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**Exercises #6**

# Erlang

[**Ex. 1**] Write a server in erlang to convert temperatures from Celsius degrees to Fahrenheit degrees and vice versa, using the formula  $F = 1.8C + 32$ . The server receives requests of the form  $(Pid, \mathbf{cs}, C)$  or  $(Pid, \mathbf{ft}, F)$  and replies to  $Pid$  by sending messages in analogous format. The server can be stopped by sending the message `stop`. All the other messages are ignored. Spawn a copy of the server, send it some temperatures to convert, check out the results and stop the server.

# Ex. 1, temp converter

```
-module(ex1).
```

```
-export([convert/0]).
```

```
convert() ->  
    receive
```

```
end.
```

# Ex. 1, temp converter

```
-module(ex1).  
-export([convert/0]).
```

```
convert() ->  
    receive  
        {Pid,cs,C} ->
```

```
end.
```

# Ex. 1, temp converter

```
-module(ex1).
```

```
-export([convert/0]).
```

```
convert() ->
```

```
    receive
```

```
        {Pid, cs, C} -> Pid ! {self(), ft, (1.8 * C) + 32},  
                               convert();
```

```
end.
```

# Ex. 1, temp converter

```
-module(ex1).
```

```
-export([convert/0]).
```

```
convert() ->
```

```
  receive
```

```
    {Pid,cs,C} -> Pid ! {self(),ft,(1.8 * C) + 32},  
                               convert();
```

```
    {Pid,ft,F} ->
```

```
end.
```

# Ex. 1, temp converter

```
-module(ex1).
```

```
-export([convert/0]).
```

```
convert() ->
```

```
  receive
```

```
    {Pid,cs,C} -> Pid ! {self(),ft,(1.8 * C) + 32},  
                               convert();
```

```
    {Pid,ft,F} -> Pid ! {self(),cs,(F - 32) / 1.8},  
                               convert();
```

```
end.
```



# Ex. 1, temp converter

```
-module(ex1).
```

```
-export([convert/0]).
```

```
convert() ->
```

```
  receive
```

```
    {Pid,cs,C} -> Pid ! {self(),ft,(1.8 * C) + 32},  
                               convert();
```

```
    {Pid,ft,F} -> Pid ! {self(),cs,(F - 32) / 1.8},  
                               convert();
```

```
    stop -> true;
```

```
end.
```

# Ex. 1, temp converter

```
-module(ex1).
```

```
-export([convert/0]).
```

```
convert() ->
```

```
  receive
```

```
    {Pid,cs,C} -> Pid ! {self(),ft,(1.8 * C) + 32},  
                               convert();
```

```
    {Pid,ft,F} -> Pid ! {self(),cs,(F - 32) / 1.8},  
                               convert();
```

```
    stop -> true;
```

```
  _ ->  
end.
```

# Ex. 1, temp converter

```
-module(ex1).
```

```
-export([convert/0]).
```

```
convert() ->
```

```
  receive
```

```
    {Pid,cs,C} -> Pid ! {self(),ft,(1.8 * C) + 32},  
                               convert();
```

```
    {Pid,ft,F} -> Pid ! {self(),cs,(F - 32) / 1.8},  
                               convert();
```

```
    stop -> true;
```

```
    _ -> convert();
```

```
end.
```

# Ex. 1, temp converter

Eshell V10.2.1 (abort with ^G)

```
1> c(ex1).
```

```
{ok,ex1}
```

```
2>
```

# Ex. 1, temp converter

Eshell V10.2.1 (abort with ^G)

```
1> c(ex1).
```

```
{ok,ex1}
```

```
2> Conv = spawn(ex1,convert,[1]).
```

```
<0.84.0>
```

```
3>
```

# Ex. 1, temp converter

Eshell V10.2.1 (abort with ^G)

1> **c**(ex1).

{ok,ex1}

2> **Conv** = spawn(ex1,convert,[1]).

<0.84.0>

3> **Conv** ! {self(),cs,23}.

{<0.77.0>,cs,23}

4>

# Ex. 1, temp converter

Eshell V10.2.1 (abort with ^G)

```
1> c(ex1).
```

```
{ok,ex1}
```

```
2> Conv = spawn(ex1,convert,[1]).
```

```
<0.84.0>
```

```
3> Conv ! {self(),cs,23}.
```

```
{<0.77.0>,cs,23}
```

```
4> receive
```

```
4>     {Conv,ft,F} -> io:format("23 celsius = ~p fahrenheit~n",[F])
```

```
4> end.
```

```
23 celsius = 73.4 fahrenheit
```

```
ok
```

```
5>
```

# Ex. 1, temp converter

Eshell V10.2.1 (abort with ^G)

1> **c**(**ex1**).

{ok,ex1}

2> **Conv** = **spawn**(**ex1**,**convert**, []).

<0.84.0>

3> **Conv** ! {**self**() , **cs** , 23}.

{<0.77.0> , cs , 23}

4> **receive**

4> {**Conv** , **ft** , **F**} -> **io:format**("23 celsius = ~p fahrenheit~n" , [**F**])

4> **end**.

23 celsius = 73.4 fahrenheit

ok

5> **Conv** ! {**self**() , **ft** , 74}.

{<0.77.0> , ft , 74}

6>



# Ex. 1, temp converter

Eshell V10.2.1 (abort with ^G)

```
1> c(ex1).
```

```
{ok,ex1}
```

```
2> Conv = spawn(ex1,convert,[1]).
```

```
<0.84.0>
```

```
3> Conv ! {self(),cs,23}.
```

```
{<0.77.0>,cs,23}
```

```
4> receive
```

```
4>     {Conv,ft,F} -> io:format("23 celsius = ~p fahrenheit~n",[F])
```

```
4> end.
```

```
23 celsius = 73.4 fahrenheit
```

```
ok
```

```
5> Conv ! {self(),ft,74}.
```

```
{<0.77.0>,ft,74}
```

```
6> receive
```

```
6>     {Conv,cs,C} -> io:format("74 fahrenheit = ~p celsius~n",[C])
```

```
6> end.
```

```
74 fahrenheit = 23.333333333333332 celsius
```

```
ok
```

```
7>
```

# Ex. 1, temp converter

Eshell V10.2.1 (abort with ^G)

1> **c(ex1).**

{ok,ex1}

2> **Conv = spawn(ex1,convert,[]).**

<0.84.0>

3> **Conv ! {self(),cs,23}.**

{<0.77.0>,cs,23}

4> **receive**

4>       **{Conv,ft,F} -> io:format("23 celsius = ~p fahrenheit~n",[F])**

4> **end.**

23 celsius = 73.4 fahrenheit

ok

5> **Conv ! {self(),ft,74}.**

{<0.77.0>,ft,74}

6> **receive**

6>       **{Conv,cs,C} -> io:format("74 fahrenheit = ~p celsius~n",[C])**

6> **end.**

74 fahrenheit = 23.333333333333332 celsius

ok

7> **Conv ! stop.**

stop

8>

**[Ex. 2]** Write an erlang function `copy` that receives an integer  $n$  and if  $n$  is positive it prints  $n$  copies of  $n$  (one per line). Write an erlang function that receives a list of integers and spawn an instance of `copy` for each integer in the list.

