

# A bunched logic for $\ell^p$ spaces

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An important property of functions is  $s$ -sensitivity – related to Lipschitz continuity and non-expansiveness.

$$d(f(x), f(y)) \leq s \cdot d(x, y)$$

Sensitivity is useful for Differential Privacy, AI, etc which has motivated programming languages that track sensitivity at the type level

Graded affine linear bunched logic for tracking sensitivity in different  $\ell^p$  spaces.

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$$x :_r \tau \vdash e : \tau'$$

$$\implies$$

$$(!_r \tau) \multimap \tau'$$

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$$f : \llbracket \tau \rrbracket \rightarrow \llbracket \tau' \rrbracket$$

(f is r-expansive)

## Problem!

Fuzz natively supports two metric spaces for pairs, which is not expressive enough for some applications.

$$A \otimes B \triangleq \llbracket A \rrbracket \times \llbracket B \rrbracket; d(x, y) = d(x_1, y_1) + d(x_2, y_2)$$

$$A \& B \triangleq \llbracket A \rrbracket \times \llbracket B \rrbracket; d(x, y) = \max\{d(x_1, y_1), d(x_2, y_2)\}$$

These metrics are special cases of the  $\ell^p$  metric.

$$\ell^p(x, y) = \sqrt[p]{|x_1 - y_1|^p + |x_2 - y_2|^p}$$

Other  $\ell^p$  norms are useful for different forms of DP, machine learning, etc

## A Partial Solution: Duet

Duet extended Fuzz with  $\ell^1$ ,  $\ell^2$ , and  $\ell^\infty$  matrices as primitives. We present a logic for managing  $\ell^P$  metrics natively.

$$\mathbb{M}_\ell[m, n] \tau$$

$$\ell \in \text{norm} ::= \ell^1 \mid \ell^2 \mid \ell^\infty$$

## Example: Duet Overestimation

Suppose that we have a function which takes a pair in the  $\ell^2$  metric, is 2-sensitive to the first argument, and 1-sensitive to the second.

$$f : (!_2\mathbb{R}) \otimes_2 \mathbb{R} \multimap \mathbb{R}$$

This type is not expressible in Duet. Instead both elements must be treated as 2-sensitive.

$$f : (\mathbb{M}_{\ell_2}[2, 1](!_2\mathbb{R})) \multimap \mathbb{R}$$

We present a logic based on Fuzz's type system using bunched implications to manage function sensitivity under different  $\ell^p$  metrics. Our main results:

- Semantics in metric spaces
- Proof of Cut Elimination

# Formulas of $\ell^p$ Logic

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## Bunched Environments

The strength of our logic comes from Bunches

$$\Gamma ::= \cdot \mid [A]_s \mid \Gamma ,_p \Gamma$$

The  $[A]_s$  form is the same sensitivity tracking in the environment as in Fuzz.

$\Gamma ,_p \Gamma$  denotes two subtrees connected using the  $\ell^p$  metric.

Bunches originally come from the Bunched Implications (BI) Logic and Separation Logic.

## A fragment of $\ell^p$ Logic

$$\frac{\Gamma, {}_p[A]_1 \vdash B}{\Gamma \vdash A \multimap_p B} \multimap R$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash A \quad \Delta([B]_s) \vdash C}{\Delta([A \multimap_p B]_1, {}_p s\Gamma) \vdash C} \multimap L$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash A \quad \Delta \vdash B}{\Gamma, {}_p \Delta \vdash A \otimes_p B} \otimes R$$

$$\frac{\Gamma([A]_s, {}_p [B]_s) \vdash C}{\Gamma([A \otimes_p B]_s) \vdash C} \otimes L$$

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## Bunched Environments

Bunches also allow some properties to fall out naturally such as distributivity of plus ( $\oplus$ ) over with ( $\&$  or  $\otimes_{\infty}$ ).

- $A \otimes_{\infty} (B \oplus C) \vdash (A \otimes_{\infty} B) \oplus (A \otimes_{\infty} C)$
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## Weakening Properties

Our logic is affine which allows for sensitivity “Subsumption” as a derived rule.

$$\frac{\Gamma(!_s A) \vdash B \quad s \leq s'}{\Gamma(!_{s'} A) \vdash B}$$

## Main Results – Cut Elimination

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash A \quad \Delta(A) \vdash B}{\Delta(\Gamma) \vdash B} \text{CUT}$$

The Cut rule is admissible in  $\ell^p$  Logic. This proof is made difficult by bunched environments and the generalized contraction rule.

## Main Results – Metric Spaces Semantics

Every formula in  $\ell^P$  logic is equipped with a metric space and every derivation has an interpretation as a non-expansive function as follows:

$$\Gamma \vdash A \implies \llbracket \Gamma \rrbracket_e \rightarrow \llbracket A \rrbracket_{lf}$$

$$\llbracket \text{Axiom} \rrbracket_d \triangleq \lambda x. x$$

$$\llbracket \multimap R \pi \rrbracket_d \triangleq \lambda \Gamma. \lambda A. \llbracket \pi \rrbracket_d (\Gamma, A)$$

$$\llbracket \otimes R \pi_1 \pi_2 \rrbracket_d \triangleq \lambda (\Gamma, \Delta). (\llbracket \pi_1 \rrbracket_d \Gamma), (\llbracket \pi_2 \rrbracket_d \Delta)$$

$$\llbracket \otimes L \pi \rrbracket_d \triangleq \lambda \Gamma(a, b). (\llbracket \pi \rrbracket_d \Gamma(a, b))$$



## Where next?

There's a lot of places we can take this project next.

- *Probabilistic Setting*

Fuzz and Duet have a feature for DP called the “probability monad.” This is entirely missing from our logic currently.

- *Term Calculus*

Extending Duet/Fuzz further to handle  $\ell^p$  metrics natively would be welcome features.

**Thank you!**

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