

Deriving Law-Abiding Instances

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Abstract

Liquid Haskell augments the Haskell language with theorem proving capabilities, allowing programmers to express and prove class laws. But many of these proofs require routine, boilerplate code and do not scale well, as the size of proof terms can grow superlinearly with the size of the datatypes involved in the proofs.

We present a technique to derive Haskell proof terms by leveraging datatype-generic programming. Our observation is that we can take any algebraic datatype, generate an equivalent *representation type*, and have Liquid Haskell automatically construct (and prove) an isomorphism between the original type and the representation type. This reduces many proofs down to easy theorems over simple algebraic “building block” types, allowing programmers to write generic proofs cheaply and cheerfully. We applied our technique to derive verified instances of the `Eq`, `Ord`, `Semigroup`, `Monoid` and `Functor` Haskell classes for commonly used algebraic datatypes.

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1 Introduction

Many widely used type classes abstract over operators that must obey algebraic laws. With Liquid Haskell [14], these type class laws can be encoded as refinement type specifications. For instance, `TotalOrd` extends the Haskell `Ord` class with the `total` method that encodes the proof obligation that (\leq) should be total:

```
{-@ class Ord a => TotalOrd a where
  total :: x:a -> y:a -> {x <= y || y <= x} @-}
```

The type specification of `total`, defined in the special Liquid Haskell comments `{-@ ... @-}`, states that for all values `x` and `y` there exists a proof that `x <= y` or `y <= x`, thus encoding the totality of (\leq) . Users of `TotalOrd` can rest assured

that (\leq) is indeed total, but when defining an instance of `TotalOrd`, a proof of totality must be provided.

Haskell programs can be used to encode such proofs [12, 13]. Yet, proof deployment can be tedious. Implementing many proofs can involve excessive amounts of boilerplate code. Even worse, the size of some proofs can grow superlinearly in the size of the data type used, as the proofs can grow extremely quickly due to the sheer number of cases one has to exhaust (§ 2.4).

In this paper, we set out to minimize this boilerplate and develop a style of proof-carrying programming that scales well as the size of a data type grows. To do so, we adapt a style of datatype-generic programming in the tradition of the Glasgow Haskell Compiler’s `GHC.Generics` module¹. That is to say, for some data type about which we want to prove a property, we first consider a *representation type* which is isomorphic to the original data type. This representation type is the composition of several very small data types. By proving the property in question for these small, representational data types, we can compose these proofs and use them to prove the property for the original data type by taking advantage of the isomorphism between the original and representation types.

To use `TotalOrd` as an example of how this would be accomplished, the author of the `TotalOrd` class would need to implement (1) definitions for total orderings on the generic representation types, and (2) a way to derive a total ordering for a type `a`, reusing a proof from its representation type (which is provably isomorphic to `a`):

```
instance (TotalOrd (Rep a x), GenericIso a)
  => TotalOrd a where
```

With this generic derivation in hand, Haskell’s standard class resolution will derive the proper (provably correct) `TotalOrd` instance for any type that is an instance of `GenericIso`, a class which carries the proof of isomorphism. We can automate this process of deriving law-abiding instances further by defining a Template Haskell function `deriveIso` which derives the `GenericIso` instances with minimal effort. For instance, one can derive a provably total `Ord` instance of the user-defined data type `Nat` with just:

```
data Nat = Zero | Succ Nat
```

¹<http://hackage.haskell.org/package/base-4.9.1.0/docs/GHC-Generics.html>

```

1   deriveIso ''Nat -- derives: instance GenericIso Nat
2   instance TotalOrd Nat

```

We provide an implementation of these ideas using Liquid Haskell and the Glasgow Haskell Compiler, located at <http://bit.ly/2qFbei6>.

The contributions of this paper are:

- We extend Haskell typeclasses to verified typeclasses which have explicit proofs of typeclass laws (§ 2),
- We propose an extension to GHC generics which adds proofs of isomorphism between the original datatype and its representation type, with some machinery to automatically derive the proofs (§ 3), and
- We use the “generic isomorphism” machinery to derive verified instances for the Eq, Ord, Functor, and Monoid verified typeclasses (§ 4).

2 Law-Abiding Type Classes

We start with an overview of our approach for deriving class instances that are *verified* to satisfy class laws. First, we briefly review Liquid Haskell refinement types and show how to formally *specify* laws as refinement types. Second, we show how to *manually* create instances that satisfy the laws (what we call the “direct approach”), and demonstrate how the direct approach scales poorly as the size of data types grows. Third, we show an alternative approach that advocates *composing* simple verified instances to obtain compound ones. Then in Section 3, we show how the above process of composition can be automated via isomorphisms, in the style of GHC’s generic deriving [8], yielding an automatic way of obtaining verified type class instances.

2.1 Liquid Haskell as a Theorem Prover

Liquid Haskell extends the grammar of Haskell types to include *refinements*. For example, the following narrows the set of Int values by ruling out zero:

```

37   type NonZero = { n:Integer | n /= 0 }

```

Refinement types like the above are checked automatically in Liquid Haskell, which internally uses an SMT solver. The Liquid Haskell implementation assumes that the SMT solver’s notion of integer arithmetic is consistent with Haskell’s, and thus many arithmetic properties become automatically verifiable.

Consider, however, that we want to verify a property such as `length (tail ls) == length ls - 1`. Here the `tail` function is defined with regular Haskell code, and must somehow be lifted into the refinement logic. This is the premise of *refinement reflection* [12], a recent addition to Liquid Haskell. Using this approach, Liquid Haskell lifts Haskell definitions into the logic, leaving them initially uninterpreted, but unfolding their definitions *once* every time they are referenced in an explicit proof of the property.

Thus Liquid Haskell goes beyond automatically-checked refinements and allows proofs about Haskell code written as

Haskell code. In these proofs, Haskell’s arrow type encodes implication, Haskell branches encode proof case-splits, and recursion encodes induction. Together with a library of proof combinators included with Liquid Haskell, these enable proofs that are similar to their pencil-and-paper analogues. We will see examples of such proofs as we proceed in this paper.

2.2 Specifying Law-Abiding Classes

Classes Recall the following simplified definition of the Eq and Ord type classes that provide abstractions for datatypes which support equality and ordering checks:

```

class Eq a where
  (==) :: a -> a -> Bool

```

```

class Eq a => Ord a where
  (<=) :: a -> a -> Bool

```

Laws Typically, we require that any instance of Ord is a *total order* that satisfies the following laws:

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 \textit{Reflexivity} & \forall x. x \leq x \\
 \textit{Totality} & \forall x, y. x \leq y \vee y \leq x \\
 \textit{Antisymmetry} & \forall x, y. x \leq y \wedge y \leq x \Rightarrow x = y \\
 \textit{Transitivity} & \forall x, y, z. x \leq y \leq z \Rightarrow x \leq z
 \end{array}$$

Specifying Laws as Refinement Types We can encode the above laws as *refined function types*:

```

type Refl a = x:a -> {x <= x}
type Total a = x:a -> y:a -> {x <= y || y <= x}
type Anti a = x:a -> y:a -> {x <= y & y <= x => x == y}
type Trans a = x:a -> y:a -> z:a -> {x <= y & y <= z => x <= z}

```

In Liquid Haskell, these type refinements must be written inside a special comment, recognized by Liquid Haskell and separated from the plain Haskell types. We show only the Liquid Haskell type signatures above for brevity. We write $\{p\}$ to abbreviate $\{v:\mathbf{Proof}|p\}$, that is, the set of values of type **Proof** such that the predicate p holds.² Refinement type checking [12] ensures that any *inhabitant* of `Refl a` (and respectively, `Total a`, `Trans a`, `Anti a`) is a concrete *proof* that the corresponding law holds for the type `a`, by demonstrating that the law holds for all (input) values of type `a`.

