

# Generic Reasoning of the Locally Nameless Representation

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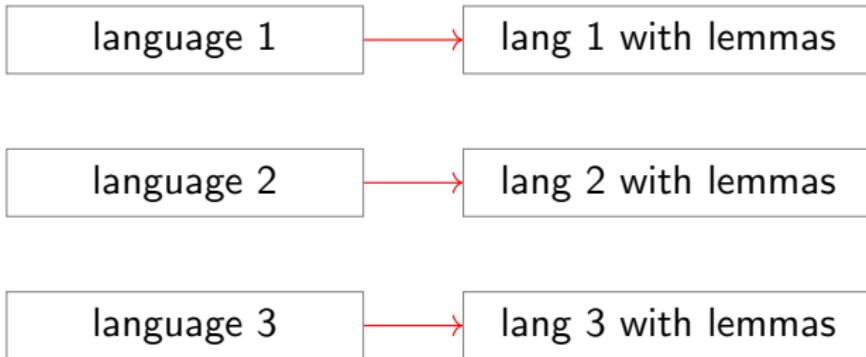
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- type soundness for System  $F_{<:}$  and core ML
- subject reduction for CoC

“Out of a total of around 550 lemmas,  
400 were tedious infrastructure lemmas  
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– Rossberg, A., Russo, C.V., Dreyer, D.: F-ing modules.

# Motivation



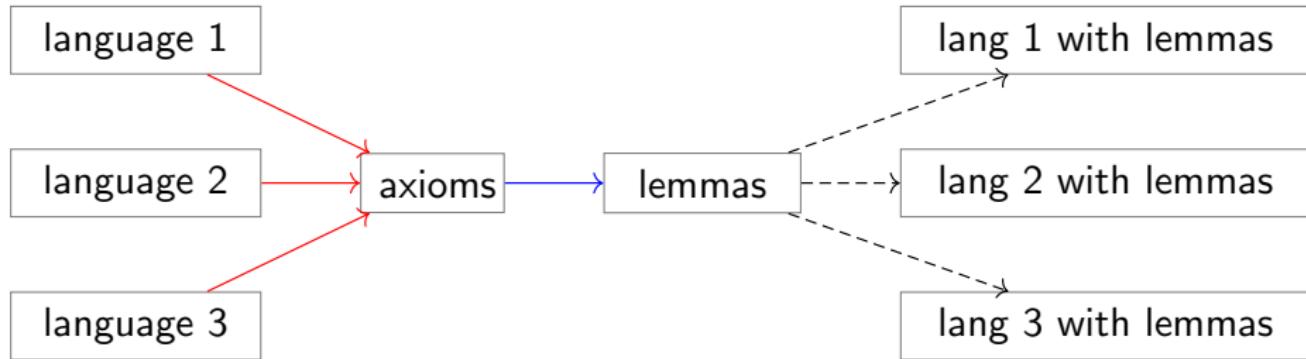
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- : prove axioms
- > : instantiate with the language, automatically

# Contribution

- Formalized theory for generic reasoning of LNR
- Applications of our generic reasoning library
  - equivalence properties of STLC
  - compactness theorem for PCF

# Plan

- Challenges for adopting LNR (Part 0)
- Our approach and applications (Part 1-3)

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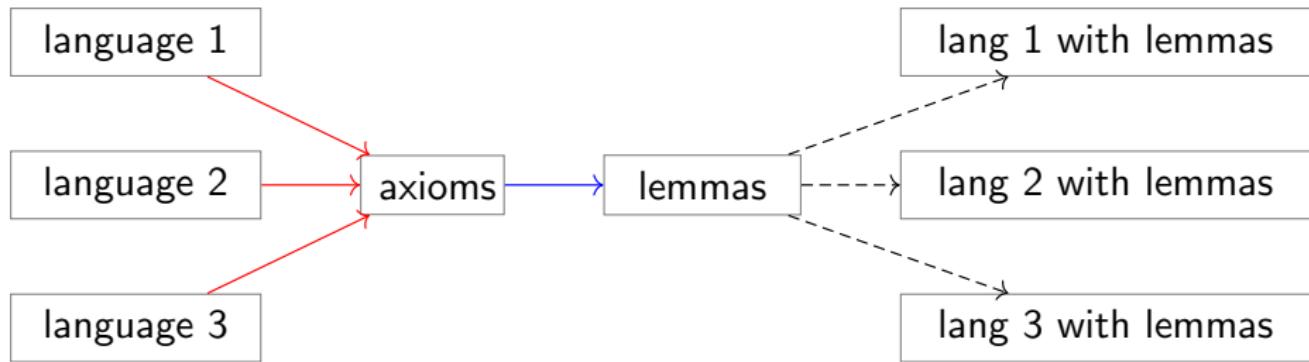
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# Axioms and Lemmas

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<b>S<sub>4</sub>:</b>	$b \neq a$	$\Rightarrow [a \mapsto t] (fvar\ b) = fvar\ b$

