

# Staged multi-result supercompilation

(Filtering by transformation)

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# Problem solving by multi-result supercompilation

A popular approach to problem solving is *trial and error*:

- Generate alternatives.
- Evaluate alternatives.
- Select the best alternatives.

Using a multi-result supercompiler `mrsc` and a filter `filter` we get a “problem solver”

$$\text{solver} = \text{filter} \circ \text{mrsc}$$

Thus

- Instead of trying to guess, which variant is “the best” one, we *produce* a collection of residual graphs:  $g_1, g_2, \dots, g_k$ .
- And then *filter* this collection according to some criteria.

# What is good and what is bad

## Design:

*solver = filter ◦ mrsc*

**Good:** this design is modular and gives a clear separation of concerns.

- *mrsc* is a general-purpose tool.
- *filter* incorporates some knowledge about the problem domain.
- *mrsc* knows nothing about the problem domain.
- *filter* knows nothing about supercompilation.

**Bad:** the process is time and space consuming.

- *mrsc* can produce millions of residual graphs!

# Exploiting monotonicity of filters

## Monotonicity:

- If some parts of a partially constructed residual graph are "bad", then the completed residual graph is also certain to be a "bad" one.

**A solution:** fusing filtering and constructing.

*solver' = fuse filter mrsc*

Andrei V. Klimov, Ilya G. Klyuchnikov, Sergei A. Romanenko. **Automatic Verification of Counter Systems via Domain-Specific Multi-Result Supercompilation.** In Third International Valentin Turchin Workshop on Metacomputation (Proceedings of the Third International Valentin Turchin Workshop on Metacomputation. Pereslavl-Zalessky, Russia, July 5-9, 2012). A.V. Klimov and S.A. Romanenko, Ed. - Pereslavl-Zalessky: Ailamazyan University of Pereslavl, 2012, 260 p. ISBN 978-5-901795-28-6, pages 112-141.

## Bad:

- Fusion destroys modularity.
- Every time filter is modified, the fusion of mrsc and filter has to be repeated.

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# Staged mrsc: multiple results represented as a residual program

A “naive” multi-result supercompiler is decomposed into 2 stages:

$$\text{naive-mrsc} \doteq \langle\langle \_ \rangle\rangle \circ \text{lazy-mrsc}$$

Or, given an initial configuration  $c$ ,

$$\text{naive-mrsc } c = \langle\langle \text{lazy-mrsc } c \rangle\rangle$$

where `lazy-mrsc` generates a compact representation of a set of graphs, which is then interpreted by  $\langle\langle \_ \rangle\rangle$ , to actually produce graphs of configurations.

*Extensional equality*

$$f \doteq g \quad \text{means that} \quad \forall x \rightarrow f \ x = g \ x$$

*Mixfix notation (Agda)*

$$\text{if\_then\_else\_ } p \ x \ y \quad \text{is equivalent to} \quad \text{if } p \ \text{then } x \ \text{else } y$$



# The way to staged mrsc

This is achieved by the following steps.

- Replacing the original small-step supercompiler `mrsc` with a big-step supercompiler `naive-mrsc`.
- Identifying some operations in `naive-mrsc` related to the calculation of Cartesian products.
- Rewriting `naive-mrsc` into `lazy-mrsc`, which, instead of calculating Cartesian products immediately, outputs requests for  $\langle\langle\_ \rangle\rangle$  to calculate them at the second stage.

## Staging: big-step $\rightarrow$ small-step

- *Small-step* supercompilation: rewriting the graph of configuration step-by-step.

$$g_0 \rightarrow g_1 \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow g_n \rightarrow g$$

(This is a generalization of small-step operational semantics.)

- *Big-step* supercompilation: building the subgraphs and then building the graph.

$$g = \text{build}(g_1, g_2, \dots, g_k)$$

(This is a generalization of big-step, or “natural” operational semantics.)

The MRSC Toolkit implements small-step multi-result supercompilation:

Ilya G. Klyuchnikov, Sergei A. Romanenko. **Formalizing and Implementing Multi-Result Supercompilation**. In Third International Valentin Turchin Workshop on Metacomputation (Proceedings of the Third International Valentin Turchin Workshop on Metacomputation. Pereslavl-Zalessky, Russia, July 5-9, 2012). A.V. Klimov and S.A. Romanenko, Ed. - Pereslavl-Zalessky: Ailamazyan University of Pereslavl, 2012, 260 p. ISBN 978-5-901795-28-6, pages 142-164.

## Staging: delaying Cartesian products

At some places, `naive-mrsc` calculates "Cartesian products".

