

# Nameless, Painless

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# Safe programming with de Bruijn indices

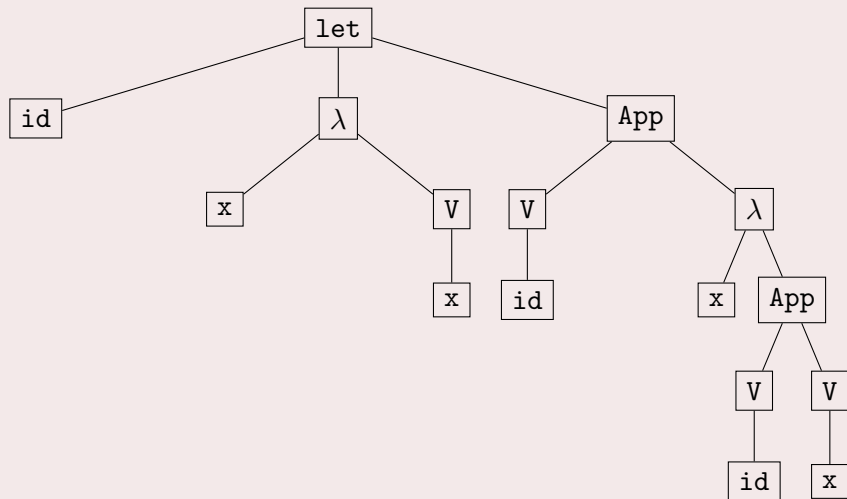
## Warm-up

Here is a program in its textual form:

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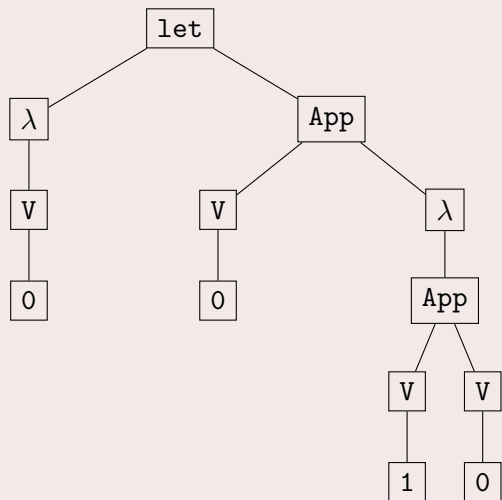
## Nominal style

The same program represented as a tree, graphically depicted:



## De Bruijn style

Variables are represented by their distance to the binding node:



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Examples:

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ididTmB = Let (λ (V 0))        -- let id = λ x → x in
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`data WS` (`n` :  $\mathbb{N}$ ) :  $\text{Tm}^B \rightarrow \text{Set}$  `where`

`WS-V` :  $\forall x \rightarrow$   
           $x < n \rightarrow$   
          `WS n (V x)`

`WS-.` :  $\forall t u \rightarrow$   
          `WS n t`  $\rightarrow$  `WS n u`  $\rightarrow$   
          `WS n (t . u)`

`WS- $\lambda$`  :  $\forall t \rightarrow$   
          `WS (1 + n) t`  $\rightarrow$   
          `WS n ( $\lambda$  t)`

`WS-Let` :  $\forall t u \rightarrow$   
          `WS n t`  $\rightarrow$  `WS (1 + n) u`  $\rightarrow$   
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    -- Names inhabits worlds:
    Name  : World → Set
    -- World inclusion witnesses
    _⊆_   : World → World → Set
```

## NAPA types (cont.)

Iterated versions of  $\_+1$  and  $\_\uparrow 1$  are derived:

```
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   $\_+^W\_ : \text{World} \rightarrow \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \text{World}$ 
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data  $\text{Tm}^D \alpha$  : Set where

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We use  $\text{protect}\uparrow 1$  to move under name-abstractions:

$$\begin{aligned}\text{renameTm}^D &: \forall \{\alpha \beta\} \rightarrow (\text{Name } \alpha \rightarrow \text{Name } \beta) \\ &\quad \rightarrow (\text{Tm}^D \alpha \rightarrow \text{Tm}^D \beta) \\ \text{renameTm}^D \text{ f } (\text{V } \text{x}) &= \text{V } (\text{f } \text{x}) \\ \text{renameTm}^D \text{ f } (\text{t} \cdot \text{u}) &= \text{renameTm}^D \text{ f } \text{t} \cdot \text{renameTm}^D \text{ f } \text{u} \\ \text{renameTm}^D \text{ f } (\lambda \text{ t}) &= \lambda (\text{renameTm}^D (\text{protect}\uparrow 1 \text{ f}) \text{t})\end{aligned}$$

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All the details are in the paper!

