

# Cometic functors for principal lattice congruences

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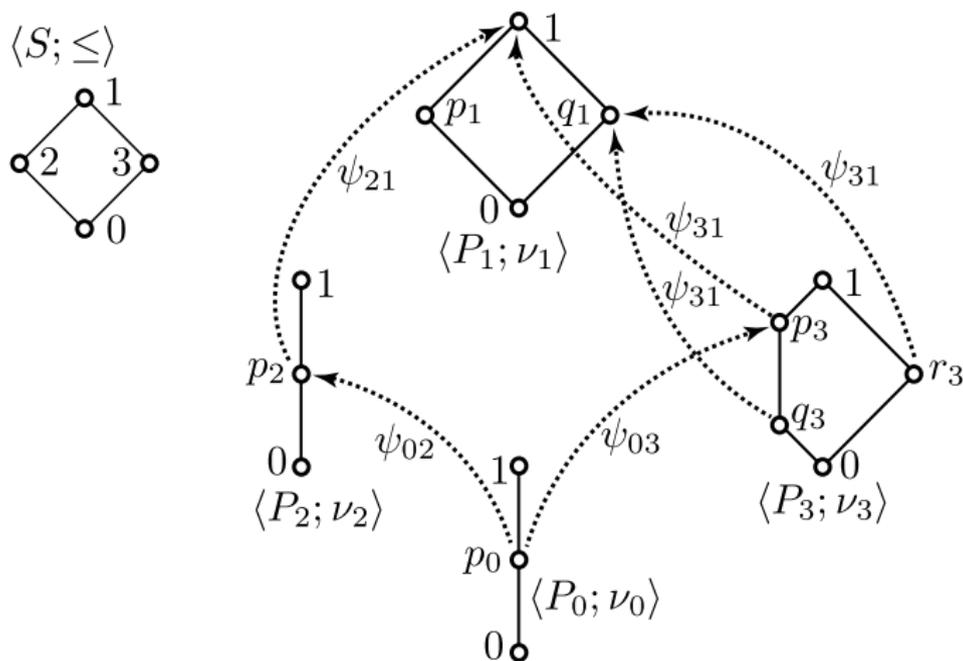
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# An example of a “poset-indexed diagram” of $\{0, 1\}$ -preserving and 0-separating monotone maps

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The index poset  $S$  in the previous slide can be considered a *small category*. (Small: the objects form a set.) This motivates:

### Definition (Diagram of $\{0, 1\}$ -preserving monotone maps)

By an **A-indexed diagram (of  $\{0, 1\}$ -preserving monotone maps)** we shall mean a functor  $F$  from a small category  $\mathbf{A}$  to the category  $\mathbf{Posets}_{01}^+$  of nonsingleton bounded posets with  $\{0, 1\}$ -preserving monotone maps as morphisms.

The aim is to represent  $\mathbf{A}$ -indexed diagrams  $F$  by *lifting*. We always assume that  $F$  is *faithful*, i.e., it is injective on every hom-set.

