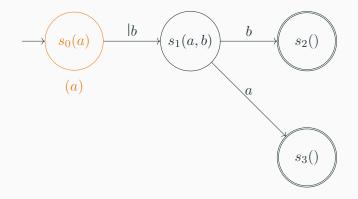
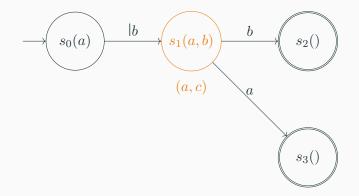
# A Graded Monad for the Local Freshness Semantics of Nominal Automata with Name Allocation

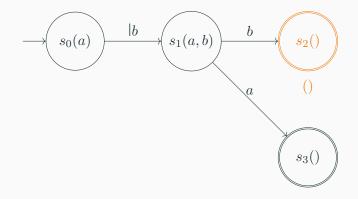
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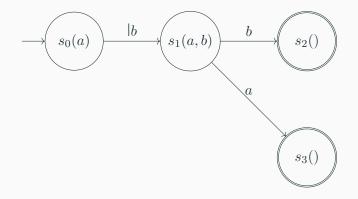
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We want to describe the trace semantics of such automata in a more general setting using coalgebra.

Goal: Describe the semantics of nominal automata with name allocation as a **graded semantics**, which provide a generic framework for describing trace semantics coalgebraically.

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Intuitively, nominal sets are sets where the elements *depend on* a finite set of atoms, their **support**. We write supp(x) for the smallest support of x.

Every nominal set X comes equipped with a permutation action  $(\cdot): \operatorname{Perm}(\mathbb{A}) \times \to X$  to allow renaming of atoms.

#### Example (Nominal Sets)

- The set of lambda terms:  $supp(\lambda x. x y) = \{x, y\}$
- The set of lambda terms modulo alpha-equivalence:  $supp([\lambda x. x y]_{\alpha}) = \{y\}$

## Definition (Category of Nominal Sets)

Nominal sets form a category Nom:

- Objects: Nominal sets
- Morphisms: Equivariant functions  $f: X \to Y$  with  $f(\pi \cdot x) = \pi \cdot f(x)$

Equivariant functions preserve supports.

#### Definition (Name Abstraction Functor)

We can define alpha equivalence through a functor  $[\mathbb{A}](-)$ : Nom  $\rightarrow$  Nom, where  $[\mathbb{A}]X$  contains name abstractions  $\langle a \rangle x$ .

equivalence class of (a, x) in  $(\mathbb{A} \times X)/\sim_{\alpha}$ 

#### Definition (Bar Strings)

- Extended Bar Alphabet:  $\overline{\mathbb{A}} = \mathbb{A} \cup \{ | a : a \in \mathbb{A} \}$
- $\cdot$  Bar Strings: Words over  $\bar{\mathbb{A}}$
- Alpha-Equivalence on Bar Strings: Equivalence  $\equiv_{\alpha}$  generated by

$$w|av \equiv_{\alpha} w|bu$$
 if  $\langle a \rangle v = \langle b \rangle u$  in  $[\mathbb{A}]\overline{\mathbb{A}}^{\star}$ .

#### Example

$$a|aab \equiv_{\alpha} a|ccb \not\equiv_{\alpha} a|bbb$$

# Definition (RNNA [2])

A regular nondeterministic nominal automaton (RNNA) is a tuple  $(A, \rightarrow, s, F)$  consisting of

- $\cdot$  an orbit-finite set Q of **states**,
- an equivariant subset  $\rightarrow \subseteq Q \times \overline{\mathbb{A}} \times Q$  called the **transition relation**,
- $\cdot$  an initial state  $s \in Q$ ,
- $\cdot \,$  an equivariant subset  $F \subseteq Q$  of final states,

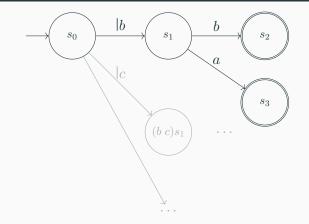
such that

- 1. The relation  $\rightarrow$  is  $\alpha$ -invariant.
- 2. The relation  $\rightarrow$  is finitely branching up to  $\alpha$ -equivalence.

