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**Abstract:** Recently [6], we presented an automatic technique for proving secrecy and authentication properties for security protocols that manipulate lists of unbounded length, for an unbounded number of sessions. That work relies on an extension of Horn clauses, generalized Horn clauses, designed to support unbounded lists, and on a resolution algorithm on these clauses. However, in that previous work, we had to model protocols manually with generalized Horn clauses, which is unpractical. In this work, we present an extension of the input language of ProVerif, a variant of the applied pi calculus, to model protocols with lists of unbounded length. We give its formal meaning, translate it automatically to generalized Horn clauses, and prove that this translation is sound.

**Key-words:** Security protocols, Verification, Applied Pi Calculus, Horn Clauses, Lists, XML

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## Du pi calcul appliqué aux clauses de Horn pour les protocoles qui utilisent des listes

**Résumé :** Nous avons récemment [6] présenté une technique automatique pour prouver des propriétés de secret et d'authentification pour des protocoles cryptographiques qui manipulent des listes de longueur non-bornée. Ce travail est fondé sur une extension des clauses de Horn, les clauses de Horn généralisées, conçue pour traiter les listes non-bornées, et sur un algorithme de résolution sur ces clauses. Cependant, dans ce travail précédent, nous devions modéliser les protocoles manuellement avec des clauses de Horn généralisées, ce qui est compliqué en pratique. Dans ce rapport, nous présentons une extension du langage d'entrée de ProVerif, une variante du pi calcul appliqué, pour modéliser les protocoles avec des listes de longueur non-bornée. Nous définissons sa signification formelle, le traduisons automatiquement en clauses de Horn généralisées, et prouvons que cette traduction est correcte.

**Mots-clés :** Protocoles cryptographiques, vérification, pi calcul appliqué, clauses de Horn, listes, XML

## 1 Introduction

Security protocols rely on cryptography for securing communication on insecure networks such as Internet. However, attacks are often found against protocols that were thought correct. Furthermore, security flaws cannot be detected by testing since they appear only in the presence of an attacker. Formal verification can then be used to increase the confidence in these protocols. To ease formal verification, one often uses the symbolic, so-called Dolev-Yao model [10], which considers cryptographic primitives as black boxes and messages as terms on these primitives. In this work, we also rely on this model.

The formal verification of security protocols with fixed-size data structures has been extensively studied. However, some protocols, for instance XML protocols of web services or some group protocols, use more complex data structures, such as lists. The verification of protocols that manipulate such data structures has been less studied and presents additional difficulties, since these complex data structures add another cause of undecidability.

Recently [6], we started to extend the automatic verifier ProVerif [5] to protocols with lists of unbounded length. ProVerif takes as input a protocol written in a variant of the applied pi calculus [1], translates it into a representation in Horn clauses, and uses a resolution algorithm to determine whether a fact is derivable from the clauses. One can then infer security properties of the protocol. For instance, ProVerif uses a fact  $\text{att}(M)$  to mean that the attacker may have the message  $M$ . If  $\text{att}(s)$  is not derivable from the clauses, then  $s$  is secret. The main goal of this approach is to prove security properties of protocols without bounding the number of sessions of the protocol.

In [6], we introduced generalized Horn clauses, to be able to represent lists of any length, and we adapted the resolution algorithm of ProVerif to deal with these new clauses. Using this algorithm, we can prove secrecy and authentication properties of protocols with lists of any length, without bounding the number of sessions of the protocol. However, to use this algorithm, one has to write the generalized Horn clauses that model the protocol manually, which is delicate and error-prone. In this paper, our goal is to solve this problem by providing a more convenient input language for protocols. More precisely, we extend the input language of ProVerif to model protocols with lists of unbounded length. We give a formal meaning to the new process calculus, by translating it to a variant of the applied pi calculus with a non-deterministic choice operator. The obtained applied pi calculus process may contain infinite choices, with one branch for each possible list length, thus it cannot be handled directly by automatic tools such as ProVerif. Instead, we provide an automatic translation of the new process calculus to generalized Horn clauses. We prove that this translation is sound, so that one can apply the resolution algorithm of [6] to the generalized Horn clauses obtained by our translation, to prove secrecy and authentication properties of the initial protocol. We illustrate our work on a small protocol that relies on XML signatures; it could obviously be applied to other protocols such as those considered in [6]. We do not expect any difficulty for implementing the translation from the process calculus to generalized Horn clauses in our tool [6], but we did not have time to do that yet.

**Related Work** The first approach considered for proving protocols with recursive data structures was interactive theorem proving: a recursive authentication protocol was studied for an unbounded number of participants, using Isabelle/HOL [14], and using rank functions and PVS [8]. However, this approach requires considerable human effort.

Truderung [16] showed a decidability result (in NEXPTIME) for secrecy in recursive protocols, which include transformations of lists, for a bounded number of sessions. This result was extended to a class of recursive protocols with XOR [12] in 3-NEXPTIME. Chridi et al [9] present an

extension of the constraint-based approach in symbolic protocol verification to handle a class of protocols (Well-Tagged protocols with Autonomous keys) with unbounded lists in messages. They prove that the insecurity problem for Well-Tagged protocols with Autonomous keys is decidable for a bounded number of sessions.

Several approaches were considered for verifying XML protocols [4, 15, 11, 3], by translating them to the input format of a standard protocol verifier: the tool TulaFale [4] uses ProVerif as back-end; Kleiner and Roscoe [15, 11] translate WS-Security protocols to FDR; Backes et al [3] use AVISPA. All these approaches have little or no support for lists of unbounded length. For instance, TulaFale has support for list membership with unbounded lists, but does not go further.

In [13], we showed that, for a certain class of Horn clauses, if secrecy is proved by ProVerif for lists of length one, then secrecy also holds for lists of unbounded length. However, this work is limited to secrecy and to protocols that treat all elements of lists uniformly. When this reduction result does not apply, a different approach is needed: in our previous work [6], we proposed such an approach.

**Outline** In the next section, we recall the process calculus used by ProVerif and we extend it with the non-deterministic choice. We also introduce a running example and motivate the necessity of a new process calculus to model protocols with lists of unbounded length. Section 3 defines the new process calculus. Section 4 gives the automatic translation of the new calculus into generalized Horn clauses. In Sect. 5, we prove that this translation is sound. The proofs and additional details are postponed to the appendix.

## 2 Motivation

ProVerif [5] takes as input a process written in a variant of the applied pi calculus [1]. ProVerif then translates this process into an abstract representation by Horn clauses. It uses a resolution algorithm to determine whether some facts are derivable from these clauses, and infer security properties on the initial process. In this section, we recall the considered variant of the applied pi calculus and show with a few examples that it is not sufficiently expressive in order to model protocols with lists of unbounded length.

### 2.1 The Applied Pi Calculus with Non-deterministic Choice

The syntax of the considered variant of the applied pi calculus is defined in Figure 1. It assumes an infinite set of names  $a, b, c, k, s$ , which represent atomic data items, such as keys or nonces, and an infinite set of variables  $x, y, z$ . There are also function symbols for constructors ( $f$ ) and destructors ( $g$ ), each with an arity. Constructors build new terms of the form  $f(M_1, \dots, M_n)$ . Therefore, messages are represented by terms  $M, N$ , which can be a variable, a name, or a constructor application  $f(M_1, \dots, M_n)$ . Destructors manipulate terms in processes, as explained below.

Protocols are represented by processes  $P, Q$ , of the following forms:

- The output process  $\text{out}(M, N).P$  outputs the message  $N$  on the channel  $M$  and then executes  $P$ .
- The input process  $\text{in}(M, x).P$  inputs a message on the channel  $M$  and then executes  $P$  with  $x$  bound to the input message.
- The nil process  $\mathbf{0}$  does nothing.

$M, N ::=$	terms
$x, y, z$	variable
$a, b, c, k, s$	name
$f(M_1, \dots, M_n)$	constructor application
$P, Q ::=$	processes
$\text{out}(M, N).P$	output
$\text{in}(M, x).P$	input
$\mathbf{0}$	nil
$P \mid Q$	parallel composition
$!P$	replication
$(\nu a)P$	restriction
$\text{let } x = g(M_1, \dots, M_n) \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q$	destructor application
$\text{let } pat = M \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q$	pattern-matching
$\text{event}(e(M)).P$	event
$P + Q$	internal choice

Figure 1: Syntax of the process calculus

- The process  $P \mid Q$  is the parallel composition of  $P$  and  $Q$ .
- The replication  $!P$  represents an infinite number of copies of  $P$  in parallel.
- The restriction  $(\nu a)P$  creates a new name  $a$  and then executes  $P$ .
- The destructor application  $\text{let } x = g(M_1, \dots, M_n) \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q$  tries to evaluate  $g(M_1, \dots, M_n)$ ; if this succeeds, then  $x$  is bound to the result and  $P$  is executed, else  $Q$  is executed. More precisely, a destructor  $g$  is defined by a set  $\text{def}(g)$  of rewrite rules of the form  $g(M_1, \dots, M_n) \rightarrow M$  where  $M_1, \dots, M_n, M$  are terms without free names, and the variables of  $M$  also occur in  $M_1, \dots, M_n$ . Then  $g(M_1, \dots, M_n)$  evaluates to  $M$  if and only if it reduces to  $M$  by a rewrite rule of  $\text{def}(g)$ . Using constructors and destructors, one can represent data structures and cryptographic operations. Here are two examples:

- The constructor  $pk$  builds a new public key  $pk(M)$  from a secret key  $M$ . The constructor  $sign$  is such that  $sign(M, N)$  represents the signature of  $M$  under the key  $N$ . It has one corresponding destructor:

$$\text{checksign}(\text{sign}(x, y), pk(y), x) \rightarrow x$$

Hence,  $\text{checksign}(S, PK, M)$  checks if  $S$  is a correct signature  $sign(M, SK)$  of message  $M$  under the secret key  $SK$  corresponding to the public key  $PK = pk(SK)$ ; if yes, it returns the message  $M$ ; otherwise, it fails.

- A data constructor is a constructor  $f$  of arity  $n$  that comes with  $n$  associated destructors  $f_i^{-1}$  ( $1 \leq i \leq n$ ), defined by rewrite rules  $f_i^{-1}(f(x_1, \dots, x_n)) \rightarrow x_i$ , so that the arguments of  $f$  can be recovered. Data constructors are typically used to represent data structures.
- The pattern-matching  $\text{let } pat = M \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q$  matches  $M$  with the pattern  $pat$ , and executes  $P$  when the matching succeeds and  $Q$  when it fails. The pattern  $pat$  can be a variable  $x$  or a data constructor application  $f(pat_1, \dots, pat_n)$ . Patterns  $pat$  are linear, that is, they never contain several occurrences of the same variable. Pattern-matching



can be encoded using destructor application:  $\text{let } x = M \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q$  is an abbreviation for  $\text{let } x = \text{id}(M) \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q$ , where the destructor  $\text{id}$  is defined by  $\text{id}(x) \rightarrow x$  and  $\text{let } f(\text{pat}_1, \dots, \text{pat}_n) = M \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q$  is an abbreviation for

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{let } x_1 = f_1^{-1}(M) \text{ in } \dots \text{ let } x_n = f_n^{-1}(M) \text{ in} \\ & \quad \text{let } \text{pat}_1 = x_1 \text{ in } \dots \text{ let } \text{pat}_n = x_n \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q \dots \text{ else } Q \\ & \text{else } Q \dots \text{ else } Q \end{aligned}$$

where the variables  $x_1, \dots, x_n$  are fresh and the variables of  $\text{pat}_1, \dots, \text{pat}_n$  do not occur in  $Q$ .

- ProVerif models authentication as correspondence assertions, such as “if event  $e(x)$  has been executed, then event  $e'(x)$  has been executed”. The process calculus provides an instruction for executing such events: the process  $\text{event}(e(M)).P$  executes the event  $e(M)$ , then executes  $P$ .
- We add a construct for internal choice, which was not present in [5]: the process  $P + Q$  behaves either as  $P$  or as  $Q$ , non-deterministically. This construct will be helpful for defining our extension to lists.

The conditional  $\text{if } M = N \text{ then } P \text{ else } Q$  can be encoded as the destructor application  $\text{let } x = \text{equal}(M, N) \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q$  where  $x$  does not occur in  $P$  and the destructor  $\text{equal}$ , defined by  $\text{equal}(x, x) \rightarrow x$ , succeeds if and only if its two arguments are equal. We often omit a trailing  $\mathbf{0}$ .

The name  $a$  is bound in  $P$  in the process  $(\nu a)P$ . The variable  $x$  is bound in  $P$  in the processes  $\text{in}(M, x).P$  and  $\text{let } x = g(M_1, \dots, M_n) \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q$ . The variables of  $\text{pat}$  are bound in  $P$  in the process  $\text{let } \text{pat} = M \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q$ . A process is closed if it has no free variables; it may have free names. We denote by  $\text{fn}(P)$  the free names of  $P$ .

The formal semantics of this calculus is defined either by a structural equivalence and a reduction relations, in the style of [1], or by a reduction relation on semantic configurations, as in [5]. These semantics are extended to the internal choice, by adding rules such that  $P + Q$  reduces into  $P$  and also into  $Q$ .

## 2.2 Running Example

As a running example, we consider a simple protocol that relies on XML signatures [7, 6]. Elements in XML messages have a tag (e.g., **Body**, **Signature**) indicating their role, a unique identifier so that they can be referenced in the rest of the message, and a content. In this protocol, a client  $C$  sends to a server  $S$  an XML message containing a request **Req** in its body (with tag **Body**), and a header (with tag **Header**) that contains a signature of the body, as shown in Fig. 2. More precisely, this signature has tag **Signature** and consists of two components. The first component, **SignedInfo**, is a list of references to the elements of the message that are signed, designated by their identifier and accompanied by a hash of their content computed with the hash function SHA-1. The list **SignedInfo** should include a reference to the body. The second component is the signature of **SignedInfo** under the secret key  $\text{sk}_C$  of the client. The server processes the message and checks the signature before authorizing the request given in the **Body**: if **SignedInfo** contains a reference to an element with tag **Body** and this element is the body of the message, then he authorizes the request.

