

Disornamentation

Ornamentation as it should have been

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Changes in data structures

- data structures of existing programs sometimes need to be modified
- the existing pieces of code must be modified accordingly
 - doing so by hand: tedious, incomplete, and error prone
- ornamentation: a class of transformations in data-structures for which the code can be semi-automatically adapted.
 - a form of refactoring

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ornamentation

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eval : exp -> ...
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- relations = ornaments + disornaments
 - extension of the ornamentation framework!

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- idea of Conor McBride with Pierre-Evariste Dagand
- also studied by Hsiang-Shang Ko and Jeremy Gibbons
- based on work by Thomas Williams and Didier Rémy that adapted the idea of ornaments to ML
- examples

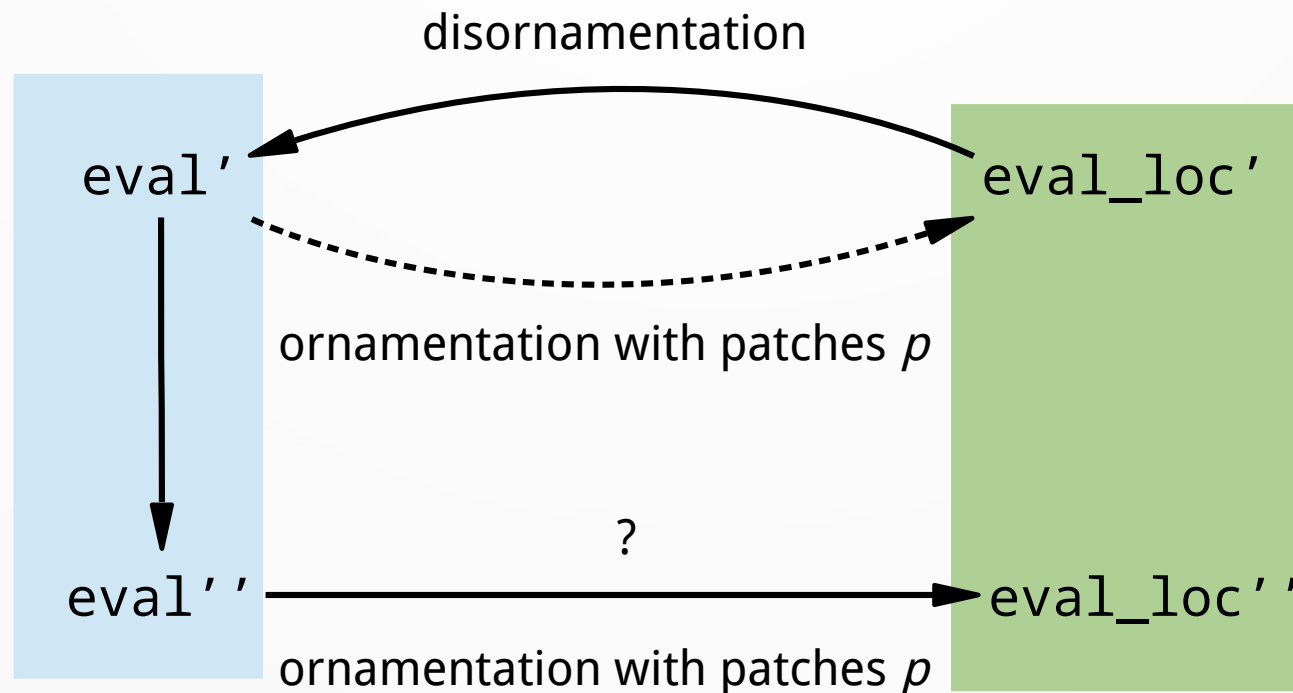
Synchronization: two views of the same algorithm

