\#x$.

The Set SN The set SN is hard-coded in the definition of P^\top and $P^{\top\top}$ since the syntactic $\top\top$ -lifting is designed for the proof of the strong normalisation of λ_{ml} . We replace SN with some subset $S \subseteq TR$, and call S a *result predicate*.

We also relax the condition that the set R is given by $\llbracket \rho \rrbracket$ with some type ρ ; we simply allow R to be any set and call R a *result type*.

Once continuations, applications and the set SN are semantically formulated, it is straightforward to define P^\top and $P^{\top\top}$. We summarise the above discussion as follows:

Definition 3.2. *Let R be a set (called result type) and $S \subseteq TR$ be a subset (called result predicate).*

1. A continuation is a function $f \in \llbracket \tau \rrbracket \Rightarrow TR$.
2. We define an application of $x \in \llbracket T\tau \rrbracket$ to a continuation $f \in \llbracket \tau \rrbracket \Rightarrow TR$ to be $f^\#x$.
3. Let $P \subseteq \llbracket \tau \rrbracket$ be a subset. We define a subset $P^{\top\top} \subseteq \llbracket T\tau \rrbracket$ by

$$\begin{aligned} P^\top &= \{f \in \llbracket \tau \rrbracket \Rightarrow TR \mid \forall x \in P . f(x) \in S\} = P \dot{\Rightarrow} S \\ P^{\top\top} &= \{x \in \llbracket T\tau \rrbracket \mid \forall f \in P^\top . f^\#(x) \in S\}, \end{aligned}$$

which is equivalent to

$$P^{\top\top} = \{x \in \llbracket T\tau \rrbracket \mid \forall f \in P \dot{\Rightarrow} S . f^\#(x) \in S\}.$$

We call the operation $(-)^{\top\top}$ the $\top\top$ -lifting of T with R and $S \subseteq TR$.

We can also consider the semantic $\top\top$ -lifting for binary relations (*binary $\top\top$ -lifting* for short) over the semantics of λ_{ml} . Let R be a set and $S \subseteq (TR)^2$ be a subset. A continuation is a pair (f, g) of functions from $\llbracket \tau \rrbracket$ to TR . An application of $(x, y) \in \llbracket T\tau \rrbracket^2$ to a continuation (f, g) is defined to be $(f^\#x, g^\#y)$. For a binary relation $P \subseteq \llbracket \tau \rrbracket^2$, we define $P^{\top\top}$ as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} P^\top &= \{(f, g) \in (\llbracket \tau \rrbracket \Rightarrow TR)^2 \mid \forall (x, y) \in P . (fx, gy) \in S\} \\ P^{\top\top} &= \{(x, y) \in \llbracket T\tau \rrbracket^2 \mid \forall (f, g) \in P^\top . (f^\#x, g^\#y) \in S\}. \end{aligned}$$

Examples of Semantic $\top\top$ -liftings

An interesting point is that we can obtain $\top\top$ -liftings for various strong monads and result type/predicate pairs. We see some concrete examples of the semantic $\top\top$ -lifting below.

Example 3.3. We consider the *lifting monad* T_{\perp} , which simply adjoins an extra element \perp to a given set. We calculate a $\top\top$ -lifting of T_{\perp} with the following data:

- The result type R is $\{*\}$ (thus $T_{\perp}R = \{*, \perp\}$).
- The result predicate S is $\{*\}$.

For a subset $P \subseteq \llbracket \tau \rrbracket$, we have $P^{\top\top} = P$.

Example 3.4. We consider the *state monad* T_s whose functor part is given by $T_s I = M \Rightarrow I \times M$ for some set M . We let $M_0 \subseteq M$ be a subset and calculate a $\top\top$ -lifting of T_s with the following data:

- The result type R is some set.
- The result predicate S is $M_0 \Rightarrow R \times M_0$, the set of functions $f \in T_s R$ such that $\forall x \in M_0 . f(x) \in M_0 \times R$.

For a subset $P \subseteq \llbracket \tau \rrbracket$, we expand the definition of $P^{\top\top}$ and obtain

$$P^{\top\top} = \{f \in T_s \llbracket \tau \rrbracket \mid \forall g \in P \times M_0 \Rightarrow R \times M_0 . g \circ f \in M_0 \Rightarrow R \times M_0\}.$$

In fact, $P^{\top\top}$ can be characterised as follows:

$$P^{\top\top} = \begin{cases} M_0 \Rightarrow P \times M_0 & (\emptyset \subsetneq R \times M_0 \subsetneq R \times M) \\ T_s \llbracket \tau \rrbracket & (\text{otherwise}) \end{cases}$$

Below we prove the first case of this characterisation; the second case is trivial. We first prove

$$P \times M_0 = \{i \in \llbracket \tau \rrbracket \times M \mid \forall g \in P \times M_0 \Rightarrow R \times M_0 . g(i) \in R \times M_0\}.$$

(\subseteq) Easy. (\supseteq) Let $x \notin P \times M_0$. From the assumption on $R \times M_0$, we can take two elements $s \in R \times M_0$ and $s' \in (R \times M) \setminus (R \times M_0)$. We then define the following function $g \in \llbracket \tau \rrbracket \times M \Rightarrow R \times M$:

$$g(x) = \begin{cases} s & (x \in P \times M_0) \\ s' & (x \notin P \times M_0) \end{cases}$$

which is clearly included in $P \times M_0 \Rightarrow R \times M_0$. However $g(x) \notin R \times M_0$, so we conclude that $x \notin (r.h.s.)$. Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} & f \in M_0 \Rightarrow P \times M_0 \\ \iff & \forall x \in M_0 . \forall g \in P \times M_0 \Rightarrow R \times M_0 . g(f(x)) \in R \times M_0 \\ \iff & f \in P^{\top\top}. \end{aligned}$$

Example 3.5. We calculate a binary $\top\top$ -lifting of the lifting monad T_{\perp} with the following data:

- The result type R is a one-point set $\{*\}$. We have $T_{\perp}R = \{\perp, *\}$.
- The result predicate $S \subseteq (T_{\perp}R)^2$ is $\{(x, y) \in (T_{\perp}R)^2 \mid (x = * \implies y = *)\}$.