Specifying Law-Abiding Classes We can specify law-abiding classes by extending the Ord class to a `VerifiedOrd` subclass with four more fields that must be inhabited by *proofs* that demonstrate that the corresponding laws hold for the instance:

```

class Ord a => VerifiedOrd a where
  refl :: Refl a
  total :: Total a

```

² Here, **Proof** is simply a type alias for the unit type `()` in Liquid Haskell’s library of proof combinators. Since the proofs carry no useful information at runtime, the unit type suffices as a runtime witness to a proof.

```

1   anti :: Anti a
2   trans :: Trans a

```

2.3 Law-Abiding Instances: The Direct Approach

Next, let's create a `VerifiedOrd` instance for a simple data type:

```

8   data A = A Int deriving Eq
9   instance Ord A where
10    (A s1) ≤ (A s2) = (s1 ≤ s2)

```

The reflexivity of `A` can be proved with proof combinators like so:

```

13  reflA :: Refl A
14  reflA x@(A s)
15  = x ≤ x
16  =. s ≤ s
17  ** QED

```

The *implementation* of `reflA` is a function that shows that the reflexivity law holds for every `x :: A`. The function uses the proof combinators

```

22  (=.) :: x:a → y:{ a | x = y } → { v:a | v = x }
23  x =. _ = x

```

```

25  data QED = QED

```

```

27  (**): :: a → QED → Proof
28  _ ** _ = ()

```

The type of the `(=.)` function ensures that the left- and right-hand sides are equal (according to `(=)`, the SMT solver's notion of equality). `QED` and `(**)` provide a way to link a chain of equations into a `Proof`. Using these combinators allows us to build refinement proofs in “equational reasoning” style.

Note that the key step for the proof of `reflA` is the line `x ≤ x`. The underlying SMT solver knows how to reason about `Ints` directly, so Liquid Haskell is able to conclude that `x ≤ x` for all `Ints` `x`, without requiring any lemmas about `Int` arithmetic.

We can prove antisymmetry, transitivity and totality for `A` in much the same way as we did for reflexivity:

```

42  antiA :: Anti A
43  antiA x@(A s1) y@(A s2)
44  = (x ≤ y ∧ y ≤ x)
45  =. (s1 ≤ s2 ∧ s2 ≤ s1)
46  =. (s1 == s2)
47  =. (x == y)
48  ** QED

```

```

50  transA :: Trans A
51  transA x@(A s1) y@(A s2) z@(A s3)
52  = (x ≤ y ∧ y ≤ z)
53  =. (s1 ≤ s2 ∧ s2 ≤ s3)
54  =. (s1 ≤ s3)

```

```

= . (x ≤ z)
** QED

```

```

totalA :: Total A
totalA x@(A s1) y@(A s2)
= (x ≤ y || y ≤ x)
= . (s1 ≤ s2 || s2 ≤ s1)
** QED

```

Once these proofs have been established, we can package them up into a `VerifiedOrd` instance for `A`:

```

instance VerifiedOrd A where
  refl = reflA
  anti = antiA
  trans = transA
  total = totalA

```

2.4 Scaling Up the Direct Approach

Next, let's see how to repeat the process of writing a `VerifiedOrd` instance for a more complicated data type. We shall see that while this is possible, the proofs quickly start to become unpleasant, as they will require a lot of boilerplate code. To see this, consider a data type with two constructors:

```

data B = B1 Int | B2 Int deriving Eq
instance Ord B where
  (B1 s1) ≤ (B1 s2) = (s1 ≤ s2)
  (B2 s1) ≤ (B2 s2) = (s1 ≤ s2)
  (B1 {}) ≤ (B2 {}) = True
  (B2 {}) ≤ (B1 {}) = False

```

The proof of reflexivity does not change significantly, as it amounts to adding another case for the additional constructor:

```

reflB :: Refl B
reflB x@(B1 s)
= (x ≤ x)
= . (s ≤ s)
** QED
reflB x@(B2 s)
= (x ≤ x)
= . (s ≤ s)
** QED

```

The proof of antisymmetry, however, becomes a bit more complicated. We now require a case for every pairwise combination of constructors:

```

antiB :: Anti B
antiB x@(B1 s1) y@(B1 s2)
= (x ≤ y ∧ y ≤ x)
= . (s1 ≤ s2 ∧ s2 ≤ s1)
= . (s2 == s1)
= . (x == y)
** QED
antiB x@(B1 s1) y@(B2 s2)
= (x ≤ y ∧ y ≤ x)

```

```

1   =. (s2 ≤ s1 ∧ s1 ≤ s2)
2   =. (s2 == s1)
3   =. (y == x)
4   ** QED
5   antiB x@(B1 {}) y@(B1 {})
6   = (x ≤ y ∧ y ≤ x)
7   =. (True ∧ False)
8   =. False
9   ** QED
10  antiB x@(B1 {}) y@(B1 {})
11  = (x ≤ y ∧ y ≤ x)
12  =. (False ∧ True)
13  =. False
14  ** QED

```

With multiple constructors, there are cases where the hypothesis does not hold—namely, when comparing a B1 value with a B2 value. As the hypothesis reduces to `False`, the entire implication is vacuously true, so concluding with `False` suffices to prove the output refinement.

Boilerplate Blowup However, something worrying has happened here. The proof of antisymmetry for A only took two cases, whereas the corresponding proof for B took four cases. If we were to add a third constructor, then the antisymmetry proof would take nine cases. In other words, the size of this proof is growing quadratically with the number of constructors!

The other proofs needed for `VerifiedOrd` also grow quickly. Like antisymmetry, the proof of totality grows quadratically, since it must consider every pairwise combination of two constructors. The proof of transitivity has an even more noticeable increase in size growth, since it must match on every combination of *three* B values: while the one-constructor variant of the proof of transitivity has one case, the two-constructor variant would have eight cases, and a three-constructor variant would have 27 cases.

Perhaps even more troublesome than the size of these proofs themselves is the fact that most of these cases are sheer boilerplate. For instance, the proof of antisymmetry follows a predictable pattern. For the cases where the constructors are both the same, we compare the fields of the constructors, appeal to properties of `Int` arithmetic, and conclude that the two values are equal. For the cases where different constructors are being matched, one comparison will end up being `False`, causing the whole hypothesis to be `False`. This is routine code that is begging to be automated with a proof-reuse technique.

3 Deriving Law-Abiding Instances

Having seen the tedium of manually constructing proofs, we present a solution. Notably, our approach does not require adding new features to Liquid Haskell itself—instead, we use a technique based on extensions already found in the Glasgow Haskell Compiler (GHC).

We adapt an approach from the datatype-generic programming literature where we take an algebraic data type and construct a *representation type* which is isomorphic to it [8]. The representation type itself is a composition of small data types which represent primitive notions such as single constructors, products, sums, and fields. We also establish a type class for witnessing the isomorphism between a data type and its representation type.

With these tools, we can shift the burden of proof from the original data type (which may be arbitrarily complex) to the handful of simple data types which make up representation types. Moreover, since *all* Haskell 2010 data types can be expressed in terms of these representational building blocks, proving a property for these data types is enough to prove the property for this whole class of algebraic data types.