code simpler,
no error handling

code bigger,
error handling but less readable

type exp

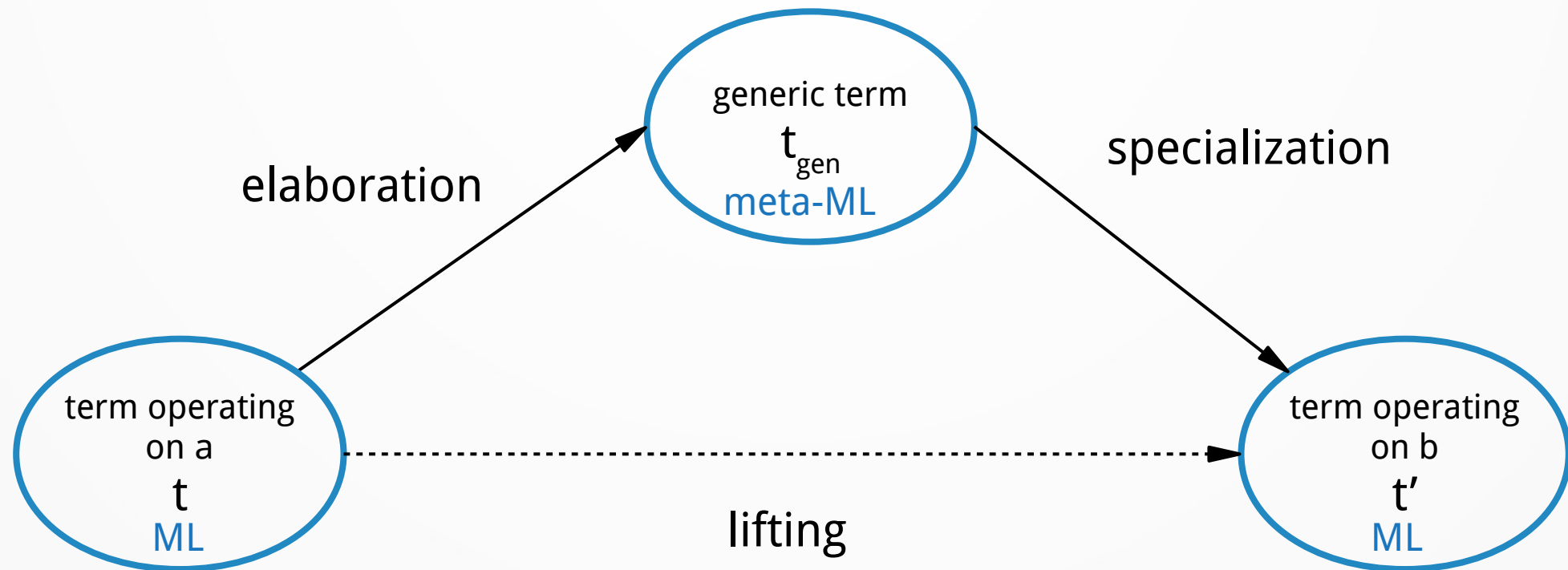
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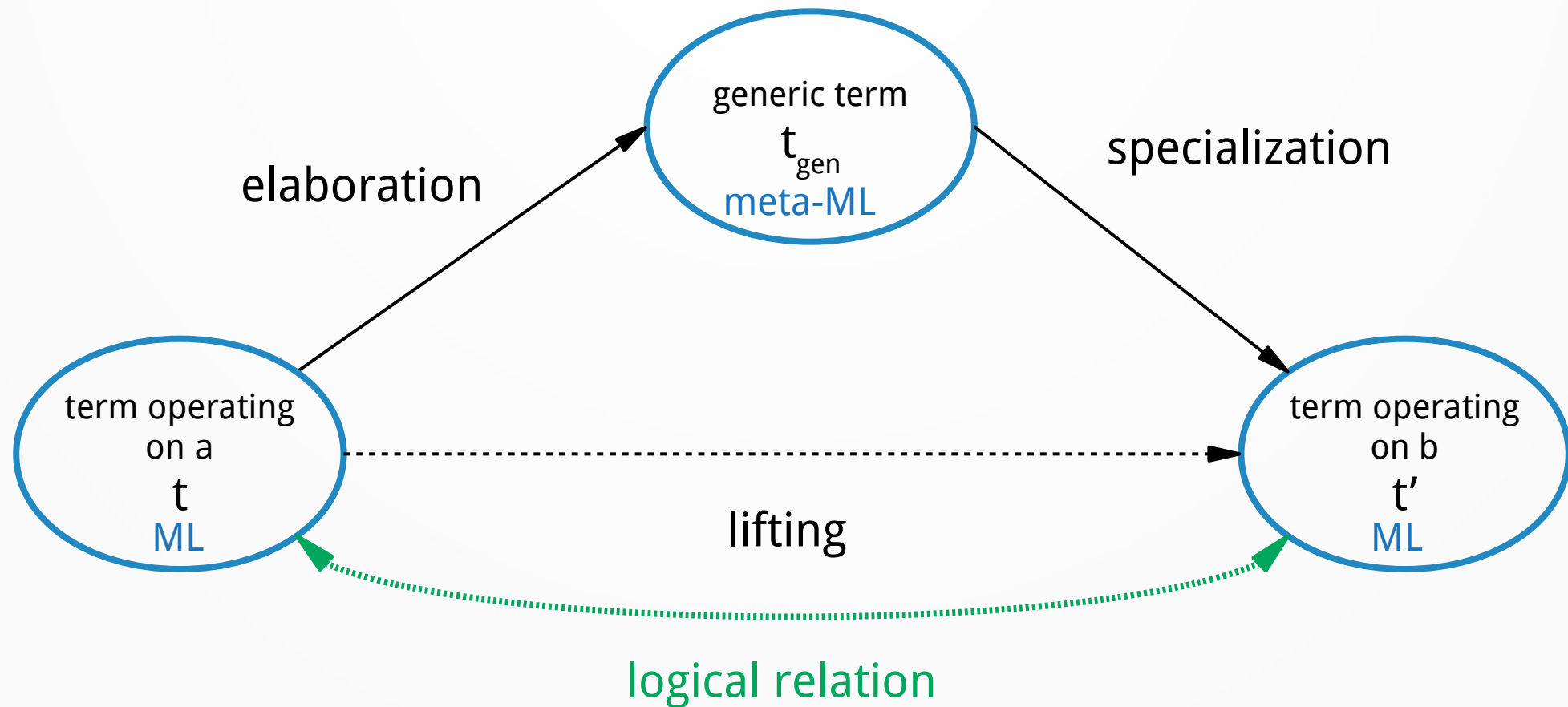
Demo

- Examples:
<http://gallium.inria.fr/~remy/ornaments/disorn/>
- Try the online prototype:
<https://www.eleves.ens.fr/home/lbaudin/demo>