# Ex. 2, copy

```
-module(ex2).  
-export([copy/1, listCopy/1]).
```

```
copy(N) when N > 0 ->
```

# Ex. 2, copy

```
-module(ex2).
```

```
-export([copy/1, listCopy/1]).
```

```
copy(N) when N > 0 -> copy(N, N);
```

# Ex. 2, copy

```
-module(ex2).
```

```
-export([copy/1, listCopy/1]).
```

```
copy(N) when N > 0 -> copy(N, N);
```

```
copy(_) ->
```

# Ex. 2, copy

```
-module(ex2).
```

```
-export([copy/1, listCopy/1]).
```

```
copy(N) when N > 0 -> copy(N, N);
```

```
copy(_) -> true.
```

# Ex. 2, copy

```
-module(ex2).
```

```
-export([copy/1, listCopy/1]).
```

```
copy(N) when N > 0 -> copy(N, N);
```

```
copy(_) -> true.
```

```
copy(N, M) when N > 0 ->
```



# Ex. 2, copy

```
-module(ex2).
```

```
-export([copy/1,listCopy/1]).
```

```
copy(N) when N > 0 -> copy(N,N);
```

```
copy(_) -> true.
```

```
copy(N,M) when N > 0 -> io:format("~p~n", [M]),  
                           copy(N-1,M);
```

# Ex. 2, copy

```
-module(ex2).
```

```
-export([copy/1, listCopy/1]).
```

```
copy(N) when N > 0 -> copy(N, N);
```

```
copy(_) -> true.
```

```
copy(N, M) when N > 0 -> io:format("~p~n", [M]),  
                           copy(N-1, M);
```

```
copy(_, _) -> true.
```

# Ex. 2, copy

```
-module(ex2).
```

```
-export([copy/1, listCopy/1]).
```

```
copy(N) when N > 0 -> copy(N, N);
```

```
copy(_) -> true.
```

```
copy(N, M) when N > 0 -> io:format("~p~n", [M]),  
                           copy(N-1, M);
```

```
copy(_, _) -> true.
```

```
listCopy(L) ->
```

# Ex. 2, copy

```
-module(ex2).
```

```
-export([copy/1, listCopy/1]).
```

```
copy(N) when N > 0 -> copy(N, N);
```

```
copy(_) -> true.
```

```
copy(N, M) when N > 0 -> io:format("~p~n", [M]),
```

```
copy(N-1, M);
```

```
copy(_, _) -> true.
```

```
listCopy(L) -> [ | | N <- L ].
```

# Ex. 2, copy

```
-module(ex2).
```

```
-export([copy/1, listCopy/1]).
```

```
copy(N) when N > 0 -> copy(N, N);
```

```
copy(_) -> true.
```

```
copy(N, M) when N > 0 -> io:format("~p~n", [M]),  
                           copy(N-1, M);
```

```
copy(_, _) -> true.
```

```
listCopy(L) -> [ spawn(ex2, copy, [N]) || N <- L ].
```

# Ex. 2, copy

Eshell V10.2.1 (abort with ^G)

1> **c(ex2).**

{ok,ex2}

2>

# Ex. 2, copy

```
Eshell V10.2.1 (abort with ^G)
```

```
1> c(ex2).
```

```
{ok,ex2}
```

```
2> ex2:listCopy(lists:seq(1,5)).
```

```
1
```

```
2
```

```
3
```

```
4
```

```
5
```

```
[<0.84.0>,<0.85.0>,<0.86.0>,<0.87.0>,<0.88.0>]
```

```
2
```

```
3
```

```
4
```

```
5
```

```
3
```

```
4
```

```
5
```

```
4
```

```
5
```

```
5
```

```
3>
```

**[Ex. 3]** Write an erlang function `view` that displays the content of the mailbox but makes all messages remain available in the mailbox afterwards.



# Ex. 3, view

```
-module(ex3).
```

```
-export([view/0]).
```

```
view() ->
```

```
receive
```

```
    Any -> io:format("view ~p~n", [Any]),
```

```
        view()
```

```
after 0 -> true
```

```
end.
```

# Ex. 3, view

```
-module(ex3).  
-export([view/0  
        ]).
```

```
view(L) ->  
    receive  
        Any -> io:format("view ~p~n", [Any]),  
              view([Any|L])  
    after 0 -> true  
end.
```

# Ex. 3, view

```
-module(ex3).
```

```
-export([view/0]).
```

```
view() -> view([]);
```

```
view(L) ->
```

```
    receive
```

```
        Any -> io:format("view ~p~n", [Any]),
```

```
                view([Any|L])
```

```
    after 0 -> true
```

```
end.
```

# Ex. 3, view

```
-module(ex3).
```

```
-export([view/0           ]).
```

```
view() -> view([]);
```

```
view(L) ->
```

```
    receive
```

```
        Any -> io:format("view ~p~n", [Any]),
```

```
                view([Any|L])
```

```
    after 0 -> send(L)
```

```
end.
```

# Ex. 3, view

```
-module(ex3).
```

```
-export([view/0, send/1]).
```

```
send([]) -> true;
```

```
send([A|L]) -> send(L),  
              self() ! A.
```

```
view() -> view([]);
```

```
view(L) ->
```

```
    receive
```

```
        Any -> io:format("view ~p~n", [Any]),
```

```
              view([Any|L])
```

```
    after 0 -> send(L)
```

```
end.
```

# Ex. 3, view

Eshell V10.2.1 (abort with ^G)

1> **c(ex3).**

{ok, exercise}

2>

# Ex. 3, view

Eshell V10.2.1 (abort with ^G)

