

Lingua Project

(5) The denotations of expressions

(Sec. 6.1 – 6.4)

The book "**Denotational Engineering**" may be downloaded from:
<https://moznainaczej.com.pl/what-has-been-done/the-book>

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A recapitulation of former lecture

Classes

cla	:	Class	=	Identifier	x	TypEnv	x	MetEnv	x	Objecton		classes
tye	:	TypEnv	=	Identifier	\Rightarrow	Type		{ Θ }				type environments
mee	:	MetEnv	=	Identifier	\Rightarrow	Method						method environments
met	:	Methods	=	ProSig		PrePro						methods

A recapitulation of former lecture

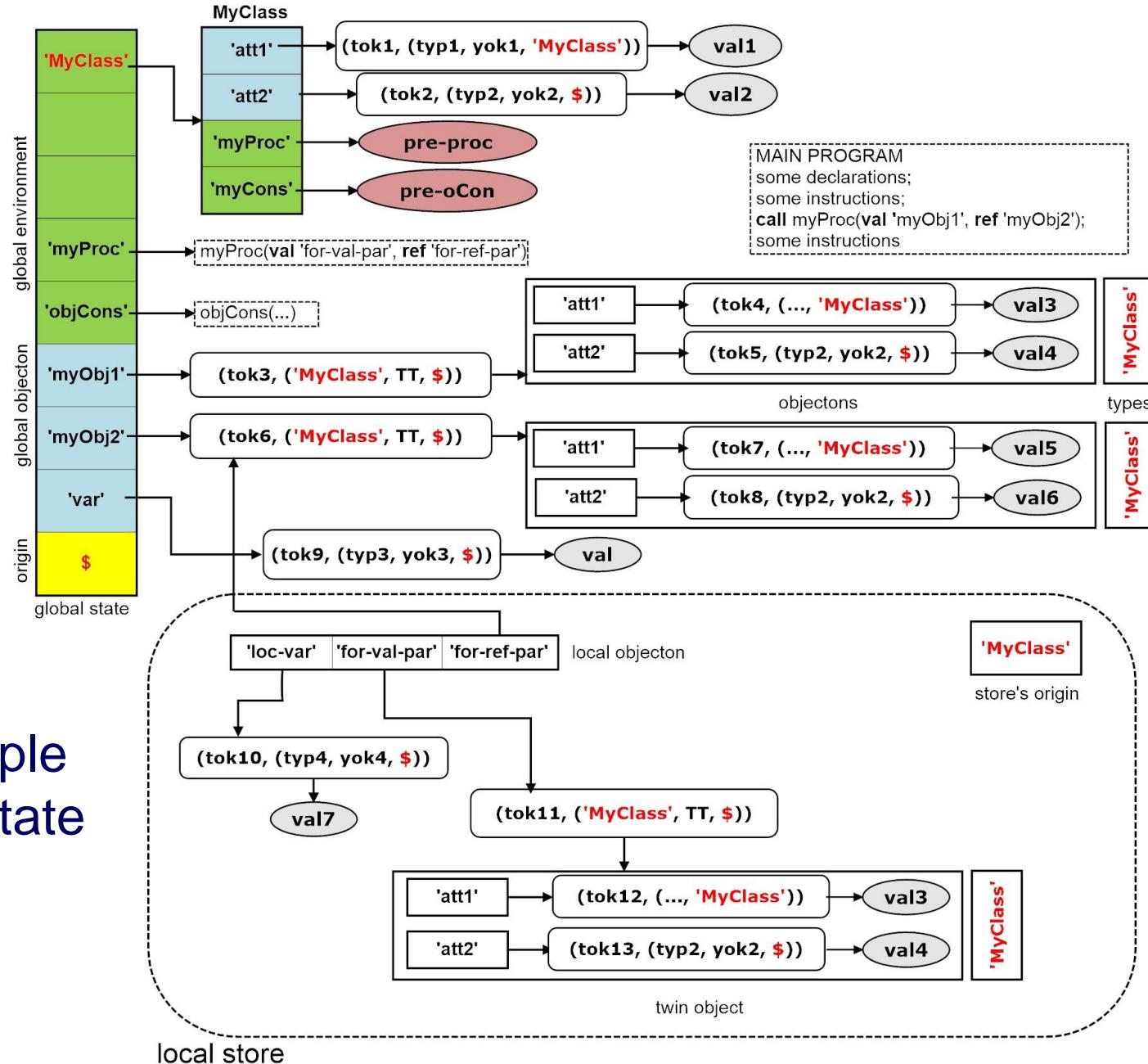
Stores and states

sta	: State	= Env x Store	states
env	: Env	= ClaEnv x ProEnv x CovRel	environments
cle	: ClaEnv	= Identifier \Rightarrow Class	class environments
pre	: ProEnv	= ProInd \Rightarrow Procedure	procedure environments
pri	: ProInd	= Identifier x Identifier	procedure indicators
sto	: Store	= Objecton x Deposit x OriTag x SetFreTok x (Error {“OK”})	stores
cov	: CovRel	= Sub.((DatTyp x DatTyp) (ObjTyp x ObjTyp))	covering relations
sft	: SetFreTok	= Set.Token	sets of (free) tokens
obn	: Objecton	= Identifier \Rightarrow Reference	
dep	: Deposit	= Reference \Rightarrow Value	

