

Incorporating Quotation and Evaluation Into Church’s Type Theory*

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Abstract

CTT_{qe} is a version of Church’s type theory that includes quotation and evaluation operators that are similar to `quote` and `eval` in the Lisp programming language. With quotation and evaluation it is possible to reason in CTT_{qe} about the interplay of the syntax and semantics of expressions and, as a result, to formalize syntax-based mathematical algorithms. We present the syntax and semantics of CTT_{qe} as well as a proof system for CTT_{qe} . The proof system is shown to be sound for all formulas and complete for formulas that do not contain evaluations. We give several examples that illustrate the usefulness of having quotation and evaluation in CTT_{qe} .

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1 Introduction

The Lisp programming language is famous for its use of *quotation* and *evaluation*.¹ From code the Lisp quotation operator called *quote* produces meta-level data (i.e., S-expressions) that represents the code, and from this data the Lisp evaluation operator called *eval* produces the code that the data represents. In Lisp, *metaprogramming* (i.e., programming at the meta-level) is performed by manipulating S-expressions and is *reflected* (i.e., integrated) into object-level programming by the use of *quote* and *eval*.

Metaprogramming with reflection is a very powerful programming tool. Besides Lisp, several other programming languages employ quotation and evaluation mechanisms to enable metaprogramming with reflection. Examples include Agda [97, 98, 120], Archon [113], Elixir [103], F# [119], Idris [32, 33, 34], MetaML [115], MetaOCaml [109], reFLect [72], Scala [99, 110], and Template Haskell [111]. Indeed nearly all major programming languages today provide some level of support for metaprogramming. Quotation is not crucial for metaprogramming since strings or abstract syntax trees (ASTs) can be used directly as data representing code. However, quotation is convenient for connecting code to its representation.

Analogous to metaprogramming in a programming language, *metareasoning* is performed in a logic by manipulating meta-level values (e.g., ASTs) that represent expressions in the logic and is *reflected* into object-level reasoning using quotation and evaluation² mechanisms [42]. Metareasoning with reflection has been used in several proof assistants — including Agda [120, 121], Coq [14, 17, 31, 69, 71, 81, 100], Idris [32, 33, 34], Isabelle/HOL [30], Lean [45], Maude [36], Nqthm/ACL1 [15, 80], Nuprl/MetaPRL [2, 7, 37, 79, 85, 96, 125], PVS [122], reFLect [89], and Theorema [63] — for formalizing metalogical techniques (logical reflection) and incorporating symbolic computation into proofs (computational reflection) [54, 75].

In proof assistants such as Coq and Agda, metareasoning with reflection is implemented in the logic by defining an infrastructure consisting of (1) an *inductive type of syntactic values* that represent certain object-level expressions, (2) an *informal quotation operator* (residing only at the meta-level) that maps these object-level expressions to syntactic values, and (3) a *formal evaluation operator* (residing at the object-level) that maps syntactic values to the values of the object-level expressions that they represent. (The three components of this approach form an instance of a *syntax framework* [60], a mathematical structure that models systems for reasoning about the syntax of an interpreted language.)

The reflection infrastructures that have been employed in today’s proof assistants are usually *local* in the sense that the syntactic values of the inductive type represent only the expressions of the logic that are relevant to a particular problem, the quotation operator can only be applied to these expressions, and

¹Lisp is also famous for its use of *quasiquote*, a more powerful form of quotation which we discuss in section 4.

²Evaluation in this context is also called unquoting, interpretation, dereferencing, and dereification.

the evaluation operator can only be applied to the syntactic values of this inductive type. Can metareasoning with reflection be implemented in a traditional logic like first-order logic or simple type theory [52] using a *global* infrastructure for the entire set of expressions of the logic with global quotation and evaluation operators like Lisp’s quote and eval? This is largely an open question.

We have proposed a version of NBG set theory named Chiron [53] and a version of Alonzo Church’s type theory [35]³ named $\mathcal{Q}_0^{\text{uqe}}$ [55] that include global quotation and evaluation operators, but these logics have a high level of complexity and are not easy to implement. This paper presents a logic named CTT_{qe} , a version of Church’s type theory with quotation and evaluation which is much simpler than $\mathcal{Q}_0^{\text{uqe}}$. We believe CTT_{qe} is the first readily implementable version of simple type theory that includes global quotation and evaluation. See [63] for research in a similar direction.

Several challenging design problems face the logic engineer who seeks to incorporate global quotation and evaluation into a traditional logic. The three design problems that most concern us are the following. We will write the quotation and evaluation operators applied to an expression e as $\ulcorner e \urcorner$ and $\llbracket e \rrbracket$, respectively.

1. *Evaluation Problem.* An evaluation operator is applicable to syntactic values that represent formulas and thus is effectively a truth predicate. Hence, by the proof of Alfred Tarski’s theorem on the undefinability of truth [116, 117, 118], if the evaluation operator is total in the context of a sufficiently strong theory like first-order Peano arithmetic, then it is possible to express the liar paradox using the quotation and evaluation operators. Therefore, the evaluation operator must be partial and the law of disquotation⁴ cannot hold universally (i.e., for some expressions e , $\llbracket \ulcorner e \urcorner \rrbracket \neq e$). As a result, reasoning with evaluation is cumbersome and leads to undefined expressions.
2. *Variable Problem.* The variable x is not free in the expression $\ulcorner x + 3 \urcorner$ (or in any quotation). However, x is free in $\llbracket \ulcorner x + 3 \urcorner \rrbracket$ because $\llbracket \ulcorner x + 3 \urcorner \rrbracket = x + 3$. If the value of a constant c is $\ulcorner x + 3 \urcorner$, then x is free in $\llbracket c \rrbracket$ because $\llbracket c \rrbracket = \llbracket \ulcorner x + 3 \urcorner \rrbracket = x + 3$. Hence, in the presence of an evaluation operator, whether or not a variable is free in an expression may depend on the values of the expression’s components. As a consequence, the substitution of an expression for the free occurrences of a variable in another expression depends on the semantics (as well as the syntax) of the expressions involved and must be integrated with the proof system for the logic. That is, a logic with quotation and evaluation requires a semantics-dependent form of substitution in which side conditions, like whether a

³Church’s type theory [35] is a version of simple type theory with lambda notation. It is a classical form of type theory in contrast to constructive type theories, like Martin-Löf type theory [88] and the calculus of constructions [41].

⁴There are different meanings for the law of disquotation depending, for example, on how free variables in a quotation are handled. We are assuming a law of disquotation in which $\llbracket \ulcorner e \urcorner \rrbracket$ has the same value as e for any variable assignment.

variable is free in an expression, are proved within the proof system. This is a major departure from traditional logic.

3. *Double Substitution Problem.* By the semantics of evaluation, the value of $\llbracket e \rrbracket$ is the *value* of the expression whose syntax tree is represented by the *value* of e . Hence the semantics of evaluation involves a double valuation (see condition 6 of the definition of a general model in subsection 3.3). If the value of a variable x is $\ulcorner x \urcorner$, then $\llbracket x \rrbracket = \llbracket \ulcorner x \urcorner \rrbracket = x = \ulcorner x \urcorner$ (see Proposition 8.2.1). Hence the substitution of $\ulcorner x \urcorner$ for x in $\llbracket x \rrbracket$ requires one substitution inside the argument of the evaluation operator and another substitution after the evaluation operator is eliminated. This double substitution is another major departure from traditional logic.

To solve the Evaluation Problem, it is necessary to restrict the application of either the quotation operator or the evaluation operator. In $\mathcal{Q}_0^{\text{uqe}}$, $\ulcorner e \urcorner$ is defined for every expression e , but $\llbracket \ulcorner e \urcorner \rrbracket$ is defined only if e is an expression in which every occurrence of the evaluation operator is within a quotation. The Variable and Double Substitution Problems are then solved by defining an explicit substitution operator that operates on syntactic values. This results in a proof system for $\mathcal{Q}_0^{\text{uqe}}$ that is very complex and very difficult to implement. On the other hand, if $\ulcorner e \urcorner$ is defined only when e is a closed evaluation-free expression, then all three of the design problem disappear. However, most of the usefulness of having quotation and evaluation in a logic also disappear — which is illustrated by the examples in section 4.

The logic CTT_{qe} takes a middle path to solve the three design problems: $\ulcorner e \urcorner$ is defined only if e is a (possible open) expression that does not contain the evaluation operator. It is much simpler than $\mathcal{Q}_0^{\text{uqe}}$, but also much more useful than a logic in which only closed expressions can be quoted. Like $\mathcal{Q}_0^{\text{uqe}}$, CTT_{qe} is based on \mathcal{Q}_0 [3], Peter Andrews' version of Church's type theory. In this paper, we present the syntax and semantics of CTT_{qe} as well as a proof system for CTT_{qe} . We also give several examples that demonstrate the benefits of having quotation and evaluation in CTT_{qe} .

The rest of the paper is organized as follows. The syntax of CTT_{qe} is defined in section 2. A Henkin-style general models semantics for CTT_{qe} is defined in section 3. Four examples that illustrate the utility of the quotation and evaluation facility in CTT_{qe} are presented in section 4. A proof system for CTT_{qe} is given in section 5. Various proof-theoretic results about the proof system are proved in section 6. The proof system is proved in sections 7 and 8 to be, respectively, sound with respect to the semantics of CTT_{qe} and complete with respect to the semantics of CTT_{qe} for evaluation-free formulas. In section 9 the results stated about the examples discussed in section 4 are proved within the proof system for CTT_{qe} . The extensive body of literature related to CTT_{qe} is briefly surveyed in section 10. And the paper ends with some final remarks in section 11 including a brief discussion on future work.

2 Syntax

CTT_{qe} has the syntax of Church's type theory plus an inductive type of syntactic values, a partial quotation operator, and a typed evaluation operator. The syntax of CTT_{qe} is very similar to the syntax of \mathcal{Q}_0 [3, pp. 210–211]. Like \mathcal{Q}_0 , the propositional connectives and quantifiers are defined using function application, function abstraction, and equality. For the sake of simplicity, CTT_{qe} does not contain, as in \mathcal{Q}_0 , a definite description operator or, as in the logic of the HOL proof assistant [70], an indefinite description (choice) operator and type variables.

2.1 Types

A *type* of CTT_{qe} is a string of symbols defined inductively by the following formation rules:

1. *Type of individuals*: ι is a type.
2. *Type of truth values*: o is a type.
3. *Type of constructions*: ϵ is a type.
4. *Function type*: If α and β are types, then $(\alpha \rightarrow \beta)$ is a type.⁵

Let \mathcal{T} denote the set of types of CTT_{qe} . $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \dots$ are syntactic variables ranging over types. When there is no loss of meaning, matching pairs of parentheses in types may be omitted. We assume that function type formation associates to the right so that a type of the form $(\alpha \rightarrow (\beta \rightarrow \gamma))$ may be written as $\alpha \rightarrow \beta \rightarrow \gamma$.

We will see in the next subsection that in CTT_{qe} types are directly assigned to variables and constants and thereby indirectly assigned to expressions.

2.2 Expressions

A *typed symbol* is a symbol with a subscript from \mathcal{T} . Let \mathcal{V} be a set of typed symbols such that, for each $\alpha \in \mathcal{T}$, \mathcal{V} contains denumerably many typed symbols with subscript α . A *variable of type α* of CTT_{qe} is a member of \mathcal{V} with subscript α . $\mathbf{f}_\alpha, \mathbf{g}_\alpha, \mathbf{h}_\alpha, \mathbf{u}_\alpha, \mathbf{v}_\alpha, \mathbf{w}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{y}_\alpha, \mathbf{z}_\alpha, \dots$ are syntactic variables ranging over variables of type α . We will assume that $f_\alpha, g_\alpha, h_\alpha, u_\alpha, v_\alpha, w_\alpha, x_\alpha, y_\alpha, z_\alpha, \dots$ are actual variables of type α of CTT_{qe} .

Let \mathcal{C} be a set of typed symbols disjoint from \mathcal{V} that includes the typed symbols in Table 1. A *constant of type α* of CTT_{qe} is a member of \mathcal{C} with subscript α . The typed symbols in Table 1 are the *logical constants* of CTT_{qe} . $\mathbf{c}_\alpha, \mathbf{d}_\alpha, \dots$ are syntactic variables ranging over constants of type α .

An *expression of type α* of CTT_{qe} is a string of symbols defined inductively by the formation rules below. $\mathbf{A}_\alpha, \mathbf{B}_\alpha, \mathbf{C}_\alpha, \dots$ are syntactic variables ranging

⁵In Andrews' \mathcal{Q}_0 [3] and Church's original system [35], the function type $(\alpha \rightarrow \beta)$ is written as $(\beta\alpha)$.

| | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| $=_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha \rightarrow o}$ | for all $\alpha \in \mathcal{T}$ |
| $\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$ | |
| $\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^{\alpha}$ | for all $\alpha \in \mathcal{T}$ |
| $\text{is-con}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$ | |
| $\text{is-con}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^{\alpha}$ | for all $\alpha \in \mathcal{T}$ |
| $\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$ | |
| $\text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$ | |
| $\text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$ | |
| $\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$ | |
| $\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^{\alpha}$ | for all $\alpha \in \mathcal{T}$ |
| $\sqsubset_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o}$ | |
| $\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o}$ | |

Table 1: Logical Constants

over expressions of type α . An expression is *eval-free* if it is constructed using just the first five formation rules.

1. *Variable*: \mathbf{x}_{α} is an expression of type α .
2. *Constant*: \mathbf{c}_{α} is an expression of type α .
3. *Function application*: $(\mathbf{F}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} \mathbf{A}_{\alpha})$ is an expression of type β .
4. *Function abstraction*: $(\lambda \mathbf{x}_{\alpha} . \mathbf{B}_{\beta})$ is an expression of type $\alpha \rightarrow \beta$.
5. *Quotation*: $\lceil \mathbf{A}_{\alpha} \rceil$ is an expression of type ϵ if \mathbf{A}_{α} is eval-free.
6. *Evaluation*: $\llbracket \mathbf{A}_{\epsilon} \rrbracket_{\mathbf{B}_{\beta}}$ is an expression of type β .

The sole purpose of the second component \mathbf{B}_{β} in an evaluation $\llbracket \mathbf{A}_{\epsilon} \rrbracket_{\mathbf{B}_{\beta}}$ is to establish the type of the evaluation. A *formula* is an expression of type o . When there is no loss of meaning, matching pairs of parentheses in expressions may be omitted. We assume that function application formation associates to the left so that an expression of the form $((\mathbf{G}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta \rightarrow \gamma} \mathbf{A}_{\alpha}) \mathbf{B}_{\beta})$ may be written as $\mathbf{G}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta \rightarrow \gamma} \mathbf{A}_{\alpha} \mathbf{B}_{\beta}$.

Let \mathbf{A}_{α} and \mathbf{B}_{β} be eval-free expressions. An occurrence of a variable \mathbf{x}_{α} in \mathbf{B}_{β} is *bound* [*free*] if (1) it is not in a quotation and (2) it is [not] in a subexpression of \mathbf{B}_{β} of the form $\lambda \mathbf{x}_{\alpha} . \mathbf{C}_{\gamma}$. A variable \mathbf{x}_{α} is *bound* [*free*] *in* \mathbf{B}_{β} if there is a bound [free] occurrence of \mathbf{x}_{α} in \mathbf{B}_{β} . \mathbf{A}_{α} is *free for* \mathbf{x}_{α} *in* \mathbf{B}_{β} if no free occurrence of \mathbf{x}_{α} in \mathbf{B}_{β} is within a subexpression of \mathbf{B}_{β} of the form $\lambda \mathbf{y}_{\gamma} . \mathbf{C}_{\delta}$ such that \mathbf{y}_{γ} is free in \mathbf{A}_{α} .

Remark 2.2.1 (Bound and Free Variables) For expressions that are not eval-free (i.e., contain one or more evaluations), it is not possible to define in a purely syntactic way the notion of a bound or free variable due to the Variable Problem (see section 1). Hence notions concerning bound and free variables, such as substitution and alpha-equivalence, cannot be readily extended to non-eval-free expressions.

2.3 Constructions

A *construction* of CTT_{qe} is an expression of type ϵ defined inductively as follows:

1. $\ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner$ is a construction.
2. $\ulcorner \mathbf{c}_\alpha \urcorner$ is a construction.
3. If \mathbf{A}_ϵ and \mathbf{B}_ϵ are constructions, then $\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \mathbf{B}_\epsilon$, $\text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \mathbf{B}_\epsilon$, and $\text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathbf{A}_\epsilon$ are constructions.

The set of constructions is thus an inductive type whose base elements are quotations of variables and constants and whose constructors are $\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$, $\text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$, and $\text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$. We will call these three constants *syntax constructors*.

Let \mathcal{E} be the function mapping eval-free expressions to constructions that is defined inductively as follows:

1. $\mathcal{E}(\mathbf{x}_\alpha) = \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner$.
2. $\mathcal{E}(\mathbf{c}_\alpha) = \ulcorner \mathbf{c}_\alpha \urcorner$.
3. $\mathcal{E}(\mathbf{F}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} \mathbf{A}_\alpha) = \text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{F}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta}) \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)$.
4. $\mathcal{E}(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta) = \text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{x}_\alpha) \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{B}_\beta)$.
5. $\mathcal{E}(\ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner) = \text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)$.

\mathcal{E} is clearly injective. When \mathbf{A}_α is eval-free, $\mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)$ is the unique construction that represents the syntax tree of \mathbf{A}_α . That is, $\mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)$ is a syntactic value that represents how \mathbf{A}_α is syntactically constructed. For every eval-free expression, there is a construction that represents its syntax tree, but not every construction represents the syntax tree of an eval-free expression. For example, $\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner$ represents the syntax tree of $(\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mathbf{x}_\alpha)$ which is not an expression of CTT_{qe} since the types are mismatched. A construction is *proper* if it is in the range of \mathcal{E} , i.e., it represents the syntax tree of an eval-free expression. Whether a construction is proper is easily decided by examining its syntactic structure.

The five kinds of eval-free expressions and the syntactic values that represent their syntax trees are given in Table 2. The logical constants $\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$, $\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha$, $\text{is-con}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$, $\text{is-con}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha$, $\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$, $\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha$, $\sqsubset_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o}$, and $\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o}$ are used to make assertions about the expressions that constructors represent. Their meanings are given in subsection 3.2. $\sqsubset_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o}$ is needed to express the induction principle for constructions (Axiom B6 in section 5).

Remark 2.3.1 (Type of Constructions) All constructions have the same type ϵ . Thus, $\mathcal{E}(A_\alpha)$ and $\mathcal{E}(B_\beta)$ both have type ϵ even when A_α and B_β are eval-free expressions with different types. An alternate approach would be to parameterize ϵ so that all constructors of the form $\mathcal{E}(A_\alpha)$ would have the type ϵ_α . Instead of parameterizing ϵ by the type of expressions, we have chosen to partition ϵ by the set $\{\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha \mid \alpha \in \mathcal{T}\}$ of unary predicates on ϵ .

2.4 Theories

Let $\mathcal{D} \subseteq \mathcal{C}$. An expression \mathbf{A}_α of CTT_{qe} is a *\mathcal{D} -expression* if each constant occurring in \mathbf{A}_α is a member of \mathcal{D} . Let $L_{\mathcal{D}}$ be the set of all \mathcal{D} -expressions. A *language* of CTT_{qe} is $L_{\mathcal{D}}$ for some $\mathcal{D} \subseteq \mathcal{C}$ such that \mathcal{D} contains all the logical constants of CTT_{qe} . A *theory* of CTT_{qe} is a pair $T = (L, \Gamma)$ where L is a language of CTT_{qe} and Γ is a set of formulas in L . The *theory of the logic* is the theory $T_{\text{logic}} = (L_{\mathcal{C}}, \emptyset)$. A theory $T = (L, \Gamma)$ is *eval-free* if each member of Γ is eval-free. \mathbf{A}_α is an *expression of a theory* $T = (L, \Gamma)$ if $\mathbf{A}_\alpha \in L$.

2.5 Definitions and Abbreviations

As Andrews does in [3, p. 212], we introduce in Table 3 several defined logical constants and abbreviations. The former includes constants for true and false and the propositional connectives. The latter includes notation for equality, the propositional connectives, universal and existential quantification, $\sqsubset_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o}$ as an infix operator, and a simplified notation for evaluations.

3 Semantics

The semantics of CTT_{qe} extends the semantics of \mathcal{Q}_0 [3, pp. 238–239] by defining the domain of the type ϵ and what quotations and evaluations mean.

3.1 Frames

A *frame* of CTT_{qe} is a collection $\{D_\alpha \mid \alpha \in \mathcal{T}\}$ of domains such that:

1. D_ι is a nonempty set of values (called *individuals*).
2. $D_o = \{\text{T}, \text{F}\}$, the set of standard *truth values*.
3. D_ϵ is the set of *constructions* of CTT_{qe} .
4. For $\alpha, \beta \in \mathcal{T}$, $D_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta}$ is some set of *total functions* from D_α to D_β .

\mathcal{D}_ι is the *domain of individuals*, \mathcal{D}_o is the *domain of truth values*, \mathcal{D}_ϵ is the *domain of constructions*, and, for $\alpha, \beta \in \mathcal{T}$, $\mathcal{D}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta}$ is a *function domain*.

| Kind | Syntax | Syntactic Value |
|----------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Variable | \mathbf{x}_α | $\ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner$ |
| Constant | \mathbf{c}_α | $\ulcorner \mathbf{c}_\alpha \urcorner$ |
| Function application | $\mathbf{F}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} \mathbf{A}_\alpha$ | $\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{F}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta}) \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)$ |
| Function abstraction | $\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta$ | $\text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{x}_\alpha) \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{B}_\beta)$ |
| Quotation | $\ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner$ | $\text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)$ |

Table 2: Five Kinds of Eval-Free Expressions

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| $(\mathbf{A}_\alpha = \mathbf{B}_\alpha)$ | stands for | $=_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha \rightarrow o} \mathbf{A}_\alpha \mathbf{B}_\alpha.$ |
| $(\mathbf{A}_o \equiv \mathbf{B}_o)$ | stands for | $=_{o \rightarrow o \rightarrow o} \mathbf{A}_o \mathbf{B}_o.$ |
| T_o | stands for | $=_{o \rightarrow o \rightarrow o} =_{o \rightarrow o \rightarrow o}.$ |
| F_o | stands for | $(\lambda x_o . T_o) = (\lambda x_o . x_o).$ |
| $(\forall \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{A}_o)$ | stands for | $(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . T_o) = (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{A}_o).$ |
| $\wedge_{o \rightarrow o \rightarrow o}$ | stands for | $\lambda x_o . \lambda y_o .$ $((\lambda g_{o \rightarrow o \rightarrow o} . g_{o \rightarrow o \rightarrow o} T_o T_o) =$ $(\lambda g_{o \rightarrow o \rightarrow o} . g_{o \rightarrow o \rightarrow o} x_o y_o)).$ |
| $(\mathbf{A}_o \wedge \mathbf{B}_o)$ | stands for | $\wedge_{o \rightarrow o \rightarrow o} \mathbf{A}_o \mathbf{B}_o.$ |
| $\supset_{o \rightarrow o \rightarrow o}$ | stands for | $\lambda x_o . \lambda y_o . (x_o = (x_o \wedge y_o)).$ |
| $(\mathbf{A}_o \supset \mathbf{B}_o)$ | stands for | $\supset_{o \rightarrow o \rightarrow o} \mathbf{A}_o \mathbf{B}_o.$ |
| $\neg_{o \rightarrow o}$ | stands for | $=_{o \rightarrow o \rightarrow o} F_o.$ |
| $(\neg \mathbf{A}_o)$ | stands for | $\neg_{o \rightarrow o} \mathbf{A}_o.$ |
| $\vee_{o \rightarrow o \rightarrow o}$ | stands for | $\lambda x_o . \lambda y_o . \neg(\neg x_o \wedge \neg y_o).$ |
| $(\mathbf{A}_o \vee \mathbf{B}_o)$ | stands for | $\vee_{o \rightarrow o \rightarrow o} \mathbf{A}_o \mathbf{B}_o.$ |
| $(\exists \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{A}_o)$ | stands for | $\neg(\forall \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \neg \mathbf{A}_o).$ |
| $(\mathbf{A}_\alpha \neq \mathbf{B}_\alpha)$ | stands for | $\neg(\mathbf{A}_\alpha = \mathbf{B}_\alpha).$ |
| $\mathbf{A}_\epsilon \sqsubset_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \mathbf{B}_\epsilon$ | stands for | $\sqsubset_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \mathbf{B}_\epsilon.$ |
| $\llbracket \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta$ | stands for | $\llbracket \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \rrbracket_{\mathbf{B}_\beta}.$ |

Table 3: Definitions and Abbreviations

3.2 Interpretations

An *interpretation* of CTT_{qe} is a pair $(\{D_\alpha \mid \alpha \in \mathcal{T}\}, I)$ consisting of a frame and an interpretation function I that maps each constant in \mathcal{C} of type α to an element of D_α such that:

1. For all $\alpha \in \mathcal{T}$, $I(=_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha \rightarrow o})$ is the function $f \in D_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha \rightarrow o}$ such that, for all $d_1, d_2 \in D_\alpha$, $f(d_1)(d_2) = \top$ iff $d_1 = d_2$. That is, $I(=_{\alpha \rightarrow \alpha \rightarrow o})$ is the identity relation on D_α .
2. $I(\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o})$ is the function $f \in D_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$ such that, for all constructions $\mathbf{A}_\epsilon \in D_\epsilon$, $f(\mathbf{A}_\epsilon) = \top$ iff $\mathbf{A}_\epsilon = \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner$ for some variable $\mathbf{x}_\alpha \in \mathcal{V}$ (where α can be any type).
3. For all $\alpha \in \mathcal{T}$, $I(\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha)$ is the function $f \in D_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$ such that, for all constructions $\mathbf{A}_\epsilon \in D_\epsilon$, $f(\mathbf{A}_\epsilon) = \top$ iff $\mathbf{A}_\epsilon = \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner$ for some variable $\mathbf{x}_\alpha \in \mathcal{V}$.
4. $I(\text{is-con}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o})$ is the function $f \in D_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$ such that, for all constructions $\mathbf{A}_\epsilon \in D_\epsilon$, $f(\mathbf{A}_\epsilon) = \top$ iff $\mathbf{A}_\epsilon = \ulcorner \mathbf{c}_\alpha \urcorner$ for some constant $\mathbf{c}_\alpha \in \mathcal{C}$ (where α can be any type).
5. For all $\alpha \in \mathcal{T}$, $I(\text{is-con}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha)$ is the function $f \in D_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$ such that, for all constructions $\mathbf{A}_\epsilon \in D_\epsilon$, $f(\mathbf{A}_\epsilon) = \top$ iff $\mathbf{A}_\epsilon = \ulcorner \mathbf{c}_\alpha \urcorner$ for some constant $\mathbf{c}_\alpha \in \mathcal{C}$.
6. $I(\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon})$ is the function $f \in D_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$ such that, for all constructions $\mathbf{A}_\epsilon, \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \in D_\epsilon$, $f(\mathbf{A}_\epsilon)(\mathbf{B}_\epsilon)$ is the construction $\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \mathbf{B}_\epsilon$.

