

Velus: towards a modular reset

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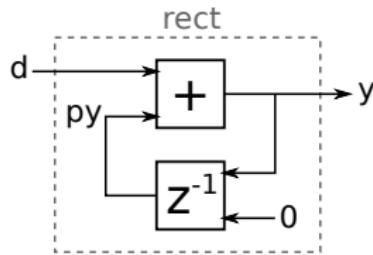
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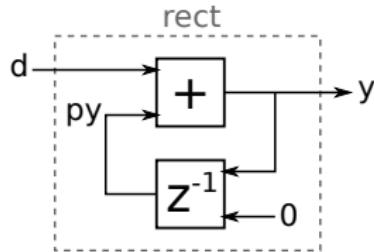
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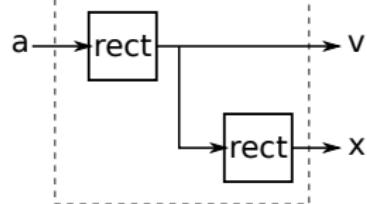
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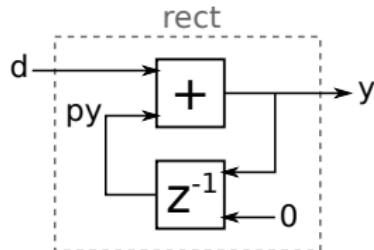
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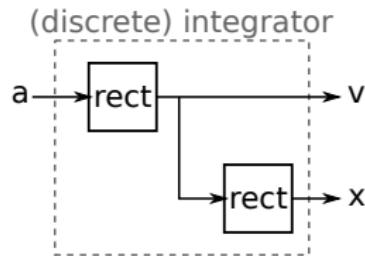
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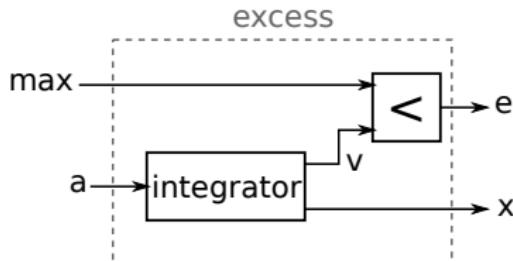