For a subset $P \subseteq \llbracket \tau \rrbracket$, we obtain $P^{\top\top} = P \cup \{(\perp, \perp)\}$.

Example 3.6. We consider the *finite powerset monad* T_p , whose functor part is given by $T_p(X) = \{x \subseteq X \mid x \text{ is a finite set}\}$. We calculate a binary $\top\top$ -lifting wf \mathcal{T}_p with the following data:

- The result type R is a one-point set $\{*\}$. We have $T_p R = \{\emptyset, R\}$.
- The result predicate $S \subseteq (T_p R)^2$ is $\{(x, y) \in (T_p R)^2 \mid x = R \implies y = R\}$.

We identify a function $f \in \llbracket \tau \rrbracket \Rightarrow T_p R$ and a subset (written with the capital letter of the function) $F = \{x \in \llbracket \tau \rrbracket \mid f(x) = R\} \subseteq \llbracket \tau \rrbracket$. Under this identification, for each $x \in T_p \llbracket \tau \rrbracket$, we have

$$f^\# x = R \iff \bigcup_{e \in x} f e = R \iff \exists e \in x . e \in F.$$

For a subset $P \subseteq \llbracket \tau \rrbracket$, we expand the definition of $P^{\top\top}$ and obtain

$$P^{\top\top} = \{(p, q) \in (T_p \llbracket \tau \rrbracket)^2 \mid \forall F, G \subseteq \llbracket \tau \rrbracket . (\forall (x, y) \in P . x \in F \implies y \in G) \implies \forall e \in p . e \in F \implies \exists e' \in q . e' \in G\}.$$

This is not intuitive, but interestingly we have the following characterisation of $P^{\top\top}$:

$$P^{\top\top} = \{(p, q) \mid \forall a \in p . \exists b \in q . (a, b) \in P\}. \quad (1)$$

This appears in the pattern of defining *pre-bisimulation relation* in concurrency.

The rest of this example is the proof of equation 1. (\subseteq) Let $(p, q) \in P^{\top\top}$ and $a \in p$. We show $\exists b \in q . (a, b) \in P$. We supply $\{a\}$ and $\{b \mid (a, b) \in P\}$ to F and G in the definition of $(p, q) \in P^{\top\top}$. We obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & (\forall (x, y) \in P . x = a \implies (a, y) \in P) \\ \implies & (\forall e \in p . e = a \implies \exists e' \in q . (a, e') \in P) \end{aligned}$$

whose premise part is trivially true. By letting e be a in the conclusion part of the above formula, we obtain $\exists e' \in q . (a, e') \in P$. (\supseteq) We take $p, q \in T_p \llbracket \tau \rrbracket$ such that $\forall a \in p . \exists b \in q . (a, b) \in P$. Let $F, G \subseteq \llbracket \tau \rrbracket$, $e \in p$ and assume $\forall (x, y) \in P . x \in F \implies y \in G$ (we call this assumption $(*)$) and $e \in F$. We show $\exists e' \in q . e' \in G$. Since $e \in p$, there exists $e' \in q$ such that $(e, e') \in P$. From $(*)$, we have $e \in F \implies e' \in G$. Thus e' gives a witness of $\exists e' \in q . e' \in G$.

Logical Predicates for λ_{ml} Using $\top\top$ -lifting

The semantic $\top\top$ -lifting constructs a subset of $\llbracket T\tau \rrbracket$ from a subset of $\llbracket \tau \rrbracket$. This construction is suitable for extending the concept of *logical predicates* to λ_{ml} . We show that a logical predicate using the semantic $\top\top$ -lifting extract a submodel of λ_{ml} . We fix a result type R and a result predicate $S \subseteq TR$, and consider the $\top\top$ -lifting determined by R and S .

Definition 3.7. A $\top\top$ -logical predicate is a type-indexed family $\{P^\tau \subseteq \llbracket \tau \rrbracket\}_{\tau \in \mathbf{Typ}_{ml}}$ of subsets satisfying

$$P^{T\tau} = (P^\tau)^{\top\top}, \quad P^{\tau \Rightarrow \tau'} = P^\tau \Rightarrow P^{\tau'}.$$

For a typing context $\Gamma = x_1 : \tau_1, \dots, x_n : \tau_n$, by P^Γ we mean the product $P_1^{\tau_1} \times \dots \times P_n^{\tau_n}$, which is a subset of $\llbracket \Gamma \rrbracket$.

Theorem 3.8 (Basic Lemma). Let P be a $\top\top$ -logical predicate. For any well-formed term $\Gamma \vdash M : \tau$, we have $\llbracket M \rrbracket \in P^\Gamma \Rightarrow P^\tau$.

Proof. We show the following properties on the $\top\top$ -lifting. Let $X \subseteq I$ and $Y \subseteq J$ be subsets.

