# Derivation of an Abstract Machine for $\lambda$ -calculus with Delimited Continuation Constructs

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#### Abstract

The goal of our research is to give a verified virtual machine for the  $\lambda$ -calculus with delimited continuation constructs, shift and reset, and ultimately to give a formal foundation for the direct implementation of shift/reset in the machine language. Toward this goal, we derive an abstract machine and transition rules from the CPS interpreter defining shift/reset, using a series of transformations whose validity is proved. Following the "functional correspondence" approach advocated by Danvy, we first perform the CPS transformation and defunctionalization. Unlike the previous approach, however, we introduce two new transformations, stack introduction and environment storing, to turn the interpreter closer to the actual implementation. After stack introduction, the abstract machine stores the result of execution in a stack rather than holding it in machine instructions. After environment storing, the bindings of necessary variables after function calls are stored explicitly in a stack, mimicking the standard calling convention of the compiled programs. In this article, we show correctness proofs of the two transformations using the bisimulation method. Consequently, we succeeded in deriving an abstract machine that stores bindings in the stack from the original CPS interpreter using validated transformations only.

**keywords** delimited continuations, shift/reset, abstract machine, interpreter, program transformation, bisimulation

# 1 Introduction

A continuation represents the rest of an evaluation at a certain point. To capture or to copy a continuation corresponds to editing the control flow of a program. Unlike the global jump, however, control operators can be typed [3, 5] and are safer to use than unrestricted 'goto'. An example use of continuations is for exception handling. Using continuation-capturing operators, we can achieve the same process by discarding the current continuation.

To manipulate continuations in a program, several control operators have been proposed, such as call/cc [16], control/prompt [8], and shift/reset [5]. While call/cc captures whole the rest of the continuation, control/prompt and shift/reset capture the continuation whose scope is delimited by the user.

The implementation of control operators, however, is not easy. The direct implementation typically involves copying part of the stack to the heap and back. Such low-level operations are hard to implement and are error-prone. To remedy this problem, we use the "functional correspondence" approach in this article. Starting from the definitional CPS interpreter for shit/reset, we obtain the low-level implementation by successively applying transformations whose validity is formally verified. This gives us an abstract machine that is formally verified to behave the same as the definitional CPS interpreter [2].

In this article, we focus on the delimited continuation constructs, shift and reset, and show that we can obtain an abstract machine for  $\lambda$ -calculus with shift and reset. Along the development, we introduce two new transformations, stack introduction and environment storing, and prove their correctness. These two transformations are important in obtaining an abstract machine that is closer to the actual implementation. After stack introduction, the abstract machine stores the result of execution in a stack rather than holding it in machine instructions. After environment storing, the bindings of necessary variables after function calls are stored explicitly in a stack, mimicking the standard calling convention of the compiled programs. As a whole, we can obtain an abstract machine that stores bindings in the stack from the original CPS interpreter using validated transformations only.

The contributions of the paper are as follows:

- We introduce two transformations, stack introduction and environment storing, and prove their correctness.
- We connect using the "functional correspondence" approach the definitional CPS interpreter for  $\lambda$ -calculus with shift/reset and an abstract machine which saves bindings of variables in the stack.
- We present a formally verified abstract machine that properly models two low-level features: the calling convention of compiled programs and copying of the stack.

#### Related work

Danvy and his colleagues strongly push forward the "functional correspondence" approach to relate various interpreters and abstract/virtual machines. Ager, Biernacki, Danvy, and Midtgaard [2] show that the  $\lambda$ -calculus can be related to various abstract machines, such as the CEK, CLS, and SECD machines, via the CPS transformation and defunctionalization. Based on this idea, Danvy and Millikin [7] applied it to a calculus with Landin's J operator and relate it to the SECD machine. Along the development, they mention bisimulation between the defunctionalized CPS interpreter and the SECD machine. Following this approach, we applied the same technique to the  $\lambda$ -calculus with shift and reset, but proved formally the correctness of stack introduction and introduced a new transformation that stores an environment in the stack.

Biernacka, Biernacki, and Danvy [4] already applied the "functional derivation" approach to the  $\lambda$ -calculus with shift/reset. They applied the CPS transformation and defunctionalization to obtain an abstract machine similar to the SECD machine. This corresponds to the first two steps of our derivation. In the present work, we further transformed the interpreter to obtain an abstract machine that is closer to the actual implementation in the machine language.

Ager, Biernacki, Danvy, and Midtgaard [1] presented how to obtain a compiler and a virtual machine by dividing an abstract machine. Following this approach, Igarashi and Iwaki [9] derived a compiler and a virtual machine for the multi-level language  $\lambda^{\bigcirc}$ , which supports backquote and unquote. Although we do not derive a compiler in this article, we hope to apply this idea to validate

the direct low-level implementation of shift/reset, which our research group is currently working on [12].

## Overview

We first introduce the operators shift and reset (Section 2). They are implemented straightforwardly in the CPS interpreter based on their original definition (Section 3). Then, we transform this interpreter to obtain the lower-level implementation of shift/reset. CPS transformation (Section 4), defunctionalization (Section 5), continuation linearization (Section 6), stack introduction (Section 7), and environment storing (Section 8) are applied to the interpreter. The validity of stack introduction and environment storing is proved in Sections 7.2 and 8.2. Afterwords, we describe the feature of the obtained abstract machine (Section 9). We finally mention the conclusion and issues (Section 10).

# 2 Shift/reset

The shift operator abstracts the current continuation as a function. It is related to call/cc found in Scheme [16], but is different in that the reset operator delimits the scope of the abstracted continuation and the continuation is destroyed if it is not called later. In this article, the expression shift(...) means that the current continuation is abstracted as a function and passed to the function (...). For example, the expression 1 + shift(fun k -> 2 \* (k 3)) means that a continuation, which is a function that receives a value and adds 1 to it, is passed to k. Thus, we obtain 2 \* (1 + 3), or 8 as a result.

The reset operator delimits the scope of continuations abstracted by the shift operator. In this article, reset(...) means that continuations captured by the shift operator in (...) is limited up to this expression. For example, the expression 1 + reset(4 + shift(fun k -> 2 \* (k 3))) means that a continuation, which is a function that receives a value and adds 4 to it, is passed to k. We obtain 1 + (2 \* (4 + 3)), or 15 as a result. The first part of the expression, 1 +, is outside the range of continuations abstracted by the shift.

# **3** CPS interpreter

The language we consider in this article is the  $\lambda$ -calculus extended with shift and reset. Besides variables, abstraction, and application, we can express shift and reset.

$$t ::= x \mid \lambda x. t \mid t_0 t_1 \mid \texttt{shift}(t) \mid \texttt{reset}(t)$$

Values are either a closure [x, t, e], which is generated by abstraction, or a continuation [c], which is captured by the shift operator.

$$v \quad ::= \quad [x,t,e] \mid [c]$$

Now, we implement this language with a functional programming language, OCaml. Definitions of terms and values are as follows:

 1 (\* term \*)

 2 type t = Var of string
 (\* variable \*)

 3 | Fun of string \* t
 (\* abstraction \*)

```
(* id : v -> v *)
1
   let id x = x
2
3
   (* eval : t * e * c -> v *)
4
   let rec eval (t, e, c) = match t with
\mathbf{5}
       Var(x) \rightarrow c (get(x, e))
6
     | Fun(x, t) -> c (VFun(x, t, e))
7
8
       App(t0, t1) \rightarrow eval (t1, e, (fun v1
9
                       -> eval (t0, e, (fun v0
10
                          -> (match v0 with
                                VFun(x', t', e') -> eval(t', (x', v1) :: e', c)
11
                              VCont(c') -> c (c' v1) )))))
12
     | Shift(t) -> eval (t, e, (fun v
13
                     -> (match v with
14
                            VFun(x', t', e')
15
                              -> eval (t', (x', VCont(c)) :: e', id)
16
                          VCont(c') -> c' (VCont(c))) ))
17
     | Reset(t) -> c (eval (t, e, id))
18
19
   (* eval1 : t -> v *)
20
21
   let eval1 t = eval (t, [], id)
```

Figure 1: eval1: the initial CPS interpreter defining shift and reset

```
| App of t * t
                                      (* application *)
4
             Shift of t
\mathbf{5}
           (* shift *)
           | Reset of t
                                             (* reset *)
6
7
   (* value *)
   type v = VFun of string * t * e
                                           (* closure *)
8
           | VCont of c
                                     (* continuation *)
9
10
   (* environment *)
11
   and e = (string * v) list
   (* continuation *)
12
   and c = (v \rightarrow v)
13
```

Environments are implemented as lists of pairs of a variable x and a value v. The function get(x, e) returns the value of a variable x in an environment e. The evaluator eval1 that defines shift/reset is implemented as in Figure 1 [6].

This is the standard CPS interpreter for the  $\lambda$ -calculus extended with shift and reset. To execute Shift(t), the evaluator packages the current continuation as VCont(c) and passes it to the argument t (to be more precise, the closure resulting from executing t using eval). To execute Reset(t), the evaluator initializes or *resets* the current continuation to id, delimiting the scope of continuations abstracted by the shift operator. This is the straightforward implementation of shift/reset based on their original definition. Below, we apply a series of transformations whose validity is verified to this interpreter to obtain the lower-level implementation of shift/reset.

```
(* cid : v * d -> v *)
1
   (* did : v -> v *)
2
   let cid (v, d) = d v
3
   let did x = x
4
5
   (* eval : t * e * c * d -> v *)
6
   let rec eval (t, e, c, d) = match t with
7
8
       Var(x) \rightarrow c (get(x, e), d)
9
     | Fun(x, t) -> c (VFun(x, t, e), d)
     | App(t0, t1)
10
       -> eval (t1, e, (fun (v1, d1)
11
            -> eval (t0, e, (fun (v0, d0)
12
                -> (match v0 with
13
                      VFun(x', t', e') -> eval(t', (x', v1) :: e', c, d0)
14
                    | VCont(c') -> c' (v1, (fun v' -> c (v', d0))))), d1)), d)
15
     | Shift(t)
16
       -> eval (t, e, (fun (v, d')
17
18
            -> (match v with
                  VFun(x', t', e') -> eval (t', (x', VCont(c)) :: e', cid, d')
19
                | VCont(c') -> c' (VCont(c), d'))), d)
20
     | Reset(t) -> eval (t, e, cid, (fun v -> c (v, d)))
21
22
   (* eval2 : t -> v *)
23
24
   let eval2 t = eval (t, [], cid, did)
```

Figure 2: eval2: CPS transformation of eval1

# 4 CPS transformation

If every recursive call in the evaluator is a tail call, we can consider its arguments as a state and the evaluator as defining the transition rules between states. The evaluator eval1, however, has recursive calls which are not tail calls (lines 12 and 17 of eval1). Thus, we CPS-transform [14] eval1 to make it tail recursive. This transformation changes the definition of types as follows:

```
      1
      type v = (* no change *)
      (* value *)

      2
      and e = (* no change *)
      (* environment *)

      3
      and c = (v * d -> v)
      (* continuation *)

      4
      and d = (v -> v)
      (* metacontinuation *)
```

The resulting evaluator is shown in Figure 2. We call this evaluator eval2.