7. $I(\text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon})$ is the function $f \in D_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$ such that, for all constructions $\mathbf{A}_\epsilon, \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \in D_\epsilon$, $f(\mathbf{A}_\epsilon)(\mathbf{B}_\epsilon)$ is the construction $\text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \mathbf{B}_\epsilon$.
8. $I(\text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon})$ is the function $f \in D_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$ such that, for all constructions $\mathbf{A}_\epsilon \in D_\epsilon$, $f(\mathbf{A}_\epsilon)$ is the construction $\text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathbf{A}_\epsilon$.
9. $I(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o})$ is the function $f \in D_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$ such that, for all constructions $\mathbf{A}_\epsilon \in D_\epsilon$, $f(\mathbf{A}_\epsilon) = \top$ iff $\mathbf{A}_\epsilon = \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{B}_\alpha)$ for some (eval-free) expression \mathbf{B}_α (where α can be any type).
10. For all $\alpha \in \mathcal{T}$, $I(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha)$ is the function $f \in D_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$ such that, for all constructions $\mathbf{A}_\epsilon \in D_\epsilon$, $f(\mathbf{A}_\epsilon) = \top$ iff $\mathbf{A}_\epsilon = \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{B}_\alpha)$ for some (eval-free) expression \mathbf{B}_α .
11. $I(\sqsubset_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o})$ is the function $f \in D_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o}$ such that, for all constructions $\mathbf{A}_\epsilon, \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \in D_\epsilon$, $f(\mathbf{A}_\epsilon)(\mathbf{B}_\epsilon) = \top$ iff \mathbf{A}_ϵ is a proper subexpression of \mathbf{B}_ϵ .
12. $I(\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o})$ is the function $f \in D_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o}$ such that, for all constructions $\mathbf{A}_\epsilon, \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \in D_\epsilon$, $f(\mathbf{A}_\epsilon)(\mathbf{B}_\epsilon) = \top$ iff $\mathbf{A}_\epsilon = \lceil \mathbf{x}_\alpha \rceil$ for some $\mathbf{x}_\alpha \in \mathcal{V}$, $\mathbf{B}_\epsilon = \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{C}_\beta)$ for some (eval-free) expression \mathbf{C}_β , and \mathbf{x}_α is free in \mathbf{C}_β .

Remark 3.2.1 (Domain of Constructions) We would prefer that D_ϵ contains just the set of proper constructions because we need only proper constructions to represent the syntax trees of eval-free expressions. However, then the natural interpretations of the three syntax constructors — $\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$, $\text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$, and $\text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$ — would be partial functions. Since CTT_{qe} admits only total functions, it is more convenient to allow D_ϵ to include improper constructions than to interpret the syntax constructors as total functions that represent partial functions.

An *assignment* into a frame $\{D_\alpha \mid \alpha \in \mathcal{T}\}$ is a function φ whose domain is \mathcal{V} such that $\varphi(\mathbf{x}_\alpha) \in D_\alpha$ for each $\mathbf{x}_\alpha \in \mathcal{V}$. Given an assignment φ , $\mathbf{x}_\alpha \in \mathcal{V}$, and $d \in D_\alpha$, let $\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto d]$ be the assignment ψ such that $\psi(\mathbf{x}_\alpha) = d$ and $\psi(\mathbf{y}_\beta) = \varphi(\mathbf{y}_\beta)$ for all variables \mathbf{y}_β distinct from \mathbf{x}_α . Given an interpretation $\mathcal{M} = (\{D_\alpha \mid \alpha \in \mathcal{T}\}, I)$, $\text{assign}(\mathcal{M})$ is the set of assignments into the frame of \mathcal{M} .

3.3 General Models

We are now ready to define the notion of a “general model” for CTT_{qe} in which function domains need not contain all possible total functions. General models were introduced by Leon Henkin in [77].

An interpretation $\mathcal{M} = (\{D_\alpha \mid \alpha \in \mathcal{T}\}, I)$ is a *general model* for CTT_{qe} if there is a binary valuation function $V^\mathcal{M}$ such that, for all assignments $\varphi \in \text{assign}(\mathcal{M})$ and expressions \mathbf{C}_γ , $V_\varphi^\mathcal{M}(\mathbf{C}_\gamma) \in D_\gamma$ ⁶ and each of the following conditions is satisfied:

⁶We write $V_\varphi^\mathcal{M}(\mathbf{C}_\gamma)$ instead of $V^\mathcal{M}(\varphi, \mathbf{C}_\gamma)$.

1. If $\mathbf{C}_\gamma \in \mathcal{V}$, then $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{C}_\gamma) = \varphi(\mathbf{C}_\gamma)$.
2. If $\mathbf{C}_\gamma \in \mathcal{C}$, then $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{C}_\gamma) = I(\mathbf{C}_\gamma)$.
3. If \mathbf{C}_γ is $\mathbf{F}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} \mathbf{A}_\alpha$, then $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{C}_\gamma) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{F}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta})(V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha))$.
4. If \mathbf{C}_γ is $\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta$, then $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{C}_\gamma)$ is the function $f \in D_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta}$ such that, for each $d \in D_\alpha$, $f(d) = V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto d]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{B}_\beta)$.
5. If \mathbf{C}_γ is $\lceil \mathbf{A}_\alpha \rceil$, then $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{C}_\gamma) = \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)$.
6. If \mathbf{C}_γ is $\llbracket \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta$ and $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\beta \mathbf{A}_\epsilon) = \top$, then

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{C}_\gamma) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathcal{E}^{-1}(V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\epsilon))).$$

7. For each $\beta \in \mathcal{T}$, there is some $d_\beta \in D_\beta$ such that, if \mathbf{C}_γ is $\llbracket \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta$ and $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\beta \mathbf{A}_\epsilon) = \text{F}$, then $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{C}_\gamma) = d_\beta$.

Proposition 3.3.1 *General models for CTT_{qe} exist.*

Proof It is easy to construct an interpretation $\mathcal{M} = (\{\mathcal{D}_\alpha \mid \alpha \in \mathcal{T}\}, I)$ such that $\mathcal{D}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta}$ is the set of all total functions from \mathcal{D}_α to \mathcal{D}_β for all $\alpha, \beta \in \mathcal{T}$. It is also easy to define by induction on the structure of expressions a valuation function $V^{\mathcal{M}}$ such that \mathcal{M} is a general model for CTT_{qe} . \square

Remark 3.3.2 (Semantics of Evaluations) When $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\beta \mathbf{A}_\epsilon) = \top$, the semantics of $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta)$ involves a double valuation as mentioned in the Double Substitution Problem (see section 1).

Remark 3.3.3 (Undefined Evaluations) Suppose $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\epsilon)$ is an improper construction. Then $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathcal{E}^{-1}(V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\epsilon)))$ is undefined and $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta)$ has no natural value. Since CTT_{qe} does not admit undefined expressions, $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta)$ is defined to be d_β , an unspecified error value for the type β . Similarly, if $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\epsilon)$ is a proper construction of the form $\mathcal{E}(\mathbf{B}_\gamma)$ with $\gamma \neq \beta$, $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta) = d_\beta$.

Let \mathcal{M} be a general model for CTT_{qe} . \mathbf{A}_o is *valid in \mathcal{M}* , written $\mathcal{M} \vDash \mathbf{A}_o$, if $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_o) = \top$ for all $\varphi \in \text{assign}(\mathcal{M})$. \mathbf{A}_o is *valid in CTT_{qe}* , written $\vDash \mathbf{A}_o$, if \mathbf{A}_o is valid in every general model for CTT_{qe} .

Let $T = (L, \Gamma)$ be a theory of CTT_{qe} , \mathbf{A}_o be a formula of T , and \mathcal{H} be a set of formulas of T . A *general model for T* is a general model \mathcal{M} for CTT_{qe} such that $\mathcal{M} \vDash \mathbf{A}_o$ for all $\mathbf{A}_o \in \Gamma$. \mathbf{A}_o is *valid in T* , written $T \vDash \mathbf{A}_o$, if \mathbf{A}_o is valid in every general model for T . \mathcal{H} *entails \mathbf{A}_o in T* , written $T, \mathcal{H} \vDash \mathbf{A}_o$, if, for all general models \mathcal{M} for T and all $\varphi \in \text{assign}(\mathcal{M})$, $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{H}_o) = \top$ for all $\mathbf{H}_o \in \mathcal{H}$ implies $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_o) = \top$.

Proposition 3.3.4 *Let \mathcal{M} be a general model for CTT_{qe} , \mathbf{A}_ϵ be a construction, and $\varphi \in \text{assign}(\mathcal{M})$. Then $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\epsilon) = \mathbf{A}_\epsilon$.*

Proof Follows immediately from conditions 6–8 of the definition of an interpretation and conditions 3 and 5 of the definition of a general model. \square

Theorem 3.3.5 (Law of Quotation) $\ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner = \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)$ is valid in CTT_{qe} .

Proof Let \mathcal{M} be a general model for CTT_{qe} and $\varphi \in \text{assign}(\mathcal{M})$. Then

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner) \tag{1}$$

$$= \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha) \tag{2}$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)) \tag{3}$$

(2) follows from condition 5 of the definition of a general model and (3) follows from Proposition 3.3.4. Hence $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha))$ for all $\varphi \in \text{assign}(\mathcal{M})$, and so $\ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner = \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)$ is valid in every general model for CTT_{qe} . \square

Theorem 3.3.6 (Law of Disquotation) $\llbracket \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner \rrbracket_\alpha = \mathbf{A}_\alpha$ is valid in CTT_{qe} .

Proof

Let \mathcal{M} be a general model for CTT_{qe} and $\varphi \in \text{assign}(\mathcal{M})$. Then

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner \rrbracket_\alpha) \tag{1}$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathcal{E}^{-1}(V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner))) \tag{2}$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathcal{E}^{-1}(\mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha))) \tag{3}$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha) \tag{4}$$

(a) $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner) = \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)$ is by condition 5 of the definition of a general model.
 (b) $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \sigma}^\alpha \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner) = \top$ follows from (a). (2) follows from (b) and condition 6 of the definition of a general model; (3) follows from (a); and (4) is immediate. Hence $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner \rrbracket_\alpha) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)$ for all $\varphi \in \text{assign}(\mathcal{M})$, and so $\llbracket \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner \rrbracket_\alpha = \mathbf{A}_\alpha$ is valid in every general model for CTT_{qe} . \square

Remark 3.3.7 (Evaluation Problem) Theorem 3.3.6 shows that disquotation holds universally in CTT_{qe} contrary to the Evaluation Problem (see section 1). We have avoided the Evaluation Problem in CTT_{qe} by admitting only quotations of eval-free expressions and thus making it impossible to express the liar paradox. If quotations of non-eval-free expressions were allowed in CTT_{qe} , the logic would be significantly more expressive, but also much more complicated, as seen in $\mathcal{Q}_0^{\text{uqe}}$ [55].

3.4 Standard Models

An interpretation $\mathcal{M} = (\{\mathcal{D}_\alpha \mid \alpha \in \mathcal{T}\}, I)$ is a *standard model* for CTT_{qe} if $\mathcal{D}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta}$ is the set of all total functions from \mathcal{D}_α to \mathcal{D}_β for all $\alpha, \beta \in \mathcal{T}$.

Lemma 3.4.1 *Standard models for CTT_{qe} exist, and every standard model for CTT_{qe} is also a general model for CTT_{qe} .*

Proof By the proof of Proposition 3.3.1. \square

A general model for CTT_{qe} is a *nonstandard model* for CTT_{qe} if it is not a standard model.

4 Examples

We will present in this section four examples that illustrate the utility of the quotation and evaluation facility in CTT_{qe} .

4.1 Reasoning about Syntax

Reasoning about the syntax of expressions is normally performed in the met-logic, but in CTT_{qe} reasoning about the syntax of eval-free expressions can be performed in the logic itself. This is done by reasoning about constructions (which represent the syntax trees of eval-free expressions) using quotation and the machinery of constructions. Algorithms that manipulate eval-free expressions can be formalized as functions that manipulate constructions. The functions can be executed using beta-reduction, rewriting, and other kinds of simplification.

As an example, consider the constant `make-implication` _{$\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon$} defined as

$$\lambda x_\epsilon . \lambda y_\epsilon . (\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} (\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \supset_{o \rightarrow o \rightarrow o} \urcorner x_\epsilon) y_\epsilon).$$

It can be used to build constructions that represent implications. As another example, consider the constant `is-app` _{$\epsilon \rightarrow o$} defined as

$$\lambda x_\epsilon . \exists y_\epsilon . \exists z_\epsilon . x_\epsilon = (\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} y_\epsilon z_\epsilon).$$

It can be used to test whether a construction represents a function application.

Reasoning about syntax is a two-step process: First, a construction is built using quotation and the machinery of constructions, and second, the construction is employed using evaluation. Continuing the example above,

$$\text{make-implication}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_o \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_o \urcorner$$

builds a construction equivalent to the quotation $\ulcorner \mathbf{A}_o \supset \mathbf{B}_o \urcorner$ and

$$\llbracket \text{make-implication}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_o \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_o \urcorner \rrbracket_o$$

employs the construction as the implication $\mathbf{A}_o \supset \mathbf{B}_o$. We prove these two results within the proof system for CTT_{qe} in subsection 9.1 (see Propositions 9.1.1 and 9.1.2).

Using this mixture of quotation and evaluation, it is possible to express the interplay of syntax and semantics that is needed to formalize syntax-based algorithms that are commonly used in mathematics [54]. See subsection 4.4 for an example.

4.2 Quasiquotation

Quasiquotation is a parameterized form of quotation in which the parameters serve as holes in a quotation that are filled with expressions that denote syntactic values. It is a very powerful syntactic device for specifying expressions and defining macros. Quasiquotation was introduced by Willard Van Orman Quine in 1940 in the first version of his book *Mathematical Logic* [105]. It has been extensively employed in the Lisp family of programming languages [8].⁷

In CTT_{qe} , constructing a large quotation from smaller quotations can be tedious because it requires many applications of syntax constructors. Quasiquotation provides a convenient way to construct big quotations from little quotations. It can be defined straightforwardly in CTT_{qe} .

A *quasi-expression* of CTT_{qe} is defined inductively as follows:

1. $[\mathbf{A}_\epsilon]$ is a quasi-expression called an *antiquotation*.
2. \mathbf{x}_α is a quasi-expression.
3. \mathbf{c}_α is a quasi-expression.
4. If M and N are quasi-expressions, then $(M N)$, $(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . N)$, $(\lambda [\mathbf{A}_\epsilon] . N)$, and $\ulcorner M \urcorner$ are quasi-expressions.

A quasi-expression is thus an eval-free expression where one or more subexpressions have been replaced by antiquotations. For example, $\neg(\mathbf{A}_o \wedge [\mathbf{B}_\epsilon])$ is a quasi-expression. Obviously, every eval-free expression is a quasi-expression.

Let \mathcal{E}' be the function mapping quasi-expressions to expressions of type ϵ that is defined inductively as follows:

1. $\mathcal{E}'([\mathbf{A}_\epsilon]) = \mathbf{A}_\epsilon$.
2. $\mathcal{E}'(\mathbf{x}_\alpha) = \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner$.
3. $\mathcal{E}'(\mathbf{c}_\alpha) = \ulcorner \mathbf{c}_\alpha \urcorner$.
4. $\mathcal{E}'(M N) = \text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathcal{E}'(M) \mathcal{E}'(N)$.
5. $\mathcal{E}'(\lambda M . N) = \text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathcal{E}'(M) \mathcal{E}'(N)$.
6. $\mathcal{E}'(\ulcorner M \urcorner) = \text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathcal{E}'(M)$.

Notice that $\mathcal{E}'(M) = \mathcal{E}(M)$ when M is an eval-free expression. Continuing our example above, $\mathcal{E}'(\neg(\mathbf{A}_o \wedge [\mathbf{B}_\epsilon])) =$

$$\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \neg_{o \rightarrow o} \urcorner (\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} (\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \wedge_{o \rightarrow o \rightarrow o} \urcorner \mathcal{E}'(\mathbf{A}_o)) \mathbf{B}_\epsilon).$$

A *quasiquotation* is an expression of the form $\ulcorner M \urcorner$ where M is a quasi-expression. Thus every quotation is a quasiquotation. The quasiquotation $\ulcorner M \urcorner$

⁷In Lisp, the standard symbol for quasiquotation is the backquote (‘) symbol, and thus in Lisp, quasiquotation is usually called *backquote*.

serves as an alternate notation for the expression $\mathcal{E}'(M)$. So $\lceil \neg(\mathbf{A}_o \wedge [\mathbf{B}_\epsilon]) \rceil$ stands for the significantly more verbose expression in the previous paragraph. It represents the syntax tree of a negated conjunction in which the part of the tree corresponding to the second conjunct is replaced by the syntax tree represented by \mathbf{B}_ϵ . If \mathbf{B}_ϵ is a quotation $\lceil \mathbf{C}_o \rceil$, then the quasiquotation $\lceil \neg(\mathbf{A}_o \wedge [\lceil \mathbf{C}_o \rceil]) \rceil$ is equivalent to the quotation $\lceil \neg(\mathbf{A}_o \wedge \mathbf{C}_o) \rceil$.

The use of quasiquotation is further illustrated in the next two subsections.

4.3 Schemas

A *schema* is a metalogical expression containing syntactic variables. An instance of a schema is a logical expression obtained by replacing the syntactic variables with appropriate logical expressions. In CTT_{qe} , a schema can be formalized as a single logical expression.

For example, consider the *law of excluded middle (LEM)* that is expressed as the formula schema $A \vee \neg A$ where A is a syntactic variable ranging over all formulas. LEM can be formalized in CTT_{qe} as the universal statement

$$\forall x_\epsilon . \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^o x_\epsilon \supset \llbracket x_\epsilon \rrbracket_o \vee \neg \llbracket x_\epsilon \rrbracket_o.$$

An instance of this formalization of LEM is any instance of the universal statement. Using quasiquotation, LEM could also be formalized in CTT_{qe} as

$$\forall x_\epsilon . \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^o x_\epsilon \supset \llbracket \lceil x_\epsilon \rceil \vee \neg \lceil x_\epsilon \rceil \rrbracket_o.$$

In subsection 9.2, we prove the first formalization of LEM within the proof system for CTT_{qe} , and we show how instances of LEM can be derived by instantiating this formalization (see Theorem 9.2.1 and Proposition 9.2.2).

If we assume that the domain of the type ι is the natural numbers and \mathcal{C} includes the usual constants of natural number arithmetic (including a constant $S_{\iota \rightarrow \iota}$ representing the successor function), then the (first-order) *induction schema for Peano arithmetic* can be formalized in CTT_{qe} as

$$\begin{aligned} \forall f_\epsilon . ((\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^{\iota \rightarrow o} f_\epsilon \wedge \neg(\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \lceil x_\iota \rceil f_\epsilon) \wedge \text{is-peano}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} f_\epsilon) \supset \\ ((\llbracket f_\epsilon \rrbracket_{\iota \rightarrow o} 0 \wedge (\forall x_\iota . \llbracket f_\epsilon \rrbracket_{\iota \rightarrow o} x_\iota \supset \llbracket f_\epsilon \rrbracket_{\iota \rightarrow o} (S_{\iota \rightarrow \iota} x_\iota))) \supset \forall x_\iota . \llbracket f_\epsilon \rrbracket_{\iota \rightarrow o} x_\iota)) \end{aligned}$$

where $\text{is-peano}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} f_\epsilon$ holds iff f_ϵ represents the syntax tree of a predicate of first-order Peano arithmetic. The *induction schema for Presburger arithmetic* is exactly the same as the induction schema for Peano arithmetic except that the predicate $\text{is-peano}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$ is replaced by an appropriate predicate $\text{is-presburger}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$. Hence it is possible to directly express both first-order Peano arithmetic and Presburger arithmetic as theories in CTT_{qe} .

4.4 Meaning Formulas

Many symbolic algorithms work by manipulating mathematical expressions in a mathematically meaningful way. A *meaning formula* for such an algorithm

is a statement that captures the mathematical relationship between the input and output expressions of the algorithm. For example, consider a symbolic differentiation algorithm that takes as input an expression representing a function (say x^2), repeatedly applies syntactic differentiation rules to the expression, and then returns as output the final expression that is produced ($2x$). The intended meaning formula of this algorithm states that the function $(\lambda x : \mathbb{R} . 2x)$ represented by the output expression $2x$ is the derivative of the function $(\lambda x : \mathbb{R} . x^2)$ represented by the input expression x^2 .

Meaning formulas are difficult to express in a traditional logic like first-order logic or simple type theory since there is no way to directly refer to the syntactic structure of the expressions in the logic [54]. However, meaning formulas can be easily expressed in CTT_{qe} .

Consider the following example on the differentiation of polynomials. Let $T_{\mathbb{R}} = (L_{\mathcal{D}}, \Gamma)$ be a theory of CTT_{qe} in which the type ι is specified to be the real numbers (see [52, p. 276–277]). We assume that \mathcal{D} contains the following constants:

1. Constants for zero and one: 0_{ι} and 1_{ι} .
2. The usual constants for the negation, addition, and multiplication of real numbers: $-_{\iota \rightarrow \iota}$, $+_{\iota \rightarrow \iota \rightarrow \iota}$, and $*_{\iota \rightarrow \iota \rightarrow \iota}$.
3. The usual constants for the negation, addition, and multiplication of functions: $-_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)}$, $+_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)}$, and $*_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)}$.
4. $\text{is-diff}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow o}$ such that $\text{is-diff}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow o} \mathbf{F}_{\iota \rightarrow \iota}$ holds iff the function $\mathbf{F}_{\iota \rightarrow \iota}$ is differentiable (at every point in the domain of ι).
5. $\text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)}$ such that $\text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} \mathbf{F}_{\iota \rightarrow \iota}$ denotes the derivative of the function $\mathbf{F}_{\iota \rightarrow \iota}$.
6. $\text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$ such that $\text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} \mathbf{A}_{\epsilon}$ holds iff \mathbf{A}_{ϵ} represents a syntax tree of an expression of type ι that has the form of a polynomial with variables from $\{x_{\iota}, y_{\iota}\}$ and constants from $\{0_{\iota}, 1_{\iota}\}$.
7. $\text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$ such that $\text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathbf{A}_{\epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_{\iota} \urcorner$ denotes the result of applying the usual differentiation rules for polynomials to \mathbf{A}_{ϵ} with respect to \mathbf{x}_{ι} .

When n is a natural number with $n \geq 2$, let n_{ι} be an abbreviation defined by:

1. 2_{ι} stands for $1_{\iota} + 1_{\iota}$.
2. $(n + 1)_{\iota}$ stands for $n_{\iota} + 1_{\iota}$.