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node excess(max, a: int)
  returns (e: bool; x: int)
  var v: int;
let
  (v, x) = integrator(a);
  e = max < v;
tel
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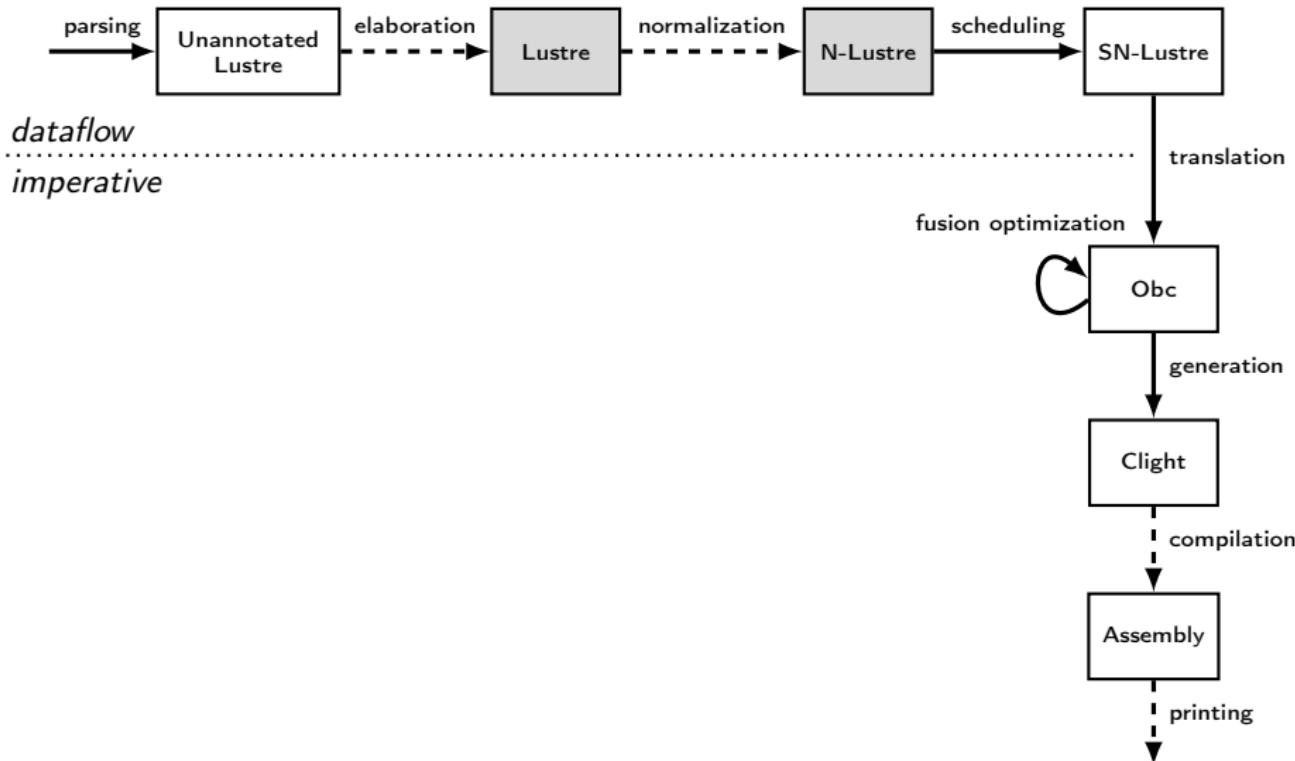
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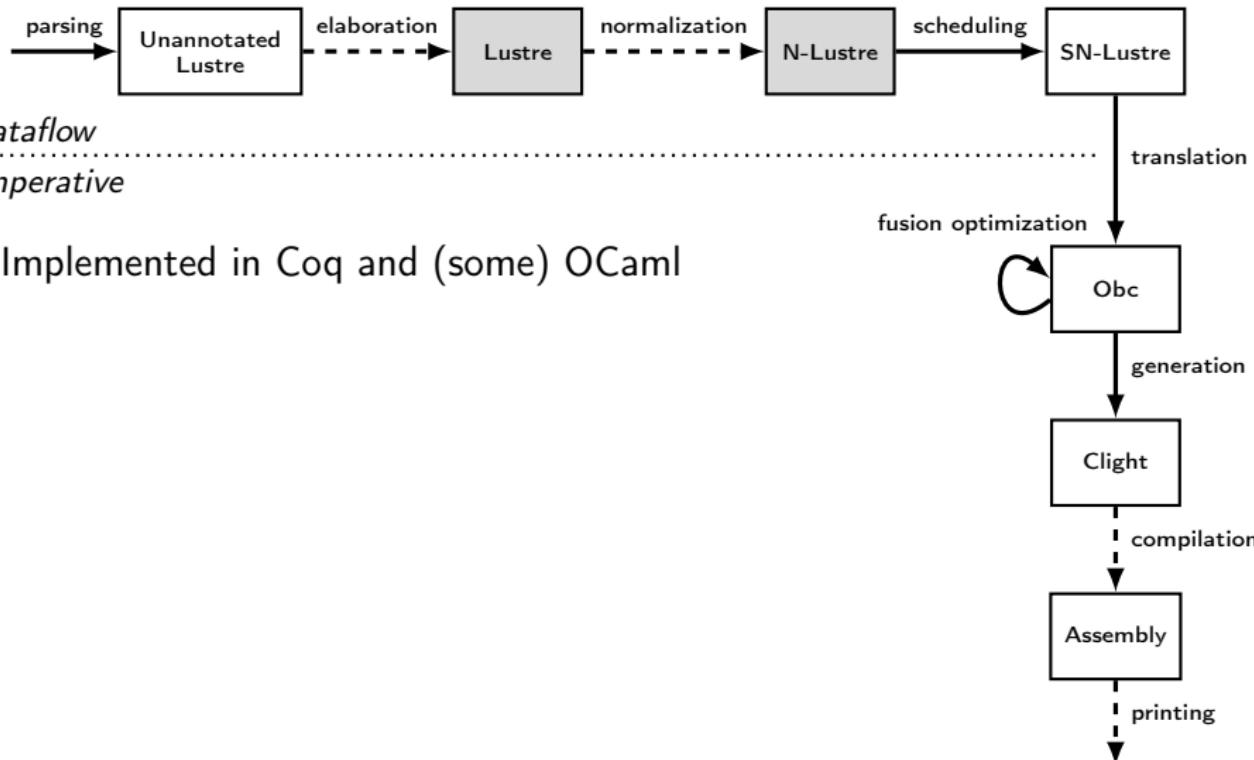
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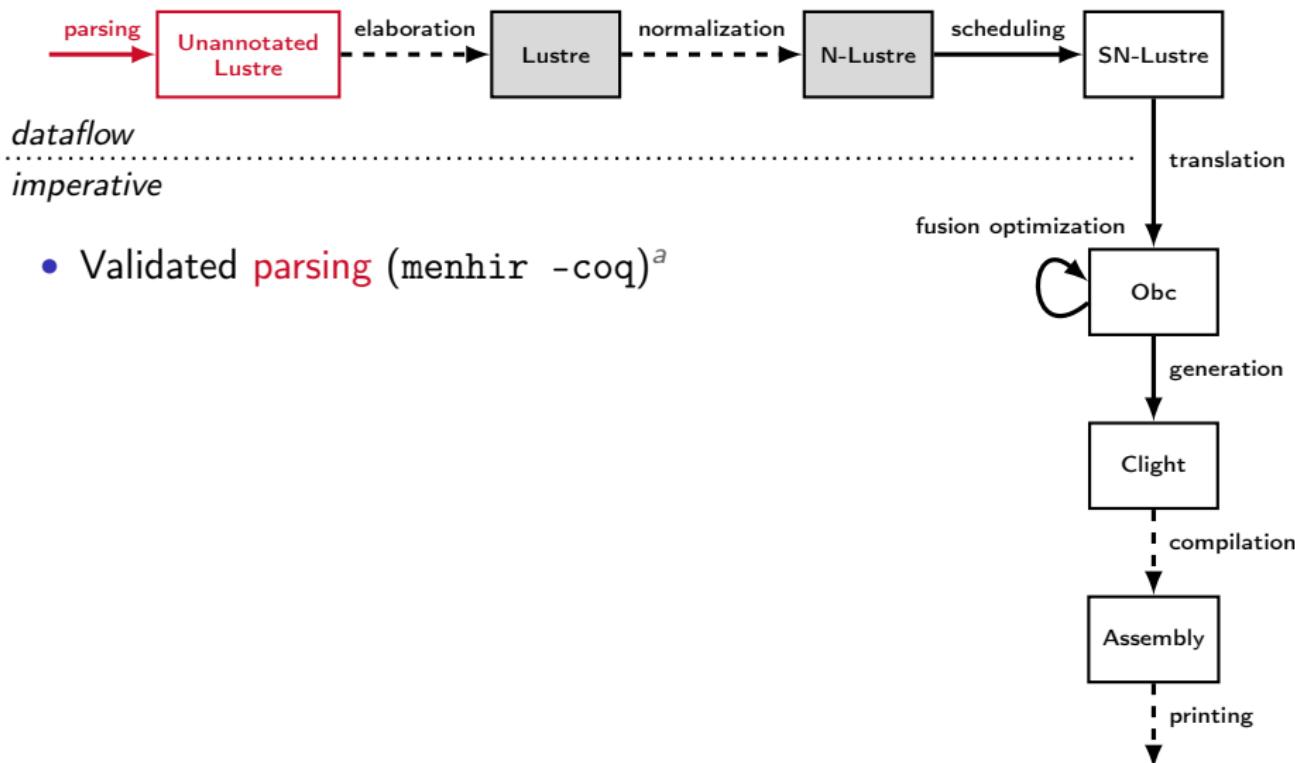
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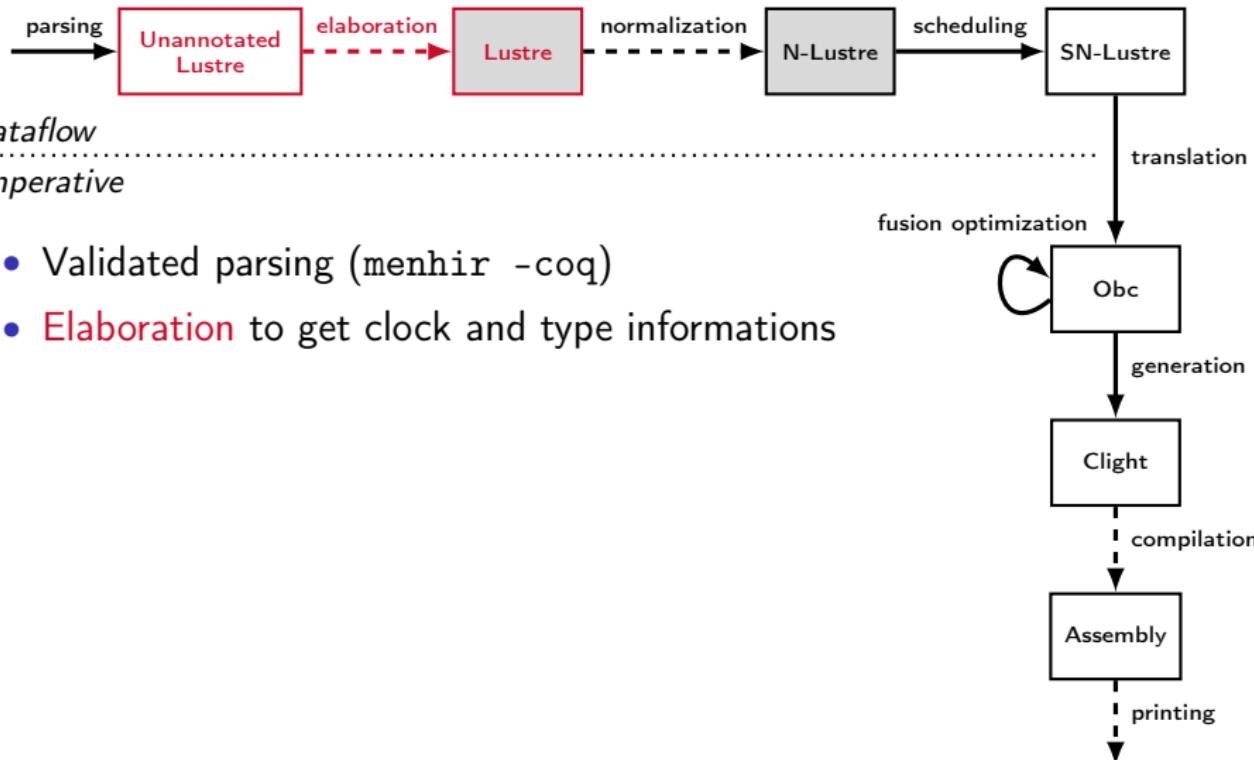