3.1 A Primer on Datatype-Generic Programming

To build up representation types, we build upon the API from the `GHC.Generics` module [8]. First, we utilize a type class which captures the notion of conversion to and from a representation type:

```

class Generic a where
  type Rep a :: * → *
  from :: a → Rep a
  to :: Rep a → a

```

The `Rep` type itself will always be some combination of the following data types:³

- `data U1 p = U1`. This is used to represent a constructor with no fields.
- `newtype Rec0 c p = Rec0 c`. This is used to represent a single field in a constructor.
- `data (f :*: g) p = (f p) :*(g p)`. This is used to represent the choice between two consecutive *fields* in a constructor.
- `data (f :+: g) p = L1 (f p) | R1 (g p)`. This is used to represent the choice between two consecutive *constructors* in a data type.

Recalling the B data type from earlier:

```
data B = B1 Int | B2 Int
```

We define its canonical `Generic` instance like so:

```

instance Generic B where
  type Rep B = Rec0 Int :+: Rec0 Int
  from (B1 i) = L1 (Rec0 i)
  from (B2 i) = R1 (Rec0 i)
  to (L1 (Rec0 i)) = B1 i
  to (R1 (Rec0 i)) = B2 i

```

³The actual implementation features another data type, `M1`, which is used only for metadata. For the sake of simplicity, we have left it out of the discussion in this paper.

Here, we see that because `B` has two constructors (`B1` and `B2`), the `(:+:)` type is used once to represent the choice between `B1` and `B2`. The `Int` field of each constructor is likewise represented with a `Rec0` type. We call this instance “canonical” because with GHC’s `DeriveGeneric` extension, this instance is generated automatically with only this line of code:

```
deriving instance Generic B
```

It should be emphasized that the four types `U1`, `Rec0`, `(:*)`, and `(:+:)` are enough to represent *any* Haskell 2010⁴ data type. For instance, if one were to add more fields to the `B1` constructor, then its corresponding `Rep` type would change by adding additional occurrences of `(:*)` for each field. Therefore, these four data types conveniently provide a unified way to describe the structure of any data type, a property which will be useful shortly.

While `Generic` is convenient for quickly coming up with representation types, it alone isn’t enough for our needs, as we need to be able to use the *proof* that the `from` and `to` functions form an isomorphism. In pursuit of that goal, we define a subclass of `Generic` with two proof methods that express the fact that `from` and `to` are mutual inverses.

```
class Generic a => GenericIso a where
  tof :: x:a -> { to (from x) == x }
  fot :: x:Rep a x -> { from (to x) == x }
```

To demonstrate how the proofs in a `GenericIso` instance look, we give an example instance for `B`:

```
instance GenericIso B where
  tof x@(B1 i)
    = to (from x) =. to (L1 (Rec0 i))
    =. x ** QED
  tof x@(B2 i)
    = to (from x) =. to (R1 (Rec0 i))
    =. x ** QED
  fot x@(L1 (Rec0 i))
    = from (to x) =. from (B1 i)
    =. x ** QED
  fot x@(R1 (Rec0 i))
    = from (to x) =. from (B2 i)
    =. x ** QED
```

Unlike `Generic`, there is no built-in GHC mechanism for deriving instances of `GenericIso`, so one might reasonably worry that `GenericIso` is itself a source of boilerplate. We use Template Haskell [11] to mimic GHC’s deriving mechanism and automatically derive `GenericIso` instances. Concretely, we define the Template Haskell function `deriveIso` that,

⁴They are however not enough to represent the full spectrum of generalized abstract data types (GADTs) [8]. Some other generic programming libraries [10, 15] present different designs that allow representing some features of GADTs, but the question of how to incorporate GADTs into a GHC. `Generics`-style API remains open.

given a name of a type constructor, derives the declarations of the corresponding instances of `Generic` and `GenericIso`.

```
deriveIso :: Name -> Q [Dec]
```

As a demonstration, all of the code for the `Generic` and `GenericIso` instances for `B` written earlier in this section can be reduced to:

```
data B = B1 Int | B2 Int
deriveIso 'B
```

where `'B` is the Template Haskell Name that represents the type constructor `B`.

3.2 Proofs over Representation Types

Having identified the four basic data types which can be composed in various ways to form representation types, the next task is to write proofs for these four types. We will do so by continuing our earlier `VerifiedOrd` example from Section 2, and in the process show how one can obtain a valid total ordering for any algebraic data type by using this technique.

The `U1` data type has an extremely simple `Ord` instance:

```
instance Ord (U1 p) where
  U1 ≤ U1 = True
```

The `VerifiedOrd` instance is similarly straightforward, so we will elide the details here.

The `Ord` instance for the `Rec0` type will look familiar:

```
instance Ord c => Ord (Rec0 c p) where
  (Rec0 r1) ≤ (Rec0 r2) = (r1 ≤ r2)
```

This is essentially the same `Ord` instance that we used for `A` in Section 2.3, except abstracted to an arbitrary field of type `c`. The `VerifiedOrd` instance for `Rec0` also mirrors that of `A`, so we will also leave out the details here.

The `(:*)` type, which serves the role of representing two fields in a constructor, is also the simplest possible product type, with two conjuncts. We can enforce a valid total order on such a type by using the lexicographic ordering.⁵ We first check if the left fields are equal. If so, we compare the right fields. Otherwise, we return the comparison on the left fields:

```
instance (Ord (f p), Ord (g p)) =>
  Ord ((f :*: g) p) where
  (x1 :*: y1) ≤ (x2 :*: y2) =
    if x1 == x2 then y1 ≤ y2 else x1 ≤ x2
```

It can be shown that given suitable `VerifiedOrd` proofs for the fields’ types `f p` and `g p`, this ordering for `(:*)` is reflexive:

```
leqProdRef1
  :: (VerifiedOrd (f p), VerifiedOrd (g p))
  => t::((f :*: g) p) -> { t ≤ t }
```

⁵There are many possible orderings on products, but only lexicographic ordering preserves the total order properties.

```

1  leqProdRefl t@(x :+: y) =
2      (t ≤ t)
3  =. (if x == x then y ≤ y else x ≤ x)
4  =. y ≤ y
5  =. True ∴ refl y
6  ** QED

```

Note that we use an additional proof combinator ($\dot{::}$) here:

```

9  ( $\dot{::}$ ) :: (Proof → a) → Proof → a
10 f ∴ y = f y

```

One should read ($\dot{::}$) as being “prove the equational step on the left-hand side by using the lemma on the right-hand side”. In the case of `leqProdRefl`, we were able to prove that $y \leq y$ is true precisely because of the assumption that y was reflexive. The remaining proofs of antisymmetry, transitivity, and totality for ($\dot{::}$) can be found in Appendix A.1. Putting all of these proofs together gives us the following `VerifiedOrd` instance:

```

19  instance (VerifiedOrd (f p), VerifiedOrd (g p))
20      ⇒ VerifiedOrd ((f :+: g) p) where
21      refl     = leqProdRefl
22      antisym  = leqProdAntisym
23      trans    = leqProdTrans
24      total    = leqProdTotal

```

In a similar vein, we can come up with a `VerifiedOrd` instance for the ($\dot{::}$) type. ($\dot{::}$) not only represents choice between two constructors, it is also the simplest possible sum type, with two disjuncts. A total ordering on sums is defined so that everything in the `L1` constructor is less than everything in the `R1` constructor:

```

32  instance (Ord (f p), Ord (g p)) ⇒
33      Ord ((f :+: g) p) where
34      (L1 x) ≤ (L1 y) = x ≤ y
35      (L1 x) ≤ (R1 y) = True
36      (R1 x) ≤ (L1 y) = False
37      (R1 x) ≤ (R1 y) = x ≤ y

