

Combinatorics on Words formalized  
Lyndon Words

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theory Lyndon
  imports Combinatorics-Words.CoWBasic
begin
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# Chapter 1

## Lyndon words

A Lyndon word is a non-empty word that is lexicographically strictly smaller than any other word in its conjugacy class, i.e., than any its rotations. They are named after R. Lyndon who introduced them in [4] as “standard” sequences.

We present elementary results on Lyndon words, mostly covered by results in [3, Chapter 5] and [1, 2].

This definition assumes a linear order on letters given by the context.

### 1.1 Definition and elementary properties

#### 1.1.1 Underlying order

**lemma** (in *linorder*) *lexordp-mid-pref*:  $\text{ord-class.lexordp } u \ v \implies \text{ord-class.lexordp } v \ (u \cdot s) \implies u \leq_p v$   
**by** (*induct rule: lexordp-induct, simp-all*)

**lemma** (in *linorder*) *lexordp-ext*:  $\text{ord-class.lexordp } u \ v \implies \neg u \leq_p v \implies \text{ord-class.lexordp } (u \cdot w) \ (v \cdot z)$   
**by** (*induct rule: lexordp-induct, simp-all*)

**context** *linorder*  
**begin**

**abbreviation** *Lyndon-less* :: 'a list  $\Rightarrow$  'a list  $\Rightarrow$  bool (**infixl**  $\langle <lex \rangle$  50)  
**where** *Lyndon-less* *xs ys*  $\equiv$  *ord-class.lexordp* *xs ys*

**abbreviation** *Lyndon-le* :: 'a list  $\Rightarrow$  'a list  $\Rightarrow$  bool (**infixl**  $\langle \leq lex \rangle$  50)  
**where** *Lyndon-le* *xs ys*  $\equiv$  *ord-class.lexordp-eq* *xs ys*

**interpretation** *rllex*: *linorder* ( $\leq lex$ ) ( $\langle <lex \rangle$ )  
**using** *lexordp-linorder*.

**interpretation** *dual-rlex*:  $\text{linorder } \lambda x y. y \leq_{\text{lex}} x \lambda x y. y <_{\text{lex}} x$   
**using** *rlex.dual-linorder*.

**lemma** *sorted-dual-rev-iff*:  $\text{dual-rlex.sorted } ws \longleftrightarrow \text{rlex.sorted } (\text{rev } ws)$   
**unfolding** *rlex.sorted-rev-iff-nth-mono dual-rlex.sorted-iff-nth-mono* **by** *blast*

Several useful lemmas that are formulated for relations, interpreted for the default linear order.

**lemmas** *lexord-suf-linorder* = *lexord-sufE*[of - - -  $\{(x, y). x < y\}$ , folded *lexordp-conv-lexord*]  
**and** *lexord-append-leftI-linorder* = *lexord-append-leftI*[of - -  $\{(x, y). x < y\}$  -, folded *lexordp-conv-lexord*]  
**and** *lexord-app-right-linorder* = *lexord-sufI*[of - -  $\{(x, y). x < y\}$  -, folded *lexordp-conv-lexord*]  
**and** *lexord-take-index-conv-linorder* = *lexord-take-index-conv*[of - -  $\{(x, y). x < y\}$ , folded *lexordp-conv-lexord*]  
**and** *mismatch-lexord-linorder* = *mismatch-lexord*[of - -  $\{(x, y). x < y\}$ , folded *lexordp-conv-lexord*]  
**and** *lexord-cancel-right-linorder* = *lexord-cancel-right*[of - - -  $\{(a, b). a < b\}$ , folded *lexordp-conv-lexord*]

### 1.1.2 Lyndon word definition

**fun** *Lyndon* :: 'a list  $\Rightarrow$  bool  
**where** *Lyndon*  $w = (w \neq \varepsilon \wedge (\forall n. 0 < n \wedge n < |w| \longrightarrow w <_{\text{lex}} \text{rotate } n w))$

**lemma** *LyndonD*:  $\text{Lyndon } w \Longrightarrow 0 < n \Longrightarrow n < |w| \Longrightarrow w <_{\text{lex}} \text{rotate } n w$   
**unfolding** *Lyndon.simps* **by** *blast*

**lemma** *LyndonD-nemp*:  $\text{Lyndon } w \Longrightarrow w \neq \varepsilon$   
**unfolding** *Lyndon.simps* **by** *blast*