1. $\eta_I \in X \Rightarrow X^{\top\top}$. Let $x \in X$. Then for any $f \in X \Rightarrow S$, we have $f^\#(\eta_I(x)) = f(x) \in S$. Therefore $\eta_I(x) \in X^{\top\top}$.
2. $\mu_I \in (X^{\top\top})^{\top\top} \Rightarrow X^{\top\top}$. Let $x \in (X^{\top\top})^{\top\top}$ and $f \in X \Rightarrow S$. We show $f^\#(\mu_I(x)) \in S$. It is easy to show that $f \in X \Rightarrow S$ implies $f^\# \in X^{\top\top} \Rightarrow S$, hence $(f^\#)^\# \in (X^{\top\top})^{\top\top} \Rightarrow S$. Notice that $f^\#(\mu_I(x)) = (f^\#)^\#(x)$. Therefore $f^\#(\mu_I(x)) \in S$.
3. $\theta_{I,J} \in X \times Y^{\top\top} \Rightarrow (X \times Y)^{\top\top}$. Let $a \in X, b \in Y^{\top\top}$ and $f \in X \times Y \Rightarrow S$. We show $f^\# \circ \theta_{I,J}(a, b) \in S$. We note that the strength $\theta_{I,J}$ is given by $\theta_{I,J}(a, b) = T(\lambda b \in B. (a, b))(b)$ as **Set** is a well-pointed category (see e.g. [18]). Thus $f^\# \circ \theta_{I,J}(a, b) = (\lambda b \in B. f(a, b))^\#(b)$. Since $\lambda b \in B. f(a, b) \in Y \Rightarrow S$, for each $b \in Y^{\top\top}$ we have $(\lambda b \in B. f(a, b))^\#(b) \in S$. Therefore $f^\# \circ \theta_{I,J}(a, b) \in S$.
4. $f \in X \Rightarrow Y$ implies $Tf \in X^{\top\top} \Rightarrow Y^{\top\top}$. Let $x \in X^{\top\top}$ and $g \in Y \Rightarrow S$. We show $g^\#(Tf(x)) = (g \circ f)^\#(x) \in S$. This holds from $g \circ f \in X \Rightarrow S$ and the definition of $x \in X^{\top\top}$.
5. From 2 and 4, $f \in X \Rightarrow Y^{\top\top}$ implies $f^\# \in X^{\top\top} \Rightarrow Y^{\top\top}$.

We prove the theorem by induction on derivation of a well-formed term $\Gamma \vdash M : \tau$. We omit the cases for the syntax constructions inherited from λ^{\Rightarrow} ; see e.g. [2]. The cases new to λ_{ml} is the following.

- Case $\Gamma \vdash [M] : T\tau$. From IH, we have $\llbracket M \rrbracket : P^\Gamma \Rightarrow P^\tau$. From 1, we have $\llbracket [M] \rrbracket = \eta_{[\tau]} \circ \llbracket M \rrbracket : P^\Gamma \Rightarrow P^{T\tau}$.
- Case $\Gamma \vdash \text{let } x^\tau \text{ be } M \text{ in } N : T\tau'$ with well-formed terms $\Gamma \vdash M : T\tau$ and $\Gamma, x : \tau \vdash N : T\tau'$. From IH, $\llbracket M \rrbracket : P^\Gamma \Rightarrow P^{T\tau}$ and $\llbracket N \rrbracket : P^\Gamma \times P^\tau \Rightarrow P^{T\tau'}$. From 3 and 5, we have $\llbracket N \rrbracket^\# \circ \theta_{[\Gamma], [\tau]} : P^\Gamma \times P^{T\tau} \Rightarrow P^{T\tau'}$. Therefore $\llbracket \text{let } x^\tau \text{ be } M \text{ in } N \rrbracket = \llbracket N \rrbracket^\# \circ \theta_{[\Gamma], [\tau]} \circ \langle \text{id}_{[\Gamma]}, \llbracket M \rrbracket \rangle : P^\Gamma \Rightarrow P^{T\tau'}$.

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4 A Categorical Generalisation of $\top\top$ -lifting

In the proof of theorem 3.8, we notice that the operation $(-)^{\top\top}$ resembles an endofunctor (claim 4) equipped with morphisms constituting a strong monad (claim 1,2,3). It is

indeed a strong monad over the category $\mathbf{Sub}(\mathbf{Set})$ of subsets and functions respecting subsets (example 4.3). Furthermore, the strong monad $(-)^{\top\top}$ makes the following diagram commute:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbf{Sub}(\mathbf{Set}) & \xrightarrow{(-)^{\top\top}} & \mathbf{Sub}(\mathbf{Set}) \\ \pi \downarrow & & \downarrow \pi \\ \mathbf{Set} & \xrightarrow{T} & \mathbf{Set} \end{array}$$

where $\pi : \mathbf{Sub}(\mathbf{Set}) \rightarrow \mathbf{Set}$ is the evident forgetful functor. This suggests that we can understand the semantic $\top\top$ -lifting as a *construction* of such a strong monad from T .

We give a categorical generalisation of this construction using fibrations and symmetric monoidal closed structures. We replace π with a bifibration $p : \mathbb{E} \rightarrow \mathbb{B}$ equipped with a lifted symmetric monoidal closed structure (definition 4.2). We then capture the semantic $\top\top$ -lifting as a construction of a strong monad over \mathbb{E} from that over \mathbb{B} .