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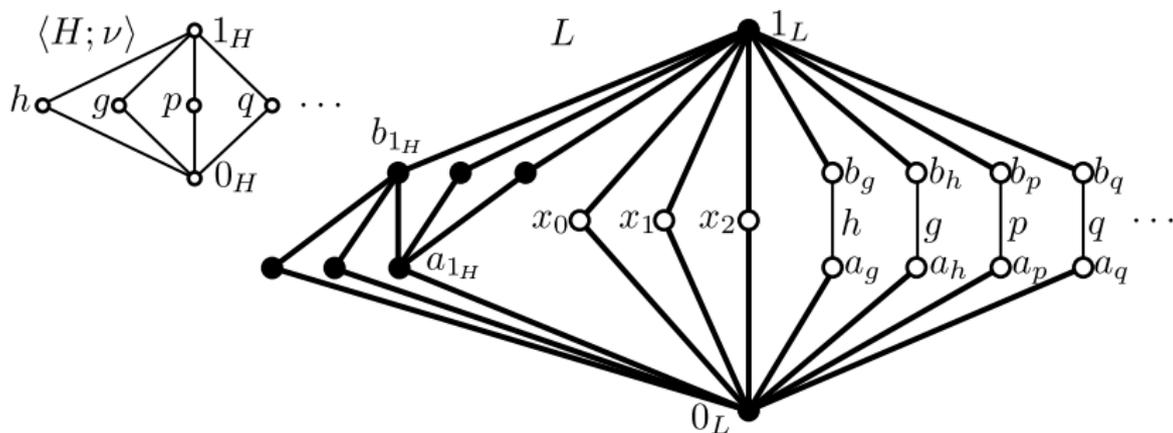
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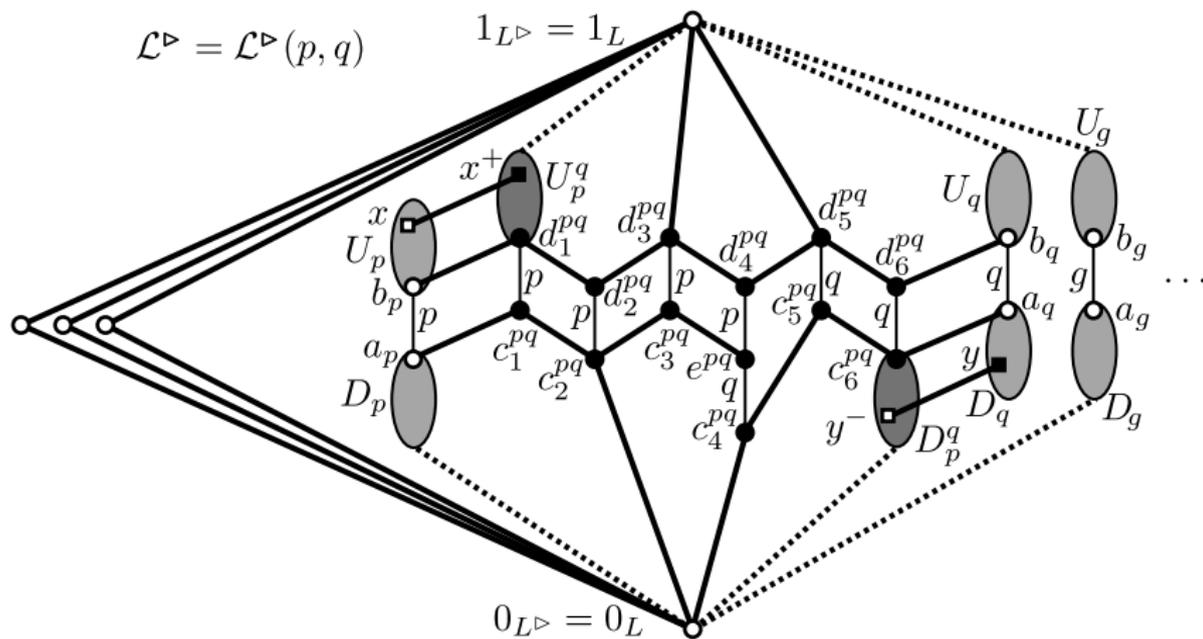
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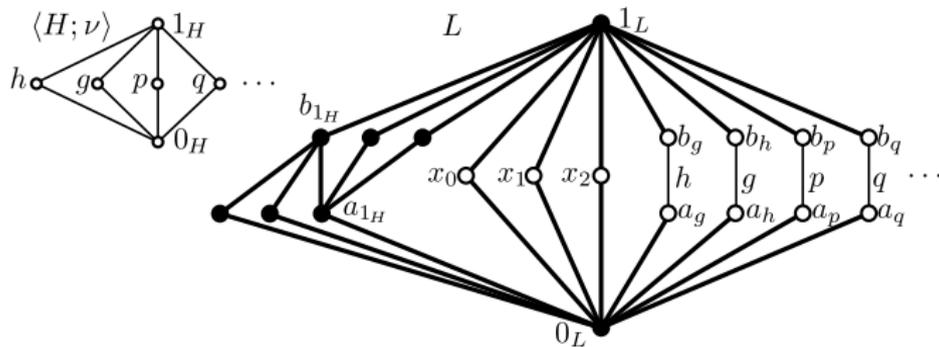
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Because: if a map  $f: H \rightarrow$  somewhere collapses, say,  $p, q \in H$ , then it collapses  $a_p$  and  $a_q$  in the corresponding lattice. But then, since  $\text{con}(a_p, a_q)$  is the largest congruence, it collapses the hole lattice, which should not happen.