While the evaluator eval1 is mostly in CPS form having the continuation c, eval2 is CPStransformed one more time and has two continuations c and d. As a result of the double CPS transformations, a continuation is divided into two parts.

Validity of this transformation is derived directly from the validity of CPS transformation.

## Proposition 1 (Validity of CPS transformation).

For an arbitrary term t, eval1 and eval2 both fail to yield values or both yield values which are structurally equal. (The value which is given by CPS-transforming the result of evaluation in eval1 is equal to the result of evaluation in eval2.)

```
(* run_c : c * v * d \rightarrow v *)
1
2
   let rec run_c (c, v, d) = match c with
        CApp1(t', e', c') -> eval(t', e', CApp0(v, c'), d)
3
     | CAppO(v', c') \rightarrow (match v with
4
                                 VFun(x', t', e')
\mathbf{5}
                                 -> eval(t', (x', v') :: e', c', d)
6
                               | VCont(c'') -> run_c (c'', v', DRun(c', d)))
7
8
     | CShift(c') ->
                         (match v with
9
                               VFun(x', t', e')
                               -> eval(t', (x', VCont(c')) :: e', CReset, d)
10
                            VCont(c'') -> run_c (c'', VCont(c'), d))
11
12
     | CReset \rightarrow run_d (d, v)
   (* run_d : d * v \rightarrow v *)
13
   and run_d (d, v) = match d with
14
        DRun(c', d') -> run_c (c', v, d')
15
     | DReset -> v
16
```

Figure 3: run\_c and run\_d: the apply functions of eval3

```
(* cid : c *)
1
   (*
      did : d *)
2
3
   let cid = CReset
   let did = DReset
4
5
   (* eval : t * e * c * d -> v *)
6
   let rec eval (t, e, c, d) = match t with
7
       Var(x) \rightarrow run_c (c, get(x, e), d)
8
     | Fun(x, t) \rightarrow run_c (c, VFun(x, t, e), d)
9
     | App(t0, t1) -> eval (t1, e, CApp1(t0, e, c), d)
10
     | Shift(t) -> eval (t, e, CShift(c), d)
11
12
     | Reset(t) -> eval (t, e, cid, DRun(c, d))
13
   (* eval3 : t -> v *)
14
   let eval3 t = eval (t, [], cid, did)
15
```

Figure 4: eval3: defunctionalization of eval2

# 5 Defunctionalization

As a result of two CPS transformations, eval2 uses many higher-order functions. However, in the lower level implementation, which is our destination, such a high-level feature is not supported. We therefore defunctionalize [15] eval2 to remove higher-order functions. We call the new evaluator eval3.

For every higher-order function (a fun statement in OCaml) in eval2, defunctionalization (1) creates an object which holds necessary data to run the function, and (2) replaces the higher-order function with the created data. Then, we supply apply functions that perform the same operations

as the original higher-order function. In this article, we denote them run\_\*. For example, when a term Shift(t) is passed to eval2, the evaluator yields a fun statement of OCaml (lines 17 to 20 of eval2). In the body of this fun statement, c is a free variable. The variable c is needed to execute the function later. In eval2, the evaluator refers to the scope right out of the fun statement for the binding of c. On the other hand, the defunctionalized evaluator has to hold the information when it yields the corresponding object. Thus, the object corresponding to the fun statement in executing the term Shift(t) is defined to hold c as an argument. For other fun statements, free variables in the body are similarly held in the objects. Here is the changed definition of types:

```
type v = (* no change *)
                                (* value *)
1
   and e = (* no change *)
2
                                (*
                                   environment *)
3
   (* continuation *)
   and c = CApp1 of t * e * c
4
              (* the outer fun statement of App
                                                   *)
5
              (* lines 11-15 in Fig. 2
6
                                                   *)
                                                   *)
7
          CAppO of v * c
                                  (* lines 12-15
                                  (* lines 17-20
8
         CShift of
                      с
                                                   *)
         CReset
                        (* cid,
                                lines 19, 21, 24
                                                   *)
9
10
   and d =
           DRun of c * d
                                  (* line 17
                                                   *)
         | DReset
                                  (* did, line 24 *)
11
```

Next, we equip the evaluator with apply functions (Figure 3). Operations executed in the body of fun statements in eval2 are executed in these apply functions.

Not only replacing each fun statement with the corresponding object, but we call the apply functions when the continuation is applied in eval2. For example, when the term Var(x) is passed to the evaluator, the evaluator obtains the value of x from the environment and passes it to the continuation c (line 8 of eval2). Since c becomes a continuation object (rather than an applicable function) after defunctionalization, we call the apply function (run\_c) to execute the continuation as in run\_c (c, get(x, e), d). We similarly change the evaluator for other terms and for d, and obtain eval3 (Figure 4).<sup>1</sup>

By this transformation, continuations represented as **fun** statements are divided into continuation objects which hold data needed to execute the continuations and the apply functions for continuation objects. Since continuation objects indicate steps of evaluation, we can consider them like a list of code.

Validity of this transformation is derived directly from the validity of defunctionalization.

## Proposition 2 (Validity of Defunctionalization).

For an arbitrary term t, eval2 and eval3 both fail to yield values or both yield values which are structurally equal. (The value which is given by defunctionalizing the result of evaluation in eval2 is equal to the result of evaluation in eval3.)

# 6 Continuation Linearization

In the last section, we mentioned that continuation objects are like a list of code. However, continuation objects in eval3 are not represented as a list. Because each continuation object has at

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>To be more precise, the two apply functions in Figure 3 and eval in Figure 4 need to be declared as mutually recursive functions.

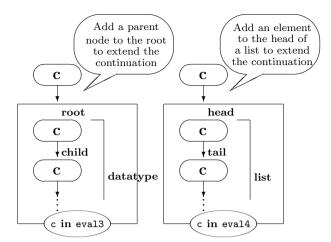


Figure 5: Continuations in eval3 and eval4

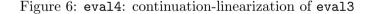
most one child, we can transform the evaluator to transfer c as a list (Figure 5). We call the new evaluator eval4. After this transformation, we can say the argument c is a code list.

In eval3, continuation objects CApp1, CApp0, and CShift hold data of type c as an argument. We therefore change these terms to have no data of type c. Instead, the argument c is replaced with a list of elements of type c. While the data of type c is held in a continuation object in eval3, a new continuation object is added to the head of the list in eval4. Then, data of type c to be held is transferred as the tail of the list. In the case of CReset which has no data of type c, an empty list is passed in place of the continuation object. We make a similar change in terms of d. Definition of types is modified as follows:

```
(* value *)
1
2
   type v = VFun of string * t * e
          | VCont of c list (* changed to c list
                                                    *)
3
   and e = (* no change *)
                                    (* environment *)
4
   (* continuation *)
5
6
   and c = CApp1 of t
                       *
                         е
                                       (* c removed *)
7
         CApp0 of
         CShift
8
9
                (* CReset removed. use [] instead *)
   and d = DRun of c list
10
                                       (* d removed *)
                (* DReset removed. use [] instead *)
11
```

The evaluator eval4 is implemented as in Figure 6. As noted above, the last two arguments of the evaluator are changed to c list and d list. In line 13, the evaluator passes an empty list (cid) in stead of CReset, and the current continuation is packaged as DRun(c), which is added to the head of the list. We can observe that the reset operator moves the current continuation from c to d and d is a list of lists of code. Usually, shift/reset is implemented as follows: The reset operator puts a mark on the continuation and the shift operator captures the current continuation into the metacontinuation (d) and the shift operator captures the active continuation which is not saved in d. These two styles of implementations are convertible with each other.

```
(* identity function *)
1
   (* cid : c list *)
\mathbf{2}
   (* did : d list *)
3
  let cid = []
4
   let did = []
5
6
   (* eval : t * e * c list * d list -> v *)
7
8
   let rec eval (t, e, c, d) = match t with
9
       Var(x) \rightarrow run_c (c, get(x, e), d)
     | Fun(x, t) -> run_c (c, VFun(x, t, e), d)
10
     | App(t0, t1) -> eval (t1, e, CApp1(t0, e) :: c, d)
11
12
     | Shift(t) -> eval (t, e, CShift :: c, d)
     | Reset(t) -> eval (t, e, cid, DRun(c) :: d)
13
14
   (* run_c : c list * v * d list -> v *)
15
   and run_c (c, v, d) = match c with
16
       CApp1(t', e') :: c' -> eval(t', e', CApp0(v) :: c', d)
17
     | CAppO(v') :: c' -> (match v with
18
19
                               VFun(x', t', e')
                                 -> eval(t', (x', v') :: e', c', d)
20
                             VCont(c'') -> run_c (c'', v', DRun(c') :: d))
21
     | CShift :: c' -> (match v with
22
                            VFun(x', t', e')
23
24
                              -> eval(t', (x', VCont(c')) :: e', cid, d)
                            VCont(c'') -> run_c (c'', VCont(c'), d))
25
     | [] -> run_d (d, v)
26
27
   (* run_d : d list * v -> v *)
28
29
   and run_d (d, v) = match d with
       DRun(c') :: d' -> run_c (c', v, d')
30
31
     | [] -> v
32
   (* eval4 : t -> v *)
33
  let eval4 t = eval (t, [], cid, did)
34
```



Validity of this transformation is easily seen from the homomorphism between c in eval3 and c list in eval4.