```

Here is an example of a `VerifiedOrd`-related proof for ($\dot{::}$), establishing reflexivity:

```

41  leqSumRefl
42  :: (VerifiedOrd (f p), VerifiedOrd (g p))
43  ⇒ u :: ((f :+: g) p) → { u ≤ u }
44  leqSumRefl s@(L1 x) = (s ≤ s)
45                      =. x ≤ x
46                      =. True ∴ refl x
47                      ** QED
48  leqSumRefl s@(R1 y) = (s ≤ s)
49                      =. y ≤ y
50                      =. True ∴ refl y
51                      ** QED

```

This proof bears a strong resemblance to the reflexivity proof for `B` in Section 2.3. This similarity is intended, as the structure of the `B` data type is quite similar to that of

($\dot{::}$). The remaining proofs for ($\dot{::}$) can be found in Appendix A.2). Finally, we obtain the following `VerifiedOrd` instance for ($\dot{::}$):

```

instance (VerifiedOrd (f p), VerifiedOrd (g p))
    ⇒ VerifiedOrd ((f :+: g) p) where
    refl     = leqSumRefl
    antisym  = leqSumAntisym
    trans    = leqSumTrans
    total    = leqSumTotal

```

We wish to place particular emphasis on the fact that these `VerifiedOrd` instances are compositional. That is, we can put together whatever combination of ($\dot{::}$), ($\dot{::}$), `U1`, and `Rec0` we wish, and we will ultimately end up with a structure which has a valid `VerifiedOrd` instance. This is crucial, as it ensures that this technique scales up to real-world data types.

3.3 Reusing Proofs

Given a `VerifiedOrd` instance for a representation type, how can we relate it back to the original data type to which it is isomorphic? The answer lies in the `GenericIso` class from before. `GenericIso` has enough power to take a `VerifiedOrd` proof for one type and reuse it for another type.

To begin, we will need a way to compare two values of a type that is an instance of `Generic`, given that its representation type `Rep` is an instance of `Ord`:

```

leqIso :: (Ord (Rep a x), Generic a)
    ⇒ (a → a → Bool)
leqIso x y = (from x) ≤ (from y)

```

We can straightforwardly prove that `leqIso` is a total order:

```

leqIsoRefl
:: (VerifiedOrd (Rep a x), GenericIso a)
⇒ x:a → { leqIso x x }
leqIsoRefl x = leqIso x x
              =. (from x) ≤ (from x)
              =. True ∴ refl (from x)
              ** QED

```

The proof of antisymmetry relies on the fact that `from` is an injection, which follows from the proof of isomorphism.

```

fromInj :: GenericIso a ⇒ x:a → y:a
        → { from x == from y ⇒ x == y }
fromInj x y =
    from x == from y
    =. to (from x) == to (from y)
    =. x == to (from y) ∴ tof x
    =. x == y ∴ tof y
    ** QED

```

```

leqIsoAntisym
:: (VerifiedOrd (Rep a x), GenericIso a)
⇒ x:a → y:a

```

```

1   → { leqIso x y ∧ leqIso y x ⇒ x == y }
2   leqIsoAntisym x y =
3     (leqIso x y ∧ leqIso y x)
4   =. ((from x) ≤ (from y) ∧ (from y) ≤ (from x))
5   =. (from x) == (from y)
6     ∴ antisym (from x) (from y)
7   =. x == y ∴ fromInj x y
8   ** QED
9
10  leqIsoTrans
11  ∴ (VerifiedOrd (Rep a x), GenericIso a)
12  ⇒ x:a → y:a → z:a
13  → { leqIso x y ∧ leqIso y z ⇒ leqIso x z }
14  leqIsoTrans x y z =
15    (leqIso x y ∧ leqIso y z)
16  =. ((from x) ≤ (from y) ∧ (from y) ≤ (from z))
17  =. (from x) ≤ (from z)
18    ∴ trans (from x) (from y) (from z)
19  =. leqIso x z
20  ** QED
21
22  leqIsoTotal
23  ∴ (VerifiedOrd (Rep a x), GenericIso a)
24  ⇒ x:a → y:a
25  → { leqIso x y || leqIso y x }
26  leqIsoTotal x y =
27    (leqIso x y || leqIso y x)
28  =. ((from x) ≤ (from y) || (from y) ≤ (from x))
29  =. True ∴ total (from x) (from y)

```

Now we put it all together and write the `VerifiedOrd` instance that was begging to be discovered:

```

32  instance (Ord (Rep a x), GenericIso a)
33    ⇒ Ord a where
34    (≤) = leqIso
35
36  instance (VerifiedOrd (Rep a x), GenericIso a)
37    ⇒ VerifiedOrd a where
38    refl    = leqIsoRef1
39    antisym = leqIsoAntisym
40    trans   = leqIsoTrans
41    total   = leqIsoTotal

```

The above two instances take the proofs of `VerifiedOrd` for representation types and reuse them to construct proofs for any isomorphic data type. More importantly, we can use these instances to define many additional `VerifiedOrd` instances with almost no additional effort.

3.4 Some Complete Examples

With the above machinery, writing a `VerifiedOrd` instance becomes a breeze. We can now rewrite the earlier `VerifiedOrd B` instance, which was written in the direct approach, and greatly simplify it using the generic approach:

```

54  data B = B1 Int | B2 Int deriving Eq

```

```

deriveIso ''B
instance Ord B
instance VerifiedOrd B

```

This small amount of code does a tremendous amount of heavy lifting. Recall (§ 3.1) for `Generic` and `GenericIso`:

```

instance Generic B where
  type Rep B = Rec0 Int ∴ Rec0 Int
  ...

```

```

instance GenericIso B where ...

```

Type class resolution will fill in the implementations for the `Ord` and `VerifiedOrd` instances for `B`, if we have `Ord` and `VerifiedOrd` instances for `Int`, `Rec0` and `(:+:)`. A `VerifiedOrd Int` instance is trivial to create, as the SMT solver's reasoning about `Ints` makes the proofs simple, and we demonstrated how to write the proofs for `(:+:)` in Section 3.2.

Our derivation technique, as presented, works for recursive datatypes too. For instance assume the recursive definition of natural numbers.

```

data Nat = Zero | Suc Nat deriving Eq

```

Then we derive a `VerifiedOrd` instance for `Nat` simply by deriving all the appropriate `Generic`, `GenericIso` and `Ord` classes⁶.

```

deriveIso ''Nat
instance Ord Nat
instance VerifiedOrd Nat

```

4 Evaluation

To evaluate our approach for deriving lawful instances, we extended a set of commonly used Haskell type classes with associated proof obligations (summarized in Table 1) and implemented proof carrying instances for the Haskell data types of Table 2. Our implementation can be accessed at <http://bit.ly/2qFbei6>. In this section, we describe the five lawful type classes (Section 4.1) and the law-abiding instances that we derived for them (Section 4.2). We conclude by summarizing the benefits (Section 4.3) and limitations (Sections 4.4 and 4.5) of our technique.

4.1 Lawful Type Classes

We used refinement types to specify the laws for five standard type classes as presented in Table 1.