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<Envelope>
  <Header>
    <Signature>
      <SignedInfo>
        <Reference URI="#theBody">
          <DigestValue> hash of the body </DigestValue>
        </Reference>
        <Reference URI="#x1">
          <DigestValue> hash of the content of  $x_1$  </DigestValue>
        </Reference>
        ...
      </SignedInfo>
      <SignatureValue> signature of SignedInfo with key  $sk_C$  </SignatureValue>
    </Signature>
  </Header>
  <Body Id="#theBody"> request </Body>
</Envelope>

```

Figure 2: An XML document carrying a digital signature

### 2.3 Need for a New Process Calculus

We would like to model our running example with the process calculus introduced in Sect. 2.1. However, since the length of the header and the length of the list of references of the signature can be different from a document to another, we encounter several problems.

First, since the server of our example accepts messages containing any number of headers, we need lists of variable length to model the expected message. We could obviously model lists with constructors for  $::$  and  $[]$ . However, with such a model, functions that manipulate lists are typically recursive. Hence they are difficult to analyze automatically, because one needs to guess inductive invariants. In the case of ProVerif, such a model would lead to non-termination. Therefore, we rather add a new construct to the syntax of terms,  $list(i \leq L, M_i)$ , for the list of elements  $M_i$  with index  $i$  in the set  $\{1, \dots, L\}$ .

When we receive a list, we often pattern-match it. Two situations may happen: If the desired length  $L$  of the list is known in advance, we use the process  $let\ list(i \leq L, y_i) = x\ in\ P\ else\ \mathbf{0}$ , which binds  $y_i$  ( $i \leq L$ ) to the elements of the list  $x$ . Otherwise, the length is determined by the received list. Instead of introducing a primitive that performs the match in this case, we split it into two more primitive constructs: first, we introduce the construct  $choose\ L\ in\ P$  that chooses non-deterministically a bound  $L$  and then executes  $P$ ; then we can use the previous matching construct with the chosen length  $L$ . It succeeds only when  $L$  is the length of the received list.

In our example, we assume that the received XML message is already parsed into a pair, containing as first component a list of triplets (tag, identifier, corresponding content) and as a second component the content of the body. Hence the beginning of the process  $P_S$  that describes the server will be:

$$P_S := \text{in}(c, x).\text{choose } L \text{ in} \\ \text{let } (list(j \leq L, (tag_j, id_j, cont_j)), w) = x \text{ in } \dots$$

Next, the server has to check the signature, before authorizing the request he receives. He has to verify that the list contains a tag  $tag_k$  equal to **Signature** and that  $cont_k$  contains a correct signature. In other words, the server has to choose a  $k$  and test whether  $tag_k$  is equal to **Signature** and  $cont_k$  contains a correct signature. We introduce a new process  $choose\ k \leq L\ in\ P$

that chooses non-deterministically an index  $k \in \{1, \dots, L\}$  and then executes  $P$ . This construct allows us perform a lookup in a list.

Hence, we can represent the beginning of the check of the signature as:

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choose  $k \leq L$  in
if  $tag_k = \text{Signature}$  then
let  $(\text{info}, \text{sinfosign}) = cont_k$  in ...

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We give the final representation of this protocol in our new process calculus in Sect. 3.2.

Suppose now that we apply a destructor  $g(r_i, s_i)$  to each element  $y_i$  of a list  $list(i \leq L, y_i)$ . Since  $L$  is not fixed, we cannot model this destructor application as  $let\ y_1 = g(r_1, s_1)\ in\ \dots\ let\ y_L = g(r_L, s_L)\ in\ P\ else\ Q\ \dots\ else\ Q$ . Hence we introduce a new destructor application  $let$  for all  $i_1 \leq L_1, \dots, i_h \leq L_h, x_{i_1, \dots, i_h} = g(M_1, \dots, M_n)$  in  $P$  else  $Q$  that computes  $g(M_1, \dots, M_n)$  for each  $i_1 \in \{1, \dots, L_1\}, \dots, i_h \in \{1, \dots, L_h\}$  in one step. This construct allows us to apply the destructor  $g$  to all elements of the list, as in the ML function `List.map`.

Finally, suppose that we want to model a simple protocol in which  $L$  participants send their own identity to a chair  $C$ . (This happens in group protocols, such as the Asokan-Ginzborg protocol [2], that describe the exchange of messages between an unbounded number of participants.) Since we have  $L$  participants we would like to describe each participant with a process  $A_i$  and replicate  $A_i$   $L$  times. Moreover, we may need to create  $L$  identifiers  $a_i$ , one for each participant  $A_i$ . We solve these two issues by introducing two new constructs:  $\Pi_{i \leq L} P$  and (for all  $i \leq L, \nu a_i$ ) $P$ . The first one represents  $L$  copies of  $P$  running in parallel; the second one creates  $L$  names  $a_1, \dots, a_L$  and then executes  $P$ .

### 3 Generalized Process Calculus

This section formally defines the new process calculus that we introduce to represent protocols with lists of unbounded lengths. We will refer to this new process calculus as the *generalized process calculus*.

#### 3.1 Syntax and Type System

The syntax of the generalized process calculus is described in Fig. 3. Terms are enriched with several new constructs. Variables may have indices  $x_{\iota_1, \dots, \iota_h}$ , and so do names  $a_i$ ; these indices  $\iota$  are built from index variables and application of functions on indices. Lists of fixed length are represented by a data constructor  $\langle M_1^G, \dots, M_n^G \rangle$  for each length  $n$ . We use the construct  $list(i \leq L, M^G)$  to represent lists of variable length  $L$ :  $list(i \leq L, M^G)$  represents intuitively the list  $\langle M^G\{1/i\}, \dots, M^G\{L/i\} \rangle$ . We use  $\tilde{i}$  to represent a tuple of indices  $i_1, \dots, i_h$ , and we use the notation  $x_{\tilde{i}}$  for  $x_{i_1, \dots, i_h}$  and  $list(\tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}, M^G)$  for  $list(i_1 \leq L_1, list(i_2 \leq L_2, \dots, list(i_h \leq L_h, M^G) \dots))$ .

Processes are also enriched with new constructs:

- The indexed replication  $\Pi_{i \leq L} P^G$  represents  $L$  copies of  $P^G$  in parallel. It may represent  $L$  participants of a group protocol, where  $L$  is not fixed.
- The restriction (for all  $i \leq L, \nu a_i$ ) $P^G$  creates  $L$  names  $a_1, \dots, a_L$  and then executes  $P^G$ . The names  $a_1, \dots, a_L$  may for instance be a secret key for each member of a group of  $L$  participants.
- The destructor application  $let$  for all  $i_1 \leq L_1, \dots, i_h \leq L_h, x_{i_1, \dots, i_h} = g(M_1^G, \dots, M_n^G)$  in  $P^G$  else  $Q^G$  tries to evaluate  $g(M_1^G, \dots, M_n^G)$  for each  $i_1 \in \{1, \dots, L_1\}, \dots, i_h \in \{1, \dots,$

$\iota ::=$	index terms
$i$	index variable
$\phi(\iota_1, \dots, \iota_h)$	function application
$pat^G ::=$	patterns
$x_{i_1, \dots, i_h}$	variable
$f(pat_1^G, \dots, pat_n^G)$	data constructor
$list(i \leq L, pat^G)$	list pattern
$M^G, N^G ::=$	terms
$x_{\iota_1, \dots, \iota_h}$	variable ( $h \geq 0$ )
$f(M_1^G, \dots, M_n^G)$	function application
$a$	name
$a_\iota$	indexed name
$list(i \leq L, M^G)$	list constructor
$P^G, Q^G ::=$	processes
$out(M^G, N^G).P^G$	output
$in(M^G, x).P^G$	input
$\mathbf{0}$	nil
$P^G \mid Q^G$	parallel composition
$!P^G$	replication
$\prod_{i \leq L} P^G$	indexed replication
$(\nu a)P^G$	restriction
(for all $i \leq L, \nu a_i$ ) $P^G$	restriction
let for all $i_1 \leq L_1, \dots, i_h \leq L_h, x_{i_1, \dots, i_h} = g(M_1^G, \dots, M_n^G)$ in $P^G$ else $Q^G$	destructor application
let for all $i_1 \leq L_1, \dots, i_h \leq L_h, pat^G = M^G$ in $P^G$ else $Q^G$	pattern matching
$event(e(M^G)).P^G$	event
choose $L$ in $P^G$	bound choice
choose $k \leq L$ in $P^G$	index choice
choose $\phi : [1, L_1] \times \dots \times [1, L_h] \rightarrow [1, L']$ in $P^G$	function choice

Figure 3: Syntax of the generalized process calculus

$L_h$ }; if all these evaluations succeed, then  $x_{i_1, \dots, i_h}$  is bound to the obtained result for each  $i_1, \dots, i_h$  and  $P^G$  is executed, else  $Q^G$  is executed.

- The pattern matching let for all  $i_1 \leq L_1, \dots, i_h \leq L_h, pat^G = M^G$  in  $P^G$  else  $Q^G$  matches  $M^G$  with the pattern  $pat^G$  for each  $i_1 \in \{1, \dots, L_1\}, \dots, i_h \in \{1, \dots, L_h\}$  and executes  $P^G$  when the matchings succeed,  $Q^G$  otherwise. The pattern  $pat^G$  can be a variable  $x_{i_1, \dots, i_h}$ , a data constructor application  $f(pat_1^G, \dots, pat_h^G)$ , or a list of variable length  $list(i \leq L, pat^G)$ ; the latter pattern is essential to be able to decompose lists without fixing their length, since we do not have destructors to perform this decomposition. When a variable occurs in the pattern  $pat^G$  in the process let for all  $i_1 \leq L_1, \dots, i_{h'} \leq L_{h'}, list(i_{h'+1} \leq L_{h'+1}, \dots, list(i_h \leq L_h, pat^G) \dots) = M^G$  in  $P^G$  else  $Q^G$ , its indices must be  $i_1, \dots, i_h$ . Patterns are linear.
- The bound choice choose  $L$  in  $P^G$  chooses non-deterministically a bound  $L$  and then executes  $P^G$ . For example, in the process choose  $L$  in let  $list(i \leq L, y_i) = x$  in  $P^G$  else  $\mathbf{0}$ , the non-deterministic choice of the bound  $L$  allows us to bind  $y_i$  ( $i \leq L$ ) to the elements of the list  $x$ , without knowing the length of the list in advance.

- The index choice  $\text{choose } k \leq L \text{ in } P^G$  chooses non-deterministically an index  $k \in \{1, \dots, L\}$  and then executes  $P^G$ . In particular, this construct allows us to perform a lookup in a list. For example, let  $\text{list}(i \leq L, x_i) = z$  in  $\text{choose } k \leq L \text{ in if } f(x_k) = M^G \text{ then } P^G \text{ else } \mathbf{0}$  looks for an element  $x_k$  of the list  $z$  such that  $f(x_k) = M^G$ .
- The function choice  $\text{choose } \phi : [1, L_1] \times \dots \times [1, L_h] \rightarrow [1, L'] \text{ in } P^G$  chooses non-deterministically an index function  $\phi : \{1, \dots, L_1\} \times \dots \times \{1, \dots, L_h\} \rightarrow \{1, \dots, L\}$  and then executes  $P^G$ . For instance, this construct allows us to verify that the elements of a list are a subset of the elements of another list, by non-deterministically choosing the mapping between the indices of the two lists, as we do in Sect. 3.2.

We will use the notation for all  $\tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}$  instead of for all  $i_1 \leq L_1, \dots, i_h \leq L_h$ , and simply omit “for all” when  $h = 0$ . As for the process calculus of Sect. 2.1, we can encode the process if for all  $\tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}, M^G = N^G$  then  $P^G$  else  $Q^G$  in the generalized calculus as let  $x = \text{equal}(\text{list}(\tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}, M^G), \text{list}(\tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}, N^G))$  in  $P^G$  else  $Q^G$ , where  $x$  does not occur in  $P^G$ . The “else” branch may be omitted when it is “else  $\mathbf{0}$ ”.

This process calculus provides list manipulation constructs that allow us, for instance, to look up an element in a list and to apply a function to all elements of a list (as in `List.map`). It also has limitations: while we can look up several elements of a list and handle these elements differently, we can require a specific order of these elements in the list only if the list has a fixed length; the order is abstracted away when the length is not fixed.

We also define a simple type system for the generalized process calculus, to guarantee that the indices of all variables vary in the appropriate interval. In the type system, the type environment  $\Gamma$  is a list of type declarations:

- $i : [1, L]$  means that  $i$  is of type  $[1, L]$ , that is, intuitively, the value of index  $i$  can vary between 1 and the value of the bound  $L$ ;
- $\phi : [1, L_1] \times \dots \times [1, L_h] \rightarrow [1, L]$  means that the function  $\phi$  expects as input  $h$  indices of types  $[1, L_1], \dots, [1, L_h]$  and computes an index of type  $[1, L]$ ;
- $x_- : [1, L_1] \times \dots \times [1, L_h]$  means that the variable  $x$  expects indices of types  $[1, L_1], \dots, [1, L_h]$ ; we write  $x_- : []$  when  $x$  expects no index (that is,  $h = 0$ );
- $a_- : [1, L]$  means that the name  $a$  expects an index of type  $[1, L]$ , and  $a_- : []$  means that the name  $a$  expects no index.

The type system defines the judgment  $\Gamma \vdash P^G$ , which means that  $P^G$  is well-typed in the type environment  $\Gamma$ . The typing rules are detailed in Appendix D.

We have notions of bound indices  $i$ , functions  $\phi$ , variables  $x$ , names  $a$ , and bounds  $L$ . For example, the index  $k$  is bound in  $P^G$  in the process  $\text{choose } k \leq L \text{ in } P^G$ . In the pattern matching let for all  $i_1 \leq L_1, \dots, i_h \leq L_h, \text{pat}^G = M^G \text{ in } P^G \text{ else } Q^G$ , the indices  $i_1, \dots, i_h$  are bound in  $\text{pat}^G = M^G$ , but not in  $P^G$  or  $Q^G$ . The bound  $L$  is bound in  $P^G$  in the process  $\text{choose } L \text{ in } P^G$ . A closed process has no free bounds, indices, functions, and variables. It may have free names. We suppose that all processes are well-typed. A closed process  $P_0^G$  is typed as follows:  $\Gamma_0 \vdash P_0^G$  where  $\Gamma_0 = \{a_- : [] \mid a \in \text{fn}(P_0^G)\}$ .

### 3.2 Example

The representation of our running example in our process calculus is given in Fig. 4. We represent an XML message as a pair, containing as first component a list of triplets (tag, identifier, corresponding content) and as second component the content of the body. The client process  $P_C$

$$\begin{aligned}
P_C &:= \text{event}(b(\text{Req})).\text{out}(c, (((\text{Signature}, \text{ids}, ((\text{idb}, \text{sha1}(\text{Req}))), \\
&\quad \text{sign}((((\text{idb}, \text{sha1}(\text{Req}))), \text{sk}_C))))), (\text{Body}, \text{idb}, \text{Req}), \text{Req})) \\
P_S &:= \text{in}(c, x).\text{choose } L \text{ in} \\
&\quad \text{let } (\text{list}(j \leq L, (\text{tag}_j, \text{id}_j, \text{cont}_j)), w) = x \text{ in} \\
&\quad \text{choose } k \leq L \text{ in} \\
&\quad \text{if } \text{tag}_k = \text{Signature} \text{ then} \\
&\quad \quad \text{let } (\text{sinfo}, \text{sinfosign}) = \text{cont}_k \text{ in} \\
&\quad \quad \text{let } z = \text{checksign}(\text{sinfosign}, \text{pk}_C, \text{sinfo}) \text{ in} \\
&\quad \quad \text{choose } L' \text{ in choose } \phi : [1, L'] \rightarrow [1, L] \text{ in} \\
&\quad \quad \text{if } \text{sinfo} = \text{list}(l \leq L', (\text{id}_{\phi(l)}, \text{sha1}(\text{cont}_{\phi(l)}))) \text{ then} \\
&\quad \quad \text{choose } d \leq L' \text{ in} \\
&\quad \quad \text{if } \text{tag}_{\phi(d)} = \text{Body} \text{ then if } \text{cont}_{\phi(d)} = w \text{ then event}(e(w)) \\
P &:= (\nu \text{sk}_C)\text{let } \text{pk}_C = \text{pk}(\text{sk}_C) \text{ in out}(c, \text{pk}_C).(!P_C \mid !P_S)
\end{aligned}$$

Figure 4: Representation of our running example

first executes an event  $b(\text{Req})$ , meaning that he starts the protocol with a request  $\text{Req}$ . Then he builds his message and sends it on the public channel  $c$ . We suppose that the only element signed by the client is the **Body**. As explained in Sect. 2.3, we model the message received by the server as  $(\text{list}(j \leq L, (\text{tag}_j, \text{id}_j, \text{cont}_j)), w)$ , where  $\text{tag}_j$ ,  $\text{id}_j$ , and  $\text{cont}_j$  are variables representing tags, identifiers, and contents respectively and  $w$  is the variable for the body. Therefore, the server process  $P_S$  receives on channel  $c$  the document  $x$  consisting of  $\text{list}(j \leq L, (\text{tag}_j, \text{id}_j, \text{cont}_j))$  together with the body  $w$ . Then he looks for an element with tag  $\text{tag}_k = \text{Signature}$  and tries to match the corresponding content  $\text{cont}_k$  to  $(\text{sinfo}, \text{sinfosign})$ , where  $\text{sinfosign}$  is the signature of  $\text{sinfo}$  under the secret key  $\text{sk}_C$ . He checks that  $\text{sinfo}$  is a list of references to elements of the message  $\text{list}(l \leq L', (\text{id}_{\phi(l)}, \text{sha1}(\text{cont}_{\phi(l)})))$ , and that in this list, there is an element with tag  $\text{tag}_{\phi(d)} = \text{Body}$  and with content  $\text{cont}_{\phi(d)}$  equal to the content of the body  $w$ . When all checks succeed, he authorizes the request  $w$ , which is modeled by the event  $e(w)$ . Our goal is to show that, if the server authorizes a request  $w$ , then the client has sent this request, that is, if event  $e(w)$  is executed, then event  $b(w)$  has been executed.

### 3.3 Translation to the Applied Pi Calculus

We define the meaning of a generalized process by translating it into a corresponding standard process. To define this translation, we need an environment that gives a value to each free bound, index, and index function of the process.

**Definition 1.** Given a generalized process  $\Gamma \vdash P^G$ , an environment  $T$  for  $\Gamma \vdash P^G$  is a function that associates:

- to each bound  $L$  free in  $P^G$  or that appears in  $\Gamma$ , an integer  $L^T$ ;
- to each index  $i$  such that  $i : [1, L] \in \Gamma$ , an index  $i^T \in \{1, \dots, L^T\}$ ;
- to each index function  $\phi$  such that  $\phi : [1, L_1] \times \dots \times [1, L_h] \rightarrow [1, L] \in \Gamma$ , a function  $\phi^T : \{1, \dots, L_1^T\} \times \dots \times \{1, \dots, L_h^T\} \rightarrow \{1, \dots, L^T\}$ .

We write  $T[i_1 \mapsto v_1, \dots, i_h \mapsto v_h]$  for the environment that associates to indices  $i_1, \dots, i_h$  the values  $v_1, \dots, v_h$  respectively and that maps all other values like  $T$ . In order to abbreviate notations, we write:

- $T[\tilde{i} \mapsto \tilde{v}]$  instead of  $T[i_1 \mapsto v_1, \dots, i_h \mapsto v_h]$ ;
- $\tilde{v} \leq \tilde{L}^T$  instead of  $\forall j \in \{1, \dots, h\}, v_j \in \{1, \dots, L_j^T\}$ ;
- $\tilde{i} : \tilde{L}$  instead of  $i_1 : [1, L_1], \dots, i_h : [1, L_h]$ ;
- $x_- : \tilde{L}$  instead of  $x_- : [1, L_1] \times \dots \times [1, L_h]$ ;
- $\bigwedge_{\tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}}$  instead of  $\bigwedge_{(i_1, \dots, i_h) \in [1, L_1] \times \dots \times [1, L_h]}$ .

Given an environment  $T$  for  $\Gamma \vdash P^G$ , the generalized process  $P^G$  is translated into the standard process  $P^{GT}$  defined as follows. The translation of an index term  $\iota$  such that  $\Gamma \vdash \iota : [1, L]$  is an integer  $\iota^T \in \{1, \dots, L^T\}$  defined as follows:

$$\iota^T = \begin{cases} i^T & \text{if } \iota = i \\ \phi^T(\iota_1^T, \dots, \iota_h^T) & \text{if } \iota = \phi(\iota_1, \dots, \iota_h) \end{cases}$$

The translation  $M^{GT}$  of a term  $M^G$  is defined as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} (x_{\iota_1, \dots, \iota_h})^T &= x_{\iota_1^T, \dots, \iota_h^T} \\ f(M_1^G, \dots, M_n^G)^T &= f(M_1^{GT}, \dots, M_n^{GT}) \\ a^T &= a \\ a_\iota^T &= a_{\iota^T} \\ \text{list}(i \leq L, M^G)^T &= \langle M^{GT[i \mapsto 1]}, \dots, M^{GT[i \mapsto L^T]} \rangle \end{aligned}$$

The translation of  $\text{list}(i \leq L, M^G)$  is a list of length  $L^T$ . Patterns  $\text{pat}^G$  are translated exactly in the same way as terms  $M^G$ .

Finally, the translation of a generalized process is defined as follows and explained below.

- $(\text{out}(M^G, N^G).P^G)^T = \text{out}(M^{GT}, N^{GT}).P^{GT}$ .
- $(\text{in}(M^G, x).P^G)^T = \text{in}(M^{GT}, x).P^{GT}$ .
- $\mathbf{0}^T = \mathbf{0}$ .
- $(P^G \mid Q^G)^T = P^{GT} \mid Q^{GT}$ .
- $(!P^G)^T = !P^{GT}$ .
- $(\Pi_{i \leq L} P^G)^T = P^{GT[i \mapsto 1]} \mid \dots \mid P^{GT[i \mapsto L^T]}$ .
- $((\nu a)P^G)^T = (\nu a)P^{GT}$ .
- $((\text{for all } i \leq L, \nu a_i)P^G)^T = (\nu a_1^{L^T}) \dots (\nu a_{L^T}^{L^T})P^{GT}$ .
- $(\text{let for all } \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}, x_{\tilde{i}} = g(M_1^G, \dots, M_n^G) \text{ in } P^G \text{ else } Q^G)^T = \text{let } E_1 \text{ in } \dots \text{ let } E_l \text{ in } P^T \text{ else } Q^T \dots \text{ else } Q^T$ , where  $\{E_1, \dots, E_l\} = \{x_{\tilde{i}}^{T'} = g(M_1^{GT'}, \dots, M_n^{GT'}) \mid T' = T[\tilde{i} \mapsto \tilde{v}], \tilde{v} \leq \tilde{L}^T\}$ .
- $(\text{let for all } \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}, \text{pat}^G = M^G \text{ in } P^G \text{ else } Q^G)^T = \text{let } E_1 \text{ in } \dots \text{ let } E_l \text{ in } P^T \text{ else } Q^T \dots \text{ else } Q^T$ , where  $\{E_1, \dots, E_l\} = \{\text{pat}^{GT'} = M^{GT'} \mid T' = T[\tilde{i} \mapsto \tilde{v}], \tilde{v} \leq \tilde{L}^T\}$ .

$\iota ::=$	index terms
$i$	index variable
$\phi(\iota_1, \dots, \iota_h)$	function application
$p^G ::=$	clause terms
$x_{\iota_1, \dots, \iota_h}$	variable ( $h \geq 0$ )
$f(p_1^G, \dots, p_n^G)$	function application
$a_{\iota_1, \dots, \iota_h}^{L_1, \dots, L_h}[p_1^G, \dots, p_n^G]$	indexed names
$list(i \leq L, p^G)$	list constructor
$F^G = \bigwedge_{\tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}} pred(p_1^G, \dots, p_l^G)$	facts
$E ::= \bigwedge_{\tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}} p^G \doteq p'^G$	equations
$\mathcal{E} ::= \{E_1, \dots, E_n\}$	set of equations
$R^G ::= F_1^G \wedge \dots \wedge F_n^G \wedge \mathcal{E} \Rightarrow pred(p_1^G, \dots, p_l^G)$	generalized Horn clauses

Figure 5: Syntax of generalized Horn clauses

- $(event(e(M^G)), P^G)^T = event(e(M^{GT}), P^{GT})$ .
- $(choose\ L\ in\ P^G)^T = P^{GT[L \mapsto 1]} + \dots + P^{GT[L \mapsto n]} + \dots$ .
- $(choose\ k \leq L\ in\ P^G)^T = P^{GT[k \mapsto 1]} + \dots + P^{GT[k \mapsto L^T]}$ .
