

# Reductions and Causality (V)



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# Plan

- a labeled  $\lambda$ -calculus
- lattice of labeled reductions
- labels and redex families
- canonical representatives
- strong normalization
- Hyland-Wadsworth labeled calculus
- labels and types

# Labeled $\lambda$ -calculus

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# A labeled lambda-calculus (1/3)

- Give names to every redex and try make this naming consistent with permutation equivalence.
- Give names to some subterms:

$$M, N, \dots ::= x \mid MN \mid \lambda x.M \mid M^\alpha$$

- Conversion rule is:

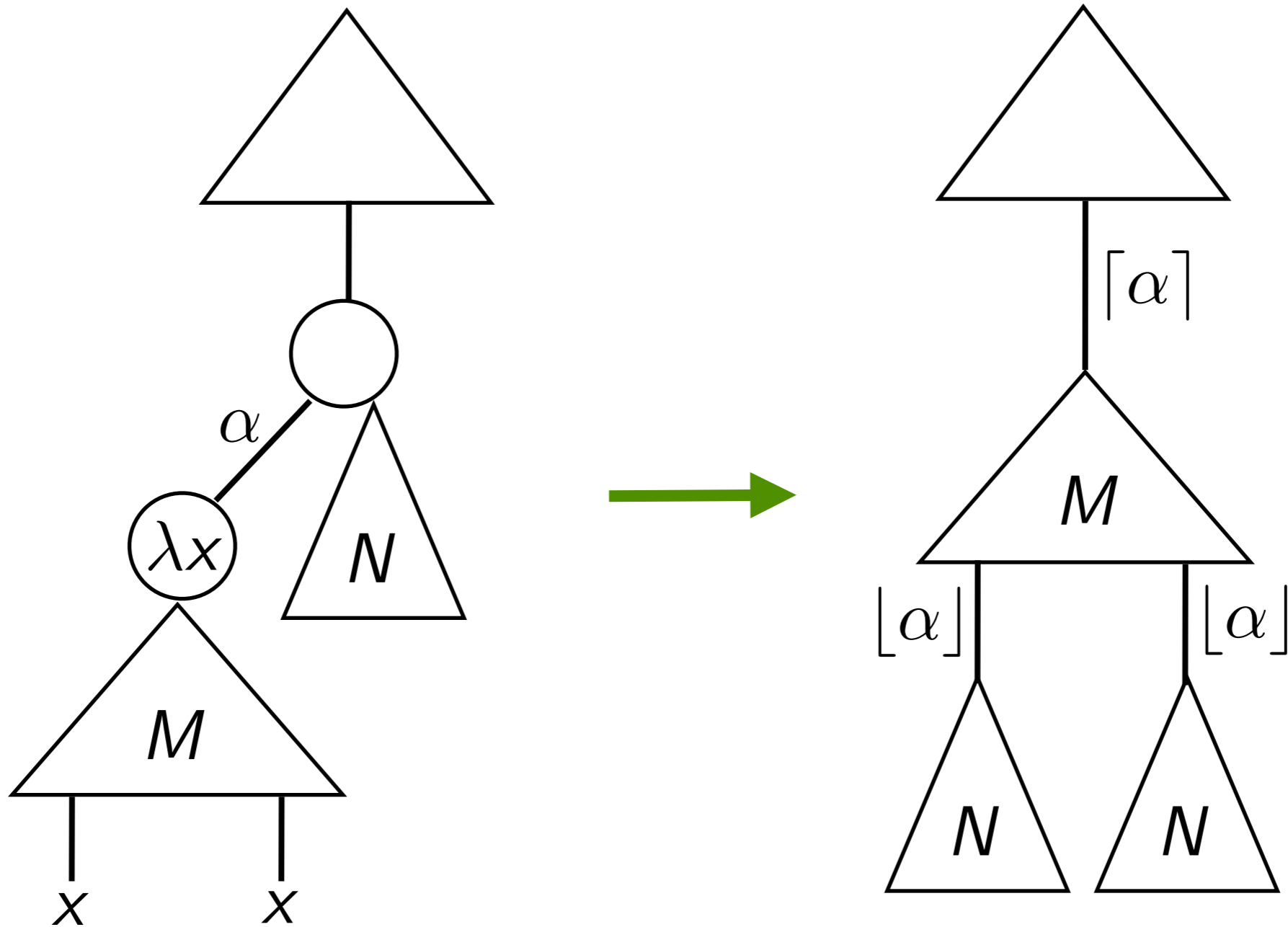
$$(\lambda x.M)^\alpha N \longrightarrow M^{[\alpha]} \{x := N^{[\alpha]}\}$$

$\alpha$  is **name** of redex

where

$$(M^\alpha)^\beta = M^{\alpha\beta} \text{ and } M^\alpha \{x := N\} = (M\{x := N\})^\alpha$$

# A labeled lambda-calculus (2/3)



# A labeled lambda-calculus (3/3)

- Labels are strings of atomic labels:

$$\alpha, \beta, \dots ::= \underbrace{a, b, c, \dots}_{\text{atomic labels}} \mid \overline{a} \mid \underline{a} \mid \alpha\beta \mid \epsilon$$

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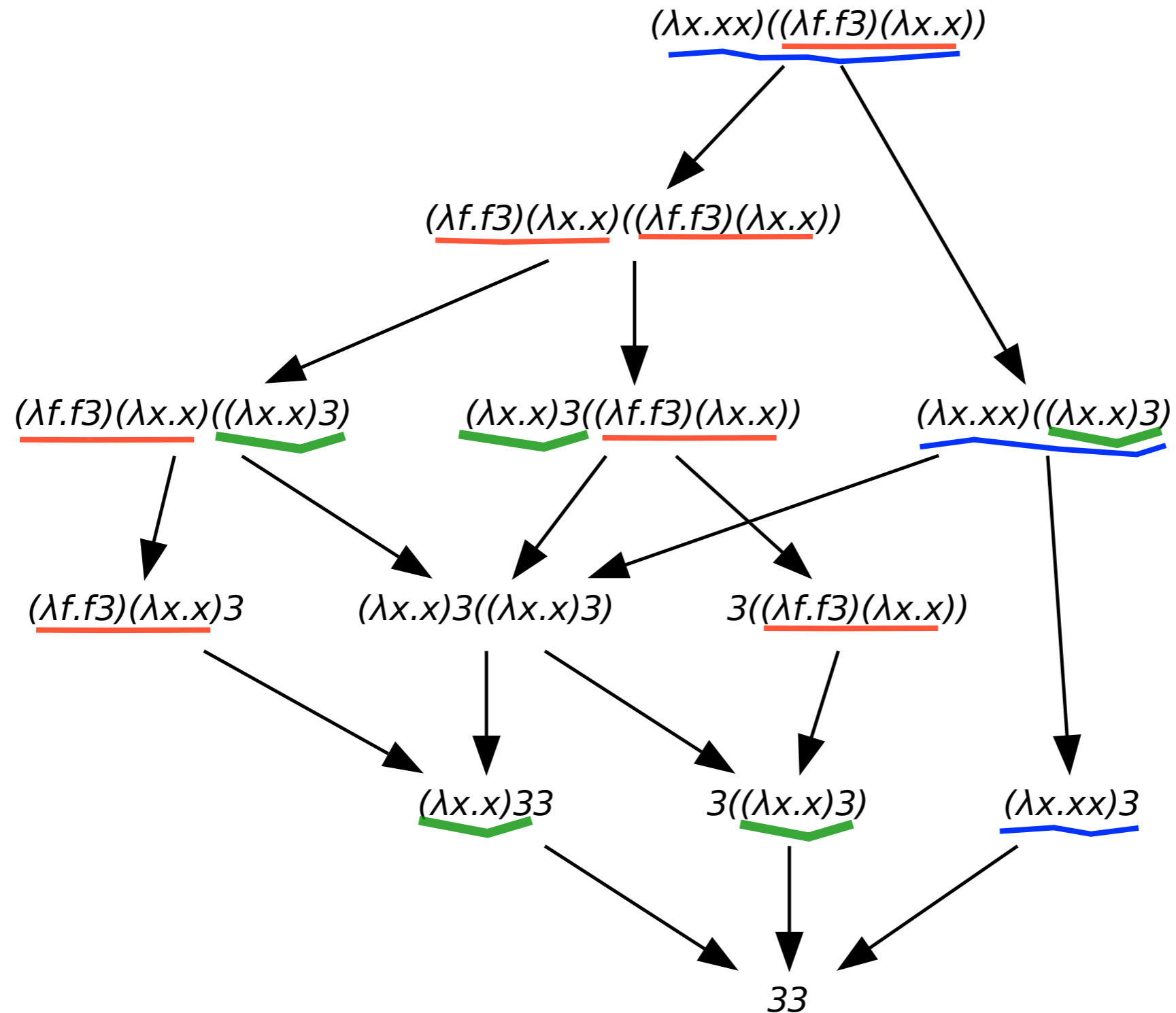
$a, b, c, \dots$  atomic letters