## Proposition 3 (Validity of continuation linearization).

For an arbitrary term t, eval3 and eval4 both fail to yield values or both yield values which are structurally equal. (The value which is given by linearizing the result of evaluation in eval3 is equal to the result of evaluation in eval4.)

```
(* cid : c list *)
1
   (* did : d list *)
2
3
  let cid = []
  let did = []
4
5
   (* eval : t * s * e * c * d -> v *)
6
   let rec eval (t, s, e, c, d) = match t with
7
8
       Var(x) -> run_c (c, get(x, e) :: s, d)
9
     | Fun(x, t) -> run_c (c, VFun(x, t, e) :: s, d)
     | App(t0, t1) -> eval (t1, s, e, CApp1(t0, e) :: c, d)
10
     | Shift(t) -> eval (t, s, e, CShift :: c, d)
11
12
     | Reset(t) \rightarrow eval (t, [], e, cid, DRun(c, s) :: d)
13
   (* run_c : c * s * d -> v *)
14
   and run_c (c, s, d) = match c with
15
       CApp1(t', e') :: c' -> eval(t', s, e', CApp0 :: c', d)
16
17
     | CApp0 :: c' ->
18
         (match s with
               VFun(x', t', e') :: v' :: s'
19
               -> eval(t', s', (x', v') :: e', c', d)
20
              VCont(c'', s'') :: v' :: s'
21
               -> run_c (c'', v' :: s'', DRun(c', s') :: d))
22
     | CShift :: c' ->
23
24
         (match s with
               VFun(x', t', e') :: s'
25
               -> eval(t', [], (x', VCont(c', s')) :: e', cid, d)
26
             VCont(c'', s'') :: s' -> run_c (c'', VCont(c', s') :: s'', d))
27
     | [] -> run_d (d, s)
28
29
   (* run_d : d * s -> v *)
30
   and run_d (d, s) = match (d, s) with
31
       (DRun(c', s') :: d', v :: _) -> run_c (c', v :: s', d')
32
33
     | ([], v :: _) -> v
34
35
   (* eval5 : t -> v *)
  let eval5 t = eval (t, [], [], cid, did)
36
```

Figure 7: eval5: Stack introduction of eval4

## 7 Stack introduction

#### 7.1 Transformation to store values in the stack

In eval4, values are held in continuation objects. For example, CAppO in eval4 has v as its argument. However, in machine languages, intermediate results are stored in a stack. To close this gap, we provide the evaluator with a stack as an argument and store values in the stack. We call the new evaluator eval5. In this article, the stack is implemented as a list of values. Since values that were held in continuation objects are now stored in the stack, c in eval4 is divided into the

continuation object and the stack. We need to carry not only c list but the stack whenever we use continuations. Accordingly, definition of types are changed as follows:

```
1
   (* value *)
   type v = VFun of string * t * e
\mathbf{2}
3
           | VCont of c list * s (* c list and s *)
      stack *)
4
   (*
   and s = v list
                                       (* list of v *)
5
   and e = (* no change *)
6
                                       environment *)
7
   (* continuation *)
   and c = CApp1 of t * e
8
                                        (* no value *)
9
          | CApp0
           CShift
10
          and d = DRun of c list * s
                                    (* c list and s *)
11
```

While eval4 transfers values using c as in CAppO(v), the new evaluator stores them in the stack. Therefore, a continuation object CAppO is modified to have no argument. The type of continuations is modified to c list \* s. (It was just c list in eval4.) Arguments of VCont and DRun are also modified.

Then, the specification of the new evaluator eval5 is in Figure 7. As noted above, the stack s is transferred as an argument of the evaluator and the apply functions. The evaluator stores a value at the top of the stack and passes the entire stack instead of passing only one value (lines 8 and 9 of eval5). On applying to continuations, the evaluator restores the stack besides the continuation object list.

## 7.2 Correctness of the transformation

Intuitive explanation of stack introduction and definition of the evaluator are given in Section 7.1. However, whether stack introduction is a valid transformation is not immediately clear. In fact, it is difficult to show simple equivalence between eval4 and eval5 because they use different types for values and continuations. In this section, we show the equivalence between eval4 and eval5 by a bisimulation method.

First, we introduce the notion of bisimulation.

## Definition 1 (bisimulation [13]).

Two states P and Q are bisimilar, written  $P \sim Q$ , if, for all  $\alpha$ ,

- Whenever  $P \xrightarrow{\alpha} P'$  then, for some  $Q', Q \xrightarrow{\alpha'} Q'$  and  $P' \sim Q'$
- Whenever  $Q \xrightarrow{\alpha'} Q'$  then, for some  $P', P \xrightarrow{\alpha} P'$  and  $P' \sim Q'$

A bisimulation is an equivalence relation between state transition systems.

A defunctionalized CPS interpreter implements an abstract machine [2, 4, 7]. We can consider arguments of eval, run\_c, and run\_d as well as the final result of run\_d as states. We write them  $\langle t, e, c, d \rangle$ ,  $\langle c, v, d \rangle$ ,  $\langle d, v \rangle$ , and  $\langle v \rangle$ , respectively. Then, eval4 is regarded as a state transition machine having the transition rules denoted in Figure 8. Similarly, we can consider eval5 as a state transition machine having transition rules shown in Figure 9.

Then, we show the equivalence between eval4 and eval5 by proving bisimulation between these state transition systems. Prior to the proof, we determine the relation between states in eval4 and

$t \Rightarrow$	$\langle t, [], [], [] \rangle$
$\langle \operatorname{Var}(x), e, c, d \rangle \Rightarrow$	$\langle c, get(x, e), d \rangle$
$\langle \operatorname{Fun}(x,t), e, c, d \rangle \Rightarrow$	$\langle c, \mathtt{VFun}(x,t,e), d \rangle$
$\langle \operatorname{App}(t0,t1), e, c, d \rangle \Rightarrow$	$\langle t1, e, \texttt{CApp1}(t0, e) :: c, d \rangle$
$\langle \texttt{Shift}(t), e, c, d \rangle \Rightarrow$	$\langle t, e, \texttt{CShift} :: c, d  angle$
$\langle \texttt{Reset}(t), e, c, d \rangle \Rightarrow$	$\langle t, e, [], \mathtt{DRun}(c) :: d  angle$
$\langle \texttt{CApp1}(t,e) :: c,v,d \rangle \Rightarrow$	$\langle t, e, \mathtt{CApp0}(v) :: c, d \rangle$
$\langle \texttt{CAppO}(v) :: c, \texttt{VFun}(x, t, e), d \rangle \Rightarrow$	$\langle t, (x, v) :: e, c, d \rangle$
$\left   \langle \texttt{CAppO}(v) :: c, \texttt{VCont}(c'), d \right\rangle \Rightarrow$	$\langle c', v, \mathtt{DRun}(c) :: d \rangle$
$\Big   \langle \texttt{CShift} :: c, \texttt{VFun}(x, t, e), d \rangle \Rightarrow$	$\langle t, (x, \mathtt{VCont}(c)) :: e, [], d \rangle$
$\big  \qquad \langle \texttt{CShift} :: c, \texttt{VCont}(c'), d \rangle \Rightarrow$	$\langle c', \texttt{VCont}(c), d  angle$
$\langle [], v, d \rangle \Rightarrow$	$\langle d, v \rangle$
$\langle \mathtt{DRun}(c') :: d, v \rangle \Rightarrow$	$\langle c', v, d \rangle$
$\langle [], v \rangle \Rightarrow$	$\langle v \rangle$

Figure 8: Transition rules derived from eval4

t =	$\Rightarrow \langle t, [], [], [], [] \rangle$
$\langle Var(x), s, e, c, d \rangle =$	$\Rightarrow \langle c, get(x, e) :: s, d \rangle$
$\langle \operatorname{Fun}(x,t), s, e, c, d \rangle =$	$\Rightarrow \ \langle c, \mathtt{VFun}(x, t, e) :: s, d \rangle$
$\langle \operatorname{App}(t0, t1), s, e, c, d \rangle =$	$\Rightarrow \langle t1, s, e, \texttt{CApp1}(t0, e) :: c, d \rangle$
$\langle \texttt{Shift}(t), s, e, c, d \rangle =$	$\Rightarrow \langle t, s, e, \texttt{CShift} :: c, d \rangle$
$\langle \texttt{Reset}(t), s, e, c, d \rangle$ =	$\Rightarrow \langle t, [], e, [], \mathtt{DRun}(c, s) :: d \rangle$
$\langle \texttt{CApp1}(t,e) :: c,s,d \rangle =$	$\Rightarrow \langle t, s, e, \texttt{CApp0} :: c, d \rangle$
$\langle \texttt{CApp0} :: c, \texttt{VFun}(x, t, e) :: v :: s, d \rangle =$	$\Rightarrow \langle t, s, (x, v) :: e, c, d \rangle$
$\langle \texttt{CApp0} :: c, \texttt{VCont}(c', s') :: v :: s, d \rangle =$	$\Rightarrow \langle c', v :: s', DRun(c, s) :: d \rangle$
$\left   \langle \texttt{CShift} :: c, \texttt{VFun}(x, t, e) :: s, d \rangle \right  =$	$\Rightarrow \langle t, [], (x, \texttt{VCont}(c, s)) :: e, [], d \rangle$
$\left   \langle \texttt{CShift} :: c, \texttt{VCont}(c', s') :: s, d \rangle \right  =$	$\Rightarrow \langle c', \texttt{VCont}(c, s) :: s', d \rangle$
$\langle [], s, d \rangle =$	$\Rightarrow \langle d, s \rangle$
$\langle DRun(c',s') :: d,v :: s \rangle =$	$\Rightarrow \langle c', v :: s', d \rangle$
$\langle [], v :: s \rangle =$	$\Rightarrow \langle v \rangle$

Figure 9: Transition rules derived from eval5

in eval5. Remember that a continuation object in eval4 is divided into a stack and a continuation object in eval5. With this observation, we define a relation  $\underline{s}_c \underline{s}_c \underline{s}_c$ . Intuitively,  $c_4 \underline{s}_c \underline{s} \otimes c_5$  means that  $c_4$  in eval4 is divided into  $\underline{s}$  and  $c_5$  in eval5 by stack introduction. The notation  $\underline{s}_c$  intends to be the correspondence between states in eval4 and in eval5. Besides  $\underline{s}_c$ , we need to define three more relations  $\underline{s}_e, \underline{s}_d, \underline{s}_v$ . They correspond to the relations of e, c, and d between eval4 and eval5, respectively.