- $(choose\ \phi : [1, L_1] \times \dots \times [1, L_h] \rightarrow [1, L']\ in\ P^G)^T = P^{GT[\phi \mapsto \phi_1]} + \dots + P^{GT[\phi \mapsto \phi_l]}$ , where  $\{\phi_1, \dots, \phi_l\} = \{\phi \mid \phi : \{1, \dots, L_1^T\} \times \dots \times \{1, \dots, L_h^T\} \rightarrow \{1, \dots, L^T\}\}$ .

In most cases, a construct of the generalized process calculus is translated into the corresponding construct of the standard process calculus. The translation of  $(for\ all\ i \leq L, va_i)P^G$  creates  $L^T$  names and then executes  $P^{GT}$ . The translation of the process  $let\ for\ all\ \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}, x_{\tilde{i}} = g(M_1^G, \dots, M_n^G)\ in\ P^G\ else\ Q^G$  computes  $g(M_1^G, \dots, M_n^G)$  and stores it in  $x_{\tilde{i}}$ , for all values of the indices  $\tilde{i}$ . We define the translation of the pattern matching similarly. The choice processes are translated into a non-deterministic choice between all the values that  $L$ ,  $i$ , or  $\phi$  can assume. The translation of the process  $choose\ L\ in\ P^G$  is an infinite process, which cannot be verified by ProVerif; our work solves this problem, by providing a verification algorithm that works directly on the generalized process calculus.

A closed process  $P^G$  can be translated in the empty environment, named  $T_0$ .

## 4 Translation into Generalized Horn Clauses

ProVerif translates a protocol written in the process calculus into a set of Horn clauses. In this section, we adapt this translation in order to translate the generalized process calculus into *generalized Horn clauses*, which extend Horn clauses to lists and were introduced in [6]. We first recall the syntax of these clauses.

### 4.1 Syntax of Generalized Horn Clauses

The syntax of these clauses is defined in Fig. 5. Clause terms  $p^G$  represent messages: variables may have indices  $x_{\iota_1, \dots, \iota_h}$ ; these indices  $\iota$  are defined as in the process calculus. The term



$f(p_1^G, \dots, p_n^G)$  represents constructor application. The clause term  $a_{\iota_1, \dots, \iota_h}^{L_1, \dots, L_h} [p_1^G, \dots, p_n^G]$  represents a fresh name  $a$  indexed by  $\iota_1, \dots, \iota_h$  in  $[1, L_1], \dots, [1, L_h]$  respectively: fresh names are considered as functions of previous messages and indices, in order to distinguish names created in different runs. The construct  $list(i \leq L, p^G)$  represents lists of variable length  $L$ .

Facts are represented by  $\bigwedge_{\tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}} pred(p_1^G, \dots, p_l^G)$ . The facts  $pred(p_1^G, \dots, p_l^G)$  are as follows:  $message(p^G, p'^G)$  means that the message  $p'^G$  may appear on channel  $p^G$ ;  $att(p^G)$  means that the attacker may have the message  $p^G$ ;  $m-event(p^G)$  means that the event  $p^G$  must have been executed;  $event(p^G)$  means that the event  $p^G$  may have been executed. For instance, to prove the correspondence “if event  $e(x)$  has been executed, then event  $e'(x)$  has been executed”, we use the predicate  $m-event$  for event  $e'$ , to have an actual guarantee that  $e'$  has been executed, and we use the predicate  $event$  for event  $e$ . The set of equations  $\mathcal{E}$  serves to remember equalities between terms. Keeping equations is especially useful when they cannot be immediately used to infer the value of some variables and substitute them in the rest of clause. For instance, the equation  $x_i \doteq p^G$  does not determine the value of all instances of  $x_i$ , because the equation holds for a single index  $i$  and not for all indices, so the equation remains for future use. The clause  $F_1^G \wedge \dots \wedge F_n^G \wedge \mathcal{E} \Rightarrow pred(p_1^G, \dots, p_l^G)$  means that, if the facts  $F_1^G, \dots, F_n^G$  and the equations in  $\mathcal{E}$  hold, then the fact  $pred(p_1^G, \dots, p_l^G)$  also holds. The conclusion of a clause does not contain a conjunction: we can simply leave the indices of  $pred(p_1^G, \dots, p_l^G)$  free to mean that  $pred(p_1^G, \dots, p_l^G)$  can be concluded for any value of these indices. We use  $H^G$  for hypothesis and  $C^G$  for conclusions.

These clauses are simplified with respect to [6]: in [6], we considered conjunctions over arbitrary subsets of  $[1, L_1] \times \dots \times [1, L_h]$  and equations on indices. These two features appear during the resolution algorithm on generalized Horn clauses, but are not needed in the initial clauses, so we omit them here. We still introduce two minor extensions with respect to [6]: we consider names with any number of indices instead of just 0 or 1 index, and predicates of any arity instead of just arity 1. (The predicate  $message$  has arity 2.) It is straightforward to extend the resolution algorithm of [6] to this more general situation.

Much like generalized processes, generalized Horn clauses are typed, to make sure that indices vary in the appropriate interval. The type system is detailed in [6, long version] and recalled in Appendix B. The judgment  $\Gamma \vdash R^G$  means that the clause  $R^G$  is well-typed in the type environment  $\Gamma$ .

A generalized Horn clause represents several Horn clauses: given an environment  $T$  that gives values of the bounds  $L$ , functions  $\phi$ , and free indices  $i$  that occur in a generalized Horn clause  $R^G$ , the clause  $R^G$  corresponds to a certain Horn clause, denoted  $R^{GT}$ . A formal definition of this correspondence is given in [6] and recalled in Appendix C. When  $\mathcal{R}^G$  is a set of well-typed generalized Horn clauses, we define  $\mathcal{R}^{GT} = \{R^{GT} \mid \Gamma \vdash R^G \in \mathcal{R}^G, T \text{ is an environment for } \Gamma \vdash R^G\}$ , the set of all Horn clauses corresponding to clauses in  $\mathcal{R}^G$ .

## 4.2 Translation

We define the translation of the generalized process calculus into generalized Horn clauses, by giving the clauses for the attacker and those for the protocol.

**Clauses for the Attacker.** Initially the attacker has all the names in a set  $S$ , hence the clauses  $att(a[])$  for each  $a \in S$ . Moreover, the abilities of the attacker are represented by the following clauses:

$$att(b[x]) \tag{Rn}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \text{for each constructor } f \text{ of arity } n, & \text{(Rf)} \\
& \quad \text{att}(x_1) \wedge \cdots \wedge \text{att}(x_n) \Rightarrow \text{att}(f(x_1, \dots, x_n)) \\
& \text{for each destructor } g, \text{ for each rule } g(M_1, \dots, M_n) \rightarrow M \text{ in } \text{def}(g), & \text{(Rg)} \\
& \quad \text{att}(M_1) \wedge \cdots \wedge \text{att}(M_n) \Rightarrow \text{att}(M) \\
& \bigwedge_{i \in [1, M]} \text{att}(x_i) \Rightarrow \text{att}(\text{list}(j \leq M, x_j)) & \text{(Rf-list)} \\
& \text{att}(\text{list}(j \leq M, x_j)) \Rightarrow \text{att}(x_i) & \text{(Rg-list)} \\
& \text{message}(x, y) \wedge \text{att}(x) \Rightarrow \text{att}(y) & \text{(Rl)} \\
& \text{att}(x) \wedge \text{att}(y) \Rightarrow \text{message}(x, y) & \text{(Rs)}
\end{aligned}$$

Clause (Rn) represents the ability of the attacker to create fresh names: all fresh names that the attacker may create are represented by the names  $b[x]$  for any  $x$ . Clauses (Rf) and (Rg) mean that, if the attacker has some terms, then he can apply constructors and destructors to them. The clauses (Rf-list) and (Rg-list) similarly allow the attacker to build and decompose lists of any length; these clauses come with the introduction of lists, while other attacker clauses are standard. Clause (Rl) means that if the attacker has a channel  $x$  then he can listen on it and clause (Rs) means that the attacker can send messages in all the channels he has.

**Clauses for the Protocol.** The protocol is represented by a closed process  $P_0^G$ . To compute the clauses, we assume that the bound names in  $P_0^G$  have been renamed so that they are pairwise distinct and distinct from free names of  $P_0^G$ .

In the clauses, we associate a session identifier to each replication; this session identifier takes a different value in each copy of the replicated process. We represent fresh names as functions of the session identifiers, received messages, and indices bound above the restriction that creates the considered name, so that distinct names are represented by distinct terms. To formalize this encoding of names, we first instrument the process  $P_0^G$  by labeling each replication  $!P^G$  with a distinct session identifier  $s$ , so that it becomes  $!^s P^G$ , and labeling each restriction (for all  $i \leq L, \nu a_i$ ) with the clause term that corresponds to the fresh name  $a_i$ ,  $a_{i, i_1, \dots, i_h}^{L, L_1, \dots, L_h} [x_1, \dots, x_n, s_1, \dots, s_{n'}]$ , where  $x_1, \dots, x_n$  are the variables that store the messages received in inputs above (for all  $i \leq L, \nu a_i$ ) in  $P_0^G$ ,  $s_1, \dots, s_{n'}$  are the session identifiers that label replications above (for all  $i \leq L, \nu a_i$ ) in the instrumentation of  $P_0^G$  and  $i_1, \dots, i_h$  and  $L_1, \dots, L_h$  are the indices that label indexed replications above (for all  $i \leq L, \nu a_i$ ) in  $P_0^G$ . The construct  $(\nu a)$  is instrumented in the same way, so that it becomes  $(\nu a : a_{i_1, \dots, i_h}^{L_1, \dots, L_h} [x_1, \dots, x_n, s_1, \dots, s_{n'}])$ . We denote the instrumentation of  $P_0^G$  by  $\text{instr}^G(P_0^G)$ .

The translation  $\llbracket P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma$  of a well-typed instrumented process  $\Gamma_P \vdash P^G$  is a set of clauses, where the environment  $\rho^G$  is a mapping that associates each name and variable, possibly with indices, to a clause term,  $H^G$  is a sequence of facts  $\text{message}(\cdot, \cdot)$  and  $\text{m-event}(\cdot)$ ,  $\mathcal{E}$  is a set of equations, and  $\Gamma$  is a type environment for generalized Horn clauses. The hypothesis  $H^G$  collects all the messages that must be received and events that must be executed in order to reach the current process  $P^G$ . The set of equations  $\mathcal{E}$  collects all equations that must hold to reach the current process  $P^G$ . The environment  $\Gamma$  serves in building the environment in which the generated clauses are well-typed.

The mapping  $\rho^G$  is extended into a substitution that maps terms  $M^G$  to clause terms  $p^G = \rho^G(M^G)$ , by replacing each name and variable with the corresponding clause term, as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
\rho^G(x_{\tilde{i}}) &= p^G \{\tilde{t}/\tilde{i}\} \text{ if } \rho^G(x_{\tilde{i}}) = p^G \\
\rho^G(f(M_1^G, \dots, M_n^G)) &= f(\rho^G(M_1^G), \dots, \rho^G(M_n^G))
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\rho^G(a_i) &= p^G\{\iota/i\} \text{ if } \rho^G(a_i) = p^G \\ \rho^G(\text{list}(i \leq L, M^G)) &= \text{list}(i \leq L, \rho^G(M^G)) \text{ if } i \notin \text{fi}(im(\rho^G))\end{aligned}$$

where  $\text{fi}$  is the set of free indices. The side condition  $i \notin \text{fi}(im(\rho))$  in the last formula can be guaranteed by renaming  $i$  if needed; it avoids the capture of bound indices.

The translation  $\llbracket P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma$  is then defined as follows, by induction on the syntax of  $P^G$ :

- $\llbracket \text{out}(M^G, N^G).P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma = \llbracket P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma \cup \{\Gamma \vdash H^G \wedge \mathcal{E} \Rightarrow \text{message}(\rho^G(M^G), \rho^G(N^G))\}.$
- $\llbracket \text{in}(M^G, x).P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma = \llbracket P^G \rrbracket (\rho^G[x \mapsto x])(H^G \wedge \text{message}(\rho^G(M^G), x)) \mathcal{E}(\Gamma, x \_ : []).$
- $\llbracket \mathbf{0} \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma = \emptyset.$
- $\llbracket P^G \mid Q^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma = \llbracket P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma \cup \llbracket Q^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma.$
- $\llbracket !^s P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma = \llbracket P^G \rrbracket (\rho^G[s \mapsto s]) H^G \mathcal{E}(\Gamma, s \_ : []).$
- $\llbracket \Pi_{i \leq L} P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma = \llbracket P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E}(\Gamma, i : [1, L]).$
- $\llbracket (\nu a : a_{\tilde{i}}^{\tilde{L}}[x_1, \dots, x_n, s_1, \dots, s_{n'}]) P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma = \llbracket P^G \rrbracket (\rho^G[a \mapsto a_{\tilde{i}}^{\tilde{L}}[\rho^G(x_1), \dots, \rho^G(x_n), \rho^G(s_1), \dots, \rho^G(s_{n'})]]) H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma.$
- $\llbracket (\text{for all } i \leq L, \nu a_i : a_{i, \tilde{i}}^{L, \tilde{L}}[x_1, \dots, x_n, s_1, \dots, s_{n'}]) P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma = \llbracket P^G \rrbracket (\rho^G[a_i \mapsto a_{i, \tilde{i}}^{L, \tilde{L}}[\rho^G(x_1), \dots, \rho^G(x_n), \rho^G(s_1), \dots, \rho^G(s_{n'})]]) H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma.$
- $\llbracket \text{let for all } \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}, x_{\tilde{i}} = g(M_1^G, \dots, M_n^G) \text{ in } P^G \text{ else } Q^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma = \llbracket Q^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma \cup \llbracket P^G \rrbracket (\rho^G[x_{\tilde{i}} \mapsto p^G]) H^G (\mathcal{E} \cup \mathcal{E}') \Gamma',$   
where  $p^G$ ,  $\mathcal{E}'$ , and  $\Gamma'$  are defined as follows. Let  $g(p_1, \dots, p_n) \rightarrow p$  be the rewrite rule in  $\text{def}(g)$ . The rewrite rule  $g(p_1^G, \dots, p_n^G) \rightarrow p^G$  is obtained from  $g(p_1, \dots, p_n) \rightarrow p$  by replacing all variables  $y$  of this rule with fresh variables with indices  $\tilde{i}$ :  $y_{\tilde{i}}$ . Then  $\mathcal{E}' = \{\bigwedge_{\tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}} p_1^G \doteq \rho^G(M_1^G), \dots, \bigwedge_{\tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}} p_n^G \doteq \rho^G(M_n^G)\}$  and  $\Gamma'$  is  $\Gamma$  extended with  $x \_ : \tilde{L}$  and  $y' \_ : \tilde{L}$  for each variable  $y_{\tilde{i}}'$  in  $p_1^G, \dots, p_n^G, p^G$ .
- $\llbracket \text{let for all } \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}, \text{pat}^G = M^G \text{ in } P^G \text{ else } Q^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma = \llbracket Q^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma \cup \llbracket P^G \rrbracket (\rho^G[x_{\tilde{i}} \mapsto x_{\tilde{i}} \mid x_{\tilde{i}} \text{ occurs in } \text{pat}^G]) H^G (\mathcal{E} \cup \{\bigwedge_{\tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}} \text{pat}^G \doteq \rho^G(M^G)\}) \Gamma',$  where  $\Gamma'$  is  $\Gamma$  extended for the variables in  $\text{pat}^G$ : if  $\tilde{i} : \tilde{L} \vdash \text{pat}^G \rightsquigarrow \Gamma_1$ , then  $\Gamma' = \Gamma, \Gamma_1$ .
- $\llbracket \text{event}(e(M^G)).P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma = \llbracket P^G \rrbracket \rho^G (H^G \wedge \text{m-event}(e(\rho^G(M^G)))) \mathcal{E} \Gamma \cup \{\Gamma \vdash H^G \wedge \mathcal{E} \Rightarrow \text{event}(e(\rho^G(M^G)))\}.$
- $\llbracket \text{choose } L \text{ in } P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma = \llbracket P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma.$
- $\llbracket \text{choose } k \leq L \text{ in } P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma = \llbracket P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E}(\Gamma, k : [1, L]).$
- $\llbracket \text{choose } \phi : [1, L_1] \times \dots \times [1, L_h] \rightarrow [1, L'] \text{ in } P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma = \llbracket P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E}(\Gamma, \phi : [1, L_1] \times \dots \times [1, L_h] \rightarrow [1, L']).$

The translation of an output  $\text{out}(M^G, N^G).P^G$  adds a clause, meaning that the reception of the messages in  $H^G$  can produce the output in question. The translation of an input  $\text{in}(M^G, x).P^G$  is the translation of  $P^G$  with the concatenation of the input to  $H^G$ . The translation of  $\mathbf{0}$  is empty, as this process does nothing. The translation of the parallel composition  $P^G \mid Q^G$  is the union of the translation of  $P^G$  and  $Q^G$ . The translation of the replication adds the session identifier to  $\rho^G$ ; as the clauses can be applied many times, replication is otherwise ignored. In the previous cases, the translation is similar to the one of the standard process calculus to Horn clauses, given in [5] and recalled in Appendix A.2. The translation of the process (for all  $i \leq L, \nu a_i : a_{i, \tilde{i}}^{L, \tilde{L}}[x_1, \dots, x_n, s_1, \dots, s_{n'}]P^G$  extends  $\rho^G$  to the name  $a_i$  for all possible values of  $i \in \{1, \dots, L\}$ : it replaces the name  $a_i$  with the corresponding clause term that depends on previously received messages and on session identifiers of replications above the restriction. The translation of the destructor application  $\text{let for all } \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}, x_{\tilde{i}} = g(M_1^G, \dots, M_n^G) \text{ in } P^G \text{ else } Q^G$  is the union of the clauses for the case where the destructor succeeds and for the case where it fails. To generate clauses in the success case, we restrict ourselves to destructors defined by a single rewrite rule  $g(p_1^G, \dots, p_n^G) \rightarrow p^G$ , the most common situation. We transform it into  $g(p_1'^G, \dots, p_n'^G) \rightarrow p'^G$  by renaming variables to fresh variables with indices  $\tilde{i}$ , so that they can take different values for different indices  $\tilde{i}$ . Then the destructor application succeeds when the instance of  $g(M_1^G, \dots, M_n^G)$  obtained during execution reduces by the rewrite rule  $g(p_1'^G, \dots, p_n'^G) \rightarrow p'^G$  for all  $\tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}$ , that is, for all  $j \leq n$  and  $\tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}$ , instances of  $\rho^G(M_j^G)$  and  $p_j'^G$  are equal. Instead of performing unification, we add the equations  $\bigwedge_{\tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}} p_j'^G \doteq \rho(M_j^G)$  for every  $j \leq n$  to  $\mathcal{E}$  and extend  $\rho^G$  to the variable  $x_{\tilde{i}}$ . The translation of a pattern matching is similar. The translation of an event adds the hypothesis  $\text{m-event}(e(\rho^G(M^G)))$  to  $H^G$ , meaning that  $P^G$  can be executed only if the event has been executed first. Furthermore, it adds a clause, meaning that the event is triggered when all conditions in  $H^G$  are true. Finally, the type environment  $\Gamma$  is extended with the chosen index or function in the choice processes and in the indexed replication; this is sufficient since the chosen bound, index, or function can take any value in the generalized Horn clauses.

**Summary.** Let  $\rho_0 = \{a \mapsto a[] \mid a \in \text{fn}(P_0^G)\}$ . The set of generalized Horn clauses corresponding to the well-typed closed process  $\Gamma_0 \vdash P_0^G$  is defined as:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{R}_{P_0^G, S}^G = & \llbracket \text{instr}^G(P_0^G) \rrbracket \rho_0 \emptyset \emptyset \cup \{\text{att}(a[]) \mid a \in S\} \\ & \cup \{(\text{Rn}), (\text{Rf}), (\text{Rg}), (\text{Rf-list}), (\text{Rg-list}), (\text{Rl}), (\text{Rs})\} \end{aligned}$$

where  $S$  is the set of names initially known by the attacker.

In our running example, the process  $P_S$  is translated into the following clause:

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{message}(c, x) \wedge \{s \doteq \text{pk}(\text{sk}_C), \text{pk}_C \doteq s, (\text{list}(j \leq L, (\text{tag}_j, \text{id}_j, \text{cont}_j)), w) \doteq x, \\ & \text{tag}_k \doteq \text{Signature}, \text{cont}_k \doteq (\text{sinfo}, \text{sinfosign}), \text{sinfosign} \doteq \text{sign}(v, y), \\ & \text{sinfo} \doteq v, \text{pk}_C \doteq \text{pk}(y), \text{sinfo} \doteq \text{list}(l \leq L', (\text{id}_{\phi(l)}, \text{sha1}(\text{cont}_{\phi(l)}))), \\ & \text{tag}_{\phi(d)} \doteq \text{Body}, \text{cont}_{\phi(d)} \doteq w\} \Rightarrow \text{event}(e(w)) \end{aligned}$$

which means that the server process  $P_S$  executes event  $e(w)$  when it has received a message  $x$  that satisfies all the checks. This clause will be simplified by the simplification algorithm presented in [6].

## 5 Soundness of the Generalized Horn Clauses

In this section, we relate the generalized Horn clauses generated from a closed well-typed generalized process  $\Gamma_0 \vdash P_0^G$ , to the Horn clauses generated from  $P_0^{GT_0}$ , to show that our generated Horn clauses are correct. As a consequence, we show that we can use our clauses to prove two security properties: secrecy of a term  $M$ , meaning that the adversary cannot compute  $M$ , and authentication, modeled as “if event  $e(x)$  has been executed, then event  $e'(x)$  has been executed”.

Let us recall how these properties are proven for a standard process  $P_0$ . We first rename the bound names of  $P_0$  so that they are pairwise distinct and distinct from free names of  $P_0$  and from names that occur in the considered security property (that is, in  $M$  for the secrecy of  $M$ ). This renaming is important because bound names are also used as function symbols in terms in the generated clauses. We make an exception for the construct  $P + Q$ : the bound names in  $P$  may be the same as those in  $Q$ . This is correct because  $P$  and  $Q$  cannot be both executed with the same session identifiers. We say that the renamed process, denoted  $P'_0$ , is a *suitable renaming* of  $P_0$ . Next, we generate clauses  $\mathcal{R}_{P'_0, S}$  corresponding to  $P'_0$  and to an adversary with initial knowledge  $S$ , as defined in [5] and recalled in Appendix A.2. (The extension to the internal choice is straightforward and is given in Appendix A.2.) Let  $\mathcal{F}_{\text{me}}$  be any set of facts of the form  $\text{m-event}(p)$ . This set is the set of events allowed to be executed. It is useful for correspondences, but could be omitted as well as events for secrecy. Further details on this set can be found in [5, Sect. 4]. Finally, we use the following two applications of [5, Theorem 1] to prove the desired security properties:

**Theorem 1** (Secrecy). *Let  $M$  be a term. Let  $p$  be the clause term obtained by replacing names  $a$  with  $a[]$  in  $M$ . Let  $P'_0$  be a suitable renaming of  $P_0$ . If  $\text{att}(p)$  is not derivable from  $\mathcal{R}_{P'_0, S} \cup \mathcal{F}_{\text{me}}$  for any  $\mathcal{F}_{\text{me}}$ , then  $P_0$  preserves the secrecy of  $M$  from adversaries with initial knowledge  $S$ .*

**Theorem 2** (Authentication). *Let  $P'_0$  be a suitable renaming of  $P_0$ . Suppose that, for all  $\mathcal{F}_{\text{me}}$ , for all  $p$ , if  $\text{event}(e(p))$  is derivable from  $\mathcal{R}_{P'_0, S} \cup \mathcal{F}_{\text{me}}$ , then  $\text{m-event}(e'(p)) \in \mathcal{F}_{\text{me}}$ . Then  $P_0$  satisfies the correspondence “if  $e(x)$  has been executed, then  $e'(x)$  has been executed” against adversaries with initial knowledge  $S$ .*

We can now prove the soundness of the generalized Horn clauses for  $P_0^G$ . We assume that the bound names in  $P_0^G$  have been renamed so that they are pairwise distinct and distinct from free names of  $P_0^G$  and from names that occur in the considered security property. The bound names in  $P_0^{GT_0}$  need not be pairwise distinct, so we first need to rename them, before generating the Horn clauses. Hence, we define a function  $\text{Tren}$  that combines the translation  $P^{GT}$  with that renaming of bound names.

**Definition 2.** Given a well-typed generalized process  $\Gamma \vdash P^G$ , an environment  $T$  for  $\Gamma \vdash P^G$ , and a list of indices  $\tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}$ , let  $\text{Tren}$  be defined by:

- $\text{Tren}(\Pi_{i \leq L} P^G, T, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}) = \text{Tren}(P^G, T[i \mapsto 1], (\tilde{i}, i) \leq (\tilde{L}, L)) \mid \dots \mid \text{Tren}(P^G, T[i \mapsto L^T], (\tilde{i}, i) \leq (\tilde{L}, L));$
- $\text{Tren}((\nu a) P^G, T, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}) = (\nu a_{\tilde{i}^T}^{\tilde{L}^T}) \text{Tren}(P^G, T, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}) \{a_{\tilde{i}^T}^{\tilde{L}^T} / a\};$
- $\text{Tren}((\text{for all } i \leq L, \nu a_i) P^G, T, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}) = (\nu a_{1, \tilde{i}^T}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T}) \dots (\nu a_{L^T, \tilde{i}^T}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T}) \text{Tren}(P^G, T, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}) \{a_{1, \tilde{i}^T}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T} / a_1, \dots, a_{L^T, \tilde{i}^T}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T} / a_{L^T}\};$
- In all other cases,  $\text{Tren}(P^G, T, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L})$  is defined like  $P^{GT}$  except that it recursively calls  $\text{Tren}(P^G, T, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L})$  instead of  $P^{GT}$  on the subprocesses. For instance,  $\text{Tren}(\text{choose } k \leq L \text{ in } P^G, T, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}) = \text{Tren}(P^G, T[k \mapsto 1], \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}) + \dots + \text{Tren}(P^G, T[k \mapsto L^T], \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L})$ .

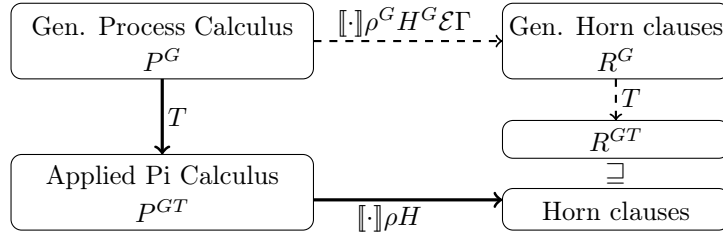


Figure 6: Basic idea of Theorem 3

The next lemma shows that  $\text{Tren}(P^G, T, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L})$  renames the names of  $P^{GT}$  as desired. It is proved in Appendix E.1.

**Lemma 1.**  $\text{Tren}(P_0^G, T_0, \emptyset \leq \emptyset)$  is a suitable renaming of  $P_0^{GT_0}$ .

We say that  $R_1$  subsumes  $R_2$  when  $R_2$  can be obtained by adding hypotheses to an instance of  $R_1$ . In this case, all facts derivable using  $R_2$  can also be derived by  $R_1$ , so  $R_2$  can be eliminated. Formally, subsumption is defined by:

**Definition 3** (Subsumption). We say that  $R_1 = H_1 \Rightarrow C_1$  subsumes  $R_2 = H_2 \Rightarrow C_2$ , and we write  $R_1 \sqsupseteq R_2$ , if and only if there exists a substitution  $\sigma$  such that  $\sigma C_1 = C_2$  and  $\sigma H_1 \subseteq H_2$  (multiset inclusion).

We extend subsumption to sets of clauses as follows. Let  $\mathcal{R}_1, \mathcal{R}_2$  be two sets of Horn clauses. We say that  $\mathcal{R}_1 \sqsupseteq \mathcal{R}_2$  if for every clause  $R_2 \in \mathcal{R}_2$ , there exists a clause  $R_1 \in \mathcal{R}_1$  such that  $R_1 \sqsupseteq R_2$ .

The following theorem shows the soundness of our generalized Horn clauses.

**Theorem 3.** Let  $\Gamma_0 \vdash P_0^G$  be a closed well-typed generalized process, and  $S$  be a set of names. Let  $P'_0 = \text{Tren}(P_0^G, T_0, \emptyset \leq \emptyset)$ . We have  $\mathcal{R}_{P_0^G, S}^{GT} \sqsupseteq \mathcal{R}_{P'_0, S}$ .

Theorem 3 comes from the combination of two results. First, the translation from generalized processes to processes commutes with the instrumentation (provided the translation is suitably renamed using  $\text{Tren}$ ). Second, the translation from instrumented processes to generalized Horn clauses is sound: as illustrated in Fig. 6, the Horn clauses obtained by translating the generalized Horn clauses generated from  $P^G$  subsume the Horn clauses generated from the translated process  $P^{GT}$ . These results are proved in Appendix E.2.

Furthermore, if  $\mathcal{R}_1 \sqsupseteq \mathcal{R}_2$  and a fact  $F$  is derivable from  $\mathcal{R}_1$ , then it is also derivable from  $\mathcal{R}_2$ . So, by Theorems 1, 2, and 3 and Lemma 1, we obtain:

**Corollary 1** (Secrecy). Let  $M^G$  be a term. Let  $p^G$  be the clause term obtained by replacing names  $a$  with  $a[]$  and names  $a_i$  with  $a_i[]$  in  $M^G$ . If for all environments  $T$ ,  $\text{att}(p^{GT})$  is not derivable from  $\mathcal{R}_{P_0^G, S}^{GT} \cup \mathcal{F}_{\text{me}}$  for any  $\mathcal{F}_{\text{me}}$ , then for all environments  $T$ ,  $P_0^{GT_0}$  preserves the secrecy of  $M^{GT}$  from adversaries with initial knowledge  $S$ .

**Corollary 2** (Authentication). Suppose that, for all  $\mathcal{F}_{\text{me}}$ , for all  $p$ , if  $\text{event}(e(p))$  is derivable from  $\mathcal{R}_{P_0^G, S}^{GT} \cup \mathcal{F}_{\text{me}}$ , then  $\text{m-event}(e'(p)) \in \mathcal{F}_{\text{me}}$ . Then  $P_0^{GT_0}$  satisfies the correspondence “if  $e(x)$  has been executed, then  $e'(x)$  has been executed” against adversaries with initial knowledge  $S$ .

The hypotheses of these two corollaries are precisely those that can be proved by applying the resolution algorithm we developed in [6] to the generalized Horn clauses  $\mathcal{R}_{PG,S}^G$ , as shown by [6, Corollaries 3 and 4]. So by combining the results of this paper with [6], we can prove secrecy and authentication for protocols that use lists of any length.

For example, after translating our running example into generalized Horn clauses, we can run the tool developed in [6] and obtain that the hypothesis of Corollary 2 holds for events  $e$  and  $b$ . Therefore, by Corollary 2, the process of Sect. 3.2 satisfies the desired correspondence: if  $e(x)$  is executed, then  $b(x)$  has been executed.

## 6 Conclusion

We have proposed a new process calculus, useful to represent protocols that manipulate lists of unbounded length. We have defined its semantics and provided an automatic translation from this calculus into generalized Horn clauses. We have proved that this translation is sound. By combining these results with [6], we obtain an automatic technique for proving secrecy and authentication properties of protocols that manipulate unbounded lists, for an unbounded number of sessions, represented in a process calculus. Implementing the translation into generalized Horn clauses is planned for future work.

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## Appendix

### A ProVerif

#### A.1 Horn Clauses

ProVerif translates a protocol written in the process calculus into a set of Horn clauses. The syntax of these clauses is defined as follows.

The terms, named *clause terms* to distinguish them from the terms that occur in processes, represent the messages of the protocol. A term  $p$  can be a variable  $x$ , a name  $a[p_1, \dots, p_n]$ , or a constructor application  $f(p_1, \dots, p_n)$ . A variable can represent any term. Instead of representing each fresh name by a different symbol in the clauses, the fresh names are considered as functions represented by the clause term  $a[p_1, \dots, p_n]$ . These functions take as arguments the messages previously received by the principal that creates the name as well as session identifiers, which are variables that take a different value at each run of the protocol, to distinguish names created in different runs. As shown in, e.g., [5], this representation of names is a sound approximation.

A fact  $F = \text{pred}(p_1, \dots, p_n)$  can be of the following forms:  $\text{message}(p, p')$  means that the message  $p'$  may appear on channel  $p$ ;  $\text{att}(p)$  means that the attacker may have the message  $p$ ;  $\text{m-event}(p)$  represents that the event  $p$  must have been executed;  $\text{event}(p)$  represents that the event  $p$  may have been executed.

A clause  $F_1 \wedge \dots \wedge F_n \Rightarrow F$  means that, if all facts  $F_i$  are true, then the conclusion  $F$  is also true. We use  $R$  for a clause,  $H$  for its hypothesis, and  $C$  for its conclusion. The hypothesis of a clause is considered as a multiset of facts. A clause with no hypothesis  $\Rightarrow F$  is written simply  $F$ .



## A.2 Translation from the Process Calculus to Horn Clauses

As explained in [5], ProVerif uses two sets of clauses: the clauses for the attacker and the clauses for the protocol.

**Clauses for the Attacker.** Initially the attacker has all the names in a set  $S$ , hence the clauses  $\text{att}(a[\cdot])$  for each  $a \in S$ . Moreover, the abilities of the attacker are represented by the following clauses:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{att}(b[x]) & & (\text{Rn}) \\ \text{for each constructor } f \text{ of arity } n, & & (\text{Rf}) \\ \text{att}(x_1) \wedge \dots \wedge \text{att}(x_n) &\Rightarrow \text{att}(f(x_1, \dots, x_n)) & (\text{Rf}) \\ \text{for each destructor } g, \text{ for each rule } g(M_1, \dots, M_n) \rightarrow M \text{ in } \text{def}(g), & & (\text{Rg}) \\ \text{att}(M_1) \wedge \dots \wedge \text{att}(M_n) &\Rightarrow \text{att}(M) & (\text{Rg}) \\ \text{message}(x, y) \wedge \text{att}(x) &\Rightarrow \text{att}(y) & (\text{Rl}) \\ \text{att}(x) \wedge \text{att}(y) &\Rightarrow \text{message}(x, y) & (\text{Rs}) \end{aligned}$$

Clause (Rn) represents the ability of the attacker to create fresh names: all fresh names that the attacker may create are represented by the names  $b[x]$  for any  $x$ . Clauses (Rf) and (Rg) mean that if the attacker has some terms, then he can apply constructors and destructors to them. Clause (Rl) means that if the attacker has a channel  $x$  then he can listen on it and clause (Rs) means that the attacker can send messages in all the channels he has.

**Clauses for the Protocol.** The protocol is represented by a closed process  $P_0$ . To compute the clauses, we first rename the bound names of  $P_0$  so that they are pairwise distinct and distinct from free names of  $P_0$  and from names that occur in the considered security property. This renaming is important because bound names are also used as function symbols in terms in the generated clauses. We make an exception for the new construct  $P + Q$ : the bound names in  $P$  need not be distinct from those in  $Q$ . Using the same symbols for both names in  $P$  and  $Q$  does not cause problems because  $P$  and  $Q$  cannot be both executed. We say that the renamed process, denoted  $P'_0$ , is a *suitable renaming* of  $P_0$ .

Next, we instrument the process  $P'_0$  by labeling each replication  $!P$  with a distinct session identifier  $s$ , so that it becomes  $!^s P$ , and labeling each restriction  $(\nu a)$  with the clause term that corresponds to the fresh name  $a$ ,  $a[x_1, \dots, x_n, s_1, \dots, s_{n'}]$ , where  $x_1, \dots, x_n$  are the variables that store the messages received in inputs above  $(\nu a)$  in  $P'_0$  and  $s_1, \dots, s_{n'}$  are the session identifiers that label replications above  $(\nu a)$  in the instrumentation of  $P'_0$ . We denote the instrumentation of  $P'_0$  by  $\text{instr}(P'_0)$ .

Then we compute the clauses as follows. Let  $\rho$  be a function that associates a clause term with each name and variable. We extend  $\rho$  as a substitution by  $\rho(f(M_1, \dots, M_n)) = f(\rho(M_1), \dots, \rho(M_n))$  if  $f$  is a constructor.

The translation  $\llbracket P \rrbracket \rho H$  of an instrumented process  $P$  is a set of clauses, where the environment  $\rho$  is a function defined as above and  $H$  is a sequence of facts  $\text{message}(\cdot, \cdot)$  and  $\text{m-event}(\cdot)$ . The empty sequence is  $\emptyset$  and the concatenation of a fact  $F$  to the sequence  $H$  is denoted by  $H \wedge F$ . The translation  $\llbracket P \rrbracket \rho H$  is defined as follows, and explained below.

- $\llbracket \text{out}(M, N).P \rrbracket \rho H = \llbracket P \rrbracket \rho H \cup \{H \Rightarrow \text{message}(\rho(M), \rho(N))\}$ .
- $\llbracket \text{in}(M, x).P \rrbracket \rho H = \llbracket P \rrbracket (\rho[x \mapsto x])(H \wedge \text{message}(\rho(M), x))$ .

- $\llbracket \mathbf{0} \rrbracket \rho H = \emptyset$ .
- $\llbracket P \mid Q \rrbracket \rho H = \llbracket P \rrbracket \rho H \cup \llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho H$ .
- $\llbracket !^s P \rrbracket \rho H = \llbracket P \rrbracket (\rho[s \mapsto s])H$ .
- $\llbracket (\nu a : a'[x_1, \dots, x_n, s_1, \dots, s_{n'}])P \rrbracket \rho H = \llbracket P \rrbracket (\rho[a \mapsto a'[\rho(x_1), \dots, \rho(x_n), \rho(s_1), \dots, \rho(s_{n'})]])H$ .
- $\llbracket \text{let } x = g(M_1, \dots, M_n) \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q \rrbracket \rho H = \bigcup \{ \llbracket P \rrbracket ((\sigma\rho)[x \mapsto \sigma'p']) (\sigma H) \mid g(p'_1, \dots, p'_n) \rightarrow p' \text{ is in } \text{def}(g) \text{ and } (\sigma, \sigma') \text{ is a most general pair of substitutions such that } \sigma\rho(M_1) = \sigma'p'_1, \dots, \sigma\rho(M_n) = \sigma'p'_n \} \cup \llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho H$ .
- $\llbracket \text{event}(e(M)).P \rrbracket \rho H = \llbracket P \rrbracket \rho(H \wedge \text{m-event}(e(\rho(M)))) \cup \{ H \Rightarrow \text{event}(e(\rho(M))) \}$ .
- $\llbracket P + Q \rrbracket \rho H = \llbracket P \rrbracket \rho H \cup \llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho H$ .

The translation of an output  $\text{out}(M, N).P$  adds a clause, meaning that the reception of the messages in  $H$  can produce the output in question. The translation of an input  $\text{in}(M, x).P$  is the translation of  $P$  with the concatenation of the input to  $H$ . The translation of  $\mathbf{0}$  is empty, as this process does nothing. The translation of the parallel composition  $P \mid Q$  is the union of the translation of  $P$  and  $Q$ . The translation of the replication adds the session identifier to  $\rho$ ; as the clauses can be applied many times, replication is otherwise ignored. The translation of a restriction  $(\nu a)P$  is the translation of  $P$  in which  $a$  is replaced with the corresponding clause term that depends on previously received messages and on session identifiers of replications above the restriction. The translation of a destructor application is the union of the translation for the case where the destructor succeeds and that for the case where it fails, so the translation does not have to determine whether the destructor succeeds or not, but considers both the possibilities. We consider that the else branch may always be executed, which overapproximates the possible behaviors of the process. The translation of an event adds the hypothesis  $\text{m-event}(e(\rho(M)))$  to  $H$ , meaning that  $P$  can be executed only if the event has been executed first. Furthermore, it adds a clause, meaning that the event is triggered when all conditions in  $H$  are true. The translation of the choice  $P + Q$  is the union of the translation of  $P$  and  $Q$ , since  $P + Q$  behaves either as  $P$  or as  $Q$ . The choice was not included in [5]; we have easily extended the proofs of the results of [5] to the internal choice. (It is also possible to encode  $P + Q$  as  $(\nu a)(a\langle a \mid a(x).P \mid a(x).Q)$  where  $a$  and  $x$  do not occur in  $P$  and  $Q$ . This encoding leads to more complex clauses so we preferred defining  $P + Q$  as a new construct.)

**Summary and correctness.** Let  $\rho_0 = \{a \mapsto a[] \mid a \in \text{fn}(P_0)\}$ . The set of the clauses corresponding to the closed process  $P_0$  is defined as:

$$\mathcal{R}_{P'_0, S} = \llbracket \text{instr}(P'_0) \rrbracket \rho_0 \emptyset \cup \{ \text{att}(a[]) \mid a \in S \} \cup \{ (\text{Rn}), (\text{Rf}), (\text{Rg}), (\text{Rl}), (\text{Rs}) \}$$

where  $P'_0$  is a suitable renaming of  $P_0$  and  $S$  is the set of names initially known by the attacker.

## B Type System for Generalized Horn Clauses

In this section, we recall the type system for generalized Horn clauses of [6, long version], adapting it to the minor changes we have made to the definition of generalized Horn clauses.

In this type system, the type environment  $\Gamma$  is a list of type declarations:

$$\begin{array}{c}
\frac{i : [1, L] \in \Gamma}{\Gamma \vdash i : [1, L]} \text{(EnvIndex)} \\
\\
\frac{\phi : [1, L_1] \times \dots \times [1, L_h] \rightarrow [1, L] \in \Gamma \quad \Gamma \vdash \iota_1 : [1, L_1] \dots \Gamma \vdash \iota_h : [1, L_h]}{\Gamma \vdash \phi(\iota_1, \dots, \iota_h) : [1, L]} \text{(Index)} \\
\\
\frac{x_- : [1, L_1] \times \dots \times [1, L_h] \in \Gamma \quad \Gamma \vdash \iota_1 : [1, L_1] \dots \Gamma \vdash \iota_h : [1, L_h]}{\Gamma \vdash x_{\iota_1, \dots, \iota_h}} \text{(Var)} \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash p_1^G \dots \Gamma \vdash p_h^G}{\Gamma \vdash f(p_1^G, \dots, p_h^G)} \text{(Fun)} \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash p_1^G \dots \Gamma \vdash p_n^G \quad \Gamma \vdash \iota_1 : [1, L_1] \dots \Gamma \vdash \iota_h : [1, L_h]}{\Gamma \vdash a_{\iota_1, \dots, \iota_h}^{L_1, \dots, L_h}[p_1^G, \dots, p_n^G]} \text{(Name)} \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma, i : [1, L] \vdash p^G}{\Gamma \vdash \text{list}(i \leq L, p^G)} \text{(List)} \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma, \tilde{i} : \tilde{L} \vdash p_1^G \dots \Gamma, \tilde{i} : \tilde{L} \vdash p_l^G}{\Gamma \vdash \bigwedge_{\tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}} \text{pred}(p_1^G, \dots, p_l^G)} \text{(Fact)} \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma, \tilde{i} : \tilde{L} \vdash p^G \quad \Gamma, \tilde{i} : \tilde{L} \vdash p'^G}{\Gamma \vdash \bigwedge_{\tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}} p^G \doteq p'^G} \text{(Eq)} \\
\\
\frac{\forall j \leq n, \Gamma \vdash F_j^G}{\Gamma \vdash F_1^G \wedge \dots \wedge F_n^G} \quad \frac{\forall j \leq n, \Gamma \vdash E_j}{\Gamma \vdash \{E_1, \dots, E_n\}} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash H^G \quad \Gamma \vdash \mathcal{E} \quad \Gamma \vdash F^G}{\Gamma \vdash H^G \wedge \mathcal{E} \Rightarrow F^G}
\end{array}$$

Figure 7: Type system for generalized Horn clauses

- $i : [1, L]$  means that  $i$  is of type  $[1, L]$ , that is, intuitively, the value of index  $i$  can vary between 1 and the value of the bound  $L$ ;
- $\phi : [1, L_1] \times \dots \times [1, L_h] \rightarrow [1, L]$  means that the function  $\phi$  expects as input  $h$  indices of types  $[1, L_j]$ , for  $j = 1, \dots, h$  and computes an index of type  $[1, L]$ ;
- $x_- : [1, L_1] \times \dots \times [1, L_h]$  means that the variable  $x$  expects indices of types  $[1, L_1], \dots, [1, L_h]$ .

The type rules are given in Figure 7. The type system defines the judgments:

- $\Gamma \vdash \iota : [1, L]$ , which means that  $\iota$  has type  $[1, L]$  in the type environment  $\Gamma$ , by rules (EnvIndex) and (Index);
- $\Gamma \vdash p^G, \Gamma \vdash F^G, \Gamma \vdash E, \Gamma \vdash H^G, \Gamma \vdash \mathcal{E}, \Gamma \vdash R^G$ , which mean that  $p^G, F^G, E, H^G, \mathcal{E}, R^G$ , respectively, are well-typed in the type environment  $\Gamma$ .

Most type rules are straightforward. For instance, the rule (Var) means that  $x_{i_1, \dots, i_h}$  is well-typed when the types expected by  $x$  for its indices match the types of  $i_1, \dots, i_h$ . In the rule (Name), the type of the index  $\iota$  of  $a_\iota^M$  is  $[1, M]$ .

## C Translation from Generalized Horn Clauses to Horn Clauses

A generalized Horn clause represents several Horn clauses: for each value of the bounds  $L$ , functions  $\phi$ , and free indices  $i$  that occur in a generalized Horn clause  $R^G$ ,  $R^G$  corresponds to a certain Horn clause. This correspondence gives the formal semantics of the generalized Horn clauses. It was originally defined in [6]; this section recalls it.

**Definition 4.** Given a well-typed generalized Horn clause  $\Gamma \vdash R^G$ , an environment  $T$  for  $\Gamma \vdash R^G$  is a function that associates:

- to each bound  $L$  that appears in  $R^G$  or  $\Gamma$  an integer  $L^T$ ;
- to each index  $i$  such that  $i : [1, L] \in \Gamma$ , an index  $i^T \in \{1, \dots, L^T\}$ ;
- to each index function  $\phi$  such that  $\phi : [1, L_1] \times \dots \times [1, L_h] \rightarrow [1, L] \in \Gamma$ , a function  $\phi^T : \{1, \dots, L_1^T\} \times \dots \times \{1, \dots, L_h^T\} \rightarrow \{1, \dots, L^T\}$ .

