

Exponential Object in Geb

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Theorem. \mathbf{Geb} category is equivalent to \mathbf{FinSet} via a functor $GF : \mathbf{Geb} \rightarrow \mathbf{FinSet}$ defined on objects by induction:

$$\begin{aligned} GF(T) &:= \mathbf{1} \\ GF(I) &:= \mathbf{0} \\ GF(X \oplus Y) &:= GF(X) + GF(Y) \\ GF(X \otimes Y) &:= GF(X) \times GF(Y) \end{aligned}$$

and preserving all categorical structure on the nose, as well as the distribution morphism.

Definition. For $X, Y \in \mathbf{Obj}(\mathbf{Geb})$ define $X \Rightarrow Y \in \mathbf{Obj}(\mathbf{Geb})$ by induction:

$$\begin{aligned} T \Rightarrow Y &:= Y \\ I \Rightarrow Y &:= T \\ (A \oplus B) \Rightarrow Y &:= (A \Rightarrow Y) \otimes (B \Rightarrow Y) \\ (A \otimes B) \Rightarrow Y &:= (A \Rightarrow (B \Rightarrow Y)) \end{aligned}$$

Proposition. The above object is an exponential, i.e. $GF(A \Rightarrow B) \cong GF(A)^{GF(B)}$

Proof. By induction:

$$\begin{aligned} GF(T \Rightarrow B) &:= GF(B) \cong GF(B)^{\mathbf{1}} := GF(B)^{GF(T)} \\ GF(I \Rightarrow B) &:= GF(T) := \mathbf{1} \cong GF(B)^{\mathbf{0}} := GF(B)^{GF(I)} \\ GF(A \oplus B \Rightarrow Y) &:= GF((A \Rightarrow Y) \otimes (B \Rightarrow Y)) \\ &:= GF(A \Rightarrow Y) \times GF(B \Rightarrow Y) \\ &\cong GF(Y)^{GF(A)} \times GF(Y)^{GF(B)} \quad \text{By induction} \\ &\cong GF(Y)^{GF(A) \times GF(B)} \\ GF(A \otimes B \Rightarrow Y) &:= GF(A \Rightarrow (B \Rightarrow Y)) \\ &\cong GF(B \Rightarrow Y)^{GF(A)} \\ &\cong (GF(Y)^{GF(B)})^{GF(A)} \\ &\cong GF(Y)^{GF(B) \times GF(A)} \\ &:= GF(Y)^{GF(B \otimes A)} \end{aligned}$$

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For computational details, look in `geb.agda`

Definition. Define $evalG : (Y \Rightarrow X) \otimes Y \rightarrow X$ by induction:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} (T \Rightarrow X) \otimes T & \xrightarrow{evalG} & X \\ \parallel & \nearrow \pi_1 & \\ X \times T & & \end{array}$$

that is, $eval(G) := \lambda(x, *).x$, arguing in **FinSet**

$$\begin{array}{ccc} X^I \otimes I & \xrightarrow{evalG} & X \\ \searrow \pi_2 & & \nearrow ! \\ & I & \end{array}$$

that is, $evalG$ is the unique morphism from the initial object: $evalG(x, i) := !(i)$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} (A \Rightarrow X) \otimes (B \Rightarrow X) \otimes (A \oplus B) & \xrightarrow{evalG} & X \\ \searrow D & & \nearrow [c1, c2] \\ & [((A \Rightarrow X) \otimes (B \Rightarrow X)) \otimes A] \oplus [((A \Rightarrow X) \otimes (B \Rightarrow X)) \otimes B] & \end{array}$$

where D is the distributivity iso, in **FinSet** presented as:

$$\lambda(f, g, inl(a)) = inl(f, g, a)$$

$$\lambda(f, g, inr(b)) = inr(f, g, b)$$

and

$$\begin{array}{ccc} ((A \Rightarrow X) \otimes (B \Rightarrow X)) \otimes A & \xrightarrow{fM} (A \Rightarrow X) \otimes A \xrightarrow{evalG} & X \\ & \searrow c1 & \nearrow \\ & & \end{array}$$

$\lambda(f, g, a).GF(evalG(f, a))$ in **FinSet**

$$\begin{array}{ccc} ((A \Rightarrow X) \otimes (B \Rightarrow X)) \otimes A & \xrightarrow{fL} (B \Rightarrow X) \otimes B \xrightarrow{evalG} & X \\ & \searrow c2 & \nearrow \\ & & \end{array}$$