**lemma** *LyndonI*:  $w \neq \varepsilon \Longrightarrow \forall n. 0 < n \wedge n < |w| \longrightarrow w <_{\text{lex}} \text{rotate } n w \Longrightarrow \text{Lyndon } w$   
**unfolding** *Lyndon.simps* **by** *blast*

**lemma** *Lyndon-sing*:  $\text{Lyndon } [a]$   
**unfolding** *Lyndon.simps* **by** *auto*

**lemma** *Lyndon-prim*: **assumes**  $\text{Lyndon } w$   
**shows** *primitive*  $w$

**proof**-

**have**  $0 < n \Longrightarrow n < |w| \Longrightarrow \text{rotate } n w \neq w$  **for**  $n$   
**using** *LyndonD*[OF  $\langle \text{Lyndon } w \rangle$ , of  $n$ ] *rlex.less-irrefl*[of  $w$ ] **by** *argo*  
**from** *no-rotate-prim*[OF *LyndonD-nemp*[OF  $\langle \text{Lyndon } w \rangle$ ]] *this*  
**show** *?thesis* **by** *blast*

**qed**

**lemma** *Lyndon-conj-greater*:  $Lyndon (u \cdot v) \implies u \neq \varepsilon \implies v \neq \varepsilon \implies u \cdot v <_{lex} v \cdot u$   
**using** *LyndonD*[of  $u \cdot v$   $|u|$ , *unfolded rotate-append*[of  $u$   $v$ ]]  
**by** *force*

### 1.1.3 Code equations for Lyndon words

**primrec** *Lyndon-rec* :: 'a list  $\Rightarrow$  nat  $\Rightarrow$  bool **where**  
*Lyndon-rec*  $w$  0 = True |  
*Lyndon-rec*  $w$  (Suc  $n$ ) = (if  $w <_{lex}$  rotate (Suc  $n$ )  $w$  then *Lyndon-rec*  $w$   $n$  else False)

**lemma** *Lyndon-rec-all*: **assumes** *Lyndon-rec* ( $a \# w$ ) ( $|w|$ )  
**shows**  $n < |a \# w| \implies 0 < n \implies Lyndon-rec (a \# w) n$   
**proof**(*induction n rule: strict-inc-induct*)  
**case** (*base i*)  
**then show** ?*case*  
**using** *assms by auto*  
**next**  
**case** (*step i*)  
**then show** ?*case*  
**by** (*meson Lyndon-rec.simps(2) zero-less-Suc*)  
**qed**

**lemma** *Lyndon-Lyndon-rec*: **assumes** *Lyndon*  $w$   
**shows**  $0 < n \implies n < |w| \implies Lyndon-rec w n$   
**proof**(*induction n, simp*)  
**case** (Suc  $n$ )  
**have**  $w <_{lex}$  rotate (Suc  $n$ )  $w$   
**using** *LyndonD Suc.prems(2) assms by blast*  
**then show** ?*case*  
**using** *Suc.IH[OF - Suc-lessD[OF  $\langle$ Suc  $n < |w|$  $\rangle$ , folded neq0-conv] Lyndon-rec.simps(1)[of  $w$ ]*  
**unfolding** *Lyndon-rec.simps(2)*  
**by** *metis*  
**qed**

**lemma** *Lyndon-code* [*code*]:  
*Lyndon Nil* = False  
*Lyndon* ( $a \# w$ ) = *Lyndon-rec* ( $a \# w$ ) ( $|w|$ )  
**proof**-  
**show** *Lyndon Nil* = False **by** *simp*  
**have**  $a \# w \neq \varepsilon$   
**by** *simp*  
**have** *ax*:  $0 < n \implies Lyndon-rec (a \# w) n \implies (a \# w) <_{lex}$  rotate  $n$  ( $a \# w$ ) **for**  $n$   
**using** *Lyndon-rec.simps(2)[of  $a \# w$ ] gr0-implies-Suc[of  $n$ ] by metis*  
**have** *bx*: *Lyndon-rec* ( $a \# w$ ) ( $|w|$ ) =  $(\forall n. n < |a \# w| \wedge 0 < n \implies Lyndon-rec (a \# w) n)$   
**proof**(*cases w =  $\varepsilon$ , simp*)  
**assume**  $w \neq \varepsilon$