Definition 2 (Relations  $\underline{s}_c, \underline{s}_e, \underline{s}_d, \underline{s}_v$ ).

Let  $e_4$ ,  $c_4$ ,  $d_4$ , and  $v_4$  be values of type e, c, d, and v in eval4 and  $s, e_5, c_5, d_5$ , and  $v_5$  be values of type s, e, c, d, and v in eval5. Then we define mutually recursive relations  $c_4 \triangleq_c s \otimes c_5$ ,  $e_4 \triangleq_e e_5$ ,  $d_4 \triangleq_d d_5$ , and  $v_4 \triangleq_v v_5$  as the least relations satisfying the following conditions:

$$\begin{array}{l} c_4 \triangleq_c s \otimes c_5 \\ \vdots \\ \bullet \ If \ c_4 = [], \ s = [] \ and \ c_5 = [], \ then \ c_4 \triangleq_c s \otimes c_5 \\ \bullet \ If \ c_4 \triangleq_c s \otimes c_5 \ and \ e_4 \triangleq_c \ e_5, \ then \ \mathsf{CApp1}_4(t, e_4) :: \ c_4 \triangleq_c s \otimes \mathsf{CApp1}_5(t, e_5) :: \ c_5 \\ \bullet \ If \ c_4 \triangleq_c s \otimes c_5 \ and \ v_4 \triangleq_c v_5, \ then \ \mathsf{CApp0}_4(v_4) :: \ c_4 \triangleq_c v_5 :: \ s \otimes \mathsf{CApp0}_5 :: \ c_5 \\ \bullet \ If \ c_4 \triangleq_c s \otimes c_5, \ then \ \mathsf{CShift}_4 :: \ c_4 \triangleq_c s \otimes \mathsf{CShift}_5 :: \ c_5 \\ \hline e_4 \triangleq_e \ e_5 \\ \bullet \ If \ e_4 \triangleq_e \ e_5 \ and \ v_4 \triangleq_v v_5, \ then \ (x, v_4) :: \ e_4 \triangleq_e (x, v_5) :: \ e_5 \\ \hline \hline d_4 \triangleq_d \ d_5 \\ \bullet \ If \ d_4 \triangleq_c \ s \otimes c_5, \ then \ \mathsf{DRun}_4(c_4) :: \ d_4 \triangleq_d \ \mathsf{DRun}_5(c_5, s) \\ \hline \hline v_4 \triangleq_v v_5 \\ \hline i \ If \ e_4 \triangleq_e \ e_5, \ then \ \mathsf{VFun}_4(x, t, \ e_4) \triangleq_v \ \mathsf{VFun}_5(x, t, \ e_5) \end{array}$$

• If  $c_4 \triangleq_c s \otimes c_5$ , then  $VCont_4(c_4) \triangleq_v VCont_5(c_5, s)$ 

Now, we define a relation between the states in eval4 and eval5, and prove that it is bisimilar.

## Definition 3 (Relation between evaluators before and after stack introduction). The relation $\sim_s$ is defined as the least relation satisfying one of the following conditions:

- If  $c_4 \triangleq_c s \otimes c_5$ ,  $e_4 \triangleq_e e_5$ ,  $d_4 \triangleq_d d_5$  and  $v_4 \triangleq_v v_5$ , then  $\langle t, e_4, c_4, d_4 \rangle \sim_s \langle t, s, e_5, c_5, d_5 \rangle$  for any t.
- If  $c_4 \triangleq_c s \otimes c_5$ ,  $d_4 \triangleq_d d_5$  and  $v_4 \triangleq_v v_5$ , then  $\langle c_4, v_4, d_4 \rangle \sim_s \langle c_5, v_5 :: s, d_5 \rangle$
- If  $d_4 \triangleq_d d_5$  and  $v_4 \triangleq_v v_5$ , then  $\langle d_4, v_4 \rangle \sim_s \langle d_5, v_5 :: s' \rangle$
- If  $v_4 \stackrel{s}{=}_v v_5$ , then  $\langle v_4 \rangle \sim_s \langle v_5 \rangle$

## Theorem 1 (Bisimulation of $\sim_s$ ).

The relation  $\sim_s$  is a bisimulation.

*Proof.* We write  $S_4$  and  $S_5$  for states of eval4 and eval5, respectively. Assume that  $P \in S_4$ ,  $Q \in S_5$  and  $P \sim_s Q$ . We prove that  $P \xrightarrow{\text{eval4}} P'$  implies  $Q \xrightarrow{\text{eval5}} Q'$  and  $P' \sim_s Q'$  for some Q', and that  $Q \xrightarrow{\text{eval5}} Q'$  implies  $P \xrightarrow{\text{eval4}} P'$  and  $P' \sim_s Q'$  for some P'. We investigate whether the statements are true in each of the transition rules. By assumption, we have  $c_4 \stackrel{s}{=}_c s \otimes c_5$ ,  $e_4 \stackrel{s}{=}_e e_5$ ,  $d_4 \stackrel{s}{=}_d d_5$ , and  $v_4 \stackrel{s}{=}_v v_5$ . Using these conditions, we can derive corresponding relations between arguments after transitions.

Details of the proof for each case is presented in Appendix.

Because evaluations in eval4 and eval5 are both deterministic, validity of the stack introduction is derived from the bisimulation relation between state transition systems.

## Theorem 2 (Validity of stack introduction).

For an arbitrary term t, eval4 and eval5 both fail to yield values or both yield values which are structurally equal. (Assume that  $v_4$  is the result of evaluation in eval4 and  $v_5$  is the result of evaluation in eval5. Then, we have  $v_4 \stackrel{s}{=}_v v_5$ .)

This is one of the important results of this research that the validity of stack introduction is shown formally. Although a stack is often used in the low-level description of a language, it is not entirely clear how it relates to high-level description of the language, such as an interpreter, especially in the presence of shift/reset. In fact, while we try to prove the correctness of the transformation, we found and corrected tiny faults in our low-level implementation. To rigorously derive low-level implementations that are equivalent to the high-level description, it is essential to establish the validity of the transformation.

## 8 Environment storing

#### 8.1 Transformation to save the environment in the stack

On function calls, the evaluator eval5 saves the current environment in the continuation object (line 10 in eval5). Remember that a continuation object list is like a code list. In a machine language, there is no operation that saves environments in the code. Thus, we transform the evaluator to save the environment in the stack, instead of the continuation object. We call the new evaluator eval6.

We modify CApp1 to have no environments. We package the environment as a value to be stored in the stack. Therefore, the definition of types is modified as follows:

```
(* value *)
1
\mathbf{2}
   type v = VFun of string
                                t
                                   *
                                    е
           | VCont of c list * s
3
           | VEnv of e
                           (* to store environment
                                                      *)
4
   and s = (* no change *)
                                            (* stack *)
5
   and e = (* no change *)
                                     (* environment *)
6
   (* continuation *)
7
   and c = CApp1 of t
                                  (* no environment *)
8
9
          | CApp0
          | CShift
10
   and d = (* no change *)
11
```

The specification of the evaluator eval6 is in Figure 10. When functions are called, the new evaluator packages the environment as the value VEnv(e), and stores it in the stack (line 10). This environment is loaded when executing CApp1 (lines 16-18). This models the behavior of saving and restoring values of variables.

After this transformation, continuation objects have no data except for the term t. It means that it is possible to yield code lists from terms only.

```
(* cid : c list *)
1
  (* did : d list *)
2
3
   let cid = []
4
   let did = []
5
   (* eval : t * s * e * c list * d list -> v *)
6
   let rec eval (t, s, e, c, d) = match t with
\overline{7}
       Var(x) -> run_c (c, get(x, e) :: s, d)
8
     | Fun(x, t) -> run_c (c, VFun(x, t, e) :: s, d)
9
     | App(t0, t1) -> eval (t1, VEnv(e) :: s, e, CApp1(t0) :: c, d)
10
     | Shift(t) \rightarrow eval (t, s, e, CShift :: c, d)
11
     | Reset(t) -> eval (t, [], e, CReset :: [], DRun(c, s) :: d)
12
13
14
   (* run_c : c list * s * d -> v *)
   and run_c (c, s, d) = match c with
15
       CApp1(t') :: c' ->
16
         (match s with
17
              v :: VEnv(e') :: s -> eval(t', v :: s, e', CAppO :: c', d))
18
     | CAppO :: c' ->
19
20
         (match s with
               VFun(x', t', e') :: v' :: s'
21
               -> eval(t', s', (x', v') :: e', c', d)
22
             VCont(c'', s'') :: v' :: s'
23
               -> run_c (c'', v' :: s'', DRun(c', s') :: d))
24
     | CShift :: c' ->
25
         (match s with
26
               VFun(x', t', e') :: s'
27
                 -> eval(t', [], (x', VCont(c', s')) :: e', CReset :: [], d)
28
             VCont(c'', s'') :: s' -> run_c (c'', VCont(c', s') :: s'', d))
29
30
     | [] -> run_d (d, s)
31
   (* run_d : d list * s -> v *)
32
   and run_d (d, s) = match (d, s) with
33
       (DRun(c', s') :: d', v :: _) -> run_c (c', v :: s', d')
34
35
     | ([], v :: _) -> v
36
   (* eval6 : t -> v *)
37
   let eval6 t = eval (t, [], [], cid, did)
38
```