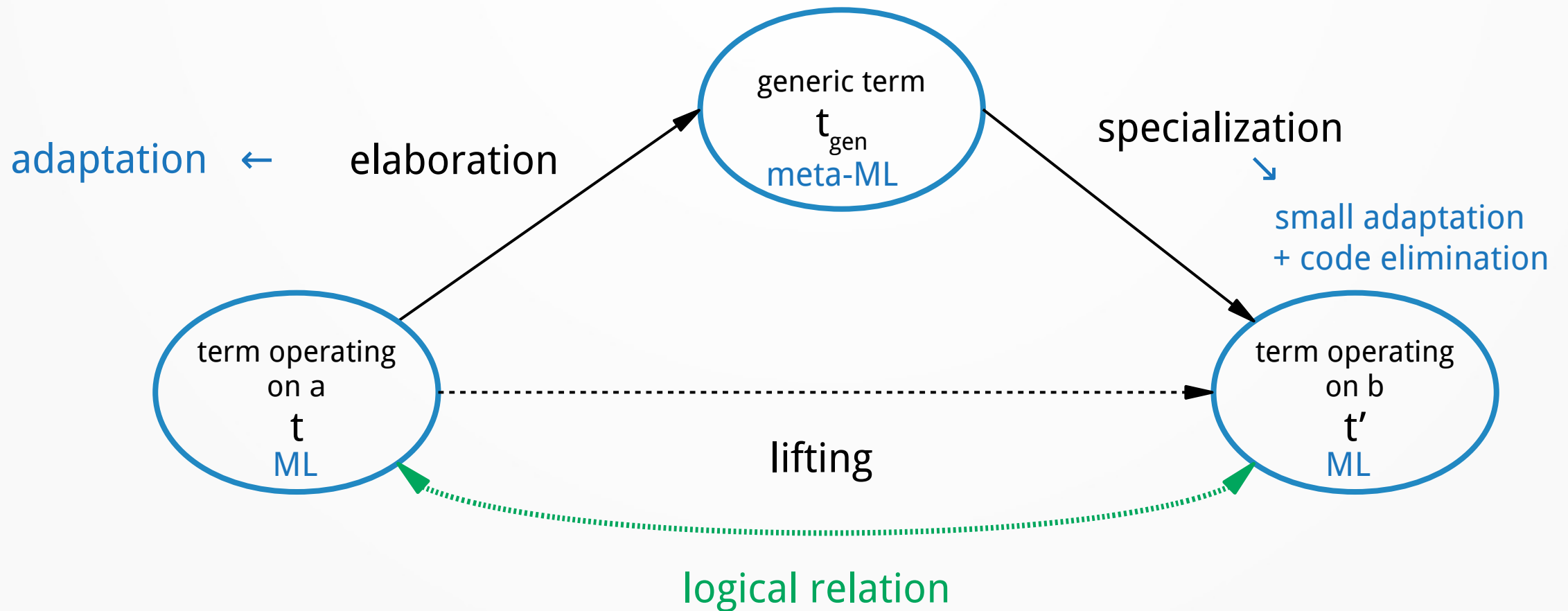
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```

elaboration



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let rec length_gen n =
  match rel1.to_skel n #7 with
  | Nil_skel →
    rel2.from_skel Z_skel #5
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type functions that describe
the type of extra information



conversion functions



Transformation

Encoding relations

- example for α natlist :

```
type relation  $\alpha$  natlist : nat =>  $\alpha$  list with
| Z   => Nil
| S n => Cons(_, n) when n :  $\alpha$  natlist
```

```
to_skel =  $\lambda x$ .  $\lambda ()$ . match x with
| Nil           → Z_skel
| Cons(_, n)   → S_skel n
```

```
from_skel =  $\lambda x$ .  $\lambda y$ . match x with
| Z_skel       → Nil
| S_skel n     → Cons(y, n)
```

```
 $\delta^{to\_skel}$  =  $\lambda \_$ . unit
```

```
 $\delta^{from\_skel}$  =  $\lambda x$ . match x with
| Z_skel       → unit
| S_skel n     →  $\alpha$ 
```

Transformation

Encoding relations

- example for α rev_natlist :

```
type relation  $\alpha$  rev_natlist :  $\alpha$  list => nat with
| Nil           => Z
| Cons(_, n) => S n when n :  $\alpha$  natlist
```

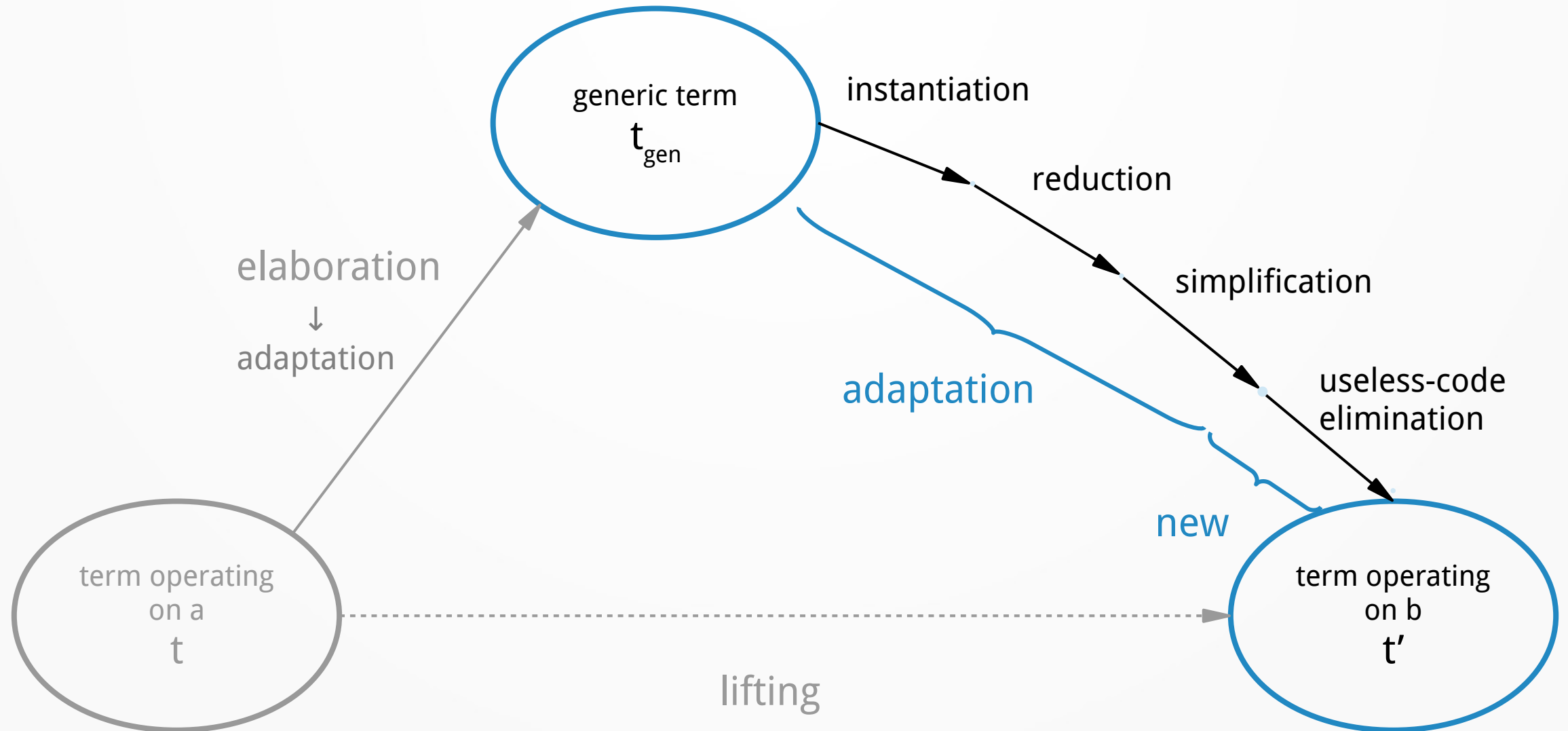
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Transformation Specialization