1> **c(ex3).**

{ok,exercise}

2> **ex3:send([3,2,1]).**

3

3>

# Ex. 3, view

Eshell V10.2.1 (abort with ^G)

1> **c(ex3).**

{ok,exercise}

2> **ex3:send([3,2,1]).**

3

3> **ex3:view().**

view 1

view 2

view 3

3

4>



# Ex. 3, view

Eshell V10.2.1 (abort with ^G)

1> **c(ex3).**

{ok,exercise}

2> **ex3:send([3,2,1]).**

3

3> **ex3:view().**

view 1

view 2

view 3

3

4> **ex3:view().**

view 1

view 2

view 3

3

5>

# Ex. 3, view

```
Eshell V10.2.1 (abort with ^G)
```

```
1> c(ex3).
```

```
{ok,exercise}
```

```
2> ex3:send([3,2,1]).
```

```
3
```

```
3> ex3:view().
```

```
view 1
```

```
view 2
```

```
view 3
```

```
3
```

```
4> ex3:view().
```

```
view 1
```

```
view 2
```

```
view 3
```

```
3
```

```
5> flush().
```

```
Shell got 1
```

```
Shell got 2
```

```
Shell got 3
```

```
ok
```

```
6>
```

# Ex. 3, view

```
Eshell V10.2.1 (abort with ^G)
```

```
1> c(ex3).
```

```
{ok,exercise}
```

```
2> ex3:send([3,2,1]).
```

```
3
```

```
3> ex3:view().
```

```
view 1
```

```
view 2
```

```
view 3
```

```
3
```

```
4> ex3:view().
```

```
view 1
```

```
view 2
```

```
view 3
```

```
3
```

```
5> flush().
```

```
Shell got 1
```

```
Shell got 2
```

```
Shell got 3
```

```
ok
```

```
6> ex3:view().
```

```
true
```

CCS

**[Ex. 4]** Define a CCS process  $B_k^n$  that represents an in/out buffer with capacity  $n$  of which  $k$  positions are taken. Show that  $B_0^n$  is strongly bisimilar to  $n$  copies of  $B_0^1$  that run in parallel.

# Ex. 4, buffers

$$B_0^n \triangleq in.B_1^n$$

$$B_k^n \triangleq in.B_{k+1}^n + \overline{out}.B_{k-1}^n \text{ with } 0 < k < n$$

$$B_n^n \triangleq \overline{out}.B_{n-1}^n$$

we want to prove  $B_0^n \simeq \underbrace{B_0^1 | \cdots | B_0^1}_n$

$$\mathbf{R} \triangleq \{(B_k^n, B_{k_1}^1 | \cdots | B_{k_n}^1) \mid \forall i. k_i \in \{0, 1\} \wedge \sum_{i=1}^n k_i = k\}$$

we prove that  $\mathbf{R}$  is a strong bisimulation

# Ex. 4, buffers

$$\begin{array}{ccc} B_0^n & \mathbf{R} & B_0^1 | \cdots | B_0^1 \\ \downarrow \textit{in} & & \downarrow \textit{in} \\ B_1^n & \mathbf{R} & B_1^1 | \cdots | B_0^1 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} B_0^n & \mathbf{R} & B_0^1 | \cdots | B_0^1 \\ \downarrow \textit{in} & & \downarrow \textit{in} \\ B_1^n & \mathbf{R} & B_0^1 | \cdots | B_1^1 | \cdots | B_0^1 \end{array}$$

# Ex. 4, buffers

$$\begin{array}{l}
 0 < k < n \quad B_k^n \quad \mathbf{R} \quad B_{k_1}^1 | \cdots | B_{k_n}^1 \quad \sum_{i=1}^n k_i = k \\
 \downarrow \textit{in} \quad \downarrow \textit{in} \quad \exists k_i = 0 \\
 B_{k+1}^n \quad \mathbf{R} \quad B_{k_1}^1 | \cdots | B_{k_i+1}^n | \cdots | B_{k_n}^1
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
 B_k^n \quad \mathbf{R} \quad B_{k_1}^1 | \cdots | B_{k_n}^1 \quad \exists k_i = 0 \\
 \downarrow \textit{in} \quad \downarrow \textit{in} \\
 B_{k+1}^n \quad \mathbf{R} \quad B_{k_1}^1 | \cdots | B_{k_i+1}^n | \cdots | B_{k_n}^1
 \end{array}$$