$\overline{a}, \underline{a}, \dots$  overlined, underlined labels

$\alpha\beta$  compound labels

$\epsilon = \underline{\epsilon} = \overline{\epsilon}$  empty label

# Our favorite example



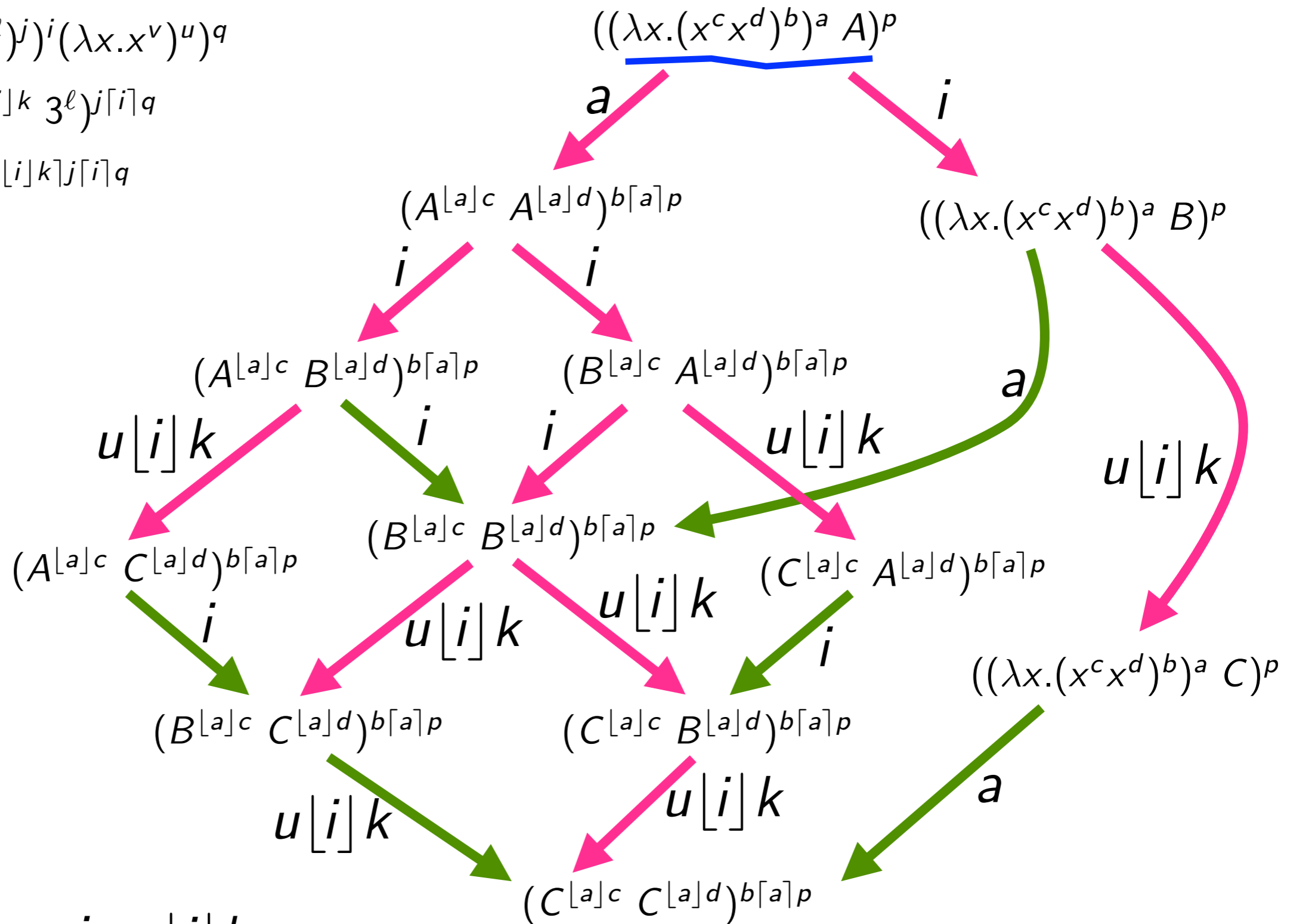
- 3 redex families: **red**, **blue**, **green**.