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from this[folded length-greater-0-conv]
show ?thesis
  using Lyndon-rec-all[of a w] length-Cons[of a w] lessI[of |w|]
  by fastforce
qed
show Lyndon (a # w) = Lyndon-rec (a # w) |w|
  unfolding bx Lyndon.simps
  using ax LyndonI[OF ⟨a # w ≠ ε⟩]Lyndon-Lyndon-rec by blast
qed

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### 1.1.4 Properties of Lyndon words

#### Lyndon words are unbordered

**theorem** *Lyndon-unbordered*: **assumes** *Lyndon w* **shows**  $\neg$  *bordered w*  
**proof**

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assume bordered w
from bordered-dec[OF this]
obtain u v where u·v·u = w and u ≠ ε.
hence v · u ≠ ε and u · v ≠ ε by blast+
note lyn = ⟨Lyndon w⟩[folded ⟨u·v·u = w⟩]
have u·v·u <lex v·u·u
  using Lyndon-conj-greater[of u v·u, OF lyn ⟨u ≠ ε⟩ ⟨v · u ≠ ε⟩, unfolded rassoc].
from this[unfolded lassoc]
have u · v ≠ v · u
  by force
from lexord-suf-linorder[OF - this, of u u]
have u·v <lex v·u
  using ⟨u·v·u <lex v·u·u⟩ by simp
from lexord-append-leftI-linorder[of u·v v·u, unfolded lassoc, OF this, unfolded
rassoc]
have u·u·v <lex u·v·u.
from this Lyndon-conj-greater[of u·v u, unfolded rassoc, OF lyn ⟨u · v ≠ ε⟩ ⟨u
≠ ε⟩]
show False
  by simp
qed

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#### Each conjugacy class contains a Lyndon word

**lemma** *conjug-Lyndon-ex*: **assumes** *primitive w*

**obtains** n **where** *Lyndon (rotate n w)*

**proof**–

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have w ≠ ε
  using prim-nemp[OF ⟨primitive w⟩].

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let ?ConClass = {rotate n w | n. 0 ≤ n ∧ n < |w|}

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have ?ConClass ≠ {}
  using ⟨w ≠ ε⟩ by blast

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**have** *finite* ?ConClass  
**by** *force*  
**have**  $w \in ?ConClass$   
**by** (*rule CollectI*)  
*(use le0[of 0] nemp-pos-len[OF  $\langle w \neq \varepsilon \rangle$ ] id-apply[of w, folded rotate0] in metis)*  
**have** *all-rot*: rotate  $m w \in ?ConClass$  **for**  $m$   
**using** rotate-conv-mod[of - w] mod-less-divisor[of |w|]  $\langle w \neq \varepsilon \rangle$   
**by** *blast*

**obtain**  $w' n$  **where**  $w' \in ?ConClass$  **and** *all-b*:  $\forall b \in ?ConClass. b \leq_{lex} w' \longrightarrow w' = b$  **and**  $w'$ :  $w' = \text{rotate } n w$   
**using** *rlx.finite-has-minimal*[OF  $\langle \text{finite } ?ConClass \rangle \langle ?ConClass \neq \{\} \rangle$ ] **by** *auto*

**have** rotate  $n w <_{lex}$  rotate  $na$  (rotate  $n w$ ) **if**  $0 < na$  **and**  $na < |w|$  **for**  $na$   
**proof-**  
**from** *prim-no-rotate*[OF *assms*[*unfolded prim-rotate-conv*[of  $w n$ ], of  $na$ ]  $\langle na < |w| \rangle \langle 0 < na \rangle$   
**have** rotate  $na$  (rotate  $n w$ )  $\neq$  rotate  $n w$  **by** *force*  
**hence**  $\neg$  rotate  $na$  (rotate  $n w$ )  $\leq_{lex}$  rotate  $n w$   
**using** *all-b*[*rule-format*, OF *all-rot*[of  $na + n$ , folded rotate-rotate[of  $na n w$ ]]]  
**unfolding**  $w'$   
**by** *auto*  
**from** *rlx.not-le-imp-less*[OF *this*]  
**show** rotate  $n w <_{lex}$  rotate  $na$  (rotate  $n w$ ).  
**qed**  
**hence** *Lyndon* (rotate  $n w$ )  
**using**  $\langle w \neq \varepsilon \rangle$  **by** *auto*  
**from** *that*[OF *this*] **show** *thesis*.  
**qed**