To improve readability, $+_{\iota \rightarrow \iota \rightarrow \iota}$, $*_{\iota \rightarrow \iota \rightarrow \iota}$, $+_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)}$, and $*_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)}$ are written as infix operators. $\text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$ is recursively

defined in $T_{\mathbb{R}}$ (using quasiquotation) as:

$$\begin{aligned}
& \lambda u_{\epsilon} . u_{\epsilon} = \ulcorner x_l \urcorner \vee u_{\epsilon} = \ulcorner y_l \urcorner \vee u_{\epsilon} = \ulcorner 0_l \urcorner \vee u_{\epsilon} = \ulcorner 1_l \urcorner \vee \\
& \quad \exists v_{\epsilon} . (\text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} v_{\epsilon} \wedge u_{\epsilon} = \ulcorner -_{l \rightarrow l} [v_{\epsilon}] \urcorner) \vee \\
& \quad \exists v_{\epsilon} . \exists w_{\epsilon} . (\text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} v_{\epsilon} \wedge \text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} w_{\epsilon} \wedge \\
& \quad \quad u_{\epsilon} = \ulcorner [v_{\epsilon}] +_{l \rightarrow l \rightarrow l} [w_{\epsilon}] \urcorner) \vee \\
& \quad \exists v_{\epsilon} . \exists w_{\epsilon} . (\text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} v_{\epsilon} \wedge \text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} w_{\epsilon} \wedge \\
& \quad \quad u_{\epsilon} = \ulcorner [v_{\epsilon}] *_{l \rightarrow l \rightarrow l} [w_{\epsilon}] \urcorner)
\end{aligned}$$

When n is a natural number, let \mathbf{x}_l^n be an abbreviation defined by:

1. \mathbf{x}_l^0 stands for 1_l .
2. \mathbf{x}_l^{m+1} stands for $\mathbf{x}_l^m * \mathbf{x}_l$.

$\text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$ is specified in $T_{\mathbb{R}}$ (using quasiquotation) by the following formulas:

1. $\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^l x_{\epsilon} \supset \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} x_{\epsilon} x_{\epsilon} = \ulcorner 1_l \urcorner$.
2. $(\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^l x_{\epsilon} \wedge \text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^l y_{\epsilon} \wedge x_{\epsilon} \neq y_{\epsilon}) \supset \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} x_{\epsilon} y_{\epsilon} = \ulcorner 0_l \urcorner$.
3. $(\text{is-con}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^l x_{\epsilon} \wedge \text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^l y_{\epsilon}) \supset \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} x_{\epsilon} y_{\epsilon} = \ulcorner 0_l \urcorner$.
4. $(\text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} x_{\epsilon} \wedge \text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^l y_{\epsilon}) \supset$
 $\text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner -_{l \rightarrow l} [x_{\epsilon}] \urcorner y_{\epsilon} = \ulcorner -_{l \rightarrow l} [\text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} x_{\epsilon} y_{\epsilon}] \urcorner$.
5. $(\text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} x_{\epsilon} \wedge \text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} y_{\epsilon} \wedge \text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^l z_{\epsilon}) \supset$
 $\text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner [x_{\epsilon}] +_{l \rightarrow l \rightarrow l} [y_{\epsilon}] \urcorner z_{\epsilon} =$
 $\ulcorner [\text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} x_{\epsilon} z_{\epsilon}] +_{l \rightarrow l \rightarrow l} [\text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} y_{\epsilon} z_{\epsilon}] \urcorner$.
6. $(\text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} x_{\epsilon} \wedge \text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} y_{\epsilon} \wedge \text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^l z_{\epsilon}) \supset$
 $\text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner [x_{\epsilon}] *_{l \rightarrow l \rightarrow l} [y_{\epsilon}] \urcorner z_{\epsilon} =$
 $\ulcorner ([\text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} x_{\epsilon} z_{\epsilon}] *_{l \rightarrow l \rightarrow l} [y_{\epsilon}]) +_{l \rightarrow l \rightarrow l}$
 $([x_{\epsilon}] *_{l \rightarrow l \rightarrow l} [\text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} y_{\epsilon} z_{\epsilon}]) \urcorner$.

The value of an application of $\text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$ can be computed using these formulas as conditional rewrite rules.

The meaning formula for $\text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$ can then be given as

$$\begin{aligned}
& \forall u_{\epsilon} . \forall v_{\epsilon} . ((\text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} u_{\epsilon}) \wedge \text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^l v_{\epsilon} \supset \\
& \quad \text{deriv}_{(l \rightarrow l) \rightarrow (l \rightarrow l)}(\llbracket \text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} v_{\epsilon} u_{\epsilon} \rrbracket_{l \rightarrow l}) = \\
& \quad \llbracket \text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} v_{\epsilon} (\text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} u_{\epsilon} v_{\epsilon}) \rrbracket_{l \rightarrow l}).^8
\end{aligned}$$

Unfortunately, we are not able to prove this formula in the proof system for CTT_{qe} presented later in the paper. So instead we will define the *meaning formula for $\text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$* as the formula schema

$$\begin{aligned}
& \forall u_{\epsilon} . (\text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} u_{\epsilon} \supset \\
& \quad \text{deriv}_{(l \rightarrow l) \rightarrow (l \rightarrow l)}(\lambda \mathbf{x}_l . \llbracket u_{\epsilon} \rrbracket_l) = \lambda \mathbf{x}_l . \llbracket \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} u_{\epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_l \urcorner \rrbracket_l)
\end{aligned}$$

where \mathbf{x}_l is either x_l or y_l . As expected, the equation

$$\text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)}(\lambda x_l . x_l^2) = \lambda x_l . 2 * x_l$$

follows from this meaning formula and the definitions of $\text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$ and $\text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$.

In subsection 9.3, we prove the meaning formula for $\text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$ and the application of it given above within the proof system for CTT_{qe} (see Theorem 9.3.3 and Proposition 9.3.4).

5 Proof System

We present in this section the proof system for CTT_{qe} which is an extension of Andrews' elegant proof system for \mathcal{Q}_0 given in [3, p. 213].

5.1 Requirements

At first glance, it would appear that a proof system for CTT_{qe} could be straightforwardly developed by extending Andrews' proof system for \mathcal{Q}_0 . We can define $\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$, $\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha$, $\text{is-con}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$, $\text{is-con}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha$ by axiom schemas. We can also define $\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$, $\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha$, $\sqsubset_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o}$, and $\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o}$, by axiom schemas using recursion on the construction of expressions. We can specify that the type ϵ of constructions is an inductive type using a set of axioms that say (1) the constructions are distinct from each other and (2) induction holds for constructions. We can specify quotation using the Law of Quotation $\ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner = \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)$ (Theorem 3.3.5). And we can specify evaluation using the Law of Disquotation $\llbracket \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner \rrbracket_\alpha = \mathbf{A}_\alpha$ (Theorem 3.3.6).

Andrews' proof system with these added axioms would enable simple theorems about closed expressions involving quotation and evaluation to be proved, but the proof system would not be able to substitute expressions for free variables occurring within evaluations. Hence axiom schemas and meaning formulas could be expressed in CTT_{qe} , but they would be useless because they could not be instantiated using the proof system. Clearly, a useful proof system for CTT_{qe} requires some form of substitution that is applicable to evaluations. The proof system we have described above would also not be able to reduce evaluations that contain free variables. Hence it would not be possible to prove schemas and meaning formulas. A useful proof system for CTT_{qe} needs a means to reduce evaluations applied to expressions that are not just quotations.

To be useful, a proof system for CTT_{qe} needs to satisfy the following requirements:

1. **R1.** The proof system is sound, i.e., it only proves valid formulas.

⁸We restrict this example to polynomials since polynomial functions and their derivatives are always total. Thus issues of undefinedness do not arise in the formulation of the meaning formula for $\text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$.

2. **R2.** The proof system is complete with respect to the (general models) semantics for CTT_{qe} for eval-free formulas.
3. **R3.** The proof system can be used to reason about constructions that are denoted by quotations and other expressions of type ϵ .
4. **R4.** The proof system can instantiate free variables occurring within evaluations as found in formulas that represent schemas and meaning formulas.
5. **R5.** The proof system can prove formulas, such as those that represent schemas and meaning formulas, in which free variables occur within evaluations.

In this section we present a proof system that is intended to satisfy requirements R1–5. In subsequent sections we will show that this proof system actually does satisfy these requirements.

5.2 Challenges

A proof system for a logic with quotation and evaluation must solve the three design problems presented in section 1. The Evaluation Problem is not an issue in CTT_{qe} since quotations do not contain evaluations. However, the Variable and Double Substitution Problems are serious issues for CTT_{qe} . Due to the Variable Problem, concepts concerning free and bound variables cannot be purely syntactic, and due to the Double Substitution Problem, a substitution must be performed twice in some cases.

The notion of a variable being free in an expression and the notion of a substitution of an expression for the free occurrences of a variable in another expression are two crucial concepts affected by the Variable Problem. To express the axioms and rules of inference of a proof system for CTT_{qe} , we need a way to say “a variable \mathbf{x}_α is free in an expression \mathbf{B}_β ”. We defined this concept in subsection 2.2 in the usual way when \mathbf{B}_β is eval-free as a purely syntactic assertion expressed in the metalogic of CTT_{qe} . However, when \mathbf{B}_β is not eval-free, this approach does not work because whether \mathbf{x}_α occurs in \mathbf{B}_β may depend on the semantics of \mathbf{B}_β .

An approach taking advantage of CTT_{qe} ’s facility for reasoning about the syntax of expressions is to introduce a logical constant $\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o}$ such that

$$\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner$$

holds iff “ \mathbf{x}_α is free in \mathbf{B}_β ”. This works fine when \mathbf{B}_β is eval-free, but it does not work at all when \mathbf{B}_β is not eval-free since once again quotations cannot contain evaluations. (This approach does work in $\mathcal{Q}_0^{\text{uqe}}$ [55] in which quotations in CTT_{qe} may contain evaluations.) Nevertheless, the constant $\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o}$ is included in CTT_{qe} so that semantic statements of the form

$$\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner \mathbf{A}_\epsilon,$$

can be expressed where \mathbf{A}_ϵ is not a quotation and may even contain free variables.

So what do we do when \mathbf{B}_β is not eval-free? Our approach is to use the more restrictive semantic notion “ \mathbf{x}_α is effective in \mathbf{B}_β ” in place of the syntactic notion “ \mathbf{x}_α is free in \mathbf{B}_β ” when \mathbf{B}_β is possibly not eval-free. “ \mathbf{x}_α is effective in \mathbf{B}_β ” means that the value of \mathbf{B}_β depends on the value of \mathbf{x}_α . Clearly, if \mathbf{B}_β is eval-free, “ \mathbf{x}_α is effective in \mathbf{B}_β ” implies “ \mathbf{x}_α is free in \mathbf{B}_β ”. However, “ \mathbf{x}_α is effective in \mathbf{B}_β ” is a refinement of “ \mathbf{x}_α is free in \mathbf{B}_β ” on eval-free expressions since \mathbf{x}_α is free in $\mathbf{x}_\alpha = \mathbf{x}_\alpha$, but \mathbf{x}_α is not effective in $\mathbf{x}_\alpha = \mathbf{x}_\alpha$. The following are examples of statements involving the notion of a variable being effective in an expression:

1. $(\exists \mathbf{u}_\alpha . \exists \mathbf{v}_\alpha . \mathbf{u}_\alpha \neq \mathbf{v}_\alpha)$ implies \mathbf{x}_α is effective in \mathbf{x}_α .
2. \mathbf{x}_ϵ is effective in $\llbracket \mathbf{x}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha$.
3. $(\exists \mathbf{u}_\alpha . \exists \mathbf{v}_\alpha . \mathbf{u}_\alpha \neq \mathbf{v}_\alpha) \wedge \mathbf{y}_\epsilon = \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner$ implies \mathbf{x}_α is effective in $\llbracket \mathbf{y}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha$.
4. \mathbf{x}_α is not effective in $\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta$.
5. \mathbf{x}_α is not effective in $\mathbf{B}_\beta = \mathbf{B}_\beta$.
6. \mathbf{x}_α is not effective in $\mathbf{B}_\beta \vee \neg \mathbf{B}_\beta$.

We express “ \mathbf{x}_α is not effective in \mathbf{B}_β ” in CTT_{qe} using the abbreviation

$$\text{NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN}(\mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{B}_\beta, \mathbf{y}_\alpha) \text{ stands for } \forall \mathbf{y}_\alpha . ((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta) \mathbf{y}_\alpha = \mathbf{B}_\beta).$$

We will prove later (Lemma 7.1.3) that, if $\text{NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN}(\mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{B}_\beta, \mathbf{y}_\alpha)$ holds for some \mathbf{y}_α different from \mathbf{x}_α , then \mathbf{B}_β does not depend on the value of \mathbf{x}_α .

The \mathbf{y}_α in $\text{NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN}(\mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{B}_\beta, \mathbf{y}_\alpha)$ can be any variable that “works”. If \mathbf{B}_β is eval-free, then any \mathbf{y}_α different from \mathbf{x}_α that is not free in \mathbf{B}_β works. But in the case when \mathbf{B}_β is not eval-free, instead of choosing a \mathbf{y}_α that is not free in \mathbf{B}_β , we need to choose a \mathbf{y}_α that is *not effective in* \mathbf{B}_β . But to show that \mathbf{y}_α is not effective in \mathbf{B}_β , we need to choose an \mathbf{z}_α different from \mathbf{y}_α is not effective in \mathbf{B}_β — which gets us nowhere! There is thus no general prescription for \mathbf{y}_α . However, in practice finding a \mathbf{y}_α that works is usually not a problem.

As a consequence of the Variable Problem, substitution involving evaluations cannot be purely syntactic as in a traditional logic. It must be a semantics-dependent operation in which side conditions, like whether a variable is free in an expression, are proved within the proof system. Since CTT_{qe} supports reasoning about syntax, an obvious way forward is to add to \mathcal{C} a logical constant $\text{sub}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$ such that

$$\text{sub}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner = \ulcorner \mathbf{C}_\beta \urcorner$$

holds iff “ \mathbf{C}_β is the result of substituting \mathbf{A}_α for each free occurrence of \mathbf{x}_α in \mathbf{B}_β without any variable captures”. $\text{sub}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$ thus plays the role of an

explicit substitution operator [1]. This approach, however, does not work in CTT_{qe} since \mathbf{B}_β may contain evaluations, but quotations in CTT_{qe} may not contain evaluations. (Although the approach does work in $\mathcal{Q}_0^{\text{uqe}}$ [55] in which quotations in CTT_{qe} may contain evaluations, it is extremely complicated due to the Evaluation Problem.)

A more promising approach is to add axiom schemas to the five beta-reduction axiom schemas used by Andrews' in his proof system for \mathcal{Q}_0 [3, p. 213] that specify beta-reduction of applications of the form $(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner) \mathbf{A}_\alpha$ and $(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta) \mathbf{A}_\alpha$.

But how do we solve the Double Substitution Problem in applications of the second form? There seems to be no easy way of emulating a double substitution with beta-reduction, so the best approach appears to be to consider only cases that do not require a second substitution, as formalized by the axiom schema B11.2 given below which uses the constant `is-free-in` $_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o}$. We will see that being able to beta-reduce lambda applications that correspond to double substitutions is not a necessity and that a proof system without this capability can prove many useful theorems involving evaluations.

In summary, we address the problem of stating “ \mathbf{x}_α is not free in \mathbf{B}_β ” by (1) expressing it either syntactically in the usual way or semantically as `is-free-in` $_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner$ when \mathbf{B}_β is eval-free and (2) expressing it more loosely as `NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN`($\mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{B}_\beta, \mathbf{y}_\alpha$), where \mathbf{y}_α differs from \mathbf{x}_α , when \mathbf{B}_β is not restricted to eval-free expressions. And we address the problem of defining substitution by augmenting the beta-reduction axioms of for \mathcal{Q}_0 to cover quotations and evaluations.

5.3 Axioms and Rules of Inference

The proof system for CTT_{qe} consists of the axioms for \mathcal{Q}_0 (the A axioms), the single rule of inference for \mathcal{Q}_0 named R, and a set of additional axioms (the B axioms).

5.3.1 Andrews' Proof System

Andrews' proof system for \mathcal{Q}_0 is complete with respect to the general models semantics for \mathcal{Q}_0 [3, 5502 on p. 213]. Its axioms and single rule of inference (Rule R) are the core of the proof system for CTT_{qe} . Axioms A1–3 are used without modification. Andrews' five beta-reduction axiom schemas [3, p. 213] have been replaced with a slightly modified set of axiom schemas. In particular, the syntactic variables in axiom schemas A4.1–6 range over all expressions of CTT_{qe} (but restrictions are placed on the syntactic variables in A4.5). Rule R is modified slightly to work correctly with quotations and evaluations.

A1 (Truth Values)

$$(g_{o \rightarrow o} T_o \wedge g_{o \rightarrow o} F_o) = \forall x_o . g_{o \rightarrow o} x_o.$$

A2 (Leibniz' Law)

$$x_\alpha = y_\alpha \supset h_{\alpha \rightarrow o} x_\alpha = h_{\alpha \rightarrow o} y_\alpha.$$

A3 (Extensionality)

$$(f_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} = g_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta}) = \forall x_\alpha . (f_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} x_\alpha = g_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} x_\alpha).$$

A4 (Beta-Reduction)

1. $(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{y}_\beta) \mathbf{A}_\alpha = \mathbf{y}_\beta$ where \mathbf{x}_α and \mathbf{y}_β are distinct.
2. $(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{x}_\alpha) \mathbf{A}_\alpha = \mathbf{A}_\alpha$.
3. $(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{c}_\beta) \mathbf{A}_\alpha = \mathbf{c}_\beta$.
4. $(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . (\mathbf{B}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} \mathbf{C}_\beta)) \mathbf{A}_\alpha = ((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma}) \mathbf{A}_\alpha) ((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{C}_\beta) \mathbf{A}_\alpha)$.
5. $(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \lambda \mathbf{y}_\beta . \mathbf{B}_\gamma) \mathbf{A}_\alpha = \lambda \mathbf{y}_\beta . ((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\gamma) \mathbf{A}_\alpha)$ where \mathbf{x}_α and \mathbf{y}_β are distinct and either (1) \mathbf{A}_α is eval-free and \mathbf{y}_β is not free in \mathbf{A}_α or (2) \mathbf{B}_γ is eval-free and \mathbf{x}_α is not free in \mathbf{B}_γ .
6. $(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta) \mathbf{A}_\alpha = \lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta$.

Rule R (Equality Substitution) From $\mathbf{A}_\alpha = \mathbf{B}_\alpha$ and \mathbf{C}_o infer the result of replacing one occurrence of \mathbf{A}_α in \mathbf{C}_o by an occurrence of \mathbf{B}_α , provided that the occurrence of \mathbf{A}_α in \mathbf{C}_o is not within a quotation, not the first argument of a function abstraction, and not the second argument of an evaluation.

5.3.2 Axioms for Constructions

The axioms in this part (1) define the logical constants $\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$, $\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha$, $\text{is-con}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$, $\text{is-con}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha$, $\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$, and $\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha$, (2) specify the type of constructions as an inductive type, (3) define $\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o}$ so that

$$\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner$$

is provable iff \mathbf{x}_α is free in \mathbf{B}_β (Lemma 6.5.3). B1.2–4, B2.2–4, B3.1-4, B3.6, and B4.6–7 are axiom schemas; the rest are individual axioms.

By virtue of the axioms given in this part, the proof system for CTT_{qe} satisfies Requirement R3.

B1 (Definitions of $\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$ and $\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha$)

1. $\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha x_\epsilon \supset \text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} x_\epsilon$.
2. $\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner$.
3. $\neg(\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\beta \urcorner)$ where $\alpha \neq \beta$.
4. $\sim(\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} \mathbf{A}_\epsilon)$ where \mathbf{A}_ϵ is a construction not of the form $\ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner$.

B2 (Definitions of $\text{is-con}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$ and $\text{is-con}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha$)

1. $\text{is-con}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha x_\epsilon \supset \text{is-con}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} x_\epsilon$.

2. $\text{is-con}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^{\alpha} \ulcorner \mathbf{c}_{\alpha} \urcorner$.
3. $\neg(\text{is-con}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^{\alpha} \ulcorner \mathbf{c}_{\beta} \urcorner)$ where $\alpha \neq \beta$.
4. $\neg(\text{is-con}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} \mathbf{A}_{\epsilon})$ where \mathbf{A}_{ϵ} is a construction not of the form $\ulcorner \mathbf{c}_{\alpha} \urcorner$.

B3 (Definitions of $\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$ and $\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^{\alpha}$)

1. $\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^{\alpha} x_{\epsilon} \supset \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} x_{\epsilon}$.
2. $(\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^{\alpha} x_{\epsilon} \vee \text{is-con}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^{\alpha} x_{\epsilon}) \supset \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^{\alpha} x_{\epsilon}$.
3. $(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} x_{\epsilon} \wedge \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^{\alpha} y_{\epsilon}) \supset \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^{\beta} (\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} x_{\epsilon} y_{\epsilon})$.
4. $(\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^{\alpha} x_{\epsilon} \wedge \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^{\beta} y_{\epsilon}) \supset \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} (\text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} x_{\epsilon} y_{\epsilon})$.
5. $\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} x_{\epsilon} \supset \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^{\epsilon} (\text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} x_{\epsilon})$.
6. $(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^{\alpha} x_{\epsilon} \wedge \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^{\beta} y_{\epsilon}) \supset \neg(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} (\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} x_{\epsilon} y_{\epsilon}))$
where α is not of the form $\beta \rightarrow \gamma$.
7. $(\neg(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} x_{\epsilon}) \vee \neg(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} y_{\epsilon})) \supset \neg(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} (\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} x_{\epsilon} y_{\epsilon}))$.
8. $(\neg(\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} x_{\epsilon}) \vee \neg(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} y_{\epsilon})) \supset \neg(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} (\text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} x_{\epsilon} y_{\epsilon}))$.
9. $\neg(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} x_{\epsilon}) \supset \neg(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} (\text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} x_{\epsilon}))$.

B4 (Constructions are Distinct)

1. $\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} x_{\epsilon} \supset$
 $(\neg(\text{is-con}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} x_{\epsilon}) \wedge x_{\epsilon} \neq \text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} y_{\epsilon} z_{\epsilon} \wedge$
 $x_{\epsilon} \neq \text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} y_{\epsilon} z_{\epsilon} \wedge x_{\epsilon} \neq \text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} y_{\epsilon})$.
2. $\text{is-con}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} x_{\epsilon} \supset$
 $(\neg(\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} x_{\epsilon}) \wedge x_{\epsilon} \neq \text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} y_{\epsilon} z_{\epsilon} \wedge$
 $x_{\epsilon} \neq \text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} y_{\epsilon} z_{\epsilon} \wedge x_{\epsilon} \neq \text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} y_{\epsilon})$.
3. $x_{\epsilon} = \text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} y_{\epsilon} z_{\epsilon} \supset$
 $(\neg(\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} x_{\epsilon}) \wedge \neg(\text{is-con}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} x_{\epsilon}) \wedge$
 $x_{\epsilon} \neq \text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} u_{\epsilon} v_{\epsilon} \wedge x_{\epsilon} \neq \text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} u_{\epsilon})$.
4. $x_{\epsilon} = \text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} y_{\epsilon} z_{\epsilon} \supset$
 $(\neg(\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} x_{\epsilon}) \wedge \neg(\text{is-con}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} x_{\epsilon}) \wedge$
 $x_{\epsilon} \neq \text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} u_{\epsilon} v_{\epsilon} \wedge x_{\epsilon} \neq \text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} u_{\epsilon})$.
5. $x_{\epsilon} = \text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} y_{\epsilon} \supset$
 $(\neg(\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} x_{\epsilon}) \wedge \neg(\text{is-con}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} x_{\epsilon}) \wedge$
 $x_{\epsilon} \neq \text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} u_{\epsilon} v_{\epsilon} \wedge x_{\epsilon} \neq \text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} u_{\epsilon} v_{\epsilon})$.
6. $\ulcorner \mathbf{x}_{\alpha} \urcorner \neq \ulcorner \mathbf{y}_{\beta} \urcorner$ where \mathbf{x}_{α} and \mathbf{y}_{β} are distinct.
7. $\ulcorner \mathbf{c}_{\alpha} \urcorner \neq \ulcorner \mathbf{d}_{\beta} \urcorner$ where \mathbf{c}_{α} and \mathbf{d}_{β} are distinct.
8. $\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} x_{\epsilon} y_{\epsilon} = \text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} u_{\epsilon} v_{\epsilon} \supset (x_{\epsilon} = u_{\epsilon} \wedge y_{\epsilon} = v_{\epsilon})$.
9. $\text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} x_{\epsilon} y_{\epsilon} = \text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} u_{\epsilon} v_{\epsilon} \supset (x_{\epsilon} = u_{\epsilon} \wedge y_{\epsilon} = v_{\epsilon})$.
10. $\text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} x_{\epsilon} = \text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} u_{\epsilon} \supset x_{\epsilon} = u_{\epsilon}$.

