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**Abstract:** Kleene algebra is an algebraic abstraction of regular languages, and Kleene category is a generalisation of Kleene algebra. This paper shows that, for several models of calculation, their denotational semantics are given as Kleene categories.

## 1 Introduction

There have been many models of calculation and dynamics. An automaton is regarded as a model of symbolic dynamics as well as a recognition of a language, which is a most simple calculation. The Turing machine and the recursive function are the standard model of calculation, and the calculational powers of them are equivalent to each other. A BSS machine is not a model of calculation but a simple and curious model of algebraic dynamics with non-algebraic functions [1]. A Type-2 machine gives a model of calculation over continuous spaces [8].

Such models are given as instances of transition systems where the transitions are relations between states [4]. If the transition system has the structure of category, that is, it has the composition of transitions, then it has all the finite traces of calculation.

Kleene algebra is an algebraic abstraction of regular languages [6], and Kleene category is a generalisation of Kleene algebra [5]. A Kleene algebra gives the denotational semantics of a programming language [2]. This paper shows that Kleene categories give the denotational semantics of the models above. We define an operation called Kleene completion so that the Kleene completion of a model of calculation gives its denotational semantics.

In Section 2, we give the definition of transition system and also give Kleene completion which makes Kleene categories from transition systems. Section 3 shows labelled transition systems and regular languages. In Section 4, we define a category of partial functions. As instances of categories of partial functions, we show Recursive functions in section 5, and BSS machine in Section 6. Finally we show type-2 machines and the semantics as the Kleene completion in Section 7.

## 2 Transition system, category and Kleene category

**Definition 2.1 (Kleene category)** A triple  $(C, +, *)$  is a *Kleene category* iff:

1.  $C$  is a category.
2. Each hom-set is idempotent commutative monoid with the monoidal operation  $+$ . We write  $f \leq g$  iff  $f + g = g$ .

3. The operation  $\circ$ , the composition of arrows, is distributive that is,  $(f + f') \circ g = f \circ g + f' \circ g$  and  $g \circ (f + f') = g \circ f + g \circ f'$
4. For each object  $X$ , there is the unary operation  $*$  over  $Hom(X, X)$  such that, for each arrow  $f$  in  $Hom(X, X)$ , the followings hold:
  - (a)  $f^* = 1 + f \circ f^* = 1 + f^* \circ f$ , where  $1$  is the identity arrow.
  - (b)  $h + f \circ g \leq g$  implies  $h + f^* \leq g$ , and  $h + g \circ f \leq g$  implies  $h + f^* \leq g$ .

**Remark 2.2** This definition of Kleene category appears in the literature [5].

**Definition 2.3 (Transition system)** A pair  $S = (Q, T)$  is a *transition system* if:

1.  $Q$  is a finite set.
2.  $T(q, q')$  is a set for any  $q, q' \in Q$ .

The elements of  $Q$  are called states. We call an element of  $T$  a transition. If  $f \in T(q, q')$ , then we say that one transits from  $q$  to  $q'$  by a transition  $f$ .

**Definition 2.4 (Subsystem)** A transition system  $S = (Q, T)$  is a *subsystem* of a transition system  $S'(Q', T')$  if  $Q \subset Q'$  and  $T(q, q') \subset T'(q, q')$  for any  $q, q' \in Q$ .

**Remark 2.5** A category is regarded as a transition system  $S$  with the objects as the states and the arrows as the transitions.

**Definition 2.6 (Compositional completion)** Let a transition system  $S_0 = (Q, T_0)$  be a category and  $S = (Q, T)$  be a subsystem of  $S_0$ . Then, the *compositional completion* of  $S$  in  $S_0$  is the smallest category  $S'$  which is a subsystem of  $S_0$  and includes  $S$ . We write  $C(S)$  for the compositional completion of  $S$ .

**Definition 2.7 (Kleene completion)** Let a transition system  $S_0 = (Q, T_0)$  be a Kleene category and  $S = (Q, T)$  be a subsystem of  $S_0$ . Then, the *Kleene completion* of  $S$  in  $S_0$  is the smallest Kleene category  $S'$  which is a subsystem of  $S_0$  and includes  $S$ . We write  $K(S)$  for the Kleene completion of  $S$ .

### 3 Labelled transition system

**Notation 3.1** We put  $\Sigma$  as a finite set of characters and fix it.

We write  $\Sigma^*$  for the set of all the finite sequences of the elements of  $\Sigma$ . We call its elements words. The set  $\Sigma^*$  has the empty word  $\epsilon$ .