**lemma** *conjug-Lyndon-ex'*: **assumes** *primitive*  $w$   
**obtains**  $v$  **where**  $w \sim v$  **and** *Lyndon*  $v$   
**unfolding** *conjug-rotate-iff*  
**using** *conjug-Lyndon-ex*[OF  $\langle \text{primitive } w \rangle$ ]  
**by** *metis*

## 1.2 Characterization by suffixes

**lemma** *Lyndon-suf-less*: **assumes** *Lyndon*  $w s \leq_{ns} w s \neq w$   
**shows**  $w <_{lex} s$   
**proof-**  
**define**  $p$  **where**  $p = \text{take } |s| w$   
**have**  $|s| \leq |w|$   
**using** *nsD*[OF  $\langle s \leq_{ns} w \rangle$ ]  
**by** (*simp add: suffix-length-le*)  
**have**  $p \leq_p w$  **and**  $|p| = |s|$   
**unfolding** *p-def*  
**using** *take-is-prefix*  $\langle |s| \leq |w| \rangle$  *take-len* **by** *blast+*  
**hence**  $p \neq s$

**using** *Lyndon-unbordered*[*OF*  $\langle \text{Lyndon } w \rangle$ ]  $\langle s \leq_{ns} w \rangle \langle s \neq w \rangle$  *assms*  
**by** *auto*  
**define**  $p' s'$  **where**  $p' = \text{drop } |s| w$  **and**  $s' = \text{take } |p'| w$   
**have**  $p \cdot p' = w$   
**unfolding**  $p'$ -def  $p$ -def  $s'$ -def **by** *simp*  
**have**  $s' \cdot s = w$   
**unfolding**  $p'$ -def  $p$ -def  $s'$ -def  
**using** *suf-len*[*OF*  $nsD[OF \langle s \leq_{ns} w \rangle]$ ]  $nsD[OF \langle s \leq_{ns} w \rangle]$   
*length-drop suffix-take* **by** *metis*  
**have**  $|p'| = |s'|$   
**using**  $s'$ -def  $\langle p \cdot p' = w \rangle$  **by** *auto*  
**have**  $w <_{lex} s \cdot s'$   
**using** *Lyndon-conj-greater*[*of*  $s' s$ , *unfolded*  $\langle s' \cdot s = w \rangle$ , *OF*  $\langle \text{Lyndon } w \rangle$ ]  $\langle p \neq s \rangle$   
**unfolding**  $\langle s' \cdot s = w \rangle$   $p$ -def **using**  $\langle s' \cdot s = w \rangle$  *assms*(3) **by** *fastforce*  
**from** *lexord-suf-linorder*[*OF* -  $\langle p \neq s \rangle \langle |p| = |s| \rangle \langle |p'| = |s'| \rangle$ , *OF* *this*[*folded*  $\langle p \cdot p' = w \rangle$ ]]  
**have**  $p <_{lex} s$ .  
**from** *lexord-app-right-linorder*[*OF* *this*, *of*  $p' \varepsilon$ , *unfolded*  $\langle p \cdot p' = w \rangle$ ]  $\langle |p| = |s| \rangle$   
**show**  $w <_{lex} s$   
**by** *simp*  
**qed**

**lemma** *Lyndon-pref-suf-less*: **assumes** *Lyndon*  $w p \leq_p w s \leq_{ns} w s \neq w$   
**shows**  $p <_{lex} s$   
**proof** (*cases*  $p = w$ , *simp add*: *Lyndon-suf-less*[*OF* *assms*(1) *assms*(3) *assms*(4)])  
**assume**  $p \neq w$   
**show**  $p <_{lex} s$   
**proof**(*rule* *rlx.less-trans*)  
**show**  $p <_{lex} w$   
**using**  $\langle p \neq w \rangle$  *assms*(2) *lexordp-append-rightI*  
**by** (*fastforce simp add*: *prefix-def*)  
**show**  $w <_{lex} s$   
**using** *Lyndon-suf-less* *assms*(1) *assms*(3) *assms*(4) **by** *blast*  
**qed**  
**qed**