1. Total Orders Our primary example from Section 2 was the `Ord` type class, which can be verified to be a total order.

2. Equivalences Next we specify the equivalence properties in `Ord`'s superclass, `Eq`.

```

class Eq a where
  (==) ∴ a → a → Bool

```

⁶Note that the methods in the derived instance are only guaranteed to terminate for strictly positive datatypes.

```

1 class Eq a => VerifiedEq a where
2   refl :: ReflEq a
3   sym  :: SymEq a
4   trans :: TransEq a
5
6 class Ord a => VerifiedOrd a where
7   refl :: Refl a
8   total :: Total a
9   anti :: Anti a
10  trans :: Trans a
11
12 class Semigroup a => VerifiedSemigroup a where
13   assoc :: Assoc a
14
15 class Monoid a => VerifiedMonoid a where
16   lident :: LIdent a
17   rident :: RIdent a
18
19 class Functor f => VerifiedFunctor f where
20   fmapId      :: FmapId f
21   fmapCompose :: FmapCompose f

```

Table 1. Summary of the law-abiding type classes.

```

26 data Identity a = Identity a
27 data Maybe a    = Nothing | Just a
28 data Either a b = L a | R b
29 data List a     = Nil | Cons a (List a)
30 data Triple a b c = MkTriple a b c

```

Table 2. Summary of the evaluated data-types.

Equality should be an *equivalence* relation—that is, it should satisfy the laws of reflexivity, symmetry, and transitivity (expressed directly as refined function types):

```

38 type ReflEq a = x:a → {x == x}
39 type SymEq a = x:a → y:a → {x == y ⇒ y == x}
40 type TransEq a = x:a → y:a → z:a
41   → {x == y ∧ y == z ⇒ x == z}

```

These type signatures are used in the class methods of `VerifiedEq` in Table 1. The process for generically creating `VerifiedEq` instances is extremely similar to the process for `VerifiedOrd`, as outlined in Section 2.

3. Semigroups Next, we specify the associativity law for semigroups. The `Semigroup` class comes equipped with a binary operation (`<>`) that provides a way to combine two values into one.

```

52 class Semigroup a where
53   (<>) :: a → a → a

```

The proof obligation for (`<>`) is that it is associative:

```

type Assoc a = x:a → y:a → z:a
              → {x <> (y <> z) = (x <> y) <> z}

```

The process of generically creating `VerifiedSemigroup` instances slightly differs from that of `VerifiedOrd` (from Section 2), since `Semigroup` features a class method with the type parameter in the result position of a function—that is, the type parameter is used covariantly as well as contravariantly. This means that in order to turn a `VerifiedSemigroup a` instance to a `VerifiedSemigroup b` instance with `GenericIso`, one must use the `to` function—which was unused up to this point—as well as `from`.

4. Monoids On top of `Semigroup`, its subclass `Monoid`⁷ grants the ability to conjure up an identity element:

```

class Semigroup a => Monoid a where
  empty :: a

```

`Monoid` has two more proof obligations which dictate how `empty` should interact with the (`<>`) operation. `empty` acts as the left and right identity element:

```

type LIdent a = x:a → { empty <> x = x }
type RIdent a = x:a → { x <> empty = x }

```

There is an interesting question to be asked about whether one can sensibly write generic `Semigroup` or `Monoid` instances for sum types. Unlike the `Eq` or `Ord` classes, where it is straightforward to implement generic instances for types with multiple constructors (represented by the type `(:+:)`), for `Semigroup` and `Monoid` the choice is not clear. Trying to combine values from different constructors with (`<>`) would require arbitrarily picking whether the left or right constructor should be used, for instance. As a result, we did not pursue any `VerifiedSemigroup` or `VerifiedMonoid` instances for sum types.

5. Functors Finally we specify the laws on the `Functor` class:

```

class Functor (f :: * → *) where
  fmap :: (a → b) → f a → f b

```

We use the standard Haskell definitions for identity and composition:

```

id :: a → a
id z = z

(.) :: (b → c) → (a → b) → a → c
(.) f g x = f (g x)

```

to specify that functors preserve identity and composition:

```

type FmapId f
  = z:(f a) → {fmap id z = z}
type FmapCompose f
  = x:(b → c) → y:(a → b) → z:(f a)

```

⁷At the time of writing, `Monoid` is not actually a subclass of `Semigroup` in GHC's base library. For the sake of making the presentation more convenient, however, we will pretend it is.

```
→ {fmap (x . y) z = (fmap x . fmap y) z}
```

Unlike the previous four classes that are defined over types (of kind $(*)$), Functor is defined over type constructors (of kind $(* \rightarrow *)$). To derive law-abiding instances over these kinds of classes, we need to generalize our earlier machinery to work over $(* \rightarrow *)$ -kinded types.

Generic Derivations for Type Constructors. The `Generic1` class handles $(* \rightarrow *)$ -kinded types.

```
class Generic1 (f :: * → *) where
  type Rep1 f :: * → *
  from1 :: ∀ a. f a → Rep1 f a
  to1   :: ∀ a. Rep1 f a → f a
```

The `GenericIso1` class extends `Generic1`, expressing that `to1` and `from1` form a natural isomorphism.

```
class Generic1 f ⇒ GenericIso1 (f :: * → *) where
  tof1 :: ∀ a. x:f a → { to1 (from1 x) == x }
  fot1 :: ∀ a. x:Rep1 f a → { from1 (to1 x) == x }
```

Next, it is necessary to increase our set of representational data types slightly, since implementing `Functor` demands that we ask more interesting questions about the structure of data types. To see why that is the case, observe this data type's `Functor` instance:

```
newtype Phantom a = Phantom Int
instance Functor Phantom where
  fmap f (Phantom i) = Phantom i
```

This is different than the `Functor` instance for this very similar data type:

```
newtype Identity a = Identity a
instance Functor Identity where
  fmap f (Identity x) = Identity (f x)
```

The only distinction between the internal structure of `Phantom` and `Identity` is that `Identity`'s field is an occurrence of its type parameter. In order to query this property generically, we need additional data types that mark occurrences of the type parameter:

```
newtype Par1 p = Par1 p
newtype Rec1 f p = Rec1 (f p)
newtype (f :: g) p = Comp1 (f (g p))
```

These three types are used in conjunction with `Generic1` exclusively. To see how they are used, here is a sample `Generic1` instance:

```
data T a = MkT Int a (Maybe a) [[a]]
instance Generic1 T where
  type Rep1 T =
    Rec0 Int ::* Par1 ::* Rec1 Maybe
      ::* ([] :: Rec1 [])
  from1 (T a1 a2 a3 a4) =
    Rec0 a1 ::* Par1 a2 ::* Rec1 a3
      ::* Comp1 (fmap Rec1 a4)
  to1 (Rec0 a1 ::* Par1 a2 ::* Rec1 a3
```

```
::* Comp1 a4) =
```

```
T a1 a2 a3 (fmap (\(Rec1 x) → x) a4)
```

We see that `Par1` handles direct occurrences of the type parameter, `Rec1` handles cases where the type parameter is underneath an application of some type, and `(: :)` is used when there are multiple levels of type applications covering the type parameter. For all other field types, `Rec0` is used.

Finally, following Section 2, we define the Template Haskell derivation function `deriveIso1` that, given the name of a data type constructor, derives the proper `Generic1` and `GenericIso1` instances.

```
deriveIso1 :: Name → Q [Dec]
```

4.2 Law-Abiding Instances

We used our approach to derive law-abiding instances of the above type classes for data types of `Identity`, `Maybe`, `Either`, `List`, and `Triple` as defined in Table 2. As discussed in Section 4.1, we do not attempt to derive `Semigroup` and `Monoid` instances for the sum types `Maybe`, `Either`, and `List`. We selected the five data types in Table 2 because they provide a healthy variety of structure, encompassing types with products, sums and nullary constructors. Moreover, they provide interesting test cases for `VerifiedFunctor` as, e.g., the `List` type features the type parameter `a` in both a direct occurrence and underneath the `List` type constructor (in the `Cons` constructor).