 $\{(a,q):s\xrightarrow{a}q\} \text{ and } \{\langle a\rangle q:s\xrightarrow{\mathsf{la}}q\} \text{ are finite for }s\in Q$ 

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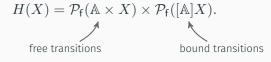
Literal Language:  $L_0(s_0) = \{|bb, |ba, |cc, |ca, |dd, |da, ...\}$   $\rightsquigarrow$  Bar Language:  $L_{\alpha}(s_0) = \{[|bb]_{\alpha}, [|ba]_{\alpha}\}$ Local Freshness Semantics:  $D(L_{\alpha}(s_0)) = \{aa, bb, ba, cc, ca, dd, da, ...\}$ 

# Preliminaries - Nominal Automata with Name Allocation [2]

 $\sim \rightarrow$ 

|b|b  $s_0$  $s_1$  $s_2$ a  $s_3$ poststate Literal Language Pretraces:  $\hat{L}_0(s_0) = \{|bbs_2, |bas_3, |ccs_2, |cas_3, ...\}$ Bar Language Pretraces:  $\hat{L}_{\alpha}(s_0) = \{ [|bbs_2]_{\hat{\alpha}}, [|bas_3]_{\hat{\alpha}} \}$  $\sim \rightarrow$ Local Freshness Semantics:  $\hat{D}(\hat{L}_{\alpha}(s_0)) = \{aas_2, bbs_2, bas_3, ccs_2, cas_3, \ldots\}$  Going forward, we will assume that every state is final.

Thus, we can consider an RNNA as an orbit-finite coalgebra  $\gamma: X \to H(X)$  for the functor  $H: Nom \to Nom$  with



#### Definition (Graded Monad)

A graded monad on a category C is a tuple  $((M_n)_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0}, \eta, (\mu^{nk})_{n,k \in \mathbb{N}_0})$  containing

- for every  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ , an endofunctor  $M_n : \mathbf{C} \to \mathbf{C}$ ,
- a **unit** transformation  $\eta : \mathsf{Id} \to M_0$ ,
- for every  $n, k \in \mathbb{N}_0$ , a multiplication transformation  $\mu^{nk} : M_n M_k \to M_{n+k}$ ,

satisfying

- 1. the unit law:  $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ .  $\mu^{0,n} \cdot \eta M_n = \mathrm{id}_{M_n} = \mu^{n,0} \cdot M_n \eta$ ,
- 2. the associative law:  $\forall n, k, m \in \mathbb{N}_0$ .  $\mu^{n,k+m} \cdot M_n \mu^{k,m} = \mu^{n+k,m} \cdot \mu^{n,k} M_m$ .

#### **Definition (Graded Semantics)**

A graded semantics for G-coalgebras consists of

- a graded monad  $((M_n), \eta, (\mu^{nk}))$ ,
- a natural transformation  $\alpha: G \to M_1$ .

Given a *G*-coalgebra  $\gamma: X \to G(X)$ , the  $\alpha$ -pretrace sequence is then given by

$$\gamma^{(0)} = (X \xrightarrow{\eta_X} M_0(X)),$$
  
$$\gamma^{(n+1)} = (X \xrightarrow{\alpha_X \circ \gamma} M_1(X) \xrightarrow{M_1(\gamma^{(n)})} M_1(M_n(X)) \xrightarrow{\mu_X^{1n}} M_{n+1}(X)),$$

and the  $\alpha$ -trace sequence is defined as  $(M_n(!) \circ \gamma^{(n)} : X \to M_n(1))_{n \in \mathbb{N}_0}$ .