Useless-code elimination

- ornamentation: add pieces of information, no code need to be removed
- disornamentation: code used to compute removed pieces of information becomes useless

```
let rec map f l =  
  match l with  
  | Nil → Nil  
  | Cons(a, q) →  
    let a' = f a in  
    Cons(a', map f q)
```

disornamentation



```
let rec id f l =  
  match l with  
  | Z → Z  
  | S q →  
    let a' = f #3 in  
    S (id f q)
```

useless



A new patch language

- for ornamentation, holes were numbered

```
let concat' = lifting add : ...
```

```
let rec concat' m n = match m with  
| Nil → n  
| Cons(_, m') → Cons(#3, concat' m' n)
```

```
let concat' = lifting add : ... with  
patch #3[match m with Cons(a,_) → a]
```

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- not robust to changes
- does not allow easy patch factorization
- cannot be extended to new, similar holes
- problem already noticed with ornamentation, but not solved

A new patch language

- a patch is composed of:
 - a pattern, *i.e.* a term with metavariables and a unique hole denoted `#[...]`
 - a term, the patch content

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let concat = lifting add : ... with
  patch match _ with Cons(a, m') -> Cons([a], _)
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pattern written by the user

content

$p = C \gamma D \#[a]$

toplevel pattern

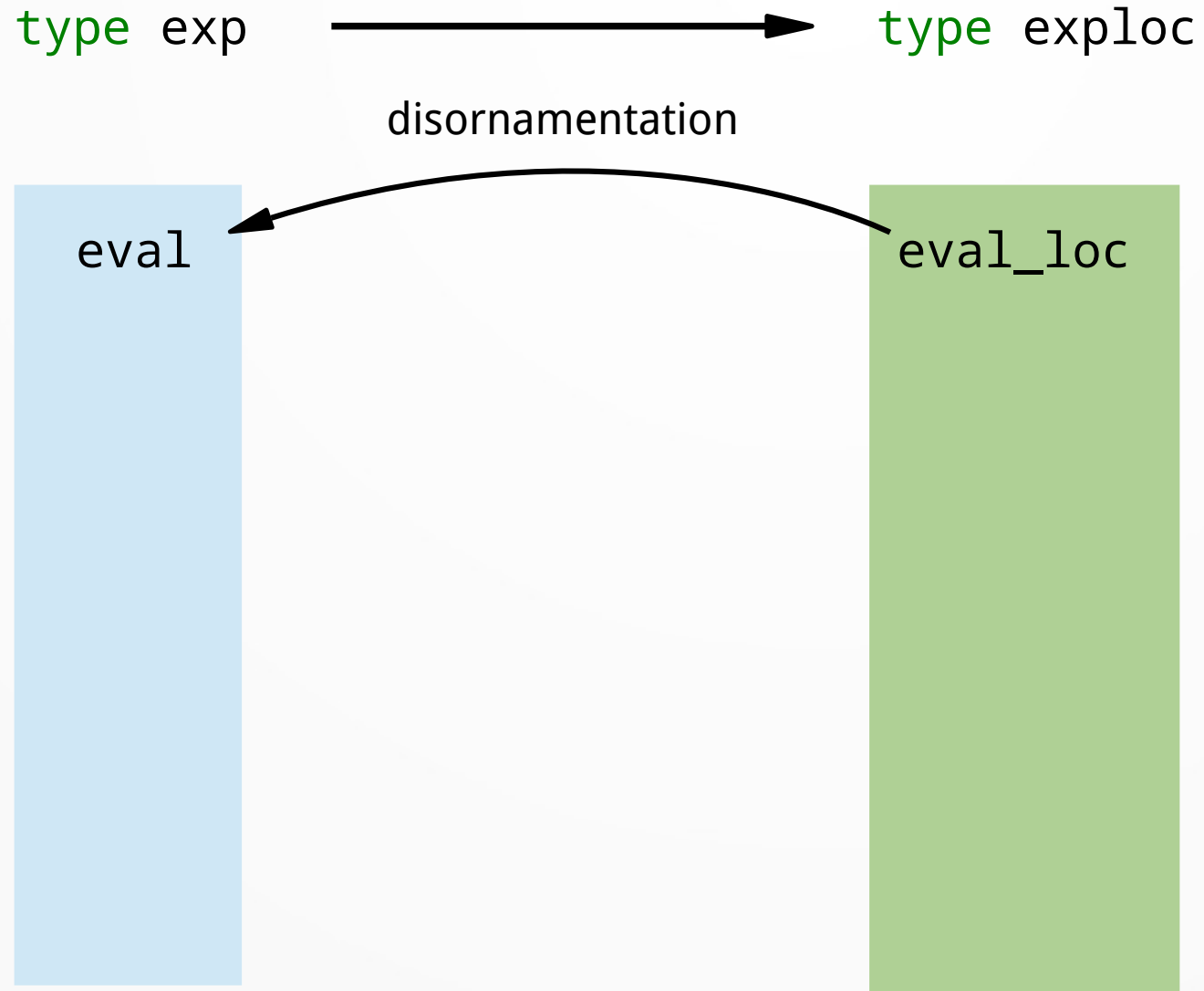
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fun m n → []
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pattern variable