**lemma** *suf-less-Lyndon*: **assumes**  $w \neq \varepsilon$  **and**  $\forall s. (s \leq_{ns} w \longrightarrow s \neq w \longrightarrow w <_{lex} s)$   
**shows** *Lyndon*  $w$   
**proof** (*cases primitive*  $w$ )  
**assume**  $\neg$  *primitive*  $w$   
**obtain**  $q k$  **where**  $q \neq \varepsilon$   $1 < k$   $q^{\textcircled{a}} k = w$   $w \neq q$  — the exact match of  $\llbracket \neg$  *primitive*  $?w$ ;  $?w \neq \varepsilon$ ;  $\bigwedge r k. \llbracket r \neq \varepsilon$ ;  $1 < k$ ;  $r^{\textcircled{a}} k = ?w$ ;  $?w \neq r \rrbracket \implies ?thesis \rrbracket \implies ?thesis$   
fastens the proof considerably  
**using** *non-prim*[*OF*  $\langle \neg$  *primitive*  $w \rangle \langle w \neq \varepsilon \rangle$ ] **by** *blast*  
**hence**  $q \leq_{ns} w$   
**unfolding** *nonempty-suffix-def* *pow-eq-if-list*[*of*  $q k$ ] *pow-comm*[*symmetric*]  
**using** *sufI*[*of*  $q^{\textcircled{a}} (k - 1) q w$ ]



by *presburger*

have  $q <_p w$   
 using  $\langle 1 < k \rangle \langle q @ k = w \rangle$   
 unfolding *pow-eq-if-list*[of  $q$   $k$ ] *pow-eq-if-list*[of  $q$   $k-1$ ]  
 using  $\langle w \neq \varepsilon \rangle$  by *auto*  
 from *lexordp-append-rightI*[of  $q^{-1}$   $w$   $q$ ,  
 unfolded *lq-pref*[*OF sprefD1*[*OF this*]], *OF lq-spref*[*OF this*]]  
 have  $q <_{lex} w$ .  
 thus *Lyndon*  $w$   
 unfolding *Lyndon.simps* using  $\langle q \leq_{ns} w \rangle \langle w \neq \varepsilon \rangle$  *assms(2)* *rlex.order.strict-trans*  
 by *blast*  
 next  
 assume *primitive*  $w$   
 have  $w <_{lex} \text{rotate } l \ w$  if *assms-l*:  $0 < l \ l < |w|$  for  $l$   
 proof-  
 have  $\text{take } l \ w \leq_{np} w$  and  $|\text{take } l \ w| = l$   
 using *assms-l take-is-prefix*  $\langle l < |w| \rangle$  by *auto*  
 have  $\text{drop } l \ w \leq_{ns} w$   
 using  $\langle l < |w| \rangle$  *suffix-drop* by *auto*  
 have  $\text{drop } l \ w \neq w$   
 using *append-take-drop-id*[of  $l$   $w$ ] *npD'*[*OF*  $\langle \text{take } l \ w \leq_{np} w \rangle$ ] by *force*  
 have  $\text{drop } l \ w \cdot \text{take } l \ w = \text{rotate } l \ w$   
 using *rotate-append*[of  $\text{take } l \ w$   $\text{drop } l \ w$ , *symmetric*, unfolded  $\langle |\text{take } l \ w| = l \rangle$ ,  
 unfolded *append-take-drop-id*].  
  
 have  $w <_{lex} \text{drop } l \ w$   
 using  $\langle \text{drop } l \ w \leq_{ns} w \rangle \langle \text{drop } l \ w \neq w \rangle$  *assms(2)* by *blast*  
 from *lexord-app-right-linorder*[*OF this suffix-length-le*[*OF conjunct2*[*OF*  $\langle \text{drop } l \ w \leq_{ns} w \rangle$ [unfolded *nonempty-suffix-def*]]], of  $\varepsilon$   $\text{take } l \ w$ , unfolded *append.right-neutral*]  
 have  $w <_{lex} \text{drop } l \ w \cdot \text{take } l \ w$ .  
 thus  $w <_{lex} \text{rotate } l \ w$   
 by (*simp add*:  $\langle \text{drop } l \ w \cdot \text{take } l \ w = \text{rotate } l \ w \rangle$ )  
 qed  
 thus *Lyndon*  $w$   
 by (*simp add*:  $\langle w \neq \varepsilon \rangle$  *local.LyndonI*)  
 qed