#### Example (Graded Semantics [4])

We consider labelled transition systems as coalgebras for  $G(X) = \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{A} \times X)$ .

The graded semantics with  $M_n(X) = \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{A}^n \times X)$  and  $\alpha = id$  describes the trace-semantics of LTS.

algebraic theory where every operation has a depth and axioms have uniform depth

# Fact (Graded Theories on Set)

On Set, every graded monad corresponds to a graded theory.

The graded theory  $(\Sigma, E, d)$  induces a graded monad  $((M_n), \eta, (\mu^{nk}))$ , where

- $M_n(X)$  are depth-n terms over X modulo derivable equality,
- $\cdot$   $\eta$  converts variables into terms,
- $\mu^{nk}$  collapses layered terms, "removing" the inner equivalence classes.

This motivates a similar construction on Nom.

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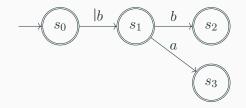
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Given an RNNA

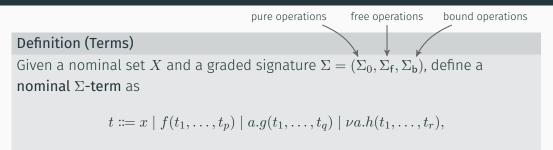


we want to describe the pretraces as terms:

$$|b(bs_2 + as_3) \quad \rightsquigarrow \quad |bbs_2 + |bas_3.$$

We will first define these terms and theories over them in a more general setting.

#### Terms



ranging over all  $x \in X$ ,  $a \in \mathbb{A}$ ,  $f/p \in \Sigma_0$ ,  $g/q \in \Sigma_f$ , and  $h/r \in \Sigma_b$ .

#### Example (Pretrace Terms)

To describe pretraces of RNNA, we will use the signature  $\Sigma$  with  $\Sigma_0 = \{+/2, \perp/0\}, \Sigma_f = \{pre/1\}, and \Sigma_b = \{abs/1\}, where we will write + in infix notation and$ 

 $at \coloneqq a.\operatorname{pre}(t)$  and  $|at \coloneqq \nu a.\operatorname{abs}(t)$ .

#### Terms

#### Definition (Uniform Depth)

A term t over X has **(uniform) depth**  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$  iff

- $t = x \in X$  and n = 0.
- $t = f(t_1, \ldots, t_p)$ , where  $t_1, \ldots, t_p$  have uniform depth n', and n = n' + d(f).
- Similarly for  $t = a.f(t_1, \ldots, t_p)$  and  $t = \nu a.f(t_1, \ldots, t_p)$ .

#### Example (Pretrace Terms)

For pretraces of RNNA, 
$$d(+) = d(\perp) = 0$$
 and  $d(pre) = d(abs) = 1$ .

The depth of a term is exactly the length of the pretraces. For example, the term  $|b(bs_2 + as_3)|$  has uniform depth 2.

If c is a constant, then it has uniform depth  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$  for all  $n \ge d(c)$ .

We refer to the set of  $\Sigma$ -terms over X with uniform depth n as  $\operatorname{Term}_{\Sigma,n}(X)$ .

## Derivations

#### Definition (Graded Theories and Derivable Equality)

- Equations: pairs of terms  $t, u \in \text{Term}_{\Sigma,n}(X)$  written as  $X \vdash_m t = u$ .
- Graded Theory  $T = (\Sigma, E)$ : graded signature and class E of axiom equations.
- Derivable Equality: Congruence with additional rules

$$(\operatorname{ax}_{r=s}) \frac{X \vdash_{l} \pi \sigma(x) = \sigma(\pi x) \quad \forall \pi \in \operatorname{Perm}(\mathbb{A}), x \in Y}{X \vdash_{m+l} (\tau r)\sigma = (\tau s)\sigma}$$