Given an environment  $T$  for  $\Gamma \vdash R^G$ , the generalized Horn clause  $R^G$  is translated into the standard Horn clause  $R^{GT}$  defined as follows. We denote respectively  $p^{GT}, E^T, \dots$  the translation of  $p^G, E, \dots$  using the environment  $T$ .

The translation of an index term  $\iota$  such that  $\Gamma \vdash \iota : [1, L]$  is an integer  $\iota^T \in \{1, \dots, L^T\}$  defined as follows:

$$\iota^T = \begin{cases} i^T & \text{if } \iota = i \\ \phi^T(\iota_1^T, \dots, \iota_h^T) & \text{if } \iota = \phi(\iota_1, \dots, \iota_h) \end{cases}$$

The translation of a clause term  $p^G$  is defined as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} (x_{\iota_1, \dots, \iota_h})^T &= x_{\iota_1^T, \dots, \iota_h^T} \\ f(p_1^G, \dots, p_n^G)^T &= f(p_1^{GT}, \dots, p_n^{GT}) \\ a_{\iota_1, \dots, \iota_h}^{L_1, \dots, L_h} [p_1^G, \dots, p_n^G]^T &= a_{\iota_1^T, \dots, \iota_h^T}^{L_1^T, \dots, L_h^T} [p_1^{GT}, \dots, p_n^{GT}] \\ \text{list}(i \leq L, p^G)^T &= \langle p^{GT[i \rightarrow 1]}, \dots, p^{GT[i \rightarrow L^T]} \rangle \end{aligned}$$

The symbol  $x_{\iota_1^T, \dots, \iota_h^T}$  is considered as a variable  $x$ ; the symbol  $a_{\iota_1^T, \dots, \iota_h^T}^{L_1^T, \dots, L_h^T}$  is considered as a name function symbol  $a$ . (There is a different symbol for each value of the indices  $\iota_1^T, \dots, \iota_h^T$  and bounds  $L_1^T, \dots, L_h^T$ .) The translation of  $\text{list}(i \leq L, p^G)$  is a list of length  $L^T$ .

Given a conjunction  $\mathcal{C} = \bigwedge_{(i_1, \dots, i_h) \in [1, L_1] \times \dots \times [1, L_h]}$  and an environment  $T$ , we define the set of environments  $T^{\mathcal{C}} = \{T[i_1 \mapsto v_1, \dots, i_h \mapsto v_h] \mid v_j \in \{1, \dots, L_j^T\} \text{ for } j = 1, \dots, h\}$ : these environments map the indices  $i_j$  of the conjunction to all their possible values in  $\{1, \dots, L_j^T\}$ , and map all other values like  $T$ .

The translation of a fact  $F^G = \mathcal{C} \text{ pred}(p_1^G, \dots, p_l^G)$  is

$$(\mathcal{C} \text{ pred}(p_1^G, \dots, p_l^G))^T = F_1 \wedge \dots \wedge F_k$$

where  $\{F_1, \dots, F_k\} = \{\text{pred}(p_1^{GT'}, \dots, p_l^{GT'}) \mid T' \in T^{\mathcal{C}}\}$  and  $(F_1^G \wedge \dots \wedge F_n^G)^T = F_1^{GT} \wedge \dots \wedge F_n^{GT}$ .

The translation of a set of equations  $\mathcal{E}$  is the set  $\mathcal{E}^T$  obtained by translating the equations as follows:

- $(\mathcal{C} p^G \doteq p'^G)^T = \{p^{GT'} = p'^{GT'} \mid T' \in T^{\mathcal{C}}\}$ .

- $\mathcal{E}^T = \bigcup_{E \in \mathcal{E}} E^T$ .

Given a set of equations  $\{p_1 = p'_1, \dots, p_n = p'_n\}$  over standard clause terms, we define as usual its most general unifier  $\text{MGU}(\{p_1 = p'_1, \dots, p_n = p'_n\})$  as a most general substitution  $\sigma$  such that  $\sigma p_i = \sigma p'_i$  for all  $i \in \{1, \dots, n\}$ ,  $\text{dom}(\sigma) \cup \text{fv}(\text{im}(\sigma)) \subseteq \text{fv}(p_1, p'_1, \dots, p_n, p'_n)$ , and  $\text{dom}(\sigma) \cap \text{fv}(\text{im}(\sigma)) = \emptyset$ , where  $\text{fv}(p)$  designates the (free) variables of  $p$ ,  $\text{dom}(\sigma)$  is the domain of  $\sigma$ :  $\text{dom}(\sigma) = \{x \mid \sigma x \neq x\}$ , and  $\text{im}(\sigma)$  is the image of  $\sigma$ :  $\text{im}(\sigma) = \{\sigma x \mid \sigma x \neq x\}$ . We denote by  $\{x_1 \mapsto p_1, \dots, x_n \mapsto p_n\}$  the substitution that maps  $x_i$  to  $p_i$  for all  $i = 1, \dots, n$ .

Finally, we define the translation of the generalized Horn clause  $R^G = H^G \wedge \mathcal{E} \Rightarrow \text{pred}(p_1^G, \dots, p_l^G)$  as follows. If the unification of  $\mathcal{E}^T$  fails, then  $R^{GT}$  is undefined. Otherwise,  $R^{GT} = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T)H^{GT} \Rightarrow \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T)\text{pred}(p_1^{GT}, \dots, p_l^{GT})$ .

When  $\mathcal{R}^G$  is a set of well-typed generalized Horn clauses (i.e., a set of pairs of a type environment  $\Gamma$  and a clause  $R^G$  such that  $\Gamma \vdash R^G$ ), we define  $\mathcal{R}^{GT} = \{R^{GT} \mid \Gamma \vdash R^G \in \mathcal{R}^G, T \text{ is an environment for } \Gamma \vdash R^G \text{ and } R^{GT} \text{ is defined}\}$ , the set of all Horn clauses corresponding to clauses in  $\mathcal{R}^G$ .

## D Type System for Generalized Processes

The type rules are given in Fig. 8. The type system defines the following judgments:

- $\Gamma \vdash \iota : [1, L]$ , which means that  $\iota$  has type  $[1, L]$  in the type environment  $\Gamma$ ;
- $\Gamma \vdash M^G, \Gamma \vdash P^G$ , which mean that  $M^G, P^G$ , respectively, are well-typed in the type environment  $\Gamma$ .
- $i_1 : [1, L_1], \dots, i_h : [1, L_h] \vdash \text{pat}^G \rightsquigarrow \Gamma$ , which means that the pattern  $\text{pat}^G$  has free indices  $i_1, \dots, i_h$  of types  $[1, L_1], \dots, [1, L_h]$  respectively, and binds the variables in  $\Gamma$ .

Most type rules are straightforward. For instance, the rule (Var) means that  $x_{i_1, \dots, i_h}$  is well-typed when the types expected by  $x$  for its indices match the types of  $i_1, \dots, i_h$ . The rules (PatVar), (PatData), and (PatList) deal with the patterns  $x_{i_1, \dots, i_h}, f(\text{pat}_1^G, \dots, \text{pat}_n^G)$ , and  $\text{list}(i \leq L, \text{pat}^G)$ , respectively. They build the type environment that gives types to the variables bound in the pattern.

## E Proofs

We write  $P \equiv_\alpha Q$  when the process  $P$  is equal to  $Q$  up to renaming of bound names: in an instrumented process  $(\nu a : a'[x_1, \dots, x_n, s_1, \dots, s_{n'}])P$ , the name  $a$  can be renamed, but the function symbol  $a'$  remains unchanged. This is why we may end up with instrumented processes in which the name  $a$  is different from the function symbol  $a'$ .

### E.1 Proof of Lemma 1

Lemma 1 is an immediate consequence of the following lemma.

**Lemma 2.** *Let  $\Gamma \vdash P^G$  be a well-typed generalized process, such that the bound names of  $P^G$  are pairwise distinct and distinct from free names of  $P^G$ . Given an environment  $T$  for  $\Gamma \vdash P^G$ , and a list of indices  $\tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}$ , we have:*

$$\text{Tren}(P^G, T, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}) \equiv_\alpha P^{GT}.$$

Furthermore, we have the following two properties:

$$\begin{array}{c}
\frac{i : [1, L] \in \Gamma}{\Gamma \vdash i : [1, L]} \\
\frac{\phi : [1, L_1] \times \dots \times [1, L_h] \rightarrow [1, L] \in \Gamma \quad \Gamma \vdash \iota_1 : [1, L_1] \dots \Gamma \vdash \iota_h : [1, L_h]}{\Gamma \vdash \phi(\iota_1, \dots, \iota_h) : [1, L]} \\
\frac{x_- : [1, L_1] \times \dots \times [1, L_h] \in \Gamma \quad \Gamma \vdash \iota_1 : [1, L_1] \dots \Gamma \vdash \iota_h : [1, L_h]}{\Gamma \vdash x_{\iota_1, \dots, \iota_h}} \text{(Var)} \\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash M_1^G \dots \Gamma \vdash M_n^G}{\Gamma \vdash f(M_1^G, \dots, M_n^G)} \\
\frac{a_- : [] \in \Gamma}{\Gamma \vdash a} \quad \frac{a_- : [1, L] \in \Gamma \quad \Gamma \vdash \iota : [1, L]}{\Gamma \vdash a_\iota} \quad \frac{\Gamma, i : [1, L] \vdash M^G}{\Gamma \vdash \text{list}(i \leq L, M^G)} \\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash M^G \quad \Gamma \vdash N^G \quad \Gamma \vdash P^G}{\Gamma \vdash \text{out}(M^G, N^G).P^G} \\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash M^G \quad \Gamma, x_- : [] \vdash P^G}{\Gamma \vdash \text{in}(M^G, x).P^G} \\
\Gamma \vdash \mathbf{0} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash P^G \quad \Gamma \vdash Q^G}{\Gamma \vdash P^G \mid Q^G} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash P^G}{\Gamma \vdash !P^G} \\
\frac{\Gamma, i : [1, L] \vdash P^G}{\Gamma \vdash \Pi_{i \leq L} P^G} \quad \frac{\Gamma, a_- : [] \vdash P^G}{\Gamma \vdash (\nu a)P^G} \quad \frac{\Gamma, a_- : [1, L] \vdash P^G}{\Gamma \vdash (\text{for all } i \leq L, \nu a_i)P^G} \\
\frac{\Gamma, i_1 : [1, L_1], \dots, i_h : [1, L_h] \vdash M_1^G \quad \dots \quad \Gamma, x_- : [1, L_1] \times \dots \times [1, L_h] \vdash P^G}{\Gamma, i_1 : [1, L_1], \dots, i_h : [1, L_h] \vdash M_n^G \quad \Gamma \vdash Q^G} \\
\text{let for all } i_1 \leq L_1, \dots, i_h \leq L_h, x_{i_1, \dots, i_h} = g(M_1^G, \dots, M_n^G) \text{ in } P^G \text{ else } Q^G \\
i_1 : [1, L_1], \dots, i_h : [1, L_h] \vdash x_{i_1, \dots, i_h} \rightsquigarrow (x_- : [1, L_1] \times \dots \times [1, L_h]) \text{(PatVar)} \\
\text{for all } j \leq n, \text{ we have } i_1 : [1, L_1], \dots, i_h : [1, L_h] \vdash \text{pat}_j^G \rightsquigarrow \Gamma_j \text{(PatData)} \\
\frac{i_1 : [1, L_1], \dots, i_h : [1, L_h] \vdash f(\text{pat}_1^G, \dots, \text{pat}_n^G) \rightsquigarrow \Gamma_1, \dots, \Gamma_n}{i_1 : [1, L_1], \dots, i_h : [1, L_h] \vdash f(\text{pat}_1^G, \dots, \text{pat}_n^G) \rightsquigarrow \Gamma} \text{(PatList)} \\
\frac{i_1 : [1, L_1], \dots, i_h : [1, L_h], i : [1, L] \vdash \text{pat}^G \rightsquigarrow \Gamma}{i_1 : [1, L_1], \dots, i_h : [1, L_h] \vdash \text{list}(i \leq L, \text{pat}^G) \rightsquigarrow \Gamma} \\
\frac{i_1 : [1, L_1], \dots, i_h : [1, L_h] \vdash \text{pat}^G \rightsquigarrow \Gamma' \quad \Gamma, \Gamma' \vdash P^G}{\Gamma, i_1 : [1, L_1], \dots, i_h : [1, L_h] \vdash M^G \quad \Gamma \vdash Q^G} \\
\text{let for all } i_1 \leq L_1, \dots, i_h \leq L_h, \text{pat}^G = M^G \text{ in } P^G \text{ else } Q^G \\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash M^G \quad \Gamma \vdash P^G}{\Gamma \vdash \text{event}(e(M^G)).P^G} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash P^G}{\Gamma \vdash \text{choose } L \text{ in } P^G} \\
\frac{\Gamma, k : [1, L] \vdash P^G}{\Gamma \vdash \text{choose } k \leq L \text{ in } P^G} \quad \frac{\Gamma, \phi : [1, L_1] \times \dots \times [1, L_h] \rightarrow [1, L] \vdash P^G}{\Gamma \vdash \text{choose } \phi : [1, L_1] \times \dots \times [1, L_h] \rightarrow [1, L] \text{ in } P^G}
\end{array}$$

Figure 8: Type system for the generalized process calculus

P1. The bound names in  $\text{Tren}(P^G, T, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L})$  are pairwise distinct and distinct from free names, except that in processes  $P + Q$ , the bound names in  $P$  need not be distinct from those in  $Q$ .

P2. All bound names in  $\text{Tren}(P^G, T, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L})$  are of the form  $a_{\tilde{i}^T, \dots}^{\tilde{L}^T, \dots}$  when they come from  $(\nu a)$  in  $P^G$  and of the form  $a_{v, \tilde{i}^T, \dots}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T, \dots}$  when they come from  $(\text{for all } i \leq L, \nu a_i)$  in  $P^G$ .

*Proof.* The property  $\text{Tren}(P^G, T, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}) \equiv_{\alpha} P^{GT}$  is proved by an easy induction on the syntax of  $P^G$ .

Properties P1 and P2 are proved by simultaneous induction on the syntax of  $P^G$ .

- Case  $\Pi_{i \leq L} P^G$ : for each  $v \leq L^T$ , by induction hypothesis, the bound names in  $\text{Tren}(P^G, T[i \mapsto v], (\tilde{i}, i) \leq (\tilde{L}, L))$  are pairwise distinct (except that in processes  $P + Q$ , the bound names in  $P$  need not be distinct from those in  $Q$ ) and distinct from free names. Furthermore, they are of the form  $a_{\tilde{i}^T, v, \dots}^{\tilde{L}^T, L^T, \dots}$  when they come from  $(\nu a)$  in  $P^G$  and of the form  $a_{v', \tilde{i}^T, v, \dots}^{L'^T, \tilde{L}^T, L^T, \dots}$  when they come from  $(\text{for all } i' \leq L', \nu a_{i'})$  in  $P^G$ , so P2 holds. Hence the names  $\text{Tren}(P^G, T[i \mapsto v], (\tilde{i}, i) \leq (\tilde{L}, L))$  are distinct from the names in  $\text{Tren}(P^G, T[i \mapsto v'], (\tilde{i}, i) \leq (\tilde{L}, L))$  when  $v \neq v'$ , so P1 holds.
- Case  $(\text{for all } i \leq L, \nu a_i) P^G$ : by induction hypothesis, the bound names in  $\text{Tren}(P^G, T, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L})$  are pairwise distinct (except that in processes  $P + Q$ , the bound names in  $P$  need not be distinct from those in  $Q$ ) and distinct from free names. Furthermore, they are of the form  $a_{\tilde{i}^T, \dots}^{\tilde{L}^T, \dots}$  when they come from  $(\nu a')$  in  $P^G$  and of the form  $a'_{v, \tilde{i}^T, \dots}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T, \dots}$  when they come from  $(\text{for all } i \leq L, \nu a'_i)$  in  $P^G$ . The new bound names  $a_{v, \tilde{i}^T}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T}$  for  $v \leq L^T$  are of the required form, so P2 holds. They are distinct from the free names and from the bound names of  $\text{Tren}(P^G, T, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L})$ , since the bound names in  $(\text{for all } i \leq L, \nu a_i) P^G$  are pairwise distinct and distinct from free names, so they do not use the same symbol  $a$ . So P1 holds.
- The case  $(\nu a) P^G$  is similar to the previous one. All other cases follow easily using the induction hypothesis. We use the property that the bound names of  $P^G$  are pairwise distinct and distinct from free names of  $P^G$ . In the cases “choose”, we also use that in processes  $P + Q$ , the bound names in  $P$  need not be distinct from those in  $Q$ , so the induction hypothesis already guarantees that names are distinct when desired.  $\square$

## E.2 Proof of Theorem 3

As explained in Sect. 5, Theorem 3 comes from the combination of two different results. The first result (Lemma 5) shows that the translation from generalized processes to processes commutes with the instrumentation (provided the translation is suitably renamed using  $\text{Tren}$ ). The second result (Lemma 11) shows the soundness of the translation from instrumented processes to generalized Horn clauses.

### E.2.1 Instrumentation

We first define the instrumentation of processes and generalized processes more formally by induction on the syntax of the processes, as follows.

**Definition 5.** Given a process  $P$ , a list of variables  $\text{Vars} = x_1, \dots, x_n$ , and a list of session identifiers  $\text{SessId} = s_1, \dots, s_{n'}$ , we define the instrumented process as follows:

- $\text{instr}(\text{in}(M, x).P, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}) = \text{in}(M, x).\text{instr}(P, (\text{Vars}, x), \text{SessId});$
- $\text{instr}(!P, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}) = !^s \text{instr}(P, \text{Vars}, (\text{SessId}, s));$
- $\text{instr}((\nu a)P, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}) = (\nu a : a[\text{Vars}, \text{SessId}])\text{instr}(P, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId});$
- In all other cases, the same instrumentation is applied recursively on the subprocesses. For instance,  $\text{instr}(P \mid Q, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}) = \text{instr}(P, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}) \mid \text{instr}(Q, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}).$

We let  $\text{instr}(P) = \text{instr}(P, \emptyset, \emptyset).$

**Definition 6.** Given a generalized process  $P^G$ , a list of variables  $\text{Vars} = x_1, \dots, x_n$ , a list of session identifiers  $\text{SessId} = s_1, \dots, s_{n'}$ , and a list of indices  $\tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}$ , we define the instrumented generalized process as follows:

- $\text{instr}^G(\text{in}(M^G, x).P^G, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}) = \text{in}(M^G, x).\text{instr}^G(P^G, (\text{Vars}, x), \text{SessId}, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L});$
- $\text{instr}^G(!P^G, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}) = !^s \text{instr}^G(P^G, \text{Vars}, (\text{SessId}, s), \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L});$
- $\text{instr}^G(\Pi_{i \leq L} P^G, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}) = \Pi_{i \leq L} \text{instr}^G(P^G, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}, (\tilde{i}, i \leq \tilde{L}, L));$
- $\text{instr}^G((\text{for all } i \leq L, \nu a_i)P^G, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}) = (\text{for all } i \leq L, \nu a_i : a_{i, \tilde{i}}^{L, \tilde{L}}[\text{Vars}, \text{SessId}])\text{instr}^G(P, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L});$
- $\text{instr}^G((\nu a)P^G, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}) = (\nu a : a_{\tilde{i}}^{\tilde{L}}[\text{Vars}, \text{SessId}])\text{instr}^G(P^G, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L});$
- In all other cases, the same instrumentation is applied recursively on the subprocesses. For instance,  $\text{instr}^G(P^G \mid Q^G, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}) = \text{instr}^G(P^G, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}) \mid \text{instr}^G(Q^G, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}).$

We let  $\text{instr}^G(P^G) = \text{instr}^G(P^G, \emptyset, \emptyset, \emptyset \leq \emptyset).$

We define a type system for instrumented generalized processes. The type rules are defined similarly to the type rules for generalized processes; the three rules that differ are the ones for replication and for restriction, which are defined as follows:

$$\frac{\Gamma, s_- : [] \vdash P^G}{\Gamma \vdash !^s P^G}$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash \tilde{i} : \tilde{L} \quad \Gamma \vdash x_1 \dots \Gamma \vdash x_n \quad \Gamma \vdash s_1 \dots \Gamma \vdash s_{n'} \quad \Gamma, a_- : [] \vdash P^G}{\Gamma \vdash (\nu a : a_{\tilde{i}}^{\tilde{L}}[x_1, \dots, x_n, s_1, \dots, s_{n'}])P^G}$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash \tilde{i} : \tilde{L} \quad \Gamma \vdash x_1 \dots \Gamma \vdash x_n \quad \Gamma \vdash s_1 \dots \Gamma \vdash s_{n'} \quad \Gamma, a_- : [1, L] \vdash P^G}{\Gamma \vdash (\text{for all } i \leq L, \nu a_i : a_{i, \tilde{i}}^{L, \tilde{L}}[x_1, \dots, x_n, s_1, \dots, s_{n'}])P^G}$$

We show that, if a non-instrumented process is well-typed, then the corresponding instrumented process is also well-typed, as follows:

**Lemma 3.** *Let  $P^G$  be a non-instrumented process. If  $\Gamma \vdash P^G$ ,  $\Gamma \vdash x_1, \dots, \Gamma \vdash x_n$ , and  $\Gamma \vdash \tilde{i} : \tilde{L}$ , then  $\Gamma, s_1 : [], \dots, s_{n'} : [] \vdash \text{instr}^G(P^G, (x_1, \dots, x_n), (s_1, \dots, s_{n'}), \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}).$*



*Proof.* By induction on the syntax of  $P^G$ . □

As an immediate corollary, we obtain:

**Corollary 3.** *Let  $P_0^G$  be a closed non-instrumented process. If  $\Gamma_0 \vdash P_0^G$ , then  $\Gamma_0 \vdash \text{instr}^G(P_0^G)$ .*

The translation  $P^{GT}$  on instrumented processes is defined similarly to the translation on non-instrumented processes; the cases that differ are as follows:

- $(!^s P^G)^T = !^s P^{GT}$
- $((\nu a : a'_{\tilde{i}}^{\tilde{L}}[x_1, \dots, x_n, s_1, \dots, s_{n'}])P^G)^T = (\nu a : a'_{\tilde{i}^T}^{\tilde{L}^T}[x_1, \dots, x_n, s_1, \dots, s_{n'}])P^{GT}$
- $((\text{for all } i \leq L, \nu a_i : a'_{i, \tilde{i}}^{L, \tilde{L}}[x_1, \dots, x_n, s_1, \dots, s_{n'}])P^G)^T = (\nu a_1 : a'_{1, \tilde{i}^T}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T}[x_1, \dots, x_n, s_1, \dots, s_{n'}]) \dots (\nu a_{L^T} : a'_{L^T, \tilde{i}^T}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T}[x_1, \dots, x_n, s_1, \dots, s_{n'}])P^{GT}$

**Lemma 4.** *Given a well-typed generalized process  $\Gamma \vdash P^G$ , an environment  $T$  for  $\Gamma \vdash P^G$ , a list of variables  $\text{Vars} = x_1, \dots, x_n$ , a list of session identifiers  $\text{SessId} = s_1, \dots, s_{n'}$ , and a list of indices  $\tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}$ , we have:*

$$(\text{instr}^G(P^G, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}))^T \equiv_\alpha \text{instr}(\text{Tren}(P^G, T, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}), \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}).$$

*Proof.* This proof is done by structural induction on the process  $P^G$ . We detail here the most interesting cases.

- Case  $\text{in}(M^G, x).P^G$ :

$$\begin{aligned} & (\text{instr}^G(\text{in}(M^G, x).P^G, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}))^T \\ &= (\text{in}(M^G, x).\text{instr}^G(P^G, (\text{Vars}, x), \text{SessId}, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}))^T \\ &= \text{in}(M^{GT}, x).\text{instr}^G(P^G, (\text{Vars}, x), \text{SessId}, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L})^T \\ &\equiv_\alpha \text{in}(M^{GT}, x).\text{instr}(\text{Tren}(P^G, T, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}), (\text{Vars}, x), \text{SessId}) \quad \text{by induction hypothesis} \\ &\equiv_\alpha \text{instr}(\text{in}(M^{GT}, x).\text{Tren}(P^G, T, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}), \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}) \\ &\equiv_\alpha \text{instr}(\text{Tren}(\text{in}(M^G, x).P^G, T, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}), \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}) \end{aligned}$$

- Case  $!P^G$ :

$$\begin{aligned} & (\text{instr}^G(!P^G, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}))^T \\ &= (!^s \text{instr}^G(P^G, \text{Vars}, (\text{SessId}, s), \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}))^T \\ &= !^s (\text{instr}^G(P^G, \text{Vars}, (\text{SessId}, s), \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}))^T \\ &\equiv_\alpha !^s \text{instr}(\text{Tren}(P^G, T, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}), \text{Vars}, (\text{SessId}, s)) \quad \text{by induction hypothesis} \\ &\equiv_\alpha \text{instr}(!\text{Tren}(P^G, T, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}), \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}) \\ &\equiv_\alpha \text{instr}(\text{Tren}(!P^G, T, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}), \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}) \end{aligned}$$

- Case  $\Pi_{i \leq L} P^G$ :