`[]`

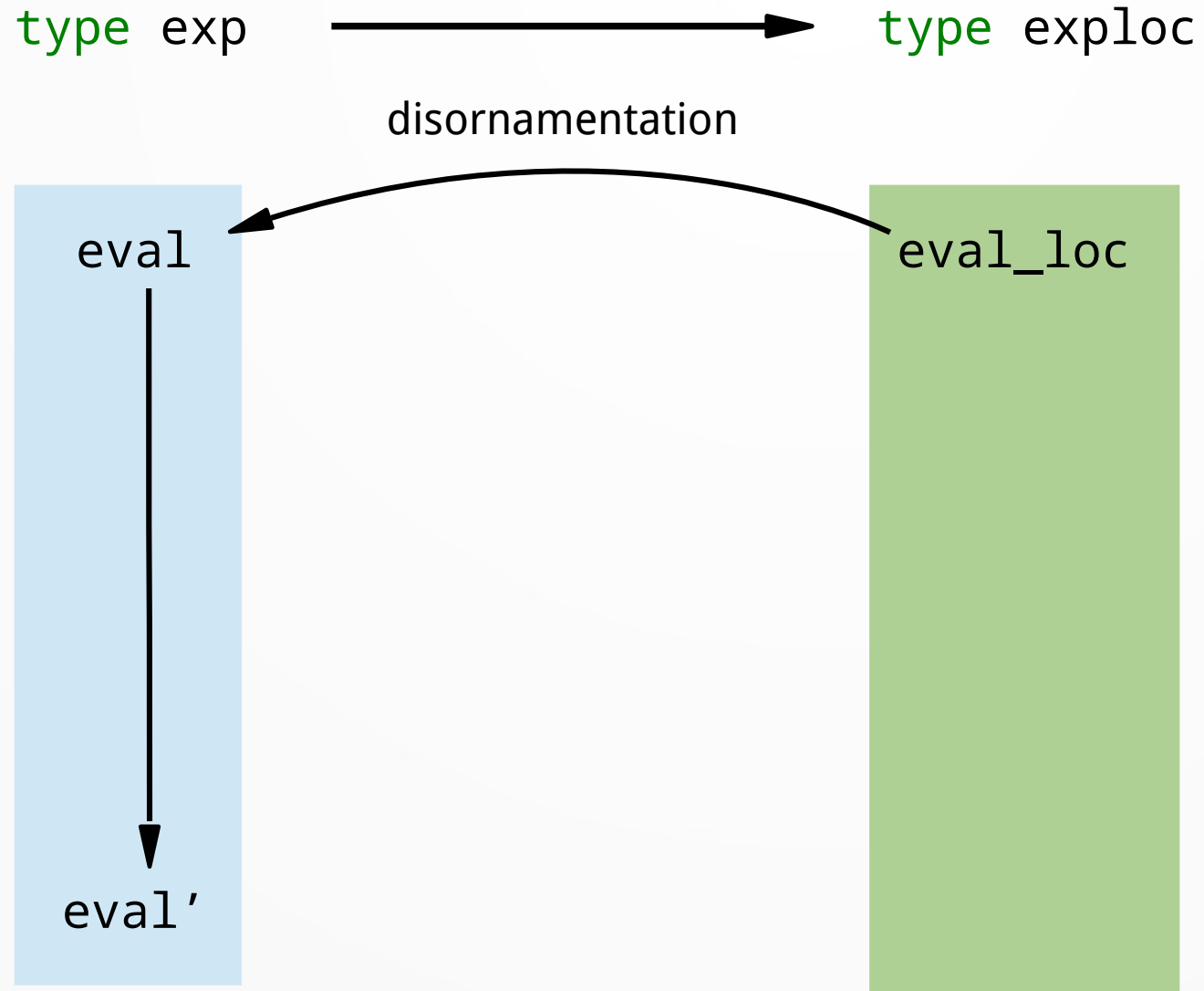
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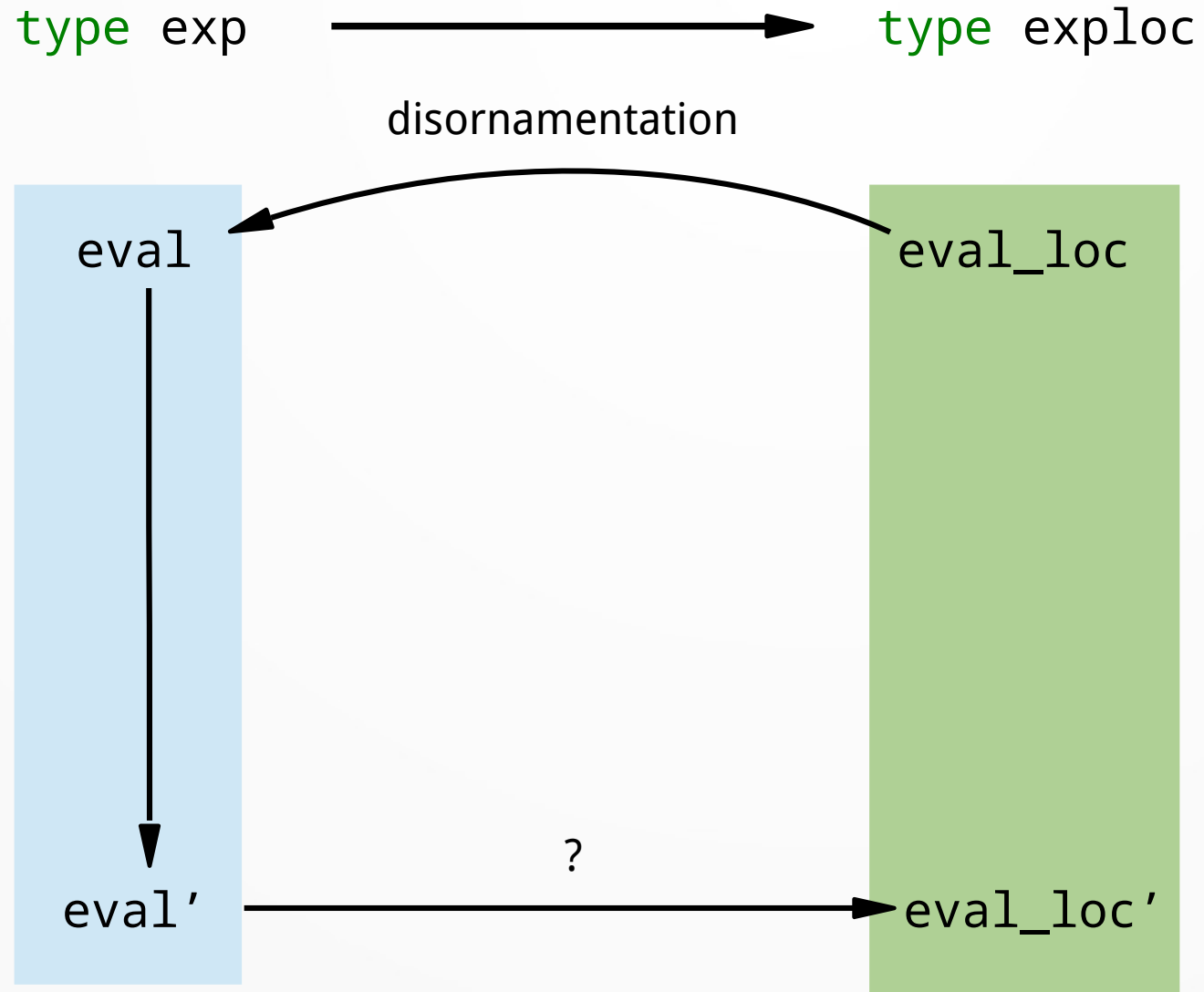
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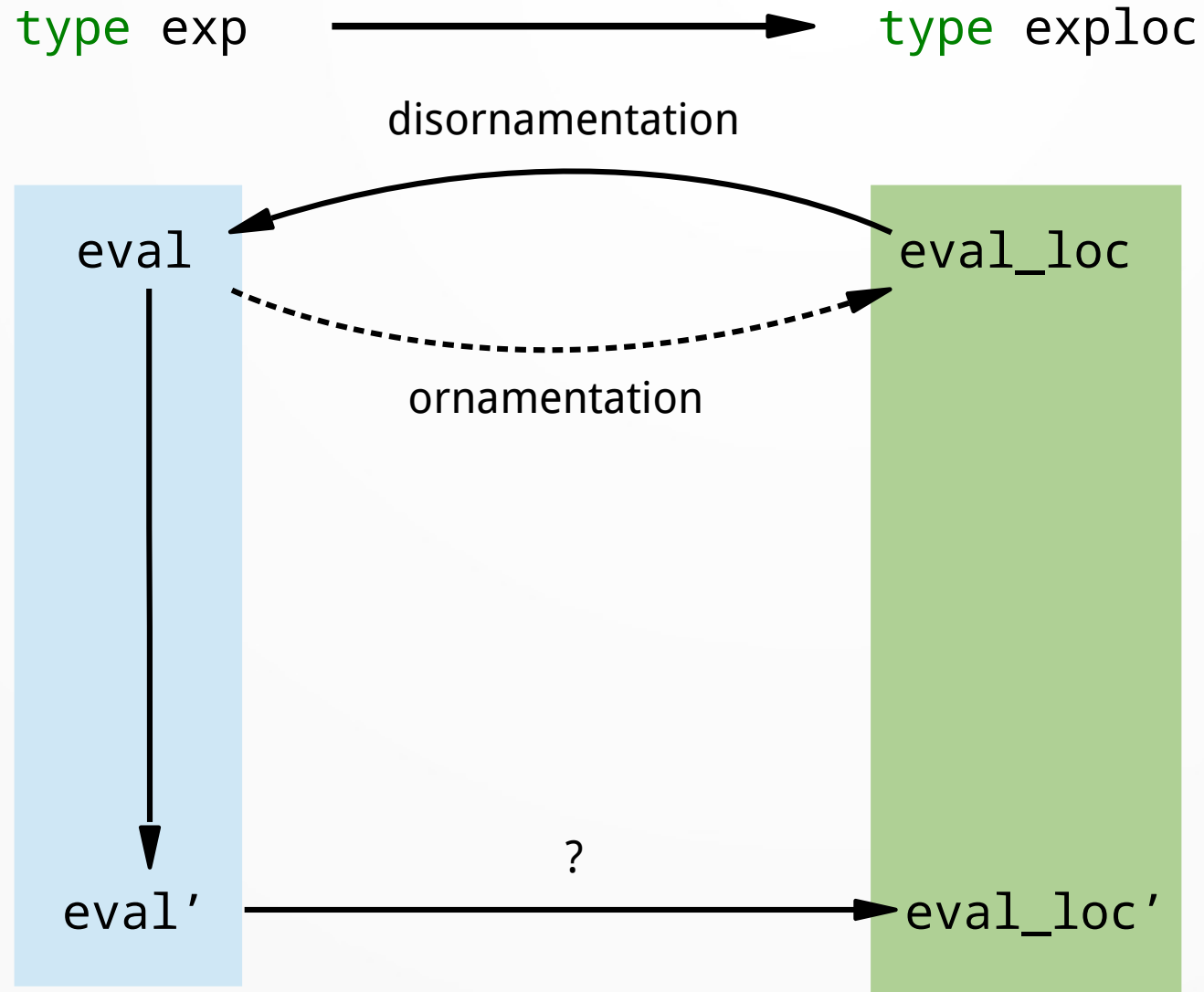