B5 (Definition of $\sqsubset_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o}$)

1. $x_\epsilon \sqsubset_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} x_\epsilon y_\epsilon$.
2. $x_\epsilon \sqsubset_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} y_\epsilon x_\epsilon$.
3. $x_\epsilon \sqsubset_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} x_\epsilon y_\epsilon$.
4. $x_\epsilon \sqsubset_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} y_\epsilon x_\epsilon$.
5. $x_\epsilon \sqsubset_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} x_\epsilon$.
6. $(x_\epsilon \sqsubset_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} y_\epsilon \wedge y_\epsilon \sqsubset_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} z_\epsilon) \supset x_\epsilon \sqsubset_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} z_\epsilon$.

B6 (Induction Principle for Constructions)

$$\forall u_\epsilon . (\forall v_\epsilon . (v_\epsilon \sqsubset_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} u_\epsilon \supset p_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} v_\epsilon) \supset p_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} u_\epsilon) \supset \forall u_\epsilon . p_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} u_\epsilon$$

B7 (Definition of $\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o}$)

1. $\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} x_\epsilon \supset \text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} x_\epsilon x_\epsilon$.
2. $(\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} x_\epsilon \wedge \text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} y_\epsilon \wedge x_\epsilon \neq y_\epsilon) \supset \neg(\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} x_\epsilon y_\epsilon)$.
3. $(\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} x_\epsilon \wedge \text{is-con}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} y_\epsilon) \supset \neg(\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} x_\epsilon y_\epsilon)$.
4. $(\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} x_\epsilon \wedge \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} (\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} y_\epsilon z_\epsilon)) \supset$
 $\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} x_\epsilon (\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} y_\epsilon z_\epsilon) \equiv$
 $(\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} x_\epsilon y_\epsilon \vee \text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} x_\epsilon z_\epsilon)$.
5. $(\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} x_\epsilon \wedge \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} (\text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} y_\epsilon z_\epsilon) \wedge x_\epsilon \neq y_\epsilon) \supset$
 $\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} x_\epsilon (\text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} y_\epsilon z_\epsilon) \equiv \text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} x_\epsilon z_\epsilon$.
6. $\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} (\text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} x_\epsilon y_\epsilon) \supset \neg(\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} x_\epsilon (\text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} x_\epsilon y_\epsilon))$.
7. $(\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} x_\epsilon \wedge \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} y_\epsilon) \supset \neg(\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} x_\epsilon (\text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} y_\epsilon))$.
8. $(\neg(\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} x_\epsilon) \vee \neg(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} y_\epsilon)) \supset \neg(\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} x_\epsilon y_\epsilon)$.

5.3.3 Axioms for Quotation

The axioms for quotation are the instances of the quotation properties expressed below and the instances of the beta-reduction property for applications of the form $(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner) \mathbf{A}_\alpha$.

B8 (Properties of Quotation)

1. $\ulcorner \mathbf{F}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner = \text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{F}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner$.
2. $\ulcorner \lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner = \text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner$.
3. $\ulcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner \urcorner = \text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner$.

B9 (Beta-Reduction for Quotations)

$$(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner) \mathbf{A}_\alpha = \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner$$

5.3.4 Axioms for Evaluation

The axioms for evaluation are the instances of the evaluation properties expressed below and the instances of the beta-reduction properties for a partial set of applications of the form $(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta) \mathbf{A}_\alpha$ also expressed below.

By virtue of the axioms for the properties of evaluation and for beta-reduction for evaluations, the proof system for CTT_{qe} satisfies Requirements R5 and R4, respectively.

B10 (Properties of Evaluation)

1. $\llbracket \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner \rrbracket_\alpha = \mathbf{x}_\alpha$.
2. $\llbracket \ulcorner \mathbf{c}_\alpha \urcorner \rrbracket_\alpha = \mathbf{c}_\alpha$.
3. $(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \wedge \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha \mathbf{B}_\epsilon) \supset$
 $\llbracket \text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta = \llbracket \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \rrbracket_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} \llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha$.
4. $(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\beta \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \wedge \neg(\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \urcorner)) \supset$
 $\llbracket \text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \rrbracket_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} = \lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \llbracket \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta$.
5. $\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\epsilon \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \supset \llbracket \text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\epsilon = \mathbf{A}_\epsilon$.

B11 (Beta-Reduction for Evaluations)

1. $(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta) \mathbf{x}_\alpha = \llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta$.
2. $(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\beta ((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\epsilon) \mathbf{A}_\alpha) \wedge$
 $\neg(\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner ((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\epsilon) \mathbf{A}_\alpha))) \supset$
 $(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta) \mathbf{A}_\alpha = \llbracket (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\epsilon) \mathbf{A}_\alpha \rrbracket_\beta$.

5.3.5 Axioms involving NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN

The first axiom in this part says that a variable is not effective in an eval-free expression whenever the variable is not free in the expression. The second axiom strengthens Axiom A4.5 by replacing the side conditions of the form “ \mathbf{B}_β is eval-free and \mathbf{x}_α is not free in \mathbf{B}_β ” with conditions of the form NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN($\mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{B}_\beta, \mathbf{y}_\alpha$) given in the axiom itself.

B12 (“Not Free In” means “Not Effective In”)

NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN($\mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{B}_\beta, \mathbf{y}_\alpha$)

where \mathbf{B}_β is eval-free, \mathbf{x}_α is not free in \mathbf{B}_β , and \mathbf{y}_α differs from \mathbf{x}_α .

B13 (Axiom A4.5 using “Not Effective In”)

$(\text{NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN}(\mathbf{y}_\beta, \mathbf{A}_\alpha, \mathbf{y}'_\beta) \vee$
 $\text{NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN}(\mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{B}_\gamma, \mathbf{x}'_\alpha)) \supset$
 $(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \lambda \mathbf{y}_\beta . \mathbf{B}_\gamma) \mathbf{A}_\alpha = \lambda \mathbf{y}_\beta . ((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\gamma) \mathbf{A}_\alpha)$
 where $\mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}'_\alpha, \mathbf{y}_\beta,$ and \mathbf{y}'_β are distinct.

5.4 Proofs

Let $T = (L, \Gamma)$ be a theory of CTT_{qe} , \mathbf{A}_o be a formula in L , and \mathcal{H} be a set of eval-free formulas in L . A *proof of \mathbf{A}_o in T* is a finite sequence of formulas in L ending with \mathbf{A}_o such that every formula in the sequence is one of the axioms of CTT_{qe} , a member of Γ , or is inferred from previous formulas in the sequence by the Rule R. \mathbf{A}_o is a *theorem of T* if there is a proof of \mathbf{A}_o in T . A *proof in CTT_{qe}* is a proof in the theory $T_{\text{logic}} = (L_{\mathcal{C}}, \emptyset)$, and a *theorem of CTT_{qe}* is a theorem of T_{logic} .

\mathbf{A}_o is *provable from \mathcal{H} in T* , written $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \mathbf{A}_o$, is defined by the following statements:

1. If $\mathbf{A}_o \in \mathcal{H}$, then $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \mathbf{A}_o$.
2. If \mathbf{A}_o is a theorem of T , then $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \mathbf{A}_o$.
3. **Rule R'**. If $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \mathbf{A}_\alpha = \mathbf{B}_\alpha$; $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \mathbf{C}_o$; and \mathbf{D}_o is obtained from \mathbf{C}_o by replacing one occurrence of \mathbf{A}_α in \mathbf{C}_o by an occurrence of \mathbf{B}_α , then $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \mathbf{D}_o$ provided that the occurrence of \mathbf{A}_α in \mathbf{C}_o is not within a quotation, not the first argument of a function abstraction, not the second argument of an evaluation, and in a function application $\lambda \mathbf{x}_\beta . \mathbf{E}_\gamma$ only if there is some \mathbf{y}_β different from \mathbf{x}_β such that

$$T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \text{NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN}(\mathbf{x}_\beta, \mathbf{A}_\alpha = \mathbf{B}_\alpha, \mathbf{y}_\beta)$$

or, for all $\mathbf{H}_o \in \mathcal{H}$, there is some \mathbf{y}_β different from \mathbf{x}_β such that

$$T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \text{NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN}(\mathbf{x}_\beta, \mathbf{H}_o, \mathbf{y}_\beta).$$

Notice that the variables in the members of Γ are treated as if they were universally quantified, while the variables in the members of \mathcal{H} are treated as if they were constants. $T, \emptyset \vdash \mathbf{A}_o$ and $T_{\text{logic}}, \emptyset \vdash \mathbf{A}_o$ are abbreviated as $T \vdash \mathbf{A}_o$ and $\vdash \mathbf{A}_o$, respectively. Note that $T \vdash \mathbf{A}_o$ iff \mathbf{A}_o is a theorem of T since Rule R' reduces to Rule R when $\mathcal{H} = \emptyset$. T is *consistent* if not $T \vdash F_o$.

6 Proof-Theoretic Results

In this section, let T be a theory of CTT_{qe} and \mathcal{H} be a set of formulas of T .

6.1 Equality

Lemma 6.1.1 (Reflexivity of Equality) $\vdash \mathbf{A}_\alpha = \mathbf{A}_\alpha$.

Proof

$$\vdash (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{x}_\alpha) \mathbf{A}_\alpha = \mathbf{A}_\alpha \tag{1}$$

$$\vdash \mathbf{A}_\alpha = \mathbf{A}_\alpha \tag{2}$$

(1) is an instance of Axiom A4.2 and (2) follows from (1) and (1) by Rule R. \square

Lemma 6.1.2 (Equality Rules)

1. If $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \mathbf{A}_\alpha = \mathbf{B}_\alpha$, then $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \mathbf{B}_\alpha = \mathbf{A}_\alpha$.
2. If $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \mathbf{A}_\alpha = \mathbf{B}_\alpha$ and $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \mathbf{B}_\alpha = \mathbf{C}_\alpha$, then $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \mathbf{A}_\alpha = \mathbf{C}_\alpha$.
3. If $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \mathbf{A}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} = \mathbf{B}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta}$ and $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \mathbf{C}_\alpha = \mathbf{D}_\alpha$, then $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \mathbf{A}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} \mathbf{C}_\alpha = \mathbf{B}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} \mathbf{D}_\alpha$.
4. If $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \mathbf{A}_\epsilon = \mathbf{B}_\epsilon$, then $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \llbracket \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha = \llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha$.
5. If $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \mathbf{A}_o = \mathbf{B}_o$ and $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \mathbf{A}_o = \mathbf{B}_o$, then $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \mathbf{B}_o$.

Proof By Lemma 6.1.1 and Rule R'. □

6.2 Substitution

It will be convenient to define in the metalogic of CTT_{qe} a substitution operator named SUB. Roughly speaking, $\text{SUB}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{B}_\beta)$ denotes the expression obtained by replacing each free occurrence of \mathbf{x}_α in \mathbf{B}_β with \mathbf{A}_α except that the substitution is curtailed (1) within a function abstraction when a variable capture will occur or when \mathbf{A}_α or \mathbf{B}_β is not eval-free and (2) within an evaluation when \mathbf{A}_α is not \mathbf{x}_α .

The *substitution of an expression \mathbf{A}_α for a variable \mathbf{x}_α in an expression \mathbf{B}_β* , written $\text{SUB}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{B}_\beta)$, is defined recursively as follows:

1. $\text{SUB}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{y}_\beta) = \mathbf{y}_\beta$ where \mathbf{x}_α and \mathbf{y}_β are distinct.
2. $\text{SUB}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha) = \mathbf{A}_\alpha$.
3. $\text{SUB}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{c}_\beta) = \mathbf{c}_\beta$.
4. $\text{SUB}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{B}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} \mathbf{C}_\beta) = \text{SUB}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{B}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma}) (\text{SUB}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{C}_\beta))$.
5. $\text{SUB}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \lambda \mathbf{y}_\beta . \mathbf{B}_\gamma) = \lambda \mathbf{y}_\beta . \text{SUB}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{B}_\gamma)$ where \mathbf{x}_α and \mathbf{y}_β are distinct and either (1) \mathbf{A}_α is eval-free and \mathbf{y}_β is not free in \mathbf{A}_α or (2) \mathbf{B}_γ is eval-free and \mathbf{x}_α is not free in \mathbf{B}_γ .
6. $\text{SUB}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \lambda \mathbf{y}_\beta . \mathbf{B}_\gamma) = (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \lambda \mathbf{y}_\beta . \mathbf{B}_\gamma) \mathbf{A}_\alpha$ where \mathbf{x}_α and \mathbf{y}_β are distinct and not (1) \mathbf{A}_α is eval-free and \mathbf{y}_β is not free in \mathbf{A}_α and not (2) \mathbf{B}_γ is eval-free and \mathbf{x}_α is not free in \mathbf{B}_γ .
7. $\text{SUB}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta) = \lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta$.
8. $\text{SUB}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner) = \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner$.
9. $\text{SUB}(\mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta) = \llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta$.
10. $\text{SUB}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta) = (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta) \mathbf{A}_\alpha$ where \mathbf{A}_α is not \mathbf{x}_α .

Notice that in clauses 6 and 10, the substitution is not performed and the intent of the substitution is recorded as an appropriate lambda application.

The following theorem shows that beta-reduction can be performed (in part) by substitution via SUB.

Theorem 6.2.1 (Beta-Reduction by Substitution)

$$\vdash (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta) \mathbf{A}_\alpha = \text{SUB}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{B}_\beta).$$

Proof The proof is by induction on the structure of \mathbf{B}_β . There are six cases corresponding to the six formation rules for expressions.

Case 1: \mathbf{B}_β is a variable.

Subcase 1a: \mathbf{B}_β is \mathbf{y}_β and \mathbf{x}_α and \mathbf{y}_β are distinct. The theorem follows immediately from Axiom A4.1 and the definition of SUB.

Subcase 1b: \mathbf{B}_β is \mathbf{x}_α . The theorem follows immediately from Axiom A4.2 and the definition of SUB.

Case 2: \mathbf{B}_β is a constant. The theorem follows immediately from Axiom A4.3 and the definition of SUB.

Case 3: \mathbf{B}_β is a function application $\mathbf{B}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} \mathbf{C}_\beta$.

$$\vdash (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . (\mathbf{B}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} \mathbf{C}_\beta)) \mathbf{A}_\alpha = ((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma}) \mathbf{A}_\alpha) ((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{C}_\beta) \mathbf{A}_\alpha) \quad (1)$$

$$\vdash (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma}) \mathbf{A}_\alpha = \text{SUB}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{B}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma}) \quad (2)$$

$$\vdash (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{C}_\beta) \mathbf{A}_\alpha = \text{SUB}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{C}_\beta) \quad (3)$$

$$\vdash (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . (\mathbf{B}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} \mathbf{C}_\beta)) \mathbf{A}_\alpha = \text{SUB}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{B}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma})(\text{SUB}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{C}_\beta)) \quad (4)$$

$$\vdash (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . (\mathbf{B}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} \mathbf{C}_\beta)) \mathbf{A}_\alpha = \text{SUB}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{B}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} \mathbf{C}_\beta) \quad (5)$$

(1) is by Axiom A4.4; (2) and (3) are by the induction hypothesis; (4) follows from (1), (2), and (3) by the Equality Rules; and (5), the theorem, follows from (4) by the definition of SUB.

Case 4: \mathbf{B}_β is a function abstraction.

Subcase 4a: \mathbf{B}_β is $\lambda \mathbf{y}_\beta . \mathbf{B}_\gamma$, \mathbf{x}_α and \mathbf{y}_β are distinct, and either (1) \mathbf{A}_α is eval-free and \mathbf{y}_β is not free in \mathbf{A}_α or (2) \mathbf{B}_γ is eval-free and \mathbf{x}_α is not free in \mathbf{B}_γ .

$$\vdash (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \lambda \mathbf{y}_\beta . \mathbf{B}_\gamma) \mathbf{A}_\alpha = \lambda \mathbf{y}_\beta . ((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\gamma) \mathbf{A}_\alpha) \quad (1)$$

$$\vdash (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\gamma) \mathbf{A}_\alpha = \text{SUB}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{B}_\gamma) \quad (2)$$

$$\vdash (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \lambda \mathbf{y}_\beta . \mathbf{B}_\gamma) \mathbf{A}_\alpha = \lambda \mathbf{y}_\beta . \text{SUB}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{B}_\gamma) \quad (3)$$

$$\vdash (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \lambda \mathbf{y}_\beta . \mathbf{B}_\gamma) \mathbf{A}_\alpha = \text{SUB}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \lambda \mathbf{y}_\beta . \mathbf{B}_\gamma) \quad (4)$$

(1) is by Axiom A4.5; (2) is by the induction hypothesis; (3) follows from (1) and (2) by the Equality Rules; and (4), the theorem, follows from (3) by the definition of SUB.

Subcase 4b: \mathbf{B}_β is $\lambda \mathbf{y}_\beta . \mathbf{B}_\gamma$, \mathbf{x}_α and \mathbf{y}_β are distinct, not (1) \mathbf{A}_α is eval-free and \mathbf{y}_β is not free in \mathbf{A}_α , and not (2) \mathbf{B}_γ is eval-free and \mathbf{x}_α is not free in \mathbf{B}_γ . The theorem follows immediately from the definition of SUB.

Subcase 4c: \mathbf{B}_β is $\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta$. The theorem follows immediately from Axiom A4.6 and the definition of SUB.

Case 5: \mathbf{B}_β is a quotation. The theorem follows immediately from Axiom B9 and the definition of SUB.

Case 6: \mathbf{B}_β is an evaluation.

Subcase 6a: \mathbf{A}_α is \mathbf{x}_α . The theorem follows immediately from Axiom B11.1 and the definition of SUB.

Subcase 6b: \mathbf{A}_α is not \mathbf{x}_α . The theorem follows immediately from the definition of SUB.

□

Theorem 6.2.2 (Universal Instantiation) *If $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \forall \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_o$, then $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \text{SUB}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{B}_o)$.*

Proof Similar to the proof of 5215 in [3, p. 221].

□

Lemma 6.2.3 *If $\vdash \mathbf{B}_\beta = \mathbf{C}_\beta$, then $\vdash \text{SUB}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{B}_\beta = \mathbf{C}_\beta)$.*

Proof Similar to the proof of 5204 in [3, p. 217].

□

Lemma 6.2.4 $\vdash f_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} = \lambda \mathbf{y}_\alpha . f_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} \mathbf{y}_\alpha$.

Proof Similar to the proof of 5205 in [3, p. 217].

□

Lemma 6.2.5 *If \mathbf{B}_β is eval-free and \mathbf{y}_α is not free in \mathbf{B}_β , then $\vdash \lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta = \lambda \mathbf{y}_\alpha . \text{SUB}(\mathbf{y}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{B}_\beta)$.*

Proof

$$\vdash f_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} = \lambda \mathbf{y}_\alpha . f_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} \mathbf{y}_\alpha \tag{1}$$

$$\vdash \text{SUB}(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta, f_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta}, f_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} = \lambda \mathbf{y}_\alpha . f_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} \mathbf{y}_\alpha) \tag{2}$$

$$\vdash \lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta = \lambda \mathbf{y}_\alpha . ((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta) \mathbf{y}_\alpha) \tag{3}$$

$$\vdash \lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta = \lambda \mathbf{y}_\alpha . \text{SUB}(\mathbf{y}_\alpha, \mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{B}_\beta) \tag{4}$$

(1) is Lemma 6.2.4; (2) follows from (1) by Lemma 6.2.3; (3) follows from (2) and the hypothesis by the definition of SUB; and (4) follows from (3) by Beta-Reduction by Substitution and the Equality Rules. □

Corollary 6.2.6 (Alpha-Equivalence) *If B_β is eval-free, y_α is not be free in B_β , and y_α is free for x_α in B_β , then $\lambda x_\alpha . B_\beta$ and $\lambda y_\alpha . \text{SUB}(y_\alpha, x_\alpha, B_\beta)$ are alpha-equivalent.*

Proof By Lemma 6.2.5 and the definition of SUB. \square

Remark 6.2.7 (Nominal Data Types) Since alpha-conversion is not universally valid in CTT_{qe} , it is not clear whether techniques for managing variable naming and binding — such as *higher-order abstract syntax* [91, 101] and *nominal techniques* [62, 102] — are applicable to CTT_{qe} . However, the paper [94] does combine quotation/evaluation techniques with nominal techniques.

Lemma 6.2.8 $\vdash \forall x_\alpha . B_o \supset \text{SUB}(A_\alpha, x_\alpha, B_o)$.

Proof Similar to the proof of 5226 in [3, p. 224]. \square

Theorem 6.2.9 (Universal Generalization) *If $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash A_o$ and, for all $H_o \in \mathcal{H}$, there is some y_α different x_α such that*

$$T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \text{NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN}(x_\alpha, H_o, y_\alpha),$$

then $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \forall x_\alpha . A_o$.

Proof Similar to the proof of 5220 in [3, p. 222]. The notion of “is not effective in” is used in place of the notion of “is not free in”. \square

Theorem 6.2.10 (Existential Generalization) *If $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \text{SUB}(A_\alpha, x_\alpha, B_o)$, then $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \exists x_\alpha . B_o$.*

Proof Similar to the proof of 5242 in [3, p. 229]. \square

6.3 Propositional Reasoning

Theorem 6.3.1 (Modus Ponens) *If $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash A_o$ and $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash A_o \supset B_o$, then $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash B_o$.*

Proof Similar to the proof of 5224 in [3, p. 226]. \square

Theorem 6.3.2 (Tautology Theorem) *If A_o is a substitution instance of a tautology, then $\vdash A_o$.*

Proof Similar to the proof of 5234 in [3, p. 227]. \square

Lemma 6.3.3 *If there is some y_α different from x_α such that*

$$T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \text{NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN}(x_\alpha, A_o, y_\alpha),$$

then

$$T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \forall x_\alpha . (A_o \vee B_o) \supset (A_o \vee \forall x_\alpha . B_o).$$

Proof Similar to the proof of 5235 in [3, p. 227] except Axiom B13 is needed in the last step of the proof. \square

Lemma 6.3.4 *If there is some \mathbf{y}_α different from \mathbf{x}_α such that*

$$T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \text{NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN}(\mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{A}_o, \mathbf{y}_\alpha),$$

then

$$T, \mathcal{H} \vdash (\forall \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{A}_o) \equiv \mathbf{A}_o.$$

Proof

$$\vdash \neg \mathbf{A}_o \vee \mathbf{A}_o \tag{1}$$

$$\vdash \forall \mathbf{x}_\alpha . (\neg \mathbf{A}_o \vee \mathbf{A}_o) \tag{2}$$

$$T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \neg \mathbf{A}_o \vee \forall \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{A}_o \tag{3}$$

$$T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \mathbf{A}_o \supset \forall \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{A}_o \tag{4}$$

$$T, \mathcal{H} \vdash (\forall \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{A}_o) \supset (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{A}_o) \mathbf{x}_\alpha \tag{5}$$

$$T, \mathcal{H} \vdash (\forall \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{A}_o) \supset \mathbf{A}_o \tag{6}$$

$$T, \mathcal{H} \vdash (\forall \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{A}_o) \equiv \mathbf{A}_o \tag{7}$$

(1) is an instance of the Tautology Theorem; (2) follows from (1) by Universal Generalization; (3) follows from (2), the hypothesis, and Lemma 6.3.3 by Modus Ponens; (4) follows from (3) by the Tautology Theorem; (5) follows from Lemma 6.2.8 and Beta-Reduction by Substitution by the Equality Rules; (6) follows from Beta-Reduction by Substitution and the Equality Rules if \mathbf{A}_o is eval-free and by Axiom B11.1 and the Equality Rules if \mathbf{A}_o is not eval-free; and (7) follows from (4) and (6) by the Tautology Theorem. \square

Remark 6.3.5 Lemma 6.3.4 shows that a variable that is not effective in an expression has the same behavior with respect to universal quantification as a variable that is not free in an eval-free expression.