We borrow some notations from 2-category theory. We use \bullet and $*$ for the vertical and horizontal compositions of natural transformations, respectively. We overload \circ with the notation for the composition of functors, as well as for the composition of a functor and a natural transformation.

4.1 Preliminaries

Symmetric Monoidal Close Category We assume that the reader is familiar with *symmetric monoidal closed categories*. We reserve symbols $\mathbf{I}, \otimes, -\circ$ for unit objects, tensor products and exponentials. A *symmetric monoidal functor* is a functor $F : \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{D}$ between symmetric monoidal categories \mathbb{C}, \mathbb{D} together with morphisms $m_{\mathbf{I}} : \mathbf{I}_{\mathbb{D}} \rightarrow F\mathbf{I}_{\mathbb{C}}$ and $m_{X,Y} : FX \otimes_{\mathbb{D}} FY \rightarrow F(X \otimes_{\mathbb{C}} Y)$ satisfying certain coherence laws (see e.g. [14]).

- Example 4.1.*
1. The category \mathbf{Set} has a symmetric monoidal closed structure given by a chosen CCC structure.
 2. The category $\omega\mathbf{CPPO}$ of pointed ω -CPOs and strict ω -continuous functions has a symmetric monoidal closed structure given by Sierpinski space $\mathbf{O} = \{\perp \sqsubseteq \top\}$, smash products and strict ω -continuous function spaces.
 3. The functor $\times : (\omega\mathbf{CPPO})^2 \rightarrow \mathbf{Set}$ sending a pair (X, Y) of pointed ω -CPOs to the binary product $X \times Y$ of carrier sets is a symmetric monoidal functor.

Strong Monad A *strong monad* \mathcal{T} over a symmetric monoidal category \mathbb{B} is a tuple (T, η, μ, θ) such that (T, η, μ) is an ordinary monad over \mathbb{B} and $\theta_{X,Y} : X \otimes TY \rightarrow T(X \otimes Y)$ is a natural transformation called *tensorial strength* satisfying certain coherence laws (see e.g. [10]). A *strong monad morphism* from $\mathcal{T} = (T, \eta, \mu, \theta)$ to $\mathcal{T}' = (T', \eta', \mu', \theta')$ is a natural transformation $\sigma : T \rightarrow T'$ satisfying

$$\mu' \bullet (\sigma * \sigma) = \sigma \bullet \mu, \quad \eta' = \sigma \bullet \eta, \quad \theta'_{X,Y} \circ (X \otimes \sigma_Y) = \sigma_{X \otimes Y} \circ \theta_{X,Y}.$$

Fibration We assume that the reader is familiar with preliminaries on fibration. A good reference is [7].

Definition 4.2. A functor $p : \mathbb{E} \rightarrow \mathbb{B}$ is a bifibration with a lifted symmetric monoidal closed structure if p is a preordered bifibration, \mathbb{E} and \mathbb{B} are symmetric monoidal closed categories and p strictly preserves the symmetric monoidal closed structure in \mathbb{E} . We use dot notation $\dot{\mathbf{I}}, \dot{\otimes}, \dot{-\circ}$ to denote the symmetric monoidal closed structure in \mathbb{E} which are sent to the symmetric monoidal closed structure $\mathbf{I}, \otimes, -\circ$ in \mathbb{B} by p .

Example 4.3. We define a category $\mathbf{Sub}(\mathbf{Set})$ by the following data: an object is a pair (X, I) where X is a subset of I , and a morphisms from (X, I) to (Y, J) is a function in $X \rightrightarrows Y$. The category $\mathbf{Sub}(\mathbf{Set})$ has the following CCC structure:

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{\mathbf{I}} &= (\{\ast\}, \{\ast\}) \\ (X, I) \dot{\times} (Y, J) &= (\{(i, j) \mid i \in X \wedge j \in Y\}, I \times J) \\ (X, I) \dot{\rightrightarrows} (Y, J) &= (X \rightrightarrows Y, I \rightrightarrows J). \end{aligned}$$

(here the reader should not worry about the confusion caused by a clash of the notation \rightrightarrows). This structure is strictly preserved by the evident forgetful functor $\pi : \mathbf{Sub}(\mathbf{Set}) \rightarrow \mathbf{Set}$, which is actually a partial-order bifibration. Therefore π is a bifibration with a lifted symmetric monoidal closed structure.

One good property of the class of bifibrations with lifted symmetric monoidal closed structures is the closure under change-of-base along symmetric monoidal functors.

Proposition 4.4 (e.g. [5]). Let $p : \mathbb{E} \rightarrow \mathbb{B}$ be a bifibration with a lifted symmetric monoidal closed structure and $F : \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{B}$ be a symmetric monoidal functor. Then the change-of-base of p along F is again a bifibration with a lifted symmetric monoidal closed structure.

Example 4.5. We consider the following change-of-base of π along \times :

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbf{Rel}(\omega\mathbf{CPPO}) & \longrightarrow & \mathbf{Sub}(\mathbf{Set}) \\ \pi_2 \downarrow \lrcorner & & \downarrow \pi \\ (\omega\mathbf{CPPO})^2 & \xrightarrow{\times} & \mathbf{Set} \end{array}$$

From proposition 4.4, π_2 is again a bifibration with a lifted symmetric monoidal closed structure. An object in $\mathbf{Rel}(\omega\mathbf{CPPO})$ is a triple (X, I, J) where I, J are pointed ω -CPOs and X is an arbitrary subset of $I \times J$, that is, a binary relation between I and J . A morphism in $\mathbf{Rel}(\omega\mathbf{CPPO})$ from (X, I, J) to (X', I', J') is a pair $(f : I \rightarrow I', g : J \rightarrow J')$ of strict ω -continuous functions such that $f \times g \in X \rightrightarrows X'$. We can similarly derive the category of n -ary relations between ω -CPOs by change-of-base.