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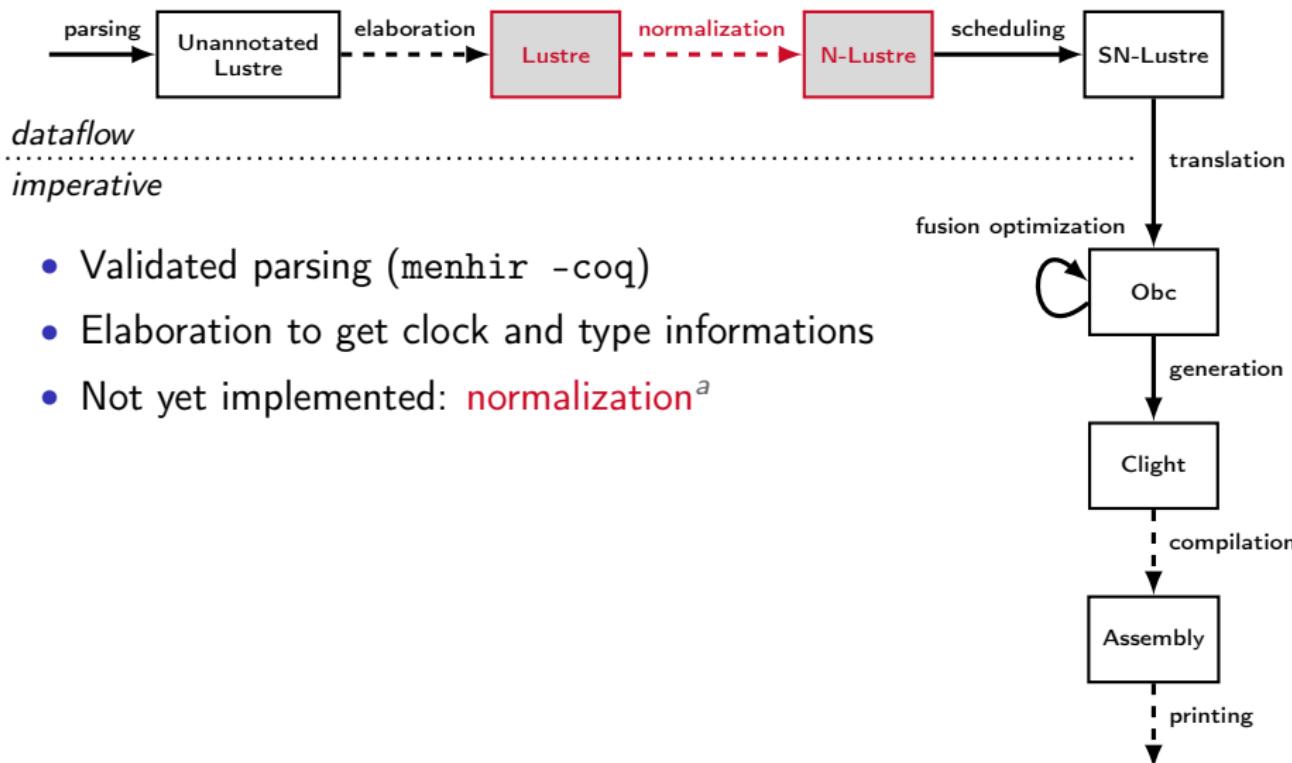