Theorem 6.3.6 (Deduction Theorem) *If $T, \mathcal{H} \cup \{\mathbf{H}_o\} \vdash \mathbf{A}_o$, then $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \mathbf{H}_o \supset \mathbf{A}_o$.*

Proof Similar to the proof of 5240 in [3, p. 228]. The notion of “is not effective in” is used in place of the notion of “is not free in”. \square

Lemma 6.3.7 *If $T, \mathcal{H} \cup \{\mathbf{A}_o\} \vdash \mathbf{B}_o$ and, for all $\mathbf{C}_o \in \mathcal{H} \cup \{\neg \mathbf{B}_o\}$, there is some \mathbf{y}_α different from \mathbf{x}_α such that*

$$T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \text{NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN}(\mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{C}_o, \mathbf{y}_\alpha),$$

then

$$T, \mathcal{H} \cup \{\exists \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{A}_o\} \vdash \mathbf{B}_o.$$

Proof

$$T, \mathcal{H} \cup \{\mathbf{A}_o\} \vdash \mathbf{B}_o \quad (1)$$

$$T, \mathcal{H} \cup \{\neg \mathbf{B}_o\} \vdash \neg \mathbf{A}_o \quad (2)$$

$$T, \mathcal{H} \cup \{\neg \mathbf{B}_o\} \vdash \forall \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \neg \mathbf{A}_o \quad (3)$$

$$T, \mathcal{H} \cup \{\exists \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{A}_o\} \vdash \mathbf{B}_o \quad (4)$$

(1) is the hypothesis; (2) follows from (1) by the Deduction Theorem and propositional logic; (3) follows from (2) by Universal Generalization and the condition placed on \mathbf{x}_α ; and (4) follows from (3) by the Deduction Theorem, the definition of \exists , and propositional logic. \square

Theorem 6.3.8 (Weakening) *Let \mathcal{H}' be a set of formulas of T such that $\mathcal{H} \subseteq \mathcal{H}'$. If $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \mathbf{A}_o$, then $T, \mathcal{H}' \vdash \mathbf{A}_o$.*

Proof Follows immediately from the definition of $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \mathbf{A}_o$. \square

6.4 Quotations

Theorem 6.4.1 (Syntactic Law of Quotation) $\vdash \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner = \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)$.

Proof Let \mathbf{A}_α be eval-free. Our proof is by induction on the structure of \mathbf{A}_α . There are five cases corresponding to the five formation rules for eval-free expressions.

Case 1: \mathbf{A}_α is a variable \mathbf{x}_α . $\vdash \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner = \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner$ by Lemma 6.1.1. So $\vdash \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner = \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{x}_\alpha)$ since $\mathcal{E}(\mathbf{x}_\alpha) = \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner$.

Case 2: \mathbf{A}_α is a constant \mathbf{c}_α . Similar to Case 1.

Case 3: \mathbf{A}_α is an function application $\mathbf{F}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} \mathbf{B}_\beta$.

$$\vdash \ulcorner \mathbf{F}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner = \text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{F}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner \quad (1)$$

$$\vdash \ulcorner \mathbf{F}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} \urcorner = \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{F}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma}) \quad (2)$$

$$\vdash \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner = \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{B}_\beta) \quad (3)$$

$$\vdash \ulcorner \mathbf{F}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner = \text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{F}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma}) \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{B}_\beta) \quad (4)$$

$$\vdash \ulcorner \mathbf{F}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner = \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{F}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} \mathbf{B}_\beta) \quad (5)$$

(1) is an instance of Axiom B8.1; (2) and (3) are by the induction hypothesis; (4) follows from (1), (2), and (3) by Rule R used twice; and (5) follows from (4) since $\mathcal{E}(\mathbf{F}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} \mathbf{B}_\beta) = \text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{F}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma}) \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{B}_\beta)$.

Case 4: \mathbf{A}_α is an function abstraction $(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\beta . \mathbf{B}_\gamma)$.

$$\vdash \ulcorner \lambda \mathbf{x}_\beta . \mathbf{B}_\gamma \urcorner = \text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\beta \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\gamma \urcorner \quad (1)$$

$$\vdash \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\gamma \urcorner = \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{B}_\gamma) \quad (2)$$

$$\vdash \ulcorner \lambda \mathbf{x}_\beta . \mathbf{B}_\gamma \urcorner = \text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\beta \urcorner \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{B}_\gamma) \quad (3)$$

$$\vdash \ulcorner \lambda \mathbf{x}_\beta . \mathbf{B}_\gamma \urcorner = \mathcal{E}(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\beta . \mathbf{B}_\gamma) \quad (4)$$

(1) is an instance of Axiom B8.2; (2) is by the induction hypothesis; (3) follows from (2) and (1) by Rule R; and (4) follows from (3) since $\mathcal{E}(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\beta . \mathbf{B}_\gamma) = \text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{x}_\beta) \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{B}_\gamma) = \text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\beta \urcorner \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{B}_\gamma)$.

Case 5: \mathbf{A}_α is a quotation $\ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner$.

$$\vdash \ulcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner \urcorner = \text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner \quad (1)$$

$$\vdash \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner = \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{B}_\beta) \quad (2)$$

$$\vdash \ulcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner \urcorner = \text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{B}_\beta) \quad (3)$$

$$\vdash \ulcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner \urcorner = \mathcal{E}(\ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner) \quad (4)$$

(1) is an instance of Axiom B8.3; (2) is by the induction hypothesis; (3) follows from (2) and (1) by Rule R; and (4) follows from (3) since $\mathcal{E}(\ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner) = \text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{B}_\beta)$.

□

6.5 Constructions

Lemma 6.5.1 $\vdash \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner$.

Proof By induction on the structure of \mathbf{A}_α using Axioms B1.1–4, B2.1–4, and B3.1–9, Universal Generalization, Universal Instantiation, the Syntactic Law of Quotation, and propositional logic. □

Lemma 6.5.2 $\vdash \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner \sqsubseteq_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner$ iff \mathbf{A}_α is a proper subexpression of \mathbf{B}_β .

Proof By induction on the structure of \mathbf{B}_β using Axioms B5.1–6, Universal Generalization, Universal Instantiation, the Syntactic Law of Quotation, and propositional logic. □

Lemma 6.5.3 $\vdash \text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner$ iff \mathbf{x}_α is free in \mathbf{B}_β .

Proof By induction on the structure of \mathbf{B}_β using Axioms B1.1–4, B2.1–4, B7.1–8, Lemma 6.5.1, Universal Generalization, Universal Instantiation, the Syntactic Law of Quotation, and propositional logic. □

6.6 Evaluations

Theorem 6.6.1 (Syntactic Law of Disquotation) $\vdash \llbracket \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner \rrbracket_\alpha = \mathbf{A}_\alpha$.

Proof Let \mathbf{A}_α be eval-free. Our proof is by induction on the structure of \mathbf{A}_α . There are five cases corresponding to the five formation rules for eval-free expressions.

Case 1: \mathbf{A}_α is a variable \mathbf{x}_α . $\vdash \llbracket \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner \rrbracket_\alpha = \mathbf{x}_\alpha$ by Axiom B10.1.

Case 2: \mathbf{A}_α is a constant \mathbf{c}_α . $\vdash \llbracket \ulcorner \mathbf{c}_\alpha \urcorner \rrbracket_\alpha = \mathbf{c}_\alpha$ by Axiom B10.2.

Case 3: A_α is a function application $F_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} B_\beta$.

$$\vdash \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} \ulcorner F_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} \urcorner \quad (1)$$

$$\vdash \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\beta \ulcorner B_\beta \urcorner \quad (2)$$

$$\vdash \llbracket \text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner F_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} \urcorner \ulcorner B_\beta \urcorner \rrbracket_\gamma = \llbracket \ulcorner F_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} \urcorner \rrbracket_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} \llbracket \ulcorner B_\beta \urcorner \rrbracket_\beta \quad (3)$$

$$\vdash \llbracket \ulcorner F_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} \urcorner \rrbracket_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} = F_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} \quad (4)$$

$$\vdash \llbracket \ulcorner B_\beta \urcorner \rrbracket_\beta = B_\beta \quad (5)$$

$$\vdash \ulcorner F_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} B_\beta \urcorner = \text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner F_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} \urcorner \ulcorner B_\beta \urcorner \quad (6)$$

$$\vdash \llbracket \ulcorner F_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} B_\beta \urcorner \rrbracket_\gamma = F_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} B_\beta \quad (7)$$

(1) and (2) are by Lemma 6.5.1; (3) follows from (1) and (2) by Axiom B10.3; (4) and (5) are by the induction hypothesis; (6) is an instance of Axiom B8.1; and (7) follows from (3)–(6) by the Equality Rules.

Case 4: A_α is an function abstraction $\lambda x_\beta . B_\gamma$.

$$\vdash \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\gamma \ulcorner B_\gamma \urcorner \quad (1)$$

$$\vdash \neg(\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \ulcorner x_\beta \urcorner \ulcorner \ulcorner B_\gamma \urcorner \urcorner) \quad (2)$$

$$\vdash \llbracket \text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner x_\beta \urcorner \ulcorner \ulcorner B_\gamma \urcorner \urcorner \rrbracket_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} = \lambda x_\beta . \llbracket \ulcorner B_\gamma \urcorner \rrbracket_\gamma \quad (3)$$

$$\vdash \llbracket \ulcorner B_\gamma \urcorner \rrbracket_\gamma = B_\gamma \quad (4)$$

$$\vdash \ulcorner \lambda x_\beta . B_\gamma \urcorner = \text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner x_\beta \urcorner \ulcorner \ulcorner B_\gamma \urcorner \urcorner \quad (5)$$

$$\vdash \llbracket \ulcorner \lambda x_\beta . B_\gamma \urcorner \rrbracket_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} = \lambda x_\beta . B_\gamma \quad (6)$$

(1) is by Lemma 6.5.1; (2) is by Lemma 6.5.3; (3) follows from (1) and (2) by Axiom B10.4; (4) is by the induction hypothesis; (5) is an instance of Axiom B8.2; and (6) follows from (3)–(5) by the Equality Rules.

Case 5: A_α is a quotation $\ulcorner B_\beta \urcorner$.

$$\vdash \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\beta \ulcorner B_\beta \urcorner \quad (1)$$

$$\vdash \llbracket \text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner B_\beta \urcorner \rrbracket_\epsilon = \ulcorner B_\beta \urcorner \quad (2)$$

$$\vdash \ulcorner \ulcorner B_\beta \urcorner \urcorner = \text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner B_\beta \urcorner \quad (3)$$

$$\vdash \llbracket \ulcorner \ulcorner B_\beta \urcorner \urcorner \rrbracket_\epsilon = \ulcorner B_\beta \urcorner \quad (4)$$

(1) is by Lemma 6.5.1; (2) follows from (1) by Axiom B10.5; (3) is an instance of Axiom B8.3; and (4) follows from (2) and (3) by the Equality Rules.

□

The next lemma, which illustrates the application of Axiom B11.2, will be employed in section 9.

Lemma 6.6.2

1. If \mathbf{A}_α is eval-free and \mathbf{x}_ϵ is not free in \mathbf{A}_α , then

$$\vdash (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\epsilon . \llbracket \mathbf{x}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha) \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner = \mathbf{A}_\alpha.$$

2. If $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha \mathbf{B}_\epsilon$ and $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \neg \text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\epsilon \urcorner \mathbf{B}_\epsilon$, then

$$T, \mathcal{H} \vdash (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\epsilon . \llbracket \mathbf{x}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha) \mathbf{B}_\epsilon = \llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha.$$

3. If $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha \mathbf{y}_\epsilon$, $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \neg \text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\epsilon \urcorner \mathbf{y}_\epsilon$, and \mathbf{x}_ϵ and \mathbf{y}_ϵ are different variables, then

$$T, \mathcal{H} \vdash (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\epsilon . \llbracket \mathbf{y}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha) \mathbf{B}_\epsilon = \llbracket \mathbf{y}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha.$$

4. Let \mathbf{B}_ϵ be eval-free; $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \neg \text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\epsilon \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \urcorner$; $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha \mathbf{B}_\epsilon$; and $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \neg \text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\epsilon \urcorner \mathbf{B}_\epsilon$. Also assume that there is some variable \mathbf{y}_ϵ different from \mathbf{x}_ϵ such that, for all $\mathbf{H}_o \in \mathcal{H}$, there is some \mathbf{y}'_ϵ different from \mathbf{y}_ϵ such that

$$T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \text{NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN}(\mathbf{y}_\epsilon, \mathbf{H}_o, \mathbf{y}'_\epsilon).$$

Then

$$T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \text{NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN}(\mathbf{x}_\epsilon, \llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha, \mathbf{y}_\epsilon).$$

Proof

Part 1

$$\vdash (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\epsilon . \mathbf{x}_\epsilon) \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner = \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner \quad (1)$$

$$\vdash \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha ((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\epsilon . \mathbf{x}_\epsilon) \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner) \quad (2)$$

$$\vdash \neg \text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\epsilon \urcorner ((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\epsilon . \mathbf{x}_\epsilon) \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner) \quad (3)$$

$$\vdash (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\epsilon . \llbracket \mathbf{x}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha) \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner = \llbracket (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\epsilon . \mathbf{x}_\epsilon) \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner \rrbracket_\alpha \quad (4)$$

$$\vdash (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\epsilon . \llbracket \mathbf{x}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha) \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner = \mathbf{A}_\alpha \quad (5)$$

(1) is an instance of Axiom A4.2; (2) follows from (1) by Lemma 6.5.1 and the Equality Rules; (3) follows from (1) by Lemma 6.5.3, the hypothesis, and the Equality Rules; (4) follows from (2), (3), and Axiom B11.2 by Modus Ponens; (5) follows from (1) and (4) by the Equality Rules and the Syntactic Law of Disquotation.

Part 2

$$\vdash (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\epsilon . \mathbf{x}_\epsilon) \mathbf{B}_\epsilon = \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \quad (1)$$

$$T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha ((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\epsilon . \mathbf{x}_\epsilon) \mathbf{B}_\epsilon) \quad (2)$$

$$T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \neg \text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\epsilon \urcorner ((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\epsilon . \mathbf{x}_\epsilon) \mathbf{B}_\epsilon) \quad (3)$$

$$T, \mathcal{H} \vdash (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\epsilon . \llbracket \mathbf{x}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha) \mathbf{B}_\epsilon = \llbracket (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\epsilon . \mathbf{x}_\epsilon) \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha \quad (4)$$

$$T, \mathcal{H} \vdash (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\epsilon . \llbracket \mathbf{x}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha) \mathbf{B}_\epsilon = \llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha \quad (5)$$

(1) is an instance of Axiom A4.2; (2) and (3) follow from (1) and the two hypotheses by the Equality Rules; (4) follows from (2), (3), and Axiom B11.2 by Modus Ponens; (5) follows from (1) and (4) by the Equality Rules.

Part 3 Similar to the proof of part 2.

Part 4 By the definition of NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN, we must show

$$T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \forall \mathbf{y}_\epsilon . ((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\epsilon . \llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha) \mathbf{y}_\epsilon = \llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha).$$

$$T, \mathcal{H} \vdash (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\epsilon . \mathbf{B}_\epsilon) \mathbf{y}_\epsilon = \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \tag{1}$$

$$T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha ((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\epsilon . \mathbf{B}_\epsilon) \mathbf{y}_\epsilon) \tag{2}$$

$$T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \neg \text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\epsilon \urcorner ((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\epsilon . \mathbf{B}_\epsilon) \mathbf{y}_\epsilon) \tag{3}$$

$$T, \mathcal{H} \vdash (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\epsilon . \llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha) \mathbf{y}_\epsilon = \llbracket (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\epsilon . \mathbf{B}_\epsilon) \mathbf{y}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha \tag{4}$$

$$T, \mathcal{H} \vdash (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\epsilon . \llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha) \mathbf{y}_\epsilon = \llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha \tag{5}$$

$$T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \forall \mathbf{y}_\epsilon . ((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\epsilon . \llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha) \mathbf{y}_\epsilon = \llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha) \tag{6}$$

(1) follows from the second hypothesis by Beta-Reduction by Substitution and Lemma 6.5.3; (2) and (3) follow from (1) and the third and fourth hypotheses by the Equality Rules; (4) follows from (2), (3), and Axiom B11.2 by Modus Ponens; (5) follows from (1) and (4) by the Equality Rules; and (6) follows from (5) and the hypothesis about \mathbf{y}_ϵ by Universal Generalization. \square

7 Soundness

The proof system for CTT_{qe} is *sound* if $T \vdash \mathbf{A}_o$ implies $T \models \mathbf{A}_o$ whenever T is a theory of CTT_{qe} and \mathbf{A}_o is a formula of T . We will prove that the proof system for CTT_{qe} is sound by showing that its axioms are valid in all general models for CTT_{qe} and its single rule of inference preserves validity in all general models for CTT_{qe} .

7.1 Lemmas Concerning Semantics

Lemma 7.1.1 *Let $\mathcal{M} = (\{D_\alpha \mid \alpha \in \mathcal{T}\}, I)$ be a general model for CTT_{qe} and $\varphi \in \text{assign}(\mathcal{M})$.*

1. $V_\varphi^\mathcal{M}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha = \mathbf{B}_\alpha) = \top$ iff $V_\varphi^\mathcal{M}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha) = V_\varphi^\mathcal{M}(\mathbf{B}_\alpha)$.
2. $V_\varphi^\mathcal{M}((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta) \mathbf{A}_\alpha) = V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto V_\varphi^\mathcal{M}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)]}^\mathcal{M}(\mathbf{B}_\beta)$.
3. $V_\varphi^\mathcal{M}(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta) = V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto d]}^\mathcal{M}(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta)$ for all $d \in D_\alpha$.
4. $V_\varphi^\mathcal{M}(\forall \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{A}_o) = \top$ iff $V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto d]}^\mathcal{M}(\mathbf{A}_o) = \top$ for all $d \in D_\alpha$.

Proof Part 1 is by the semantics of equality; part 2 is by the semantics of function application and abstraction; part 3 is by the semantics of function abstraction; and part 4 is by parts 1 and 3 and the definition of \forall . \square

Lemma 7.1.2 *Let \mathcal{M} be a general model for CTT_{qe} , \mathbf{A}_α be eval-free, and $\varphi, \psi \in \text{assign}(\mathcal{M})$ agree on all free variables of \mathbf{A}_α . Then $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha) = V_\psi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)$.*

Proof By induction on the structure of \mathbf{A}_α . \square

Lemma 7.1.3 *Let $\mathcal{M} = (\{D_\alpha \mid \alpha \in \mathcal{T}\}, I)$ be a general model for CTT_{qe} . If there is some \mathbf{y}_α different from \mathbf{x}_α such that*

$$\mathcal{M} \models \text{NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN}(\mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{B}_\beta, \mathbf{y}_\alpha),$$

then

$$V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto d_1]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{B}_\beta) = V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto d_2]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{B}_\beta)$$

for all $\varphi \in \text{assign}(\mathcal{M})$ and all $d_1, d_2 \in D_\alpha$.

Proof

$$\mathcal{M} \models \text{NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN}(\mathbf{x}_\alpha, \mathbf{B}_\beta, \mathbf{y}_\alpha) \tag{1}$$

$$\mathcal{M} \models \forall \mathbf{y}_\alpha . ((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta) \mathbf{y}_\alpha = \mathbf{B}_\beta) \tag{2}$$

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta) \mathbf{y}_\alpha = \mathbf{B}_\beta) = \top \text{ for all } \varphi \in \text{assign}(\mathcal{M}) \tag{3}$$

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta) \mathbf{y}_\alpha) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{B}_\beta) \text{ for all } \varphi \in \text{assign}(\mathcal{M}) \tag{4}$$

$$V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{y}_\alpha)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{B}_\beta) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{B}_\beta) \text{ for all } \varphi \in \text{assign}(\mathcal{M}) \tag{5}$$

(1) is the hypothesis of the lemma; (2) holds iff (1) holds by the definition of NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN; (3) holds iff (2) holds by part 4 of Lemma 7.1.1 and the definition of a valid formula; (4) holds iff (3) holds by part 1 of Lemma 7.1.1; and (5) holds iff (4) holds by part 2 of Lemma 7.1.1.

Now let $\psi \in \text{assign}(\mathcal{M})$ and $d_1, d_2 \in D_\alpha$.

$$V_{\psi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto d_1]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{B}_\beta) \tag{6}$$

$$= V_{\psi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto d_1][\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto V_\psi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{y}_\alpha)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{B}_\beta) \tag{7}$$

$$= V_{\psi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto d_2][\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto V_\psi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{y}_\alpha)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{B}_\beta) \tag{8}$$

$$= V_{\psi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto d_2]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{B}_\beta) \tag{9}$$

(7) and (9) are by (5) and (8) holds since

$$\psi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto d][\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto V_\psi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{y}_\alpha)] = \psi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto V_\psi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{y}_\alpha)]$$

for any $d \in D_\alpha$. Hence (6)–(9) implies

$$V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto d_1]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{B}_\beta) = V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto d_2]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{B}_\beta) \tag{10}$$

for all $\varphi \in \text{assign}(\mathcal{M})$ and $d_1, d_2 \in D_\alpha$. Therefore, (1) implies (10). \square

Lemma 7.1.4 *Let \mathcal{M} be a general model for CTT_{qe} and $\varphi \in \text{assign}(\mathcal{M})$.*

1. $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)) = \top$.
2. $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner) = \top$.
3. $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha \mathbf{B}_\epsilon) = \top$ implies $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{B}_\epsilon) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha))$ for some (eval-free) \mathbf{A}_α .

Proof

Part 1 $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)) = \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)$ by Proposition 3.3.4. This implies $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)) = \top$ by the semantics of $\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha$.

Part 2 $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner) = \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)$ by condition 5 of the definition of a general model. This implies $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner) = \top$ by the semantics of $\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha$.

Part 3 By the hypothesis and the semantics of $\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\alpha$, $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{B}_\epsilon) = \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)$ for some \mathbf{A}_α . This implies the conclusion of the lemma by Proposition 3.3.4. \square

Lemma 7.1.5 *Let \mathcal{M} be a general model for CTT_{qe} , $\varphi \in \text{assign}(\mathcal{M})$. Then $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner) = \top$ iff \mathbf{x}_α is free in \mathbf{B}_β .*

Proof By induction on the structure of \mathbf{B}_β . \square

Lemma 7.1.6 *Let \mathcal{M} be a general model for CTT_{qe} and $\varphi \in \text{assign}(\mathcal{M})$. Then $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha) \rrbracket_\alpha) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)$.*

Proof

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha) \rrbracket_\alpha) \tag{1}$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathcal{E}^{-1}(V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)))) \tag{2}$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathcal{E}^{-1}(\mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha))) \tag{3}$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha) \tag{4}$$

(2) is by part 1 of Lemma 7.1.4 and condition 6 of the definition of a general model; (3) is by Proposition 3.3.4; and (4) is immediate. \square

7.2 Soundness of Axioms and Rule of Inference

Lemma 7.2.1 (Axioms are Valid) *Each axiom of the proof system for CTT_{qe} is valid in CTT_{qe} .*

Proof Let $\mathcal{M} = (\{D_\alpha \mid \alpha \in \mathcal{T}\}, I)$ be a general model for CTT_{qe} and $\varphi \in \text{assign}(\mathcal{M})$. We must prove that each of the 64 axioms is valid in \mathcal{M} .

Axiom A1 The proof is the same as the proof of 5402 for Axiom 1 in [3, p. 241].

Axiom A2 The proof is the same as the proof of 5402 for Axiom 2 in [3, p. 242].

Axiom A3 The proof is the same as the proof of 5402 for Axiom 3 in [3, p. 242].

Axiom Group A4

Axiom A4.1 Let \mathbf{x}_α and \mathbf{y}_β be distinct. We must show

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha \cdot \mathbf{y}_\beta) \mathbf{A}_\alpha) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{y}_\beta)$$

to prove Axiom A4.1 is valid in \mathcal{M} .

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha \cdot \mathbf{y}_\beta) \mathbf{A}_\alpha) \tag{1}$$

$$= V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{y}_\beta) \tag{2}$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{y}_\beta) \tag{3}$$

(2) is by part 2 of Lemma 7.1.1 and (3) is by Lemma 7.1.2.

Axiom A4.2 We must show

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha \cdot \mathbf{x}_\alpha) \mathbf{A}_\alpha) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)$$

to prove Axiom A4.2 is valid in \mathcal{M} .

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha \cdot \mathbf{x}_\alpha) \mathbf{A}_\alpha) \tag{1}$$

$$= V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{x}_\alpha) \tag{2}$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha) \tag{3}$$

(2) is by part 2 of Lemma 7.1.1 and (3) is by the semantics of variables.

Axiom A4.3 Similar to Axiom A4.1.

Axiom A4.4 We must show

$$\begin{aligned} & V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha \cdot (\mathbf{B}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} \mathbf{C}_\beta)) \mathbf{A}_\alpha) \\ &= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha \cdot \mathbf{B}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma}) \mathbf{A}_\alpha) ((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha \cdot \mathbf{C}_\beta) \mathbf{A}_\alpha)) \end{aligned}$$

to prove Axiom A4.4 is valid in \mathcal{M} .