$\Rightarrow$  we need a tool that turns monomorphism into injective maps. For a concrete category  $\mathbf{A}$ ,  $\iota_{\mathbf{A}, \text{Set}}$  denotes the forgetful functor.

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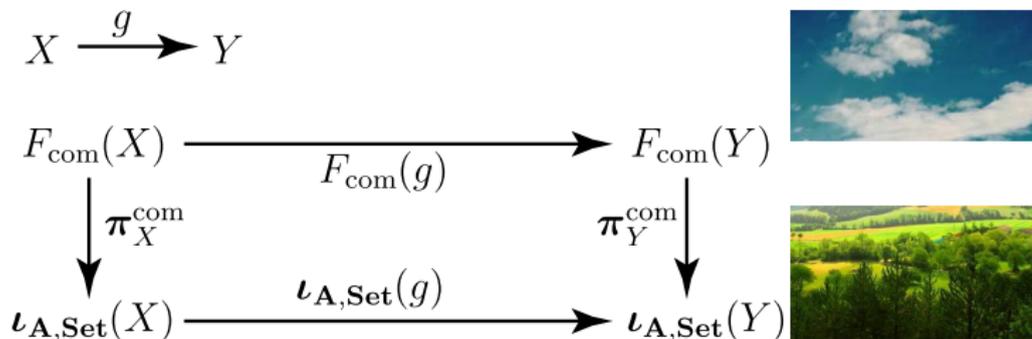
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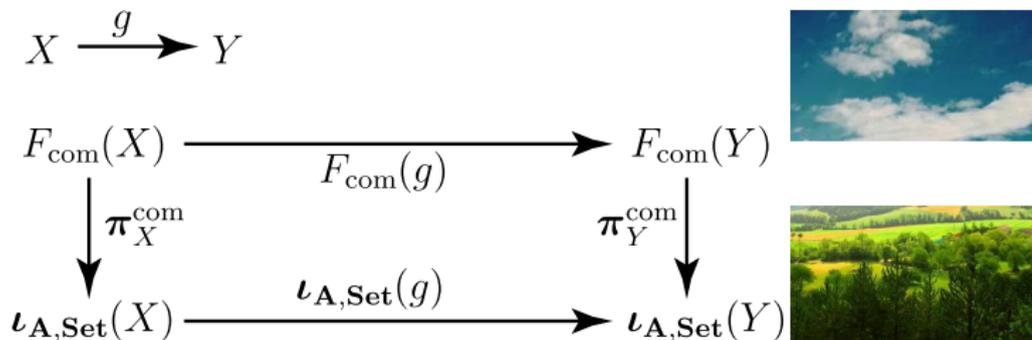
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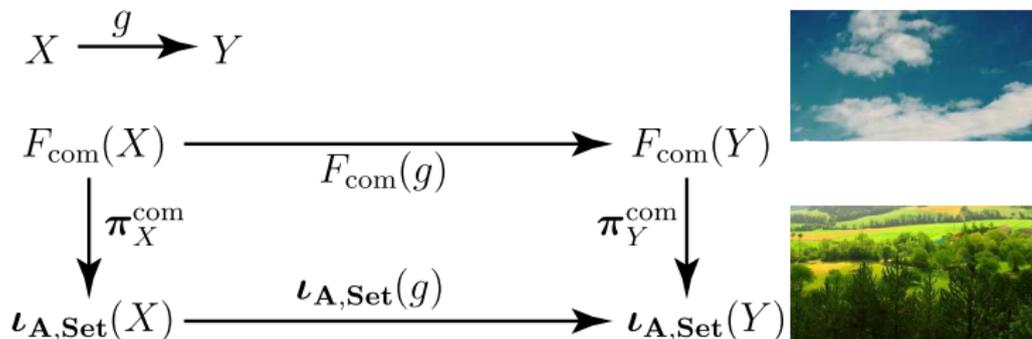
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