# Axioms and Lemmas

*open\_term\_lc:*

$$i \succ t \Rightarrow t = \{i \mapsto y\}t$$

*lc\_open\_term:*

$$(i+1) \succ t \wedge i \succ y \Rightarrow i \succ \{i \mapsto y\}t$$

*subst\_intro:*

$$\begin{aligned} x \# t \wedge i \succ u &\Rightarrow \{i \mapsto u\}t = \\ &[x \mapsto u](\{i \mapsto x\}t) \end{aligned}$$

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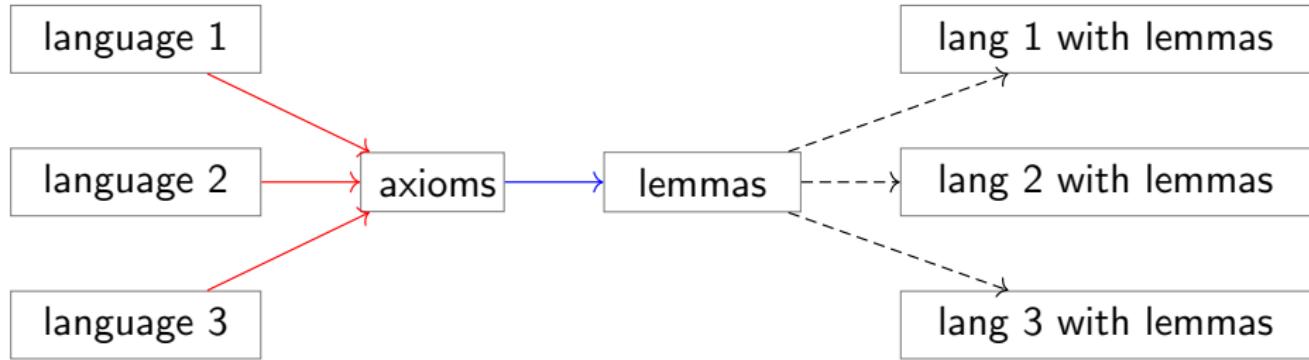
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## Part II



→ : prove axioms

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We lost lemmas generated by  $fv$  and  $lc$

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**Injective Shift Morphism**  $h : \mathbf{X} \rightarrow \mathbf{X}$

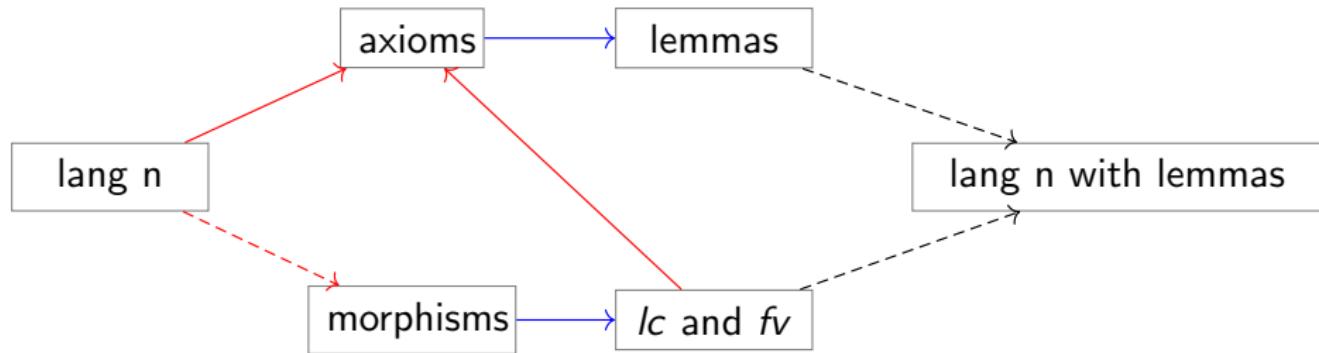
$$\begin{array}{lcl} h(\{(i+1) \rightarrow a\}t) = \{i \rightarrow a\}(h t) & & a \# t \Rightarrow a \# h t \\ h(\{(i+1) \leftarrow a\}t) = \{i \leftarrow a\}(h t) & \xrightarrow{\text{imply}} & (i+1) \succ t \Rightarrow i \succ h t \\ g t_1 = g t_2 \Rightarrow t_1 = t_2 & & a \# t \Leftarrow a \# h t \\ & & (i+1) \succ t \Leftarrow i \succ h t \end{array}$$

# Generalization of Morphisms

Morphisms for substitution and open-term?

$$f([x \mapsto u]t) = [x \mapsto u](f\ t) \xrightarrow{\text{imply}} f(\hat{\gamma}(t)) = \hat{\gamma}(f\ t)$$

