

Path Category for Free

Open Morphisms from Coalgebras
with Non-Deterministic Branching

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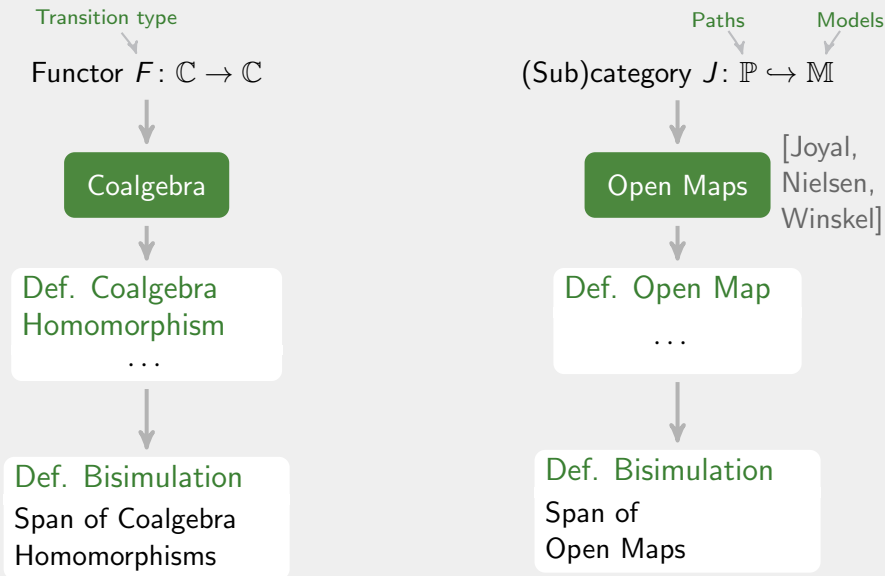
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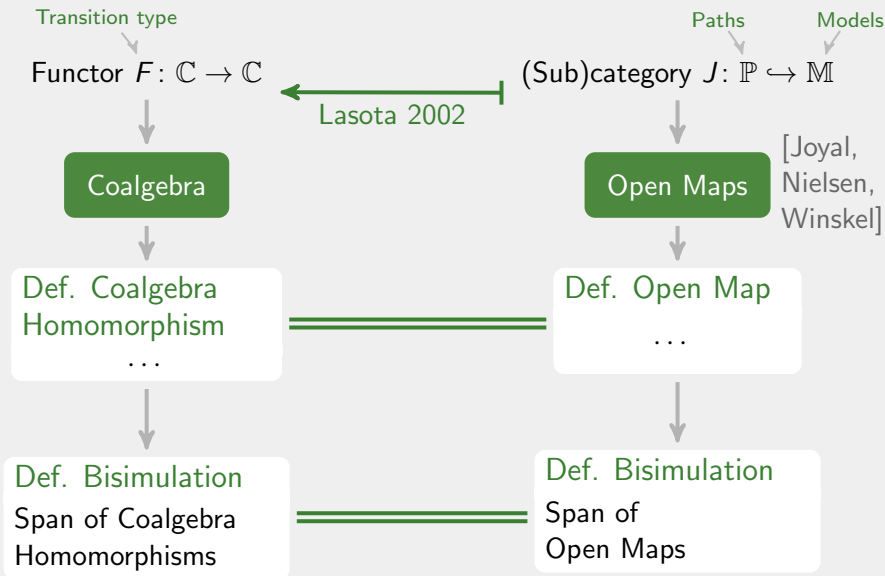
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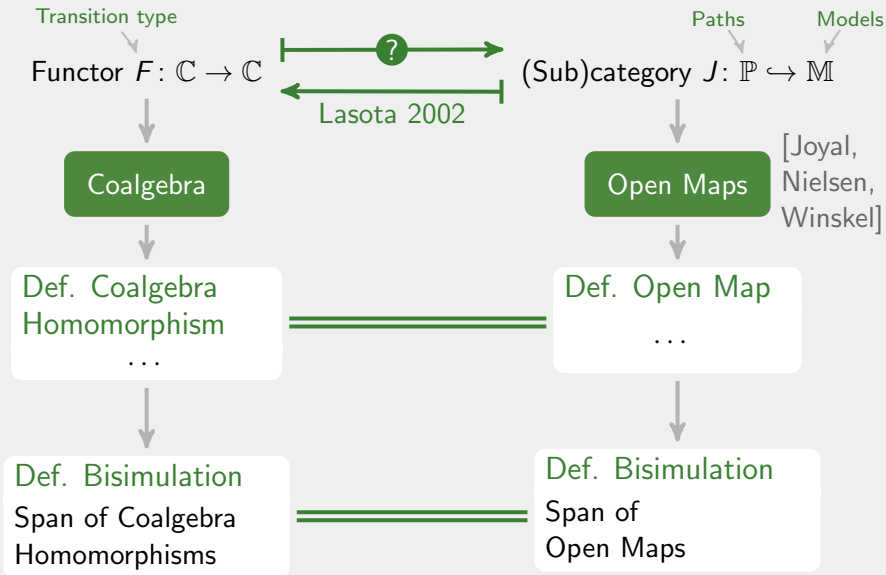
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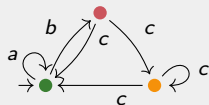
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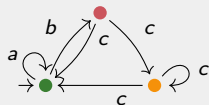
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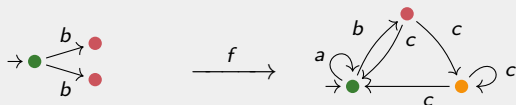