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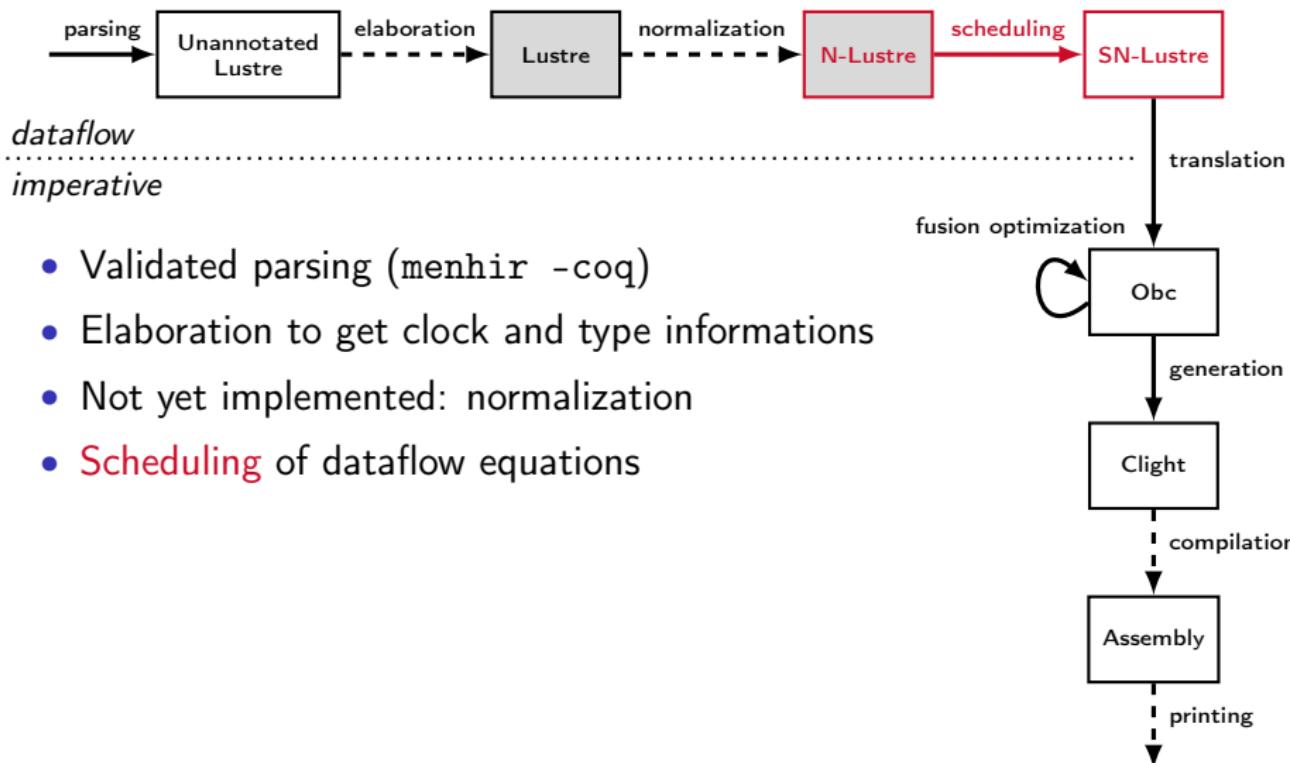