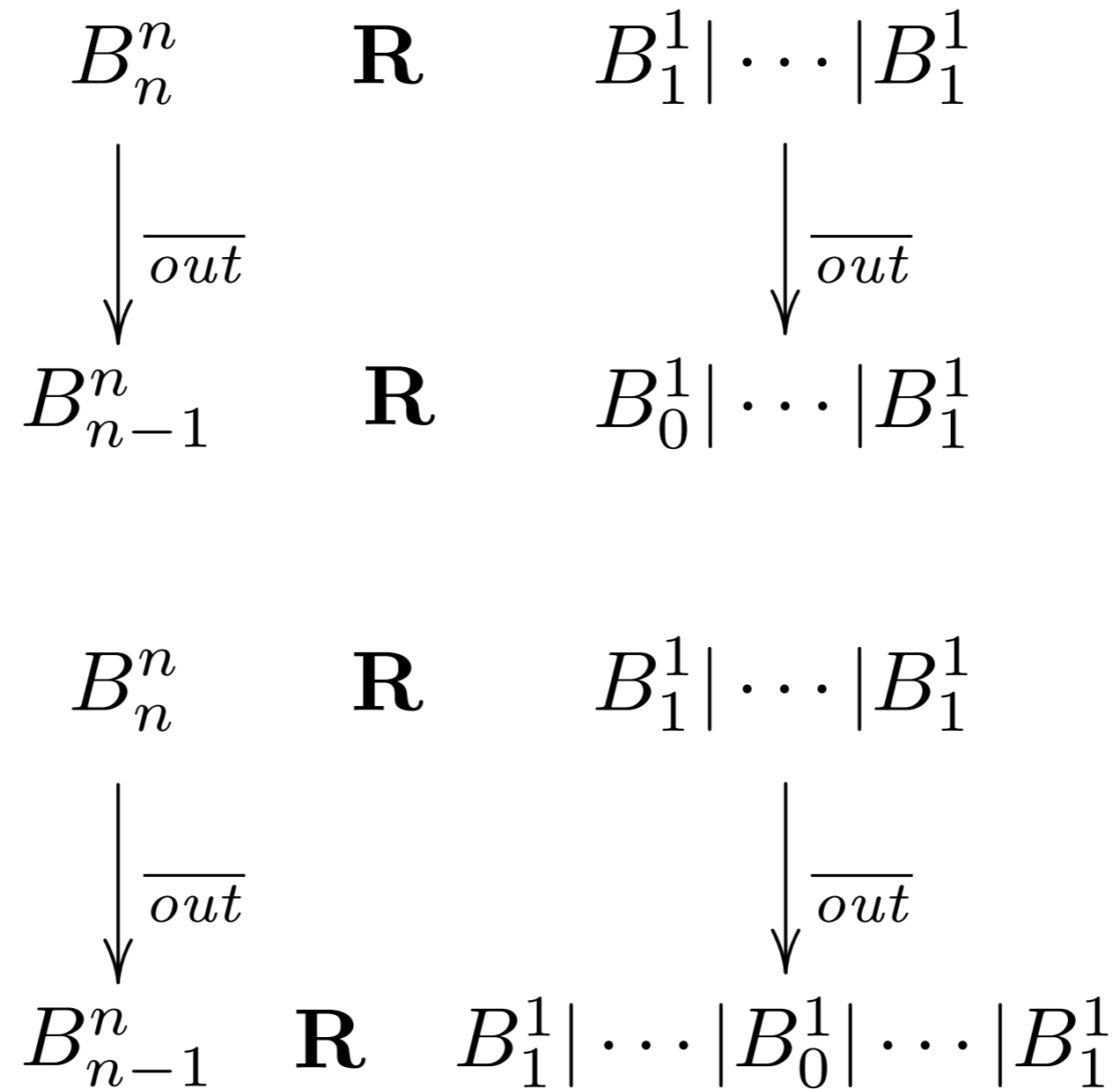


# Ex. 4, buffers

$$\begin{array}{l}
 0 < k < n \quad B_k^n \quad \mathbf{R} \quad B_{k_1}^1 | \cdots | B_{k_n}^1 \quad \sum_{i=1}^n k_i = k \\
 \downarrow \overline{out} \quad \downarrow \overline{out} \\
 B_{k-1}^n \quad \mathbf{R} \quad B_{k_1}^1 | \cdots | B_{k_i-1}^n | \cdots | B_{k_n}^1 \quad \exists k_i = 1
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
 B_k^n \quad \mathbf{R} \quad B_{k_1}^1 | \cdots | B_{k_n}^1 \quad \exists k_i = 1 \\
 \downarrow \overline{out} \quad \downarrow \overline{out} \\
 B_{k-1}^n \quad \mathbf{R} \quad B_{k_1}^1 | \cdots | B_{k_i-1}^n | \cdots | B_{k_n}^1
 \end{array}$$

# Ex. 4, buffers



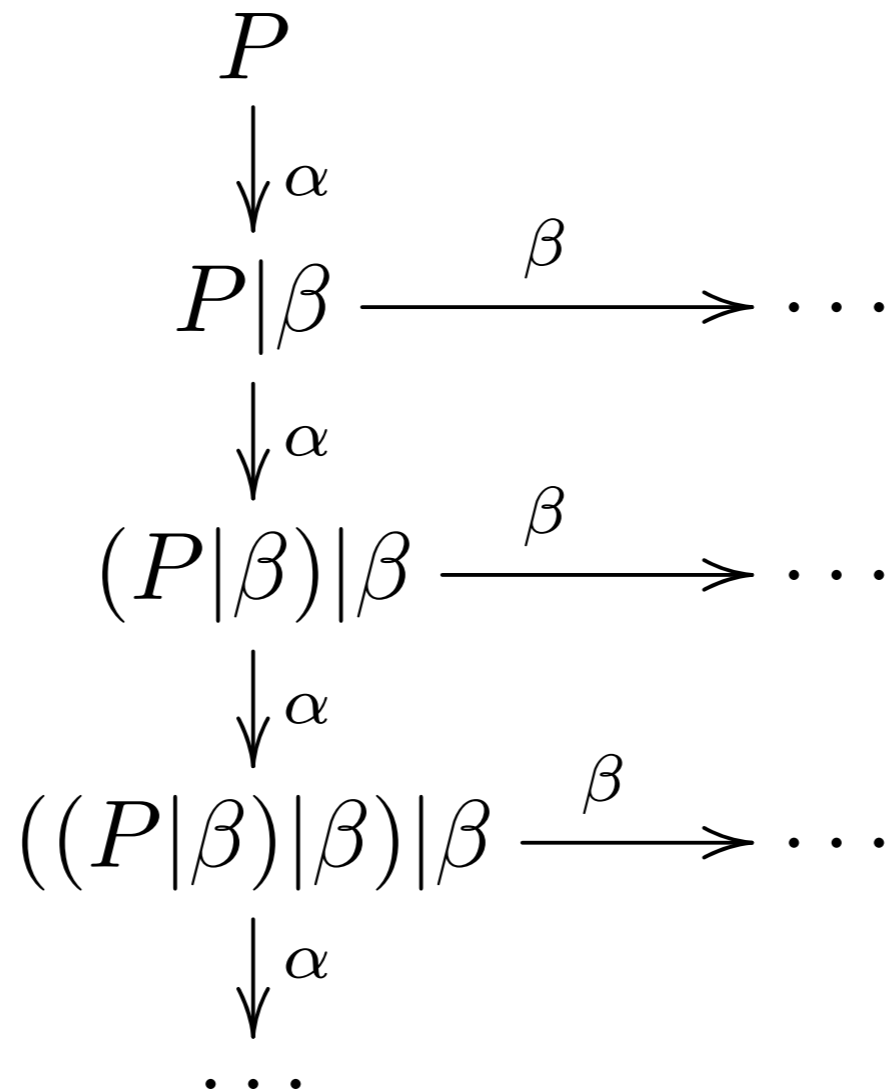
**[Ex. 5]** Write a guarded CCS process whose LTS has infinitely many states without using parallel composition.