The set  $Lang(\Sigma)$  is defined as the power set of  $\Sigma^*$ . An element of  $Lang(\Sigma)$  is called a language over  $\Sigma$ . For  $X, Y \in Lang(\Sigma)$ , we write  $X \cdot Y$  for  $\{vw | v \in X \& w \in Y\}$ . For  $X \in Lang(\Sigma)$ , we write  $X^*$  for  $\{w_1 w_2 \dots w_n | w_i \in X\}$ , which is so-called the Kleene star.

**Notation 3.2**  $T_{Q,\Sigma}$  is the function such that  $T_{Q,\Sigma}(q, q') = \{q\} \times \Sigma \times \{q'\}$ .

**Definition 3.3 (Labelled transition system)** A transition system  $(Q, T)$  is a labelled transition system with  $\Sigma$  iff  $T(q, q') \subset T_{Q,\Sigma}$  for any  $q, q' \in Q$ . The elements of  $\Sigma$  are called characters. If  $(q, \sigma, q') \in T$ , then we say that one can transit from  $s$  to  $s'$  by  $\sigma$ .

**Definition 3.4 (Determinism)** A labelled transition system  $M = (Q, T)$  is *deterministic* if, for any  $q \in Q$  and  $\sigma \in \Sigma$ , there is at most one  $q'$  such that  $(q, \sigma, q') \in T(q, q')$ .

**Remark 3.5** A labelled transition system  $(Q, T_{Q,\Sigma^*})$  has the structure of category with the identity  $(q, \epsilon, q)$  and the composition of arrows  $(q', w, q'') \circ (q, v, q') = (q, vw, q'')$ .

A character set  $\Sigma$  is regarded as a subset of  $\Sigma^*$  with a character is identified as the one-letter word. For a labelled transition system  $M = (Q, T)$  with the character set  $\Sigma$ , the set of its transitions  $T(q, q')$  is a subset of  $Q \times \Sigma^* \times Q$ . Therefore, we have  $C(M) = (S, CT)$  which is the compositional completion of  $M$  in the transition system  $(Q, T_{Q,\Sigma^*})$ .

**Lemma 3.6** *A labelled transition system is deterministic iff the compositional completion is deterministic.*

**Remark 3.7** A labelled transition system  $(Q, T = Q, Lang(\Sigma))$  is Kleene completed with the following data:

- $(q, \{\epsilon\}, q)$  as the identity,
- $(q', Y, q'') \circ (q, X, q') = (q, X \dots Y, q'')$  as the composition of arrows,
- $(q, X, q') + (q, Y, q') = (q, X \cup Y, q')$  as the monoidal operation,
- $(q, \emptyset, q')$  as the unit of monoid,
- $(q, X, q')^* = (q, X^*, q')$  as the unary operation.

**Remark 3.8** Let  $M = (Q, T)$  be a labelled transition system. We have another labelled transition system  $\hat{M} = (Q, \hat{T})$  where  $\hat{T}(q, q') = \{(q, \sigma, q') \mid (q, \sigma, q') \in T(q, q')\}$ . This  $\hat{M}$  is isomorphic to  $M$ , and is subsystem of  $(Q, T_{Q, Lang(\Sigma)})$ . Therefore, we have  $K(\hat{M}) = (Q, KT)$  which is the compositional completion of  $\hat{M}$  in the Kleene category  $(Q, T_{Q, Lang(\Sigma)})$ . We abbreviate  $K(\hat{M})$  as  $K(M)$  and say simply the Kleene completion of  $M$ .

**Lemma 3.9** *A labelled transition system  $M = (Q, T)$  is deterministic iff the Kleene completion  $K(M) = (Q, KT)$  satisfies the condition that, for any  $q, q', q'' \in Q$ , if  $q' \neq q''$  then  $KT(q, q') \cap KT(q, q'') = \emptyset$ .*

**Theorem 3.10** *Let  $M = (Q, T)$  be a labeled transition system where  $S$  and  $\Sigma$  are finite sets. Let  $CT$  be the set such that  $C(M) = (Q, CT)$  and  $KT$  be the set such that  $K(M) = (Q, KT)$ .*

*Put  $q, q' \in Q$ , and  $X$  and  $\hat{X}$  as the sets such that  $X = \{w \mid (q, w, q') \in CT(q, q')\}$  and  $(q, \hat{X}, q') = KT(q, q')$ . Then:*