# Our favorite example

$$A = ((\lambda f.(f^k 3^\ell)^j)^i(\lambda x.x^v)^u)^q$$

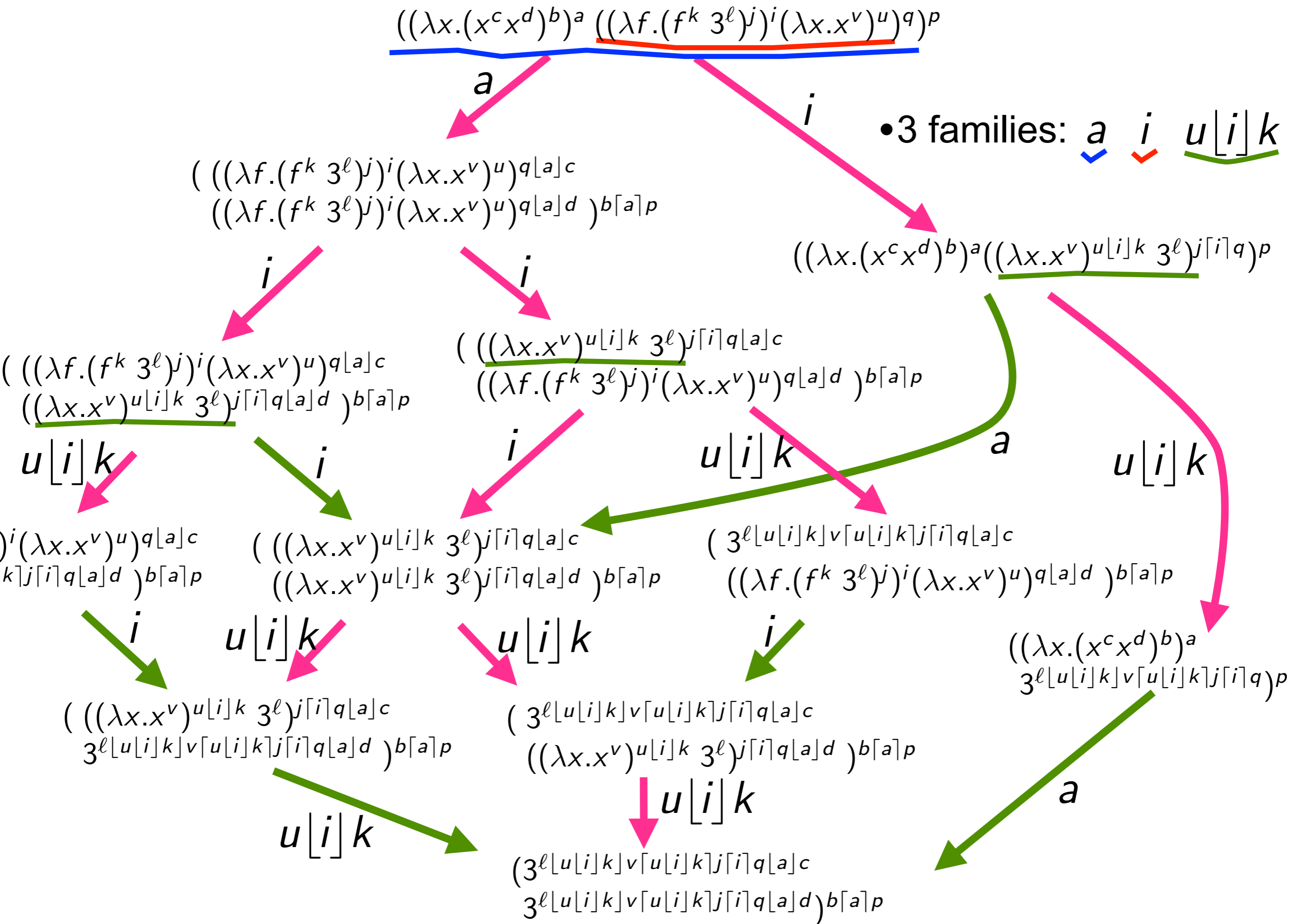
$$B = ((\lambda x.x^v)^{u[i]k} 3^\ell)^{j[i]q}$$