4.2 $\top\top$ -lifting as a Construction of Liftings of Strong Monads

We fix a bifibration $p : \mathbb{E} \rightarrow \mathbb{B}$ with a lifted symmetric monoidal closed structure. We define a fibration of *lifted strong monads* which is suitable for characterising the $\top\top$ -lifting.

Definition 4.6. 1. We say that a strong monad $\dot{T} = (\dot{T}, \dot{\eta}, \dot{\mu}, \dot{\theta})$ over \mathbb{E} is a lifting of a strong monad $\mathcal{T} = (T, \eta, \mu, \theta)$ over \mathbb{B} if the following holds:

$$p \circ \dot{T} = T \circ p, \quad p \circ \dot{\eta} = \eta \circ p, \quad p \circ \dot{\mu} = \mu \circ p, \quad p(\dot{\theta}_{X,Y}) = \theta_{pX,pY}.$$

2. We write $\mathbf{Mon}(\mathbb{B})$ for the category of strong monads over \mathbb{B} and strong monad morphisms between them.
3. We define a category $\mathbf{Mon}_l(\mathbb{E})$ using the following data:
 - An object in $\mathbf{Mon}_l(\mathbb{E})$ is a pair of a strong monad \dot{T} over \mathbb{E} and a strong monad \mathcal{T} over \mathbb{B} such that \dot{T} is a lifting of \mathcal{T} . We sometimes represent an object in $\mathbf{Mon}_l(\mathbb{E})$ simply by a strong monad over \mathbb{E} when its underlying strong monad over \mathbb{B} is clear from the context.
 - A morphism in $\mathbf{Mon}_l(\mathbb{E})$ is a pair of strong monad morphisms $\dot{\alpha} : \dot{T} \rightarrow \dot{T}'$ and $\alpha : \mathcal{T} \rightarrow \mathcal{T}'$ such that $p \circ \dot{\alpha} = \alpha \circ p$.
4. We write $\mathbf{Mon}(p) : \mathbf{Mon}_l(\mathbb{E}) \rightarrow \mathbf{Mon}(\mathbb{B})$ for the following forgetful functor:

$$\mathbf{Mon}(p)(\dot{T}, \mathcal{T}) = \mathcal{T}, \quad \mathbf{Mon}(p)(\dot{\alpha}, \alpha) = \alpha.$$

Theorem 4.7. $\mathbf{Mon}(p)$ is a fibration.

Proof. See appendix A.1 □

We are ready to give a categorical account of the semantic $\top\top$ -lifting. We capture the $\top\top$ -lifting as a construction of a lifting of a strong monad over \mathbb{E} from that over \mathbb{B} . For this construction, *continuation monads* play a crucial role. We observe the following facts.

- For each object I in \mathbb{B} , an endofunctor $(- \multimap I) \multimap I$ over \mathbb{B} is a strong monad (called *continuation monad*). Particularly, for a strong monad \mathcal{T} over \mathbb{B} and an object R in \mathbb{B} , we have a continuation monad $(- \multimap TR) \multimap TR$ and a strong monad morphism

$$\sigma : \mathcal{T} \longrightarrow (- \multimap TR) \multimap TR$$

whose component at an object I in \mathbb{B} is given by the following transposition (object annotations are omitted):

$$\frac{TI \otimes (I \multimap TR) \xrightarrow{s} (I \multimap TR) \otimes TI \xrightarrow{\theta} T((I \multimap TR) \otimes I) \xrightarrow{@^\#} TR}{\sigma_I = \lambda(@^\# \circ \theta \circ s) : TI \longrightarrow (I \multimap TR) \multimap TR}$$

where s and $@$ are a symmetry and an evaluation morphisms in \mathbb{B} , respectively.

- Let S be an object in \mathbb{E} above TR and consider a continuation monad $(- \multimap S) \multimap S$ over \mathbb{E} . It is a lifting of $(- \multimap TR) \multimap TR$ since p strictly preserves the symmetric monoidal closed structure in \mathbb{E} .

The following diagram summarises these facts in $\mathbf{Mon}(p)$:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} (- \multimap S) \multimap S & & \mathbf{Mon}_l(\mathbb{E}) \\ & & \downarrow \mathbf{Mon}(p) \\ \mathcal{T} \xrightarrow{\sigma} (- \multimap TR) \multimap TR & & \mathbf{Mon}(\mathbb{B}) \end{array}$$

We now consider a Cartesian lifting of σ .

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \sigma^*((- \dot{\circ} S) \dot{\circ} S) \xrightarrow{\bar{\sigma}} (- \dot{\circ} S) \dot{\circ} S & \mathbf{Mon}_l(\mathbb{E}) \\ & \downarrow \mathbf{Mon}(p) \\ \mathcal{T} \xrightarrow{\sigma} (- \circ TR) \circ TR & \mathbf{Mon}(\mathbb{B}) \end{array}$$

We claim that the vertex $\sigma^*((- \dot{\circ} S) \dot{\circ} S)$, which is by definition a lifting of \mathcal{T} , gives the $\top\top$ -lifting of \mathcal{T} . There are two sets of evidence supporting our claim.