To recap the advantage of our approach, we describe how each instance was verified, using the `VerifiedFunctor` instance for `List` as an example.

At the library site, the developer defines the verified class together with its laws:

```
type FmapId f = ∀ a. z:(f a) → {fmap id z = z}
type FmapCompose f
  = ∀ a b c. x:(b → c) → y:(a → b) → z:(f a)
  → {fmap (x . y) z = (fmap x . fmap y) z}
```

```
class Functor f ⇒ VerifiedFunctor f where
  fmapId      :: FmapId f
  fmapCompose :: FmapCompose f
```

To allow semi-automatic derivation of law-abiding instances, the library developer needs to provide two further pieces of code:

1. the verified instances for the representation types needed to support the original data type, and
2. a way to convert a verified instance for the representation type back to the original data type.

Code 1. In our example, the library-writer must create `VerifiedFunctor` instances for the `U1`, `Par1`, `Par1`, `(: + :)`, and `Rec1` types. These instances will be used to derive the `VerifiedFunctor` instance for `List` since it has the following representation type:

```
1 type Rep1 List = U1 :+: (Par1 :+: Rec1 List)
```

2 **Code 2.** Then, one needs to define how to convert a
3 VerifiedFunctor instance for the representation type of f
4 into a VerifiedFunctor instance for f itself.

```
5 instance (VerifiedFunctor (Rep1 f), GenericIso1 f)  
6 => VerifiedFunctor f
```

7 This instance definition can be defined using the techniques
8 from Section 3.2.

9 **At the user site,** first the data type is defined. For our ex-
10 ample, we use Lists.

```
11 data List a = Nil | Cons a (List a)
```

12 Next, we use Template Haskell to automate the creation
13 of Generic1 and GenericIso1 instances for the data type:

```
14 deriveIso1 ''List
```

15 Finally, we derive the law-abiding instance definition of
16 List as a VerifiedFunctor by simply by writing the following
17 instance declaration:

```
18 instance VerifiedFunctor List
```

19 4.3 Proof Burden for Direct and Derived Instances

20 We would like to emphasize the differences between our
21 *generic* derivation approach and the direct approach of writ-
22 ing out the proofs *directly*.

23 In the direct approach, the library writer does not need
24 to write anything that resembles Code 2, since there are
25 no data type conversions to be found. In this sense, there
26 is a cost to the generic approach that is not present in the
27 direct approach. Importantly, though, this cost only has to
28 be paid once for each class, because this code for converting
29 VerifiedFunctor instances between types can be reused for
30 every subsequent data type that needs a VerifiedFunctor
31 instance.

32 Additionally, the direct approach’s costs significantly out-
33 weigh the generic approach’s costs. To implement Code 1
34 in the generic approach, one must write proof code for a
35 certain number of “building block” data types, *but no more*
36 *than that*. After these proofs have been written, there are no
37 additional costs that arise later when writing other verified
38 instances, as these proofs can be reused for other datatypes
39 that have representation types with the same underlying
40 building block types. In contrast, the direct approach re-
41 quires writing (and re-writing) proof code for every verified
42 instance.

43 4.4 Limitations and Future Work

44 Our current prototype differs from the presentation in Sec-
45 tion 3 in a couple of ways.

Liquid Haskell Doesn’t Support Type Classes First, Liq-
uid Haskell does not fully support refining all features of
type classes of the time of writing. This is a limitation which
could be overcome with a future implementation. We work
around this in our prototype by using an explicit dictionary
style that is equivalent to how type classes are desugared
internally in GHC. For instance, we reify the Eq type class as

```
data Eq a = Eq { (==) :: a -> a -> Bool }
```

We then explicitly pass around Eq “instances” as data type
values. This makes the implementation a bit more verbose,
but is otherwise functionally equivalent to our presentation
earlier in the paper.

Template Haskell Doesn’t Support Comments The
other limitation which our prototype must work around
is the lack of Template Haskell support for generating com-
ments. Recall that Liquid Haskell refinements are expressed
in comments of the form $\{-@ \dots @-\}$. This poses a chal-
lenge for us, as we use Template Haskell to implement the
deriveIso function, which is intended to create GenericIso
instances and the associated refinement-containing com-
ments that accompany the instances. That is, ideally

```
data Foo = Foo  
deriveIso ''Foo
```

would suffice to generate the following Haskell code:

```
instance Generic Foo where  
  to = ...  
  from = ...  
instance GenericIso Foo where  
  {-@ tof :: x:Foo -> {to (from x) == x} @-}  
  tof = ...  
  {-@ fot :: x:Rep Foo x -> {from (to x) == x} @-}  
  fot = ...
```

Unfortunately, Template Haskell currently does not sup-
port splicing in declarations that contain comments as in
the code above, so doing everything in one fell swoop is not
possible at the moment. To work around this limitation, we
require users to write the comments themselves:

```
data Foo = Foo  
deriveIso ''Foo  
{-@ tof :: x:Foo -> { to (from x) == x } @-}  
{-@ fot :: x:Rep Foo x -> { from (to x) == x } @-}
```

We intend to resolve this by extending Template Haskell to
support comment generation.

46 4.5 A Note on Performance

One limitation to watch out for is the efficiency of the verified
instances at runtime. A consequence of using GHC.Generics
is that there are many intermediate data types used, and this
can lead to runtime performance overheads if GHC does not
optimize away the conversions to and from the intermediate
types. It is sometimes possible to tune GHC’s optimization

1 flags to achieve performance that is comparable to direct,
 2 hand-written code [9], but as a general rule, code written
 3 with `GHC.Generics` tends to be slower overall.

4 We do not offer a solution to this problem in this paper,
 5 but it is worth noting that many of the classes that we discuss
 6 can be derived in GHC through other means. For instance,
 7 one can derive efficient implementations of the `Eq`, `Ord`, and
 8 `Functor` classes by writing

```
9 data Pair a = MkPair a a
10 deriving (Eq, Ord, Functor)
```

12 One thing we wish to explore in the future is verifying
 13 instances derived in this fashion. This will be non-trivial as
 14 the code that GHC derives often uses primitive operations
 15 that can be tricky to reason about. If this were implemented,
 16 we could quickly verify a set of commonly used type classes
 17 and have them be fast, too.

18 5 Aside: Logic

19 The idea of proof reuse is motivated from model theory in
 20 mathematical logic. First-order model theory studies prop-
 21 erties of models of first-order theories using tools from uni-
 22 versal algebra. In particular, preservation theorems study
 23 the closure properties of classes of models across algebraic
 24 operations. By interpreting Haskell type classes and verified
 25 type classes as algebraic objects, we can borrow these ideas
 26 to do generic proving and verified programming.

28 A Haskell type class can be interpreted as a signature in the
 29 sense of universal algebra, that is, a collection of function and
 30 relation symbols with fixed arities. Relations are identified
 31 with propositions, that is, functions whose codomain is `Bool`.
 32 For example, the type class `Eq` corresponds to the signature
 33 $\sigma_{Eq} := (=)$, and the `Ord` class corresponds to the signature
 34 $\sigma_{Ord} := (<, =)$. “Type class laws”, expressed as first-order
 35 axioms using refinement reflection are identified as a first-
 36 order theory, that is, a set of first-order statements (identified
 37 upto logical equivalence). For example, for `VerifiedOrd`, we
 38 have the theory of total orders given by T_{Ord} with the axioms
 39 for reflexivity, antisymmetry, transitivity, and totality.

