

2. Let denote  $x \delta y \Leftrightarrow \forall f \in R: x [f] y$ .

$$\begin{aligned} & \forall X \in \text{up}^{(\mathfrak{A}; \mathfrak{B}_0)} a, Y \in \text{up}^{(\mathfrak{B}; \mathfrak{B}_1)} b \exists x \in \text{atoms}^{\mathfrak{A}} X, y \in \text{atoms}^{\mathfrak{B}} Y: x \delta y \Rightarrow \\ & \forall f \in R, X \in \text{up}^{(\mathfrak{A}; \mathfrak{B}_0)} a, Y \in \text{up}^{(\mathfrak{B}; \mathfrak{B}_1)} b \exists x \in \text{atoms}^{\mathfrak{A}} X, y \in \text{atoms}^{\mathfrak{B}} Y: x [f] y \Rightarrow \\ & \forall f \in R, X \in \text{up}^{(\mathfrak{A}; \mathfrak{B}_0)} a, Y \in \text{up}^{(\mathfrak{B}; \mathfrak{B}_1)} b: X [f] Y \Rightarrow \\ & \forall f \in R: a [f] b \Leftrightarrow \\ & a \delta b. \end{aligned}$$

So, by the theorem 15.58,  $\delta$  can be continued till  $[p]$  for some  $p \in \text{FCD}(\mathfrak{A}; \mathfrak{B})$ .

For every  $q \in \text{FCD}(\mathfrak{A}; \mathfrak{B})$  such that  $\forall f \in R: q \sqsubseteq f$  we have  $x [q] y \Rightarrow \forall f \in R: x [f] y \Leftrightarrow x \delta y \Leftrightarrow x [p] y$ , so  $q \sqsubseteq p$ . Consequently  $p = \sqcap R$ .

From this  $x [\sqcap R] y \Leftrightarrow \forall f \in R: x [f] y$ .

1. From the former  $y \in \text{atoms}^{\mathfrak{B}} \langle \sqcap R \rangle x \Leftrightarrow y \sqcap \langle \sqcap R \rangle x \neq 0^{\mathfrak{B}} \Leftrightarrow \forall f \in R: y \sqcap \langle f \rangle x \neq 0^{\mathfrak{B}} \Leftrightarrow y \in \bigcap \langle \text{atoms}^{\mathfrak{B}} \rangle \{ \langle f \rangle x \mid f \in R \} \Leftrightarrow y \in \text{atoms} \sqcap \{ \langle f \rangle x \mid f \in R \}$  for every  $y \in \text{atoms}^{\mathfrak{B}}$ .

$\mathfrak{B}$  is atomically separable by the corollary 4.138. Thus

$$\langle \sqcap R \rangle x = \sqcap \{ \langle f \rangle x \mid f \in R \}. \quad \square$$

## 15.8 More on composition of pointfree functors

**Proposition 15.60.**  $[g \circ f] = [g] \circ \langle f \rangle = \langle g^{-1} \rangle^{-1} \circ [f]$  for every composable pointfree functors  $f$  and  $g$ .

**Proof.**  $x [g \circ f] y \Leftrightarrow y \neq \langle g \circ f \rangle x \Leftrightarrow y \neq \langle g \rangle \langle f \rangle x \Leftrightarrow \langle f \rangle x [g] y \Leftrightarrow x ([g] \circ \langle f \rangle) y$  for every  $x \in \mathfrak{A}$ ,  $y \in \mathfrak{B}$ . Thus  $[g \circ f] = [g] \circ \langle f \rangle$ .  $[g \circ f] = [(f^{-1} \circ g^{-1})^{-1}] = [f^{-1} \circ g^{-1}]^{-1} = ([f^{-1}] \circ \langle g^{-1} \rangle)^{-1} = \langle g^{-1} \rangle^{-1} \circ [f]$ .  $\square$

**Theorem 15.61.** Let  $f$  and  $g$  be pointfree functors and  $\mathfrak{A} = \text{Dst } f = \text{Src } g$  is an atomic poset. Then for every  $\mathcal{X} \in \text{Src } f$  and  $\mathcal{Z} \in \text{Dst } g$

$$\mathcal{X} [g \circ f] \mathcal{Z} \Leftrightarrow \exists y \in \text{atoms}^{\mathfrak{A}}: (\mathcal{X} [f] y \wedge y [g] \mathcal{Z}).$$

**Proof.**

$$\begin{aligned} \exists y \in \text{atoms}^{\mathfrak{A}}: (\mathcal{X} [f] y \wedge y [g] \mathcal{Z}) & \Leftrightarrow \exists y \in \text{atoms}^{\mathfrak{A}}: (\mathcal{Z} \neq \langle g \rangle y \wedge y \neq \langle f \rangle \mathcal{X}) \\ & \Leftrightarrow \exists y \in \text{atoms}^{\mathfrak{A}}: (y \neq \langle g^{-1} \rangle \mathcal{Z} \wedge y \neq \langle f \rangle \mathcal{X}) \\ & \Leftrightarrow \langle g^{-1} \rangle \mathcal{Z} \neq \langle f \rangle \mathcal{X} \\ & \Leftrightarrow \mathcal{X} [g \circ f] \mathcal{Z}. \end{aligned}$$

$\square$

**Theorem 15.62.** Let  $\mathfrak{A}$ ,  $\mathfrak{B}$ ,  $\mathfrak{C}$  be separable starrish join-semilattices and  $\mathfrak{B}$  is atomic. Then:

1.  $f \circ (g \sqcup h) = f \circ g \sqcup f \circ h$  for  $g, h \in \text{FCD}(\mathfrak{A}; \mathfrak{B})$  and  $f \in \text{FCD}(\mathfrak{B}; \mathfrak{C})$ .
2.  $(g \sqcup h) \circ f = g \circ f \sqcup h \circ f$  for  $f \in \text{FCD}(\mathfrak{A}; \mathfrak{B})$  and  $g, h \in \text{FCD}(\mathfrak{B}; \mathfrak{C})$ .

**Proof.** I will prove only the first equality because the other is analogous.

We can apply theorem 15.35.

For every  $\mathcal{X} \in \mathfrak{A}$ ,  $\mathcal{Y} \in \mathfrak{C}$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{X} [f \circ (g \sqcup h)] \mathcal{Y} & \Leftrightarrow \exists y \in \text{atoms}^{\mathfrak{B}}: (\mathcal{X} [g \sqcup h] y \wedge y [f] \mathcal{Y}) \\ & \Leftrightarrow \exists y \in \text{atoms}^{\mathfrak{B}}: ((\mathcal{X} [g] y \vee \mathcal{X} [h] y) \wedge y [f] \mathcal{Y}) \\ & \Leftrightarrow \exists y \in \text{atoms}^{\mathfrak{B}}: ((\mathcal{X} [g] y \wedge y [f] \mathcal{Y}) \vee (\mathcal{X} [h] y \wedge y [f] \mathcal{Y})) \\ & \Leftrightarrow \exists y \in \text{atoms}^{\mathfrak{B}}: (\mathcal{X} [g] y \wedge y [f] \mathcal{Y}) \vee \exists y \in \text{atoms}^{\mathfrak{B}}: (\mathcal{X} [h] y \wedge y [f] \mathcal{Y}) \\ & \Leftrightarrow \mathcal{X} [f \circ g] \mathcal{Y} \vee \mathcal{X} [f \circ h] \mathcal{Y} \\ & \Leftrightarrow \mathcal{X} [f \circ g \sqcup f \circ h] \mathcal{Y}. \end{aligned}$$