Figure 10: eval6: an environment storing version of eval5

t =	$\Rightarrow \langle t, [], [], [], [] \rangle$
$\langle \texttt{Var}(x), s, e, c, d \rangle$ =	$\Rightarrow \langle c, get(x, e) :: s, d \rangle$
$\langle \operatorname{Fun}(x,t),s,e,c,d \rangle =$	$\Rightarrow \langle c, \mathtt{VFun}(x, t, e) :: s, d \rangle$
$\langle \texttt{App}(t0,t1), s, e, c, d \rangle =$	$\Rightarrow \langle t1, \texttt{VEnv}(e) :: s, e, \texttt{CApp1}(t0) :: c, d \rangle  $
$\langle \texttt{Shift}(t), s, e, c, d \rangle =$	$\Rightarrow \ \langle t, s, e, \texttt{CShift} :: c, d \rangle$
$\langle \texttt{Reset}(t), s, e, c, d  angle$	$\Rightarrow \langle t, [], e, [], \mathtt{DRun}(c, s) :: d \rangle$
$\left[ \begin{array}{c} \langle \texttt{CApp1}(t) :: c, v :: \texttt{VEnv}(e) :: s, d \rangle \right] = \\ \end{array} \right]$	$\Rightarrow \ \langle t, v :: s, e, \texttt{CApp0} :: c, d \rangle$
$\left  \left< \texttt{CApp0} :: c, \texttt{VFun}(x, t, e) :: v :: s, d \right> \right  =$	$\Rightarrow \langle t, s, (x, v) :: e, c, d \rangle$
$\langle \texttt{CApp0} :: c, \texttt{VCont}(c', s') :: v :: s, d \rangle =$	$\Rightarrow \langle c', v :: s', DRun(c, s) :: d \rangle$
$\langle \texttt{CShift} :: c, \texttt{VFun}(x, t, e) :: s, d \rangle =$	$\Rightarrow \langle t, [], (x, \texttt{VCont}(c, s)) :: e, [], d \rangle$
$\langle \texttt{CShift} :: c, \texttt{VCont}(c', s') :: s, d \rangle =$	$\Rightarrow \langle c', \texttt{VCont}(c, s) :: s', d \rangle$
$\langle [], s, d \rangle =$	$\Rightarrow \langle d, s \rangle$
$\langle \mathtt{DRun}(c',s')::d,v::s \rangle =$	$\Rightarrow \langle c', v :: s', d \rangle$
$\langle [], v :: s \rangle =$	$\Rightarrow \langle v \rangle$

Figure 11: Transition rules derived from eval6

## 8.2 Correctness of the transformation

As in Section 7.2, we consider eval6 as a state transition machine, whose transition rules are in Figure 11.

As in Section 7.2, we define the relation between  $s_5$ ,  $c_5$  in eval5 and  $s_6$ ,  $c_6$  in eval6. Intuitively,  $s_5 \otimes c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c s_6 \odot c_6$  means that the environments stored in  $c_5$  in eval5 are stored in  $s_6$  in eval6. We also define the relations  $\stackrel{e}{=}_e$ ,  $\stackrel{e}{=}_d$ , and  $\stackrel{e}{=}_v$ .

## Definition 4 (Relations $\stackrel{e}{=}_{c}, \stackrel{e}{=}_{e}, \stackrel{e}{=}_{d}, \stackrel{e}{=}_{v}$ ).

Let  $s_5$ ,  $e_5$ ,  $c_5$ ,  $d_5$ , and  $v_5$  be values of type s, e, c, d, and v of eval5 and  $s_6$ ,  $e_6$ ,  $c_6$ ,  $d_6$ , and  $v_6$  be values of type s, e, c, d, and v of eval6. Then we define mutually recursive relations  $s_5 \otimes c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c s_6 \odot c_6$ ,  $e_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_e e_6$ ,  $d_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_d d_6$ , and  $v_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_v v_6$  as the least relations satisfying the following conditions:

 $s_5 \otimes c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c s_6 \odot c_6$  :

- If  $c_5 = []$ ,  $s_5 = []$ ,  $c_6 = []$ , and  $s_6 = []$ , then  $s_5 \otimes c_5 \stackrel{e}{=} s_6 \odot c_6$
- If  $s_5 \otimes c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c s_6 \odot c_6$  and  $e_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_e e_6$ , then  $s_5 \otimes \texttt{CApp1}_5(t, e_5) :: c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c \texttt{VEnv}(e_6) :: s_6 \odot \texttt{CApp1}_6(t) :: c_6 \otimes \texttt{CA$
- If  $s_5 \otimes c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c s_6 \odot c_6$  and  $v_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_v v_6$ , then  $v_5 :: s_5 \otimes \text{CAppO}_5 :: c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c v_6 :: s_6 \odot \text{CAppO}_6 :: c_6 \xrightarrow{e}_c v_6 :: s_6 \odot \text{CAppO}_6 ::$
- If  $s_5 \otimes c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c s_6 \odot c_6$ , then  $s_5 \otimes \texttt{CShift}_5 :: c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c s_6 \odot \texttt{CShift}_6 :: c_6$

 $e_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_e e_6$  :

- If  $e_5 = []$  and  $e_6 = []$ , then  $e_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_e e_6$
- If  $e_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_e e_6$  and  $v_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_v v_6$ , then  $(x, v_5) :: e_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_e (x, v_6) :: e_6$

$$d_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_d d_6$$

• If  $d_5 = []$  and  $d_6 = []$ , then  $d_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_d d_6$ 

• If  $d_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_d d_6$  and  $s_5 \otimes c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c s_6 \odot c_6$ , then  $\mathsf{DRun}_5(c_5, s_5) :: d_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_d \mathsf{DRun}_6(c_6, s_6) :: d_6$ 

 $v_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_v v_6$  :

- If  $e_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_e e_6$ , then  $VFun_5(x, t, e_5) \stackrel{e}{=}_v VFun_6(x, t, e_6)$
- If  $s_5 \otimes c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c s_6 \odot c_6$ , then  $\operatorname{VCont}_5(c_5, s_5) \stackrel{e}{=}_v \operatorname{VCont}_6(c_6, s_6)$

Now, we define a relation between the states in eval5 and eval6, and prove that it is bisimilar.

**Definition 5 (Relation between evaluators before and after environment storing).** The relation  $\sim_e$  is defined as the least relation satisfying one of the following conditions:

- If  $s_5 \otimes c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c s_6 \odot c_6$ ,  $e_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_e e_6$ ,  $d_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_d d_6$  and  $v_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_v v_6$ , then  $\langle t, s_5, e_5, c_5, d_5 \rangle \sim_e \langle t, s_6, e_6, c_6, d_6 \rangle$  for any t.
- If  $s_5 \otimes c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c s_6 \odot c_6$ ,  $d_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_d d_6$  and  $v_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_v v_6$ , then  $\langle c_5, v_5 :: s_5, d_5 \rangle \sim_e \langle c_6, v_6 :: s_6, d_6 \rangle$
- If  $d_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_d d_6$  and  $v_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_v v_6$ , then  $\langle d_5, v_5 :: s_5 \rangle \sim_e \langle d_6, v_6 :: s_6 \rangle$
- If  $v_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_v v_6$ , then  $\langle v_5 \rangle \sim_e \langle v_6 \rangle$

Then,  $\sim_e$  is a bisimulation.

## Theorem 3 (Bisimulation of $\sim_e$ ).

The relation  $\sim_e$  is a bisimulation.

*Proof.* The proof is similar to the one for Theorem 1. Details are presented in [10].  $\Box$ 

Because evaluations in eval5 and eval6 are both deterministic, validity of the stack introduction is derived from the bisimulation relation between state transition systems.

#### Theorem 4 (Validity of environment storing).

For an arbitrary term t, eval5 and eval6 both fail to yield values or both yield values which are structurally equal. (Assume that  $v_5$  is the result of evaluation in eval5 and  $v_6$  is the result of evaluation in eval6. Then, we have  $v_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_v v_6$ .)

# 9 Abstract Machine

As a result of transformations above, we obtained the abstract machine whose transition rules are in Figure 11. This abstract machine is similar to Landin's SECD machine [11]. However, our abstract machine differs from the SECD machine in two points. That is:

- environments are saved in the stack, and
- shift/reset is supported (instead of J operator)

The former models the calling convention typically found in an implementation in a machine language. This shows that the "functional correspondence" approach scales to derive lower-level implementations than previously known.

In terms of the latter, our abstract machine can be regarded as modeling the implementation of shift/reset in a machine language. Observe that s@d corresponds to a stack in the implementation of a machine language. Then, @ becomes the position of the reset mark and the shift operator captures the continuation up to the reset mark. When CShift is executed in our abstract machine, the current stack and code are captured in VCont. This corresponds exactly to the creation of a continuation closure which contains a pointer to the copied stack and a code pointer representing the continuation in the low-level implementation [12]. Since the abstract machine is derived using validated transformations only, it effectively shows the correctness of the low-level implementation of shift/reset.

# 10 Conclusion and Issues

In this paper, we have derived through a series of transformations an abstract machine for the  $\lambda$ -calculus with shift/reset that saves the bindings of variables in the stack. The used transformations are CPS transformation, defunctionalization, continuation linearization, stack introduction, and environment storing. Among them, we have formally shown the correctness of the last two transformations. Although the obtained abstract machine is similar to Landin's SECD machine, there exists an important difference: our abstract machine saves environments in the stack, properly modeling the standard calling convention of function calls. Moreover, the abstract machine models the direct implementation of shift/reset that copies a part of the stack, opening a door for formally validating the low-level implementation of shift/reset.

In the future, we plan to divide the abstract machine into a compiler and a virtual machine, following the method shown by Ager, Biernacki, Danvy, and Midtgaard [1]. Preliminary investigation shows that we can obtain the virtual machine without problems by currying eval6 so that it receives a term first (corresponding to a compiler) and then the rest of the arguments (corresponding to a virtual machine). Ultimately, we hope to extend the functional correspondence approach to cover the low-level implementations and establish the correctness of the direct implementation of shift/reset written in the assembly language [12].