**corollary** *Lyndon-suf-char*:  $w \neq \varepsilon \implies \text{Lyndon } w \iff (\forall s. s \leq_{ns} w \implies s \neq w \implies w <_{lex} s)$   
 using *Lyndon-suf-less suf-less-Lyndon* by *blast*

**lemma** *Lyndon-suf-le*:  $\text{Lyndon } w \implies s \leq_{ns} w \implies w \leq_{lex} s$   
 using *Lyndon-suf-less rlex.not-less rlex.order.asym* by *blast*

### 1.3 Unbordered prefix of a Lyndon word is Lyndon

**lemma** *unbordered-pref-Lyndon*:  $\text{Lyndon } (u \cdot v) \implies u \neq \varepsilon \implies \neg \text{bordered } u \implies \text{Lyndon } u$

**unfolding** *Lyndon-suf-char*  
**proof**(*standard+*)  
**fix**  $s$   
**assume**  $Lyndon(u \cdot v)$  **and**  $u \neq \varepsilon$  **and**  $\neg bordered\ u$  **and**  $s \leq_{ns} u$  **and**  $s \neq u$   
**hence**  $u \cdot v <_{lex} s \cdot v$   
**using** *Lyndon-suf-less*[*OF*  $\langle Lyndon(u \cdot v) \rangle$ , *of*  $s \cdot v$ ] **by** *auto*  
**have**  $\neg s \leq_p u$   
**using**  $\langle \neg bordered\ u \rangle \langle s \leq_{ns} u \rangle \langle s \neq u \rangle$  **by** *auto*  
**moreover have**  $\neg u \leq_p s$   
**using** *suf-pref-eq*[*OF* *nsD*[*OF*  $\langle s \leq_{ns} u \rangle$ ]]  $\langle s \neq u \rangle$  **by** *blast*  
**ultimately show**  $u <_{lex} s$   
**using** *lexord-cancel-right-linorder*[*OF*  $\langle u \cdot v <_{lex} s \cdot v \rangle$ ] **by** *blast*  
**qed**

## 1.4 Concatenation of Lyndon words

**theorem** *Lyndon-concat*: **assumes**  $Lyndon\ u$  **and**  $Lyndon\ v$  **and**  $u <_{lex} v$   
**shows**  $Lyndon(u \cdot v)$   
**proof**–  
**have**  $u \cdot v <_{lex} v$   
**proof**(*cases*  $u \leq_p v$ )  
**assume**  $u \leq_p v$   
**obtain**  $z$  **where**  $u \cdot z = v$  **and**  $z \leq_{ns} v$   
**using** *lq-pref*[*OF*  $\langle u \leq_p v \rangle$ ] *nsI'* *rlex.less-imp-neq*[*OF*  $\langle u <_{lex} v \rangle$ ] *self-append-conv*  
**by** *metis*  
**from** *Lyndon-suf-less*[*OF*  $\langle Lyndon\ v \rangle$ ] *this*(2), **THEN** *lexord-append-leftI-linorder*,  
*of*  $u$   
*LyndonD-nemp*[*OF*  $\langle Lyndon\ u \rangle$ ] *this*(1)  
**show** *?thesis*  
**by** *blast*  
**next**  
**assume**  $\neg u \leq_p v$   
**then show** *?thesis*  
**using** *local.lexordp-linear*[*of*  $v \cdot u$ ]  
*local.lexordp-mid-pref*[*OF*  $\langle u <_{lex} v \rangle$ , *of*  $v$ ]  
*prefixI*[*of*  $v \cdot u \cdot v$ ]  
**by** *argo*  
**qed**

**{ fix**  $z$   
**assume**  $z \leq_{ns} (u \cdot v)$   $z \neq u \cdot v$   
**have**  $u \cdot v <_{lex} z$   
**proof**(*cases*  $z \leq_{ns} v$ )  
**assume**  $z \leq_{ns} v$   
**from** *Lyndon-suf-less*[*OF*  $\langle Lyndon\ v \rangle$ ] *this*  
**have**  $z \neq v \implies v <_{lex} z$   
**by** *blast*  
**thus**  $u \cdot v <_{lex} z$   
**using**  $\langle u \cdot v <_{lex} v \rangle$  *rlex.less-trans*