- The set-theoretic $\top\top$ -lifting in section 3 is an instance of this generalised $\top\top$ -lifting. We work in the fibration $\pi : \mathbf{Sub}(\mathbf{Set}) \rightarrow \mathbf{Set}$ from example 4.3. Subsequently, for any strong monad \mathcal{T} and subsets $X \subseteq I$ and $S \subseteq TR$, we have:

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma^*((X \dot{\Rightarrow} S) \dot{\Rightarrow} S) &= \{x \in TI \mid \sigma^*(x) \in ((X \dot{\Rightarrow} S) \dot{\Rightarrow} S)\} \\ &= \{x \in TI \mid \forall f \in X \dot{\Rightarrow} S . \sigma^*(x)(f) \in S\} \\ &= \{x \in TI \mid \forall f \in X \dot{\Rightarrow} S . f^\#x \in S\} \\ &= X^{\top\top}. \end{aligned}$$

- Let D, E be pointed ω -CPOs and R be an arbitrary subset of $D \times E$. In [1], Abadi considered the following closure operation $(-)^{\top\top}$ as a semantic abstraction of Pitts' syntactic $\top\top$ -closure operation [21]:

$$\begin{aligned} R^\top &= \{(f, g) \in [D \rightarrow_\perp \mathbf{O}] \times [E \rightarrow_\perp \mathbf{O}] \mid \forall (x, y) \in R . fx = gy\} \\ R^{\top\top} &= \{(x, y) \in D \times E \mid \forall (f, g) \in R^\top . fx = gy\} \end{aligned}$$

where $[- \rightarrow_\perp -]$ denotes strict ω -continuous function spaces.

The above closure operation is an instance of our semantic $\top\top$ -lifting. We work in the fibration $\pi_2 : \mathbf{Rel}(\omega\mathbf{CPPO}) \rightarrow (\omega\mathbf{CPPO})^2$ from example 4.5. The $\top\top$ -lifting of the *identity monad* over $(\omega\mathbf{CPPO})^2$ with the following data coincides with Abadi's $\top\top$ -closure operation.

- The result type R is (\mathbf{O}, \mathbf{O}) .
- The result predicate S is $(\{(\perp, \perp), (\top, \top)\}, (\mathbf{O}, \mathbf{O}))$.

We write $\mathcal{T}^{\top\top}$ for $\sigma^*((- \dot{\circ} S) \dot{\circ} S)$.

5 Multiple Result Types

We relax the restriction we imposed on the result type in section 3. Let $p : \mathbb{E} \rightarrow \mathbb{B}$ be a bifibration with a lifted symmetric monoidal closed structure and \mathcal{T} be a strong monad over \mathbb{B} .

Theorem 5.1. *If p has fibred (finite/small) products, then so does $\mathbf{Mon}(p)$.*

Proof. See appendix A.2. □

Let $\{(S_k, R_k)\}_{k \in K}$ be a set of pairs of objects in \mathbb{E} and \mathbb{B} such that $pS_k = TR_k$ for all $k \in K$. For each $k \in K$, the pair (S_k, R_k) determines a $\top\top$ -lifting $\mathcal{T}^{\top\top k}$. They are all liftings of \mathcal{T} , so we consider the following fibred product in $\mathbf{Mon}_l(\mathbb{E})_{\mathcal{T}}$:

$$\bigwedge_{k \in K} \mathcal{T}^{\top\top k}$$

which is again a lifting of \mathcal{T} .

Example 5.2. We flip the relation S in example 3.6 and obtain the following $\top\top$ -lifting:

$$P^{\top\top'} = \{(p, q) \mid \forall b \in q . \exists a \in p . (a, b) \in P\}.$$

The intersection

$$P^{\top\top} \wedge P^{\top\top'} = \{(p, q) \mid (\forall b \in q . \exists a \in p . (a, b) \in P) \wedge (\forall a \in p . \exists b \in q . (a, b) \in P)\}$$

coincides with the pattern of bisimulation.

6 Related Work

This work has been inspired by Lindley and Stark's paper [12] and Lindley's thesis [11]. Lindley and Stark introduce the syntactic $\top\top$ -lifting for λ_{ml} and prove the strong normalisation of λ_{ml} . In the latter part of [12], they also discuss an extension of the syntactic $\top\top$ -lifting to other types such as sum types. However, this extension has not been covered here.

Operations which are similar to Lindley and Stark's $\top\top$ -lifting have previously appeared in several other studies. Some examples of these studies are: the reducibility technique for linear logic by Girard [4], Parigot's work on the second order classical natural deduction [20], Pitts' $\top\top$ -closure operation [21] and Melliès and Vouillon's *biorthogonality* [15]. In addition, Abadi gives a semantic formulation of Pitts' $\top\top$ -closure operation and discusses the relationship between $\top\top$ -closed relations (those which satisfy $R = R^{\top\top}$) and admissibility [1]. The $\top\top$ -closed relations are applied to the verification of the correctness of program transformations [8, 19], and to the characterisation of the observational equivalence for a language with local states [22].

Categorical study of logical predicates established in [13, 17] is generalised by Hermida using fibrational category theory [6]. The key observation of his generalisation is that logical predicates with respect to a fibration $p : \mathbb{E} \rightarrow \mathbb{B}$ employ a CCC structure in \mathbb{E} which is strictly preserved by p . This observation leads us to consider liftings of strong monads and bifibrations with lifted symmetric monoidal closed structures.