$$\begin{aligned} & (\text{instr}^G(\Pi_{i \leq L} P^G, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}))^T \\ &= (\Pi_{i \leq L} \text{instr}^G(P^G, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}, (\tilde{i}, i) \leq (\tilde{L}, L)))^T \\ &= (\text{instr}^G(P^G, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}, (\tilde{i}, i) \leq (\tilde{L}, L)))^{T[i \rightarrow 1]} \mid \dots \mid \\ & \quad (\text{instr}^G(P^G, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}, (\tilde{i}, i) \leq (\tilde{L}, L)))^{T[i \rightarrow L^T]} \end{aligned}$$

For each  $v \leq L^T$ , we have by induction hypothesis:

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{instr}^G(P^G, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}, (\tilde{i}, i) \leq (\tilde{L}, L))^{T[i \mapsto v]} \equiv_\alpha \\ & \text{instr}(\text{Tren}(P^G, T[i \mapsto v], (\tilde{i}, i) \leq (\tilde{L}, L)), \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}). \end{aligned}$$

Hence:

$$\begin{aligned} & (\text{instr}^G(\Pi_{i \leq L} P^G, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}))^T \\ & \equiv_\alpha \text{instr}(\text{Tren}(P^G, T[i \mapsto 1], (\tilde{i}, i) \leq (\tilde{L}, L)), \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}) \mid \cdots \mid \\ & \quad \text{instr}(\text{Tren}(P^G, T[i \mapsto L^T], (\tilde{i}, i) \leq (\tilde{L}, L)), \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}) \\ & \equiv_\alpha \text{instr}(\text{Tren}(P^G, T[i \mapsto 1], (\tilde{i}, i) \leq (\tilde{L}, L)) \mid \cdots \mid \\ & \quad \text{Tren}(P^G, T[i \mapsto L^T], (\tilde{i}, i) \leq (\tilde{L}, L)), \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}) \\ & \equiv_\alpha \text{instr}(\text{Tren}(\Pi_{i \leq L} P^G, T, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}), \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}) \end{aligned}$$

- Case (for all  $i \leq L, \nu a_i)P^G$ :

$$\begin{aligned} & (\text{instr}^G((\text{for all } i \leq L, \nu a_i)P^G, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}))^T \\ & = ((\text{for all } i \leq L, \nu a_i : a_{i, \tilde{i}}^{L, \tilde{L}}[\text{Vars}, \text{SessId}]) \\ & \quad \text{instr}^G(P^G, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}))^T \\ & = (\nu a_1 : a_{1, \tilde{i}^T}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T}[\text{Vars}, \text{SessId}]) \dots (\nu a_{L^T} : a_{L^T, \tilde{i}^T}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T}[\text{Vars}, \text{SessId}]) \\ & \quad (\text{instr}^G(P^G, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}))^T \end{aligned}$$

Moreover, by induction hypothesis,  $(\text{instr}^G(P^G, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}))^T \equiv_\alpha \text{instr}(\text{Tren}(P^G, T, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}), \text{Vars}, \text{SessId})$ . Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} & (\text{instr}^G((\text{for all } i \leq L, \nu a_i)P^G, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}))^T \\ & \equiv_\alpha (\nu a_1 : a_{1, \tilde{i}^T}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T}[\text{Vars}, \text{SessId}]) \dots (\nu a_{L^T} : a_{L^T, \tilde{i}^T}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T}[\text{Vars}, \text{SessId}]) \\ & \quad \text{instr}(\text{Tren}(P^G, T, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}), \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}) \\ & \equiv_\alpha (\nu a_{1, \tilde{i}^T}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T} : a_{1, \tilde{i}^T}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T}[\text{Vars}, \text{SessId}]) \dots (\nu a_{L^T, \tilde{i}^T}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T} : a_{L^T, \tilde{i}^T}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T}[\text{Vars}, \text{SessId}]) \\ & \quad (\text{instr}(\text{Tren}(P^G, T, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}), \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}) \{a_{1, \tilde{i}^T}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T} / a_1, \dots, a_{L^T, \tilde{i}^T}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T} / a_{L^T}\}) \\ & \hspace{15em} \text{by renaming bound names} \\ & \equiv_\alpha \text{instr}((\nu a_{1, \tilde{i}^T}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T}) \dots (\nu a_{L^T, \tilde{i}^T}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T}) \text{Tren}(P^G, T, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}) \{a_{1, \tilde{i}^T}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T} / a_1, \dots, \\ & \quad a_{L^T, \tilde{i}^T}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T} / a_{L^T}\}, \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}) \\ & \equiv_\alpha \text{instr}(\text{Tren}((\text{for all } i \leq L, \nu a_i)P^G, T, \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}), \text{Vars}, \text{SessId}) \end{aligned}$$

- The case  $(\nu a)P^G$  can be handled similarly to the previous case. All other cases follow easily from the induction hypothesis.  $\square$

**Lemma 5.** Given a well-typed generalized process  $\Gamma_0 \vdash P_0^G$ , we have:

$$(\text{instr}^G(P_0^G))^{T_0} \equiv_\alpha \text{instr}(\text{Tren}(P_0^G, T_0, \emptyset \leq \emptyset)).$$

*Proof.* This result comes immediately from Lemma 4 applied to  $\text{instr}^G(P_0^G) = \text{instr}^G(P_0^G, \emptyset, \emptyset, \emptyset \leq \emptyset)$ .  $\square$

### E.2.2 Translation from Instrumented Processes to Clauses

We use the following standard result.

**Lemma 6.** *Let  $\mathcal{E}_1, \mathcal{E}_2$  be two sets of equations over standard clause terms. Then  $\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1 \cup \mathcal{E}_2)$  is defined if and only if  $\text{MGU}(\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_2)\mathcal{E}_1)\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_2)$  is defined, and*

$$\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1 \cup \mathcal{E}_2) = \text{MGU}(\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_2)\mathcal{E}_1)\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_2).$$

**Lemma 7.** *Let  $P$  be an instrumented process,  $\rho$  a function that associates a clause term with each name and variable, and  $H$  a sequence of facts. Given a substitution  $\sigma$  over the variables in  $\rho$ , we have that:*

$$\llbracket P \rrbracket(\sigma\rho)(\sigma H) \sqsubseteq \llbracket P \rrbracket\rho H.$$

*Proof.* The proof of this lemma is done by structural induction on the process  $P$ . We detail here the most interesting cases.

- Case  $M(x).P$ :

$$\begin{aligned} & \llbracket M(x).P \rrbracket(\sigma\rho)(\sigma H) \\ &= \llbracket P \rrbracket((\sigma\rho)[x \mapsto x])(\sigma H \wedge \text{message}(\sigma\rho(M), x)) \\ &= \llbracket P \rrbracket(\sigma'(\rho[x \mapsto x]))(\sigma'(H \wedge \text{message}(\rho(M), x))) \\ & \quad \text{where we define the substitution } \sigma' = \sigma[x \mapsto x] \\ & \sqsubseteq \llbracket P \rrbracket(\rho[x \mapsto x])(H \wedge \text{message}(\rho(M), x)) \quad \text{by induction hypothesis} \\ & \sqsubseteq \llbracket M(x).P \rrbracket\rho H \end{aligned}$$

- Case  $\text{let } x = g(M_1, \dots, M_n) \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q$ :

$$\begin{aligned} & \llbracket \text{let } x = g(M_1, \dots, M_n) \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q \rrbracket(\sigma\rho)(\sigma H) \\ &= \llbracket Q \rrbracket(\sigma\rho)(\sigma H) \cup \bigcup \{ \llbracket P \rrbracket(\sigma_1\sigma\rho[x \mapsto \sigma'_1 p']) (\sigma_1\sigma H) \mid g(p'_1, \dots, p'_n) \rightarrow p' \} \\ & \quad \text{is in } \text{def}(g) \text{ and } (\sigma_1, \sigma'_1) \text{ is a most general pair of substitutions} \\ & \quad \text{such that } \sigma_1\sigma\rho(M_i) = \sigma'_1 p'_i, \text{ for each } i = 1, \dots, n \} \end{aligned}$$

By induction hypothesis, we have  $\llbracket Q \rrbracket(\sigma\rho)(\sigma H) \sqsubseteq \llbracket Q \rrbracket\rho H$ . Let  $g(p'_1, \dots, p'_n) \rightarrow p'$  be a rule in  $\text{def}(g)$ , and  $(\sigma_1, \sigma'_1)$  be a most general pair of substitutions such that  $\sigma_1\sigma\rho(M_i) = \sigma'_1 p'_i$ , for each  $i = 1, \dots, n$ . Let  $\sigma_2 = \sigma_1\sigma$  and  $\sigma'_2 = \sigma'_1$ . For each  $i = 1, \dots, n$ , we have  $\sigma_2\rho(M_i) = \sigma'_2 p'_i$ . Let  $(\sigma_3, \sigma'_3)$  be a most general pair of substitutions such that for each  $i = 1, \dots, n$ :  $\sigma_3\rho(M_i) = \sigma'_3 p'_i$ . As  $(\sigma_2, \sigma'_2)$  is such a pair (but maybe not a most general one), there exists a substitution  $\sigma_4$  such that  $\sigma_2 = \sigma_4\sigma_3$  and  $\sigma'_2 = \sigma_4\sigma'_3$ . Hence we have that

$$\begin{aligned} & \llbracket P \rrbracket(\sigma_1\sigma\rho[x \mapsto \sigma'_1 p']) (\sigma_1\sigma H) \\ &= \llbracket P \rrbracket(\sigma_4\sigma_3\rho[x \mapsto \sigma_4\sigma'_3 p']) (\sigma_4\sigma_3\sigma H) \\ &= \llbracket P \rrbracket(\sigma_4(\sigma_3\rho[x \mapsto \sigma'_3 p'])) (\sigma_4(\sigma_3\sigma H)) \\ & \sqsubseteq \llbracket P \rrbracket(\sigma_3\rho[x \mapsto \sigma'_3 p']) (\sigma_3\sigma H) \end{aligned}$$

by induction hypothesis. Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} & \llbracket \text{let } x = g(M_1, \dots, M_n) \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q \rrbracket(\sigma\rho)(\sigma H) \\ & \sqsubseteq \llbracket Q \rrbracket\rho H \cup \bigcup \{ \llbracket P \rrbracket(\sigma_3\rho[x \mapsto \sigma'_3 p']) (\sigma_3\sigma H) \mid g(p'_1, \dots, p'_n) \rightarrow p' \} \\ & \quad \text{is in } \text{def}(g) \text{ and } (\sigma_3, \sigma'_3) \text{ is a most general pair of substitutions} \\ & \quad \text{such that } \sigma_3\rho(M_i) = \sigma'_3 p'_i, \text{ for each } i = 1, \dots, n \} \\ & \sqsubseteq \llbracket \text{let } x = g(M_1, \dots, M_n) \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q \rrbracket\rho H. \end{aligned}$$

- The other cases are straightforward using the induction hypothesis.  $\square$

**Lemma 8.** *We have*

$$\begin{aligned} & \llbracket \text{let } E_1 \text{ in } \dots \text{ let } E_l \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q \dots \text{ else } Q \rrbracket \rho H \\ & \sqsubseteq \llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho H \cup \llbracket P \rrbracket (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})(\rho[x_1 \mapsto p'_1, \dots, x_l \mapsto p'_l])) (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})H) \end{aligned}$$

where

- for each  $i \leq l$ ,  $E_i$  is  $x_i = g_i(M_{i,1}, \dots, M_{i,n_i})$ ;
- for each  $i \leq l$ ,  $x_i$  does not occur in  $Q$  nor in  $M_{k,j}$  for all  $k = 1, \dots, l$  and  $j = 1, \dots, n_k$ ;
- for each  $i \leq l$ ,  $g_i(p_{i,1}^0, \dots, p_{i,n_i}^0) \rightarrow p_i^0$  is the rewriting rule of  $g_i$  and  $p_{i,1}, \dots, p_{i,n_i}, p_i^0$  are obtained by renaming  $p_{i,1}^0, \dots, p_{i,n_i}^0, p_i^0$  with fresh variables;
- $\mathcal{E} = \{\rho(M_{k,j}) = p_{k,j} \mid k = 1, \dots, l \text{ and } j = 1, \dots, n_k\}$ .

When the equations in  $\mathcal{E}$  cannot be unified,  $\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})$  is not defined, and the second component of the union is omitted.

*Proof.* The proof is done by induction on  $l$ .

- Base case:  $l = 1$ .

$$\llbracket \text{let } E_1 \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q \rrbracket \rho H = \llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho H \cup \llbracket P \rrbracket (\sigma \rho[x_1 \mapsto \sigma p'_1]) (\sigma H)$$

where  $\sigma$  is a most general substitution such that  $\sigma \rho(M_{1,j}) = \sigma p_{1,j}$  for each  $j = 1, \dots, n_1$ , assuming that  $\sigma$  exists. (Finding such a  $\sigma$  is equivalent to finding a most general pair of substitutions  $(\sigma', \sigma'')$  such that  $\sigma' \rho(M_{1,j}) = \sigma'' p_{1,j}^0$ : we can define  $\sigma$  by  $\sigma x = \sigma'' \alpha^{-1} x$  where  $\alpha$  is the renaming of  $p_{i,j}^0$  into  $p_{i,j}$  and  $x$  is a fresh variable introduced by this renaming, and  $\sigma x = \sigma' x$  otherwise.) Hence  $\sigma = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})$  where  $\mathcal{E} = \{\rho(M_{1,j}) = p_{1,j} \mid j = 1, \dots, n_1\}$  and we can conclude that

$$\llbracket \text{let } E_1 \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q \rrbracket \rho H = \llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho H \cup \llbracket P \rrbracket (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})(\rho[x_1 \mapsto p'_1])) (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})H)$$

When  $\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})$  is not defined, that is,  $\sigma$  does not exist, the second component of the union is omitted.

- Inductive step. We have

$$\begin{aligned} & \llbracket \text{let } E_1 \text{ in let } E_2 \text{ in } \dots \text{ let } E_l \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q \dots \text{ else } Q \text{ else } Q \rrbracket \rho H \\ & = \llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho H \cup \llbracket \text{let } E_2 \text{ in } \dots \text{ let } E_l \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q \dots \text{ else } Q \rrbracket \rho_1 H_1 \\ & \quad \text{where } \rho_1 = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)(\rho[x_1 \mapsto p'_1]), H_1 = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)H, \text{ and} \\ & \quad \mathcal{E}_1 = \{\rho(M_{1,j}) = p_{1,j} \mid j = 1, \dots, n_1\}, \text{ by the base case} \\ & \sqsubseteq \llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho H \cup \llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho_1 H_1 \cup \\ & \quad \llbracket P \rrbracket (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_2)(\rho_1[x_2 \mapsto p'_2, \dots, x_l \mapsto p'_l])) (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_2)H_1) \end{aligned}$$

where  $\mathcal{E}_2 = \{\rho_1(M_{k,j}) = p_{k,j} \mid k = 2, \dots, l \text{ and } j = 1, \dots, n_k\}$ , by induction hypothesis, assuming that  $\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)$  and  $\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_2)$  are defined. We have

$$\llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho_1 H_1 = \llbracket Q \rrbracket (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)\rho) (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)H)$$

since  $x_1$  does not occur in  $Q$ , so  $\llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho_1 H_1 \sqsubseteq \llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho H$  by Lemma 7.

Let  $\mathcal{E}'_2 = \{\rho(M_{k,j}) = p_{k,j} \mid k = 2, \dots, l \text{ and } j = 1, \dots, n_k\}$ . The variables of  $p_{k,j}$  ( $k \geq 2$ ) are fresh, so they are untouched by  $\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)$ , so we have  $\mathcal{E}_2 = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)\mathcal{E}'_2$  and  $\mathcal{E} = \mathcal{E}_1 \cup \mathcal{E}'_2$ , so

$$\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_2)\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1) = \text{MGU}(\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)\mathcal{E}'_2)\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1) = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1 \cup \mathcal{E}'_2) = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})$$

by Lemma 6. Moreover, the variables of  $p'_2, \dots, p'_l$  are fresh, so they are untouched by  $\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)$ . Hence

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_2)(\rho_1[x_2 \mapsto p'_2, \dots, x_l \mapsto p'_l]) \\ &= \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_2)\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)(\rho[x_1 \mapsto p'_1, x_2 \mapsto p'_2, \dots, x_l \mapsto p'_l]) \\ &= \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})(\rho[x_1 \mapsto p'_1, \dots, x_l \mapsto p'_l]) \end{aligned}$$

and  $\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_2)H_1 = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_2)\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)H = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})H$ . Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} & \llbracket \text{let } E_1 \text{ in let } E_2 \text{ in } \dots \text{ let } E_l \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q \dots \text{ else } Q \text{ else } Q \rrbracket \rho H \\ & \sqsubseteq \llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho H \cup \llbracket P \rrbracket (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})(\rho[x_1 \mapsto p'_1, \dots, x_l \mapsto p'_l])) (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})H) \end{aligned}$$

As before, when  $\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})$  is not defined, that is,  $\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_2)\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)$  is not defined, the second component of the union is omitted.  $\square$

From this lemma, we obtain the following result for the special case of the decomposition of data constructors.

**Corollary 4.** *Let  $f$  be a data constructor of arity  $n$  and  $f_1^{-1}, \dots, f_n^{-1}$  be its associated destructors.*

$$\begin{aligned} & \llbracket \text{let } x_1 = f_1^{-1}(M) \text{ in } \dots \text{ let } x_n = f_n^{-1}(M) \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q \dots \text{ else } Q \rrbracket \rho H \\ & \sqsubseteq \llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho H \cup \llbracket P \rrbracket (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})(\rho[x_1 \mapsto v_1, \dots, x_n \mapsto v_n])) (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})H) \end{aligned}$$

where  $x_1, \dots, x_n$  do not occur in  $Q$  nor in  $M$ , and  $\mathcal{E} = \{f(v_1, \dots, v_n) = \rho(M)\}$ . When  $\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})$  is not defined, the second component of the union is omitted.

*Proof.* By Lemma 8, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} & \llbracket \text{let } x_1 = f_1^{-1}(M) \text{ in } \dots \text{ let } x_n = f_n^{-1}(M) \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q \dots \text{ else } Q \rrbracket \rho H \\ & \sqsubseteq \llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho H \cup \llbracket P \rrbracket (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}')(\rho[x_1 \mapsto v_{1,1}, \dots, x_n \mapsto v_{n,n}])) (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}')H) \end{aligned}$$

where  $\mathcal{E}' = \{\rho(M) = f(v_{k,1}, \dots, v_{k,n}) \mid k = 1, \dots, n\}$  and the variables  $v_{k,j}$  ( $k = 1, \dots, n$ ,  $j = 1, \dots, n$ ) are fresh. We have  $\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}')v_{k,j} = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}')v_{k',j}$  for all  $k, k', j$ , so for all  $j = 1, \dots, n$ , we can rename the variables  $v_{k,j}$  for all  $k$  into the same variable  $v_j$ . After this renaming, we obtain the announced result.  $\square$

**Lemma 9.** *Suppose that the variables of  $pat_1, \dots, pat_n$  are pairwise distinct and fresh (that is, they do not occur in  $\rho, H, M_1, \dots, M_n$ , and  $Q$ ).*

$$\begin{aligned} & \llbracket \text{let } pat_1 = M_1 \text{ in } \dots \text{ let } pat_n = M_n \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q \dots \text{ else } Q \rrbracket \rho H \\ & \sqsubseteq \llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho H \cup \llbracket P \rrbracket (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})(\rho[x \mapsto x \mid x \text{ occurs in } pat_1, \dots, pat_n])) (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})H) \end{aligned}$$

where  $\mathcal{E} = \{pat_i = \rho(M_i) \mid i = 1, \dots, n\}$ .

*Proof.* The proof is done by induction on the total size of the patterns  $pat_1, \dots, pat_n$ .

- Case 1: there is a single pattern  $pat = x$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
& \llbracket \text{let } x = M \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q \rrbracket \rho H \\
&= \llbracket \text{let } x = id(M) \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q \rrbracket \rho H \\
&= \llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho H \cup \llbracket P \rrbracket (\text{MGU}(\{\rho(M) = y\})(\rho[x \mapsto y])) (\text{MGU}(\{\rho(M) = y\})H) \\
&\quad \text{where } y \text{ is a fresh variable and the rewrite rule for destructor } \\
&\quad \textit{id} \text{ is renamed into } id(y) \rightarrow y \text{ (see the base case of Lemma 8).} \\
&\sqsubseteq \llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho H \cup \llbracket P \rrbracket (\text{MGU}(\{\rho(M) = x\})(\rho[x \mapsto x])) (\text{MGU}(\{\rho(M) = x\})H) \\
&\quad \text{by renaming } x \text{ into } y \text{ since } x \text{ and } y \text{ do not occur in } \rho, \rho(M), \\
&\quad \text{and } H.
\end{aligned}$$

- Case 2: there is a single pattern  $pat = f(pat_1, \dots, pat_n)$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
& \llbracket \text{let } f(pat_1, \dots, pat_n) = M \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q \rrbracket \rho H \\
&= \llbracket \text{let } x_1 = f_1^{-1}(M) \text{ in } \dots \text{ let } x_n = f_n^{-1}(M) \text{ in} \\
&\quad \text{let } pat_1 = x_1 \text{ in } \dots \text{ let } pat_n = x_n \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q \dots \text{ else } Q \\
&\quad \text{else } Q \dots \text{ else } Q \rrbracket \rho H \\
&\quad \text{where } x_1, \dots, x_n \text{ are fresh variables} \\
&\sqsubseteq \llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho H \cup \llbracket \text{let } pat_1 = x_1 \text{ in } \dots \text{ let } pat_n = x_n \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q \dots \text{ else } Q \rrbracket \\
&\quad (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})(\rho[x_1 \mapsto v_1, \dots, x_n \mapsto v_n])) (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})H) \\
&\quad \text{where } \mathcal{E} = \{f(v_1, \dots, v_n) = \rho(M)\}, \text{ by Corollary 4} \\
&\sqsubseteq \llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho H \cup \llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho' H' \cup \\