{\\$} | Identifier

get-tok : SetFeeTok \rightarrow {tok} | SetFeeTok

An example of a state



Selected carriers of the algebra of denotations

Primitive carriers

ide : Identifier	= ...
prs : PriSta	= {‘private’, ‘public’}
loi : ListOfIde	= Identifier ^{c*}
cli : ClalInd	= {‘empty-class’} Identifier

identifiers
privacy statuses indicators
lists of identifiers
class indicators

Applicative carriers

ved : ValExpDen	= WfState	→ ValueE
yok : YokExpDen	= WfState	→ YokeE
ted : TypExpDen	= WfState	→ TypeE
red : RefExpDen	= WfState	→ ReferenceE

value-expression denotations
yoke-expression denotations
type-expression denotations
reference-expression den.

Imperative carriers

dcd : DecDen	= WfState	→ WfState
ind : InsDen	= WfState	→ WfState
ppd : ProPreDen	= WfState	→ WfState
prd : ProDen	= WfState	→ WfState

declaration denotations
instruction denotations
program-preamble den.
program denotations

Selected constructors of value-expression denotations

Constructors of fixed-value-expression denotations

ved-bo.boo	:	→ ValExpDen for boo : {tt, ff}
ved-in.int	:	→ ValExpDen for int : Integer
ved-re.rea	:	→ ValExpDen for rea : Real
ved-tx.tex	:	→ ValExpDen for tex : Text

Constructors of selection-expression denotations

ved-variable	:	Identifier	→ ValExpDen
ved-attribute	:	Identifier x Identifier	→ ValExpDen

Constructor of functional procedure calls

ved-call-fun-pro	:	Identifier x Identifier x ActParDen	→ ValExpDen
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Selected constructors of value-expression denotations

Constructors based on typed-data constructors (examples)

ved-divide-re	: ValExpDen x ValExpDen	→ ValExpDen
ved-create-li	: ValExpDen	→ ValExpDen
ved-get-from-rc	: ValExpDen x Identifier	→ ValExpDen
ved-get-from-ar	: ValExpDen x ValExpDen	→ ValExpDen

Constructors of boolean-expression denotations

equal	: ValExpDen x ValExpDen	→ ValExpDen
less	: ValExpDen x ValExpDen	→ ValExpDen
ved-and	: ValExpDen x ValExpDen	→ ValExpDen
ved-or	: ValExpDen x ValExpDen	→ ValExpDen
ved-not	: ValExpDen	→ ValExpDen

Conditional-expression constructor

ved-if	: ValExpDen x ValExpDen x ValExpDen	→ ValExpDen
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Selected definitions of constructors of value-expression denotations

A constant-value expression

ved-int.3 : \mapsto ValExpDen i.e.

i.e.

`ved-int.3 : \mapsto WfState \rightarrow Value | Error`

ved-int.3.().sta =

is-error.sta → error.sta

true → (3, ‘integer’)

A single-variable expression

`ved-variable : Identifier \mapsto WfState \rightarrow ValueE`

ved-variable.ide.sta

is-error.sta → error.sta

let

(env, (obn, dep, st-ota, sft, 'OK')) = sta

obn.ide = ? → ‘variable not declared’

dep.(obn.ide) = ? → ‘variable not initialized’

true → dep.(obn.ide)

Selected definitions of constructors of value-expression denotations

An object-attribute expression

`ved-attribute` : `ValExpDen` x `Identifier` \mapsto `WfState` \rightarrow `ValueE`

ved-attribute.(ved, at-ide).sta =

→ error.sta

ved.sta = ?

→ ?

ved.sta : Error

→ ved.sta

ved.sta /: Object

→ ‘object expected’

let

(ob-obn, cl-ide) = ved.sta

obn.at-ide = ?

→ ‘attribute unknown’

let

(tok, (typ, yok, ota))

= obn.ide

the reference of ide in obn

(env, (obn, dep, st-ota, sft, 'OK')) = sta

‘OK’)) = sta

dep.(obn.at-ide) = ?