In general, there are many liftings of a strong monad. In [3], Larrecq, Lasota and Nowak propose a construction method of liftings of strong monads using factorisation systems. Their method appears to be fundamentally different from our semantic $\top\top$ -lifting. However, some of their examples of liftings of strong monads over \mathbf{Set} can also be calculated with our method. It will be interesting to establish a formal relationship between their lifting of strong monads and the semantic $\top\top$ -lifting developed by us.

7 Conclusion

We semantically formulated Lindley and Stark’s $\top\top$ -lifting and showed that it provides a satisfactory construction method of logical predicates for λ_{ml} . We also examined several examples of the semantic $\top\top$ -lifting of strong monads over **Set**.

We then categorically re-formulated the $\top\top$ -lifting as a lifting of a monad along a bifibration with a symmetric monoidal closed structure using continuation monads. This generalisation subsumes the set-theoretic $\top\top$ -lifting in section 3 and Abadi’s $\top\top$ -lifting.

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A Proof

A.1 Proof of theorem 4.7

When $p : \mathbb{E} \rightarrow \mathbb{B}$ is a fibration, $p \circ - : [\mathbb{E}, \mathbb{E}] \rightarrow [\mathbb{E}, \mathbb{B}]$ is also a fibration. Then an endofunctor F over \mathbb{E} is a lifting of an endofunctor G over \mathbb{B} if and only if F is above $G \circ p$ in the fibration $p \circ -$.

Let $\mathcal{T}, \mathcal{T}'$ be strong monads over \mathbb{B} , $\alpha : \mathcal{T} \rightarrow \mathcal{T}'$ be a strong monad morphism and $\dot{\mathcal{T}}$ be a strong monad over \mathbb{E} which is a lifting of \mathcal{T}' . We construct a monad $\dot{\mathcal{T}} = (\dot{\mathcal{T}}, \dot{\eta}, \dot{\mu}, \dot{\theta})$ together with a strong monad morphism $\dot{\alpha} : \dot{\mathcal{T}} \rightarrow \dot{\mathcal{T}}'$ which is Cartesian above α .

- We define the endofunctor $\dot{\mathcal{T}} : \mathbb{E} \rightarrow \mathbb{E}$ to be the vertex $(\alpha \circ p)^* \dot{\mathcal{T}}'$ of the following Cartesian lifting of $\alpha \circ p$ in the fibration $p \circ -$:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 (\alpha \circ p)^* \dot{\mathcal{T}}' & \xrightarrow{\overline{(\alpha \circ p)}(\dot{\mathcal{T}}')} & \dot{\mathcal{T}}' \\
 \\
 T \circ p & \xrightarrow{\alpha \circ p} & T' \circ p
 \end{array}$$

We define $\dot{\alpha} = \overline{(\alpha \circ p)}(\dot{\mathcal{T}}')$.

- We define the unit $\dot{\eta}$ and the multiplication $\dot{\mu}$ by the morphisms obtained from the universal property of the Cartesian morphism $\dot{\alpha}$ in the fibration $p \circ -$:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \text{Id}_{\mathbb{E}} & \xrightarrow{\dot{\eta}'} & \dot{T}' \\
 \text{dotted } \dot{\eta} \searrow & & \downarrow \dot{\alpha} \\
 \dot{T} & \xrightarrow{\dot{\alpha}} & \dot{T}'
 \end{array}
 \qquad
 \begin{array}{ccc}
 \dot{T} \circ \dot{T}' & \xrightarrow{\dot{\mu}' \bullet (\dot{\alpha} * \dot{\alpha})} & \dot{T}' \\
 \text{dotted } \dot{\mu} \searrow & & \downarrow \dot{\alpha} \\
 \dot{T} & \xrightarrow{\dot{\alpha}} & \dot{T}'
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 p & \xrightarrow{\dot{\eta}' \circ p} & \dot{T}' \circ p \\
 \text{dotted } \eta \circ p \searrow & & \downarrow \dot{\alpha} \circ p \\
 T \circ p & \xrightarrow{\dot{\alpha} \circ p} & \dot{T}' \circ p
 \end{array}
 \qquad
 \begin{array}{ccc}
 T \circ T \circ p & \xrightarrow{(\dot{\mu}' \bullet (\dot{\alpha} * \dot{\alpha})) \circ p} & \dot{T}' \circ p \\
 \text{dotted } \mu \circ p \searrow & & \downarrow \dot{\alpha} \circ p \\
 T \circ p & \xrightarrow{\dot{\alpha} \circ p} & \dot{T}' \circ p
 \end{array}$$

- For objects X, Y in \mathbb{E} above objects I, J in \mathbb{B} respectively, we define the strength $\dot{\theta}_{X,Y}$ as follows:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 X \dot{\otimes} \dot{T}Y & \xrightarrow{\dot{\theta}'_{X,Y} \circ (X \dot{\otimes} \dot{\alpha}_Y)} & \dot{T}'(X \dot{\otimes} Y) \\
 \text{dotted } \dot{\theta}_{X,Y} \searrow & & \downarrow \dot{\alpha}_{X \dot{\otimes} Y} \\
 \dot{T}(X \dot{\otimes} Y) & \xrightarrow{\dot{\alpha}_{X \dot{\otimes} Y}} & \dot{T}'(X \dot{\otimes} Y)
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 I \otimes TJ & \xrightarrow{\dot{\theta}'_{I,J} \circ (I \otimes \alpha_J)} & T'(I \otimes J) \\
 \text{dotted } \theta_{I,J} \searrow & & \downarrow \alpha_{I \otimes J} \\
 T(I \otimes J) & \xrightarrow{\alpha_{I \otimes J}} & T'(I \otimes J)
 \end{array}$$

We can easily verify that $\dot{\eta}, \dot{\mu}, \dot{\theta}$ satisfy the law of strong monad using the fact that p is faithful (since p is a preordered fibration). For example, to show $\dot{\mu}_X \circ \dot{T}(\dot{\eta}_X) = \text{id}_X$ for each object X in \mathbb{E} , we calculate:

$$p(\dot{\mu}_X \circ \dot{T}(\dot{\eta}_X)) = \mu_{pX} \circ T(\eta_{pX}) = \text{id}_{pX} = p(\text{id}_X).$$

Since p is faithful, we conclude that $\dot{\mu}_X \circ \dot{T}(\dot{\eta}_X) = \text{id}_X$.