- Suppose, a graph  $g$  is to be constructed from  $k$  subgraphs  $g_1, \dots, g_k$ .
- `naive-mrsc` computes  $k$  sets of graphs  $gs_1, \dots, gs_k$ .
- And then considers all possible  $g_i \in gs_i$  for  $i = 1, \dots, k$  and constructs corresponding versions of the graph  $g = \text{build}(g_1, \dots, g_k)$ .

`lazy-mrsc` generates a "lazy graph", which, essentially, is a "program" to be "executed" by  $\langle\langle\_ \rangle\rangle$ .

Unlike `naive-mrsc`, `lazy-mrsc` does not calculate Cartesian products immediately: instead, it outputs requests for  $\langle\langle\_ \rangle\rangle$  to calculate them at the second stage.

Thus

$$\text{naive-mrsc} \doteq \langle\langle\_ \rangle\rangle \circ \text{lazy-mrsc}$$

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# First generating, then filtering

Let  $c$  be the initial configuration. We can produce and filter the collection of graphs in two ways.

- 1 By the direct generation of the collection of graphs, followed by filtering:

```
gs = filter (naive-mrsc c)
```

- 2 By generating a compact representation of the collection of graphs, followed by the generation of graphs, followed by filtering:

```
gs = filter << lazy-mrsc c >>
```

## A problem

In both cases the selection of best solutions is done by generating **all** the graphs. And there may be, **millions**...

## Conclusion

Compact representation for collections of graphs *seems* to be **of no use**.

# First filtering, then generating. Is it possible?

What about pushing `filter` over  $\langle\langle\_ \rangle\rangle$ ?

## Definition

A function `clean` is a `cleaner` of lazy graphs if for a lazy graph `l`

$$\langle\langle \text{clean } l \rangle\rangle \subseteq \langle\langle l \rangle\rangle$$

Given a filter `filter`, let `clean` be a cleaner, such that

$$\text{filter} \circ \langle\langle\_ \rangle\rangle \stackrel{\circ}{=} \langle\langle\_ \rangle\rangle \circ \text{clean}$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} \text{filter} \circ \text{mrsc} &\stackrel{\circ}{=} \\ \text{filter} \circ \langle\langle\_ \rangle\rangle \circ \text{lazy-mrsc} &\stackrel{\circ}{=} \\ \langle\langle\_ \rangle\rangle \circ \text{clean} \circ \text{lazy-mrsc} & \end{aligned}$$

## Conclusion

Now cleaning is done **before** the actual generation of graphs.

## Some cleaners of practical importance

It is easy to implement cleaners that perform the following tasks.

- Removing subtrees that represent empty sets of graphs.
- Removes subtrees that contain “bad” configurations.
- Selecting subtrees of minimal size.

The above cleaners produce results **in linear time**.

# What are the advantages?

- The construction is **modular**: `lazy-mrsc` and  $\langle\langle\_ \rangle\rangle$  do not have to know anything about filtering, while `clean` does not have to know anything about `lazy-mrsc` and  $\langle\langle\_ \rangle\rangle$ .
- Cleaners are **composable**: we can decompose a sophisticated cleaner into a composition of simpler cleaners.
- In many cases (of practical importance) cleaners can be implemented in such a way that the best graphs can be extracted from a lazy graph **in linear time**.



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# Decomposing *lazy-mrsc*

Using **codata** and **corecursion**, we can decompose **lazy-mrsc**:

$$\text{lazy-mrsc} \stackrel{\circ}{=} \text{prune-cograph} \circ \text{build-cograph}$$

where

- **build-cograph** constructs a (potentially) infinite tree.
- **prune-cograph** traverses this tree and turns it into a (finite) lazy graph.

## **Modularity:**

- **build-cograph** uses driving and rebuilding. Knows nothing about the whistle.
- **prune-cograph** uses the whistle. Knows nothing about driving and rebuilding.

# Cleaning before whistling

Suppose that

$$\text{clean} \circ \text{prune-cograph} \stackrel{\circ}{=} \text{prune-cograph} \circ \text{clean}\infty$$

where

- `clean` is a lazy graph cleaner.
- `clean` $\infty$  a cograph cleaner.

Then

$$\begin{aligned} \text{clean} \circ \text{lazy-mrsc} &\stackrel{\circ}{=} \\ &\text{clean} \circ \text{prune-cograph} \circ \text{build-cograph} \stackrel{\circ}{=} \\ &\text{prune-cograph} \circ \text{clean}\infty \circ \text{build-cograph} \end{aligned}$$

A good thing

`build-cograph` and `clean` $\infty$  work in a **lazy** way, generating subtrees **by demand!**

# What are the advantages?

Evaluating

```
⟨⟨ prune-cograph (clean∞ (build-cograph c)) ⟩⟩
```

is likely to be less time and space consuming than directly evaluating

```
⟨⟨ clean (lazy-mrsc c) ⟩⟩
```

A cograph cleaner working in linear time:

- Removing subtrees that contain “bad” configurations.