$$C = 3^\ell[u[i]k]v[u[i]k]j[i]q$$

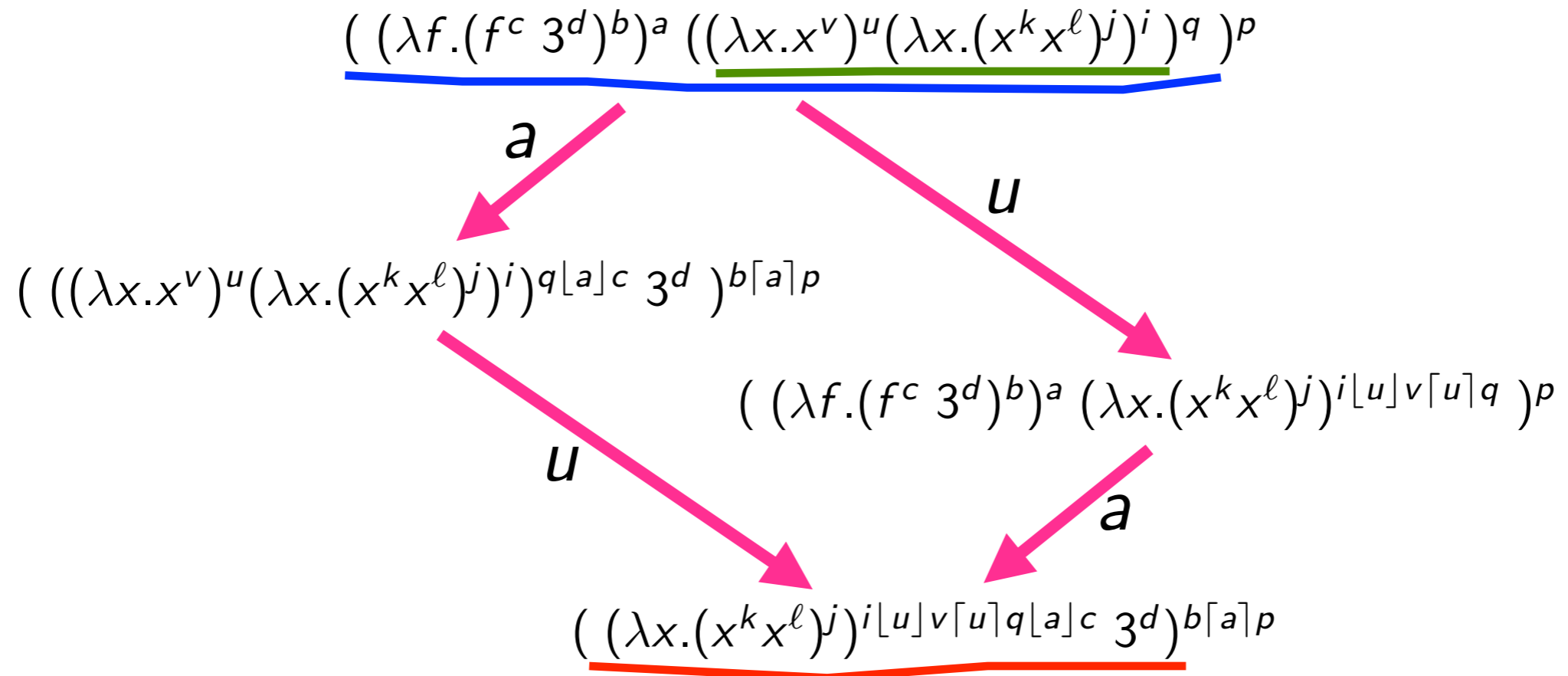


- 3 families:  $\underline{a}$   $\underline{i}$   $\underline{u[i]k}$





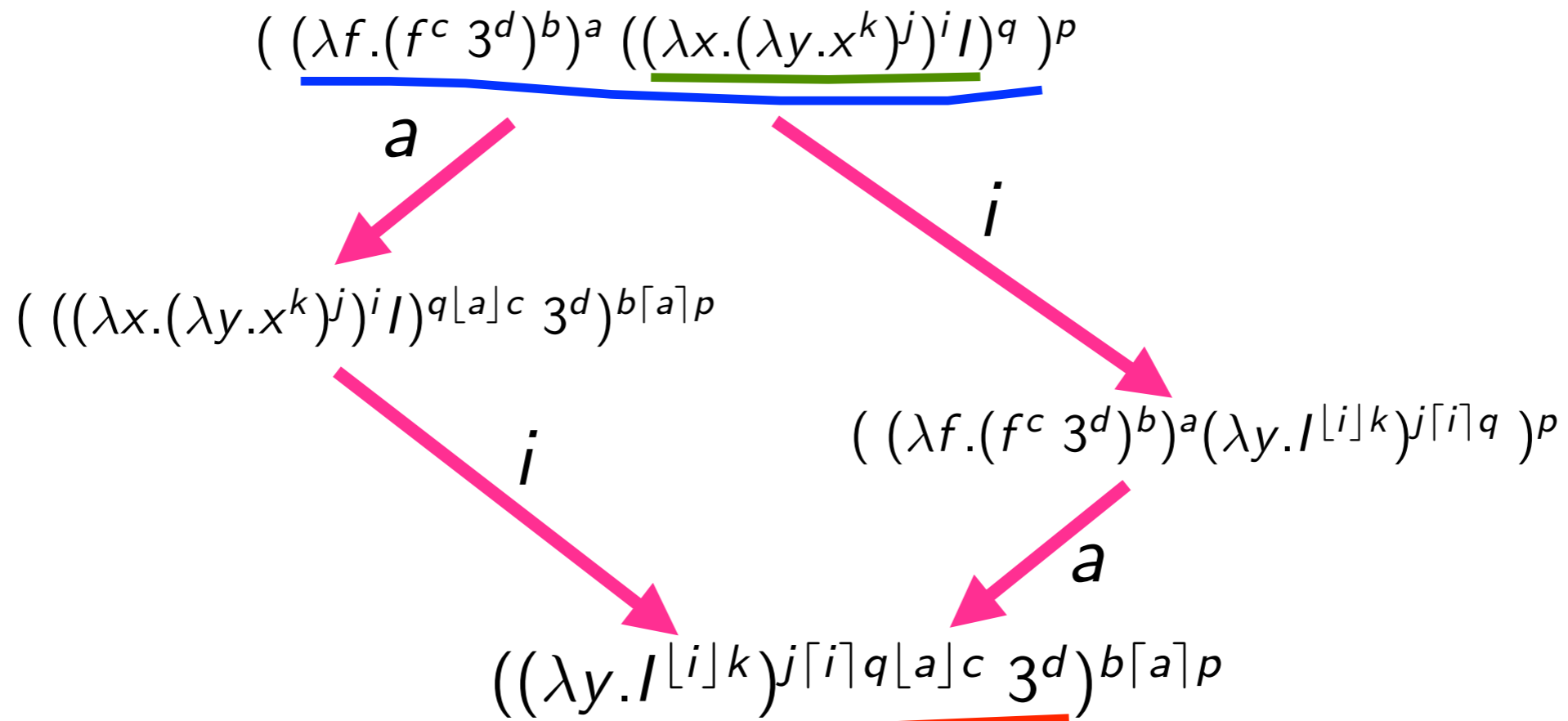
# Creation of redexes (1/3)



• 3 families:  $\underline{a}$   $\underline{u}$   $\underline{i [u] v [u] q [a] c}$

• 2 independent redexes  $a$  and  $u$  creates the new one

# Creation of redexes (2/3)



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# Creation of redexes (3/3)

$$\begin{aligned} & ((\lambda x.(x^c x^d)^b)^a \Delta)^p & \Delta = ((\lambda x.(x^g x^h)^f)^e) \\ & \downarrow \\ & (\Delta^{\alpha_1} \Delta^{\alpha'_1})^{\beta_1} = (\Delta^{[a]c} \Delta^{[a]d})^{b[a]p} \\ & \downarrow \\ & (\Delta^{\alpha_2} \Delta^{\alpha'_2})^{\beta_2} = (\Delta^{[e[a]c]g} \Delta^{[e[a]c]h})^{f[e[a]c]b[a]p} \\ & \downarrow \\ & (\Delta^{\alpha_3} \Delta^{\alpha'_3})^{\beta_3} = (\Delta^{[e[e[a]c]g]g} \Delta^{[e[e[a]c]g]h})^{f[e[e[a]c]g]f[e[a]c]b[a]p} \\ & \vdots \\ & \downarrow \\ & (\Delta^{\alpha_{n+1}} \Delta^{\alpha'_{n+1}})^{\beta_{n+1}} = (\Delta^{[e\alpha_n]g} \Delta^{[e\alpha_n]h})^{f[e\alpha_n]\beta_n} \end{aligned}$$

- infinite number of families

# Permutation equivalence (1/7)

- **Proposition** [residuals of labeled redexes]

$S \in R/\rho$  implies  $\text{name}(R) = \text{name}(S)$

- **Definition** [created redexes] Let  $\langle \rho, R \rangle$  be historical redex.

We say that  $\rho$  **creates**  $R$  when  $\nexists R', R \in R'/\rho$ .

- **Proposition** [created labeled redexes]

If  $S$  creates  $R$ , then  $\text{name}(S)$  is strictly contained in  $\text{name}(R)$ .

# Permutation equivalence (2/7)

**Proof (cont'd)** Created redexes contains names of creator

$$\underbrace{(\lambda x. \dots (x^\beta N) \dots)^\alpha (\lambda y. M)^\gamma}_{\alpha} \rightarrow \dots \underbrace{((\lambda y. M)^{\gamma[\alpha]\beta} N')}_{\gamma[\alpha]\beta} \dots$$

creates

$$\underbrace{((\lambda x. (\lambda y. M)^\gamma)^\alpha N)^\beta P}_{\alpha} \rightarrow \underbrace{(\lambda y. M')^{\gamma[\alpha]\beta} P}_{\gamma[\alpha]\beta}$$

creates

$$\underbrace{((\lambda x. x^\gamma)^\alpha (\lambda y. M)^\delta)^\beta N}_{\alpha} \rightarrow \underbrace{(\lambda y. M)^{\delta[\alpha]\gamma[\alpha]\beta} N}_{\delta[\alpha]\gamma[\alpha]\beta}$$

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# Permutation equivalence (3/7)

- **Labeled laws**  $M^\alpha \{x := N\} = (M\{x := N\})^\alpha$        $(M^\alpha)^\beta = M^{\alpha\beta}$

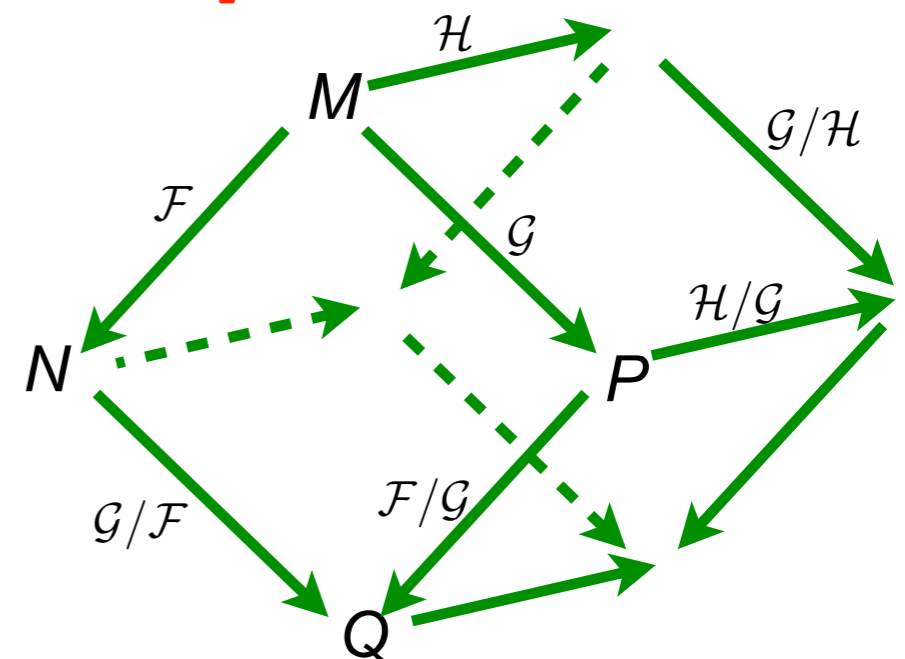
If  $M \longrightarrow N$ , then  $M^\alpha \longrightarrow N^\alpha$

- **Labeled parallel moves lemma+** [74]

If  $M \xrightarrow{\mathcal{F}} N$  and  $M \xrightarrow{\mathcal{G}} P$ , then  $N \xrightarrow{\mathcal{G}/\mathcal{F}} Q$  and  $P \xrightarrow{\mathcal{F}/\mathcal{G}} Q$   
for some  $Q$ .