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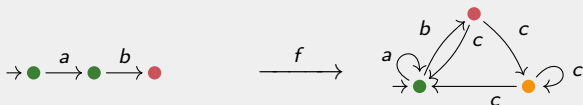
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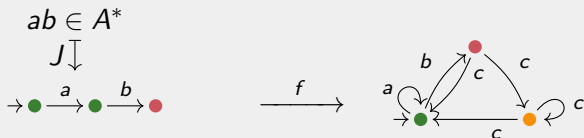
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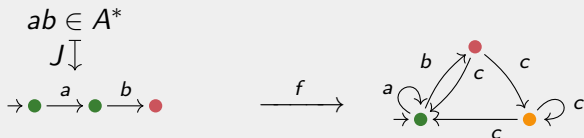
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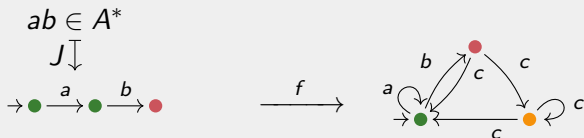
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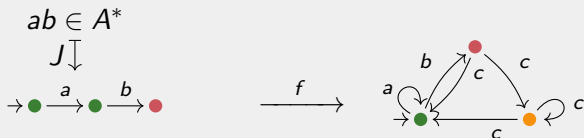
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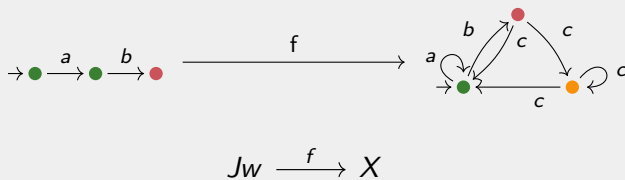
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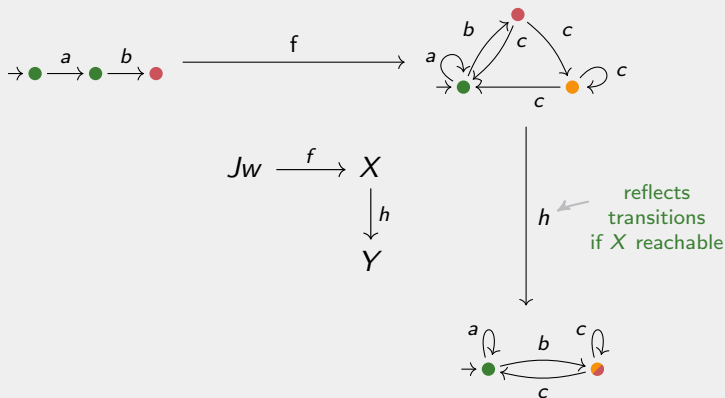