The morphism $\dot{\alpha}$ is clearly a monad morphism from the construction of $\dot{\eta}, \dot{\mu}, \dot{\theta}$.

To see that $\dot{\alpha}$ is a Cartesian morphism, we consider a situation in $\mathbf{Mon}(p)$ described in the left diagram:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \dot{T}'' & \xrightarrow{\quad \dot{\beta} \quad} & \dot{T}' \\
 & \searrow & \downarrow \dot{\gamma} \\
 \dot{T} & \xrightarrow{\quad \dot{\alpha} \quad} & \dot{T}'
 \end{array}
 \qquad
 \begin{array}{ccc}
 \dot{T}'' & \xrightarrow{\quad \dot{\beta} \quad} & \dot{T}' \\
 \vdots & \searrow & \downarrow \dot{\gamma} \\
 \dot{T} & \xrightarrow{\quad \dot{\alpha} \quad} & \dot{T}'
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 T'' & \xrightarrow{\quad \beta \quad} & T' \\
 & \searrow \gamma & \downarrow \\
 T & \xrightarrow{\quad \alpha \quad} & T'
 \end{array}
 \qquad
 \begin{array}{ccc}
 T'' \circ p & \xrightarrow{\quad \beta \circ p \quad} & T' \circ p \\
 & \searrow \gamma \circ p & \downarrow \\
 T \circ p & \xrightarrow{\quad \alpha \circ p \quad} & T' \circ p
 \end{array}$$

This situation induces the right diagram in $p \circ -$. From the universal property of $\dot{\alpha}$, we obtain a unique morphism $\dot{\gamma} : \dot{T}'' \rightarrow \dot{T}$ above $\gamma \circ p$ satisfying $\dot{\alpha} \bullet \dot{\gamma} = \dot{\beta}$. To verify that $\dot{\gamma}$ is a strong monad morphism, we use the universal property of $\dot{\alpha}$. We show $\dot{\gamma} \bullet \dot{\eta}'' = \dot{\eta}$ as an example. First, $\dot{\gamma} \bullet \dot{\eta}''$ and $\dot{\eta}$ are above $\eta \circ p$ in the fibration $p \circ -$. Next, we have

$$\dot{\alpha} \bullet \dot{\gamma} \bullet \dot{\eta}'' = \dot{\beta} \bullet \dot{\eta}'' = \dot{\eta}' = \dot{\alpha} \bullet \dot{\eta}$$

From the universal property of $\dot{\alpha}$, we have $\dot{\gamma} \bullet \dot{\eta}'' = \dot{\eta}$. We can similarly verify the other equations of the law of strong monad morphism. \square

A.2 Proof of theorem 5.1

(Sketch) Let $\mathcal{T} = (T, \eta, \mu, \theta)$ be a strong monad over \mathbb{B} , K be a (finite) set and suppose that we have a lifting $\hat{\mathcal{T}}_k = (\hat{T}_k, \hat{\eta}_k, \hat{\mu}_k, \hat{\theta}_k)$ of \mathcal{T} for each $k \in K$.

The fibred product $\hat{\mathcal{T}} = (\hat{T}, \hat{\eta}, \hat{\mu}, \hat{\theta})$ of $\hat{\mathcal{T}}_k$ is given as follows.

- The functor part is defined by $\hat{T}X = \bigwedge_{k \in K} \hat{T}_k X$. We write $\pi_X^k : \hat{T}X \rightarrow \hat{T}_k X$ for the k -th projection.
- We observe that for objects X, Y in \mathbb{E} and a morphism $f : pX \rightarrow pY$ in \mathbb{B} , we have the following natural isomorphism:

$$\mathbb{E}_f(X, \hat{T}Y) \cong \mathbb{E}_{pX}(X, f^*(\hat{T}Y)) \cong \mathbb{E}_{pX} \left(X, \bigwedge_{k \in K} f^* \hat{T}_k \right) \cong \prod_{k \in K} \mathbb{E}_f(X, \hat{T}_k Y).$$

We write ϕ for the right-to-left part of the above isomorphism. The unit, multiplication and strength is then defined by:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \hat{\eta}_X &= \phi(\langle (\hat{\eta}_k)_X \rangle_{k \in K}) \\
 \hat{\mu}_X &= \phi(\langle (\hat{\mu}_k)_X \circ \hat{T}_k(\pi_X^k) \circ \pi_X^k \rangle_{k \in K}) \\
 \hat{\theta}_{X,Y} &= \phi(\langle (\hat{\theta}_k)_{X,Y} \circ (X \hat{\otimes} \pi_Y^k) \rangle_{k \in K})
 \end{aligned}$$

The reader can verify that $\hat{\mathcal{T}}$ is indeed a strong monad, and is a fibred product of $\{\hat{\mathcal{T}}_k\}_{k \in K}$.