

# Garbage Collection

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decl n=10;  $\sigma_1 = \{ \}$ 
decl x=0;
decl r=0;
while (x < n) {  $\sigma_2 = [n \mapsto 10, x \mapsto 0, r \mapsto 0]$ 
  x = x + 1;
  r = r + 1;
};
  
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decl y=0;  $\sigma_3 = [n \mapsto 10, x \mapsto 10, r \mapsto 10, y \mapsto 0]$ 
while (y < n) {
  y = y + 1;
  r = r + 2;
}
  
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$\uparrow$   
*x never used again*  
*can get rid of it + free up memory*

$s ::= \dots \mid \text{decl } x = e$

$$\frac{x \notin \Gamma, \Gamma \vdash e : \tau}{\Gamma \vdash \text{decl } x = e \text{ ok}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \emptyset \vdash [ ] & \quad [ ], (\text{decl } n = 10; n = n + 1) \mapsto^2 [n \mapsto 10]; n = n + 1 \\ \emptyset \vdash [ ] & \quad \emptyset \vdash [n \mapsto 10] \quad \emptyset \vdash n = n + 1 \text{ ok?} \\ & \quad \text{No!} \end{aligned}$$

Preservation: If  $\Gamma \vdash s \text{ ok}$  and  $\Gamma \vdash \sigma$  and  $\sigma; s \mapsto \sigma'; s'$  then there exists  $\Gamma'$  s.t.  $\Gamma' \vdash \sigma'$  and  $\Gamma' \vdash s' \text{ ok}$ .

$$\frac{\sigma; s \mapsto \sigma'; s' \quad (s \text{ step})}{\sigma; s \Rightarrow \sigma'; s'} \quad \frac{\sigma' = [x \mapsto v \mid \sigma(x) \neq v \text{ und } x \notin \text{FV}(s)]}{\sigma; s \Rightarrow \sigma'; s} \quad (6-60)$$

$$[n \mapsto 10; x \mapsto 10, r \mapsto 10]; \text{decl } y = 0, \dots \Rightarrow [n \mapsto 10, r \mapsto 10]; \text{decl } y = 0, \dots \quad (x \notin \text{FV}(s))$$

$B ::= \dots | \lambda x. e | e e$

decl  $x = 10;$

decl  $f = \lambda y. x + y;$

decl  $r = f 5$

$[ ]; s \Rightarrow^* [x \mapsto 10; f \mapsto \lambda y. x + y]; \text{decl } r = f 5$

$\Rightarrow [f \mapsto \lambda y. x + y]; \text{decl } r = f 5$

$\Rightarrow \text{"; decl } r = (\lambda y. x + y) 5$

$\Rightarrow \text{" ; decl } r = x + 5$

$\nRightarrow$

$\text{Reachable}(V, \sigma) = \bigcup \{ \text{Reachable}(FV(\sigma(x)), \sigma) \mid x \in V \}$

$\text{Reachable}(FV(s), \sigma) = \text{Reachable}(\{f\}, \sigma)$

$= \{f\} \cup \text{Reachable}(FV(\lambda y. x + y), \sigma)$

$= \{f\} \cup \text{Reachable}(\{x\}, \sigma)$

$= \{f, x\} \cup \text{Reachable}(FV(10), \sigma)$

$= \{f, x\}$

$\sigma' = [x \mapsto \sigma(x) \mid x \in \text{Reachable}(FV(s), \sigma)] \quad (s\text{-GC})$

$\sigma'; s \Rightarrow \sigma'; s$

Memory safety - never remove a var we'll need.

Type safety  $\Rightarrow$  Memory safety

Progress  $\checkmark$

Note: If  $x \in \text{Reachable}(V, \sigma)$  then  $FV(\sigma(x)) \subset \text{Reachable}(V, \sigma)$

Preservation: 1. If  $\Gamma \vdash s \text{ ok}$  and  $\Gamma \vdash \sigma$  and  $\sigma; s \mapsto \sigma'; s'$   
 then  $\exists \Gamma'$  st.  $\Gamma' \vdash s' \text{ ok}$  and  $\Gamma' \vdash \sigma'$ .

2. If  $\Gamma \vdash s \text{ ok}$  and  $\Gamma \vdash \sigma$  and  $\sigma; s \Rightarrow \sigma'; s'$   
 then  $\exists \Gamma'$  st.  $\Gamma' \vdash s' \text{ ok}$  and  $\Gamma' \vdash \sigma'$ .

1.  $\frac{}{\sigma; \text{decl } x = e \mapsto \sigma[x \mapsto e]; s \text{ skip}}$  eval Then  $e = \text{decl } x = e_0$  and  $e_0$  val.  
 By inversion,  $\Gamma \vdash e = e_0$  and  $x \notin \Gamma$ .  
 Let  $\Gamma' = \Gamma, x : \tau$ .  $\Gamma' \vdash s \text{ skip ok}$   
 and  $\Gamma' \vdash \sigma[x \mapsto e]$

2. (s-step) - Easy by (1)

(s-CC) Lemma 1. If  $\Gamma \vdash s \text{ ok}$  and  $\Gamma'(x) = \Gamma(s)$   $\forall x \in \text{FV}(s)$  then  $\Gamma' \vdash s \text{ ok}$  (e)  $(\Gamma' \vdash e : \tau)$

Pf. By induction on  $\Gamma \vdash s \text{ ok}$   $(\Gamma \vdash e : \tau)$

Lemma 2. If  $\Gamma \vdash \sigma$  and  $\Gamma'(x) = \Gamma(x) \forall x \in \text{Reachable}(V, \sigma)$   
 then  $\Gamma' \vdash [x \mapsto \sigma(x)] \forall x \in \text{Reachable}(V, \sigma)$

Pf. WTS. for all  $x : \tau \in \Gamma'$ ,  $\Gamma' \vdash \sigma'(x) : \tau$ .

Let  $x : \tau \in \Gamma'$ . Then  $\tau = \Gamma(x)$  and  $x \in \text{Reachable}(V, \sigma)$ .

$\sigma'(x) = \sigma(x)$

Let  $y \in \text{FV}(\sigma(x))$ .  $y \in \text{Reachable}(V, \sigma)$ , so  $\Gamma'(y) = \Gamma(y)$ .

By Lemma 1,  $\Gamma' \vdash \sigma'(x) : \tau$ .  $\square$

Let  $\Gamma' = \{x : \Gamma(x) \mid x \in \text{Reachable}(\text{FV}(s), \sigma)\}$

$\Gamma'(x) = \Gamma(x) \forall x \in \text{FV}(s)$ , so  $\Gamma' \vdash s \text{ ok}$  by Lemma 1

$\Gamma'(x) = \Gamma(x) \forall x \in \text{Reachable}(\text{FV}(s), \sigma)$ , so  $\Gamma' \vdash \sigma'$  by Lemma 2.  $\square$