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# An (executable) model of big-step multi-result supercompilation in Agda

## The project in Agda

*<https://github.com/sergei-romanenko/staged-mrsc-agda>*

## What is implemented?

- An abstract model in Agda of big-step multi-result supercompilation. A formal proof is given of the fact that

$$\forall (c : \text{Conf}) \rightarrow \text{naive-mrsc } c \equiv \ll \text{lazy-mrsc } c \gg$$

- The abstract model is instantiated to produce a multi-result supercompiler for counter systems.

Ilya G. Klyuchnikov and Sergei A. Romanenko. MRSC: a toolkit for building multi-result supercompilers. Preprint 77, Keldysh Institute of Applied Mathematics, 2011. URL: <http://library.keldysh.ru/preprint.asp?lg=e&id=2011-77>.

Ilya G. Klyuchnikov, Sergei A. Romanenko. Formalizing and Implementing Multi-Result Supercompilation. In *Third International Valentin Turchin Workshop on Metacomputation (Proceedings of the Third International Valentin Turchin Workshop on Metacomputation. Pereslavl-Zalessky, Russia, July 5-9, 2012)*. A.V. Klimov and S.A. Romanenko, Ed. - Pereslavl-Zalessky: Ailamazyan University of Pereslavl, 2012, 260 p. ISBN 978-5-901795-28-6, pages 142-164.

- The MRSC Toolkit is a **generic** framework.
- No means for formulating **properties** supercompilers and/or proving their **correctness**.

Dimitur N. Krustev. **A simple supercompiler formally verified in Coq.** In *A. P. Nemytykh, editor, Second International Valentin Turchin Memorial Workshop on Metacomputation in Russia, Pereslavl-Zalessky, Russia, July 1–5, 2010*, pages 102–127. Ailamazyan University of Pereslavl, Pereslavl-Zalessky, 2010.

- The **first** formally verified supercompiler.
- A **specific** supercompiler for a specific language.

Dimitur N. Krustev. *Towards a Framework for Building Formally Verified Supercompilers in Coq.* In *Proceedings of the 13th International Symposium on Trends in Functional Programming (TFP 2012), St Andrews, UK, June 12-14, 2012*. Lecture Notes in Computer Science Volume 7829, 2013, pp 133–148.

- This framework is **generic**.
- It formalizes “traditional” **single-result** supercompilation.



# Graphs of configurations

```
data Graph (C : Set) : Set where
  back  : ∀ (c : C) → Graph C
  forth : ∀ (c : C) (gs : List (Graph C)) → Graph C
```

- We abstract away from the concrete structure of configurations.
- Arrows in the graph carry no information (if needed, this information can be kept inside “configurations”).
- `back c` means that `c` is foldable to (at least one) parent configuration.

Forth-nodes are produced by

- decomposing a configuration into a number of other configurations (e.g. by driving), or
- by rewriting a configuration by another one (e.g. by generalization, or applying a lemma during two-level supercompilation).

## “Worlds” of supercompilation 1/2

```
record ScWorld : Set1 where
  field
    Conf : Set
     $\sqsubseteq$  : (c c' : Conf) → Set
     $\sqsubseteq?$  : (c c' : Conf) → Dec (c  $\sqsubseteq$  c')
     $\Rightarrow$  : (c : Conf) → List (List Conf)
    whistle : BarWhistle Conf
  ...
```

- `Conf` is the type of “configurations”.
- $\sqsubseteq$  is a “foldability relation”.  $c \sqsubseteq c'$  means that  $c$  is foldable to  $c'$ .
- $\sqsubseteq?$  is a decision procedure for  $\sqsubseteq$ . This procedure is necessary for implementing supercompilation in functional form.
- $\Rightarrow$  produces possible decompositions of a configuration. Let  $cs \in (c \Rightarrow)$ . Then  $c$  can be decomposed into configurations  $cs$ .
- `whistle` is used to ensure termination of functional supercompilation.

## “Worlds” of supercompilation 2/2

```
record ScWorld : Set1 where
...
  History : Set
  History = List Conf

  Foldable : ∀ (h : History) (c : Conf) → Set
  Foldable h c = Any (⊆ c) h

  foldable? : ∀ (h : History) (c : Conf) →
    Dec (Foldable h c)
  foldable? h c = Any.any (⊆? c) h
```

- **History** is the list of configurations on the path to the current one.
- **Foldable h c** means that **c** is foldable to a configuration in **h**.
- **foldable? h c** decides whether **Foldable h c**.