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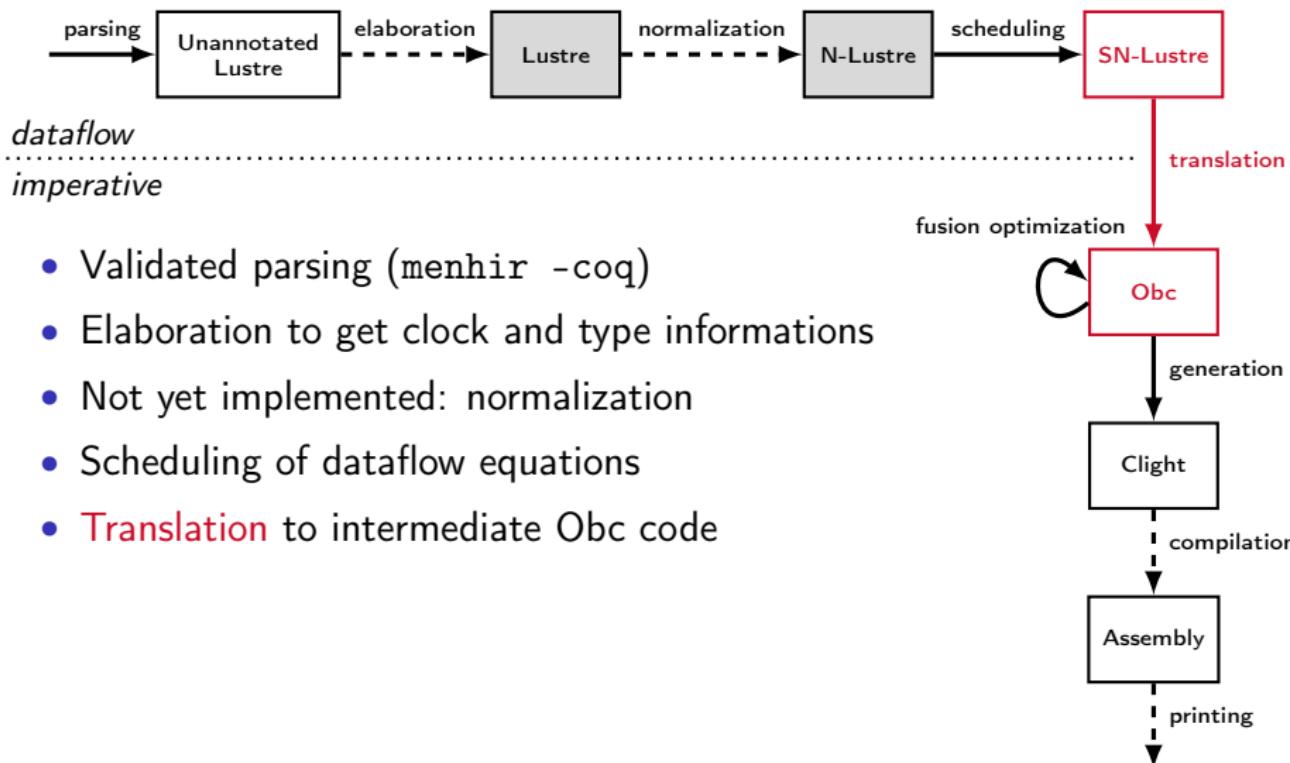
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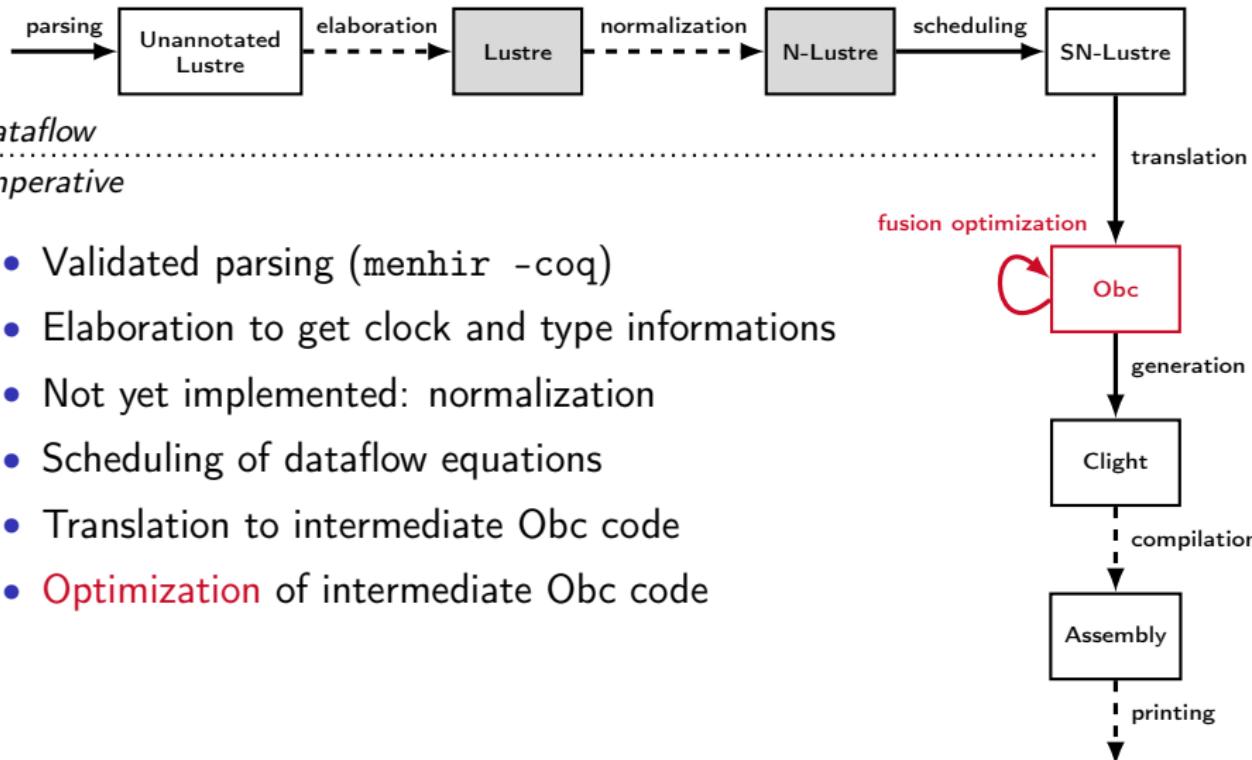