# Ex. 5, infinite LTS

using par

$$P \triangleq \mathbf{rec} \ x. \ \alpha.(x|\beta.\mathbf{nil})$$

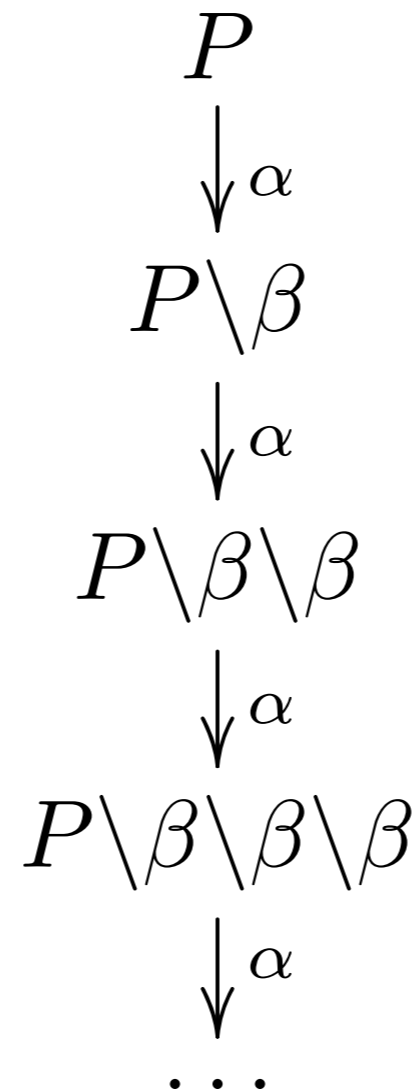
$$P \triangleq \alpha.(P|\beta)$$



# Ex. 5, infinite LTS

$$P \triangleq \mathbf{rec} \ x. (\alpha.x) \setminus \beta$$

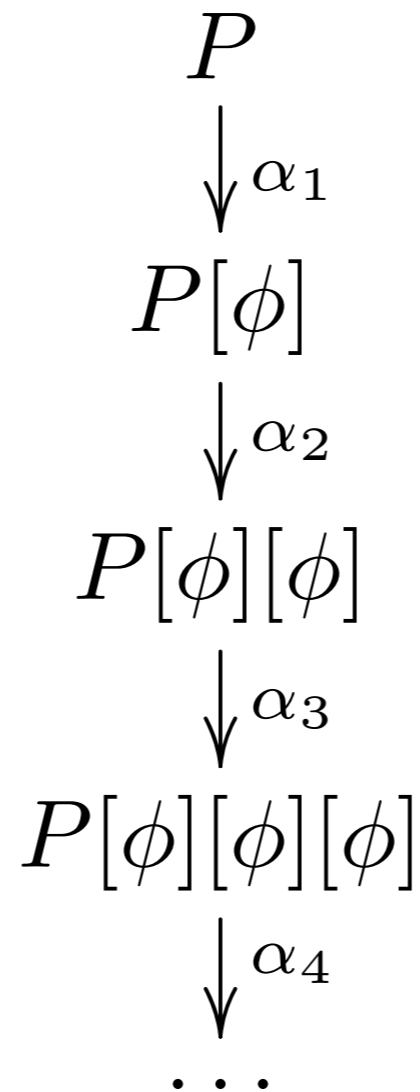
$$P \triangleq (\alpha.P) \setminus \beta$$



all states are bisimilar

# Ex. 5, infinite LTS

$$P \triangleq \mathbf{rec} \ x. \ \alpha_1.(x[\phi]) \quad \phi(\alpha_i) = \alpha_{i+1}$$



# Bisimulation

**[Ex. 6]** Prove that CCS strong bisimilarity is a congruence w.r.t. restriction, i.e., that for all  $p, q, \alpha$ :

$$p \simeq q \Rightarrow p \setminus \alpha \simeq q \setminus \alpha$$



# Ex. 6, congruence $\backslash \alpha$

$\mathbf{R} \triangleq \{(p \backslash \alpha, q \backslash \alpha) \mid p \simeq q\}$  we prove  $\mathbf{R}$  is a strong bisimulation

take  $(p \backslash \alpha, q \backslash \alpha) \in \mathbf{R}$  (with  $p \simeq q$ )

take  $p \backslash \alpha \xrightarrow{\mu} p'$  we want to find  $q \backslash \alpha \xrightarrow{\mu} q'$  with  $p' \mathbf{R} q'$

by rule res) it must be  $p \xrightarrow{\mu} p''$  with  $\mu \notin \{\alpha, \bar{\alpha}\}$  and  $p' = p'' \backslash \alpha$

since  $p \simeq q$  and  $p \xrightarrow{\mu} p''$  we have  $q \xrightarrow{\mu} q''$  with  $p'' \simeq q''$

take  $q' = q'' \backslash \alpha$ : by rule res) we have  $q \backslash \alpha \xrightarrow{\mu} q'$  and  $(p', q') \in \mathbf{R}$

take  $q \backslash \alpha \xrightarrow{\mu} q'$  we want to find  $p \backslash \alpha \xrightarrow{\mu} p'$  with  $p' \mathbf{R} q'$