# Relational big-step non-deterministic supercompilation 1/2

$$h \vdash \text{NDSC } c \hookrightarrow g$$

This means that the graph  $g$  can be produced by supercompiling the configuration  $c$  with respect to the history  $h$ .

```
data _ $\vdash$ NDSC_ $\hookrightarrow$ _ :  $\forall$  (h : History) (c : Conf)
  (g : Graph Conf)  $\rightarrow$  Set
```

$$h \vdash \text{NDSC}^* cs \hookrightarrow gs$$

This means that  $\text{length } cs = \text{length } gs$ , and each  $g \in gs$  can be produced by supercompiling the corresponding  $c \in cs$ .

```
_ $\vdash$ NDSC*_ $\hookrightarrow$ _ :  $\forall$  (h : History) (cs : List Conf)
  (gs : List (Graph Conf))  $\rightarrow$  Set
```

$$h \vdash \text{NDSC}^* cs \hookrightarrow gs = \text{Pointwise.Rel } (_\vdash \text{NDSC}_\hookrightarrow_ h) cs gs$$

```
data  $\vdash_{\text{NDSC}} \hookrightarrow$  where
```

```
ndsc-fold  :  $\forall \{h : \text{History}\} \{c\}$   
            (f : Foldable h c)  $\rightarrow$   
            h  $\vdash_{\text{NDSC}}$  c  $\hookrightarrow$  back c
```

```
ndsc-build :  $\forall \{h : \text{History}\} \{c\}$   
            {cs : List Conf} {gs : List (Graph Conf)}  
            ( $\neg$ f :  $\neg$  Foldable h c)  
            (i :  $cs \in c \Rightarrow$ ) (s : (c :: h)  $\vdash_{\text{NDSC}^*}$  cs  $\hookrightarrow$  gs)  $\rightarrow$   
            h  $\vdash_{\text{NDSC}}$  c  $\hookrightarrow$  forth c gs
```

- **ndsc-fold**: if  $c$  is foldable, let us fold.
- **ndsc-build**: if  $c$  is not foldable, let us build a subtree by selecting a  $cs \in c \Rightarrow$  and supercompiling each  $c \in cs$ , to produce a list of subgraphs  $gs$ .

## Relational big-step multi-result supercompilation 2/2

```
data  $\_ \vdash \text{MRSC} \_ \leftrightarrow \_$  where
```

```
mrsc-fold :  $\forall \{h : \text{History}\} \{c\}$   
  (f : Foldable h c)  $\rightarrow$   
  h  $\vdash \text{MRSC} \ c \leftrightarrow$  back c
```

```
mrsc-build :  $\forall \{h : \text{History}\} \{c\}$   
  {cs : List Conf} {gs : List (Graph Conf)}  
  ( $\neg$ f :  $\neg$  Foldable h c) ( $\neg$ w :  $\neg \not\downarrow h$ )  
  (i :  $cs \in c \Rightarrow$ ) (s : (c :: h)  $\vdash \text{MRSC}^* \ cs \leftrightarrow$  gs)  $\rightarrow$   
  h  $\vdash \text{MRSC} \ c \leftrightarrow$  forth c gs
```

- **mrsc-fold**: if  $c$  is foldable, let us fold.
- **mrsc-build**: if  $c$  is not foldable and **the history  $h$  is not dangerous** ( $\neg \not\downarrow h$ ), let us build a subtree by selecting a  $cs \in c \Rightarrow$  and supercompiling each  $c \in cs$ , to produce a list of subgraphs  $gs$ .

## Related works

A relational specification of **small-step single-result** supercompilation was suggested by Klimov.

Andrei V. Klimov. **A program specialization relation based on supercompilation and its properties.** In *First International Workshop on Metacomputation in Russia (Proceedings of the first International Workshop on Metacomputation in Russia. Pereslavl-Zalessky, Russia, July 2–5, 2008)*. A. P. Nemytykh, Ed. - Pereslavl-Zalessky: Ailamazyan University of Pereslavl, 2008, 108 p. ISBN 978-5-901795-12-5, pages 54–77.

Klyuchnikov used a supercompilation relation for proving the correctness of a small-step single-result supercompiler for a higher-order functional language.

Ilya G. Klyuchnikov. **Supercompiler HOSC: proof of correctness.** Preprint 31. Keldysh Institute of Applied Mathematics, Moscow. 2010. URL: <http://library.keldysh.ru/preprint.asp?lg=e&id=2010-31>

- We consider a supercompilation relation for a **big-step multi-result** supercompilation.