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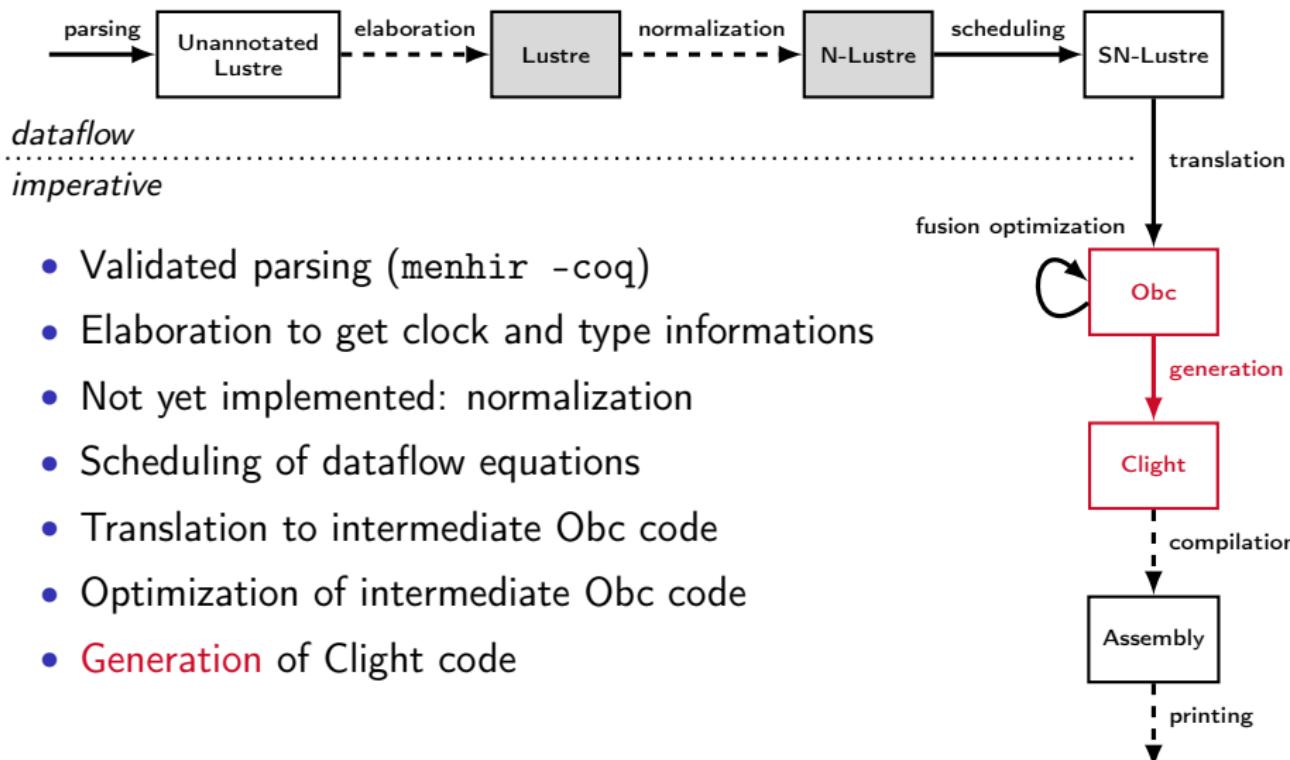


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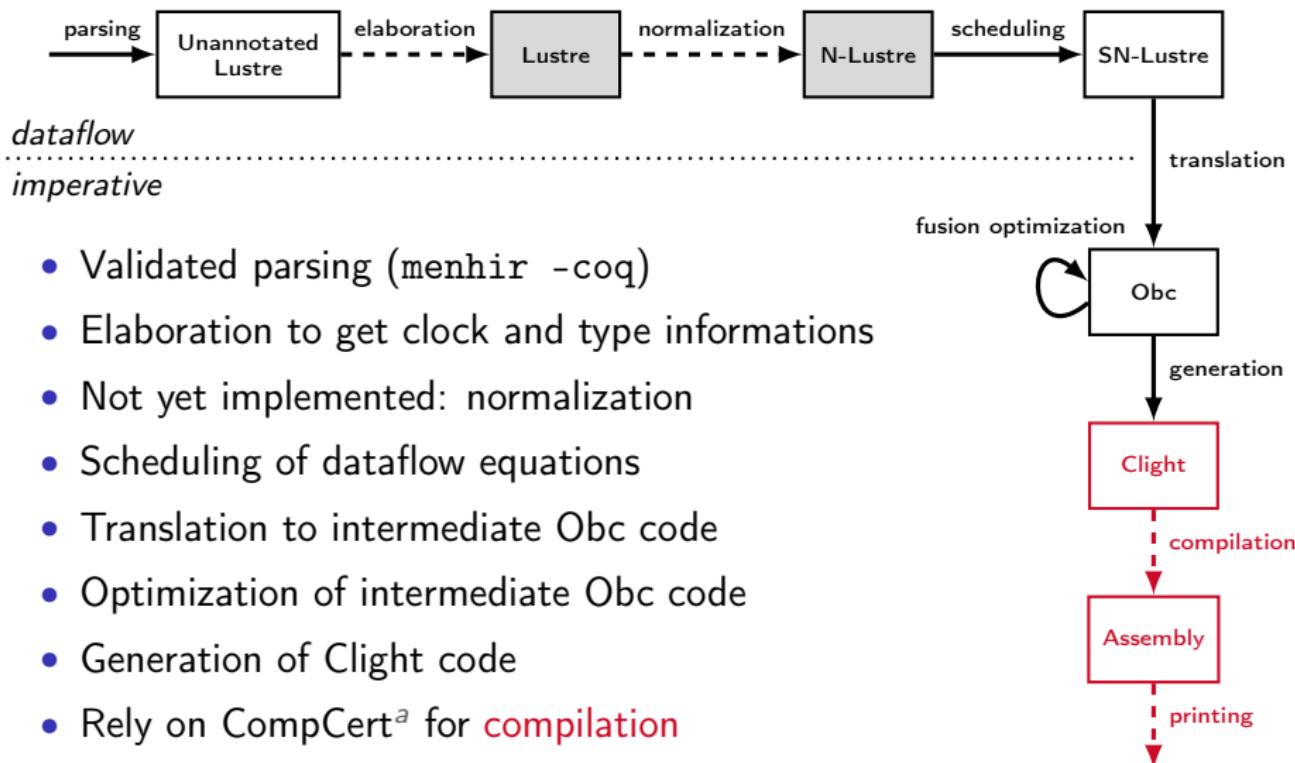