1. *Each element of  $\hat{X}$  is regular.*
2. *The language  $X$  is the largest element of  $\hat{X}$ .*

## 4 Relations

**Definition 4.1 (Kleene Category of Relations)** For sets  $X$  and  $Y$ , the notation  $Rel(X, Y)$  denotes the power set of  $X \times Y$ . Let  $Q$  be a set each element of which is a set. We write  $Rel(Q)$  for The Kleene category of relations over  $Q$  which is defined as a transition system  $Rel(Q) = (Q, T)$  where  $T(X, Y) = Rel(X, Y)$  with the following operations:

1.  $f \cup g$  of  $f$  and  $g$  in  $Rel(X, Y)$  as the monoidal operation,
2.  $g \circ f = \{(x, z) \in X \times Z \mid (x, y) \in f, (y, z) \in g\}$  of  $f \in Rel(X, Y)$  and  $g \in Rel(Y, Z)$  as the composition,
3.  $f^* = \{(x, y) \in X \times X \mid$   
     For some  $n \geq 0$  and  $(x_0, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in X^{n+1}$ ,  $x = x_0, y = x_n$ ,  
      $(x_{i-1}, x_i) \in f$  for each  $i = 1, 2, \dots, n.$   
      $\}$  of  $f \in Rel(X, X)$  as the unary operation.

**Definition 4.2 (Partial function)** A function  $f$  is a *partial function* of  $X$  into  $Y$  if  $f$  is a function of  $X'$  into  $Y$  where  $X'$  is a subset of  $X$ . The domain of partial function is written as  $dom(f)$ .

We identify a partial function  $f$  of  $X$  to  $Y$  to the relation  $\{(x, f(x)) \mid x \in dom(f)\} \in Rel(X, Y)$ .

**Definition 4.3 (Deterministic machine)** Let  $S = (Q, T)$  be a transition system which is a subsystem of  $Rel(Q)$ . This  $S$  is a *deterministic machine* if:

1. Each  $f \in T(X, Y)$  is a partial function.
2.  $dom(f) \cap dom(g) = \emptyset$  for any  $f \in T(X, Y)$  and  $g \in T(X, Z)$ .
3. There is a state  $q_F \in Q$  such that , for any  $q \in Q$ , the set  $T(q_F, q)$  is the empty set or the singleton  $\emptyset$ .

This  $q_F$  is called a *final state*.

**Theorem 4.4** Let  $S = (Q, T)$  be a deterministic machine with a final state  $q_F \in Q$ . Take  $K(S) = (Q, KT)$  as the Kleene completion of  $S$  in  $Rel(Q)$ . Then the followings hold:

1. Each  $f \in KT(q, q_F)$  is a partial function.
2.  $KT(q, q_F)$  is a singleton  $\{f\}$  of some partial function  $f$  if it is not empty.

## 5 Recursive function

**Definition 5.1 (Modified Turing machine)** A transition system  $S = (Q, T)$ , which is a subsystem of  $Rel(Q)$ , is called a *Modified Turing machine* if:

1.  $Q$  is a finite family of sets such that each  $q \in Q$  is a copy of  $\mathbf{N}^{n_q}$ , where  $n_q$  depends on  $q$ . We regard  $q \neq q'$  in the element of  $Q$  even if  $n_q = n_{q'}$ .
2. Each  $f \in T(q, q')$  is a partial recursive function of  $q$  into  $q'$ .
3.  $S$  is a deterministic machine.

**Definition 5.2 (Turing computable)** A partial function  $f$  of  $\mathbf{N}^m$  into  $\mathbf{N}^n$  is *Turing computable* if there is a Modified Turing machine  $S = (Q, T)$  where its Kleene completion is  $K(S) = (Q, KT)$  and its final state is  $q_F \in Q$  such that:

1.  $q$  is isomorphic to  $\mathbf{N}^m$  and  $q_F$  is isomorphic to  $\mathbf{N}^n$ .
2. Put  $i$  as the isomorphism of  $\mathbf{N}^m$  into  $q'$ , and  $j$  as the isomorphism of  $q_F$  into  $\mathbf{N}^n$ . Then  $i' \circ f \circ i$  is the maximum of  $KT(q, q_F)$ .