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# A Proof of Theorem 1

Here we present details of the proof omitted in the body of this article.

## Theorem 4 (Bisimulation of $\sim_s$ )

The relation  $\sim_s$  is a bisimulation.

*Proof.* We write  $S_4$  and  $S_5$  as states of eval4 and eval5, respectively. Assume that  $P \in S_4$ ,  $Q \in S_5$  and  $P \sim_s Q$ . We prove that  $P \xrightarrow{\text{eval4}} P'$  implies  $Q \xrightarrow{\text{eval5}} Q'$  and  $P' \sim_s Q'$  for some Q', and that  $Q \xrightarrow{\text{eval5}} Q'$  implies  $P \xrightarrow{\text{eval4}} P'$  and  $P' \sim_s Q'$  for some P'.

First, we prove the former. By the assumption, we have  $c_4 \triangleq_c s \otimes c_5$ ,  $e_4 \triangleq_e e_5$ ,  $d_4 \triangleq_d d_5$ , and  $v_4 \triangleq_v v_5$ .

**Case**  $P: \langle \operatorname{Var}(x), e_4, c_4, d_4 \rangle \xrightarrow{\operatorname{eval}_4} P': \langle c_4, get(x, e_4), d_4 \rangle:$ In this case  $Q: \langle \operatorname{Var}(x), s, e_5, c_5, d_5 \rangle \xrightarrow{\operatorname{eval5}} Q': \langle c_5, get(x, e_5) :: s, d_5 \rangle,$ and we have  $c_4 \triangleq_c s \otimes c_5, e_4 \triangleq_e e_5, \text{ and } d_4 \triangleq_d d_5$ Because  $e_4 \triangleq_e e_5$ , we have  $get(x, e_4) \triangleq_v get(x, e_5)$ So, P' and Q' satisfies the second clause of Definition 3, that is,  $P' \sim_s Q'$ . **Case**  $P : \langle \operatorname{Fun}(x,t), e_4, c_4, d_4 \rangle \xrightarrow{\operatorname{eval}} P' : \langle c_4, \operatorname{VFun}_4(x,t,e_4), d_4 \rangle$ : We can prove that  $P \xrightarrow{\text{eval}4} P'$  implies  $Q \xrightarrow{\text{eval}5} Q'$  and  $P' \sim_s Q'$  for some Q', similarly to the case above. **Case**  $P: \langle \operatorname{App}(t0, t1), e_4, c_4, d_4 \rangle \xrightarrow{\operatorname{eval}4} P': \langle t1, e_4, \operatorname{CApp}_4(t0, e_4) :: c_4, d_4 \rangle:$ In this case,  $Q: \langle \mathsf{App}(t0, t1), s, e_5, c_5, d_5 \rangle \xrightarrow{\mathrm{eval}_5} Q': \langle t1, s, e_5, \mathsf{CApp}_5(t0, e_5) :: c_5, d_5 \rangle$ and we have  $c_4 \triangleq_c s \otimes c_5, e_4 \triangleq_e e_5, \text{ and } d_4 \triangleq_d d_5$ Because  $c_4 \triangleq_c s \otimes c_5$  and  $e_4 \triangleq_e e_5$ , we have  $\operatorname{CApp}_4(t1, e_4) :: c_4 \triangleq_c s \otimes \operatorname{CApp}_5(t1, e_5) :: c_5$ So, P' and Q' satisfies the first clause of Definition 3, that is,  $P' \sim_s Q'$ . **Case**  $P: \langle \text{Shift}(t), e_4, c_4, d_4 \rangle \xrightarrow{\text{eval}4} P': \langle t, e_4, \text{CShift}_4 :: c_4, d_4 \rangle:$ We can prove that  $P \xrightarrow{\text{eval}4} P'$  implies  $Q \xrightarrow{\text{eval}5} Q'$  and  $P' \sim_s Q'$  for some Q', similarly to the case above. **Case**  $P : \langle \texttt{Reset}(t), e_4, c_4, d_4 \rangle \xrightarrow{\text{eval}_4} P' : \langle t, e_4, [], \texttt{DRun}_4(c_4) :: d_4 \rangle$ : In this case,  $Q: \langle \texttt{Reset}(t), s, e_5, c_5, d_5 \rangle \xrightarrow{\text{eval}_5} Q': \langle t, [], e_5, [], \texttt{DRun}_5(c_5, s) :: d_5 \rangle,$ and we have  $c_4 \stackrel{\underline{s}}{=}_c s \otimes c_5, e_4 \stackrel{\underline{s}}{=}_e e_5, \text{ and } d_4 \stackrel{\underline{s}}{=}_d d_5$ We have  $[] \triangleq_c [] \otimes []$  due to Definition 2. Because  $c_4 \triangleq_c s \otimes c_5$ , we have  $\mathsf{DRun}_4(c_4) :: d_4 \triangleq_d \mathsf{DRun}_5(c_5, s) :: d_5$ So, P' and Q' satisfies the first clause of Definition 3, that is,  $P' \sim_s Q'$ . **Case**  $P : \langle \texttt{CApp1}_4(t, e_4) :: c_4, v_4, d_4 \rangle \xrightarrow{\text{eval}4} P' : \langle t, e_4, \texttt{CApp0}_4(v_4) :: c_4, d_4 \rangle$ : In this case,  $Q: \langle \texttt{CApp1}_5(t, e_5) :: c_5, v_5 :: s, d_5 \rangle \xrightarrow{\text{eval5}} Q': \langle t, v_5 :: s, e_5, \texttt{CApp0}_5 :: c_5, d_5 \rangle,$ and we have  $\mathsf{CApp1}_4(t, e_4) :: c_4 \triangleq_c s \otimes \mathsf{CApp1}_5(t, e_5) :: c_5, d_4 \triangleq_d d_5, \text{ and } v_4 \triangleq_v v_5$ Because  $CApp1_4(t, e_4) :: c_4 \triangleq_c s \otimes CApp1_5(t, e_5) :: c_5$ , we have

 $c_4 \triangleq_c s \otimes c_5$ Then,  $CAppO_4(v_4) :: c_4 \triangleq_c v_5 :: s \otimes CAppO_5 :: c_5.$ So, P' and Q' satisfies the first clause of Definition 3, that is,  $P' \sim_s Q'$ . **Case**  $P: \langle \mathsf{CAppO}_4(v_4) :: c_4, \mathsf{VFun}_4(x, t, e_4), d_4 \rangle \xrightarrow{\operatorname{eval}} P': \langle t, (x, v_4) :: e_4, c_4, d_4 \rangle:$ In this case,  $Q: \langle \mathsf{CAppO}_5 :: c_5, \mathsf{VFun}_5(x, t, e_5) :: v_5 :: s, d_5 \rangle \xrightarrow{\text{eval}_5} Q' : \langle t, s, (x, v_5) :: e_5, c_5, d_5 \rangle,$ and we have  $\mathsf{CApp0}_4(v_4) :: c_4 \triangleq_c v_5 :: s \otimes \mathsf{CApp0}_5 :: c_5, e_4 \triangleq_e e_5, \text{ and } d_4 \triangleq_d d_5$ Because  $CAppO_4(v_4) :: c_4 \triangleq_c v_5 :: s \otimes CAppO_5 :: c_5$ , we have  $c_4 \triangleq_c s \otimes c_5 \text{ and } v_4 \triangleq_v v_5$ We also have  $(x, v_4) :: e_4 \triangleq_e (x, v_5) :: e_5$  due to  $v_4 \triangleq_v v_5$  and  $e_4 \triangleq_e e_5$ . So, P' and Q' satisfies the first clause of Definition 3, that is,  $P' \sim_s Q'$ . **Case**  $P : \langle \mathsf{CAppO}_4(v_4) :: c_4, \mathsf{VCont}_4(c'_4), d_4 \rangle \xrightarrow{\operatorname{eval}} P' : \langle c'_4, v_4, \mathsf{DRun}_4(c_4) :: d_4 \rangle$ : In this case,  $Q: \langle \texttt{CApp0}_5 :: c_5, \texttt{VCont}_5(c'_5, s') :: v_5 :: s, d_5 \rangle \xrightarrow{\texttt{eval5}} Q': \langle c'_5, v_5 :: s', \texttt{DRun}_5(c_5, s) :: d_5 \rangle,$ and we have  $\mathsf{CAppO}_4(v_4) :: c_4 \triangleq_c v_5 :: s \otimes \mathsf{CAppO}_5 :: c_5, d_4 \triangleq_d d_5, \text{ and } v_4 \triangleq_v v_5$ Because  $CAppO_4(v_4) :: c_4 \triangleq_c v_5 :: s \otimes CAppO_5 :: c_5$ , we have  $c_4 \stackrel{s}{=}_c s \otimes c_5$  and  $v_4 \stackrel{s}{=}_v v_5$ Then,  $\mathsf{DRun}_4(c_4) :: d_4 \triangleq_d \mathsf{DRun}_5(c_5, s) :: d_5$ So, P' and Q' satisfies the second clause of Definition 3, that is,  $P' \sim_s Q'$ . **Case**  $P : \langle \texttt{CShift}_4 :: c_4, \texttt{VFun}_4(x, t, e_4), d_4 \rangle \xrightarrow{\text{eval}_4} P' : \langle t, (x, \texttt{VCont}_4(c_4)) :: e_4, [], d_4 \rangle$ : In this case,  $Q: \langle \texttt{CShift}_5 :: c_5, \texttt{VFun}_5(x, t, e_5) :: s, d_5 \rangle \xrightarrow{\texttt{eval}_5} Q': \langle t, [], (x, \texttt{VCont}_5(c_5, s)) :: e_5, [], d_5 \rangle,$ and we have  $\texttt{CShift}_4 :: c_4 \triangleq_c s \otimes \texttt{CShift}_5 :: c_5, d_4 \triangleq_d d_5, \text{ and } \texttt{VFun}_4(x, t, e_4) \triangleq_v \texttt{VFun}_5(x, t, e_5)$ We have  $[] \triangleq_c [] \otimes []$  due to Definition 2. Because  $\texttt{CShift}_4 :: c_4 \triangleq_c s \otimes \texttt{CShift}_5 :: c_5$ , we have  $c_4 \stackrel{s}{=}_c s \otimes c_5$ We also have  $e_4 \triangleq_e e_5$  because  $VFun_4(x, t, e_4) \triangleq_v VFun_5(x, t, e_5)$ . Then,  $(x, \texttt{VCont}_4(c_4)) :: e_4 \triangleq_e (x, \texttt{VCont}_5(c_5, s)) :: e_5$ So, P' and Q' satisfies the first clause of Definition 3, that is,  $P' \sim_s Q'$ . **Case**  $P : \langle \texttt{CShift}_4 :: c_4, \texttt{VCont}_4(c'_4), d_4 \rangle \xrightarrow{\text{eval}4} P' : \langle c'_4, \texttt{VCont}_4(c_4), d_4 \rangle$ : In this case,  $Q: \langle \texttt{CShift}_5 :: c_5, \texttt{VCont}_5(c'_5, s') :: s, d_5 \rangle \xrightarrow{\texttt{eval5}} Q': \langle c'_5, \texttt{VCont}_5(c_5, s) :: s', d_5 \rangle,$ and we have  $\texttt{CShift}_4 :: c_4 \triangleq_c s \otimes \texttt{CShift}_5 :: c_5, d_4 \triangleq_d d_5, \text{ and } \texttt{VCont}_4(c'_4) \triangleq_v \texttt{VCont}_5(c'_5, s')$ Because  $\texttt{CShift}_4 :: c_4 \triangleq_c s \otimes \texttt{CShift}_5 :: c_5$ , we have  $c_4 \triangleq_c s \otimes c_5$ Then,