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Shifting gets a finer type

... and a faster implementation

How precise are worlds? Singletons worlds!

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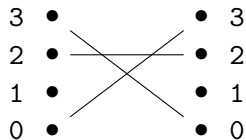
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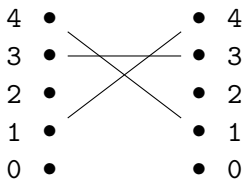
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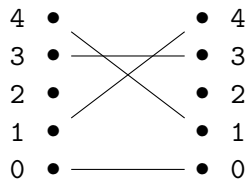
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## The Fin approach is too concrete

A function can analyse its argument  $n$ :

$$f^f : \forall \{n\} \rightarrow Tm^f n \rightarrow \dots$$

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# Traverse

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  (trName : ∀ l  → Name (α ↑ l)
          → E (TmD (β ↑ l)))

  where
  open Applicative E-app

  tr : ∀ l → TmD (α ↑ l) → E (TmD (β ↑ l))
  tr l (V x)      = trName l x
  tr l (t · u)    = pure _·_  ⊗ tr l t ⊗ tr l u
  tr l (λ t)      = pure λ     ⊗ tr (suc l) t

  trTmD : TmD α → E (TmD β)
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```

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module M (Abs : (World → Set) → World → Set) where
  data T α : Set where
    V      : Name α      → T α
    λ      : Abs T α     → T α
    _·_    : T α → T α → T α
```

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$\text{SynAbs}^N : (\text{World} \rightarrow \text{Set}) \rightarrow \text{World} \rightarrow \text{Set}$

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coerceSem :  $\forall \{ \alpha \beta \} \rightarrow \alpha \subseteq \beta \rightarrow \text{Sem } \alpha \rightarrow \text{Sem } \beta$   
coerceSem pf (V a)      = V (coerceN pf a)  
coerceSem pf ( $\lambda$  f)    =  $\lambda$  ( $\lambda$  pf' v  $\rightarrow$  f ( $\subseteq$ -trans pf pf') v)  
coerceSem pf (t · u)   = coerceSem pf t · coerceSem pf u
```

```
EvalEnv : ( $\alpha \beta$  : World)  $\rightarrow$  Set
```

```
EvalEnv  $\alpha \beta$  = Name  $\alpha \rightarrow$  Sem  $\beta$ 
```

```
--  $\alpha$  is the inner world
```

```
--  $\beta$  is the outer world
```

```
_,_  $\mapsto$  _ :  $\forall \{ \alpha \beta \} (\Gamma : \text{EvalEnv } \alpha \beta) \text{ b} \rightarrow \text{Sem } \beta \rightarrow \text{EvalEnv } (\text{b} \triangleleft \alpha)$ 
```

```
_,_  $\mapsto$  _  $\Gamma$  b v = exportWith v  $\Gamma$ 
```

```
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```

```
-- x  $\mapsto$   $\Gamma$  x
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 $\text{app} : \forall \{\alpha\} \rightarrow \text{Sem } \alpha \rightarrow \text{Sem } \alpha \rightarrow \text{Sem } \alpha$   
 $\text{app } (\lambda f) v = f \subseteq\text{-refl } v$   
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```
reify : ∀ {α} → Supply α → Sem α → Term α
reify s      (V a)    = V a
reify s      (n · v)  = reify s n · reify s v
reify (sB , s#) (λ f)  =
  λ (sB , reify (sucs (sB , s#)) (f (⊆-# s#) (V (nameB sB))))