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    by fast
  next
  assume  $\neg z \leq_{ns} v$ 
  then obtain  $z'$  where  $z' \leq_{ns} u$   $z' \neq u$   $z' \cdot v = z$ 
    using  $\langle z \leq_{ns} u \cdot v \rangle$   $\langle z \neq u \cdot v \rangle$  suffix-append[of z u v]
    unfolding nonempty-suffix-def
    by force
  from Lyndon-suf-less[OF  $\langle$ Lyndon u $\rangle$  this(1) this(2)]
  have  $u <_{lex} z'$ .
  thus  $u \cdot v <_{lex} z$ 
    using  $\langle z' \leq_{ns} u \rangle$  lexord-app-right-linorder[of u z' v] suffix-length-le[of z'
u]
    unfolding nonempty-suffix-def  $\langle z' \cdot v = z \rangle$ 
    by blast
  qed
}
thus ?thesis
  using suf-nemp[OF LyndonD-nemp[OF  $\langle$ Lyndon v $\rangle$ ], of u, THEN suf-less-Lyndon]
  by blast
qed

```

## 1.5 Longest Lyndon suffix

**fun** longest-Lyndon-suffix: 'a list  $\Rightarrow$  'a list ( $\langle$ LynSuf $\rangle$ ) **where**  
 longest-Lyndon-suffix  $\varepsilon = \varepsilon$  |  
 longest-Lyndon-suffix (a#w) = (if Lyndon (a#w) then a#w else longest-Lyndon-suffix w)

**lemma** longest-Lyndon-suf-ext:  $\neg$  Lyndon (a # w)  $\implies$  LynSuf w = LynSuf (a # w)  
 using longest-Lyndon-suffix.simps(2) **by** presburger

**lemma** longest-Lyndon-suf-suf:  $w \neq \varepsilon \implies$  LynSuf w  $\leq_s$  w

**proof**(induction w rule: longest-Lyndon-suffix.induct)

case 1

then show ?case **by** simp

next

case (2 a w)

show ?case

**proof**(cases Lyndon (a#w))

case True

then show ?thesis **by** auto

next

case False

from 2.IH[OF this, unfolded longest-Lyndon-suf-ext[OF this], THEN suf-fix-ConsI, of a]

Lyndon-sing False

show ?thesis **by** blast

qed

**qed**

**lemma** *longest-Lyndon-suf-max:*

$v \leq_s w \implies \text{Lyndon } v \implies v \leq_s (\text{LynSuf } w)$

**proof**(*induction w arbitrary: v rule: longest-Lyndon-suffix.induct*)

**case** 1

**then show** *?case*

**using** *longest-Lyndon-suffix.simps(1)* **by** *presburger*

**next**

**case** (2 a w)

**show** *?case*

**proof**(*cases Lyndon (a#w)*)

**case** *True*

**then show** *?thesis*

**using** *2.premis(1)* *longest-Lyndon-suffix.simps(2)* **by** *presburger*

**next**

**case** *False*

**have**  $v \neq a \# w$

**using** *2.premis(2)* *False* **by** *blast*

**from** *2.IH[OF False - 2.premis(2), unfolded longest-Lyndon-suf-ext[OF False]]*

*2.premis(1)[unfolded suffix-Cons]* *this*

**show** *?thesis* **by** *fast*

**qed**

**qed**

**lemma** *longest-Lyndon-suf-Lyndon-id: assumes Lyndon w*

*shows LynSuf w = w*

**proof**(*cases w = ε, simp*)

**case** *False*

**from** *longest-Lyndon-suf-suf[OF this]*

*suffix-order.order-refl[THEN longest-Lyndon-suf-max[OF - assms]]*

*suffix-order.antisym*

**show** *?thesis* **by** *blast*

**qed**

**lemma** *longest-Lyndon-suf-longest: w ≠ ε ⟹ v' ≤<sub>s</sub> w ⟹ Lyndon v' ⟹ |v'| ≤ |(LynSuf w)|*

**using** *longest-Lyndon-suf-max suffix-length-le* **by** *blast*

**lemma** *longest-Lyndon-suf-sing: LynSuf [a] = [a]*

**using** *Lyndon-sing longest-Lyndon-suf-Lyndon-id* **by** *blast*

**lemma** *longest-Lyndon-suf-Lyndon: w ≠ ε ⟹ Lyndon (LynSuf w)*

**proof**(*induction w rule: longest-Lyndon-suffix.induct, blast*)

**case** (2 a w)

**show** *?case*

**proof**(*cases Lyndon (a#w)*)

**case** *True*

**then show** *?thesis*