40 We can now interpret building an instance of a verified
 41 type class model-theoretically. A type is an instance of a
 42 verified type class, if it forms a structure in that signature,
 43 and is also a model of the first-order theory. For example, a
 44 type a is an instance of `VerifiedOrd`, if there are operations
 45 $=^a, \leq^a$ so that $A := (a, =^a, \leq^a)$ is a σ_{Ord} structure, and
 46 $A \models T_{Ord}$, that is, A is a model of T_{Ord} .

47 Given a first-order theory T and K , the class of models of
 48 T , one can ask if K is closed under algebraic operations like
 49 products ($P(K)$), coproducts ($C(K)$), substructures ($S(K)$),
 50 homomorphic images ($H(K)$), isomorphic images ($I(K)$). The
 51 answers to some of these are well known [6].

- 52 • $I(K) = K$ for any T .
- 53 • (*Łoś-Tarski*) $S(K) = K$ iff T is universal.
- 54 • $SP(K) = K$ iff T is a Horn-clause theory.

- (*Birkhoff*) $HSP(K) = K$ iff T is equational.

This gives a firm theoretical foundation for our technique
 for shorter refinement reflection proofs. The fact that classes
 of models are closed under products means that if we can
 prove a property for two types, then we can immediately
 conclude that the property holds for a constructor with those
 two types as fields. Similarly, closure under coproducts lets
 us conclude that if a property holds for two constructors,
 then that property holds for a sum type composed of those
 two constructors. Closure under substructures means that
 we can use an injective embedding to reduce the proof to one
 for a different datatype. Lastly, closure under isomorphism
 lets us say that if we can prove a property for one data type,
 then we can conclude the property for any other data type
 with an isomorphic structure.

6 Related Work

Several languages with dependent types offer some degree of
 automation via datatype-generic programming. Dagand [5]
 develops a dependent type theory in Agda which, by encod-
 ing inductive data types in a universe of *descriptions*, allows
 deriving decidable (and boolean) equality in a straightfor-
 ward manner. Al-Sibahi [1] presents a similar implementa-
 tion of described types in Idris, based off of the dependent
 type theory by Chapman et al. [4], and demonstrates its
 utility in deriving instances of decidable equality, `Functor`,
 pretty-printing, and generic traversals. Altenkirch et al. also
 develop several universes of types in Epigram, which can be
 used to implement generic zipper options [2].

Liquid Haskell takes a somewhat different approach to
 equational reasoning than Agda and Idris. With refinement
 reflection, the programmer states the propositions as refine-
 ments, and Liquid Haskell is tasked with finding the proofs
 (with some gentle assistance by the programmer). The proof
 code simply acts as a guide to the SMT solver in determining
 satisfiability. In Agda and Idris, however, more responsibility
 is placed on the programmer to implement the details of
 proofs, as their typecheckers do not leverage a solver. In this
 way, refinement reflection inverts the relative importances
 of propositions and proofs, and by incorporating statements
 from propositions into the SMT solver, Liquid Haskell makes
 propositions “whole-program”.

One thing to note is that while the datatype generic pro-
 gramming techniques in dependently typed languages like
 Agda, Idris, and Epigram are strictly more powerful, as they
 need to support a richer universe of datatypes than what
 Haskell offers, it comes with a burden of a higher learn-
 ing curve. For instance, Al Sibahi notes that in the generic
 programming library he developed for Idris, “it requires con-
 siderable effort to understand the type signatures for even
 simple operations.” [1] In contrast, the generic programming
 library we use here is designed to be relatively straightfor-
 ward to implement, simple to explain, and give decently
 understandable type error messages.

The notion of reusing proofs over isomorphic types is also a familiar idea in the dependent types community. Barthe and Pons [3] formalize a theory of *type isomorphisms* in a modified version of the Calculus of Inductive Constructions. Type isomorphisms are extremely similar to the `GenericIso` class in Section 3.1. A type isomorphism between types A and B is essentially a pair of two well typed functions $f : A \rightarrow B$ and $g : B \rightarrow A$ that are mutual inverses (i.e, that $f (g x) = x$ and $g (f x) = x$ for all x) which allow one to take a proof of a property over A and reuse it for B , and vice versa. Barthe and Pons use as motivation the ability to, for instance, reuse a proof of Peano (unary) natural numbers, which can be easier to reason about, for binary natural numbers, which can be used for more efficient algorithms. The technique could be adapted for inductive data types and their corresponding representations as well.

Isomorphisms (or equivalences) are also well studied in Homotopy Type Theory, and having a computational interpretation for univalence would mean that all type constructors act functorially on isomorphisms. This allows one to rewrite terms between isomorphic types, witnessed by a path, which facilitates type-generic programming. Some possible applications to generic programming are discussed by Licata and Harper in their work on 2-dimensional type theory [7].

7 Conclusion

We presented how law-abiding type class instances can be derived via generic programming. Class laws are encoded as refinement type specifications. The library author's only responsibility is to provide proofs of the laws on generic representation types, and to implement a way to derive a verified instance for a type by reusing the proofs from its (provably isomorphic) representation type. Then, Haskell's standard class resolution will derive provably law-abiding instances. We used this technique on the commonly used Haskell classes `Eq`, `Ord`, `Semigroup`, `Monoid` and `Functor`. Even though our technique currently suffers from various engineering limitations, it suggests a clean route towards semi-automated verification of class proofs by combining datatype-generic programming and type class resolution.

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A Appendix

A.1 Full VerifiedOrd instance for (·*)

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1  instance (Ord (f p), Ord (g p)) =>
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4  instance (Ord (f p), Ord (g p)) =>
5      Ord ((f ·*: g) p) where
6      (x1 ·*: y1) ≤ (x2 ·*: y2) =
7          if x1 == x2 then y1 ≤ y2 else x1 ≤ x2
8
9  leqProdRefl
10 :: (VerifiedOrd (f p), VerifiedOrd (g p))
11 => Refl ((f ·*: g) p)
12 leqProdRefl t@(x ·*: y) =
13     (t ≤ t)
14 =. (if x == x then y ≤ y else x ≤ x)
15 =. y ≤ y
16 =. True ∴ refl y
17 ** QED
18
19 leqProdAntisym
20 :: (VerifiedOrd (f p), VerifiedOrd (g p))
21 => Anti ((f ·*: g) p)
22 leqProdAntisym p@(x1 ·*: y1) q@(x2 ·*: y2) =
23     (p ≤ q ∧ q ≤ p)
24 =. ((if x1 == x2 then y1 ≤ y2 else x1 ≤ x2) ∧
25     (if x2 == x1 then y2 ≤ y1 else x2 ≤ x1))
26 =. (if x1 == x2
27     then (y1 ≤ y2 ∧ y2 ≤ y1)
28     else (x1 ≤ x2 ∧ x2 ≤ x1))
29 =. (if x1 == x2
30     then y1 == y2
31     else x1 ≤ x2 ∧ x2 ≤ x1) ∴ antisym y1 y2
32 =. (if x1 == x2
33     then y1 == y2
34     else x1 == x2) ∴ antisym x1 x2
35 =. (x1 == x2 ∧ y1 == y2)
36 =. (p == q)
37 ** QED
38
39 leqProdTrans
40 :: (VerifiedOrd (f p), VerifiedOrd (g p))
41 => Trans ((f ·*: g) p)
42 leqProdTrans p@(x1 ·*: y1) q@(x2 ·*: y2) r@(x3 ·*:
43     y3) =
44     case x1 == x2 of
45     True  → case x2 == x3 of
46         True  → (p ≤ q ∧ q ≤ r)
47             =. (y1 ≤ y2 ∧ y2 ≤ y3)
48             =. y1 ≤ y3 ∴ trans y1 y2 y3
49             =. (if x1 == x3
50                 then y1 ≤ y3
51                 else x1 ≤ x3)
52             =. (p ≤ r)
53             ** QED
54     False → (p ≤ q ∧ q ≤ r)