&\quad \llbracket P \rrbracket (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}')(\rho'[x \mapsto x \mid x \text{ occurs in } pat_1, \dots, pat_n])) (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}')H')
\end{aligned}$$

where  $\rho' = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})(\rho[x_1 \mapsto v_1, \dots, x_n \mapsto v_n])$ ,  $H' = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})H$ , and  $\mathcal{E}' = \{pat_1 = \rho'(x_1), \dots, pat_n = \rho'(x_n)\}$ , by induction hypothesis (since the total size of  $pat_1, \dots, pat_n$  is less than the size of  $f(pat_1, \dots, pat_n)$ ).

As  $x_1, \dots, x_n$  do not appear in  $Q$ ,  $\llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho' H' = \llbracket Q \rrbracket (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})\rho)(\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})H) \sqsubseteq \llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho H$ , by Lemma 7.

We have  $\mathcal{E}' = \{pat_i = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})v_i \mid i = 1, \dots, n\} = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})\{pat_i = v_i \mid i = 1, \dots, n\}$ , so by Lemma 6,

$$\begin{aligned}
& \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}')\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}) = \text{MGU}(\{f(v_1, \dots, v_n) = \rho(M)\} \cup \{pat_i = v_i \mid i = 1, \dots, n\}) \\
&= \text{MGU}(\{f(pat_1, \dots, pat_n) = \rho(M)\} \cup \{pat_i = v_i \mid i = 1, \dots, n\}).
\end{aligned}$$

Let  $\mathcal{E}'' = \{f(pat_1, \dots, pat_n) = \rho(M)\}$ . Then we have

$$\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}')\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}) = (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}''))[v_i \mapsto \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}'')pat_i].$$

Therefore we obtain that:

$$\begin{aligned}
& \llbracket \text{let } f(pat_1, \dots, pat_n) = M \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q \rrbracket \rho H \sqsubseteq \llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho H \\
&\quad \cup \llbracket P \rrbracket (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}''))(\rho[x \mapsto x \mid x \text{ occurs in } pat_1, \dots, pat_n])) (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}'')H)
\end{aligned}$$

since the variables  $v_1, \dots, v_n$  do not occur in  $\rho$  and  $H$ , and the variables  $x_1, \dots, x_n$  can be removed from the environment since they do not occur in  $P$ .

- Case 3: there are several patterns.

$$\begin{aligned}
& \llbracket \text{let } pat_1 = M_1 \text{ in } \dots \text{ let } pat_n = M_n \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q \dots \text{ else } Q \rrbracket \rho H \\
& \sqsubseteq \llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho H \cup \llbracket \text{let } pat_2 = M_2 \text{ in } \dots \text{ let } pat_n = M_n \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q \dots \text{ else } Q \rrbracket \\
& \quad (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)(\rho[x \mapsto x \mid x \text{ occurs in } pat_1]))(\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)H) \\
& \quad \text{where } \mathcal{E}_1 = \{pat_1 = \rho(M_1)\}, \text{ by induction hypothesis applied to } pat_1 \\
& \sqsubseteq \llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho H \cup \llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho' H' \cup \\
& \quad \llbracket P \rrbracket (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_2)(\rho'[x \mapsto x \mid x \text{ occurs in } pat_2, \dots, pat_n]))(\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_2)H')
\end{aligned}$$

where  $\rho' = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)(\rho[x \mapsto x \mid x \text{ occurs in } pat_1])$ ,  $H' = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)H$ , and  $\mathcal{E}_2 = \{pat_i = \rho'(M_i) \mid i = 2, \dots, n\}$ , by induction hypothesis applied to  $pat_2, \dots, pat_n$ .

Since the variables of  $pat_1$  do not occur in the process  $Q$ , we have

$$\llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho' H' = \llbracket Q \rrbracket (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)\rho)(\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)H) \sqsubseteq \llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho H$$

by Lemma 7.

Let  $\mathcal{E}'_2 = \{pat_i = \rho(M_i) \mid i = 2, \dots, n\}$  and  $\mathcal{E} = \{pat_i = \rho(M_i) \mid i = 1, \dots, n\}$ . Since the variables of  $pat_i$  for  $i \geq 2$  do not occur in  $\mathcal{E}_1$ , we have  $\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_2)\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1) = \text{MGU}(\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)\mathcal{E}'_2)\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1) = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1 \cup \mathcal{E}'_2) = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})$  by Lemma 6. So

$$\begin{aligned}
& \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_2)(\rho'[x \mapsto x \mid x \text{ occurs in } pat_2, \dots, pat_n]) \\
& = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_2)\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)(\rho[x \mapsto x \mid x \text{ occurs in } pat_1, \dots, pat_n]) \\
& = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})(\rho[x \mapsto x \mid x \text{ occurs in } pat_1, \dots, pat_n])
\end{aligned}$$

and  $\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_2)H' = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_2)\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)H = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})H$ . Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned}
& \llbracket \text{let } pat_1 = M_1 \text{ in } \dots \text{ let } pat_n = M_n \text{ in } P \text{ else } Q \dots \text{ else } Q \rrbracket \rho H \sqsubseteq \llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho H \\
& \cup \llbracket P \rrbracket (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})(\rho[x \mapsto x \mid x \text{ occurs in } pat_1, \dots, pat_n]))(\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E})H)
\end{aligned}$$

□

We introduce the notation  $\Gamma_P, \Gamma \vdash \rho^G$ , which means that the environment  $\rho^G$  is well-typed in the type environment  $\Gamma_P$  for generalized processes and the type environment  $\Gamma$  for generalized Horn clauses, and that these two type environments are compatible. Formally,  $\Gamma_P, \Gamma \vdash \rho^G$  means that

- for each mapping  $x_i \mapsto p^G$  in  $\rho^G$ , if  $\Gamma_P \vdash x_- : \tilde{L}$ , then  $\Gamma, \tilde{i} : \tilde{L} \vdash p^G$ ;
- for each mapping  $a \mapsto p^G$  in  $\rho^G$ , we have  $\Gamma \vdash p^G$ ;
- for each mapping  $a_i \mapsto p^G$  in  $\rho^G$ , if  $\Gamma_P \vdash a_- : [1, L]$ , then  $\Gamma, i : [1, L] \vdash p^G$ ;
- for each declaration  $i : [1, L] \in \Gamma_P$ , we have  $i : [1, L] \in \Gamma$ ; and
- for each declaration  $\phi : [1, L_1] \times \dots \times [1, L_h] \rightarrow [1, L] \in \Gamma_P$ , we have  $\phi : [1, L_1] \times \dots \times [1, L_h] \rightarrow [1, L] \in \Gamma$ .

**Lemma 10.** *Let  $\Gamma_P \vdash M^G$  be a well-typed pattern,  $\rho^G$  a function that associates a clause term with each name and variable, possibly with indices, and  $\Gamma$  an environment for generalized Horn clauses such that  $\Gamma_P, \Gamma \vdash \rho^G$ . Then  $\Gamma \vdash \rho^G(M^G)$*

*Proof.* We detail here the three interesting cases.

- Case  $M^G = x_{\tilde{i}}$ . Since  $\Gamma_P \vdash x_{\tilde{i}}$ , we have two judgments  $x_{\tilde{i}} : \tilde{L} \in \Gamma_P$  and  $\Gamma_P \vdash \tilde{i} : \tilde{L}$ . From the definition of  $\Gamma_P, \Gamma \vdash \rho^G$ , if  $\{x_{\tilde{i}} \mapsto p^G\} \in \rho^G$ , then  $\Gamma, \tilde{i} : \tilde{L} \vdash p^G$ . Moreover, as  $\Gamma_P \vdash \tilde{i} : \tilde{L}$ , we have  $\Gamma \vdash \tilde{i} : \tilde{L}$ . Hence  $\rho^G(M^G) = p^G\{\tilde{i}/\tilde{i}\}$  and  $\Gamma \vdash \rho^G(M^G)$ .
- Case  $M^G = a$ . From the definition of  $\Gamma_P, \Gamma \vdash \rho^G$ , if  $\{a \mapsto p^G\} \in \rho^G$ , then  $\Gamma \vdash p^G = \rho^G(M^G)$ .
- Case  $M^G = a_\iota$ . Since  $\Gamma_P \vdash a_\iota$ , we have two judgments  $a_\iota : [1, L] \in \Gamma_P$  and  $\Gamma_P \vdash \iota : [1, L]$ . From the definition of  $\Gamma_P, \Gamma \vdash \rho^G$ , if  $\{a_\iota \mapsto p^G\} \in \rho^G$ , then  $\Gamma, \iota : [1, L] \vdash p^G$ . Moreover, as  $\Gamma_P \vdash \iota : [1, L]$ , we have  $\Gamma \vdash \iota : [1, L]$ , using  $\Gamma_P, \Gamma \vdash \rho^G$  and an induction on the syntax of  $\iota$ . Hence  $\rho^G(M^G) = p^G\{\iota/i\}$  and  $\Gamma \vdash \rho^G(M^G)$ .  $\square$

We write  $T' \text{ ext } T$  to mean that  $T'$  is an extension of the environment  $T$ . Given a type environment  $\Gamma_P$  for processes and a type environment  $\Gamma$  for generalized Horn clauses, we define  $\{x_{\tilde{i}} \mapsto p^G\}^T = \{x_{\tilde{v}} \mapsto p^{GT[\tilde{i} \mapsto \tilde{v}]} \mid \tilde{v} \leq \tilde{L}\}$  when  $x_{\tilde{i}} : \tilde{L} \in \Gamma$ ,  $\{a \mapsto p^G\}^T = \{a \mapsto p^{GT}\}$ , and  $\{a_i \mapsto p^G\}^T = \{a_v \mapsto p^{GT[i \mapsto v]} \mid v \leq L\}$  when  $a_i : [1, L] \in \Gamma_P$ . We extend this definition naturally to  $\rho^{GT}$ .

**Lemma 11.** *Let  $\Gamma_P \vdash P^G$  be a well-typed instrumented generalized process,  $\rho^G$  a function that associates a clause term with each name and variable, possibly with indices,  $H^G$  a sequence of facts,  $\mathcal{E}$  a set of equations, and  $\Gamma$  is an environment for generalized Horn clauses such that:*

- $\Gamma \vdash H^G$ ;
- $\Gamma \vdash \mathcal{E}$ ;
- $\Gamma_P, \Gamma \vdash \rho^G$ .

Then

$$\llbracket P^{GT} \rrbracket (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T) \rho^{GT}) (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T) H^{GT}) \sqsubseteq \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} (\llbracket P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma)^{T'}$$

and the clauses in  $\llbracket P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma$  are well-typed.

*Proof.* The proof is done by structural induction on the process  $P^G$ . Let  $\rho = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T) \rho^{GT}$  and  $H = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T) H^{GT}$ , and let us show that

$$\llbracket P^{GT} \rrbracket \rho H \sqsubseteq \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} (\llbracket P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma)^{T'}$$

- Case  $\text{out}(M^G, N^G).P^G$ : The judgment  $\Gamma_P \vdash \text{out}(M^G, N^G).P^G$  is derived from  $\Gamma_P \vdash M^G$ ,



$\Gamma_P \vdash N^G$ , and  $\Gamma_P \vdash P^G$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
& \llbracket (\text{out}(M^G, N^G).P^G)^T \rrbracket \rho H \\
&= \llbracket \text{out}(M^{GT}, N^{GT}).P^{GT} \rrbracket \rho H \\
&= \llbracket P^{GT} \rrbracket \rho H \cup \{(\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T)H^{GT})\} \\
&\quad \Rightarrow \text{message}(\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T)\rho^{GT}(M^{GT}), \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T)\rho^{GT}(N^{GT})) \\
&= \llbracket P^{GT} \rrbracket \rho H \cup \{\Gamma \vdash H^G \wedge \mathcal{E} \Rightarrow \text{message}(\rho^G(M^G), \rho^G(N^G))\}^T \\
&\sqsubseteq \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} (\llbracket P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma)^{T'} \cup \\
&\quad \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} (\{\Gamma \vdash H^G \wedge \mathcal{E} \Rightarrow \text{message}(\rho^G(M^G), \rho^G(N^G))\})^{T'} \\
&\quad \text{by induction hypothesis and using that } T \text{ is an extension of itself} \\
&\sqsubseteq \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} (\llbracket \text{out}(M^G, N^G).P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma)^{T'}
\end{aligned}$$

The clause  $\Gamma \vdash H^G \wedge \mathcal{E} \Rightarrow \text{message}(\rho^G(M^G), \rho^G(N^G))$  is well-typed because  $\Gamma \vdash H^G$ ,  $\Gamma \vdash \mathcal{E}$ , and by Lemma 10, since  $\Gamma_P, \Gamma \vdash \rho^G$ ,  $\Gamma_P \vdash M^G$ , and  $\Gamma_P \vdash N^G$ , we have  $\Gamma \vdash \rho^G(M^G)$  and  $\Gamma \vdash \rho^G(N^G)$ . The other clauses are well-typed by induction hypothesis.

- Case  $\text{in}(M^G, x).P^G$ :

$$\begin{aligned}
\llbracket (\text{in}(M^G, x).P^G)^T \rrbracket \rho H &= \llbracket \text{in}(M^{GT}, x).P^{GT} \rrbracket \rho H \\
&= \llbracket P^{GT} \rrbracket (\rho[x \mapsto x])(H \wedge \text{message}(\rho(M^{GT}), x))
\end{aligned}$$

The right-hand side of the theorem develops in

$$\bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} (\llbracket \text{in}(M^G, x).P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma)^{T'} = \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} (\llbracket P^G \rrbracket \rho_1^G H_1^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma_1)^{T'}$$

where  $\rho_1^G = \rho^G[x \mapsto x]$ ,  $H_1^G = H^G \wedge \text{message}(\rho^G(M^G), x)$ , and  $\Gamma_1 = \Gamma, x_- : []$ . We show that  $\rho[x \mapsto x] = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T)\rho_1^{GT}$ :

$$\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T)\rho_1^{GT} = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T)\rho^{GT}[x \mapsto x] = \rho[x \mapsto x]$$

and  $H \wedge \text{message}(\rho(M^{GT}), x) = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T)H_1^{GT}$ :

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T)H_1^{GT} &= \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T)(H^G \wedge \text{message}(\rho^G(M^G), x))^T \\
&= \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T)H^{GT} \wedge \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T)(\text{message}(\rho^{GT}(M^{GT}), x)) \\
&= H \wedge \text{message}(\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T)\rho^{GT}(M^{GT}), x) \\
&= H \wedge \text{message}(\rho(M^{GT}), x)
\end{aligned}$$

The judgment  $\Gamma_P \vdash \text{in}(M^G, x).P^G$  is derived from  $\Gamma_P \vdash M^G$  and  $\Gamma_P, x_- : [] \vdash P^G$ . Let  $\Gamma'_P$  the environment that types  $P^G$ ,  $\Gamma'_P = \Gamma_P, x_- : []$ . Before applying the induction hypothesis, we need to show that  $\Gamma'_P, \Gamma_1 \vdash \rho_1^G$  and  $\Gamma_1 \vdash H_1^G$  (clearly,  $\Gamma_1 \vdash \mathcal{E}$ ). Since  $\Gamma_P, \Gamma \vdash \rho^G$ , we have  $\Gamma'_P, \Gamma_1 \vdash \rho^G$ . For the new map  $[x \mapsto x] \in \rho_1^G$  we have that  $x_- : [] \in \Gamma'_P$  and  $\Gamma_1 \vdash x$ . Hence  $\Gamma'_P, \Gamma_1 \vdash \rho_1^G$ .

Since  $\Gamma \vdash H^G$ , we have  $\Gamma_1 \vdash H^G$ . From Lemma 10, we have that  $\Gamma \vdash \rho^G(M^G)$ , as  $\Gamma_P, \Gamma \vdash \rho^G$  and  $\Gamma_P \vdash M^G$ . Finally  $\Gamma_1 \vdash x$ . Hence  $\Gamma_1 \vdash \text{message}(\rho^G(M^G), x)$ , and thus  $\Gamma_1 \vdash H_1^G$ . Therefore, we can apply the induction hypothesis and conclude.

- Case  $\mathbf{0}^T$ :  $\llbracket \mathbf{0}^T \rrbracket \rho H = \emptyset = \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} (\llbracket \mathbf{0} \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma)^{T'}$ .
- Case  $P^G \mid Q^G$ : The judgment  $\Gamma_P \vdash P^G \mid Q^G$  is derived from  $\Gamma_P \vdash P^G$  and  $\Gamma_P \vdash Q^G$ . Hence, using the induction hypothesis, we obtain:

$$\begin{aligned} \llbracket (P^G \mid Q^G)^T \rrbracket \rho H &= \llbracket P^{GT} \mid Q^{GT} \rrbracket \rho H = \llbracket P^{GT} \rrbracket \rho H \cup \llbracket Q^{GT} \rrbracket \rho H \\ &\sqsubseteq \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} (\llbracket P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma)^{T'} \cup \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} (\llbracket Q^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma)^{T'} \\ &\sqsubseteq \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} (\llbracket P^G \mid Q^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma)^{T'} \end{aligned}$$

- Case  $!^s P^G$ : The judgment  $\Gamma_P \vdash !^s P^G$  is derived from  $\Gamma_P, s_- : [] \vdash P^G$ . Since  $\Gamma \vdash H^G$ ,  $\Gamma \vdash \mathcal{E}$ , and  $\Gamma_P, \Gamma \vdash \rho^G$ , we have a fortiori  $\Gamma, s_- : [] \vdash H^G$ ,  $\Gamma, s_- : [] \vdash \mathcal{E}$ , and  $(\Gamma_P, s_- : [], (\Gamma, s_- : []) \vdash \rho^G[s \mapsto s])$ . Hence, using the induction hypothesis, we obtain:

$$\begin{aligned} \llbracket (!^s P^G)^T \rrbracket \rho H &= \llbracket !^s P^{GT} \rrbracket \rho H = \llbracket P^{GT} \rrbracket (\rho[s \mapsto s]) H \\ &\sqsubseteq \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} (\llbracket P^G \rrbracket (\rho^G[s \mapsto s]) H^G \mathcal{E} (\Gamma, s_- : []))^{T'} \\ &\sqsubseteq \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} (\llbracket !^s P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma)^{T'} \end{aligned}$$

- Case  $\Pi_{i \leq L} P^G$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \llbracket (\Pi_{i \leq L} P^G)^T \rrbracket \rho H &= \llbracket P^{GT[i \mapsto 1]} \mid \dots \mid P^{GT[i \mapsto L^T]} \rrbracket \rho H \\ &= \llbracket P^{GT[i \mapsto 1]} \rrbracket \rho H \cup \dots \cup \llbracket P^{GT[i \mapsto L^T]} \rrbracket \rho H \end{aligned}$$

The judgment  $\Gamma_P \vdash \Pi_{i \leq L} P^G$  is derived from  $\Gamma_P, i : [1, L] \vdash P^G$ . Since  $\Gamma \vdash H^G$ ,  $\Gamma \vdash \mathcal{E}$ , and  $\Gamma_P, \Gamma \vdash \rho^G$ , we have a fortiori  $\Gamma, i : [1, L] \vdash H^G$ ,  $\Gamma, i : [1, L] \vdash \mathcal{E}$ , and  $(\Gamma_P, i : [1, L]), (\Gamma, i : [1, L]) \vdash \rho^G$ . By induction hypothesis,  $\llbracket P^{GT[i \mapsto v]} \rrbracket \rho H \sqsubseteq \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T[i \mapsto v]} (\llbracket P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} (\Gamma, i : [1, L]))^{T'}$  for each  $v \in \{1, \dots, L^T\}$ . Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \llbracket (\Pi_{i \leq L} P^G)^T \rrbracket \rho H &\sqsubseteq \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T[i \mapsto 1]} (\llbracket P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} (\Gamma, i : [1, L]))^{T'} \cup \dots \cup \\ &\quad \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T[i \mapsto L^T]} (\llbracket P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} (\Gamma, i : [1, L]))^{T'} \\ \llbracket (\Pi_{i \leq L} P^G)^T \rrbracket \rho H &\sqsubseteq \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} (\llbracket P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} (\Gamma, i : [1, L]))^{T'} \\ &\sqsubseteq \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} (\llbracket \Pi_{i \leq L} P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma)^{T'} \end{aligned}$$

since  $T[i \mapsto v]$  is an extension of  $T$  for each  $v \in \{1, \dots, L^T\}$ .

- Case (for all  $i \leq L, \nu a_i : a_{i, \tilde{i}}^{L, \tilde{L}}[x_1, \dots, x_n, s_1, \dots, s_{n'}]) P^G$ :

$$\begin{aligned} &\llbracket ((\text{for all } i \leq L, \nu a_i : a_{i, \tilde{i}}^{L, \tilde{L}}[x_1, \dots, x_n, s_1, \dots, s_{n'}]) P^G)^T \rrbracket \rho H \\ &= \llbracket (\nu a_1 : a_{1, \tilde{1}}^{L, \tilde{L}}[x_1, \dots, x_n, s_1, \dots, s_{n'}]) \dots \\ &\quad (\nu a_L : a_{L, \tilde{L}}^{L, \tilde{L}}[x_1, \dots, x_n, s_1, \dots, s_{n'}]) P^{GT} \rrbracket \rho H \\ &= \llbracket P^{GT} \rrbracket \rho_1 H \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}\rho_1 &= \rho[a_1 \mapsto a_{1, \tilde{i}^T}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T} [\rho(x_1), \dots, \rho(x_n), \rho(s_1), \dots, \rho(s_{n'})], \dots, \\ &\quad a_{L^T} \mapsto a_{L^T, \tilde{i}^T}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T} [\rho(x_1), \dots, \rho(x_n), \rho(s_1), \dots, \rho(s_{n'})]].\end{aligned}$$

The right-hand side of the theorem develops in

$$\begin{aligned}&\bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} (\llbracket (\text{for all } i \leq L, \nu a_i : a_{i, \tilde{i}}^{L, \tilde{L}} [x_1, \dots, x_n, s_1, \dots, s_{n'}]) P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma)^{T'} \\ &= \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} (\llbracket P^G \rrbracket \rho_1^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma)^{T'}\end{aligned}$$

where  $\rho_1^G = \rho^G[a_i \mapsto a_{i, \tilde{i}}^{L, \tilde{L}} [\rho^G(x_1), \dots, \rho^G(x_n), \rho^G(s_1), \dots, \rho^G(s_{n'})]]$ .

We show that  $\rho_1 = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T) \rho_1^{GT}$ :

$$\begin{aligned}\rho_1 &= \rho[a_1 \mapsto a_{1, \tilde{i}^T}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T} [\rho(x_1), \dots, \rho(x_n), \rho(s_1), \dots, \rho(s_{n'})], \dots, \\ &\quad a_{L^T} \mapsto a_{L^T, \tilde{i}^T}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T} [\rho(x_1), \dots, \rho(x_n), \rho(s_1), \dots, \rho(s_{n'})]] \\ &= \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T) \\ &\quad (\rho^{GT}[a_1 \mapsto a_{1, \tilde{i}^T}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T} [\rho^{GT}(x_1), \dots, \rho^{GT}(x_n), \rho^{GT}(s_1), \dots, \rho^{GT}(s_{n'})], \\ &\quad \dots, a_{L^T} \mapsto a_{L^T, \tilde{i}^T}^{L^T, \tilde{L}^T} [\rho^{GT}(x_1), \dots, \rho^{GT}(x_n), \rho^{GT}(s_1), \dots, \rho^{GT}(s_{n'})]]) \\ &= \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T) \rho_1^{GT}\end{aligned}$$