analogous to the previous case

[**Ex. 7**] Prove that the CCS agents

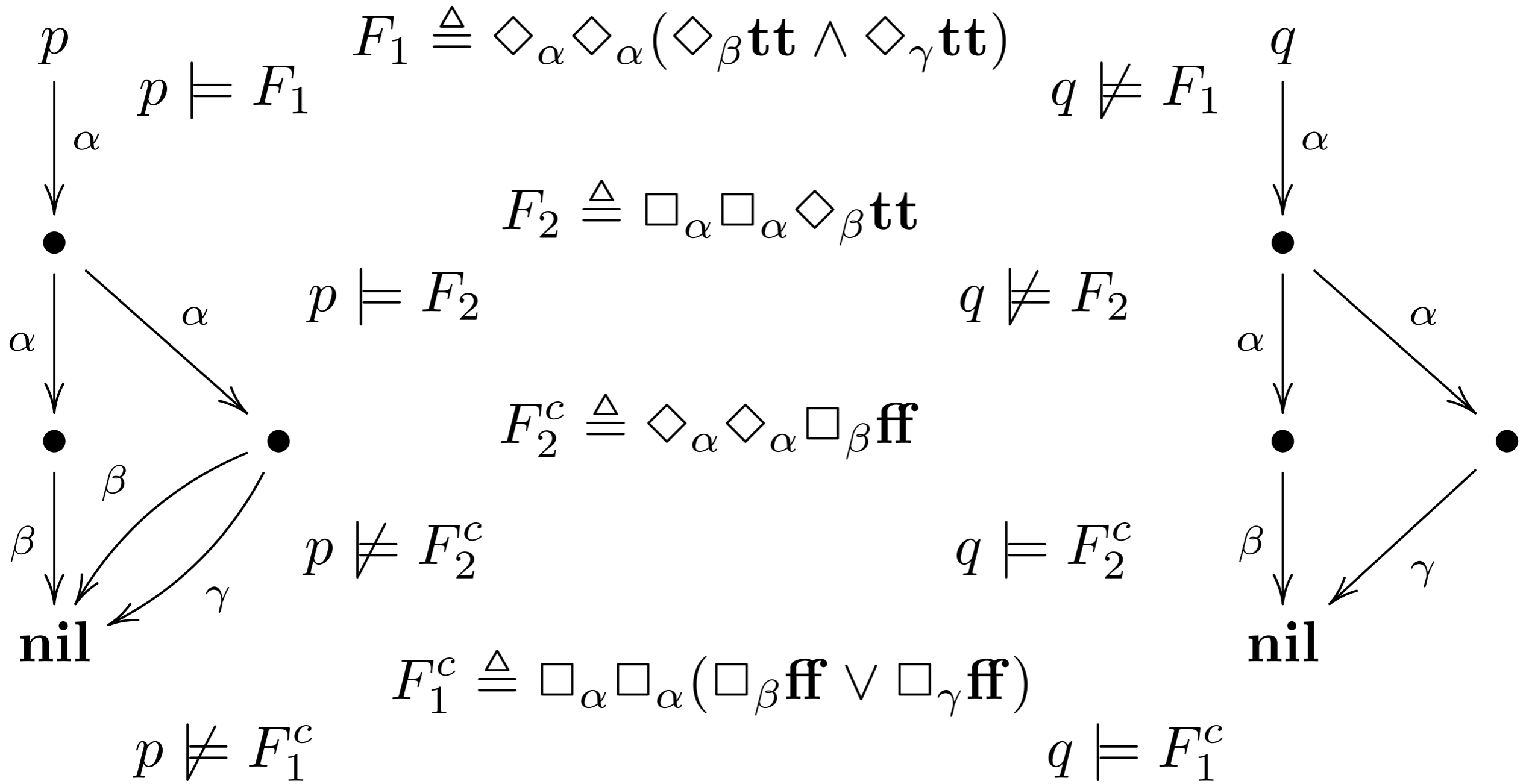
$$p \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \alpha.(\alpha.\beta.\mathbf{nil} + \alpha.(\beta.\mathbf{nil} + \gamma.\mathbf{nil})) \quad \text{and} \quad q \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \alpha.(\alpha.\beta.\mathbf{nil} + \alpha.\gamma.\mathbf{nil})$$

are not strong bisimilar.

# Ex. 7, non bisimilar

$$p \triangleq \alpha.(\alpha.\beta + \alpha.(\beta + \gamma))$$

$$q \triangleq \alpha.(\alpha.\beta + \alpha.\gamma)$$



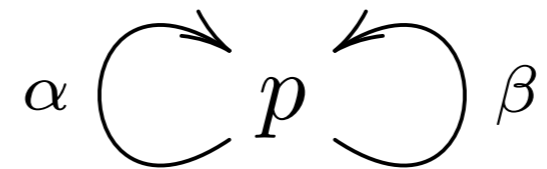
**[Ex. 8]** Let us consider the guarded CCS processes

$$p \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \mathbf{rec} \ x.(\alpha.x + \beta.x) \quad q \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \mathbf{rec} \ y.(\bar{\alpha}.\mathbf{nil} + \gamma.y) \quad r \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \mathbf{rec} \ z.(\bar{\beta}.\mathbf{nil} + \bar{\gamma}.z)$$

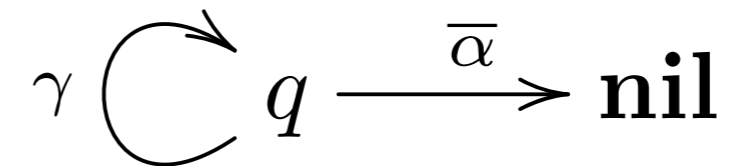
1. Draw the LTSs of the processes  $p$ ,  $q$ ,  $r$  and  $s \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (p|q|r) \setminus \alpha \setminus \beta \setminus \gamma$ .
2. Show that  $s$  is strong bisimilar to the process  $t \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \mathbf{rec} \ w.(\tau.w + \tau.\tau.\mathbf{nil})$ .

# Ex. 8, bisimilar

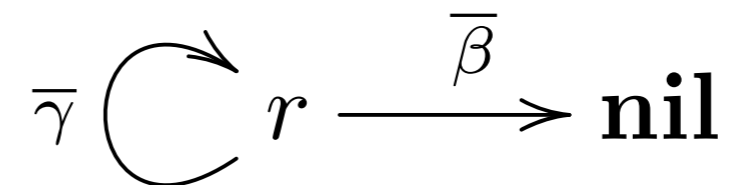
$$p \triangleq \mathbf{rec} \ x.(\alpha.x + \beta.x)$$