 $VCont_4(c_4) \triangleq_v VCont_5(c_5, s)$ We also have  $c'_4 \triangleq_c s' \otimes c'_5$  because  $\operatorname{VCont}_4(c'_4) \triangleq_v \operatorname{VCont}_5(c'_5, s')$ . So, P' and Q' satisfies the second clause of Definition 3, that is,  $P' \sim_s Q'$ . **Case**  $P: \langle [], v_4, d_4 \rangle \xrightarrow{\text{eval}4} P': \langle d_4, v_4 \rangle:$ In this case,  $Q: \langle [], v_5 :: s, d_5 \rangle \xrightarrow{\text{eval}_5} Q': \langle d_5, v_5 :: s \rangle,$ and we have  $d_4 \triangleq_d d_5$ , and  $v_4 \triangleq_v v_5$ P' and Q' satisfies the third clause of Definition 3, that is,  $P' \sim_s Q'$ . **Case**  $P : \langle \mathsf{DRun}_4(c'_4) :: d_4, v_4 \rangle \xrightarrow{\text{eval}_4} P' : \langle c'_4, v_4, d_4 \rangle$ : In this case,  $Q: \langle \mathsf{DRun}_5(c'_5, s') :: d_5, v_5 :: s \rangle \xrightarrow{\text{eval}_5} Q': \langle c'_5, v_5 :: s', d_5 \rangle,$ and we have  $\operatorname{DRun}_4(c'_4) :: d_4 \stackrel{s}{=}_d \operatorname{DRun}_5(c'_5, s') :: d_5, \text{ and } v_4 \stackrel{s}{=}_v v_5$ Because  $\mathsf{DRun}_4(c'_4) :: d_4 \stackrel{s}{=}_d \mathsf{DRun}_5(c'_5, s') :: d_5$ , we have  $c'_4 \triangleq_c s' \otimes c'_5$  and  $d_4 \triangleq_d d_5$ So, P' and Q' satisfies the second clause of Definition 3, that is,  $P' \sim_s Q'$ . **Case**  $P: \langle [], v_4 \rangle \xrightarrow{\text{eval}4} P': \langle v_4 \rangle$ : In this case,  $Q: \langle [], v_5 ::: s \rangle \xrightarrow{\text{eval}_5} Q' : \langle v_5 \rangle$ and we have  $v_4 \triangleq v_5$ 

P' and Q' satisfies the fourth of Definition 3, that is,  $P' \sim_s Q'$ .

Therefore, the former,  $P \xrightarrow{\text{eval4}} P'$  implies  $Q \xrightarrow{\text{eval5}} Q'$  and  $P' \sim_s Q'$  for some Q', is proved. In terms of the latter, we can prove it in a similar way. Thus,  $\sim_s$  is a bisimulation.

# B Proof of Theorem 3

We can prove Theorem 3 in a similar way to Theorem 1.

## Theorem 5 (Bisimulation of $\sim_e$ )

The relation  $\sim_e$  is a bisimulation.

*Proof.* We write  $S_5$  and  $S_6$  as states of eval5 and eval6, respectively. Assume that  $P \in S_5$ ,  $Q \in S_6$  and  $P \sim_e Q$ . We prove that  $P \xrightarrow{\text{eval5}} P'$  implies  $Q \xrightarrow{\text{eval6}} Q'$  and  $P' \sim_e Q'$  for some Q', and that  $Q \xrightarrow{\text{eval6}} Q'$  implies  $P \xrightarrow{\text{eval5}} P'$  and  $P' \sim_e Q'$  for some P'.

First, we prove the former. By the assumption, we have  $s_5 \otimes c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c s_6 \odot c_6$ ,  $e_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_e e_6$ ,  $d_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_d d_6$ , and  $v_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_v v_6$ .

 $\begin{array}{l} \textbf{Case} \ P: \langle \texttt{Var}(x), s_5, e_5, c_5, d_5 \rangle \xrightarrow{\text{eval}5} P': \langle c_5, get(x, e_5), d_5 \rangle \\ \text{In this case} \\ Q: \langle \texttt{Var}(x), s_6, e_6, c_6, d_6 \rangle \xrightarrow{\text{eval}6} Q': \langle c_6, get(x, e_6) :: s_6, d_6 \rangle, \\ \text{and we have} \end{array}$ 

 $s_5 \otimes c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c s_6 \odot c_6, e_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_e e_6, \text{ and } d_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_d d_6$ Because  $e_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_e e_6$ , we have  $get(x, e_5) \stackrel{e}{=}_v get(x, e_6)$ So, P' and Q' satisfies the second clause of Definition 5, that is,  $P' \sim_e Q'$ .  $\begin{array}{l} \textbf{Case} \ P: \langle \texttt{Fun}(x,t), s_5, e_5, c_5, d_5 \rangle \xrightarrow[\text{eval}5]{} P': \langle c_5, \texttt{VFun}_5(x,t,e_5), d_5 \rangle: \\ \text{We can prove that} \ P \xrightarrow[\text{eval}5]{} P' \text{ implies } Q \xrightarrow[\text{eval}6]{} Q' \text{ and } P' \sim_e Q' \text{ for some } Q', \text{ similarly to the } P' \\ \end{array}$ case above. **Case**  $P : \langle App(t0, t1), s_5, e_5, c_5, d_5 \rangle \xrightarrow{\text{eval5}} P' : \langle t1, s_5, e_5, CApp_5(t0, e_5) :: c_5, d_5 \rangle$ : In this case,  $Q: \langle \texttt{App}(t0, t1), s_6, e_6, c_6, d_6 \rangle \xrightarrow{\text{eval}_6} Q': \langle t1, \texttt{VEnv}(e_6) :: s_6, e_6, \texttt{CApp}_6(t0) :: c_6, d_6 \rangle$ and we have  $s_5 \otimes c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c s_6 \odot c_6, e_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_e e_6, \text{ and } d_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_d d_6$ Because  $s_5 \otimes c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c s_6 \odot c_6$  and  $e_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_e e_6$ , we have  $s_5 \otimes \mathtt{CApp}_5(t1, e_5) :: c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c \mathtt{VEnv}(e_6) :: s_6 \odot \mathtt{CApp}_6(t1) :: c_6$ So, P' and Q' satisfies the first clause of Definition 5, that is,  $P' \sim_e Q'$ .  $\mathbf{Case} \ P: \langle \mathtt{Shift}(t), s_5, e_5, c_5, d_5 \rangle \xrightarrow{\mathrm{eval} 5} P': \langle t, s_5, e_5, \mathtt{CShift}_5 :: c_5, d_5 \rangle:$ We can prove that  $P \xrightarrow{\text{eval5}} P'$  implies  $Q \xrightarrow{\text{eval6}} Q'$  and  $P' \sim_e Q'$  for some Q', similarly to the case above. **Case**  $P: \langle \texttt{Reset}(t), s_5, e_5, c_5, d_5 \rangle \xrightarrow{\text{eval}_5} P': \langle t, [], e_5, [], \texttt{DRun}_5(c_5, s_5) :: d_5 \rangle$ : In this case,  $Q: \langle \texttt{Reset}(t), s_6, e_6, c_6, d_6 \rangle \xrightarrow{\text{eval}_6} Q': \langle t, [], e_6, [], \texttt{DRun}_6(c_6, s_6) :: d_6 \rangle,$ and we have  $s_5 \otimes c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c s_6 \odot c_6, e_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_e e_6$ , and  $d_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_d d_6$ We have  $[] \otimes [] \stackrel{e}{=}_{c} [] \odot []$  due to Definition 2. Because  $s_5 \otimes c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c s_6 \odot c_6$ , we have  $DRun_5(c_5, s_5) :: d_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_d DRun_6(c_6, s_6) :: d_6$ So, P' and Q' satisfies the first clause of Definition 5, that is,  $P' \sim_e Q'$ . **Case**  $P: \langle \mathsf{CApp1}_5(t, e_5) :: c_5, v_5 :: s_5, d_5 \rangle \xrightarrow{\mathrm{eval}_5} P': \langle t, v_5 :: s_5, e_5, \mathsf{CApp0}_5 :: c_5, d_5 \rangle$ : In this case,  $Q: \langle \texttt{CApp1}_6(t) :: c_6, v_6 :: \texttt{VEnv}(e_6) :: s_6, d_6 \rangle \xrightarrow{\texttt{eval}_6} Q': \langle t, v_6 :: s_6, e_6, \texttt{CApp0}_6 :: c_6, d_6 \rangle,$ and we have  $s_5 \otimes \operatorname{CApp1}_5(t, e_5) :: c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c \operatorname{VEnv}(e_6) :: s_6 \odot \operatorname{CApp1}_6(t) :: c_6, \text{ and } d_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_d d_6$ Because  $s_5 \otimes \text{CApp1}_5(t, e_5) :: c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c \text{VEnv}(e_6) :: s_6 \odot \text{CApp1}_6(t, e_6) :: c_6$ , we have  $s_5 \otimes c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c s_6 \odot c_6$ Then,  $v_5 :: s_5 \otimes \mathsf{CAppO}_5 :: c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c v_6 :: s_6 \odot \mathsf{CAppO}_6(t) :: c_6$ So, P' and Q' satisfies the first clause of Definition 5, that is,  $P' \sim_e Q'$ . **Case**  $P : \langle \texttt{CApp0}_5 :: c_5, \texttt{VFun}_5(x, t, e_5) :: v_5 :: s_5, d_5 \rangle \xrightarrow{\text{eval}_5} P' : \langle t, s_5, (x, v_5) :: e_5, c_5, d_5 \rangle$ : In this case,  $Q: \langle \texttt{CAppO}_6 :: c_6, \texttt{VFun}_6(x, t, e_6) :: v_6 :: s_6, d_6 \rangle \xrightarrow{\text{eval} 6} Q': \langle t, s_6, (x, v_6) :: e_6, c_6, d_6 \rangle,$ and we have  $v_5 :: s_5 \otimes \mathsf{CAppO}_5 :: c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c v_6 :: s_6 \odot \mathsf{CAppO}_6 :: c_6, e_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_e e_6, \text{ and } d_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_d d_6$ 