- **Parallel moves lemma++** [The Cube Lemma]

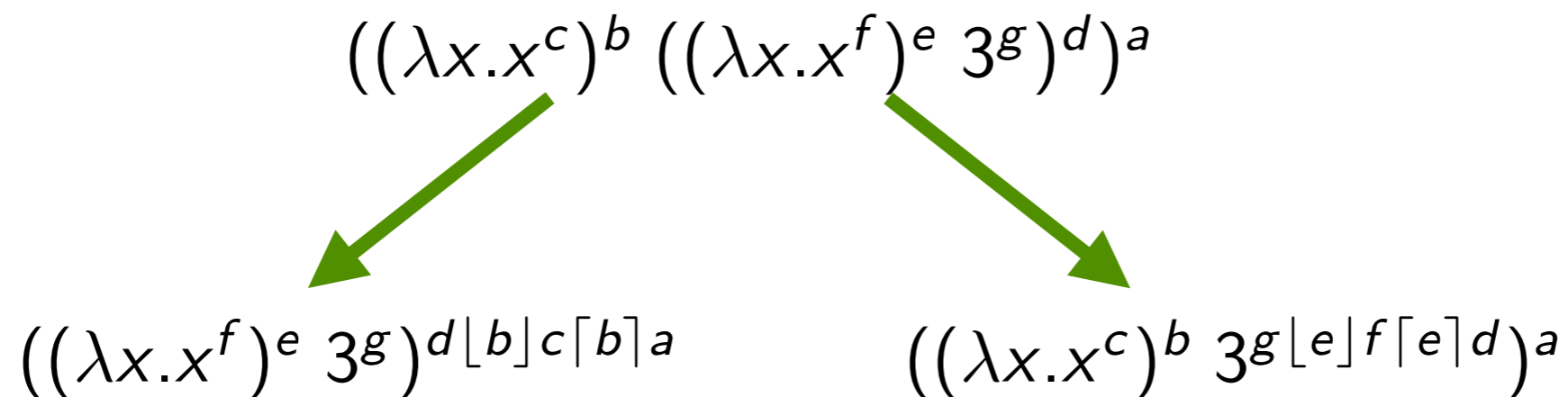
still holds.



# Permutation equivalence (4/7)

- Labels do not break Church-Rosser, nor residuals
- Labels refine  $\lambda$ -calculus:
  - any unlabeled reduction can be performed in the labeled calculus
  - but two cofinal unlabeled reductions may no longer be cofinal

Take  $I(I3)$  with  $I = \lambda x.x$ .





# Permutation equivalence (5/7)

- **Definition** [pure labeled calculus]

Pure labeled terms are labeled terms where all subterms have non empty labels.

- **Theorem** [labeled permutation equivalence, 76]

Let  $\rho$  and  $\sigma$  be coinitial pure labeled reductions.

Then  $\rho \simeq \sigma$  iff  $\rho$  and  $\sigma$  are labeled cofinal.

**Proof** Let  $\rho \simeq \sigma$ . Then obvious because of labeled parallel moves lemma.

Conversely, we apply standardization thm and following lemma.

- **Lemma** [uniqueness of pure labeled standard reductions]

**Proof ...**

# Permutation equivalence (6/7)

## Proof [uniqueness of labeled standard]

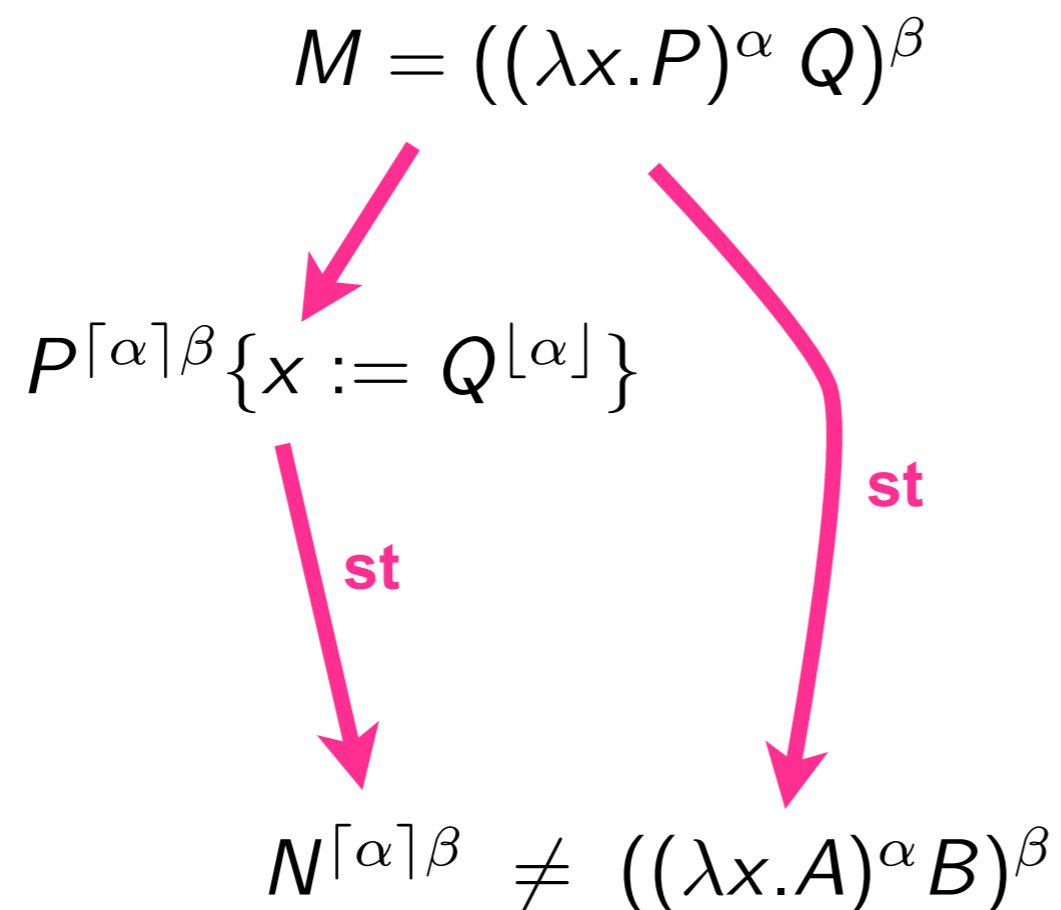
Let  $\rho$  and  $\sigma$  be 2 distinct coinitial pure labeled standard reductions.

Take first step when they diverge. Call  $M$  that term.

We make structural induction on  $M$ . Say  $\rho$  is more to the left.

If first step of  $\rho$  contracts an internal redex, we use induction.