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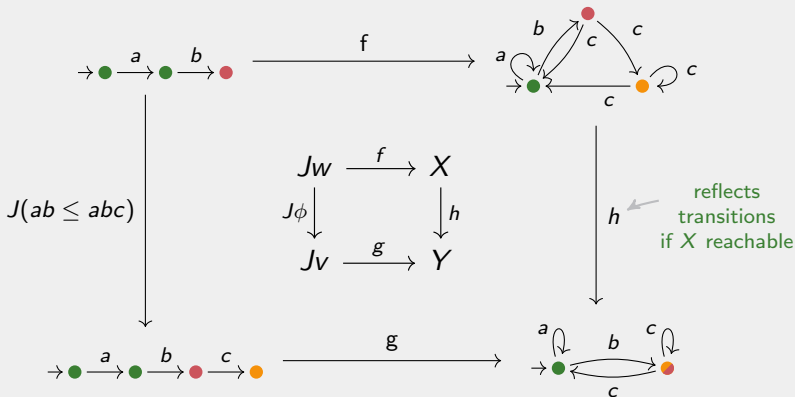
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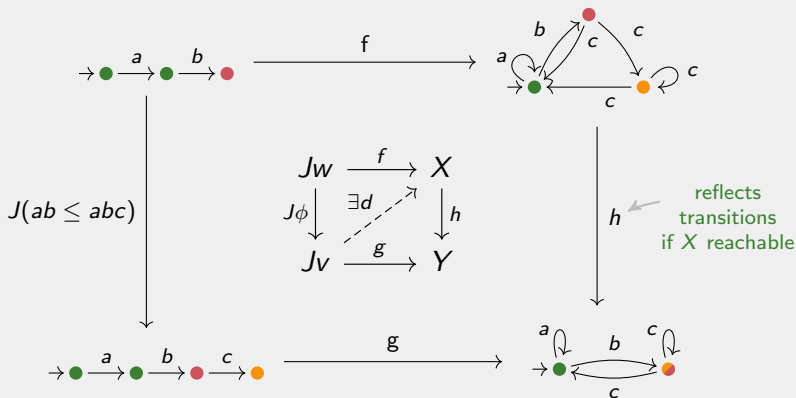
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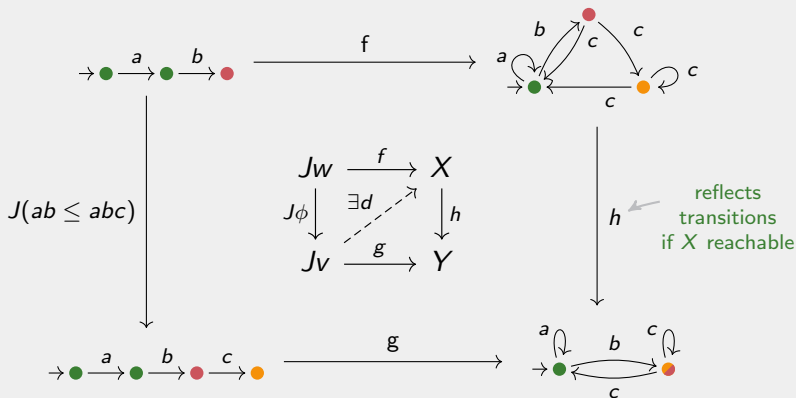
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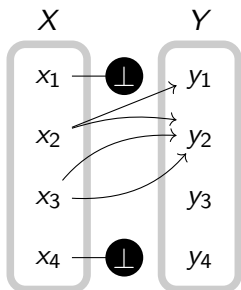
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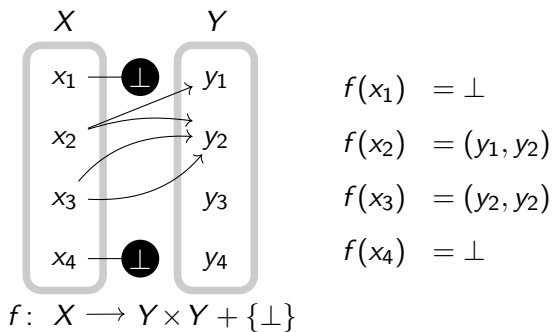
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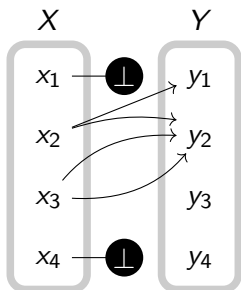
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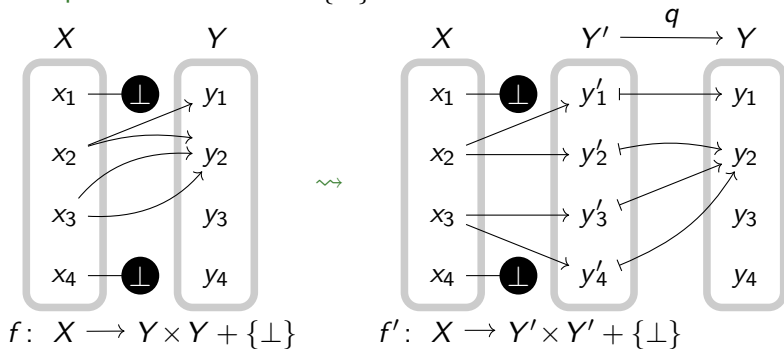