$\lambda(f, g, b).(eval(f, b))$ in **FinSet**

In other words, $GF(evalG)$ here is equivalently

$$\lambda(f, g, (inla)) = eval(f, a)$$

$$\lambda(f, g, (inrb)) = eval(g, b)$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} ((A \Rightarrow (B \Rightarrow X)) \otimes (A \otimes B)) & \xrightarrow{evalG} & X \\ \searrow \langle p1, p2 \rangle & & \nearrow evalG \\ & (B \Rightarrow X) \otimes B & \end{array}$$

where

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
((A \Rightarrow (B \Rightarrow X)) \otimes (A \otimes B)) & \xrightarrow{\lambda(f,a,b).(f,a)} (A \Rightarrow (B \Rightarrow X)) \otimes A & \xrightarrow{evalG} (B \Rightarrow X) \\
& \searrow p1 & \nearrow \\
((A \Rightarrow (B \Rightarrow X)) \otimes (A \otimes B)) & \xrightarrow{\lambda(f,a,b).b} B & \xrightarrow{evalG} (B \Rightarrow X)
\end{array}$$

working in **FinSet** (in **Geb** this is of course replaced by projections)

so in **FinSet** this is $\lambda(f, a, b).evalG((eval(f, a)), b)$

Proposition. $GF(evalG)$ is isomorphic to $eval$, i.e.

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
GF((A \Rightarrow B) \otimes A) & \xrightarrow{\cong} & GF(A)^{GF(B)} \times GF(A) \\
& \searrow GF(evalG) \quad \swarrow eval & \\
& GF(B) &
\end{array}$$

Proof. By induction. See `exp.agda`

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Definition. We define $curryG : Hom(X \otimes Y, Z) \rightarrow Hom(X, (Y \Rightarrow Z))$ by induction

Let $f \in Hom(X \otimes Y, Z)$

for $Y := T$, $curryG : Hom(X \otimes T, Z) \rightarrow Hom(X, Z)$ is defined as

$$curryG(f) = f \circ \langle 1_X, !_X \rangle$$

$\lambda(x).f(x, *)$ in **FinSet**

for $Y := I$, $curryG : Hom(X \otimes I, Z) \rightarrow Hom(X, T)$ is defined by

$$curryG(f) := !_X$$

for $Y := A \oplus B$ then $curryG : Hom(X \otimes (A \oplus B), Z) \rightarrow Hom(X, Z^A \otimes Z^B)$ is defined as

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
& & Z^A & & \\
& \nearrow^{curryG(f \circ do_{inl})} & & \nwarrow & \\
X & \xrightarrow{\quad ! \quad} & Z^A \otimes Z^B & & \\
& \searrow_{curryG(f \circ do_{inr})} & & \swarrow & \\
& & Z^B & &
\end{array}$$

where d is the distributivity morphism $d : (X \otimes Y) \oplus (X \otimes Z) \rightarrow X \otimes (Y \oplus Z)$. In **FinSet** it becomes the usual:

$$\begin{aligned}
& \lambda(inl(x, y)).(x, inl(y)) \\
& \lambda(inr(x, z)).(x, inr(z))
\end{aligned}$$

for $Y := A \otimes B$ $curryG : Hom(X \otimes (A \otimes B)) \rightarrow Hom(X, Z^{B^A})$ is defined as

Proposition. $GF(\text{curry}G(f))$ for each f is isomorphic to $\text{curry}(f)$:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 & GF(X) & \\
 GF(\text{curry}G(f)) \swarrow & & \searrow \text{curry}(GF(f)) \\
 GF(Z^Y) & \xrightarrow{\cong} & GF(Z)^{GF(Y)}
 \end{array}$$

Proof. By induction. See `exp.agda`

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Since equivalences reflect equalities and are fully faithful, and GF preserves product structure on the nose, it suffices to show that $GF(\text{curry}G)$ has the universal property (in terms of making the needed triangle commute) of currying in order to confirm that it is the correct currying function for **Ge****b**

Yet this follows as the statement corresponds to the right wall of the following tetrahedron:

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 & & GF(Z) \times GF(Y) & & \\
 & \swarrow \text{curry}(GF(e)) \times 1 & \downarrow GF(\text{curry}G(e)) \times 1 & \searrow GF(e) & \\
 & & GF(X)^{GF(Y)} \times GF(Y) & & \\
 & \swarrow \cong & \downarrow GF(\text{eval}G) & \searrow & \\
 GF(Y \Rightarrow X) \times GF(Y) & \xrightarrow{\quad \text{eval} \quad} & GF(X) & &
 \end{array}$$

as we know the commutativity of all the other sides of the tetrahedron, we are done