**Definition 5.3 (Category of recursively enumerable relations)** Let  $Q$  be a family of sets as above. The *category of recursively enumerable relations* over  $Q$  is a transition system  $(Q, T)$  such that  $T(q, q')$  consists of all the recursively enumerable sets in  $Rel(q, q')$ . This transition system is Kleene completed in  $Rel(Q)$ .

**Remark 5.4** Put the category of recursively enumerable relations  $(Q, T)$ . Let  $e$  be a recursively enumerable subset of  $q \in Q$ . Then a diagonal relation  $\{(x, x) | x \in e\} \in T(q, q)$  is regarded as a test, although the set of these diagonals does not forms a Boolean algebra. Thus, we can regard this as a Kleene category with an embedded structure, which is an analogy of a Kleene algebra with an embedded structure [3].

**Remark 5.5** Let  $Q$  as above, and  $q, q'$  be elements in  $Q$ . For a partial function  $f$  of  $q$  into  $q'$ , the following three are equivalent: 1.  $f$  is a partial recursive function. 2.  $f$  is a partial function and is a recursively enumerable set in  $Rel(q, q')$ . 3.  $f$  is Turing computable.

## 6 BSS machine

**Remark 6.1** We put a field  $K$  and fixed it. The typical example is  $\mathbf{R}$ , the field of all the real numbers.

**Definition 6.2 (Variety)** A *variety* is a set

$$\{(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in K^n | p_1(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = 0, p_2(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = 0, \dots, p_m(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = 0\}$$

where  $p_1, p_2, \dots, p_m$  are polynomials in  $K$ .

**Remark 6.3** Note that we have infinitely many varieties which are isomorphic to each others. Actually, the variety  $\{x \in K^n | p(x) = 1\}$  is distinct from  $\{(x, x_{n+1}) \in K^{n+1} | p(x) = 1, x_{n+1} = 0\}$  but isomorphic to it.

**Definition 6.4 (Rational function)** Let  $M \subset K^m$  and  $N \subset K^n$  be varieties. A partial function  $f$  of  $M$  into  $N$  is *rational* if there are polynomials

$$p_1(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m), p_2(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m), \dots, p_n(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m), \\ q_1(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m), q_2(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m), \dots, q_n(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m)$$

such that

- $\text{dom}(f) = \{(x_1, \dots, x_m) \in M \mid p_i(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m) \neq 0 \text{ for each } i = 1, 2, \dots, n\}$ ,
- $(y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n) = f(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m)$  iff  $y_i = q_i(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m)/p_i(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m)$  for each  $i$ .

**Definition 6.5 (Fundamental test)** We put a finite partition  $F$  over  $K$ , that is, this  $F$  is a finite subset of the power set of  $K$  and satisfies that, for each  $x \in K$ , there is a unique  $e \in F$  such that  $x \in e$ . We assume that  $\{0\} \in F$ . We fix this  $F$  in this section and we call an element of  $F$  a *fundamental test*. The typical example is  $\{\{0\}, \{x \in \mathbf{R} \mid x > 0\}, \{x \in \mathbf{R} \mid x < 0\}\}$  over  $\mathbf{R}$ .

**Definition 6.6 (Atomic test)** Let  $M$  be a variety. A set  $e \subset M$  is called an *atomic test* if there is a fundamental test  $e' \in F$  such that  $e = \{(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in M \mid x_i \in e'\}$  or  $e = \{(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in M \mid x_i \notin e'\}$  for some  $i$ . For an atomic test  $e \subset M$ , its diagonal  $\{(x, x) \in M \times M \mid x \in e\} \in \text{Rel}(M, M)$  is also called an atomic test.

**Remark 6.7** This word of test is in the sense of test in Kozen's Kleene category with test [7].

**Definition 6.8 (BSS machine)** A transition system  $S = (Q, T)$ , which is a subsystem of  $\text{Rel}(Q)$ , is called a *BSS machine* if:

1. Each  $M \in Q$  is a variety.
2. Each  $f \in T(M, N)$  is either  $g$  or  $g \circ h$  for an rational function  $g \in \text{Rel}(M, N)$  and an atomic test  $h \in \text{Rel}(M, M)$ .
3.  $S$  is a deterministic machine.

**Definition 6.9 (BSS-computable)** Let  $M$  and  $N$  be varieties. A partial function  $f$  of  $M$  into  $N$  is *BSS-computable* if there is a BSS machine  $S = (Q, T)$  where its Kleene completion is  $K(S) = (Q, KT)$  and its final state is  $N' \in Q$  such that:

1.  $N'$  is isomorphic to  $N$ .
2. Put  $i$  be the isomorphism of  $N$  into  $N'$ . Then  $i \circ f$  is the maximum of  $KT(M, N')$ .