If first step of  $\rho$  contracts an external redex, then:



# Permutation equivalence (7/7)

- **Corollary** [labeled prefix ordering]

Let  $\rho : M \xrightarrow{\star} N$  and  $\sigma : M \xrightarrow{\star} P$  be coinitial pure labeled reductions.  
Then  $\rho \sqsubseteq \sigma$  iff  $N \xrightarrow{\star} P$ .

- **Corollary** [lattice of labeled reductions]

Labeled reduction graphs are upwards semi lattices for any pure labeling.

- **Exercise** Try on  $(\lambda x.x)((\lambda y.(\lambda x.x)a)b)$  or  $(\lambda x.xx)(\lambda x.xx)$

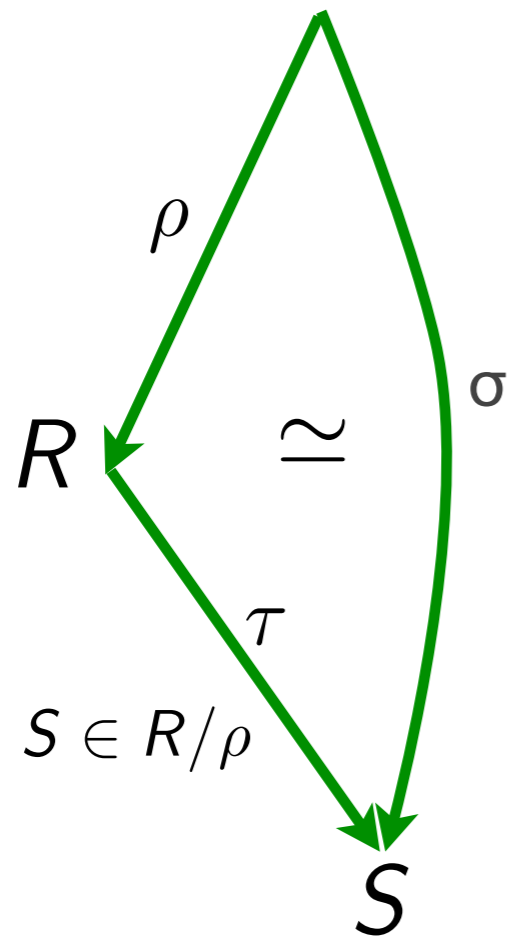
# Redex families

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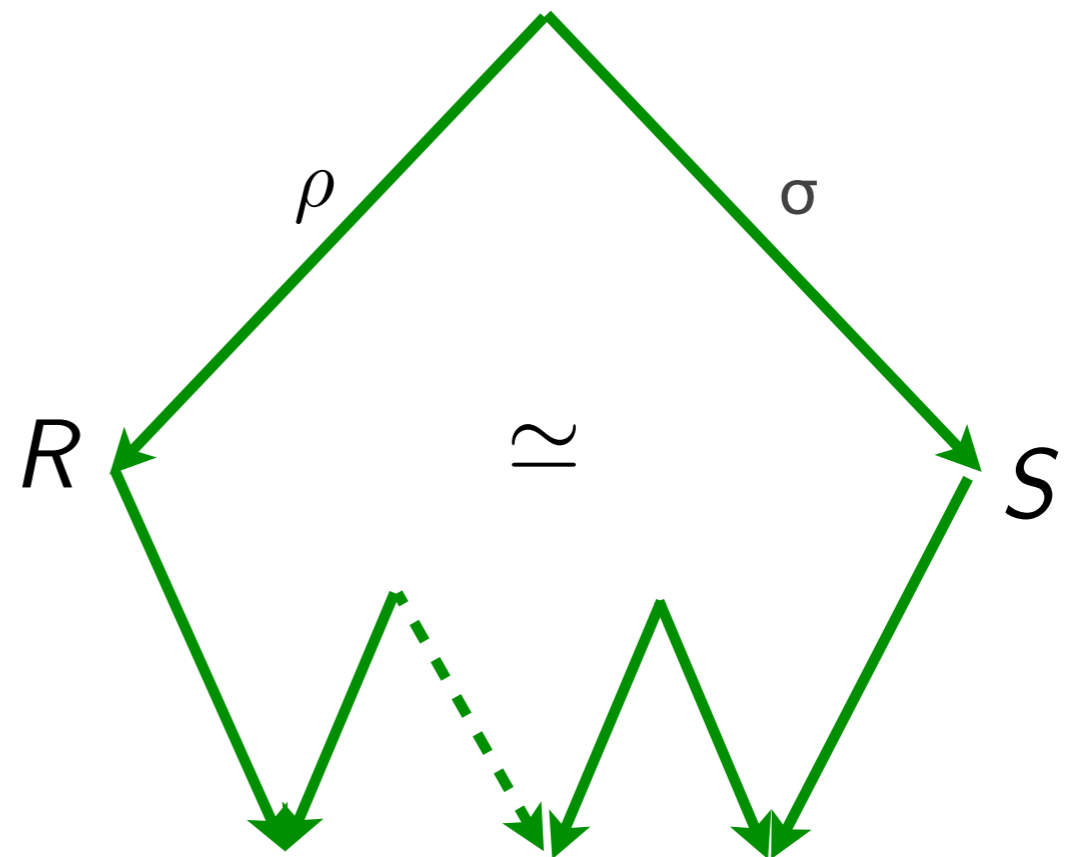


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# Labels and history (1/4)