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha \cdot (\mathbf{B}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} \mathbf{C}_\beta)) \mathbf{A}_\alpha) \tag{1}$$

$$= V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{B}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma} \mathbf{C}_\beta) \tag{2}$$

$$= V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{B}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma})(V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{C}_\beta)) \tag{3}$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha \cdot \mathbf{B}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma}) \mathbf{A}_\alpha)(V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha \cdot \mathbf{C}_\beta) \mathbf{A}_\alpha)) \tag{4}$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha \cdot \mathbf{B}_{\beta \rightarrow \gamma}) \mathbf{A}_\alpha) ((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha \cdot \mathbf{C}_\beta) \mathbf{A}_\alpha)) \tag{5}$$

(2) and (4) are by part 2 of Lemma 7.1.1 and (3) and (5) are by the semantics of function application.

Axiom A4.5 Let \mathbf{x}_α and \mathbf{y}_β be distinct and either (a) \mathbf{A}_α is eval-free and \mathbf{y}_β is not free in \mathbf{A}_α or (b) \mathbf{B}_γ is eval-free and \mathbf{x}_α is not free in \mathbf{B}_γ . We must show

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \lambda \mathbf{y}_\beta . \mathbf{B}_\gamma) \mathbf{A}_\alpha)(d) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\lambda \mathbf{y}_\beta . ((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\gamma) \mathbf{A}_\alpha))(d),$$

where $d \in D_\beta$, to prove Axiom 4.5 is valid in \mathcal{M} .

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \lambda \mathbf{y}_\beta . \mathbf{B}_\gamma) \mathbf{A}_\alpha)(d) \tag{1}$$

$$= V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\lambda \mathbf{y}_\beta . \mathbf{B}_\gamma)(d) \tag{2}$$

$$= V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)][\mathbf{y}_\beta \mapsto d]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{B}_\gamma) \tag{3}$$

$$= V_{\varphi[\mathbf{y}_\beta \mapsto d][\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{B}_\gamma) \tag{4}$$

$$= V_{\varphi[\mathbf{y}_\beta \mapsto d][\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto V_{\varphi[\mathbf{y}_\beta \mapsto d]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{B}_\gamma) \tag{5}$$

$$= V_{\varphi[\mathbf{y}_\beta \mapsto d]}^{\mathcal{M}}((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\gamma) \mathbf{A}_\alpha) \tag{6}$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\lambda \mathbf{y}_\beta . ((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\gamma) \mathbf{A}_\alpha))(d) \tag{7}$$

(2) and (6) are by part 2 of Lemma 7.1.1; (3) and (7) are by the semantics of function abstraction; (4) is by \mathbf{x}_α and \mathbf{y}_β being distinct; and (5) is by the hypothesis and Lemma 7.1.2.

Axiom A4.6 We must show

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta) \mathbf{A}_\alpha) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta)$$

to prove Axiom A4.6 is valid in \mathcal{M} .

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta) \mathbf{A}_\alpha) \tag{1}$$

$$= V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta) \tag{2}$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta) \tag{3}$$

(2) and (3) are by parts 2 and 3 of Lemma 7.1.1, respectively.

Axiom Group B1 By clauses 2 and 3 of the definition of an interpretation.

Axiom Group B2 By clauses 4 and 5 of the definition of an interpretation.

Axiom Group B3 By clauses 9 and 10 of the definition of an interpretation.

Axiom Group B4 By clauses 2–8 of the definition of an interpretation.

Axiom Group B5 By clause 11 of the definition of an interpretation.

Axiom B6 By the definition of the domain of constructions in a frame.

Axiom Group B7 By clause 12 of the definition of an interpretation.

Axiom Group B8

Axiom B8.1 We must show

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\ulcorner \mathbf{F}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{F}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner)$$

to prove Axiom B8.1 is valid in \mathcal{M} .

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\ulcorner \mathbf{F}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner) \tag{1}$$

$$= \mathcal{E}(\ulcorner \mathbf{F}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner) \tag{2}$$

$$= \text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{F}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta}) \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha) \tag{3}$$

$$= \text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\ulcorner \mathbf{F}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} \urcorner) V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner) \tag{4}$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{F}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner) \tag{5}$$

(2) and (4) are by condition 5 of the definition of a general model; (3) is by the definition of \mathcal{E} ; and (5) is by the semantics of $\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$ and clause 6 of the definition of an interpretation.

Axiom B8.2 Similar to Axiom B8.1.

Axiom B8.3 Similar to Axiom B8.1.

Axiom B9 We must show

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner) \mathbf{A}_\alpha) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner)$$

to prove Axiom B9 is valid in \mathcal{M} .

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner) \mathbf{A}_\alpha) \tag{1}$$

$$= V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner) \tag{2}$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner) \tag{3}$$

(2) is by part 2 of Lemma 7.1.1 and (3) is by Lemma 7.1.2.

Axiom Group B10

Axiom B10.1 We must show

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner \rrbracket_\alpha) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{x}_\alpha)$$

to prove Axiom B10.1 is valid in \mathcal{M} . This equation follows from the Law of Disquotation and part 1 of Lemma 7.1.1.

Axiom B10.2 Same proof as for Axiom B10.1.

Axiom B10.3 Let (a) $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \beta}^{\alpha} \mathbf{A}_\epsilon) = \text{T}$ and (b) $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \beta}^{\alpha} \mathbf{B}_\epsilon) = \text{T}$. We must show

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \rrbracket_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} \llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha)$$

to prove Axiom B10.3 is valid in \mathcal{M} . By part 3 of Lemma 7.1.4, (a) and (b) imply (c) $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\epsilon) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathcal{E}(\mathbf{C}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta}))$ for some $\mathbf{C}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta}$ and (d) $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{B}_\epsilon) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathcal{E}(\mathbf{D}_\alpha))$ for some \mathbf{D}_α , respectively.

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta) \quad (1)$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{C}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta}) \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{D}_\alpha) \rrbracket_\beta) \quad (2)$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{C}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} \mathbf{D}_\alpha) \rrbracket_\beta) \quad (3)$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{C}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} \mathbf{D}_\alpha) \quad (4)$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{C}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta})(V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{D}_\alpha)) \quad (5)$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{C}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta}) \rrbracket_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta})(V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{D}_\alpha) \rrbracket_\alpha)) \quad (6)$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \rrbracket_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta})(V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha)) \quad (7)$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \rrbracket_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} \llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha) \quad (8)$$

(2) and (7) are by (c) and (d); (3) is by the definition of \mathcal{E} ; (4) and (6) are by Lemma 7.1.6; and (5) and (8) are by the semantics of function application.

Axiom B10.4 Let (a) $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\beta \mathbf{A}_\epsilon) = \top$ and (b) $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\neg(\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \urcorner)) = \top$. We must show

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \urcorner \rrbracket_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta})(d) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \llbracket \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta)(d),$$

where $d \in D_\alpha$, to prove Axiom B10.4 is valid in \mathcal{M} . By part 3 of Lemma 7.1.4, (a) implies (c) $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\epsilon) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathcal{E}(\mathbf{B}_\beta))$ for some \mathbf{B}_β . By Lemma 7.1.5, (b) implies (d) \mathbf{x}_α is not free in \mathbf{A}_ϵ .

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \urcorner \rrbracket_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta})(d) \quad (1)$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner \ulcorner \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{B}_\beta) \urcorner \rrbracket_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta})(d) \quad (2)$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \mathcal{E}(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta) \rrbracket_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta})(d) \quad (3)$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta)(d) \quad (4)$$

$$= V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto d]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{B}_\beta) \quad (5)$$

$$= V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto d]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{B}_\beta) \rrbracket_\beta) \quad (6)$$

$$= V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto d]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta) \quad (7)$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \llbracket \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta)(d) \quad (8)$$

(2) is by (c); (3) is by the definition of \mathcal{E} ; (4) and (6) are by Lemma 7.1.6; (5) and (8) are by the semantics of function abstraction; and (7) is by (c), (d), Lemma 7.1.2, and the fact that constructions are closed expressions.

Axiom B10.5 Let (a) $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\epsilon \mathbf{A}_\epsilon) = \top$. We must show

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\epsilon) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\epsilon)$$

to prove Axiom B10.5 is valid in \mathcal{M} . By part 3 of Lemma 7.1.4, (a) implies (b) $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\epsilon) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathcal{E}(\mathbf{B}_\epsilon))$ for some \mathbf{B}_ϵ .

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\epsilon) \quad (1)$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{B}_\epsilon) \rrbracket_\epsilon) \quad (2)$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \mathcal{E}(\ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \urcorner) \rrbracket_\epsilon) \quad (3)$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \urcorner) \quad (4)$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathcal{E}(\mathbf{B}_\epsilon)) \quad (5)$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\epsilon) \quad (6)$$

(2) and (6) are by (b); (3) is by the definition of \mathcal{E} ; (4) is by Lemma 7.1.6; and (5) is by Law of Quotation.

Axiom Group B11

Axiom B11.1

We must show

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha \cdot \llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta) \mathbf{x}_\alpha) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta)$$

to prove Axiom B11.1 is valid in \mathcal{M} .

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha \cdot \llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta) \mathbf{x}_\alpha) \quad (1)$$

$$= V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{x}_\alpha)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta) \quad (2)$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta) \quad (3)$$

(2) is by part 2 of Lemma 7.1.1 and (3) is by

$$\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{x}_\alpha)] = \varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto \varphi(\mathbf{x}_\alpha)] = \varphi.$$

Axiom B11.2 Let (a) $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\beta((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha \cdot \mathbf{B}_\epsilon) \mathbf{A}_\alpha)) = \top$ and (b) $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\neg(\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha \cdot \mathbf{B}_\epsilon) \mathbf{A}_\alpha))) = \top$. We must show

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha \cdot \llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta) \mathbf{A}_\alpha) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha \cdot \mathbf{B}_\epsilon) \mathbf{A}_\alpha \rrbracket_\beta)$$

to prove Axiom B11.2 is valid in \mathcal{M} . By part 3 of Lemma 7.1.4, (a) implies (c) $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha \cdot \mathbf{B}_\epsilon) \mathbf{A}_\alpha) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathcal{E}(\mathbf{C}_\beta))$ for some (eval-free) \mathbf{C}_β . By (a) and part 2 of Lemma 7.1.1, (d) $V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^\beta \mathbf{B}_\epsilon) = \top$. By

(b), (c), Lemma 7.1.5, and the Law of Quotation, (e) \mathbf{x}_α is not free in \mathbf{C}_β .

$$V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta) \mathbf{A}_\alpha) \quad (1)$$

$$= V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\beta) \quad (2)$$

$$= V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathcal{E}^{-1}(V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{B}_\epsilon))) \quad (3)$$

$$= V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathcal{E}^{-1}(V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}((\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\epsilon) \mathbf{A}_\alpha))) \quad (4)$$

$$= V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathcal{E}^{-1}(V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathcal{E}(\mathbf{C}_\beta)))) \quad (5)$$

$$= V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathcal{E}^{-1}(\mathcal{E}(\mathbf{C}_\beta))) \quad (6)$$

$$= V_{\varphi[\mathbf{x}_\alpha \mapsto V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{C}_\beta) \quad (7)$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{C}_\beta) \quad (8)$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{C}_\beta) \rrbracket_\beta) \quad (9)$$

$$= V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\epsilon) \mathbf{A}_\alpha \rrbracket_\beta) \quad (10)$$

(2) and (4) are by part 2 of Lemma 7.1.1; (3) is by (d) and condition 6 of the definition of a general model; (5) is by (c); (6) is by Proposition 3.3.4; (7) is immediate; (8) is by (e) and Lemma 7.1.5; (9) is by Lemma 7.1.6; and (10) is by (c).

Axiom B12 By Lemmas 7.1.2 and 7.1.3.

Axiom B13 By Lemma 7.1.3 and the proof for Axiom A4.5. \square

Lemma 7.2.2 (Rule R Preserves Validity) *Rule R preserves validity in all general models for CTT_{qe} .*

Proof Let \mathcal{M} be a general model for CTT_{qe} . Suppose \mathbf{C}_o and \mathbf{C}'_o are formulas such that \mathbf{C}'_o is the result of replacing one occurrence of \mathbf{A}_α in \mathbf{C}_o by an occurrence of \mathbf{B}_α , provided that the occurrence of \mathbf{A}_α in \mathbf{C}_o is not within a quotation, not the first argument of a function abstraction, and not the second argument of an evaluation. Then it easily follows that $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{B}_\alpha)$ for all $\varphi \in \text{assign}(\mathcal{M})$ implies $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{C}_o) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{C}'_o)$ for all $\varphi \in \text{assign}(\mathcal{M})$ by induction on the structure of \mathbf{C}_o (condition 7 of the definition of a general model is needed for the argument). $\mathcal{M} \models \mathbf{A}_\alpha = \mathbf{B}_\alpha$ implies $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_\alpha) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{B}_\alpha)$ for all $\varphi \in \text{assign}(\mathcal{M})$ by part 1 of Lemma 7.1.1, and hence $\mathcal{M} \models \mathbf{A}_\alpha = \mathbf{B}_\alpha$ and $\mathcal{M} \models \mathbf{C}_o$ imply $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{C}_o) = V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{C}'_o) = \top$ for all $\varphi \in \text{assign}(\mathcal{M})$. Therefore, $\mathcal{M} \models \mathbf{A}_\alpha = \mathbf{B}_\alpha$ and $\mathcal{M} \models \mathbf{C}_o$ imply $\mathcal{M} \models \mathbf{C}'_o$, and so Rule R preserves validity in \mathcal{M} . \square

7.3 Soundness and Consistency Theorems

Theorem 7.3.1 (Soundness Theorem) *Let T be a theory of CTT_{qe} , \mathbf{A}_o be a formula of T , and \mathcal{H} be a set of formulas of T .*

1. $T \vdash \mathbf{A}_o$ implies $T \vDash \mathbf{A}_o$ (i.e., the proof system for CTT_{qe} is sound).
2. $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \mathbf{A}_o$ implies $T, \mathcal{H} \vDash \mathbf{A}_o$.

Proof

Part 1 Assume $T \vdash \mathbf{A}_o$ and \mathcal{M} is a general model for T . We must show that $\mathcal{M} \vDash \mathbf{A}_o$. By assumption, each member of Γ is valid in \mathcal{M} . By Lemma 7.2.1, each axiom of CTT_{qe} is valid in \mathcal{M} . And by Lemma 7.2.2, Rule R preserves validity in \mathcal{M} . Therefore, $T \vdash \mathbf{A}_o$ implies $\mathcal{M} \vDash \mathbf{A}_o$.

Part 2 Assume $T, \mathcal{H} \vdash \mathbf{A}_o$, \mathcal{M} is a general model for T , $\varphi \in \text{assign}(\mathcal{M})$, and $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{H}_o) = \top$ for all $\mathbf{H}_o \in \mathcal{H}$. We need to show $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_o) = \top$. There is a finite subset $\{\mathbf{H}_o^1, \dots, \mathbf{H}_o^n\}$ of \mathcal{H} such that $T, \{\mathbf{H}_o^1, \dots, \mathbf{H}_o^n\} \vdash \mathbf{A}_o$. Then

$$T \vdash \mathbf{H}_o^1 \supset (\dots (\mathbf{H}_o^n \supset \mathbf{A}_o) \dots)$$

by the Deduction Theorem, and so by part 1 of the theorem,

$$\mathcal{M} \vDash \mathbf{H}_o^1 \supset (\dots (\mathbf{H}_o^n \supset \mathbf{A}_o) \dots).$$

By hypothesis, $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{H}_o^i) = \top$ for each i with $1 \leq i \leq n$, and so $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathbf{A}_o) = \top$. \square

Corollary 7.3.2 *The proof system for CTT_{qe} satisfies Requirement R1.*

Theorem 7.3.3 (Consistency Theorem) *Let T be a theory of CTT_{qe} . If T has a general model, then T is consistent.*

Proof Assume \mathcal{M} is a general model for T and T is inconsistent, i.e., $T \vdash F_o$. By the Soundness Theorem, $T \vDash F_o$ and hence $\mathcal{M} \vDash F_o$. This means $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(F_o) = \top$ and hence $V_\varphi^{\mathcal{M}}(F_o) \neq \text{F}$ (for any assignment φ), which contracts the definition of a general model. \square

8 Completeness

We will now show that the proof system for CTT_{qe} is complete with respect to the (general models) semantics for CTT_{qe} for eval-free formulas. More precisely, we will show that $T \vDash \mathbf{A}_o$ implies $T \vdash \mathbf{A}_o$ whenever T is an eval-free theory of CTT_{qe} and \mathbf{A}_o is an eval-free formula of T . We will also show that the proof system for CTT_{qe} is not complete with respect to the semantics for CTT_{qe} for non-eval-free formulas.

8.1 Eval-Free Completeness

Let CTT_ϵ be the logic obtained from CTT_{qe} as follows:

1. Replace the set \mathcal{C} of constants by the expanded set $\mathcal{C} \cup \mathcal{C}'$ where:

$$\mathcal{C}' = \{d_\epsilon^{\mathbf{x}_\alpha} \mid \mathbf{x}_\alpha \in \mathcal{V}\} \cup \{d_\epsilon^{\mathbf{c}_\alpha} \mid \mathbf{c}_\alpha \in \mathcal{C}\}.$$

2. Remove the quotation operator $\ulcorner \cdot \urcorner$ from the set of expression constructors so that there are no (primitive) quotations in CTT_ϵ , but let $\ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner$ be an abbreviation defined by:
 - a. $\ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner$ stands for $d_\epsilon^{\ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner}$.
 - b. $\ulcorner \mathbf{c}_\alpha \urcorner$ stands for $d_\epsilon^{\ulcorner \mathbf{c}_\alpha \urcorner}$.
 - c. $\ulcorner \mathbf{F}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner$ stands for $\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{F}_{\alpha \rightarrow \beta} \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner$.
 - d. $\ulcorner \lambda \mathbf{x}_\alpha . \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner$ stands for $\text{abs}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner$.
 - e. $\ulcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner \urcorner$ stands for $\text{quo}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner$.
3. Remove the evaluation operator $\llbracket \cdot \rrbracket$ from the set of expression constructors so that there are no evaluations in CTT_ϵ .
4. A general model for CTT_ϵ is the same as a general model for CTT_{qe} except that (1) an interpretation maps the constants of the form $d_\epsilon^{\ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner}$ and $d_\epsilon^{\ulcorner \mathbf{c}_\alpha \urcorner}$ to the constructions $\ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner$ and $\ulcorner \mathbf{c}_\alpha \urcorner$, respectively, and (2) a valuation function is not applicable to quotations and evaluations.
5. The proof system for CTT_ϵ is the same as the proof system for CTT_{qe} except the axioms involving quotation, evaluation, and NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN are removed: B8.1–3, B9, B10.1–5, B11.1–2, B12, and B13.

CTT_ϵ is essentially the same as \mathcal{Q}_0 with the inductive type ϵ added to it.

Lemma 8.1.1 *Let $T = (L_{\mathcal{D}}, \Gamma)$ be an eval-free theory of CTT_{qe} , \mathbf{A}_o be an eval-free formula of T , and $T' = (L_{\mathcal{D} \cup \mathcal{C}'}, \Gamma)$.*

1. *If \mathbf{A}_o is valid in T in CTT_{qe} , then \mathbf{A}_o is valid in T' in CTT_ϵ .*
2. *If \mathbf{A}_o is valid in T' in CTT_ϵ , then \mathbf{A}_o is a theorem of T' in CTT_ϵ .*
3. *If \mathbf{A}_o is a theorem of T' in CTT_ϵ , then \mathbf{A}_o is a theorem of T in CTT_{qe} .*

Proof Let (a) $T = (L_{\mathcal{D}}, \Gamma)$ be an eval-free theory of CTT_{qe} , (b) \mathbf{A}_o be an eval-free formula of T , and $T' = (L_{\mathcal{D} \cup \mathcal{C}'}, \Gamma)$. (a) implies T' is a theory of CTT_ϵ , and (b) implies \mathbf{A}_o is a formula of T' .

Part 1 Let (c) $T \models \mathbf{A}_o$ in CTT_{qe} . Let \mathcal{M} be a model for T' in CTT_ϵ . Then (c) and clauses 2 and 4 of the definition of CTT_ϵ implies $\mathcal{M} \models \mathbf{A}_o$. Therefore $T' \models \mathbf{A}_o$ in CTT_ϵ .

Part 2 Let $T' \models \mathbf{A}_o$ in CTT_ϵ . Then $T' \vdash \mathbf{A}_o$ in CTT_ϵ by a proof that is essentially the same as the proof of the completeness of the proof system for \mathcal{Q}_0 (see 5502 in [3, p. 253]).

Part 3 Let P be a proof of \mathbf{A}_o in T' in CTT_ϵ . Define \mathbf{A}'_o to be result of replacing each $\ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner$ in \mathbf{A}_o , where $\mathbf{B}_\beta \notin \mathcal{V} \cup \mathcal{C}$, with $\mathcal{E}(\mathbf{B}_\beta)$, and define P' to be the result of replacing each $d_\epsilon^{\ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner}$ in P with $\ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\alpha \urcorner$ and each $d_\epsilon^{\ulcorner \mathbf{c}_\alpha \urcorner}$ in P with $\ulcorner \mathbf{c}_\alpha \urcorner$. Since the axioms of the proof system for CTT_ϵ are a subset of the axioms of the

proof system for CTT_{qe} and both proof systems share the same rule of inference, (d) P' is a proof of \mathbf{A}'_o in T in CTT_{qe} . By the Syntactic Law of Quotation and Rule R, (e) $T \vdash \mathbf{A}_o = \mathbf{A}'_o$ in CTT_{qe} . Therefore, $T \vdash \mathbf{A}_o$ in CTT_{qe} follows from (d) and (e) by the Equality Rules. \square

Theorem 8.1.2 (Completeness for Eval-Free Formulas) *Let T be an eval-free theory of CTT_{qe} and \mathbf{A}_o be an eval-free formula of T . If $T \vDash \mathbf{A}_o$, then $T \vdash \mathbf{A}_o$.*

Proof Let $T = (L_{\mathcal{D}}, \Gamma)$ be an eval-free theory of CTT_{qe} , \mathbf{A}_o be an eval-free formula of T , and $T' = (L_{\mathcal{D} \cup \mathcal{C}'}, \Gamma)$. Assume $T \vDash \mathbf{A}_o$ in CTT_{qe} . This implies $T' \vDash \mathbf{A}_o$ in CTT_{ϵ} , which implies $T' \vdash \mathbf{A}_o$ in CTT_{ϵ} , which implies $T \vdash \mathbf{A}_o$ in CTT_{qe} by parts 1, 2, and 3, respectively, of Lemma 8.1.1. \square

Corollary 8.1.3 *The proof system for CTT_{qe} satisfies Requirement R2.*

8.2 Non-Eval-Free Incompleteness

We will show that the example mentioned in the paragraph about the Double Substitution problem in section 1 is valid in CTT_{qe} but not provable in the proof system for CTT_{qe} .

Proposition 8.2.1 $\vDash (\lambda x_{\epsilon} . \llbracket x_{\epsilon} \rrbracket_{\epsilon}) \ulcorner x_{\epsilon} \urcorner = \ulcorner x_{\epsilon} \urcorner$.

Proof Let \mathcal{M} be a general model for CTT_{qe} and $\varphi \in \text{assign}(\mathcal{M})$. By part 1 of Lemma 7.1.1, we need to show that

$$V_{\varphi}^{\mathcal{M}}((\lambda x_{\epsilon} . \llbracket x_{\epsilon} \rrbracket_{\epsilon}) \ulcorner x_{\epsilon} \urcorner) = V_{\varphi}^{\mathcal{M}}(\ulcorner x_{\epsilon} \urcorner)$$

to prove the proposition.

$$V_{\varphi}^{\mathcal{M}}((\lambda x_{\epsilon} . \llbracket x_{\epsilon} \rrbracket_{\epsilon}) \ulcorner x_{\epsilon} \urcorner) \tag{1}$$

$$= V_{\varphi[x_{\epsilon} \mapsto V_{\varphi}^{\mathcal{M}}(\ulcorner x_{\epsilon} \urcorner)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\llbracket x_{\epsilon} \rrbracket_{\epsilon}) \tag{2}$$

$$= V_{\varphi[x_{\epsilon} \mapsto V_{\varphi}^{\mathcal{M}}(\ulcorner x_{\epsilon} \urcorner)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathcal{E}^{-1}(V_{\varphi[x_{\epsilon} \mapsto V_{\varphi}^{\mathcal{M}}(\ulcorner x_{\epsilon} \urcorner)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(x_{\epsilon}))) \tag{3}$$

$$= V_{\varphi[x_{\epsilon} \mapsto V_{\varphi}^{\mathcal{M}}(\ulcorner x_{\epsilon} \urcorner)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathcal{E}^{-1}(V_{\varphi}^{\mathcal{M}}(\ulcorner x_{\epsilon} \urcorner))) \tag{4}$$

$$= V_{\varphi[x_{\epsilon} \mapsto V_{\varphi}^{\mathcal{M}}(\ulcorner x_{\epsilon} \urcorner)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\mathcal{E}^{-1}(\mathcal{E}(x_{\epsilon}))) \tag{5}$$

$$= V_{\varphi[x_{\epsilon} \mapsto V_{\varphi}^{\mathcal{M}}(\ulcorner x_{\epsilon} \urcorner)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(x_{\epsilon}) \tag{6}$$

$$= V_{\varphi}^{\mathcal{M}}(\ulcorner x_{\epsilon} \urcorner) \tag{7}$$

(2) by part 2 of Lemma 7.1.2; (3) is by condition 6 of the definition of a general model since

$$V_{\varphi[x_{\epsilon} \mapsto V_{\varphi}^{\mathcal{M}}(\ulcorner x_{\epsilon} \urcorner)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^{\epsilon}(x_{\epsilon})) = V_{\varphi[x_{\epsilon} \mapsto V_{\varphi}^{\mathcal{M}}(\ulcorner x_{\epsilon} \urcorner)]}^{\mathcal{M}}(\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^{\epsilon}(\ulcorner x_{\epsilon} \urcorner)) = \top$$

by the semantics of variables and part 2 of Lemma 7.1.4; (4) and (7) are by the semantics of variables; (5) is by condition 5 of the definition of a general model; and (6) is immediate. \square

Proposition 8.2.2 $\not\vdash (\lambda x_\epsilon . \llbracket x_\epsilon \rrbracket_\epsilon) \ulcorner x_\epsilon \urcorner = \ulcorner x_\epsilon \urcorner$.

