

**16.4. Associativity over composition**

LEMMA 1387.  $\prod^{\text{RLD}} \text{up}^{\Gamma(A,C)}(g \circ f) = \left( \prod^{\text{RLD}} \text{up}^{\Gamma(B,C)} g \right) \circ \left( \prod^{\text{RLD}} \text{up}^{\Gamma(A,B)} f \right)$   
for every  $f \in \mathfrak{F}(\Gamma(A,B))$ ,  $g \in \mathfrak{F}(\Gamma(B,C))$  (for every sets  $A, B, C$ ).

PROOF. If  $K \in \text{up} \prod^{\text{RLD}} \text{up}^{\Gamma(A,C)}(g \circ f)$  then  $K \supseteq G \circ F$  for some  $F \in f$ ,  $G \in g$ .  
But  $F \in \text{up}^{\Gamma(A,B)} f$ , thus

$$F \in \prod^{\text{RLD}} \text{up}^{\Gamma(A,B)} f$$

and similarly

$$G \in \prod^{\text{RLD}} \text{up}^{\Gamma(B,C)} g.$$

So we have

$$K \supseteq G \circ F \in \text{up} \left( \left( \prod^{\text{RLD}} \text{up}^{\Gamma(B,C)} g \right) \circ \left( \prod^{\text{RLD}} \text{up}^{\Gamma(A,B)} f \right) \right).$$

Let now

$$K \in \text{up} \left( \left( \prod^{\text{RLD}} \text{up}^{\Gamma(B,C)} g \right) \circ \left( \prod^{\text{RLD}} \text{up}^{\Gamma(A,B)} f \right) \right).$$

Then there exist  $F \in \text{up} \prod^{\text{RLD}} \text{up}^{\Gamma(A,B)} f$  and  $G \in \text{up} \prod^{\text{RLD}} \text{up}^{\Gamma(B,C)} g$  such that  $K \supseteq G \circ F$ . By properties of generalized filter bases we can take  $F \in \text{up}^{\Gamma(A,B)} f$  and  $G \in \text{up}^{\Gamma(B,C)} g$ . Thus  $K \in \text{up}^{\Gamma(A,C)}(g \circ f)$  and so  $K \in \text{up} \prod^{\text{RLD}} \text{up}^{\Gamma(A,C)}(g \circ f)$ .  $\square$

LEMMA 1388.  $(\text{RLD})_{\text{in}} X = X$  for  $X \in \Gamma(A,B)$ .

PROOF.  $X = X_0 \times Y_0 \cup \dots \cup X_n \times Y_n = (X_0 \times^{\text{FCD}} Y_0) \sqcup^{\text{FCD}} \dots \sqcup^{\text{FCD}} (X_n \times^{\text{FCD}} Y_n)$ .

$(\text{RLD})_{\text{in}} X =$

$$\begin{aligned} & (\text{RLD})_{\text{in}} (X_0 \times^{\text{FCD}} Y_0) \sqcup^{\text{RLD}} \dots \sqcup^{\text{RLD}} (\text{RLD})_{\text{in}} (X_n \times^{\text{FCD}} Y_n) = \\ & (X_0 \times^{\text{RLD}} Y_0) \sqcup^{\text{RLD}} \dots \sqcup^{\text{RLD}} (X_n \times^{\text{RLD}} Y_n) = \\ & X_0 \times Y_0 \cup \dots \cup X_n \times Y_n = X. \end{aligned}$$

$\square$

LEMMA 1389.  $\prod^{\text{RLD}} f = (\text{RLD})_{\text{in}} \prod^{\text{FCD}} f$  for every filter  $f \in \mathfrak{F}\Gamma(A,B)$ .

PROOF.

$$(\text{RLD})_{\text{in}} \prod^{\text{FCD}} f = \prod^{\text{RLD}} \langle (\text{RLD})_{\text{in}} \rangle^* f = (\text{by the previous lemma}) = \prod^{\text{RLD}} f.$$

$\square$

LEMMA 1390.

- 1°.  $f \mapsto \prod^{\text{RLD}} \text{up} f$  and  $\mathcal{A} \mapsto \Gamma(A,B) \cap \text{up} \mathcal{A}$  are mutually inverse bijections between  $\mathfrak{F}\Gamma(A,B)$  and a subset of reloids.
- 2°. These bijections preserve composition.

PROOF.

1°. That they are mutually inverse bijections is obvious.