# Supercompilers as total functions

The supercompiler `naive-mrsc` is a (generic) total function:

```
naive-mrsc : (c : Conf) → List (Graph Conf)
```

such that

```
⊢MRSC↔⇔naive-mrsc :  
  {c : Conf} {g : Graph Conf} →  
  [] ⊢MRSC c ↔ g ⇔ g ∈ naive-mrsc c
```

- The termination of `naive-mrsc` is guaranteed by a **whistle**.
- In our model of big-step supercompilation whistles are assumed to be **“inductive bars”**. See

Thierry Coquand. **About Brouwer's fan theorem**. September 23, 2003. *Revue internationale de philosophie*, 2004/4 n° 230, p. 483-489.

<http://www.cairn.info/revue-internationale-de-philosophie-2004-4-page-483.htm>

[http://www.cairn.info/load\\_pdf.php?ID\\_ARTICLE=RIP\\_230\\_0483](http://www.cairn.info/load_pdf.php?ID_ARTICLE=RIP_230_0483)



# What is a bar?

$\text{Bar } D \ h$  means that “ $D$  is a bar for the sequence  $h$ ”.

```
data Bar {A : Set} (D : List A → Set) :  
  (h : List A) → Set where  
  now   : {h : List A} (bz : D h) → Bar D h  
  later : {h : List A}  
    (bs : ∀ c → Bar D (c :: h)) → Bar D h
```

If  $\text{Bar } D \ h$ , then either

- $D \ h$  is valid right **now** (i.e.  $h$  is “dangerous”).
- Or, for **all** possible  $c$  there holds  $\text{Bar } D \ (c :: h)$  (i.e. any continuation of  $h$  *eventually* becomes “dangerous”).

## Bar induction

$$\forall D \ h \rightarrow \text{Bar } D \ [] \rightarrow \text{Bar } D \ h$$

# Bar whistles

A **bar whistle** is a record

```
record BarWhistle (A : Set) : Set1 where
```

```
  field
```

```
    ⚡ : (h : List A) → Set
```

```
    ⚡:: : (c : A) (h : List A) → ⚡ h → ⚡ (c :: h)
```

```
    ⚡? : (h : List A) → Dec (⚡ h)
```

```
  bar[] : Bar ⚡ []
```

- $\text{⚡ } h$  means  $h$  is dangerous.
- $\text{⚡}::$  postulates that if  $h$  is dangerous, so are all continuations of  $h$ .
- $\text{⚡}?$  says that  $\text{⚡}$  is decidable.
- $\text{bar} []$  says that any sequence eventually becomes dangerous. (In Coquand's terms,  $\text{Bar } \text{⚡}$  is required to be “an inductive bar”.)

# Computing Cartesian products

The functional specification of big-step multi-result supercompilation is based on the function `cartesian`:

```
cartesian : ∀ {A : Set}
  (xss : List (List A)) → List (List A)
```

Namely, suppose that `xss` has the form

$$xs_1 :: xs_2 :: \dots :: xs_k$$

Then `cartesian` returns all possible lists of the form

$$x_1 :: x_2 :: \dots :: x_k :: []$$

where  $x_i \in xs_i$ . In Agda this is formulated as follows:

```
∈*↔∈cartesian :
  ∀ {A : Set} {xs : List A} {yss : List (List A)} →
  Pointwise.Rel _∈_ xs yss ↔ xs ∈ cartesian yss
```

# Functional big-step multi-result supercompilation 1/2

`naive-mrsc` is defined in terms of a more general function `naive-mrsc'`.

```
naive-mrsc : (c : Conf) → List (Graph Conf)
naive-mrsc' : ∀ (h : History) (b : Bar ⇨ h) (c : Conf) →
               List (Graph Conf)
```

```
naive-mrsc c = naive-mrsc' [] bar[] c
```

`naive-mrsc'` takes 2 additional arguments:

- `h` is a history.
- `b` is a proof `b` of the fact `Bar ⇨ h`.

`naive-mrsc` has to supply a proof of the fact `Bar ⇨ []`. But this proof is supplied by the whistle!

## Functional big-step multi-result supercompilation 2/2

Now comes the definition of `naive-mrsc'`:

```
naive-mrsc' h b c with foldable? h c
... | yes f = [ back c ]
... | no ¬f with ⚡? h
... | yes w = []
... | no ¬w with b
... | now bz with ¬w bz
... | ()
naive-mrsc' h b c | no ¬f | no ¬w | later bs =
  map (forth c)(concat (map (cartesian o
    map (naive-mrsc' (c :: h) (bs c))) (c ⇒)))
```

- For each  $c' \in cs \in (c \Rightarrow)$  there is recursively called `naive-mrsc' (c :: h) (bs c) c'` to produce a list of graphs  $gs'$ .
- `cartesian` selects a graph  $g' \in gs'$  from each  $gs'$ .