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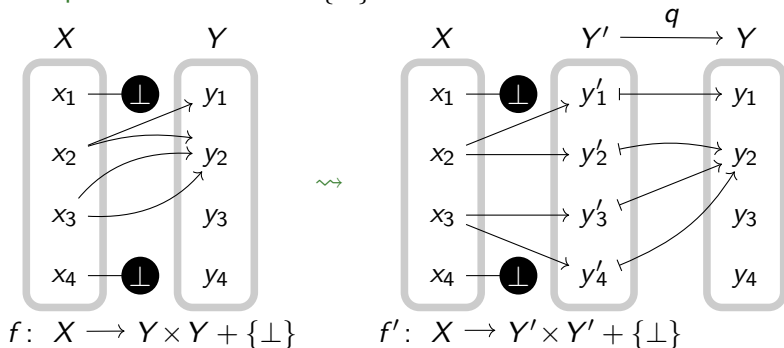
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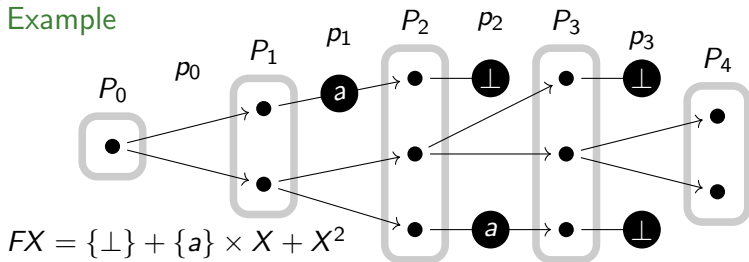
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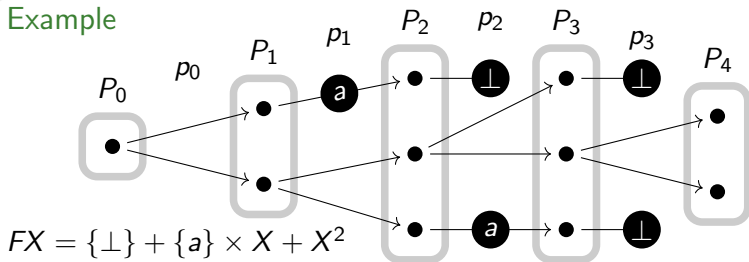
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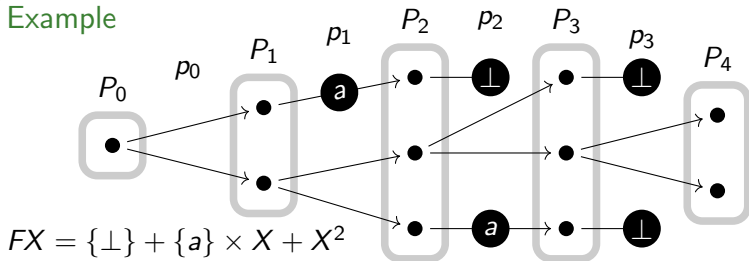
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singletons \swarrow bottom \swarrow
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Open map situation $J: \text{Path}(I, F + 1) \rightarrow \text{LCoalg}(I, TF)$