The judgment  $\Gamma_P \vdash (\text{for all } i \leq L, \nu a_i : a_{i, \tilde{i}}^{L, \tilde{L}} [x_1, \dots, x_n, s_1, \dots, s_{n'}]) P^G$  is derived from  $\Gamma_P \vdash \tilde{i} : \tilde{L}$ ,  $\Gamma_P \vdash x_1, \dots, \Gamma_P \vdash x_n$ ,  $\Gamma_P \vdash s_1, \dots, \Gamma_P \vdash s_{n'}$ , and  $\Gamma_P, a_- : [1, L] \vdash P^G$ . Let  $\Gamma'_P$  the environment that types  $P^G$ ,  $\Gamma'_P = \Gamma_P, a_- : [1, L]$ . Before applying the induction hypothesis, we need to show that  $\Gamma'_P, \Gamma \vdash \rho_1^G$ . Since  $\Gamma_P, \Gamma \vdash \rho^G$ , we have  $\Gamma'_P, \Gamma \vdash \rho^G$ . For the new map  $[a_i \mapsto a_{i, \tilde{i}}^{L, \tilde{L}} [\rho^G(x_1), \dots, \rho^G(x_n), \rho^G(s_1), \dots, \rho^G(s_{n'})]] \in \rho_1^G$ , we have that  $a_- : [1, L] \in \Gamma'_P$ . Moreover, since  $\Gamma_P, \Gamma \vdash \rho^G$  and  $\Gamma_P \vdash \tilde{i} : \tilde{L}$ , we have  $\Gamma \vdash \tilde{i} : \tilde{L}$ , so a fortiori,  $\Gamma, i : [1, L] \vdash \tilde{i} : \tilde{L}$ . By Lemma 10, for each  $j \leq n$ , since  $\Gamma_P \vdash x_j$  and  $\Gamma_P, \Gamma \vdash \rho^G$ , we have  $\Gamma \vdash \rho^G(x_j)$ , so  $\Gamma, i : [1, L] \vdash \rho^G(x_j)$ . By Lemma 10, for each  $j \leq n'$ , since  $\Gamma_P \vdash s_j$  and  $\Gamma_P, \Gamma \vdash \rho^G$ , we have  $\Gamma \vdash \rho^G(s_j)$ , so  $\Gamma, i : [1, L] \vdash \rho^G(s_j)$ . So  $\Gamma, i : [1, L] \vdash a_{i, \tilde{i}}^{L, \tilde{L}} [\rho^G(x_1), \dots, \rho^G(x_n), \rho^G(s_1), \dots, \rho^G(s_{n'})]$ . Hence  $\Gamma'_P, \Gamma \vdash \rho_1^G$ . We can then apply the induction hypothesis and conclude.

- Case  $(\nu a)P^G$ : This case is similar to the previous one.
- Case let for all  $\tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}, x_{\tilde{i}} = g(M_1^G, \dots, M_n^G)$  in  $P^G$  else  $Q^G$ : let  $g(p_1, \dots, p_n) \rightarrow p'$  be the rewrite rule for the destructor  $g$ . We suppose that the tuples of indices  $\tilde{v} \leq \tilde{L}^T$  are indexed by  $1, \dots, l$ , that is, we define  $\{\tilde{v}_1, \dots, \tilde{v}_l\} = \{\tilde{1}, \dots, \tilde{L}^T\}$ . We let  $T'_k = T[\tilde{i} \mapsto \tilde{v}_k]$  for

$k = 1, \dots, l$ .

$$\begin{aligned} & \llbracket (\text{let for all } \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}, x_{\tilde{i}} = g(M_1^G, \dots, M_n^G) \text{ in } P^G \text{ else } Q^G)^T \rrbracket \rho H \\ &= \llbracket \text{let } E_1 \text{ in } \dots \text{ let } E_l \text{ in } P^{GT} \text{ else } Q^{GT} \dots \text{ else } Q^{GT} \rrbracket \rho H \\ & \quad \text{where } E_k \text{ is } x_{\tilde{i}}^{T'_k} = g(M_1^{GT'_k}, \dots, M_n^{GT'_k}) \text{ for } k = 1, \dots, l. \\ & \sqsubseteq \llbracket Q^{GT} \rrbracket \rho H \cup \llbracket P^{GT} \rrbracket (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)(\rho[x_{\tilde{v}_1} \mapsto p'_1, \dots, x_{\tilde{v}_l} \mapsto p'_l])) (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)H) \end{aligned}$$

by Lemma 8, where  $p_{k,1}, \dots, p_{k,n}, p'_k$  are the patterns  $p_1, \dots, p_n, p'$  renamed with distinct fresh variables for each  $k = 1, \dots, l$  and  $\mathcal{E}_1 = \{\rho(M_j^{GT'_k}) = p_{k,j} \mid k = 1, \dots, l \text{ and } j = 1, \dots, n\}$ , assuming that  $\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)$  exists. (When  $\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)$  does not exist, the second component of the union is omitted, and the rest of the proof can easily be adapted.) The right-hand side of the theorem develops in

$$\begin{aligned} & \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} (\llbracket \text{let for all } \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}, x_{\tilde{i}} = g(M_1^G, \dots, M_n^G) \text{ in } P^G \text{ else } Q^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma)^{T'} \\ &= \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} (\llbracket Q^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma)^{T'} \cup \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} (\llbracket P^G \rrbracket (\rho^G[x_{\tilde{i}} \mapsto p'^G]) H^G (\mathcal{E} \cup \mathcal{E}') \Gamma)^{T'} \end{aligned}$$

where  $\mathcal{E}'$  and  $\Gamma'$  are defined as follows. The rewrite rule  $g(p_1^G, \dots, p_n^G) \rightarrow p'^G$  is obtained from  $g(p_1, \dots, p_n) \rightarrow p'$  by replacing all variables  $y$  of this rule with fresh variables with indices  $\tilde{i}$ :  $y_{\tilde{i}}$ . Then  $\mathcal{E}'$  is the set of equations  $\{\bigwedge_{\tilde{i} \in \tilde{L}} p_1^G \doteq \rho^G(M_1^G), \dots, \bigwedge_{\tilde{i} \in \tilde{L}} p_n^G \doteq \rho^G(M_n^G)\}$  and  $\Gamma'$  is  $\Gamma$  extended with  $x_{\tilde{i}} : \tilde{L}$  and  $y'_{\tilde{i}} : \tilde{L}$  for each variable  $y'_{\tilde{i}}$  in  $p_1^G, \dots, p_n^G, p'^G$ .

We analyze now the relation between  $\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)$  and  $\mathcal{E}'^T$ . We have

$$\mathcal{E}'^T = \{\rho^{GT}(M_j^{GT[\tilde{i} \rightarrow \tilde{v}]}) = p_j'^{GT[\tilde{i} \rightarrow \tilde{v}]} \mid \tilde{v} \leq \tilde{L}^T \text{ and } j = 1, \dots, n\}.$$

Given the construction of  $p_{k,j}, p'_k, p_j^G, p'^G$ , there is a renaming  $\alpha$  such that, for all  $k = 1, \dots, l$ , we have  $\alpha p_{k,j} = p_j'^{GT'_k}$  for each  $j = 1, \dots, n$  and  $\alpha p'_k = p'^{GT'_k}$ . Hence we have

$$\begin{aligned} \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T) \mathcal{E}'^T &= \{\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T) \rho^{GT}(M_j^{GT[\tilde{i} \rightarrow \tilde{v}]}) = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T) p_j'^{GT[\tilde{i} \rightarrow \tilde{v}]} \\ & \quad \mid \tilde{v} \leq \tilde{L}^T \text{ and } j = 1, \dots, n\} \\ &= \{\rho(M_j^{GT[\tilde{i} \rightarrow \tilde{v}]}) = p_j'^{GT[\tilde{i} \rightarrow \tilde{v}]} \mid \tilde{v} \leq \tilde{L}^T \text{ and } j = 1, \dots, n\} \\ & \quad \text{since the variables of } p_j'^{GT[\tilde{i} \rightarrow \tilde{v}]} \text{ are fresh,} \\ & \quad \text{so they are not touched by } \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T) \\ &= \{\rho(M_j^{GT'_k}) = \alpha p_{k,j} \mid k = 1, \dots, l \text{ and } j = 1, \dots, n\} \\ &= \alpha \mathcal{E}_1 \end{aligned}$$

So, by Lemma 6,

$$\text{MGU}(\alpha \mathcal{E}_1) \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T) = \text{MGU}(\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T) \mathcal{E}'^T) \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T) = \text{MGU}((\mathcal{E} \cup \mathcal{E}')^T)$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{MGU}(\alpha \mathcal{E}_1)(\rho[x_{\tilde{v}_1} \mapsto \alpha p'_1, \dots, x_{\tilde{v}_l} \mapsto \alpha p'_l]) \\ &= \text{MGU}(\alpha \mathcal{E}_1) \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T)(\rho^{GT}[x_{\tilde{1}} \mapsto p'^{GT[\tilde{i} \rightarrow \tilde{1}]}, \dots, x_{\tilde{L}^T} \mapsto p'^{GT[\tilde{i} \rightarrow \tilde{L}^T]}) \\ &= \text{MGU}((\mathcal{E} \cup \mathcal{E}')^T)(\rho^G[x_{\tilde{i}} \mapsto p'^G])^T \end{aligned}$$

Similarly,  $\text{MGU}(\alpha\mathcal{E}_1)H = \text{MGU}(\alpha\mathcal{E}_1)\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T)H^{GT} = \text{MGU}((\mathcal{E} \cup \mathcal{E}')^T)H^{GT}$ .

The judgment  $\Gamma_P \vdash \text{let for all } \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}, x_{\tilde{i}} = g(M_1^G, \dots, M_n^G) \text{ in } P^G \text{ else } Q^G$  is derived from  $\Gamma_P, \tilde{i} : \tilde{L} \vdash M_1^G, \dots, \Gamma_P, \tilde{i} : \tilde{L} \vdash M_n^G, \Gamma_P, x_{\tilde{i}} : \tilde{L} \vdash P^G$ , and  $\Gamma_P \vdash Q^G$ . Let  $\Gamma'_P$  the environment that types  $P^G$ :  $\Gamma'_P = \Gamma_P, x_{\tilde{i}} : \tilde{L}$ . Before applying the induction hypothesis, we need to show that  $\Gamma'_P, \Gamma' \vdash \rho^G[x_{\tilde{i}} \mapsto p'^G]$  and  $\Gamma' \vdash \mathcal{E} \cup \mathcal{E}'$ . At first, notice that  $p_1^G, \dots, p_n^G, p'^G$  are obtained from  $p_1, \dots, p_n, p'$  by replacing all variables  $y$  with fresh variables with indices  $y'_i$  and that  $\Gamma'$  types each variable  $y'_i$  with type  $\tilde{L}$ . Hence all variables in  $p_1^G, \dots, p_n^G, p'^G$  are typed by  $\Gamma'$ .

We have that  $\Gamma'_P, \Gamma' \vdash \rho^G$  because  $\Gamma'$  extends  $\Gamma$ ,  $\Gamma'_P$  extends  $\Gamma_P$ , and  $\Gamma_P, \Gamma \vdash \rho^G$  by hypothesis. Since  $x_{\tilde{i}} : \tilde{L} \in \Gamma'_P$  and  $\Gamma', \tilde{i} : \tilde{L} \vdash p'^G$  (all variables in  $p'^G$  are typed by  $\Gamma'$ ), we have  $\Gamma'_P, \Gamma' \vdash \rho^G[x_{\tilde{i}} \mapsto p'^G]$ .

For each equation  $\bigwedge_{\tilde{i} \in \tilde{L}} p_j'^G \doteq \rho^G(M_j^G)$ ,  $j = 1, \dots, n$  we have that:

- $\Gamma', \tilde{i} : \tilde{L} \vdash \rho^G(M_j^G)$ : this comes from Lemma 10 applied to  $\Gamma_P, \tilde{i} : \tilde{L} \vdash M_j^G$  and  $(\Gamma_P, \tilde{i} : \tilde{L}), (\Gamma, \tilde{i} : \tilde{L}) \vdash \rho^G$  and from the fact that  $\Gamma'$  extends  $\Gamma$ .
- $\Gamma', \tilde{i} : \tilde{L} \vdash p_j'^G$ : all variables in  $p_j'^G$  are typed in  $\Gamma'$ .

This means that each equation in  $\mathcal{E}'$  is well typed in  $\Gamma'$ ; moreover  $\Gamma' \vdash \mathcal{E}$  because  $\Gamma'$  extends  $\Gamma$  and  $\Gamma \vdash \mathcal{E}$  by hypothesis. Thus  $\Gamma' \vdash \mathcal{E} \cup \mathcal{E}'$ .

We can then apply the induction hypothesis, which yields

$$\begin{aligned} & \llbracket P^{GT} \rrbracket (\text{MGU}(\alpha\mathcal{E}_1)(\rho[x_{\tilde{v}_1} \mapsto \alpha p'_1, \dots, x_{\tilde{v}_l} \mapsto \alpha p'_l])) (\text{MGU}(\alpha\mathcal{E}_1)H) \\ & \sqsubseteq \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} (\llbracket P^G \rrbracket (\rho^G[x_{\tilde{i}} \mapsto p'^G]) H^G (\mathcal{E} \cup \mathcal{E}') \Gamma')^{T'} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{and } \llbracket Q^{GT} \rrbracket \rho H \sqsubseteq \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} (\llbracket Q^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma')^{T'}$$

Moreover,

$$\begin{aligned} & \llbracket P^{GT} \rrbracket (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)(\rho[x_{\tilde{v}_1} \mapsto p'_1, \dots, x_{\tilde{v}_l} \mapsto p'_l])) (\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)H) \\ & \sqsubseteq \llbracket P^{GT} \rrbracket (\text{MGU}(\alpha\mathcal{E}_1)(\rho[x_{\tilde{v}_1} \mapsto \alpha p'_1, \dots, x_{\tilde{v}_l} \mapsto \alpha p'_l])) (\text{MGU}(\alpha\mathcal{E}_1)H) \end{aligned}$$

(These two sets of clauses are in fact equal up to renaming of variables, by construction.)

Hence we can conclude that:

$$\begin{aligned} & \llbracket (\text{let for all } \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}, x_{\tilde{i}} = g(M_1^G, \dots, M_n^G) \text{ in } P^G \text{ else } Q^G)^T \rrbracket \rho H \sqsubseteq \\ & \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} (\llbracket \text{let for all } \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}, x_{\tilde{i}} = g(M_1^G, \dots, M_n^G) \text{ in } P^G \text{ else } Q^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma')^{T'} \end{aligned}$$

- Case  $\text{let for all } \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}, \text{pat}^G = M^G \text{ in } P^G \text{ else } Q^G$ : as in the previous case, we suppose that the tuples of indices  $\tilde{v} \leq \tilde{L}^T$  are indexed by  $1, \dots, l$ , that is, we define  $\{\tilde{v}_1, \dots, \tilde{v}_l\} = \{\tilde{1}, \dots, \tilde{L}^T\}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} & \llbracket (\text{let for all } \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}, \text{pat}^G = M^G \text{ in } P^G \text{ else } Q^G)^T \rrbracket \rho H \\ & = \llbracket \text{let } E_1 \text{ in } \dots \text{ let } E_l \text{ in } P^{GT} \text{ else } Q^{GT} \dots \text{ else } Q^{GT} \rrbracket \rho H \\ & \quad \text{where } E_i \text{ is the equation } \text{pat}^{GT}[\tilde{v}_i \rightarrow \tilde{v}_i] = M^{GT}[\tilde{v}_i \rightarrow \tilde{v}_i]. \\ & \sqsubseteq \llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho H \cup \llbracket P \rrbracket \rho' H' \end{aligned}$$

by Lemma 9, where  $\mathcal{E}_1 = \{pat^{GT''} = \rho(M^{GT''}) \mid T'' = T[\tilde{i} \mapsto \tilde{v}], \tilde{v} \leq \tilde{L}^T\}$ ,  $\rho' = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)(\rho[x \mapsto x \mid x \text{ occurs in } pat^{GT[\tilde{i} \mapsto \tilde{v}], \tilde{v} \leq \tilde{L}^T])$ , and  $H' = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)H$ , assuming that  $\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)$  exists. (When  $\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)$  does not exist, the second component of the union is omitted, and the rest of the proof can easily be adapted.)

The right-hand side of the theorem develops in:

$$\begin{aligned} & \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} (\llbracket \text{let for all } \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}, pat^G = M^G \text{ in } P^G \text{ else } Q^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E}\Gamma)^{T'} \\ &= \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} (\llbracket Q \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E}\Gamma)^{T'} \cup \\ & \quad \llbracket P \rrbracket (\rho^G[x_{\tilde{i}'} \mapsto x_{\tilde{i}'} \mid x_{\tilde{i}'} \text{ occurs in } pat^G]) H^G (\mathcal{E} \cup \mathcal{E}') \Gamma'^{T'} \end{aligned}$$

where  $\mathcal{E}' = \bigwedge_{\tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}} pat^G \doteq \rho^G(M^G)$  and  $\Gamma'$  is  $\Gamma$  extended for the variables occurring in  $pat^G$ . More precisely, if the typing rule for the process *let for all*  $\tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}, pat^G = M^G$  in  $P^G$  else  $Q^G$  has  $i_1 : [1, L_1], \dots, i_h : [1, L_h] \vdash pat^G \rightsquigarrow \Gamma''$  as a premise, then  $\Gamma' = \Gamma, \Gamma''$ . Hence  $\mathcal{E}'^T = \{pat^{GT''} = \rho^{GT}(M^{GT''}) \mid T'' = T[\tilde{i} \mapsto \tilde{v}], \forall \tilde{v} \leq \tilde{L}^T\}$ . Hence we have that:

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T) \mathcal{E}'^T \\ &= \{\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T) pat^{GT[\tilde{i} \mapsto \tilde{v}]} = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T) \rho^{GT}(M^{GT[\tilde{i} \mapsto \tilde{v}]}) \mid \forall \tilde{v} \leq \tilde{L}^T\} \\ &= \{pat^{GT[\tilde{i} \mapsto \tilde{v}]} = \rho(M^{GT[\tilde{i} \mapsto \tilde{v}]}) \mid \forall \tilde{v} \leq \tilde{L}^T\} \\ &= \mathcal{E}_1 \end{aligned}$$

By Lemma 6,

$$\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1) \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T) = \text{MGU}(\text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T) \mathcal{E}'^T) \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T) = \text{MGU}((\mathcal{E} \cup \mathcal{E}')^T)$$

so

$$\begin{aligned} \rho' &= \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)(\rho[x \mapsto x \mid x \text{ occurs in } pat^{GT[\tilde{i} \mapsto \tilde{v}_i]}, \tilde{v}_i \leq \tilde{L}^T]) \\ &= \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1) \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T)(\rho^{GT}[x \mapsto x \mid x \text{ occurs in } pat^{GT[\tilde{i} \mapsto \tilde{v}_i]}, \tilde{v}_i \leq \tilde{L}^T]) \\ &= \text{MGU}((\mathcal{E} \cup \mathcal{E}')^T)(\rho^G[x_{\tilde{i}'} \mapsto x_{\tilde{i}'} \mid x_{\tilde{i}'} \text{ occurs in } pat^G])^T \end{aligned}$$

Similarly,

$$H' = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1)H = \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}_1) \text{MGU}(\mathcal{E}^T) H^{GT} = \text{MGU}((\mathcal{E} \cup \mathcal{E}')^T) H^{GT}.$$

The judgment  $\Gamma_P \vdash \text{let for all } \tilde{i} \leq \tilde{L}, pat^G = M^G$  in  $P^G$  else  $Q^G$  is derived from  $\Gamma_P, \tilde{i} : \tilde{L} \vdash M^G$ ,  $\Gamma_P, \Gamma_P'' \vdash P^G$ , and  $\Gamma_P \vdash Q^G$ , where  $\tilde{i} : \tilde{L} \vdash pat^G \rightsquigarrow \Gamma_P''$ . Let  $\Gamma_P'$  the environment that types  $P^G$ :  $\Gamma_P' = \Gamma_P, \Gamma_P''$ . Before applying the induction hypothesis, we need to show that  $\Gamma_P', \Gamma' \vdash \rho^G[x_{\tilde{i}'} \mapsto x_{\tilde{i}'} \mid x_{\tilde{i}'} \text{ occurs in } pat^G]$  and  $\Gamma' \vdash \mathcal{E} \cup \mathcal{E}'$ .

We have that  $\Gamma_P', \Gamma' \vdash \rho^G$  because  $\Gamma'$  extends  $\Gamma$ ,  $\Gamma_P'$  extends  $\Gamma_P$ , and  $\Gamma_P, \Gamma \vdash \rho^G$  by hypothesis. Clearly  $x_{\tilde{i}'} : \tilde{L} \in \Gamma_P''$  (that is  $x_{\tilde{i}'} : \tilde{L} \in \Gamma_P'$ ) and  $\Gamma', \tilde{i} : \tilde{L} \vdash x_{\tilde{i}'}^{\tilde{L}}$  (all variables in  $pat^G$  are typed by  $\Gamma'$ ) then  $\Gamma_P', \Gamma' \vdash \rho^G[x_{\tilde{i}'} \mapsto x_{\tilde{i}'} \mid x_{\tilde{i}'} \text{ occurs in } pat^G]$ .

For the equation  $\bigwedge_{\tilde{i} \in \tilde{L}} pat^G \doteq \rho^G(M^G)$  we have that:

- $\Gamma', \tilde{i} : \tilde{L} \vdash \rho^G(M^G)$ : this comes from Lemma 10 applied to  $\Gamma_P, \tilde{i} : \tilde{L} \vdash M^G$  and  $(\Gamma_P, \tilde{i} : \tilde{L}), (\Gamma, \tilde{i} : \tilde{L}) \vdash \rho^G$  and from the fact that  $\Gamma'$  extends  $\Gamma$ .

- $\Gamma', \tilde{i} : \tilde{L} \vdash pat^G$ : all variables in  $pat^G$  are typed in  $\Gamma'$ .

This means that the equation in  $\mathcal{E}'$  is well typed in  $\Gamma'$ ; moreover  $\Gamma' \vdash \mathcal{E}$  because  $\Gamma'$  extends  $\Gamma$  and  $\Gamma \vdash \mathcal{E}$  by hypothesis. Thus  $\Gamma' \vdash \mathcal{E} \cup \mathcal{E}'$ .

We can then apply the induction hypothesis:

$$\llbracket P^{GT} \rrbracket \rho' H' \sqsubseteq \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} \llbracket P \rrbracket (\rho^G [x_{\tilde{i}'} \mapsto x_{\tilde{i}'} \mid x_{\tilde{i}'} \text{ occurs in } pat^G]) H^G (\mathcal{E} \cup \mathcal{E}') \Gamma'^{T'}$$

and  $\llbracket Q^{GT} \rrbracket \rho H \sqsubseteq \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} (\llbracket Q^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma)^{T'}$ . Therefore we can conclude.

- Case  $\text{event}(e(M^G)).P^G$ : This case combines the arguments used in the case of input and in the case of output.
- Case  $\text{choose } L \text{ in } P^G$ : The judgment  $\Gamma_P \vdash \text{choose } L \text{ in } P^G$  is derived from  $\Gamma_P \vdash P^G$ . Hence, using the induction hypothesis, we obtain:

$$\begin{aligned} & \llbracket (\text{choose } L \text{ in } P^G)^T \rrbracket \rho H \\ &= \llbracket P^{GT[L \mapsto 1]} + \dots + P^{GT[L \mapsto n]} + \dots \rrbracket \rho H \\ &= \llbracket P^{GT[L \mapsto 1]} \rrbracket \rho H \cup \dots \cup \llbracket P^{GT[L \mapsto n]} \rrbracket \rho H \cup \dots \\ &\sqsubseteq \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T[L \mapsto 1]} (\llbracket P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma)^{T'} \cup \dots \cup \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T[L \mapsto n]} (\llbracket P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma)^{T'} \cup \dots \\ &\sqsubseteq \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} (\llbracket \text{choose } L \text{ in } P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma)^{T'} \end{aligned}$$

- Case  $\text{choose } k \leq L \text{ in } P^G$ : The judgment  $\Gamma_P \vdash \text{choose } k \leq L \text{ in } P^G$  is derived from  $\Gamma_P, k : [1, L] \vdash P^G$ . Since  $\Gamma \vdash H^G$ ,  $\Gamma \vdash \mathcal{E}$ , and  $\Gamma_P, \Gamma \vdash \rho^G$ , we have a fortiori  $\Gamma, k : [1, L] \vdash H^G$ ,  $\Gamma, k : [1, L] \vdash \mathcal{E}$ , and  $(\Gamma_P, k : [1, L]), (\Gamma, k : [1, L]) \vdash \rho^G$ . Hence, using the induction hypothesis, we obtain:

$$\begin{aligned} & \llbracket (\text{choose } k \leq L \text{ in } P^G)^T \rrbracket \rho H \\ &= \llbracket P^{GT[k \mapsto 1]} + \dots + P^{GT[k \mapsto L^T]} \rrbracket \rho H \\ &= \llbracket P^{GT[k \mapsto 1]} \rrbracket \rho H \cup \dots \cup \llbracket P^{GT[k \mapsto L^T]} \rrbracket \rho H \\ &\sqsubseteq \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T[k \mapsto 1]} (\llbracket P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} (\Gamma, k : [1, L]))^{T'} \cup \dots \cup \\ & \quad \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T[k \mapsto L^T]} (\llbracket P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} (\Gamma, k : [1, L]))^{T'} \\ &\sqsubseteq \bigcup_{T' \text{ ext } T} (\llbracket \text{choose } k \leq L \text{ in } P^G \rrbracket \rho^G H^G \mathcal{E} \Gamma)^{T'} \end{aligned}$$

- Case  $\text{choose } \phi : L_1 \times \dots \times L_h \rightarrow L' \text{ in } P^G$ : This case is similar to the previous one.  $\square$

### E.2.3 Combining the results

From the previous results, we easily obtain Theorem 3.

*Proof of Theorem 3.* Let  $P_1^G = \text{instr}^G(P_0^G)$ . By Corollary 3,  $\Gamma_0 \vdash P_1^G$ . By Lemma 11,  $(\llbracket P_1^G \rrbracket \rho_0 \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset)^{\mathcal{T}} = \bigcup_T (\llbracket P_1^G \rrbracket \rho_0 \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset)^T \supseteq \llbracket P_1^{GT_0} \rrbracket \rho_0 \emptyset$ . By Lemma 5,  $\text{instr}(P_0') = \text{instr}(\text{Tren}(P_0^G, T_0, \emptyset \leq \emptyset)) \equiv_{\alpha} \text{instr}^G(P_0^G)^{T_0} = P_1^{GT_0}$ , so we have  $(\llbracket \text{instr}^G(P_0^G) \rrbracket \rho_0 \emptyset \emptyset \emptyset)^{\mathcal{T}} \supseteq \llbracket \text{instr}(P_0') \rrbracket \rho_0 \emptyset$  since the translation to Horn clauses  $\llbracket \cdot \rrbracket$  is invariant by renaming of bound names.

Moreover, for each clause  $R$  in  $\{\text{att}(a[]) \mid a \in S\} \cup \{(\text{Rn}), (\text{Rf}), (\text{Rg}), (\text{Rl}), (\text{Rs})\}$  except the clauses  $(\text{Rf})$  and  $(\text{Rg})$  for lists of fixed length,  $R$  is also a generalized Horn clause and we have  $\{R\}^{\mathcal{T}} = \{R^G\}$ . The clauses  $(\text{Rf})$  for lists of fixed length are in  $\{R^G\}^{\mathcal{T}} = \{\text{att}(x_1) \wedge \dots \wedge \text{att}(x_n) \Rightarrow \text{att}(\langle x_1, \dots, x_n \rangle) \mid n \in \mathbb{N}\}$ , where  $R^G = (\text{Rf-list})$ . The clauses  $(\text{Rg})$  for lists of fixed length are in  $\{R^G\}^{\mathcal{T}} = \{\text{att}(\langle x_1, \dots, x_n \rangle) \Rightarrow \text{att}(x_v) \mid n \in \mathbb{N}, v \leq n\}$  where  $R^G = (\text{Rg-list})$ .

So we obtain  $\mathcal{R}_{P_0^G, S}^{\mathcal{GT}} \supseteq \mathcal{R}_{P_0', S}$ . □





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