$$\langle \rho, R \rangle \leq \langle \sigma, S \rangle$$



$$\langle \rho, R \rangle \sim \langle \sigma, S \rangle$$



$$\text{name}(R) = \text{name}(S)$$

# Labels and history (2/4)

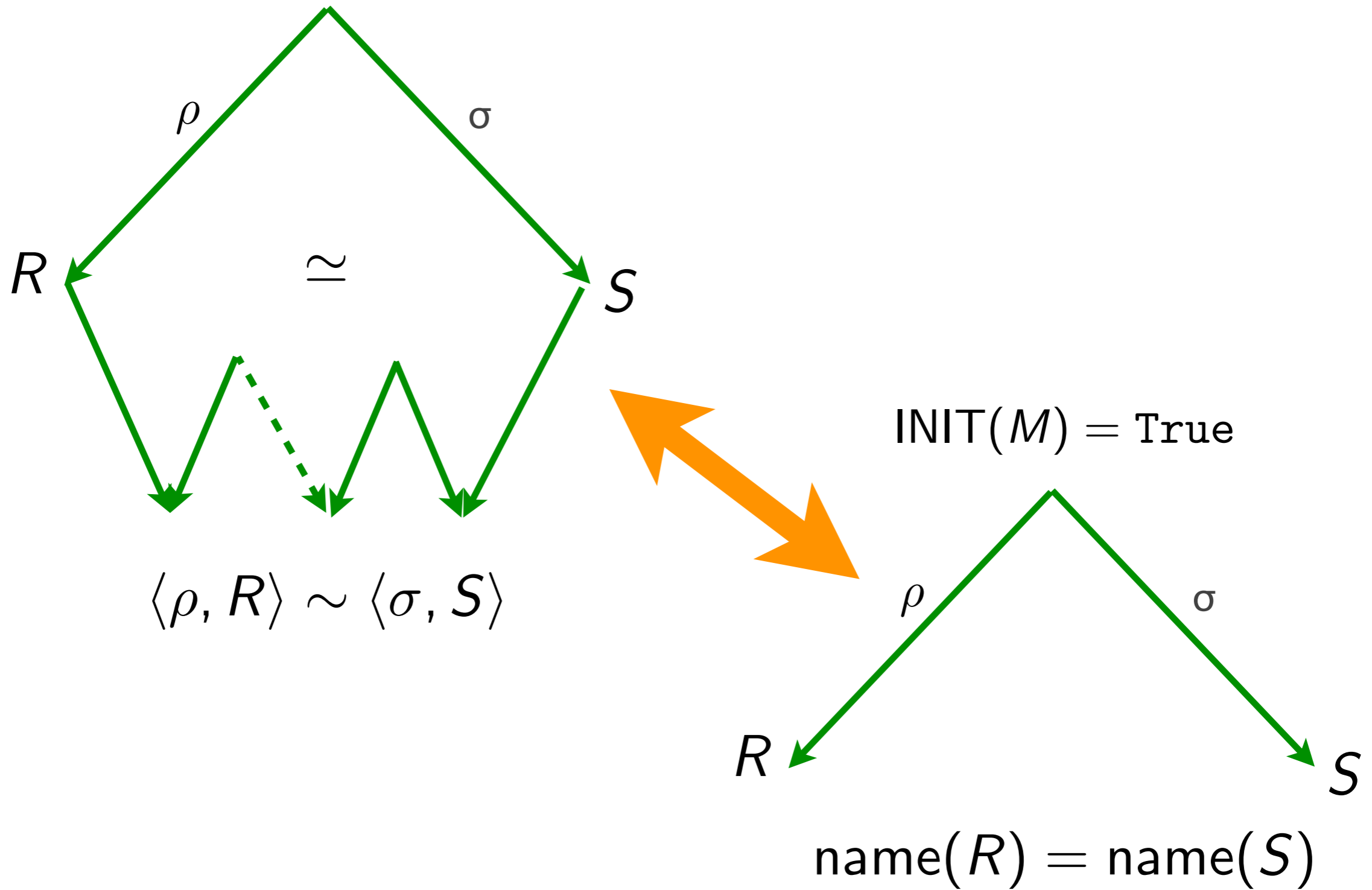
- **Proposition** [same history  $\rightarrow$  same name]

In the labeled  $\lambda$ -calculus, for any labeling, we have:

$$\langle \rho, R \rangle \sim \langle \sigma, S \rangle \text{ implies } \text{name}(R) = \text{name}(S)$$

- The opposite direction is clearly not true for any labeling  
(For instance, take all labels equal)
- But it is true when all labels are distinct atomic letters in the initial term.
- **Definition** [all labels distinct letters]  
 $\text{INIT}(M) = \text{True}$  when all labels in  $M$  are distinct letters.

# Labels and history (3/4)



# Labels and history (4/4)

- **Theorem** [same history = same name, 76]

When  $\text{INIT}(M)$  and reductions  $\rho$  and  $\sigma$  start from  $M$  :

$$\langle \rho, R \rangle \sim \langle \sigma, S \rangle \text{ iff } \text{name}(R) = \text{name}(S)$$

- **Corollary** [decidability of family relation]

The family relation is decidable (although complexity is proportional to length of standard reduction).



# Finite developments

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# Parallel steps revisited (1/3)

- parallel steps were defined with inside-out strategy  
[a la Martin-Löf]
- can we take any order as reduction strategy ?
- **Definition** A **reduction relative** to a set  $\mathcal{F}$  of redexes in  $M$  is any reduction contracting only residuals of  $\mathcal{F}$ .  
A **development** of  $\mathcal{F}$  is any maximal relative reduction of  $\mathcal{F}$ .

# Parallel steps revisited (2/3)

- **Theorem** [Finite Developments, Curry, 50]

Let  $\mathcal{F}$  be set of redexes in  $M$ .

- (1) there are no infinite relative reductions of  $\mathcal{F}$ ,
  - (2) they all finish on same term  $N$
  - (3) Let  $R$  be redex in  $M$ . Residuals of  $R$  by all finite developments of  $\mathcal{F}$  are the same.
- Similar to parallel moves lemma, but we considered particular inside-out reduction strategy.

# Parallel steps revisited (3/3)

- **Notation'** [parallel reduction steps]

Let  $\mathcal{F}$  be set of redexes in  $M$ . We write  $M \xrightarrow{\mathcal{F}} N$   
if a development of  $\mathcal{F}$  connects  $M$  to  $N$ .

- This notation is consistent with previous results
- Corollaries of FD thm are also parallel moves + cube lemmas

# Finite and infinite reductions (1/3)

- **Definition** A **reduction relative** to a set  $\mathcal{F}$  of redex families is any reduction contracting redexes in families of  $\mathcal{F}$ .

A **development** of  $\mathcal{F}$  is any maximal relative reduction.

- **Theorem** [Finite Developments+, 76]

Let  $\mathcal{F}$  be a finite set of redex families.

- (1) there are no infinite reductions relative to  $\mathcal{F}$ ,
- (2) they all finish on same term  $N$
- (3) All developments are equivalent by permutations.

# Finite and infinite reductions (2/3)

- **Corollary** An **infinite reduction** contracts an **infinite set of redex families**.
- **Corollary** The first-order typed  $\lambda$ -calculus strongly terminates.

**Proof** In first-order typed  $\lambda$ -calculus:

- (1) residuals  $R' = (\lambda x.M')N'$  of  $R = (\lambda x.M)N$  keep the same type of the function part
- (2) new redexes have lower type of their function part

# Finite and infinite reductions (3/3)

**Proof (cont'd)** Created redexes have lower type

$$\frac{(\lambda x. \dots xN \dots) (\lambda y. M)}{\sigma \rightarrow \tau} \xrightarrow{\text{creates}} \dots (\lambda y. M) N' \dots$$

The diagram shows a reduction step. On the left, the expression  $(\lambda x. \dots xN \dots) (\lambda y. M)$  is underlined in orange, with  $\sigma \rightarrow \tau$  below it. A purple underline is under  $\lambda y. M$ , with  $\sigma$  below it. A green arrow points to the right-hand side expression  $\dots (\lambda y. M) N' \dots$ , which is underlined in orange. A red arrow labeled "creates" points from the left-hand side to the right-hand side.

$$\frac{(\lambda x. \lambda y. M) NP}{\sigma \rightarrow \tau} \xrightarrow{\text{creates}} (\lambda y. M') P$$

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$$\frac{(\lambda x. x) (\lambda y. M) N}{\sigma \rightarrow \sigma} \xrightarrow{\text{creates}} (\lambda y. M) N$$