$$(\operatorname{perm}_{f}) \underbrace{\begin{array}{cc} a \# u_{i} & X \vdash_{m} t_{i} = (a \ b) u_{i} & \forall i \in \{1, \dots, p\} \\ \hline X \vdash_{m+d(f)} \nu a.f(t_{1}, \dots, t_{p}) = \nu b.f(u_{1}, \dots, u_{p}) \end{array}}_{(a \neq b)} \quad (a \neq b)$$

ranging over  $Y \vdash_m r = s \in E$ ,  $\tau \in \mathsf{Perm}(\mathbb{A})$ ,  $\sigma : Y \to \mathsf{Term}_{\Sigma,l}(X)$ ,  $f/p \in \Sigma_{\mathsf{b}}$ .

## Semantics

## Definition (Nominal Algebra)

# A nominal $(\Sigma, n)$ -algebra A consists of

- a family  $(A_i)_{0 \le i \le n}$  of nominal sets, called **carriers**,
- for  $f/p \in \Sigma_0$ , a family  $(f_{A,m} : A^p_m \to A_{m+d(f)})$  of equivariant functions,
- for  $f/p \in \Sigma_{f}$ , a family  $(f_{A,m} : \mathbb{A} \times A^{p}_{m} \to A_{m+d(f)})$  of equivariant functions,
- for  $f/p \in \Sigma_b$ , a family  $(f_{A,m} : [\mathbb{A}]A^p_m \to A_{m+d(f)})$  of equivariant functions.

A morphism between  $(\Sigma, n)$ -algebras A, B is a family  $(h_i)_{0 \le i \le n}$  of equivariant functions  $h_i : A_i \to B_i$  such that, for  $f/p \in \Sigma_0$  and  $x_1, \ldots, x_p \in A_m$ ,

$$h_{m+d(f)}(f_{A,m}(x_1,\ldots,x_p)) = f_{B,m}(h_m(x_1),\ldots,h_m(x_p)),$$

and similarly for  $\Sigma_{f}$  and  $\Sigma_{b}$ .

#### Definition (Evaluation)

Given a nominal  $(\Sigma, n)$ -algebra A and an **environment**  $\iota : X \to A_k$ , the **evaluation map**  $\llbracket \cdot \rrbracket_m^{\iota} : \operatorname{Term}_{\Sigma,m}(X) \to A_{k+m}$  of depth-m terms is defined as

$$\llbracket x \rrbracket_{0}^{\iota} = \iota(x),$$
  
$$\llbracket f(t_{1}, \dots, t_{p}) \rrbracket_{m+d(f)}^{\iota} = f_{A,k+m}(\llbracket t_{1} \rrbracket_{m}^{\iota}, \dots, \llbracket t_{p} \rrbracket_{m}^{\iota}),$$
  
$$\llbracket a.f(t_{1}, \dots, t_{p}) \rrbracket_{m+d(f)}^{\iota} = f_{A,k+m}(a, \llbracket t_{1} \rrbracket_{m}^{\iota}, \dots, \llbracket t_{p} \rrbracket_{m}^{\iota}),$$
  
$$\llbracket \nu a.f(t_{1}, \dots, t_{p}) \rrbracket_{m+d(f)}^{\iota} = f_{A,k+m}(\langle a \rangle (\llbracket t_{1} \rrbracket_{m}^{\iota}, \dots, \llbracket t_{p} \rrbracket_{m}^{\iota}))$$

#### Definition (Nominal Model)

A (T, n)-model is a  $(\Sigma, n)$ -algebra such that, for every axiom  $X \vdash_m t = u$  and every environment  $\iota$ ,  $[\![t]\!]_m^\iota = [\![u]\!]_m^\iota$ .

#### Theorem (Soundness)

Let A be a (T, n)-model and  $t, u \in \text{Term}_{\Sigma, m}(X)$  with  $m \leq n$ .