$$q \triangleq \mathbf{rec} \ y.(\bar{\alpha} + \gamma.y)$$



$$r \triangleq \mathbf{rec} \ z.(\bar{\beta} + \bar{\gamma}.z)$$

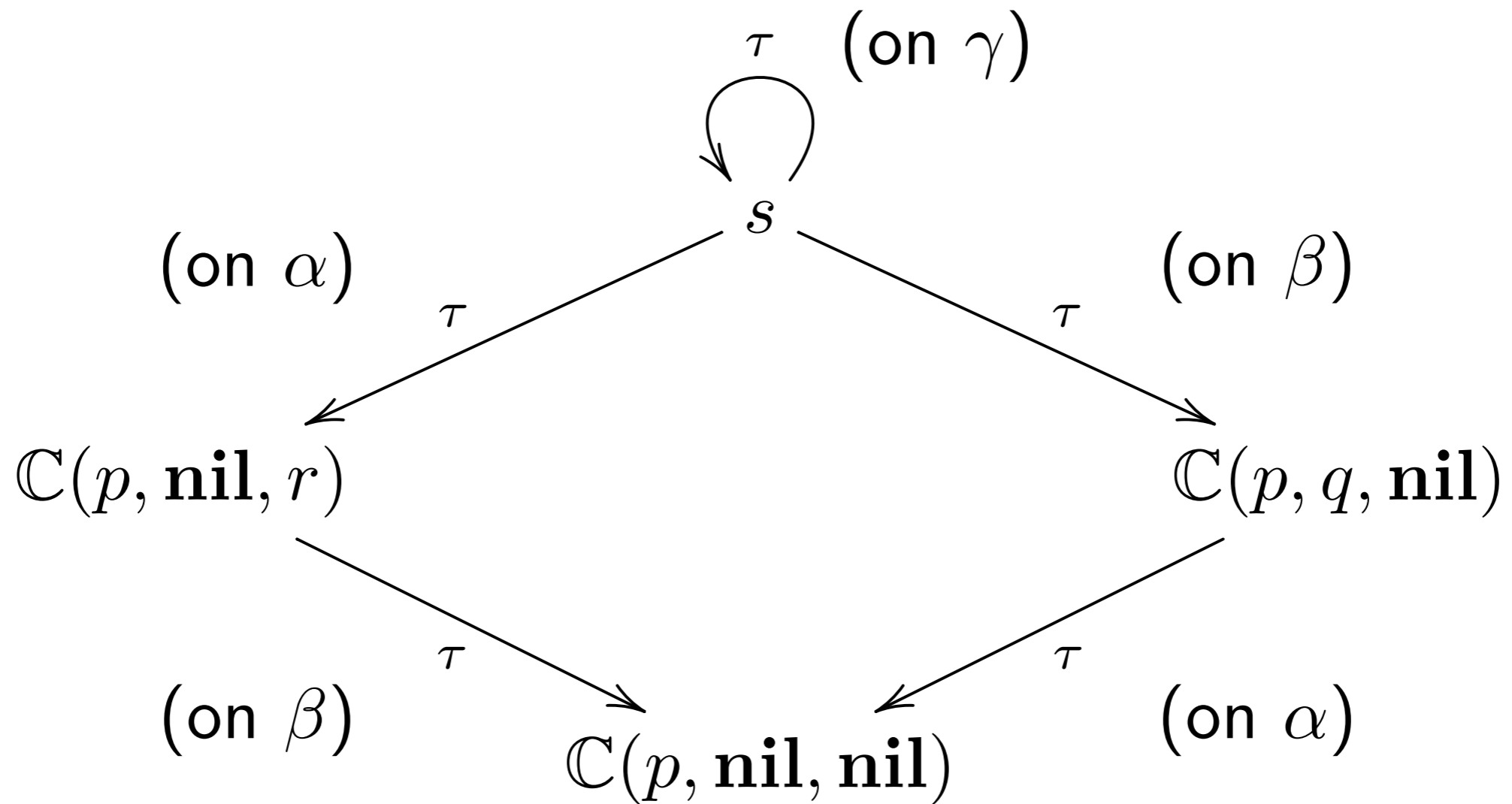
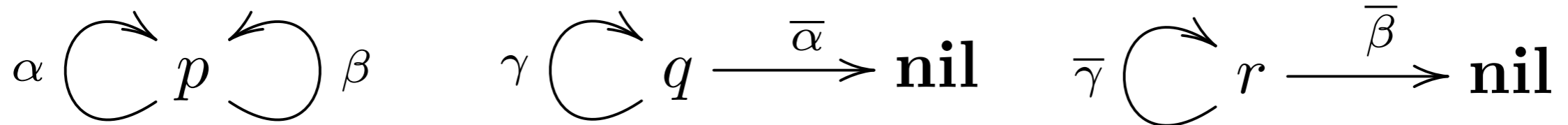


$$s \triangleq (p|q|r) \setminus \alpha \setminus \beta \setminus \gamma$$

$$\mathbb{C}(p, q, r) \triangleq (p|q|r) \setminus \alpha \setminus \beta \setminus \gamma$$