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N-Lustre: abstract syntax

$le :=$	expression	$ce :=$	control expression
k	(constant)	$\text{merge } x \text{ ce ce}$	(merge)
x	(variable)	$\text{if } x \text{ then ce else ce}$	(if)
$le \text{ when } x$	(when)	le	(expression)
$op \ e$	(unary operator)		
$e \ bop \ e$	(binary operator)		
$eq :=$			equation
$x :: c = ce$			(def)
$x :: c = k \text{ fby } le$			(fby)
$\vec{x} :: c = x(\overrightarrow{le})$			(app)
$\vec{x} :: c = x(\overrightarrow{le}) \text{ every } x$			(reset)
$n :=$			node
$\text{node } x(\overrightarrow{x^{ty::c}}) \text{ returns } (\overrightarrow{x^{ty::c}})$			
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Bonus

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- parameters: environment and base clock

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```
Definition history := PM.t vstream.
```

```
Definition clock := Stream bool.
```

```
CoFixpoint const (k: const) (b: clock): vstream :=
  match b with
  | true  · b' ⇒ present (sem_const k) · const k b'
  | false · b' ⇒ absent                · const k b'
  end.
```

Co-inductive streams based semantics: dealing with equality

$$\frac{H(x) \equiv xs}{H, b \vdash_{\text{le}} x \Rightarrow xs}$$

```
CoInductive EqSt {A : Type} (s1 s2: Stream A) : Prop :=  
eqst:
```

```
  hd s1 = hd s2 →  
  EqSt (tl s1) (tl s2) →  
  EqSt s1 s2.
```

```
Infix "≡" := EqSt.
```

```
Inductive sem_var: history → ident → vstream → Prop :=
```

```
sem_var_intro:  
  ∀ H x xs xs',  
  PM.MapsTo x xs' H →  
  xs ≡ xs' →  
  sem_var H x xs.
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CoFixpoint fby (k: val) (xs: vstream) : vstream :=
  match xs with
  | absent . xs ⇒ absent . fby k xs
  | present x . xs ⇒ present k . fby x xs
  end.
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| WhenA:
  ∀ xs cs rs,
  when xs cs rs →
  when (absent · xs) (absent · cs) (absent · rs)
| WhenPA:
  ∀ x c xs cs rs,
  when xs cs rs →
  when (present x · xs) (present false_val · cs) (absent · rs)
| WhenPP:
  ∀ x c xs cs rs,
  when xs cs rs →
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| IteT:
  ∀ t f s ts fs rs,
  ite s ts fs rs →
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| MergeA:
  ∀ cs xs ys rs,
  merge cs xs ys rs →
  merge (absent · cs) (absent · xs) (absent · ys) (absent · rs)
| MergeT:
  ∀ t cs xs ys rs,
  merge cs xs ys rs →
  merge (present true_val · cs)
    (present t · xs) (absent · ys) (present t · rs)
| MergeF:
  ∀ f cs xs ys rs,
  merge cs xs ys rs →
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Expressions

```
Inductive sem_lexp: history → clock → lexp → vstream → Prop :=  
| Sconst:  
  ∀ H b c cs,  
    cs ≡ const c b →  
    sem_lexp H b (Econst c) cs  
| Svar:  
  ∀ H b x ty xs,  
    sem_var H x xs →  
    sem_lexp H b (Evar x ty) xs  
| Swhen:  
  ∀ H b e x k es xs os,  
    sem_lexp H b e es →  
    sem_var H x xs →  
    when k es xs os →  
    sem_lexp H b (Ewhen e x k) os  
| Sunop:  
  ∀ H b op e ty es os,  
    sem_lexp H b e es →  
    lift1 op (typeof e) es os →  
    sem_lexp H b (Eunop op e ty) os  
| Sbinop:  
  ∀ H b op e1 e2 ty es1 es2 os,  
    sem_lexp H b e1 es1 →  
    sem_lexp H b e2 es2 →  
    lift2 op (typeof e1) (typeof e2) es1 es2 os →  
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```
Inductive sem_cexp: history → clock → cexp → vstream → Prop :=
| Smerge:
  ∀ H b x t f xs ts fs os,
    sem_var H x xs →
    sem_cexp H b t ts →
    sem_cexp H b f fs →
    merge xs ts fs os →
    sem_cexp H b (Emerge x t f) os
| Site:
  ∀ H b e t f es ts fs os,
    sem_lexp H b e es →
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    sem_cexp H b f fs →
    ite es ts fs os →
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| Sexp:
  ∀ H b e es,
    sem_lexp H b e es →
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```

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Equations and nodes