If  $X \vdash_m t = u$  is derivable, then  $\llbracket t \rrbracket_m^{\iota} = \llbracket u \rrbracket_m^{\iota}$  for every environment  $\iota$ .

# **Free Models**

Fix a graded theory  $T = (\Sigma, E)$  and a depth  $n \leq \omega$ .

We will refer to derivable equality as the binary relation  $\sim$  between terms.

Since derivable equality is an equivalence, we can partition  $\operatorname{Term}_{\Sigma,m}(X)$  into equivalence classes  $[t]_m \in \operatorname{Term}_{\Sigma,m}(X)/\sim$ .

#### Definition (Free Model)

The (T, n)-algebra F(X) is defined as follows:

$$\begin{split} (F(X))_i &= \mathrm{Term}_{\Sigma,i}(X)/\sim, \\ f_{F(X),m}([t_1]_m, \dots, [t_p]_m) &= [f(t_1, \dots, t_p)]_{m+d(f)} & \text{for } f/p \in \Sigma_0, \\ f_{F(X),m}(a, [t_1]_m, \dots, [t_p]_m) &= [a.f(t_1, \dots, t_p)]_{m+d(f)} & \text{for } f/p \in \Sigma_{\mathbf{f}}, \\ f_{F(X),m}(\langle a \rangle([t_1]_m, \dots, [t_p]_m)) &= [\nu a.f(t_1, \dots, t_p)]_{m+d(f)} & \text{for } f/p \in \Sigma_{\mathbf{b}}. \end{split}$$

The class of (T, n)-models forms a category Alg(T, n).

#### Definition (Forgetful Functor)

We define the forgetful functor  $G:\operatorname{Alg}(T,n)\to\operatorname{Nom}$  with

 $G(A) = A_0$  $G(h) = h_0.$ 

#### Theorem

The definition of F(X) yields a left adjoint functor F to the forgetful functor G.

#### **Free Models**

#### Corollary

Every graded theory  $T = (\Sigma, E)$  induces a graded monad  $((M_n), \eta, (\mu^{nk}))$  with

$$\begin{split} &M_n:\operatorname{Nom}\to\operatorname{Nom},\\ &M_n(X)=\operatorname{Term}_{\Sigma,n}(X)/{\sim},\\ &M_n(f)([t]_n)=[t\sigma_f]_n, \end{split}$$

 $\eta_X : X \to M_0(X),$  $\eta_X(x) = [x]_0,$ 

 $\mu_X^{nk} : M_n(M_k(X)) \to M_{n+k}(X),$  $\mu_X^{nk}([t]_n) = \llbracket t \rrbracket_n^{\mathsf{id}},$ 

with the substitution  $\sigma_f = (X \xrightarrow{f} Y \hookrightarrow \operatorname{Term}_{\Sigma,0}(Y)).$ 

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## A Graded Theory for Local Freshness Semantics

We can now define a graded theory over pretrace terms with the axioms

$$X \vdash_0 x + y = y + x,$$
  

$$X \vdash_0 (x + y) + z = x + (y + z),$$
  

$$X \vdash_0 x + x = x,$$
  

$$X \vdash_0 x + \bot = x,$$
  

$$X \vdash_1 a(x + y) = ax + ay,$$
  

$$X \vdash_1 a(x + y) = |ax + |ay,$$
  

$$X \vdash_1 a \bot = \bot,$$
  

$$X \vdash_1 |a \bot = |ax + ax,$$

ranging over all  $a \in A$ , all nominal sets X, and all elements  $x, y, z \in X$ .