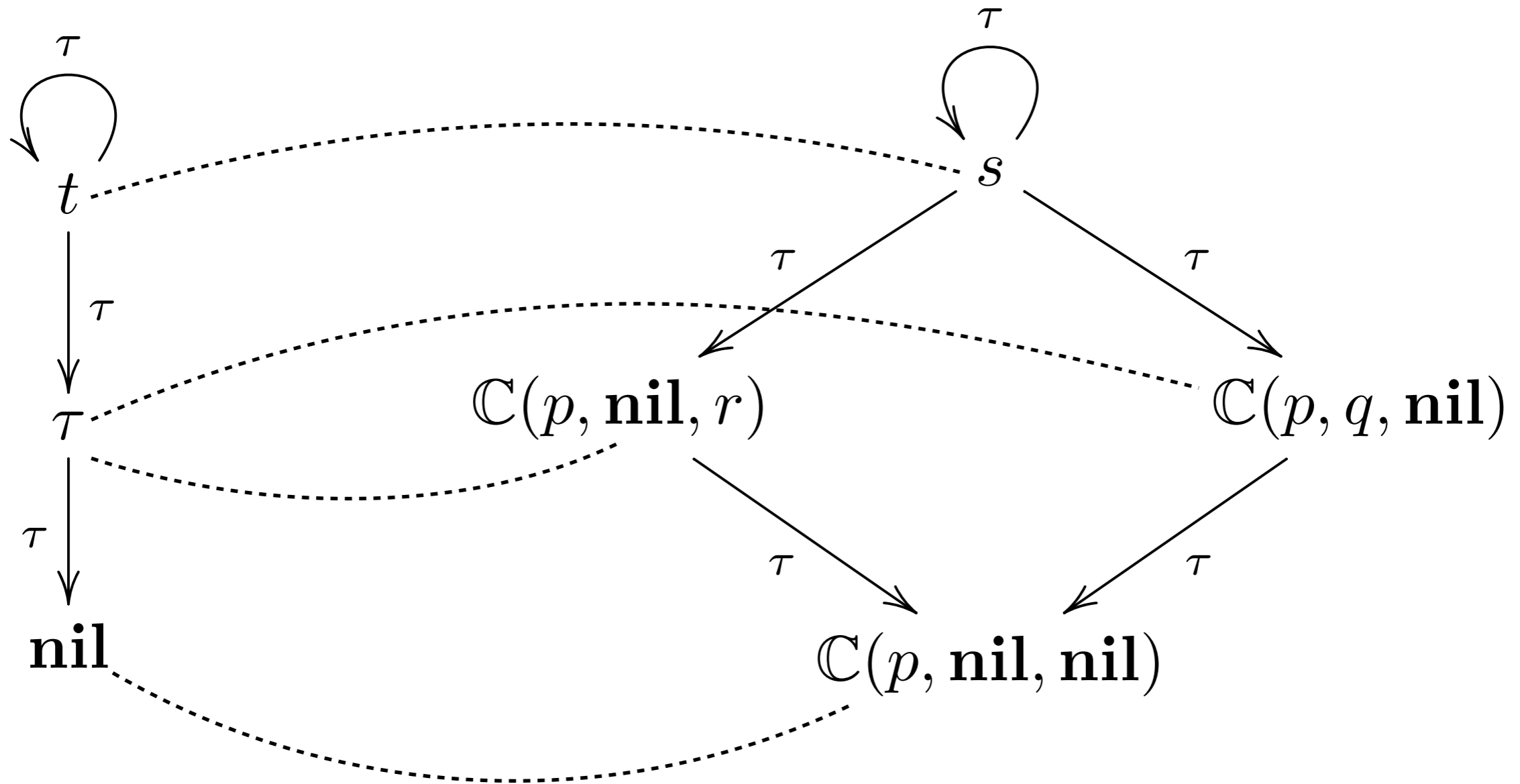
$$s \triangleq \mathbb{C}(p, q, r)$$

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$$t \triangleq \mathbf{rec} \ w.(\tau.w + \tau.\tau)$$



$$\mathbf{R} \triangleq \{ \{s, t\}, \{\tau, \mathbb{C}(p, \mathbf{nil}, r), \mathbb{C}(p, q, \mathbf{nil})\}, \{\mathbf{nil}, \mathbb{C}(p, \mathbf{nil}, \mathbf{nil})\} \}$$

**R is a strong bisimulation**

**[Ex. 9]** Prove that the following property is valid for any agent  $p$ , where  $\approx$  is the weak bisimilarity:

$$p + \tau.p \approx \tau.p$$

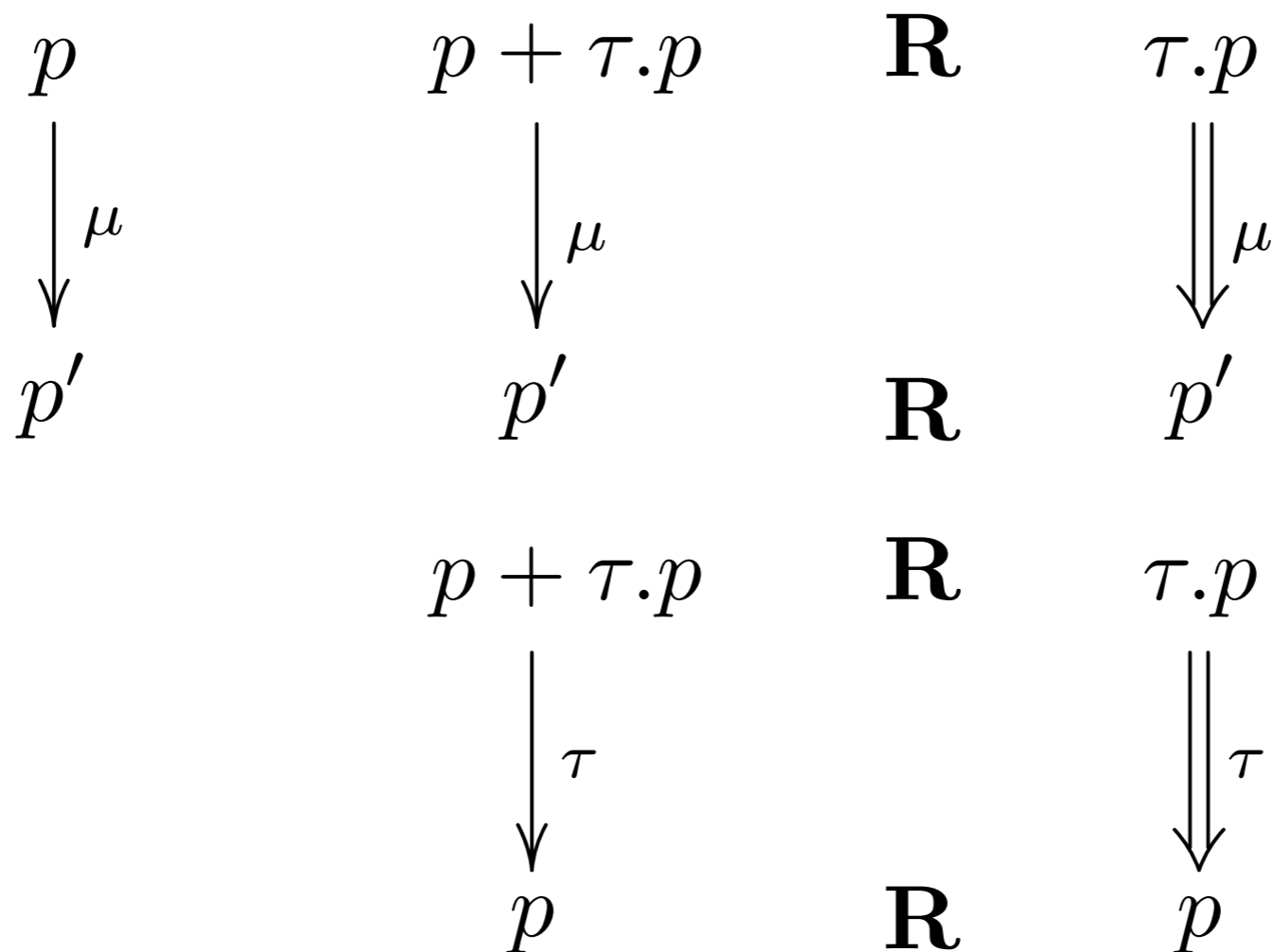


# Ex. 9, weak bisimilar

$$\mathbf{R} \triangleq \{(p + \tau.p, \tau.p) \mid p \in \mathcal{P}\} \cup Id$$

we check that  $\mathbf{R}$  is a weak bisimulation

no need to check pairs in  $Id$



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$$\begin{array}{ccc} p + \tau.p & \mathbf{R} & \tau.p \\ \downarrow \tau & & \downarrow \tau \\ p & \mathbf{R} & p \end{array}$$