**Remark 6.10** We do not suppose  $N = N' \in Q$  in fear that  $M = N$ .

**Remark 6.11** The original BSS machine is a BSS machine  $S = (Q, T)$  of the definition above which satisfies the followings:

1.  $Q$  consists of some copies of  $\mathbf{R}^n$  for some fixed  $n$ .



2. The fundamental test is  $F = \{\{0\}, \{x \in \mathbf{R} | x > 0\}, \{x \in \mathbf{R} | x < 0\}\}$ .
3. Each  $f \in T(M, N)$  is one of the followings:
  - (a)  $\text{dom}(f) = \{(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) | x_i \in e\}$  for some  $e \in F$ , and  $f(x) = x$ .
  - (b)  $\text{dom}(f) = \{(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) | x_i \notin e\}$  for some  $e \in F$ , and  $f(x) = x$ .
  - (c)  $\text{dom}(f) = \mathbf{R}^n$ ,  
 $f(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = (x_1, \dots, x_{i-1}, p(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n), x_{i+1}, \dots, x_n)$  for some polynomial  $p$  with integer coefficients.
  - (d)  $\text{dom}(f) = \{(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in \mathbf{R}^n | x_j \neq 0\}$ ,  
 $f(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = (x_1, \dots, x_{i-1}, x_k/x_j, x_{i+1}, \dots, x_n)$

**Definition 6.12 (BSS category)** Let  $Q$  be a family of varieties. The *BSS category* over  $Q$  is defined as follows. Let  $S = (Q, T)$  is a transition system such that:

1.  $T(M, M)$  consists of all the rational functions and all the atomic tests over  $M$ .
2.  $T(M, N)$  consists of all the rational functions of  $M$  into  $N$ , for  $M \neq N$ .

The BSS category over  $Q$  is a Kleene completion of  $S$  in  $\text{Rel}(Q)$ .

**Theorem 6.13** Let  $S = (Q, T)$  be a BSS category over  $Q$ . Put  $M, N \in Q$ . Then, for a partial function  $f$  of  $M$  into  $N$ , it holds that  $f$  is BSS computable iff  $f \in T(M, N)$ .

**Remark 6.14** A calculation of a BSS machines is a composition of the operations of the field. It is not a model of computation of real numbers as a topological set.

## 7 Type-2 machine

**Notation 7.1** We take two disjoint finite sets  $\Sigma$  and  $\Sigma'$ . We regard elements of  $\Sigma$  as input characters, elements of  $\Sigma'$  as output characters.

**Definition 7.2 (Type-2 machine)** A transition system  $M = (Q, T)$  is a *type-2 machine* with the input character set  $\Sigma$  and the output character set  $\Sigma'$  if:

1.  $Q$  is finite.
2. All  $q \in Q$  are disjoint to each other, and isomorphic to  $\mathbf{N}$ .
3. Each  $f \in T(q, q')$  is a recursively enumerable subset of  $Q \times (\Sigma \cup \Sigma' \cup \{\epsilon\}) \times Q$ .

**Definition 7.3 (Determinism)** A type-2 machine  $M = (Q, T)$  is *deterministic* if:

1. For each  $q \in Q$  and each  $x \in q$ , at most one of the followings hold:

- (a)  $(x, \sigma, y) \in T(q, q')$  for some  $\sigma \in \Sigma$ ,  $q' \in Q$ , and  $y \in q'$ .
  - (b)  $(x, \tau, y) \in T(q, q')$  for some  $\tau \in \Sigma' \cup \{\epsilon\}$ ,  $q' \in Q$ , and  $y \in q'$ .
2. For each  $q \in Q$ , each  $x \in q$  and each  $\sigma \in \Sigma$ , there are at most one  $q' \in Q$  and at most one  $y \in q'$  such that  $(x, \sigma, y) \in T(q, q')$ .
  3. For each  $q \in Q$  and each  $x \in q$ , there are at most one  $q' \in Q$ , at most one  $y \in q'$  and at most one  $\tau \in \Sigma' \cup \{\epsilon\}$ , such that  $(x, \epsilon, \tau, y) \in T(q, q')$ .