The  $(\Sigma, n)$ -model F'(X) is defined as follows:

$$(F'(X))_m = \mathcal{P}_{\mathsf{fs}}(\mathbb{A}^m \times X),$$
  

$$\mathsf{pre}_{F'(X),m}(a, L) = \{aw : w \in L\},$$
  

$$\mathsf{abs}_{F'(X),m}(\langle a \rangle L) = \{bv : \langle a \rangle L = \langle a' \rangle L', w' \in L', \langle a' \rangle w' = \langle b \rangle v\},$$
  

$$+_{F'(X),m}(L_1, L_2) = L_1 \cup L_2,$$
  

$$\perp_{F'(X),m} = \emptyset.$$

We also define the *interpretation* as the morphism  $\Phi: F(X) \to F'(X)$  with

$$\Phi_m([t]_m) = \llbracket t \rrbracket_m^{\eta'_X},$$

with the equivariant environment  $\eta'_X : X \to (F'(X))_0, x \mapsto \{x\}.$ 

# A Model For Local Freshness Semantics

 $X \vdash_1 |a(x+y)| = |ax+|ay|$ 



$$\begin{split} |b(bs_2+as_3) \\ \mathsf{abs}_{F'(X),1}(\langle b\rangle\{bs_2,as_3\}) \end{split}$$

 $|bbs_2 + |bas_3|$ 

 $\mathsf{abs}_{F'(X),1}(\langle b \rangle \{ bs_2 \}) \cup \mathsf{abs}_{F'(X),1}(\langle b \rangle \{ as_3 \})$ 

For this case, we require  $\operatorname{abs}_{F'(X),m}$  to be monotone, in particular:

 $\mathsf{abs}_{F'(X),1}(\langle b \rangle \{bs_2, as_3\}) \supseteq \mathsf{abs}_{F'(X),1}(\langle b \rangle \{bs_2\})$ 

If we assume  $s_2 \neq s_3$ ,  $a \neq b$ , and  $a \# s_2$ , then  $\langle b \rangle \{ bs_2 \} = \langle a \rangle \{ (a \ b) bs_2 ) \}$ .

 $\implies (a \ b)bs_2 \in \mathsf{abs}_{F'(X),1}(\langle b \rangle \{ bs_2 \})$ 

However, on the left-hand side, we have  $\langle b \rangle \{bs_2, as_3\} \neq \langle a \rangle (a \ b) \{bs_2, as_3\}$ . We can instead pick a  $c \in \mathbb{A} \setminus \text{supp}(\{bs_2\}, \{bs_2, as_3\})$ .

 $\implies bs_2 = (a \ c)bs_2 \text{ and } \langle b \rangle \{bs_2, as_3\} = \langle c \rangle \{(b \ c)(a \ c)bs_2, (b \ c)as_3\}.$ 

Since a, b, c are pairwise distinct, (a c)(a b) = (b c)(a c).

$$\implies \langle c \rangle (b \ c) (a \ c) bs_2 = \langle c \rangle (a \ c) (a \ b) bs_2 = \langle a \rangle (a \ b) bs_2.$$

# Interpretation under Local Freshness Semantics

We can identify the set of single pretraces  $\overline{\mathbb{A}}^m \times X$  as a fragment of  $\Sigma$ -terms.

#### Theorem

If  $k \in \mathbb{N}_0$  and  $w_1, \ldots, w_k \in \overline{\mathbb{A}}^m \times X$  are pretraces, then

$$\Phi_m\left(\left[\sum_{i=1}^k w_i\right]_m\right) = \hat{D}\left(\{[w_i]_{\hat{\alpha}} : i \in \{1, \dots, k\}\}\right).$$

#### Theorem

Let  $t \in \operatorname{Term}_{\Sigma,m}(X)$  be a term and  $w \in \overline{\mathbb{A}}^m \times X$  a pretrace.

If  $\hat{D}_m(\{[w]_{\hat{\alpha}}\}) \subseteq \Phi_m([t]_m)$ , then  $[t]_m = [t+w]_m$ .

#### Corollary

The function  $\Phi_m$ :  $\operatorname{Term}_{\Sigma,m}(X)/\sim \to \mathcal{P}_{\mathsf{fs}}(\mathbb{A}^m \times X)$  is injective for every  $m \in \mathbb{N}_0$ .