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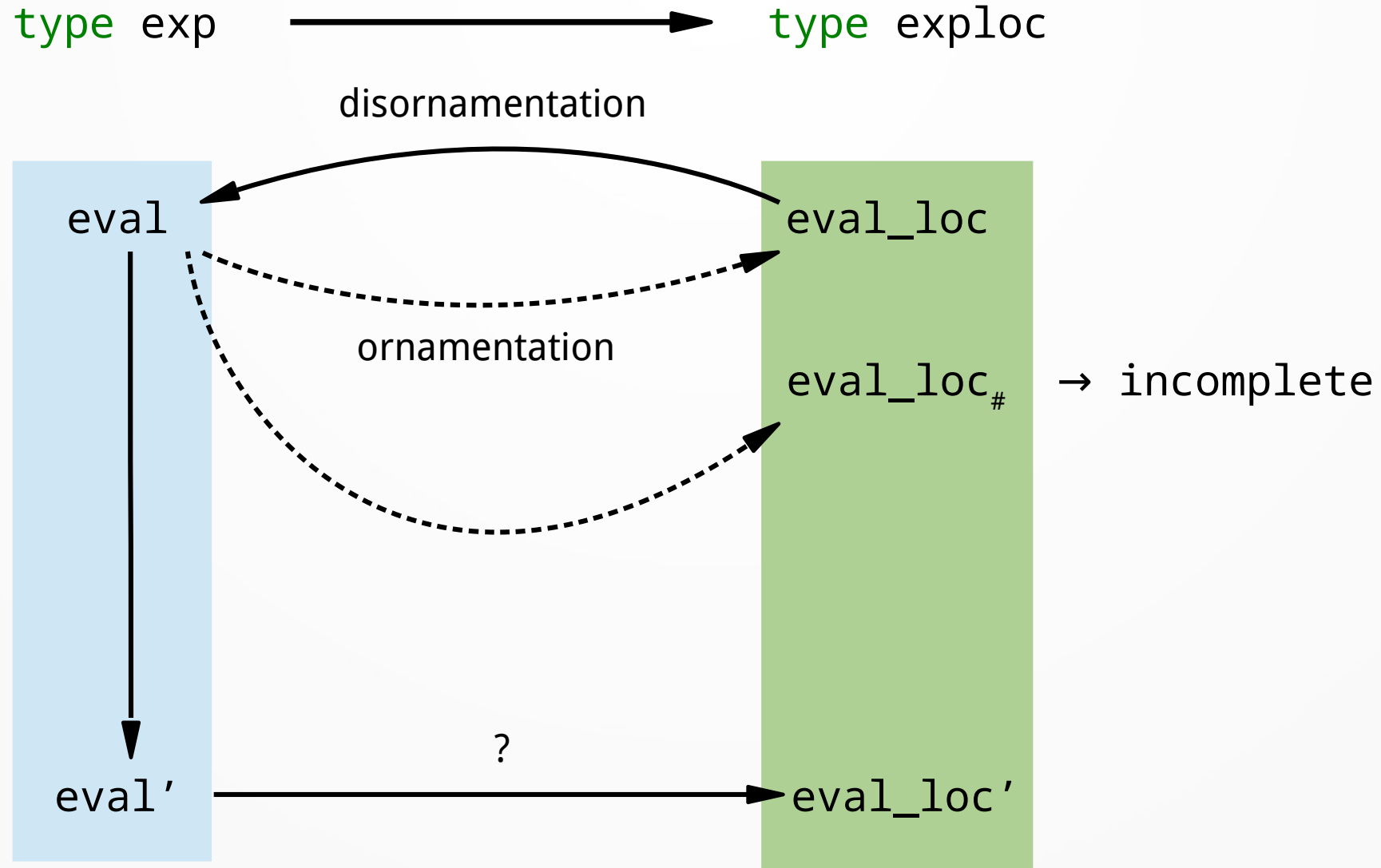
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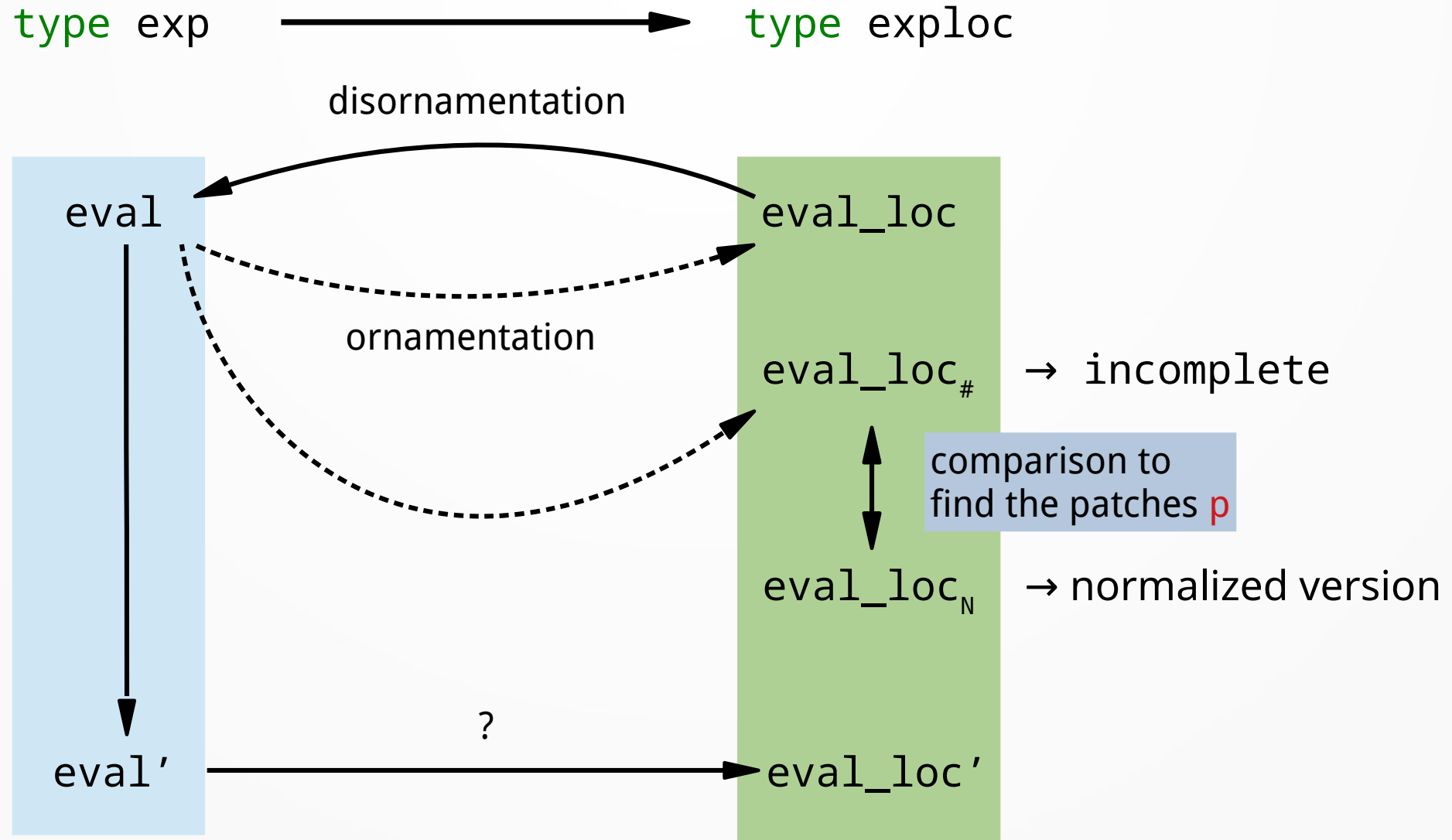
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