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= . (y1 ≤ y2 ∧ x2 ≤ x3)
= . x1 ≤ x3
= . (if x1 == x3
    then y1 ≤ y3
    else x1 ≤ x3)
= . (p ≤ r)
** QED
False → case x2 == x3 of
True  → (p ≤ q ∧ q ≤ r)
    =. (x1 ≤ x2 ∧ y2 ≤ y3)
    =. x1 ≤ x3
    =. (if x1 == x3
        then y1 ≤ y3
        else x1 ≤ x3)
    =. (p ≤ r)
** QED
False → case x1 == x3 of
True  → (p ≤ q ∧ q ≤ r)
    =. (x1 ≤ x2 ∧ x2 ≤ x3)
    =. (x1 ≤ x2 ∧ x2 ≤ x1)
    =. (x1 == x2) ∴ antisym x1 x2
    =. y1 ≤ y3
    =. (if x1 == x3
        then y1 ≤ y3
        else x1 ≤ x3)
    ** QED
False → (p ≤ q ∧ q ≤ r)
    =. (x1 ≤ x2 ∧ x2 ≤ x3)
    =. x1 ≤ x3 ∴ trans x1 x2 x3
    =. (if x1 == x3
        then y1 ≤ y3
        else x1 ≤ x3)
    =. (p ≤ r)
** QED

leqProdTotal
:: (VerifiedOrd (f p), VerifiedOrd (g p))
=> Total ((f ·*: g) p)
leqProdTotal p@(x1 ·*: y1) q@(x2 ·*: y2) =
    (p ≤ q || q ≤ p)
= . ((if x1 == x2 then y1 ≤ y2 else x1 ≤ x2) ||
    (if x2 == x1 then y2 ≤ y1 else x2 ≤ x1))
= . (if x1 == x2
    then (y1 ≤ y2 || y2 ≤ y1)
    else (x1 ≤ x2 || x2 ≤ x1))
= . (if x1 == x2
    then True
    else (x1 ≤ x2 || x2 ≤ x1)) ∴ total y1 y2
= . (if x1 == x2
    then True
    else True) ∴ total x1 x2
= . True
** QED

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1  instance (VerifiedOrd (f p), VerifiedOrd (g p))
2      ⇒ VerifiedOrd ((f :+: g) p) where
3      refl    = leqProdRefl
4      antisym = leqProdAntisym
5      trans   = leqProdTrans
6      total   = leqProdTotal

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A.2 Full VerifiedOrd instance for (:+:)

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9  instance (Ord (f p), Ord (g p)) ⇒
10      Ord ((f :+: g) p) where
11      (L1 x) ≤ (L1 y) = x ≤ y
12      (L1 x) ≤ (R1 y) = True
13      (R1 x) ≤ (L1 y) = False
14      (R1 x) ≤ (R1 y) = x ≤ y
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16  leqSumRefl
17  :: (VerifiedOrd (f p), VerifiedOrd (g p))
18  ⇒ Refl ((f :+: g) p)
19  leqSumRefl s@(L1 x) = (s ≤ s)
20                      =. x ≤ x
21                      =. True ∴ refl x
22                      ** QED
23  leqSumRefl s@(R1 y) = (s ≤ s)
24                      =. y ≤ y
25                      =. True ∴ refl y
26                      ** QED
27
28  leqSumAntisym
29  :: (VerifiedOrd (f p), VerifiedOrd (g p))
30  ⇒ Anti ((f :+: g) p)
31  leqSumAntisym p@(L1 x) q@(L1 y) =
32      (p ≤ q ∧ q ≤ p)
33      =. (x ≤ y ∧ y ≤ x)
34      =. x == y ∴ antisym x y
35      ** QED
36  leqSumAntisym p@(L1 x) q@(R1 y) =
37      (p ≤ q ∧ q ≤ p)
38      =. (True ∧ False)
39      =. False
40      =. p == q
41      ** QED
42  leqSumAntisym p@(R1 x) q@(L1 y) =
43      (p ≤ q ∧ q ≤ p)
44      =. (False ∧ True)
45      =. False
46      =. p == q
47      ** QED
48  leqSumAntisym p@(R1 x) q@(R1 y) =
49      (p ≤ q ∧ q ≤ p)
50      =. (x ≤ y ∧ y ≤ x)
51      =. x == y ∴ antisym x y
52      ** QED
53
54  leqSumTrans

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:: (VerifiedOrd (f p), VerifiedOrd (g p))
⇒ Trans ((f :+: g) p)
leqSumTrans p@(L1 x) q@(L1 y) r@(L1 z) =
    (p ≤ q ∧ q ≤ r)
    =. (x ≤ y ∧ y ≤ z)
    =. x ≤ z ∴ trans x y z
    =. (p ≤ r)
    ** QED
leqSumTrans p@(L1 x) q@(L1 y) r@(R1 z) =
    (p ≤ q ∧ q ≤ r)
    =. (x ≤ y ∧ True)
    =. (p ≤ r)
    ** QED
leqSumTrans p@(L1 x) q@(R1 y) r@(L1 z) =
    (p ≤ q ∧ q ≤ r)
    =. (True ∧ False)
    =. (p ≤ r)
    ** QED
leqSumTrans p@(L1 x) q@(R1 y) r@(R1 z) =
    (p ≤ q ∧ q ≤ r)
    =. (True ∧ y ≤ z)
    =. (p ≤ r)
    ** QED
leqSumTrans p@(R1 x) q@(L1 y) r@(L1 z) =
    (p ≤ q ∧ q ≤ r)
    =. (False ∧ y ≤ z)
    =. (p ≤ r)
    ** QED
leqSumTrans p@(R1 x) q@(L1 y) r@(R1 z) =
    (p ≤ q ∧ q ≤ r)
    =. (False ∧ True)
    =. (p ≤ r)
    ** QED
leqSumTrans p@(R1 x) q@(R1 y) r@(L1 z) =
    (p ≤ q ∧ q ≤ r)
    =. (x ≤ y ∧ False)
    =. (p ≤ r)
    ** QED
leqSumTrans p@(R1 x) q@(R1 y) r@(R1 z) =
    (p ≤ q ∧ q ≤ r)
    =. (x ≤ y ∧ y ≤ z)
    =. x ≤ z ∴ trans x y z
    =. (p ≤ r)
    ** QED
leqSumTotal
:: (VerifiedOrd (f p), VerifiedOrd (g p))
⇒ Total ((f :+: g) p)
leqSumTotal p@(L1 x) q@(L1 y) =
    (p ≤ q || q ≤ p)
    =. (x ≤ y || y ≤ x)
    =. True ∴ total x y
    ** QED
leqSumTotal p@(L1 x) q@(R1 y) =

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1      (p ≤ q || q ≤ p)
2  =. (True || False)
3  ** QED
4  leqSumTotal p@(R1 x) q@(L1 y) =
5      (p ≤ q || q ≤ p)
6  =. (False || True)
7  ** QED
8  leqSumTotal p@(R1 x) q@(R1 y) =
9      (p ≤ q || q ≤ p)
10 =. (x ≤ y || y ≤ x)
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=. True ∴ total x y
** QED

instance (VerifiedOrd (f p), VerifiedOrd (g p))
  ⇒ VerifiedOrd ((f :+: g) p) where
  refl    = leqSumRefl
  antisym = leqSumAntisym
  trans   = leqSumTrans
  total   = leqSumTotal

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