**Remark 7.4** One can regard a type-2 machine  $MA = (Q, T)$  as a labelled transition system which is a subsystem of  $(\bigcup Q, T_{Q, \Sigma \cup \Sigma' \cup \{\epsilon\}})$ . If  $M$  is a deterministic type-2 machine, then it is a deterministic labelled transition system. The inverse does not hold, because a deterministic labelled transition system may have  $(x, \sigma, y)$  and  $(x, \tau, z)$  where both  $\sigma$  and  $\tau$  belong to  $\Sigma' \cup \{\epsilon\}$  and  $\sigma \neq \tau$ .

In case  $\sigma' = \emptyset$ , then that never happens. Therefore, if  $\sigma' = \emptyset$ , then  $M$  is a deterministic type-2 machine iff it is a deterministic labelled transition system with the character set  $\Sigma \cup \{\epsilon\}$ .

**Definition 7.5 (Full Kleene category)** The *full Kleene category* over  $(Q, \Sigma, \Sigma')$  is a transition system  $S_0 = (Q, T_0)$  defined as:

1.  $T_0(q, q')$  is the power set of  $Q \times \Sigma^* \times \Sigma'^* \times Q$ .
2.  $g \circ f = \{(x, v \cdot w, v' \cdot w', z) \mid (x, v, v', y) \in f, (y, w, w', z) \in g\}$  as the composition of arrow.
3.  $\{(x, \epsilon, \epsilon, x) \mid x \in q\}$  as the identity over  $q \in Q$ .
4.  $\cup$  is the monoidal operation with the unit  $\emptyset$ .
5.  $f^* = \{(x, w_1 \cdot w_2 \cdot \dots \cdot w_n, w'_1 \cdot w'_2 \cdot \dots \cdot w'_n, y) \mid x = x_0, y = x_n, (x_{i-1}, w_i, w'_i, x_i) \in f \text{ for } i = 1, 2, \dots, n\}$  as the unary operation.

**Definition 7.6 (Determinism of transitions)** For a transition  $f \subset Q \times \Sigma \times \Sigma^* \times Q$  is deterministic if the following holds.

1. Put  $q, r, s \in Q$ ,  $x \in q$ ,  $y \in r$ ,  $z \in s$ ,  $v \in \Sigma^*$  and  $w, w' \in \Sigma'^*$ . If  $(x, v, w, y) \in T(q, r)$  and  $(x, v, w', z) \in T(q, s)$ , then either  $w$  is a prefix of  $w'$  or  $w'$  is a prefix of  $w$ .
2. Put  $q, r, s \in Q$ ,  $x \in q$ ,  $y \in r$ ,  $z \in s$ ,  $v, v' \in \Sigma^*$  and  $w, w' \in \Sigma'^*$ . If  $(x, v, w, y) \in T(q, r)$ ,  $(x, v', w', z) \in T(q, s)$ , and  $v$  is the proper prefix of  $v'$ , then either  $w$  is a prefix of  $w'$ .

**Remark 7.7** Kleene completion

For a type-2 machine  $M = (Q, \Sigma, \Sigma', T)$ , the transition system  $\hat{M} = (Q, \hat{T})$  which is a subsystem of the full Kleene category over  $(Q, \Sigma, \Sigma')$  is constructed as:

$$\hat{T}(q, q') = \{ \begin{aligned} & \{(q, \sigma, \epsilon, q') \mid \sigma \in \Sigma, (q, \sigma, q') \in T(q, q')\} \\ & \cup \{(q, \epsilon, \tau, q') \mid \tau \in \Sigma', (q, \tau, q') \in T(q, q')\} \\ & \cup \{(q, \epsilon, \epsilon, q') \mid (q, \epsilon, q') \in T(q, q')\} \\ & \} \end{aligned}$$

There is  $K(\hat{M})$  the Kleene completion of  $\hat{M}$ . We write  $K(M)$  for this  $K(\hat{M})$  and call it the *Kleene completion of the type-2 machine  $M$* .

**Theorem 7.8** *Let  $M = (Q, T)$  a type-2 machine. Put  $K(M)$  the Kleene completion of  $M$  in the full Kleene category. Then, each transition  $f$  of  $K(M)$  is deterministic and a recursively enumerable subset of  $Q \times \Sigma^* \times \Sigma'^* \times Q$ .*

## 8 Future work

We have shown that Kleene completion gives the semantics for several models of calculation and dynamics. This paper discuss only finite calculation, although a type-2 machine is regarded as a model of infinite calculation. One requires more studies of the semantics of the model of infinite calculation as the future work.

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