## Why *naive-mrsc'* passes the termination check?

The problem with 'naive-mrsc'' is that in the recursive call

```
naive-mrsc' (c :: h) (bs c) c'
```

- `h` is replaced with `c :: h` (which is **bigger** than `h`).
- `c` is replaced with `c'` (whose size is **unknown**).

Hence, `h` and `c` do not become “structurally smaller”.

However,

- `(later bs)` becomes `(bs c)`.
- Agda's termination checker considers `bs` and `(bs c)` to be “of the same size”.

Therefore

`(bs c)` is “structurally smaller” than `(later bs)`!

Big-step supercompilation was studied and implemented by Bolingbroke and Peyton Jones.

Maximilian C. Bolingbroke and Simon L. Peyton Jones. **Supercompilation by evaluation**. In *Proceedings of the third ACM Haskell symposium on Haskell (Haskell '10)*. ACM, New York, NY, USA, 2010, pages 135–146. <http://doi.acm.org/10.1145/1863523.1863540>

- We deal with **multi-result** supercompilation, rather than single-result supercompilation.
- Our big-step supercompilation constructs **graphs** of configurations in an **explicit** way, because the graphs are going to be filtered and/or analyzed at a later stage.
- We consider not only the functional formulation of big-step supercompilation, but also the **relational** one.

# Staging big-step multi-result supercompilation

Now we decompose `naive-mrsc` into two stages

$$\text{naive-mrsc} \stackrel{\circ}{=} \langle\langle\_ \rangle\rangle \circ \text{lazy-mrsc}$$

where

- `lazy-mrsc` produces a “lazy graph”, which is a “residual program”.
- $\langle\langle\_ \rangle\rangle$  is an interpreter that executes a lazy graph to actually produce a list of graphs of configurations.

```
lazy-mrsc : (c : Conf) → LazyGraph Conf
```

```
 $\langle\langle\_ \rangle\rangle$  : {C : Set} (l : LazyGraph C) → List (Graph C)
```



# Lazy graphs of configuration

A *lazy graph* is a program whose nodes are commands.

```
data LazyGraph (C : Set) : Set where
  ∅      : LazyGraph C
  stop   : (c : C) → LazyGraph C
  build  : (c : C)
           (lss : List (List (LazyGraph C))) → LazyGraph C
```

- `∅`. Generate the empty list of graphs.
- `stop`. Generate a back-node `back c` and stop.
- `build c lss`. Consider all `ls ∈ lss`. Let `ls` has the form `l1 :: l2 :: ... :: lk :: []`. Execute each `li` to produce a list of graphs `gss = gs1 :: gs2 :: ... :: gsk :: []`. By evaluating `cartesian gss`, generate all `gs' = g1 :: g2 :: ... :: gk :: []`, where `gi ∈ gsi`, and build all `build c gs'`.

## Interpreting lazy graphs

```
⟨⟨_⟩⟩ : {C : Set} (l : LazyGraph C) → List (Graph C)
⟨⟨_⟩⟩* : {C : Set} (ls : List (LazyGraph C)) →
  List (List (Graph C))
⟨⟨_⟩⟩⇒ : {C : Set} (lss : List (List (LazyGraph C))) →
  List (List (Graph C))
```

```
⟨⟨ [] ⟩⟩* = []
⟨⟨ l :: ls ⟩⟩* = ⟨⟨ l ⟩⟩ :: ⟨⟨ ls ⟩⟩*

⟨⟨ [] ⟩⟩⇒ = []
⟨⟨ ls :: lss ⟩⟩⇒ = cartesian ⟨⟨ ls ⟩⟩* ++ ⟨⟨ lss ⟩⟩⇒

⟨⟨ ∅ ⟩⟩ = []
⟨⟨ stop c ⟩⟩ = [ back c ]
⟨⟨ build c lss ⟩⟩ = map (forth c) ⟨⟨ lss ⟩⟩⇒
```

## Generating lazy graphs 1/2

`lazy-mrsc` is defined in terms of a more general function `lazy-mrsc'`:

```
lazy-mrsc : (c : Conf) → LazyGraph Conf
```

```
lazy-mrsc' : ∀ (h : History) (b : Bar ↯ h) (c : Conf) →  
             LazyGraph Conf
```

```
lazy-mrsc c = lazy-mrsc' [] bar[] c
```

### An idea

`lazy-mrsc` can be derived from `naive-mrsc` by replacing the call to `cartesian` with the constructor `build`.