Proof It is necessary to use Axiom B11.2 in order to prove $(\lambda x_\epsilon . \llbracket x_\epsilon \rrbracket_\epsilon) \ulcorner x_\epsilon \urcorner = \ulcorner x_\epsilon \urcorner$, but Axiom B11.2 requires that

$$\vdash \text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \ulcorner x_\epsilon \urcorner ((\lambda x_\epsilon . x_\epsilon) \ulcorner x_\epsilon \urcorner).$$

However, $\vdash (\lambda x_\epsilon . x_\epsilon) \ulcorner x_\epsilon \urcorner = \ulcorner x_\epsilon \urcorner$ holds by Axiom A4.2 and $\vdash \text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \ulcorner x_\epsilon \urcorner \ulcorner x_\epsilon \urcorner$ holds by Lemma 6.5.3, which implies

$$\vdash \text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \ulcorner x_\epsilon \urcorner ((\lambda x_\epsilon . x_\epsilon) \ulcorner x_\epsilon \urcorner)$$

by the Equality Rules. Therefore, Axiom B11.2 is not applicable to $(\lambda x_\epsilon . \llbracket x_\epsilon \rrbracket_\epsilon) \ulcorner x_\epsilon \urcorner$ by the Consistency Theorem, and thus $(\lambda x_\epsilon . \llbracket x_\epsilon \rrbracket_\epsilon) \ulcorner x_\epsilon \urcorner = \ulcorner x_\epsilon \urcorner$ cannot be proved in the proof system for CTT_{qe} . \square

Theorem 8.2.3 (Incompleteness Theorem) *The proof system for CTT_{qe} is incomplete.*

Proof This theorem follows directly from the previous two propositions. \square

9 Examples Revisited

We prove in this section within the proof system for CTT_{qe} the results that were stated in section 4. These proofs show the efficacy of the proof system for CTT_{qe} for reasoning about syntax, instantiating formulas containing evaluations, and proving schemas and meaning formulas.

9.1 Reasoning about Syntax

Let $T = (L_{\mathcal{D}}, \Gamma)$ be a theory of CTT_{qe} such that $\text{make-implication}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \in \mathcal{D}$ and Γ contains the definition

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{make-implication}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \\ & = \lambda x_\epsilon . \lambda y_\epsilon . (\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} (\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \supset_{o \rightarrow o \rightarrow o} \urcorner x_\epsilon) y_\epsilon). \end{aligned}$$

Proposition 9.1.1 $T \vdash \text{make-implication}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_o \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_o \urcorner = \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_o \supset \mathbf{B}_o \urcorner$.

Proof

$$T \vdash \text{make-implication}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} = \lambda x_\epsilon . \lambda y_\epsilon . (\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} (\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \supset_{o \rightarrow o \rightarrow o} \urcorner x_\epsilon) y_\epsilon) \quad (1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} T \vdash & (\lambda x_\epsilon . \lambda y_\epsilon . (\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} (\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \supset_{o \rightarrow o \rightarrow o} \urcorner x_\epsilon) y_\epsilon)) \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_o \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_o \urcorner \\ & = \text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} (\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \supset_{o \rightarrow o \rightarrow o} \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_o \urcorner) \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_o \urcorner \quad (2) \end{aligned}$$

$$T \vdash \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_o \supset \mathbf{B}_o) = \text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} (\text{app}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \supset_{o \rightarrow o \rightarrow o} \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_o \urcorner) \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_o \urcorner \quad (3)$$

$$T \vdash \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_o \supset \mathbf{B}_o \urcorner = \mathcal{E}(\mathbf{A}_o \supset \mathbf{B}_o) \quad (4)$$

$$T \vdash \text{make-implication}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_o \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_o \urcorner = \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_o \supset \mathbf{B}_o \urcorner \quad (5)$$

(1) follows from T containing the definition of **make-implication** _{$\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon$} ; (2) is by Beta-Reduction by Substitution; (3) is by the definition of \mathcal{E} ; (4) is by the Syntactic Law of Quotation; and (5) follows from (1), (2), (3), and (4) by the Equality Rules. \square

Proposition 9.1.2 $T \vdash \llbracket \text{make-implication}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_o \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_o \urcorner \rrbracket_o = \mathbf{A}_o \supset \mathbf{B}_o$.

Proof

$$T \vdash \text{make-implication}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_o \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_o \urcorner = \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_o \supset \mathbf{B}_o \urcorner \quad (1)$$

$$T \vdash \llbracket \text{make-implication}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_o \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_o \urcorner \rrbracket_o = \llbracket \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_o \supset \mathbf{B}_o \urcorner \rrbracket_o \quad (2)$$

$$T \vdash \llbracket \text{make-implication}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_o \urcorner \ulcorner \mathbf{B}_o \urcorner \rrbracket_o = \mathbf{A}_o \supset \mathbf{B}_o \quad (3)$$

(1) is Proposition 9.1.1; (2) follows from (1) by the Equality Rules; and (3) follows from (2) and the Syntactic Law of Disquotation by the Equality Rules. \square

9.2 Schemas

Theorem 9.2.1 (Law of Excluded Middle)

$$\vdash \forall x_\epsilon . \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^o x_\epsilon \supset (\llbracket x_\epsilon \rrbracket_o \vee \neg \llbracket x_\epsilon \rrbracket_o).$$

Proof

$$\vdash \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^o x_\epsilon \supset (\llbracket x_\epsilon \rrbracket_o \vee \neg \llbracket x_\epsilon \rrbracket_o) \quad (1)$$

$$\vdash \forall x_\epsilon . \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^o x_\epsilon \supset (\llbracket x_\epsilon \rrbracket_o \vee \neg \llbracket x_\epsilon \rrbracket_o) \quad (2)$$

(1) is by the Tautology Theorem and (2) follows from (1) by Universal Generalization. \square

Proposition 9.2.2 *If \mathbf{A}_o is eval-free and x_ϵ is not free in \mathbf{A}_o , then $\mathbf{A}_o \vee \neg \mathbf{A}_o$ can be derived from the Law of Excluded Middle within the proof system for CTT_{qe} .*

Proof

$$\vdash \forall x_\epsilon . \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^o x_\epsilon \supset (\llbracket x_\epsilon \rrbracket_o \vee \neg \llbracket x_\epsilon \rrbracket_o) \quad (1)$$

$$\vdash \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^o \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_o \urcorner \supset ((\lambda x_\epsilon . \llbracket x_\epsilon \rrbracket_o) \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_o \urcorner \vee \neg ((\lambda x_\epsilon . \llbracket x_\epsilon \rrbracket_o) \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_o \urcorner)) \quad (2)$$

$$\vdash (\lambda x_\epsilon . \llbracket x_\epsilon \rrbracket_o) \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_o \urcorner \vee \neg ((\lambda x_\epsilon . \llbracket x_\epsilon \rrbracket_o) \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_o \urcorner) \quad (3)$$

$$\vdash (\lambda x_\epsilon . \llbracket x_\epsilon \rrbracket_o) \ulcorner \mathbf{A}_o \urcorner = \mathbf{A}_o \quad (4)$$

$$\vdash \mathbf{A}_o \vee \neg \mathbf{A}_o \quad (5)$$

(1) is the Law of Excluded Middle; (2) follows from (1) by Universal Instantiation; (3) follows from (2) by Lemma 6.5.1 and Modus Ponens; (4) follows from part 1 of Lemma 6.6.2 and the hypothesis; and (5) follows from (3) and (4) by the Equality Rules. \square

9.3 Meaning Formulas

We show now that the meaning formula for $\text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$ and applications of it are provable in the proof system for CTT_{qe} . These results illustrate the power of CTT_{qe} 's facility for reasoning about the interplay of syntax and semantics.

Theorem 9.3.1 (Derivatives of Polynomial Functions)

1. $T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \text{is-diff}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow o} (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\iota . \mathbf{x}_\iota) \wedge \text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\iota . \mathbf{x}_\iota) = \lambda \mathbf{x}_\iota . 1_\iota.$
2. $T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \text{is-diff}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow o} (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\iota . \mathbf{y}_\iota) \wedge \text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\iota . \mathbf{y}_\iota) = \lambda \mathbf{x}_\iota . 0_\iota$
where \mathbf{x}_ι and \mathbf{y}_ι are distinct.
3. $T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \text{is-diff}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow o} (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\iota . \mathbf{c}_\iota) \wedge \text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} (\lambda \mathbf{x}_\iota . \mathbf{c}_\iota) = \lambda \mathbf{x}_\iota . 0_\iota.$
4. $T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \text{is-diff}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow o} \mathbf{F}_{\iota \rightarrow \iota} \supset$
 $(\text{is-diff}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow o} (-_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} \mathbf{F}_{\iota \rightarrow \iota}) \wedge$
 $\text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} (-_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} \mathbf{F}_{\iota \rightarrow \iota}) =$
 $-_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} (\text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} \mathbf{F}_{\iota \rightarrow \iota}).$
5. $T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \text{is-diff}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow o} \mathbf{F}_{\iota \rightarrow \iota} \wedge \text{is-diff}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow o} \mathbf{G}_{\iota \rightarrow \iota} \supset$
 $(\text{is-diff}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow o} (\mathbf{F}_{\iota \rightarrow \iota} +_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} \mathbf{G}_{\iota \rightarrow \iota}) \wedge$
 $\text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} (\mathbf{F}_{\iota \rightarrow \iota} +_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} \mathbf{G}_{\iota \rightarrow \iota}) =$
 $(\text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} \mathbf{F}_{\iota \rightarrow \iota})$
 $+_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)}$
 $(\text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} \mathbf{G}_{\iota \rightarrow \iota}).$
6. $T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \text{is-diff}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow o} \mathbf{F}_{\iota \rightarrow \iota} \wedge \text{is-diff}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow o} \mathbf{G}_{\iota \rightarrow \iota} \supset$
 $(\text{is-diff}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow o} (\mathbf{F}_{\iota \rightarrow \iota} *_{{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)}} \mathbf{G}_{\iota \rightarrow \iota}) \wedge$
 $\text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} (\mathbf{F}_{\iota \rightarrow \iota} *_{{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)}} \mathbf{G}_{\iota \rightarrow \iota}) =$
 $((\text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} \mathbf{F}_{\iota \rightarrow \iota}) *_{{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)}} \mathbf{G}_{\iota \rightarrow \iota})$
 $+_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)}$
 $(\mathbf{F}_{\iota \rightarrow \iota} *_{{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)}} (\text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} \mathbf{G}_{\iota \rightarrow \iota})).$

Proof This theorem is proved in the standard way from the definition of $\text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)}$. See [112] for details. \square

Lemma 9.3.2

1. $T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \supset \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^t \mathbf{B}_\epsilon.$
2. $T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \supset (\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \supset (\mathbf{A}_\epsilon = \ulcorner x_\iota \urcorner \vee \mathbf{A}_\epsilon = \ulcorner y_\iota \urcorner)).$
3. $T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \supset \text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} (\text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\iota \urcorner).$
4. $T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \supset (\lambda u_\epsilon . \llbracket u_\epsilon \rrbracket_\iota) \mathbf{B}_\epsilon = \llbracket \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\iota.$
5. $T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} u_\epsilon \supset (\lambda z_\epsilon . \llbracket u_\epsilon \rrbracket_\iota) \mathbf{B}_\epsilon = \llbracket u_\epsilon \rrbracket_\iota.$
6. $T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \supset$
 $(\lambda u_\epsilon . \llbracket \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} u_\epsilon \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\iota \urcorner \rrbracket_\iota) \mathbf{B}_\epsilon = \llbracket \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathbf{B}_\epsilon \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_\iota \urcorner \rrbracket_\iota.$

$$7. T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} u_{\epsilon} \supset (\lambda z_{\epsilon} . \llbracket \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} u_{\epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_l \urcorner \rrbracket_l) \mathbf{B}_{\epsilon} = \llbracket \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} u_{\epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_l \urcorner \rrbracket_l.$$

Proof

Parts 1–3 Follow straightforwardly from the definitions of $\text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$ and $\text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$ and the axioms for $\text{is-var}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^t$, $\text{is-con}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^t$, $\text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^t$, $\sqsubset_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o}$, and $\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o}$ (Axioms B1.1–4, B2.1–4, B3.1–9, B5.1–6, and B7.1–8) by induction using the Induction Principle for Constructions (Axiom B6).

Part 4 Follows from parts 1 and 2 of the lemma and part 2 of Lemma 6.6.2.

Part 5 Follows from parts 1 and 2 of the lemma and part 3 of Lemma 6.6.2.

Part 6 Let \mathbf{A}_o be $\text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} \mathbf{B}_{\epsilon}$.

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash (\lambda u_{\epsilon} . \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} u_{\epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_l \urcorner) \mathbf{B}_{\epsilon} = \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathbf{B}_{\epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_l \urcorner \quad (1)$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}}, \{\mathbf{A}_o\} \vdash \text{is-expr}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}^t ((\lambda u_{\epsilon} . \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} u_{\epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_l \urcorner) \mathbf{B}_{\epsilon}) \quad (2)$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}}, \{\mathbf{A}_o\} \vdash \neg(\text{is-free-in}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} \ulcorner u_{\epsilon} \urcorner ((\lambda u_{\epsilon} . \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} u_{\epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_l \urcorner) \mathbf{B}_{\epsilon})) \quad (3)$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}}, \{\mathbf{A}_o\} \vdash (\lambda u_{\epsilon} . \llbracket \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} u_{\epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_l \urcorner \rrbracket_l) \mathbf{B}_{\epsilon} = \llbracket (\lambda u_{\epsilon} . \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} u_{\epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_l \urcorner) \mathbf{B}_{\epsilon} \rrbracket_l \quad (4)$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}}, \{\mathbf{A}_o\} \vdash (\lambda u_{\epsilon} . \llbracket \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} u_{\epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_l \urcorner \rrbracket_l) \mathbf{B}_{\epsilon} = \llbracket \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathbf{B}_{\epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_l \urcorner \rrbracket_l \quad (5)$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \mathbf{A}_o \supset (\lambda u_{\epsilon} . \llbracket \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} u_{\epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_l \urcorner \rrbracket_l) \mathbf{B}_{\epsilon} = \llbracket \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \mathbf{B}_{\epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_l \urcorner \rrbracket_l \quad (6)$$

(1) is by Beta-Reduction by Substitution; (2) and (3) follow from (1), the hypothesis \mathbf{A}_o , and parts 1–3 of the lemma by the Equality Rules and propositional logic; (4) follows from (2), (3), and Axiom B11.2 by Modus Ponens; (5) follows from (1) and (4) by the Equality Rules; and (6), the lemma to be proved, follows from (5) by the Deduction Theorem.

Part 7 Similar to the proof of part 6. □

Theorem 9.3.3 (Meaning Formula for $\text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$)

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \forall u_{\epsilon} . (\text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} u_{\epsilon} \supset \text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} (\lambda \mathbf{x}_l . \llbracket u_{\epsilon} \rrbracket_l) = \lambda \mathbf{x}_l . \llbracket \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} u_{\epsilon} \ulcorner \mathbf{x}_l \urcorner \rrbracket_l),$$

where \mathbf{x}_l is either x_l or y_l .

Proof Without loss of generality, we may assume that \mathbf{x}_l is x_l ; the proof is exactly the same when \mathbf{x}_l is y_l . For this proof we make the following notational definitions:

1. \mathbf{C}_o is

$$\text{is-diff}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow o} (\lambda x_l . \llbracket u_{\epsilon} \rrbracket_l) \wedge \text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} (\lambda x_l . \llbracket u_{\epsilon} \rrbracket_l) = \lambda x_l . \llbracket \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} u_{\epsilon} \ulcorner x_l \urcorner \rrbracket_l.$$

2. $\mathbf{P}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$ is $\lambda u_\epsilon . (\text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} u_\epsilon \supset \mathbf{C}_o)$.
3. \mathbf{D}_o is $\forall z_\epsilon . (z_\epsilon \sqsubseteq_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow o} u_\epsilon \supset \mathbf{P}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} z_\epsilon)$.
4. \mathbf{E}_o^1 is $\text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} v_\epsilon \wedge u_\epsilon = \ulcorner -_{\iota \rightarrow \iota} [v_\epsilon] \urcorner$.
5. \mathbf{E}_o^2 is $\text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} v_\epsilon \wedge \text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} w_\epsilon \wedge u_\epsilon = \ulcorner [v_\epsilon] +_{\iota \rightarrow \iota \rightarrow \iota} [w_\epsilon] \urcorner$.
6. \mathbf{E}_o^3 is $\text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} v_\epsilon \wedge \text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} w_\epsilon \wedge u_\epsilon = \ulcorner [v_\epsilon] *_{\iota \rightarrow \iota \rightarrow \iota} [w_\epsilon] \urcorner$.

We will prove the following statement, a stronger result that immediately implies the theorem:

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \forall u_\epsilon . \mathbf{P}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} u_\epsilon.$$

Our proof is given by the following derivation:

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \text{NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN}(u_\epsilon, \mathbf{P}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}, u'_\epsilon) \tag{1}$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \text{NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN}(z_\epsilon, \mathbf{P}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}, z'_\epsilon) \tag{2}$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \forall u_\epsilon . (\mathbf{D}_o \supset \mathbf{P}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} u_\epsilon) \supset \forall u_\epsilon . \mathbf{P}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} u_\epsilon \tag{3}$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}}, \{\mathbf{D}_o, u_\epsilon = \ulcorner x_{\iota} \urcorner\} \vdash \mathbf{C}_o \tag{4}$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}}, \{\mathbf{D}_o, u_\epsilon = \ulcorner y_{\iota} \urcorner\} \vdash \mathbf{C}_o \tag{5}$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}}, \{\mathbf{D}_o, u_\epsilon = \ulcorner 0_{\iota} \urcorner\} \vdash \mathbf{C}_o \tag{6}$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}}, \{\mathbf{D}_o, u_\epsilon = \ulcorner 1_{\iota} \urcorner\} \vdash \mathbf{C}_o \tag{7}$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}}, \{\mathbf{D}_o, \exists v_\epsilon . \mathbf{E}_o^1\} \vdash \mathbf{C}_o \tag{8}$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}}, \{\mathbf{D}_o, \exists v_\epsilon . \exists w_\epsilon . \mathbf{E}_o^2\} \vdash \mathbf{C}_o \tag{9}$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}}, \{\mathbf{D}_o, \exists v_\epsilon . \exists w_\epsilon . \mathbf{E}_o^3\} \vdash \mathbf{C}_o \tag{10}$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}}, \{\mathbf{D}_o, \text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} u_\epsilon\} \vdash \mathbf{C}_o \tag{11}$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \mathbf{D}_o \supset (\text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} u_\epsilon \supset \mathbf{C}_o) \tag{12}$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \mathbf{D}_o \supset \mathbf{P}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} u_\epsilon \tag{13}$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \forall u_\epsilon . (\mathbf{D}_o \supset \mathbf{P}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} u_\epsilon) \tag{14}$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \forall u_\epsilon . \mathbf{P}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} u_\epsilon \tag{15}$$

(1) follows from the definition of NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN using Axiom A4.6; (2) follows the definition of NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN using Beta-Reduction by Substitution and parts 5 and 7 of Lemma 9.3.2; (3) follows from (1), (2), Axiom B6, the Induction Principle for Constructions, Alpha-Equivalence, Universal Generalization, and Universal Instantiation; (4)–(10) are proved below; (11) follows from (4)–(10) by the definition of $\text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$ and propositional logic (proof by cases); (12) follows from (11) by the Deduction Theorem; (13) follows from (12) by Beta-Reduction by Substitution and the Equality Rules; (14) follows from (13) by Universal Generalization; and (15) follows from (14) and (3) by Modus Ponens.

Proof of (4)

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \text{is-diff}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow o} (\lambda x_{\iota} . x_{\iota}) \wedge \text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} (\lambda x_{\iota} . x_{\iota}) = \lambda x_{\iota} . 1_{\iota} \quad (16)$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \llbracket \ulcorner x_{\iota} \urcorner \rrbracket_{\iota} = x_{\iota} \quad (17)$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \llbracket \ulcorner 1_{\iota} \urcorner \rrbracket_{\iota} = 1_{\iota} \quad (18)$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner x_{\iota} \urcorner \ulcorner x_{\iota} \urcorner = \ulcorner 1_{\iota} \urcorner \quad (19)$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \text{is-diff}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow o} (\lambda x_{\iota} . \llbracket \ulcorner x_{\iota} \urcorner \rrbracket_{\iota}) \wedge \\ \text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} (\lambda x_{\iota} . \llbracket \ulcorner x_{\iota} \urcorner \rrbracket_{\iota}) = \lambda x_{\iota} . \llbracket \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner x_{\iota} \urcorner \ulcorner x_{\iota} \urcorner \rrbracket_{\iota} \quad (20)$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}}, \{ \mathbf{D}_o, u_{\epsilon} = \ulcorner x_{\iota} \urcorner \} \vdash \\ \text{is-diff}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow o} (\lambda x_{\iota} . \llbracket \ulcorner x_{\iota} \urcorner \rrbracket_{\iota}) \wedge \\ \text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} (\lambda x_{\iota} . \llbracket \ulcorner x_{\iota} \urcorner \rrbracket_{\iota}) = \lambda x_{\iota} . \llbracket \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner x_{\iota} \urcorner \ulcorner x_{\iota} \urcorner \rrbracket_{\iota} \quad (21)$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \text{NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN}(x_{\iota}, u_{\epsilon} = \ulcorner x_{\iota} \urcorner, x'_{\iota}) \quad (22)$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}}, \{ \mathbf{D}_o, u_{\epsilon} = \ulcorner x_{\iota} \urcorner \} \vdash \mathbf{C}_o \quad (23)$$

(16) is an instance of part 1 of Theorem 9.3.1; (17) and (18) are by the Syntactic Law of Disquotation; (19) follows from the definition of $\text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$ by Universal Generalization, Universal Instantiation, Axiom B1.2, and Modus Ponens; (20) follows from (16)–(19) by the Equality Rules; (21) follows from (20) by Weakening; (22) is by Axiom B12; and (23) follows from (21), (22), and the hypothesis $u_{\epsilon} = \ulcorner x_{\iota} \urcorner$ by Rule R'.

Proof of (5) Similar to the proof of (4).

Proof of (6) Similar to the proof of (4).

Proof of (7) Similar to the proof of (4).

Proof of (8) Similar to the proof of (9).