```
Inductive sem_equation: history → clock → equation → Prop :=  
| SeqDef:  
  ∀ H b x ck e es,  
    sem_cexp H b e es →  
    sem_var H x es →  
    sem_equation H b (EqDef x ck e)  
| SeqFby:  
  ∀ H b x ck c0 e es os,  
    sem_lexp H b e es →  
    os = fby (sem_const c0) es →  
    sem_var H x os →  
    sem_equation H b (EqFby x ck c0 e)  
| SeqApp:  
  ∀ H b ys ck f es ess oss,  
    Forall2 (sem_lexp H b) es ess →  
    sem_node f ess oss →  
    Forall2 (sem_var H) ys oss →  
    sem_equation H b (EqApp ys ck f es)  
  
with sem_node: ident → list vstream → list vstream → Prop :=  
SNode:  
  ∀ H f n xss oss,  
    find_node f G = Some n →  
    Forall2 (sem_var H) (idents n.(n_in)) xss →  
    Forall2 (sem_var H) (idents n.(n_out)) oss →  
    Forall (sem_equation H (clocks_of xss)) n.(n_eqs) →  
    sem_node f xss oss.
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Writable in Coq but as an intricate co-inductive predicate: we need another solution

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Ininitely unrolling the recursion

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$\text{mask } 0 \ r \ x$	x_0	x_1	\perp	...						
$f(\text{mask } 0 \ r \ x)$	y_0	y_1	\perp	...						

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$\text{mask } 1 \ r \ x$	\perp	\perp	x_2	x_3	x_4	\perp	\perp	\perp	\perp	...
$f(\text{mask } 1 \ r \ x)$	\perp	\perp	y'_2	y'_3	y'_4	\perp	\perp	\perp	\perp	...

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$\text{mask } 1 \ r \ x$	\perp	\perp	x_2	x_3	x_4	\perp	\perp	\perp	\perp	...
$f(\text{mask } 1 \ r \ x)$	\perp	\perp	y'_2	y'_3	y'_4	\perp	\perp	\perp	\perp	...
$\text{mask } 2 \ r \ x$	\perp	\perp	\perp	\perp	\perp	x_5	x_6	\perp	\perp	...
$f(\text{mask } 2 \ r \ x)$	\perp	\perp	\perp	\perp	\perp	y''_5	y''_6	\perp	\perp	...

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$f(\text{mask } 0 \ r \ x)$	y_0	y_1	\perp	\perp	\perp	\perp	\perp	\perp	\perp	...
$\text{mask } 1 \ r \ x$	\perp	\perp	x_2	x_3	x_4	\perp	\perp	\perp	\perp	...
$f(\text{mask } 1 \ r \ x)$	\perp	\perp	y'_2	y'_3	y'_4	\perp	\perp	\perp	\perp	...
$\text{mask } 2 \ r \ x$	\perp	\perp	\perp	\perp	\perp	x_5	x_6	\perp	\perp	...
$f(\text{mask } 2 \ r \ x)$	\perp	\perp	\perp	\perp	\perp	y''_5	y''_6	\perp	\perp	...
$\text{mask } 3 \ r \ x$	\perp	x_7	x_8	...						
$f(\text{mask } 3 \ r \ x)$	\perp	y'''_7	y'''_8	...						

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$\text{mask } 1 \ r \ x$	\perp	\perp	x_2	x_3	x_4	\perp	\perp	\perp	\perp	...
$f(\text{mask } 1 \ r \ x)$	\perp	\perp	y'_2	y'_3	y'_4	\perp	\perp	\perp	\perp	...
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$f(\text{mask } 2 \ r \ x)$	\perp	\perp	\perp	\perp	\perp	y''_5	y''_6	\perp	\perp	...
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$f(\text{mask } 3 \ r \ x)$	\perp	y'''_7	y'''_8	...						
:										

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$\text{mask } 1 \ r \ x$	\perp	\perp	x_2	x_3	x_4	\perp	\perp	\perp	\perp	...
$f(\text{mask } 1 \ r \ x)$	\perp	\perp	y'_2	y'_3	y'_4	\perp	\perp	\perp	\perp	...
$\text{mask } 2 \ r \ x$	\perp	\perp	\perp	\perp	\perp	x_5	x_6	\perp	\perp	...
$f(\text{mask } 2 \ r \ x)$	\perp	\perp	\perp	\perp	\perp	y''_5	y''_6	\perp	\perp	...
$\text{mask } 3 \ r \ x$	\perp	x_7	x_8	...						
$f(\text{mask } 3 \ r \ x)$	\perp	y'''_7	y'''_8	...						
\vdots										
$f(x) \text{ every } r$	y_0	y_1	y'_2	y'_3	y'_4	y''_5	y''_6	y'''_7	y'''_8	...

Formal semantics

Use of an universally quantified relation as a constraint

```
Inductive sem_equation : history → clock → equation → Prop :=  
...  
| SeqApp:  
  ∀ H b ys ck f es ess oss,  
  ...  
  sem_equation H b (EqApp ys ck f es None)  
| SeqReset:  
  ∀ H b ys ck f es x xs ess oss,  
  Forall2 (sem_lexp H b) es ess →  
  sem_var H x xs →  
  sem_reset f (reset_of xs) ess oss →  
  Forall2 (sem_var H) ys oss →  
  sem_equation H b (EqApp ys ck f es (Some x))  
...  
with sem_node : ident → list vstream → list vstream → Prop := ...  
  
with sem_reset : ident → clock → list vstream → list vstream → Prop :=  
  SReset:  
    ∀ f r xss yss,  
    (forall n, sem_node f (List.map (mask n r) xss) (List.map (mask n r) yss)) →  
    sem_reset f r xss yss.
```

Summary

- co-inductive based semantics
 - more direct, more natural
 - notoriously hard co-inductive proofs, infamous cofix
 - extensible to un-normalized Lustre
- very neat semantics for modular reset

Future work

- compilation
- automata
- mix best of both worlds?

Other work

- synchronous languages, Lustre [Cas+87; Aug13; Ben+03; Bie+08; Aug+14; Bou+16]
- verified compilation: CompCert [BDL06; Ler09a; Ler09b]
- automatic proof of a compiler [CG15]
- denotational semantics [Chl07; BKV09; BH09]

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