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 & \downarrow J & \\
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..., if the runs $f: JP \rightarrow (X, x_0, \xi)$ are jointly surjective.

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(X, x_0, ξ) is reachable iff it has no proper subcoalgebra.

Coalgebraic definition
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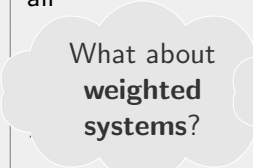
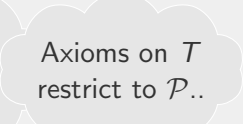
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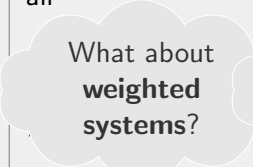
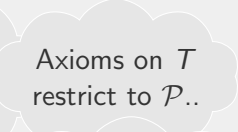
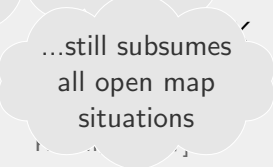
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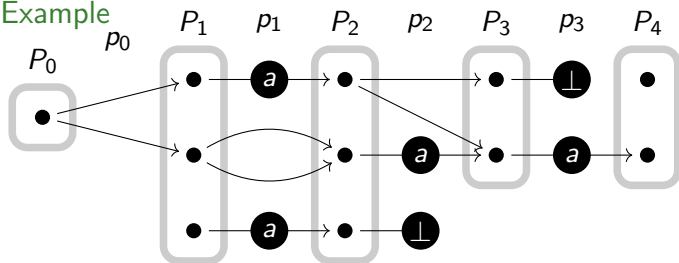
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Non-Example



Tree automata in Sets

$I = 1$, T is \mathcal{P} or \mathcal{P}_f , F is analytic.

$$FX = \coprod_{\sigma/n \in \Sigma} X^n / G_\sigma$$

Path(I, F)

Path of length $n =$ 'partial' F -tree of height n .

TF -coalgebra homomorphisms

... are open morphisms and thus preserve & reflect tree languages.

RNNA

Schröder, Kozen, Milius, Wißmann '17

TF -coalgebra for $T = \mathcal{P}_{\text{ufs}}$ $FX = 1 + \mathbb{A} \times X + [\mathbb{A}]X$
 $I := \mathbb{A}^{\#n}$, fixed $n \in \mathbb{N}$ $\mathcal{S} = \text{Strong nominal sets}$

 F -precise maps

- ... don't lose support
- ... don't lose order in the support
- if $f: \mathbb{A}^{\#n} \rightarrow FY$ is F -precise, then $Y = \mathbb{A}^{\#m}$ with $n \leq m \leq n + 1$.

Path(I, F)

Finite sequence of $F + 1$ -precise maps
 \Rightarrow essentially bar strings

Lasota's construction for arbitrary $J: \mathbb{P} \hookrightarrow \mathbb{M}$

Lasota '02

Let $J0_{\mathbb{P}} = 0_{\mathbb{M}}$ and the pointing^a $I = \chi^{0_{\mathbb{P}}}$ elsewhere.

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Functor Beh: $\mathbb{M} \rightarrow \text{LCoalg}(I, \mathbb{F}), M \mapsto (\mathbb{M}(P, M))_{P \in \mathbb{P}} \dots$

^aNo pointing in [Las02]

$$\mathbb{F} = T \cdot F$$

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Path-category $\text{Path}(I, F)$

$f: \chi^P \rightarrow FY$ F -precise iff $Y = \chi^Q$ for some $Q \in \mathbb{P}$

\Rightarrow objects in $\text{Path}(I, F)$ are: $0_{\mathbb{P}} \xrightarrow{m_1} P_1 \xrightarrow{m_2} P_2 \dots \xrightarrow{m_n} P_n$

All the axioms

F $F + 1$ admits precise factorizations, w.r.t. \mathcal{S} and $I \in \mathcal{S}$

T If $(e_i: X_i \rightarrow Y)_{i \in I}$ jointly epic, then $f \cdot e_i \sqsubseteq g \cdot e_i$ for all $i \in I \Rightarrow f \sqsubseteq g$.

$[\eta, \perp]: \text{Id} + 1 \rightarrow T$, with $\perp_Y \cdot !_X \sqsubseteq f$ for all $f: X \rightarrow TY$

For every $f: X \rightarrow TY$, $X \in \mathcal{S}$,

$f = \sqcup \{ [\eta, \perp]_Y \cdot f' \sqsubseteq f \mid f': X \rightarrow Y + 1 \}$

$$\forall A \in \mathcal{S} \quad \begin{array}{ccc} A & \xrightarrow{x} & TX \\ y \downarrow & \swarrow & \downarrow Th \\ Y + 1 & \xrightarrow{[\eta, \perp]_Y} & TY \end{array} \quad \xRightarrow{\exists x'} \quad \begin{array}{ccccc} & & x & & \\ & & \curvearrowright & & \\ A & \xrightarrow{x'} & X + 1 & \xrightarrow{[\eta, \perp]_X} & TX \\ & \searrow y & \downarrow h+1 & & \downarrow Th \\ & & Y + 1 & \xrightarrow{[\eta, \perp]_Y} & TY \end{array}$$