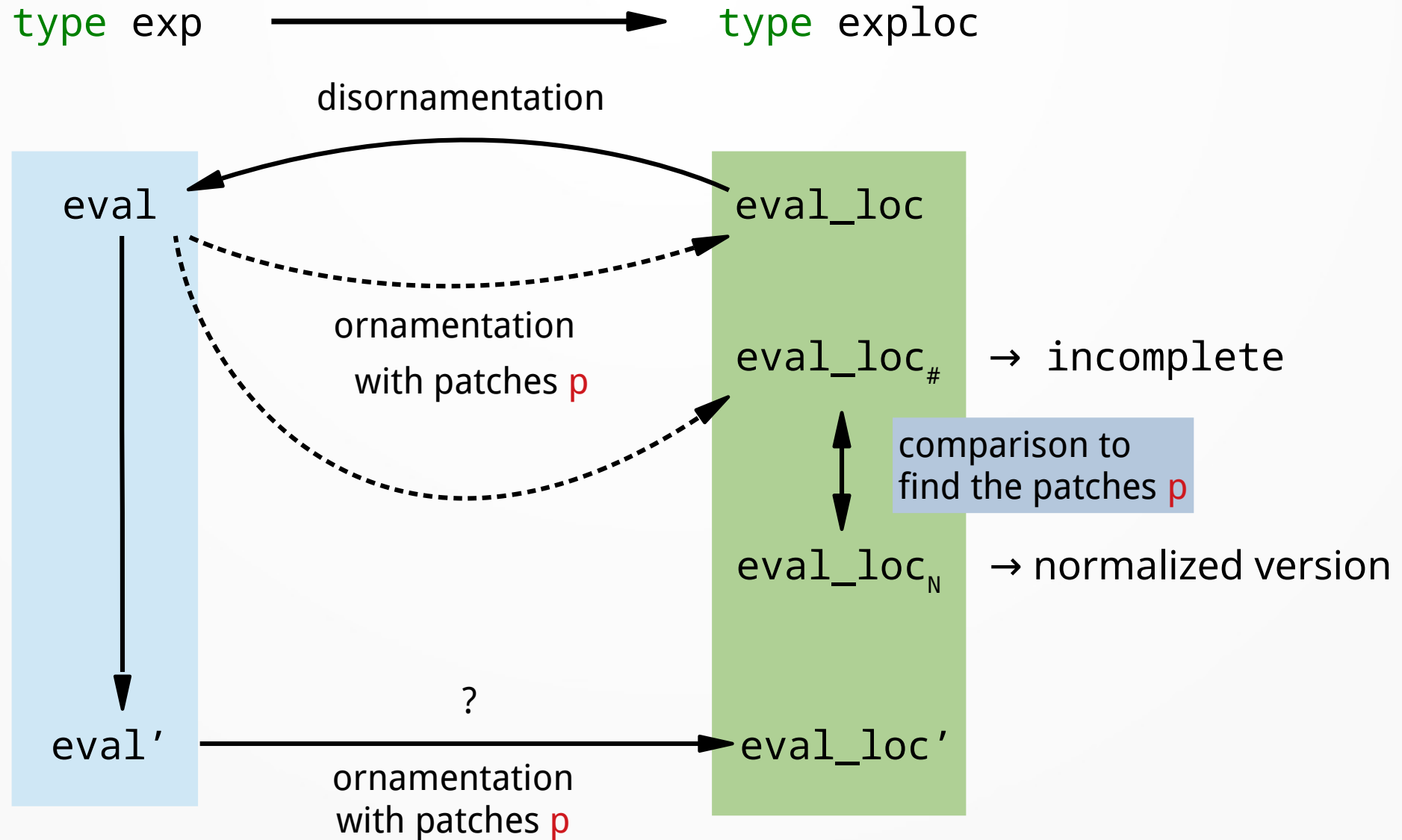
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Bring back home

- both theory and implementation of ornamentation reused
- a new, more general framework to express both disornamentation and ornamentation
- ornamentation and disornamentation → code synchronization
 - a new patch language
 - patch generation
- OCaml implementation: ongoing work for ornamentation

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