nf : ∀ {α} → Supply α → Term α → Term α
nf supply = reify supply ∘ eval V
```



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This piles up a chain of predecessor/successor...

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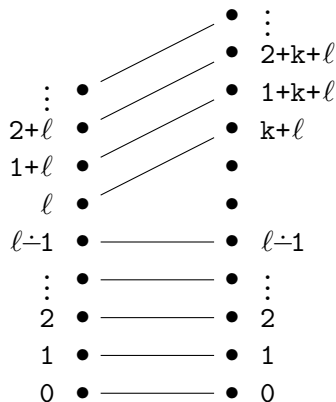
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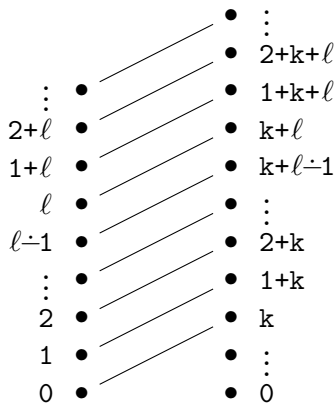
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$$\text{shiftTm}^{\text{D}\uparrow'} = \text{renameTm}^{\text{D}\uparrow} \circ \text{shift}^{\text{N}\uparrow}$$

## How dangerous this kind of programming is?

Sadly the unprotected addition can be coerced to this type:

```
unprotectedAddN↑ :  
  ∀ {α} k l  
  → Name (α ↑ l)  
  → Name (α ↑ k ↑ l)  
unprotectedAddN↑ k l =  
  {! coercion omitted !}  
  ○ addN↑ k  
  -- this is ok since  
  -- (α ↑ k) ↑ l ≡ (α ↑ l) ↑ k
```



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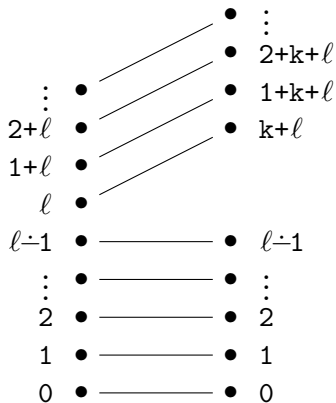
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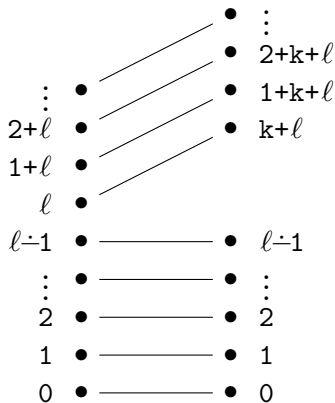
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Ruling out any unprotected attempt!

## ... and a faster implementation

```
shiftN : ∀ {α} k ℓ → Name (α ↑ ℓ) → Name (α +W k ↑ ℓ)
shiftN k ℓ x
  with subtractN ℓ x
... | inj1 x' = x'           -- coercion omitted
... | inj2 x' = addN k n' -- coercion omitted
```

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## How precise are worlds? Singletons worlds!

$\text{World}^s : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \text{World}$

$\text{World}^s n = \emptyset \uparrow 1 +^W n$

$\text{Name}^s : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \text{Set}$

$\text{Name}^s = \text{Name} \circ \text{World}^s$

$\_{}^{\text{Ns}} : \forall n \rightarrow \text{Name}^s n$

$\_{}^{\text{Ns}} n = \text{zero}^{\mathbb{N}} +^{\mathbb{N}} n$

$\text{add}^s : \forall \{n\} k \rightarrow \text{Name}^s n \rightarrow \text{Name}^s (k +^{\mathbb{N}} n)$

$\text{add}^s \{n\} k x = \text{add}^{\mathbb{N}} k x \quad \langle \text{-because } \subseteq\text{-assoc-+ } \subseteq\text{-refl } n \ k \ \rangle$

$\text{subtract}^s : \forall \{n\} k \rightarrow \text{Name}^s (k +^{\mathbb{N}} n) \rightarrow \text{Name}^s n$

$\text{subtract}^s \{n\} k x = \text{subtract}^{\mathbb{N}} k x$

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