## Generating lazy graphs 2/2

```
lazy-mrsc' h b c with foldable? h c
... | yes f = stop c
... | no ¬f with ⚡? h
... | yes w = ∅
... | no ¬w with b
... | now bz with ¬w bz
... | ()
lazy-mrsc' h b c | no ¬f | no ¬w | later bs =
  build c (map (map (lazy-mrsc' (c :: h) (bs c))) (c ⇒))
```

Why this is good?

`cartesian` is not called! Thus, there is **no combinatory explosion**.

There is a formal proof in Agda of the theorem

```
naive≡lazy : (c : Conf) → naive-mrsc c ≡ ⟨⟨ lazy-mrsc c ⟩⟩
```

The idea to use a compact representation for collections of residual graphs is due to Grechanik.

Sergei A. Grechanik. **Overgraph Representation for Multi-Result Supercompilation.** In *Third International Valentin Turchin Workshop on Metacomputation (Proceedings of the Third International Valentin Turchin Workshop on Metacomputation.* Pereslavl-Zalessky, Russia, July 5–9, 2012). A.V. Klimov and S.A. Romanenko, Ed. – Pereslavl-Zalessky: Ailamazyan University of Pereslavl, 2012, 260 p. ISBN 978-5-901795-28-6, pages 48–65.

- As a matter of fact, the data structure [LazyGraph C](#) formalizes the idea of “**overtrees**” described in the above paper.
- We show that “lazy graphs” arise in a natural way as a result of **staging** a big-step multi-result supercompiler and, essentially, are residual “**programs**” that record graph-building operations delayed at the first stage.

# Filtering vs cleaning

What is a filter?

$$\text{filter } gs \subseteq gs$$

What is a cleaner?

$$\langle\langle \text{clean } l \rangle\rangle \subseteq \langle\langle l \rangle\rangle$$

*Correctness* of a cleaner with respect to a filter

$$\text{filter} \circ \langle\langle - \rangle\rangle \stackrel{\circ}{=} \langle\langle - \rangle\rangle \circ \text{clean}$$

Pushing filtering over generation

$$\text{filter} \circ \text{naive-mrsc} \stackrel{\circ}{=} \langle\langle - \rangle\rangle \circ \text{clean} \circ \text{lazy-mrsc}$$

## Removing graphs with bad configurations (filtering)

A graph is “bad” if it contains a bad configuration.

```
bad-graph : {C : Set} (bad : C → Bool)
  (g : Graph C) → Bool
bad-graph* : {C : Set} (bad : C → Bool)
  (gs : List (Graph C)) → Bool

bad-graph bad (back c) = bad c
bad-graph bad (forth c gs) = bad c ∨ bad-graph* bad gs

bad-graph* bad [] = false
bad-graph* bad (g :: gs) =
  bad-graph bad g ∨ bad-graph* bad gs
```

```
fl-bad-conf : {C : Set} (bad : C → Bool)
  (gs : List (Graph C)) → List (Graph C)

fl-bad-conf bad gs = filter (not ∘ bad-graph bad) gs
```

## Removing graphs with bad configuration (cleaning) 1/2

```
cl-bad-conf : {C : Set} (bad : C → Bool)
  (l : LazyGraph C) → LazyGraph C
cl-bad-conf* : {C : Set} (bad : C → Bool)
  (ls : List (LazyGraph C)) → List (LazyGraph C)
cl-bad-conf⇒ : {C : Set} (bad : C → Bool)
  (lss : List (List (LazyGraph C))) →
    List (List (LazyGraph C))
```

```
cl-bad-conf* bad [] = []
cl-bad-conf* bad (l :: ls) =
  cl-bad-conf bad l :: cl-bad-conf* bad ls
```

```
cl-bad-conf⇒ bad [] = []
cl-bad-conf⇒ bad (ls :: lss) =
  cl-bad-conf* bad ls :: (cl-bad-conf⇒ bad lss)
```



## Removing graphs with bad configuration (cleaning) 2/2

```
cl-bad-conf bad  $\emptyset = \emptyset$   
cl-bad-conf bad (stop c) =  
  if bad c then  $\emptyset$  else (stop c)  
cl-bad-conf bad (build c lss) =  
  if bad c then  $\emptyset$  else (build c (cl-bad-conf  $\Rightarrow$  bad lss))
```

### A “metasystem transition”...

Instead of removing bad **graphs**, we remove parts of the **program** that would generate bad graphs!

### Correctness

```
cl-bad-conf-correct : {C : Set} (bad : C  $\rightarrow$  Bool)  $\rightarrow$   
   $\langle\langle\_ \rangle\rangle \circ$  cl-bad-conf bad  $\overset{\circ}{=}$  fl-bad-conf bad  $\circ$   $\langle\langle\_ \rangle\rangle$ 
```

# Decomposing lazy-mrsc

By using codata and corecursion, we can decompose `lazy-mrsc`:

$$\text{lazy-mrsc} \stackrel{\circ}{=} \text{prune-cograph} \circ \text{build-cograph}$$

- `build-cograph` constructs a (potentially) infinite tree (a `LazyCograph`).
- `prune-cograph` traverses this tree and turns it into a (finite) `LazyGraph C`.