Proof of (9)

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \text{is-diff}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow o} (\lambda x_{\iota} . \llbracket v_{\epsilon} \rrbracket_{\iota}) \wedge \text{is-diff}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow o} (\lambda x_{\iota} . \llbracket w_{\epsilon} \rrbracket_{\iota}) \supset \\ (\text{is-diff}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow o} (\lambda x_{\iota} . \llbracket v_{\epsilon} \rrbracket_{\iota}) +_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} \lambda x_{\iota} . \llbracket w_{\epsilon} \rrbracket_{\iota}) \wedge \\ \text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} (\lambda x_{\iota} . \llbracket v_{\epsilon} \rrbracket_{\iota} +_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} \lambda x_{\iota} . \llbracket w_{\epsilon} \rrbracket_{\iota}) = \\ (\text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} \lambda x_{\iota} . \llbracket v_{\epsilon} \rrbracket_{\iota}) \\ +_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} \\ (\text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} \lambda x_{\iota} . \llbracket w_{\epsilon} \rrbracket_{\iota}) \quad (24)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
T_{\mathbb{R}}, \{\mathbf{D}_o, \mathbf{E}_o^2\} \vdash & \\
& \text{is-diff}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow o} (\lambda x_\iota . (\llbracket v_\epsilon \rrbracket_\iota +_{\iota \rightarrow \iota \rightarrow \iota} \llbracket w_\epsilon \rrbracket_\iota)) \wedge \\
& \text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} (\lambda x_\iota . (\llbracket v_\epsilon \rrbracket_\iota +_{\iota \rightarrow \iota \rightarrow \iota} \llbracket w_\epsilon \rrbracket_\iota)) = \\
& \lambda x_\iota . (\llbracket \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} v_\epsilon \ulcorner x_\iota \urcorner \rrbracket_\iota +_{\iota \rightarrow \iota \rightarrow \iota} \llbracket \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} w_\epsilon \ulcorner x_\iota \urcorner \rrbracket_\iota)
\end{aligned} \tag{34}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
T_{\mathbb{R}}, \{\mathbf{D}_o, \mathbf{E}_o^2\} \vdash & \\
& \text{is-diff}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow o} (\lambda x_\iota . (\llbracket \ulcorner v_\epsilon \urcorner \rrbracket_\iota +_{\iota \rightarrow \iota \rightarrow \iota} \llbracket w_\epsilon \urcorner \rrbracket_\iota)) \wedge \\
& \text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} (\lambda x_\iota . (\llbracket \ulcorner v_\epsilon \urcorner \rrbracket_\iota +_{\iota \rightarrow \iota \rightarrow \iota} \llbracket w_\epsilon \urcorner \rrbracket_\iota)) = \\
& \lambda x_\iota . (\llbracket \ulcorner \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} v_\epsilon \ulcorner x_\iota \urcorner \urcorner \rrbracket_\iota +_{\iota \rightarrow \iota \rightarrow \iota} \llbracket \ulcorner \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} w_\epsilon \ulcorner x_\iota \urcorner \urcorner \rrbracket_\iota)
\end{aligned} \tag{35}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
T_{\mathbb{R}}, \{\mathbf{D}_o, \mathbf{E}_o^2\} \vdash & \\
& \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \llbracket v_\epsilon \rrbracket_\iota +_{\iota \rightarrow \iota \rightarrow \iota} \llbracket w_\epsilon \rrbracket_\iota \urcorner = \\
& \ulcorner \llbracket \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} v_\epsilon \ulcorner x_\iota \urcorner \rrbracket_\iota +_{\iota \rightarrow \iota \rightarrow \iota} \llbracket \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} w_\epsilon \ulcorner x_\iota \urcorner \rrbracket_\iota \urcorner
\end{aligned} \tag{36}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
T_{\mathbb{R}}, \{\mathbf{D}_o, \mathbf{E}_o^2\} \vdash & \\
& \text{is-diff}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow o} (\lambda x_\iota . (\llbracket \ulcorner v_\epsilon \urcorner \rrbracket_\iota +_{\iota \rightarrow \iota \rightarrow \iota} \llbracket w_\epsilon \urcorner \rrbracket_\iota)) \wedge \\
& \text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)} (\lambda x_\iota . (\llbracket \ulcorner v_\epsilon \urcorner \rrbracket_\iota +_{\iota \rightarrow \iota \rightarrow \iota} \llbracket w_\epsilon \urcorner \rrbracket_\iota)) = \\
& \lambda x_\iota . (\llbracket \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner \llbracket v_\epsilon \rrbracket_\iota +_{\iota \rightarrow \iota \rightarrow \iota} \llbracket w_\epsilon \urcorner \rrbracket_\iota \urcorner \rrbracket_\iota)
\end{aligned} \tag{37}$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}}, \{\mathbf{D}_o, \mathbf{E}_o^2\} \vdash \text{NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN}(x_\iota, u_\epsilon = \ulcorner \llbracket v_\epsilon \rrbracket_\iota +_{\iota \rightarrow \iota \rightarrow \iota} \llbracket w_\epsilon \rrbracket_\iota \urcorner, x'_\iota) \tag{38}$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}}, \{\mathbf{D}_o, \mathbf{E}_o^2\} \vdash \mathbf{C}_o \tag{39}$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}}, \{\mathbf{D}_o, \mathbf{E}_o^2\} \vdash \text{NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN}(v_\epsilon, \mathbf{C}_o, v'_\epsilon) \tag{40}$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}}, \{\mathbf{D}_o, \mathbf{E}_o^2\} \vdash \text{NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN}(w_\epsilon, \mathbf{C}_o, w'_\epsilon) \tag{41}$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}}, \{\mathbf{D}_o, \mathbf{E}_o^2\} \vdash \text{NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN}(v_\epsilon, \mathbf{D}_o, v'_\epsilon) \tag{42}$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}}, \{\mathbf{D}_o, \mathbf{E}_o^2\} \vdash \text{NOT-EFFECTIVE-IN}(w_\epsilon, \mathbf{D}_o, w'_\epsilon) \tag{43}$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}}, \{\mathbf{D}_o, \exists v_\epsilon . \exists w_\epsilon . \mathbf{E}_o^2\} \vdash \mathbf{C}_o \tag{44}$$

(24) is an instance of part 5 of Theorem 9.3.1; (25) follows from (24) by Weakening; (26) and (27) follow from the hypothesis \mathbf{E}_o^2 and Axioms B5.1–6 by Universal Generalization, Universal Instantiation, the Equality Rules and propositional logic; (28) and (29) follow from (26), (27), and the hypothesis \mathbf{D}_o by Universal Instantiation, parts 5 and 7 of Lemma 9.3.2, the Equality Rules, and propositional logic; (30) and (31) follow from (28), (29), and the hypothesis \mathbf{E}_o^2 by Universal Instantiation, parts 4 and 6 of Lemma 9.3.2, the Equality Rules, and propositional logic; (32) follows from (25), (30), and (31) by propositional logic; (33) follows from (30)–(32) by the Equality Rules and propositional logic; (34) follows from (33) by the definition of $+(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)$; (35) follows from (34) and the hypothesis \mathbf{E}_o^2 by Axiom B10.3, Lemma 9.3.2, quasiquotation, and propositional logic; (36) follows from the definition of $\text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$ and the hypothesis \mathbf{E}_o^2 by Universal Generalization, Universal Instantiation, Axiom B1.2, and propositional logic; (37) follows from (35) and (36) by the Equality Rules; (38) is by Axiom B12; (39) follows from the hypothesis \mathbf{E}_o^2 , (37), and (38) by Rule R' and propositional logic; (40)–(43) follow from the hypothesis \mathbf{E}_o^2 and the definition of NOT-EFFECTIVE by Beta-Reduction by Substitution, part 4 of Lemma 6.6.2 and Lemma 9.3.2; and (44) follows from (41)–(43) by Lemma 6.3.7.

Proof of (10) Similar to the proof of (9).

This finally completes the proof of Theorem 9.3.3. \square

Proposition 9.3.4

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)}(\lambda x_{\iota} . x_{\iota}^2) = \lambda x_{\iota} . 2_{\iota} * x_{\iota}.$$

Proof

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \forall u_{\epsilon} . (\text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} u_{\epsilon} \supset \text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)}(\lambda x_{\iota} . \llbracket u_{\epsilon} \rrbracket_{\iota}) = \lambda x_{\iota} . \llbracket \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} u_{\epsilon} \ulcorner x_{\iota} \urcorner \rrbracket_{\iota}) \quad (1)$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} \ulcorner x_{\iota}^2 \urcorner \supset \text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)}(\lambda x_{\iota} . ((\lambda u_{\epsilon} . \llbracket u_{\epsilon} \rrbracket_{\iota}) \ulcorner x_{\iota}^2 \urcorner)) = \lambda x_{\iota} . ((\lambda u_{\epsilon} . \llbracket \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} u_{\epsilon} \ulcorner x_{\iota} \urcorner \rrbracket_{\iota}) \ulcorner x_{\iota}^2 \urcorner) \quad (2)$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o} \ulcorner x_{\iota}^2 \urcorner \quad (3)$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)}(\lambda x_{\iota} . ((\lambda u_{\epsilon} . \llbracket u_{\epsilon} \rrbracket_{\iota}) \ulcorner x_{\iota}^2 \urcorner)) = \lambda x_{\iota} . ((\lambda u_{\epsilon} . \llbracket \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} u_{\epsilon} \ulcorner x_{\iota} \urcorner \rrbracket_{\iota}) \ulcorner x_{\iota}^2 \urcorner) \quad (4)$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash (\lambda u_{\epsilon} . \llbracket u_{\epsilon} \rrbracket_{\iota}) \ulcorner x_{\iota}^2 \urcorner = \llbracket \ulcorner x_{\iota}^2 \urcorner \rrbracket_{\iota} \quad (5)$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash (\lambda u_{\epsilon} . \llbracket \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} u_{\epsilon} \ulcorner x_{\iota} \urcorner \rrbracket_{\iota}) \ulcorner x_{\iota}^2 \urcorner = \llbracket \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner x_{\iota}^2 \urcorner \ulcorner x_{\iota} \urcorner \rrbracket_{\iota} \quad (6)$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon} \ulcorner x_{\iota}^2 \urcorner \ulcorner x_{\iota} \urcorner = \ulcorner 2_{\iota} * x_{\iota} \urcorner \quad (7)$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \llbracket \ulcorner x_{\iota}^2 \urcorner \rrbracket_{\iota} = x_{\iota}^2 \quad (8)$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \llbracket \ulcorner 2_{\iota} * x_{\iota} \urcorner \rrbracket_{\iota} = 2_{\iota} * x_{\iota} \quad (9)$$

$$T_{\mathbb{R}} \vdash \text{deriv}_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow (\iota \rightarrow \iota)}(\lambda x_{\iota} . x_{\iota}^2) = \lambda x_{\iota} . 2_{\iota} * x_{\iota} \quad (10)$$

(1) is Theorem 9.3.3; (2) follows from (1) by Universal Instantiation; (3) follows from the definition of $\text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$ by Beta-Reduction by Substitution, Existential Generalization, and propositional logic; (4) follows from (3) and (2) by Modus Ponens; (5) follows from (3) by part 4 of Lemma 9.3.2 by Modus Ponens; (6) follows from (3) and part 6 of Lemma 9.3.2 by Modus Ponens; (7) follows from the definitions of $\text{is-poly}_{\epsilon \rightarrow o}$ and $\text{poly-diff}_{\epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon \rightarrow \epsilon}$ by Universal Generalization, Universal Instantiation, Axiom B1.2, and propositional logic; (8) and (9) are by the Syntactic Law of Disquotation; and (10) follows from (4)–(9) by the Equality Rules. \square

10 Related Work

10.1 Metareasoning with Reflection

Metareasoning is reasoning about the behavior of a reasoning system such as a proof system for a logic. Metareasoning about the proof system for a *logic* L is performed in a proof system for a *metalogic* M where M may be L itself. Since a proof system involves manipulating expressions as syntactic objects, metareasoning starts with reasoning about syntax. This can be done in a number of ways. Kurt Gödel’s famously used *Gödel numbers* in [66] to encode expressions and thereby reduce reasoning about expressions to reasoning about natural numbers. The technique of a *deep embedding* — in which a particular language of expressions is represented by an inductive type of values — is the most common means used today to reason about the syntax of a language [13, 39, 124].

Metareasoning is the most interesting when the metalogic M is the same as the logic L and reasoning about L ’s proof system is integrated into reasoning within L ’s proof system. This is commonly called *reflection*. The integration of meta-level reasoning in object-level reasoning requires some form of *quotation* and some form of *evaluation*. Stanfania Costantini presents a general survey of metareasoning and reflection in [42], and John Harrison in his excellent paper [75] surveys the applications of reflection to computer theorem proving while arguing that LCF-style proof assistants do not have an inherent need for reflection.

Harrison identifies two kinds of reflection: logical and computational. *Logical reflection* employs metareasoning about L ’s proof system within itself to reveal logical properties about L . Gödel, Tarski, and others have used reflection in this form to show the limits of formal logic [66, 118] and to explore the logical impact of various *reflection principles* [75, 86]. *Computational reflection* incorporates algorithms that manipulate expressions and other meta-level objects into the logic’s proof system. Examples of such algorithms are the differentiation algorithm for polynomials defined in section 4 and the ring tactic in the Coq proof assistant [14, 71].

Computational reflection has been explored and exploited in several computer theorem systems. In the seminal paper [15], Robert Boyer and J Moore developed a global infrastructure for incorporating symbolic algorithms into the

Nqthm [16] theorem prover. This approach is also used in ACL2 [83], the successor to Nqthm; see [80]. Over the last 30 years, the Nuprl group lead by Robert Constable has produced a large body of work on metareasoning and reflection for theorem proving [2, 7, 37, 79, 85, 96, 125] that has been implemented in the Nuprl [38] and MetaPRL [78] systems. Proof by reflection has become a mainstream technique in the Coq [40] proof assistant with the development of tactics based on symbolic computations like the Coq ring tactic [14, 71] and the formalizations in Coq of the *four color theorem* [67] and the *Feit-Thompson odd-order theorem* [68] led by Georges Gonthier. See [14, 17, 31, 69, 71, 81, 100] for a selection of the work done on using reflection in Coq. Agda [97, 98] supports reflection in both programming and proving; see [120, 121]. Martin Giese and Bruno Buchberger present in [63] the design for a global infrastructure for employing reflection in the Theorema [22] theorem prover. See the following references for research on using metareasoning and reflection in other systems: Idris [32, 33, 34], Isabelle/HOL [30], Lean [45], Maude [36], PVS [122], and reFLect [89].

The programming language community has likewise looked at reflection. Its use for metaprogramming will be covered in the next section, but trying to come to grasp with these ideas produced some interesting papers on reflective theories [90] and reification [61]. Of particular note is that, even in a pure programming context, unrestricted reflection leads to problems [123]. Kavvos’ recent D.Phil thesis [84] has a very interesting overview of the impossibility of building a quotation operator (with certain properties) and other dangers. His literature review is also quite extensive.

The Nqthm/ACL2 [15, 80] and Theorema [63] approaches to computational reflection are the approaches in the literature that are closest to CTT_{qe} . Like CTT_{qe} , these approaches utilize a global reflection infrastructure for a traditional logic.

10.2 Metaprogramming with Reflection

Metaprogramming is writing computer programs to manipulate and generate computer programs in some programming language L . Metaprogramming is especially useful when the “metaprograms” can be written in L itself. This is facilitated by implementing in L metaprogramming techniques for L that involve the manipulation of program code. See [44] for a survey of how this kind of “reflection” can be done for the major programming paradigms.

We listed in section 1 several programming languages that support metaprogramming with reflection: Lisp, Agda [97, 98, 120], Elixir [103], F# [119], Idris [32, 33, 34], MetaML [115], MetaOCaml [109], reFLect [72], Scala [99, 110], and Template Haskell [111]. These languages represent fragments of computer code as values in an inductive type and include quotation, quasiquotation, and evaluation operations. For example, these operations are called *quote*, *backquote*, and *eval* in the Lisp programming language. The metaprogramming language Archon [113] developed by Aaron Stump offers an interesting alternate approach

in which program code is manipulated directly instead of manipulating representations of computer code.

The reflection infrastructure in a programming language provides the basis for *multistage programming* [114] in which code generation and code execution are interleaved to produce programs that are both general and efficient. The code generation and execution can take place at compile-time or run-time. See [10, 23, 93] for research on developing models for multistage programming and [43, 95] for research on type systems that support multistage programming.

10.3 Theories of Quotation

The semantics of the quotation operator $\ulcorner \cdot \urcorner$ is based on the *disquotational theory of quotation* [24]. According to this theory, a quotation of an expression e is an expression that denotes e itself. In CTT_{qe} , $\ulcorner \mathbf{A}_\alpha \urcorner$ denotes a value that represents the syntactic structure of \mathbf{A}_α . Andrew Polonsky presents in [104] a set of axioms for quotation operators of this kind. There are several other theories of quotation that have been proposed [24]. For instance, quotation can be viewed as an operation that constructs literals for syntactic values. Florian Rabe explores in [106] this approach to quotation.

10.4 Theories of Truth

Truth is a major subject in philosophy [65]. A theory of truth seeks to explain what truth is and how the liar and other related paradoxes can be resolved. A *truth predicate* [65] is the face of a *theory of truth*: the properties of a truth predicate characterize a theory of truth [87]. A *semantics theory of truth* defines a truth predicate for a formal language, while an *axiomatic theory of truth* [73, 74] specifies a truth predicate for a formal language by means of an axiomatic theory.

In CTT_{qe} , $\llbracket \mathbf{A}_e \rrbracket_o$ asserts the truth of the formula represented by \mathbf{A}_e , and thus the evaluation operator $\llbracket \cdot \rrbracket_o$ is a truth predicate. Hence CTT_{qe} provides a semantic theory of truth via its semantics and an axiomatic theory of truth via its proof system. Since our goal is not to explicate the nature of truth, it is not surprising that the semantic and axiomatic theories of truth provided by CTT_{qe} are not very innovative. Theories of truth — starting with Tarski’s work [116, 117, 118] in the 1930s — have traditionally been restricted to the truth of sentences, i.e., formulas with no free variables. However, the CTT_{qe} semantic and axiomatic theories of truth admit formulas with free variables.

10.5 Reasoning in the Lambda Calculus about Syntax

Corrado Böhm and Alessandro Berarducci present in [11] a method for representing an inductive type of values as a collection of lambda-terms. Then functions defined on the members of the inductive type can also be represented as lambda terms. Both the lambda terms representing the values and those

representing the functions defined on the values can be typed in the second-order lambda calculus (System F) [64, 108] as shown in [11]. Böhm and his collaborators present in [9, 12] a second, more powerful method for representing inductive types as collections of lambda-terms in which the lambda terms are not as easily typeable as in the first method. These two methods provide the means to efficiently formalize syntax-based mathematical algorithms in the lambda calculus.

Using the fact that inductive types can be directly represented in the lambda calculus, Torben Æ. Mogensen in [92] represents the inductive type of lambda terms in lambda calculus itself as well as defines a global evaluation operator in the lambda calculus. (See Henk Barendregt’s survey paper [6] on the impact of the lambda calculus for a nice description of this work.) Nevertheless these representations were only partially typed. The *finally tagless* approach to embedded representations [29] kicked off a series of papers on typed self-representation [4, 5, 18, 19, 20, 21, 82, 107] which eventually succeeded at providing elegant solutions.

10.6 Undefinedness

Undefinedness naturally occurs in two places in CTT_{qe} . It occurs when a syntax constructor is applied to inappropriate arguments and when the evaluation operator $\llbracket \cdot \rrbracket_\alpha$ is applied to an expression $\ulcorner \mathbf{B}_\beta \urcorner$ where $\alpha \neq \beta$. We would prefer a cleaner version of CTT_{qe} that formalizes the traditional approach to undefinedness [49]. Then improper constructions would not be needed and checking whether an expression \mathbf{A}_ϵ denotes a construction or an evaluation $\llbracket \mathbf{A}_\epsilon \rrbracket_\alpha$ is meaningful would be reduced to checking for definedness. We argue in [49] that a logic that supports the traditional approach to undefinedness is much closer to mathematical practice than traditional logics and can be effectively implemented.

We show in [51] how to formalize the traditional approach to undefinedness in a traditional logic. The paper [51] presents \mathcal{Q}_0^u , a version of Andrews’ \mathcal{Q}_0 that takes this approach to undefinedness. \mathcal{Q}_0^u is a simplified version of LUTINS [46, 47, 48], the logic of the IMPS theorem proving system [58, 59]. Roughly speaking, \mathcal{Q}_0^{uqe} is \mathcal{Q}_0^u plus quotation and evaluation. CTT_{uqe} [57] is a variant of CTT_{qe} in which undefinedness is incorporated in CTT_{qe} in the same way that it is incorporated in \mathcal{Q}_0^u and \mathcal{Q}_0^{uqe} .

11 Conclusion

Quotation and evaluation provide a basis for metaprogramming as seen in Lisp and other programming languages. We believe that these mechanisms can also provide a basis for metareasoning in traditional logics like first-order logic or simple type theory [52]. However, incorporating quotation and evaluation into a traditional logic is much more challenging than incorporating them into a programming language due to the Evaluation, Variable, and Double Substitution

Problems we described in the Introduction.

In this paper we have introduced CTT_{qe} , a logic based on \mathcal{Q}_0 [3], Andrews' version of Church's type theory [35], that includes quotation and evaluation. We have presented the syntax and semantics of CTT_{qe} as well as a proof system for CTT_{qe} . The syntax of CTT_{qe} has the machinery of Church's type theory plus an inductive type ϵ of syntactic values, a partial quotation operator, and a typed evaluation operator. The semantics of CTT_{qe} is based on Henkin-style general models [77]. Constructions — certain expressions of type ϵ — represent the syntactic structures of eval-free expressions (i.e., expressions that do not contain the evaluation operator); they serve as the syntactic values in the semantics. The proof system for CTT_{qe} is an extension of the proof system for \mathcal{Q}_0 . We proved that it is sound for all formulas (Requirement R1) and complete for eval-free formulas (R2). We also showed it can be used to reason about constructions (R3), can instantiate free variables occurring within evaluations (R4), and can prove formulas containing evaluations such as schemas and meaning formulas for syntax-based mathematical algorithms (R5).

The Evaluation Problem is completely avoided in CTT_{qe} by restricting the quotation operator to eval-free expressions. The Variable Problem is solved by (1) using the less restrictive semantic notion of “a variable is not effective in an expression” in place of the syntactic notion of “a variable is not free in an expression” and (2) adding beta-reduction axioms for quotations and evaluations to the beta-reduction axioms used by Andrews in the proof system for \mathcal{Q}_0 [3, p. 213]. The Double Substitution Problem is solved by not allowing beta-reductions that embody a double substitution.

Using examples, we have shown that CTT_{qe} is suitable for reasoning about the interplay of syntax and semantics, expressing quasiquotations, and stating and proving schemas and meaning formulas. In particular, we proved within the proof system for CTT_{qe} the meaning formula for an symbolic differentiation algorithm for polynomials. The proof of this result (Theorem 9.3.3) is an comprehensive test of the efficacy of CTT_{qe} 's proof system.

CTT_{qe} is much simpler than $\mathcal{Q}_0^{\text{uqe}}$ [55], a richer, but more complicated, version of \mathcal{Q}_0 with undefinedness, quotation, and evaluation. In $\mathcal{Q}_0^{\text{uqe}}$, quotation may be applied to expressions containing evaluations, expressions may be undefined and functions may be partial, and substitution is implemented explicitly as a logical constant. Allowing quotation to be applied to all expressions makes $\mathcal{Q}_0^{\text{uqe}}$ much more expressive than CTT_{qe} but also much more difficult to implement since substitution in the presence of evaluations is highly complex. The decision to represent “a variable is free in an expression” in the logic but represent substitution only in the metalogic gives the proof system for CTT_{qe} much greater fluency than the proof system for $\mathcal{Q}_0^{\text{uqe}}$.

We believe that CTT_{qe} is the first version of simple type theory with global quotation and evaluation that has a practicable proof system. We also believe that our approach for incorporating quotation and evaluation into Church's type theory — introducing an inductive type of constructions, a partial quotation operator, and a typed evaluation operator — can be applied to other logics including many-sorted first-order logic. We have shown that developing the

needed syntax and semantics is relatively straightforward, while developing a proof system for the logic is fraught with difficulties.

In our future research we will seek to answer the following three questions:

1. Can CTT_{qe} (or a logic like CTT_{qe} with global quotation and evaluation) be effectively implemented as a software system?
2. Is CTT_{qe} an effective logic for developing defining, applying, proving properties about syntax-based mathematical algorithms.
3. Is CTT_{qe} an effective logic for formalizing graphs of biform theories?

Since CTT_{qe} is a version of Church’s type theory, the most promising approach to answering the first question is to implement CTT_{qe} by extending HOL Light [76], a simple implementation of the HOL proof assistant [70]. We have developed a system called HOL Light QE [27] by modifying HOL Light to include global quotation and evaluation operators. As future work, we intend to continue the development of HOL Light QE and to show that HOL Light QE can be effectively used to develop syntax-based mathematical algorithms.

A *biform theory* [25, 50] is a basic unit of mathematical knowledge that consists of a set of *concepts* that denote mathematical values, *transformers* that denote symbolic algorithms, and *facts* about the concepts and transformers. Since transformers manipulate the syntax of expressions, biform theories are difficult to formalize in a traditional logic. The notion of a biform theory is a key component of a framework for integrating axiomatic and algorithmic mathematics that is being developed under the MathScheme project [28] at McMaster University, led by Jacques Carette and the author. One of the main goals of the MathScheme is to see if a logic like CTT_{qe} can be used to develop a library of biform theories connected by meaning preserving theory morphisms. As part of a case study [26], we have formalized a graph of biform theories encoding natural number arithmetic in CTT_{uqe} [57], a variant of CTT_{qe} with undefinedness and theory morphisms. Our next step in this direction will be to formalize this same graph of biform theories in the HOL Light QE system we mentioned above.

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