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# Inside-out reductions

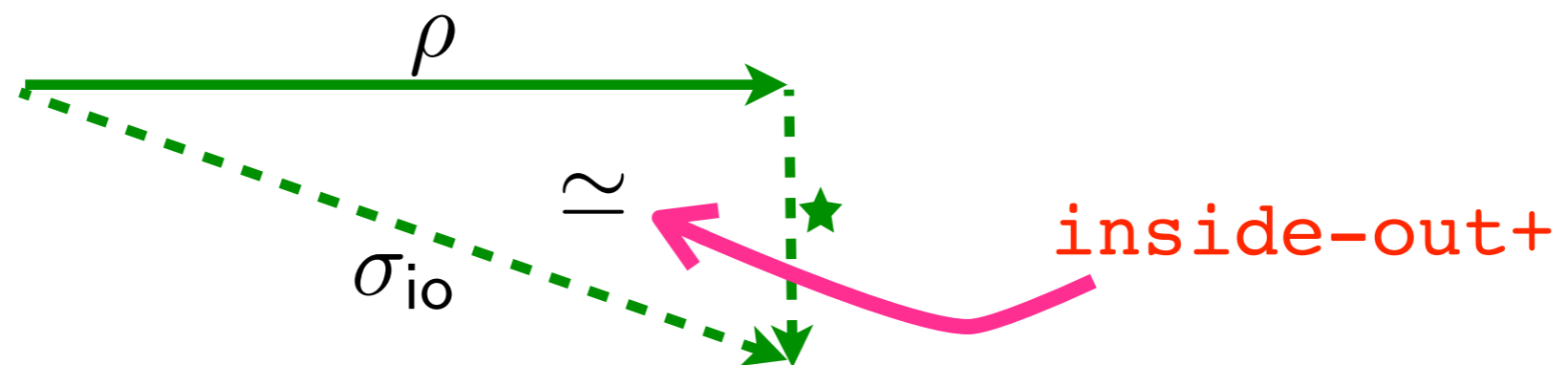
- **Definition:** The following reduction is **inside-out**

$$\rho : M = M_0 \xrightarrow{R_1} M_1 \xrightarrow{R_2} M_2 \cdots \xrightarrow{R_n} M_n = N$$

iff for all  $i$  and  $j$ ,  $i < j$ , then  $R_j$  is not residual along  $\rho$  of some  $R'_j$  inside  $R_i$  in  $M_{i-1}$ .

- **Theorem** [Inside-out completeness, 74]

Let  $M \xrightarrow{\star} N$ . Then  $M \xrightarrow[\text{io}]{\star} P$  and  $N \xrightarrow{\star} P$  for some  $P$ .





# Exercices

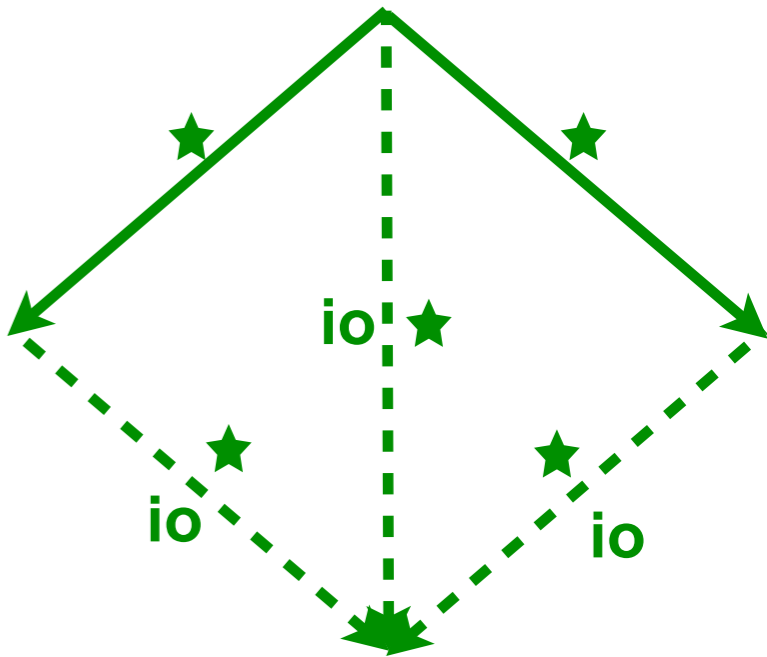
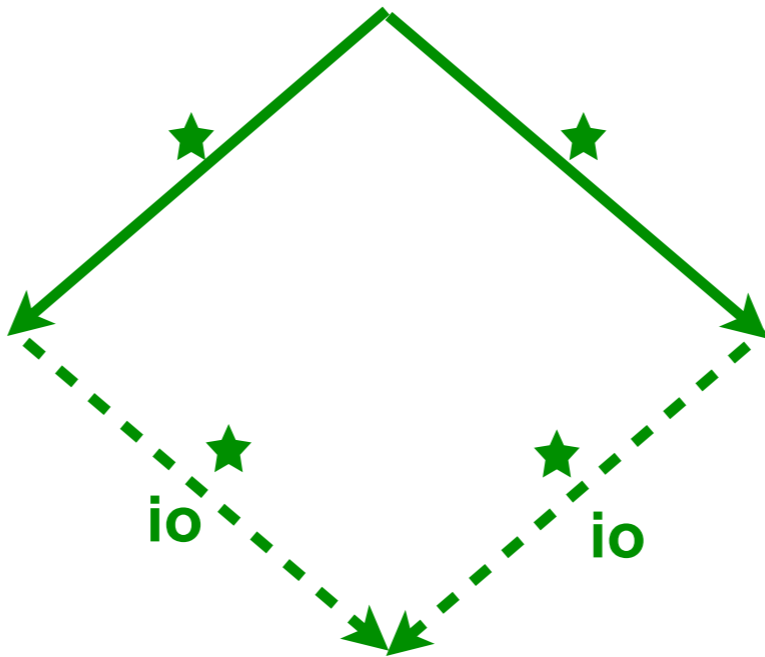
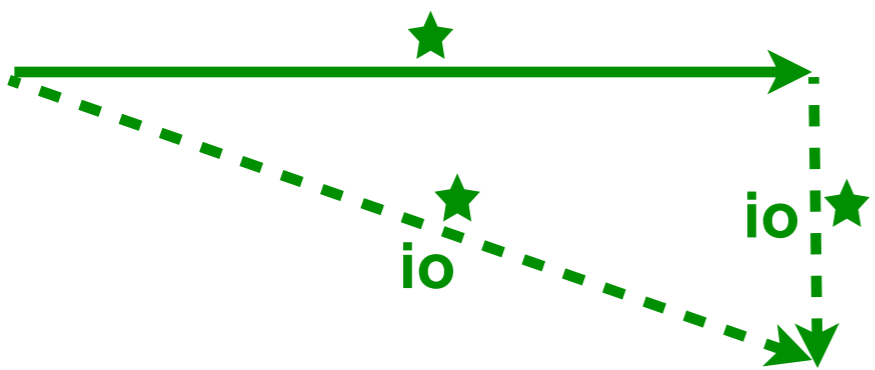
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# Exercices

- Show



# Strong normalization

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# Strong normalization (1/3)

- Another labeled  $\lambda$ -calculus was considered to study Scott D-infinity model [Hyland-Wadsworth, 74]

- D-infinity projection functions on each subterm ( $n$  is any integer):

$$M, N, \dots ::= x^n \mid (MN)^n \mid (\lambda x.M)^n$$

- Conversion rule is:

$$((\lambda x.M)^{n+1} N)^p \longrightarrow M\{x := N_{[n]}\}_{[n][p]}$$

$n + 1$  is **degree** of redex

$$U_{[m][n]} = U_{[p]} \quad \text{where } p = \min\{m, n\}$$

$$x^n \{x := M\} = M_{[n]}$$

# Strong normalization (2/3)

- **Proposition** Hyland-Wadsworth calculus is derivable from labeled calculus by simple homomorphism on labels.

**Proof** Assign an integer to any atomic letter and take:

$$h(\alpha\beta) = \min\{h(\alpha), h(\beta)\}$$

$$h(\lceil\alpha\rceil) = h(\lfloor\alpha\rfloor) = h(\alpha) - 1$$

- **Proposition** Hyland-Wadsworth calculus strongly normalizes.
- **Corollary** When only a finite set of redex degrees is contracted, there is strong normalization.