`LazyCograph C` differs from `LazyGraph C` only in  $\infty$  in the type of `lss`.

```
data LazyCograph (C : Set) : Set where
  ∅      : LazyCograph C
  stop   : (c : C) → LazyCograph C
  build  : (c : C) (lss : ∞(List (List (LazyCograph C)))) →
           LazyCograph C
```

# Building lazy cographs

`build-cograph` can be derived from the function `lazy-mrsc` by removing the machinery related to `whistles`.

```
build-cograph' h c with foldable? h c
... | yes f = stop c
... | no ¬f =
  build c (# build-cograph⇒ h c (c ⇒))
```

```
build-cograph* h [] = []
build-cograph* h (c :: cs) =
  build-cograph' h c :: build-cograph* h cs
```

```
build-cograph⇒ h c [] = []
build-cograph⇒ h c (cs :: css) =
  build-cograph* (c :: h) cs :: build-cograph⇒ h c css
```

```
build-cograph c = build-cograph' [] c
```

# Pruning lazy cographs

`prune-cograph` can be derived from `lazy-mrsc` by removing the machinery related to generation of nodes.

```
prune-cograph' h b  $\emptyset$  =  $\emptyset$ 
prune-cograph' h b (stop c) = stop c
prune-cograph' h b (build c lss) with  $\zeta?$  h
... | yes w =  $\emptyset$ 
... | no  $\neg w$  with b
... | now bz with  $\neg w$  bz
... | ()
prune-cograph' h b (build c lss) | no  $\neg w$  | later bs =
  build c (map (prune-cograph* (c :: h) (bs c)) (b lss))
```

```
prune-cograph* h b [] = []
prune-cograph* h b (l :: ls) =
  prune-cograph' h b l :: (prune-cograph* h b ls)
```

```
prune-cograph l = prune-cograph' [] bar[] l
```

# Promoting some cleaners over the whistle

Suppose `clean $\infty$`  is a cograph cleaner such that

$$\text{clean} \circ \text{prune-cograph} \stackrel{\circ}{=} \text{prune-cograph} \circ \text{clean}\infty$$

then

$$\begin{aligned} \text{clean} \circ \text{lazy-mrsc} &\stackrel{\circ}{=} \\ \text{clean} \circ \text{prune-cograph} \circ \text{build-cograph} &\stackrel{\circ}{=} \\ \text{prune-cograph} \circ \text{clean}\infty \circ \text{build-cograph} & \end{aligned}$$

## What is good?

`build-cograph` and `clean $\infty$`  work in a lazy way, generating subtrees by demand.

## Removing cographs with bad configurations

```
cl-bad-conf $\infty$  bad  $\emptyset$  =  
   $\emptyset$   
cl-bad-conf $\infty$  bad (stop c) =  
  if bad c then  $\emptyset$  else (stop c)  
cl-bad-conf $\infty$  bad (build c lss) with bad c  
... | true =  $\emptyset$   
... | false = build c ( $\ddagger$  (cl-bad-conf $\infty \Rightarrow$  bad ( $\flat$  lss)))
```

```
cl-bad-conf $\infty$ * bad [] = []  
cl-bad-conf $\infty$ * bad (l :: ls) =  
  (cl-bad-conf $\infty$  bad l) :: cl-bad-conf $\infty$ * bad ls
```

```
cl-bad-conf $\infty \Rightarrow$  bad [] = []  
cl-bad-conf $\infty \Rightarrow$  bad (ls :: lss) =  
  cl-bad-conf $\infty$ * bad ls :: (cl-bad-conf $\infty \Rightarrow$  bad lss)
```

# Outline

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# Conclusions

- Big-step multi-result supercompilation can be decomposed into **two stages**. The result of the first stage (a “lazy graph”) is interpreted at the second stage, to produce a collection of residual graphs.
- A lazy graph is a **compact representation** for a collection of residual graphs (and can be regarded as a “program”).
- Filtering a collection of graphs can be replaced with **cleaning a lazy graph**. In some cases of practical importance, cleaning can be performed in linear time.
- By using codata and corecursion, the generator of lazy graphs can be decomposed into two stages: **building** an infinite tree and **pruning** this tree to produce a (finite) lazy graph.
- Some cleaners of lazy graphs can be turned into **cleaners of cographs**, so that cleaning can be pushed over the whistle.