# Extended Generic Reasoning



→ : prove morphisms, automatically

# New Problem, Revisited

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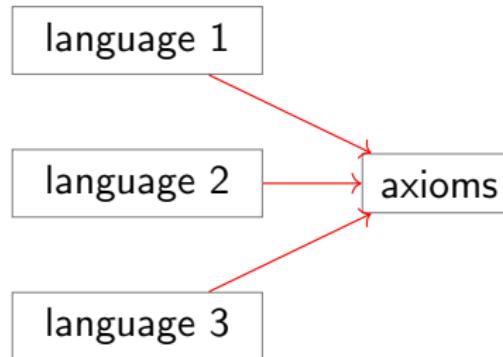
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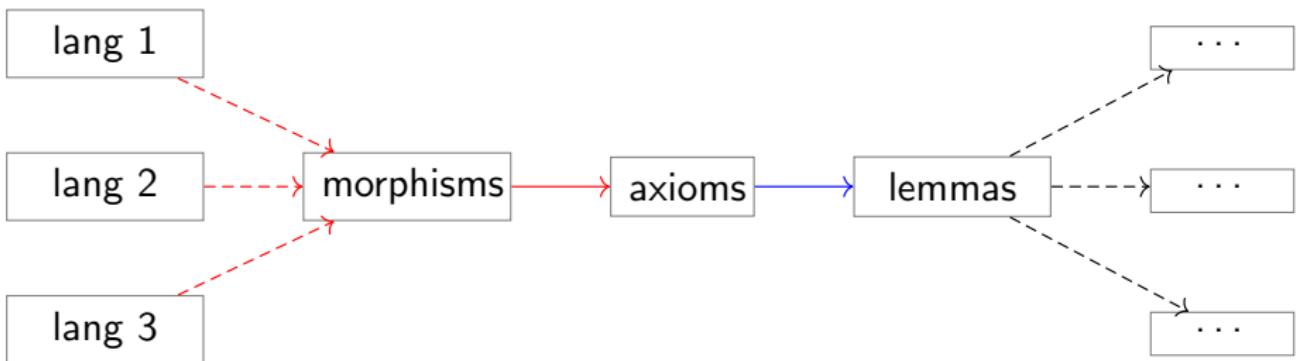
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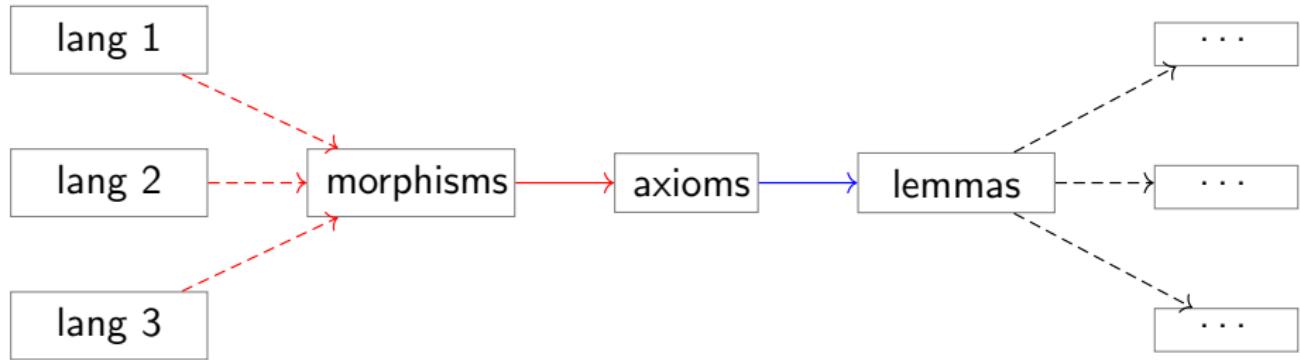
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Program Equivalence for STLC	2.9k	176	6.1%
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Total (Without library)	5.8k	483	8.3%
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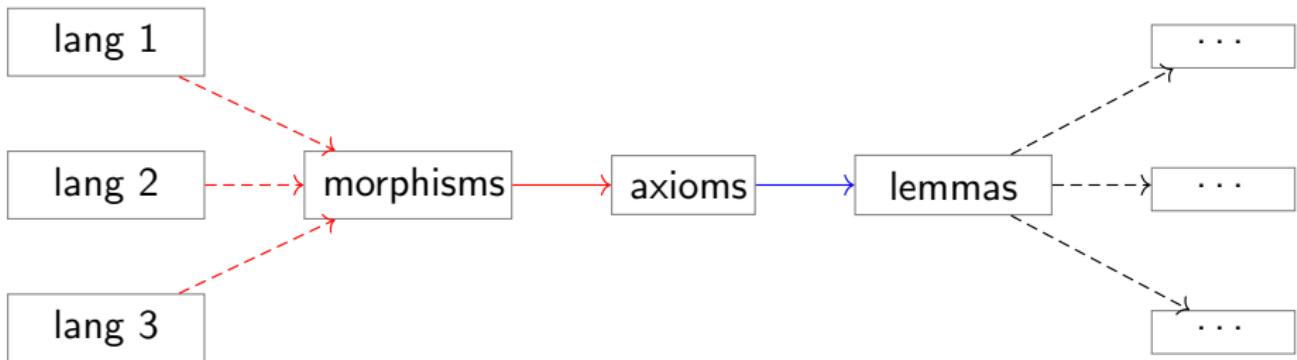
# Bonus

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## Theorem (Fixed Point Induction)

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# Conclusion



- A generic reasoning approach of LNR
- A formalized library in Coq and applications
  - equivalence properties of STLC
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Future work: soundness ( $\dashrightarrow$ ) and completeness ( $\rightarrow$ ) of our theory