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Recall that we can view RNNAs as orbit-finite coalgebras for the functor  $H: \mathsf{Nom} \to \mathsf{Nom}$  given by

$$H(X) = \mathcal{P}_{\mathsf{f}}(\mathbb{A} \times X) \times \mathcal{P}_{\mathsf{f}}([\mathbb{A}]X).$$

We define a graded semantics for RNNA using  $\alpha: H \rightarrow M_1$  with

$$\alpha_X(S_{\mathsf{f}}, S_{\mathsf{b}}) = \left[\sum_{(a,x)\in S_{\mathsf{f}}} ax + \sum_{(a,x)\in u_X[S_{\mathsf{b}}]} |ax\right]_1,$$

where  $u_X : [\mathbb{A}]X \to \mathbb{A} \times X$  is any splitting of  $[\mathbb{A}]X$ .

#### Theorem

Let  $s \in Q$  be a state in an RNNA defined by  $\gamma : Q \to H(Q)$ . Then

$$\gamma^{(n)}(s) = \left[\sum_{wq \in v_n \left[\hat{L}_{\alpha}^{(n)}(s)\right]} wq\right]_n,$$

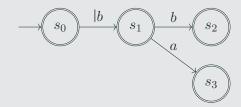
where

$$\hat{L}_{\alpha}^{(n)}(s) = \{ w \in \hat{L}_{\alpha}(s) : |w| = n \},\$$

and  $v_n: (\bar{\mathbb{A}}^n \times Q) / \hat{\equiv}_{\alpha} \to \bar{\mathbb{A}}^n \times Q$  is any splitting.

# Capturing Pretraces

# Example



$$\begin{aligned} \gamma^{(2)}(s_0) &= \mu_X^{1,1}([|b(\gamma^{(1)}(s_1))]_1) \\ &= \mu_X^{1,1}([|b(\mu_X^{1,0}([b(\gamma^{(0)}(s_2)) + a(\gamma^{(0)}(s_3))]_1)]_1) \\ &= \mu_X^{1,1}([|b(\mu_X^{1,0}([b[s_2]_0 + a[s_3]_0]_1)]_1) \\ &= \mu_X^{1,1}([|b[bs_2 + as_3]_1) \\ &= [|b(bs_2 + as_3)]_2 = [|bbs_2 + |bas_3]_2 \end{aligned}$$

#### Theorem

Let  $s \in Q$  be a state in an RNNA defined by  $\gamma : Q \to H(Q)$  and  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ . Then

$$\Phi_n(M_n(!)(\gamma^{(n)}(s))) \cong \{ w \in D(L_\alpha(s)) : |w| = n \}.$$

#### Corollary

Let  $q \in Q$ ,  $s \in S$  be states in RNNAs defined by  $\gamma : Q \to H(Q)$  and  $\delta : S \to H(S)$ .

The states q and s have the same  $\alpha$ -trace sequence iff  $D(L_{\alpha}(q)) = D(L_{\alpha}(s))$ .

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# Conclusion and Future Work

#### We have:

- introduced a concept of graded theories over Nom inducing graded monads.
- $\cdot$  defined a graded theory capturing local freshness semantics of pretraces.
- defined graded semantics capturing the local freshness semantics of RNNAs.

#### Future Work:

- It remains to be shown that the induced graded monad is depth-1 if all operations and axioms in the theory are at most depth-1.
- It may be possible to replace the infinitary  $(ax_{r=s})$  rule with a finitary one.
- Turn F'(X) into a functor (possibly using  $\mathcal{P}_{fs}(\mathbb{A}^m \times Frs(X))$ , not  $\mathcal{P}_{fs}(\mathbb{A}^m \times X)$ ).
- Give an alternative description of the graded monad based on F'(X).
- Extend the graded semantics to work on ufs sets of transitions.

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