Because  $v_5 :: s_5 \otimes \mathsf{CApp0}_5 :: c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c v_6 :: s_6 \odot \mathsf{CApp0}_6 :: c_6$ , we have  $s_5 \otimes c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c s_6 \odot c_6$  and  $v_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_v v_6$ We also have  $(x, v_5) :: e_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_e (x, v_6) :: e_6$  due to  $v_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_v v_6$  and  $e_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_e e_6$ . So, P' and Q' satisfies the first clause of Definition 5, that is,  $P' \sim_e Q'$ . **Case**  $P : \langle CAppO_5(v_5) :: c_5, VCont_5(c'_5, s'_5) :: v_5 :: s_5, d_5 \rangle \xrightarrow{\text{eval}5} P' : \langle c'_5, v_5 :: s'_5, DRun_5(c_5, s_5) :: d_5 \rangle$ : In this case,  $Q: \langle \mathsf{CApp0}_6 :: c_6, \mathsf{VCont}_6(c_6', s_6') :: v_6 :: s_6, d_6 \rangle \xrightarrow{\operatorname{eval}_6} Q' : \langle c_6', v_6 :: s_6', \mathsf{DRun}_6(c_6, s_6) :: d_6 \rangle,$ and we have  $v_5 :: s_5 \otimes \texttt{CApp0}_5 :: c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c v_6 :: s_6 \odot \texttt{CApp0}_6 :: c_6, d_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_d d_6, \text{ and } v_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_v v_6$ Because  $v_5 :: s_5 \otimes \mathsf{CApp0}_5 :: c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c v_6 :: s_6 \odot \mathsf{CApp0}_6 :: c_6$ , we have  $s_5 \otimes c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c s_6 \odot c_6$  and  $v_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_v v_6$ Then,  $DRun_5(c_5, s_5) :: d_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_d DRun_6(c_6, s_6) :: d_6$ So, P' and Q' satisfies the second clause of Definition 5, that is,  $P' \sim_e Q'$ .  $\mathbf{Case} \ P : \langle \mathtt{CShift}_5 :: c_5, \mathtt{VFun}_5(x, t, e_5) :: s_5, d_5 \rangle \xrightarrow{\mathrm{eval}_5} P' : \langle t, [], (x, \mathtt{VCont}_5(c_5, s_5)) :: e_5, [], d_5 \rangle : \mathbb{C}_5 : \mathbb$ In this case,  $Q: \langle \texttt{CShift}_6 :: c_6, \texttt{VFun}_6(x, t, e_6) :: s_6, d_6 \rangle \xrightarrow{\texttt{eval}_6} Q': \langle t, [], (x, \texttt{VCont}_6(c_6, s_6)) :: e_6, [], d_6 \rangle,$ and we have  $s_5 \otimes \texttt{CShift}_5 :: c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c s_6 \odot \texttt{CShift}_6 :: c_6, d_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_d d_6, \text{ and } \texttt{VFun}_5(x, t, e_5) \stackrel{e}{=}_v \texttt{VFun}_6(x, t, e_6)$ We have  $[] \otimes [] \stackrel{e}{=}_{c} [] \otimes []$  due to Definition 2. Because  $s_5 \otimes \text{CShift}_5 :: c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c s_6 \odot \text{CShift}_6 :: c_6$ , we have  $s_5 \otimes c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c s_6 \odot c_6$ We also have  $e_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_e e_6$  because  $VFun_5(x, t, e_5) \stackrel{e}{=}_v VFun_6(x, t, e_6)$ . Then,  $(x, \texttt{VCont}_5(c_5, s_5)) :: e_5 \stackrel{e}{=} (x, \texttt{VCont}_6(c_6, s_6)) :: e_6$ So, P' and Q' satisfies the first clause of Definition 5, that is,  $P' \sim_e Q'$ . **Case**  $P: \langle \texttt{CShift}_5 :: c_5, \texttt{VCont}_5(c'_5, s'_5) :: s_5, d_5 \rangle \xrightarrow{\texttt{eval5}} P': \langle c'_5, \texttt{VCont}_5(c_5, s_5) :: s'_5, d_5 \rangle$ : In this case,  $Q: \langle \texttt{CShift}_6 :: c_6, \texttt{VCont}_6(c'_6, s'_6) :: s_6, d_6 \rangle \xrightarrow{\texttt{eval}_6} Q': \langle c'_6, \texttt{VCont}_6(c_6, s_6) :: s'_6, d_6 \rangle,$ and we have  $s_5 \otimes \texttt{CShift}_5 :: c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c s_6 \odot \texttt{CShift}_6 :: c_6, d_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_d d_6, \text{ and } \texttt{VCont}_5(c'_5, s'_5) \stackrel{e}{=}_v \texttt{VCont}_6(c'_6, s'_6)$ Because  $s_5 \otimes \texttt{CShift}_5 :: c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c s_6 \odot \texttt{CShift}_6 :: c_6$ , we have  $s_5 \otimes c_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c s_6 \odot c_6$ Then,  $VCont_5(c_5, s_5) \stackrel{e}{=}_v VCont_6(c_6, s_6)$ We also have  $s'_5 \otimes c'_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_c s'_6 \odot c'_6$  because  $\operatorname{VCont}_5(c'_5, s'_5) \stackrel{e}{=}_v \operatorname{VCont}_6(c'_6, s'_6)$ . So, P' and Q' satisfies the second clause of Definition 5, that is,  $P' \sim_e Q'$ . **Case**  $P: \langle [], v_5 :: s_5, d_5 \rangle \xrightarrow{\text{eval5}} P': \langle d_5, v_5 :: s_5 \rangle$ : In this case,  $Q: \langle [], v_6 :: s_6, d_6 \rangle \xrightarrow{\text{eval}_6} Q': \langle d_6, v_6 :: s_6 \rangle,$ and we have  $d_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_d d_6$ , and  $v_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_v v_6$ P' and Q' satisfies the third clause of Definition 5, that is,  $P' \sim_e Q'$ .

 $\begin{array}{l} \mathbf{Case} \ P: \langle \mathrm{DRun}_5(c_5',s_5') :: d_5, v_5 :: s_6 \rangle \xrightarrow{\mathrm{eval}_5} P': \langle c_5', v_5 :: s_5', d_5 \rangle: \\ \mathrm{In \ this \ case,} \\ Q: \langle \mathrm{DRun}_6(c_6',s_6') :: d_6, v_6 :: s_6 \rangle \xrightarrow{\mathrm{eval}_6} Q': \langle c_6', v_6 :: s_6', d_6 \rangle, \\ \mathrm{and \ we \ have} \\ \mathrm{DRun}_5(c_5',s_5') :: d_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_d \mathrm{DRun}_6(c_6',s_6') :: d_6, \ \mathrm{and} \ v_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_v v_6 \\ \mathrm{Because \ DRun}_5(c_5',s_5') :: d_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_d \mathrm{DRun}_6(c_6',s_6') :: d_6, \ \mathrm{we \ have} \\ s_5' \otimes c_5' \stackrel{e}{=}_c s_6' \otimes c_6' \ \mathrm{and} \ d_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_d d_6 \\ \mathrm{So, \ }P' \ \mathrm{and} \ Q' \ \mathrm{satisfies \ the \ second \ clause \ of \ Definition \ 5, \ \mathrm{that \ is, \ } P' \sim_e Q'. \\ \mathbf{Case} \ P: \langle [], v_5 :: s_5 \rangle \stackrel{\mathrm{eval}_5}{\longrightarrow} P': \langle v_5 \rangle: \\ \mathrm{In \ this \ case,} \\ Q: \langle [], v_6 :: s_6 \rangle \stackrel{\mathrm{eval}_6}{\longrightarrow} Q': \langle v_6 \rangle \\ \mathrm{and \ we \ have} \\ v_5 \stackrel{e}{=}_v v_6 \end{array}$ 

Therefore, the former,  $P \xrightarrow{\text{eval5}} P'$  implies  $Q \xrightarrow{\text{eval6}} Q'$  and  $P' \sim_e Q'$  for some Q', is proved. In terms of the latter, we can prove it in a similar way. Thus,  $\sim_e$  is a bisimulation.

P' and Q' satisfies the fourth of Definition 5, that is,  $P' \sim_e Q'$ .