→ ‘attribute not initialized’

ota ≠ \$ and ota ≠ st-ota

→ ‘attribute not visible’

true

→ dep.(ob-obj.at-ide)

Selected definitions of constructors of value-expression denotations

Division of real numbers

ved-divide-re: ValExpDen x ValExpDen \mapsto ValExpDen i.e.

ved-divide-re: ValExpDen x ValExpDen \mapsto WfState \rightarrow ValueE

ved-divide-re.(ved-1, ved-2).sta =

is-error.sta \rightarrow error.sta

ved-i.sta = ? \rightarrow ? for $i = 1, 2$

ved-i.sta : Error \rightarrow ved-i.sta for $i = 1, 2$

let

val-i = ved-i.sta for $i = 1, 2$

val = td-divide-re.(val-1, val-2)

true \rightarrow val

Selected definitions of constructors of value-expression denotations

The equality of values (a boolean expression)

`equal : ValExpDen x ValExpDen \mapsto ValExpDen` i.e.

`equal : ValExpDen x ValExpDen \mapsto WfState \rightarrow Value | Error`

`equal.(ved-1, ved-2).sta =`

`is-error.sta` \rightarrow `error.sta`

`ved-i.sta = ?` \rightarrow `?` for $i = 1, 2$

`ved-i.sta : Error` \rightarrow `ved-i.sta` for $i = 1, 2$

let

`(cor-i, typ-i) = ved-i.sta` for $i = 1, 2$

`typ-1 \neq typ-2` \rightarrow ‘compared values must be of the same type’

`not comparable.typ-1` \rightarrow ‘values not comparable’

`cor-1 = cor-2` \rightarrow (tt, ‘boolean’)

`true` \rightarrow (ff, ‘boolean’)

Selected constructors of type-expression denotations

ted-create-bo :	→ TypExpDen
ted-create-in :	→ TypExpDen
ted-create-re :	→ TypExpDen
ted-create-tx :	→ TypExpDen
ted-create-ot : Identifier	→ TypExpDen
ted-constant : Identifier x Identifier	→ TypExpDen
ted-create-li : TypExpDen	→ TypExpDen
ted-create-ar : TypExpDen	→ TypExpDen
ted-create-re : Identifier x TypExpDen	→ TypExpDen
ted-put-to-re : Identifier x TypExpDen x TypExpDen	→ TypExpDen

Selected definitions of constructors of type-expression denotations

Boolean-type expression denotation

ted-create-bo().sta =
 is-error.sta → error.sta
 true → ‘boolean’

Object-type expression denotation

ted-create-ot.ide.sta =
 is-error.sta → error.sta
 true → ide

One-attribute-record-type expression denotation

ted-create-re.(ide, ted).sta =
 is-error.sta → error.sta
 ted.sta : Error → ted.sta
let
 typ = ted.sta
true → ty-create-re.(ide, typ): (R', [ide/typ])

Selected definitions of constructors of type-expression denotations

Type-constant expression denotation

ted-constant.(ide-cl, ide-ty).sta =

is-error.sta \rightarrow error.sta

let

((cle, mee, cov), sto) = sta

cle. ide-cl = ? \rightarrow 'class unknown'

let

(ide-cl, tye, mee, obn) = cle.ide-cl

well-formedness of sta

tye.ide-ty = ? \rightarrow 'type unknown'

tye.ide-ty = Θ \rightarrow 'type not concretized'

true \rightarrow tye.ide-ty

Two constructors of reference-expression denotations

A variable reference

ref-variable : Identifier \mapsto RefExpDen

An attribute reference

ref-attribute : ValExpDen \times Identifier \mapsto RefExpDen

The definition of a constructor of reference-expression denotations

ref-variable : Identifier \mapsto RefExpDen

i.e.

ref-variable : Identifier \mapsto WfState \mapsto ReferenceE

ref-variable.ide.sta =

is-error.sta \rightarrow error.sta

let

(env, (obn, dep, st-ota, sft, 'OK')) = sta

obn.ide = ? \rightarrow 'variable not declared'

true \rightarrow obn.ide

The definition of a constructor of reference-expression denotations

ref-attribute : ValExpDen x Identifier \mapsto RefExpDen i.e.

ref-attribute : ValExpDen x Identifier \mapsto WfState \mapsto ReferenceE

ref-attribute.(ved, at-ide).sta =

is-error.sta \rightarrow error.sta

ved.sta = ? \rightarrow ?

ved.sta : Error \rightarrow ved.sta

ved.sta /: Object \rightarrow 'object expected'

let

(va-obn, va-ide) = ved.sta

(env, (obn, dep, st-ota, sft, 'OK')) = sta

va-obn.at-ide = ? \rightarrow 'attribute not declared'

let

(tok, (typ, yok, at-ota)) = va-obn.at-ide

at-ota $\neq \$$ and at-ota \neq st-ota \rightarrow 'attribute not visible'

true \rightarrow va-obn.at-ide



A photograph of a large tree from a low angle, looking up through its dense canopy of dark green leaves. The trunk is visible at the bottom center, and the branches spread out towards the edges. Overlaid on the upper half of the image is the text "Thank you for your attention" in a large, white, sans-serif font.

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