```

    using longest-Lyndon-suf-Lyndon-id by presburger
  next
    case False
    from 2.IH[OF this, unfolded longest-Lyndon-suf-ext[OF this]] Lyndon-sing
    show ?thesis by fastforce
  qed
qed

lemma longest-Lyndon-suf-nemp:  $w \neq \varepsilon \implies \text{LynSuf } w \neq \varepsilon$ 
  using longest-Lyndon-suf-Lyndon[THEN LyndonD-nemp].

lemma longest-Lyndon-sufI:
  assumes  $q \leq s$   $w$  and Lyndon  $q$  and all-s:  $(\forall s. (s \leq s \ w \wedge \text{Lyndon } s) \longrightarrow s \leq q)$ 
  shows  $\text{LynSuf } w = q$ 
  proof(cases  $w = \varepsilon$ )
    case True
    then show ?thesis
      using assms(1) longest-Lyndon-suffix.simps(1) suffix-bot.extremum-uniqueI by
      blast
  next
    case False
    from all-s longest-Lyndon-suf-Lyndon[OF this] longest-Lyndon-suf-max[OF assms(1)
    assms(2)]
      longest-Lyndon-suf-suf[OF this] suffix-order.eq-iff
    show ?thesis by blast
  qed

corollary longest-Lyndon-sufI':
  assumes  $q \leq s$   $w$  and Lyndon  $q$  and all-s:  $\forall s. (s \leq s \ w \wedge \text{Lyndon } s) \longrightarrow |s| \leq |q|$ 
  shows  $\text{LynSuf } w = q$ 
  using longest-Lyndon-sufI[OF  $\langle q \leq s \ w \rangle \langle \text{Lyndon } q \rangle$ ] suf-ruler-le all-s  $\langle q \leq s \ w \rangle$ 
  by blast

```

The next lemma is fabricated to suit the upcoming definition of longest Lyndon factorization.

```

lemma longest-Lyndon-suf-shorter: assumes  $w \neq \varepsilon$ 
  shows  $|w^{<-1}(\text{LynSuf } w)| < |w|$ 
  using nemp-len[OF longest-Lyndon-suf-nemp[OF  $\langle w \neq \varepsilon \rangle$ ]] arg-cong[OF rq-suf[OF
  longest-Lyndon-suf-suf[OF  $\langle w \neq \varepsilon \rangle$ ], of length]
  unfolding lenmorph by linarith

```

## 1.6 Lyndon factorizations

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function Lyndon-fac::'a list  $\Rightarrow$  'a list list ( $\langle \text{LynFac} \rangle$ )
  where Lyndon-fac  $w =$  (if  $w \neq \varepsilon$  then  $((\text{Lyndon-fac } (w^{<-1}(\text{LynSuf } w))) \cdot$ 
   $[\text{LynSuf } w])$  else  $\varepsilon)$ 
  using longest-Lyndon-suffix.cases by blast+

```

**termination**

**proof**(*relation measure length, simp*)

**show**  $\bigwedge w. w \neq \varepsilon \implies (w^{<-1} \text{LynSuf } w, w) \in \text{measure length}$

**unfolding** *measure-def inv-image-def* **using** *longest-Lyndon-suf-shorter* **by** *blast*

**qed**

The factorization  $\text{LynFac } w$  obtained by taking always the longest Lyndon suffix is well defined, and called “Lyndon factorization (of  $w$ )”.

**lemma** *Lyndon-fac-simp*:  $w \neq \varepsilon \implies \text{Lyndon-fac } w = \text{Lyndon-fac } (w^{<-1} \text{LynSuf } w) \cdot (\text{LynSuf } w \# \varepsilon)$

**using** *Lyndon-fac.simps[of w]* **by** *meson*

**lemma** *Lyndon-fac-emp*:  $\text{Lyndon-fac } \varepsilon = \varepsilon$

**by** *simp*

Note that the Lyndon factorization of a Lyndon word is trivial.

**lemma** *Lyndon-fac-longest-Lyndon-id*:  $\text{Lyndon } w \implies \text{Lyndon-fac } w = [w]$

**by** (*simp add: longest-Lyndon-suf-Lyndon-id*)

Lyndon factorization is composed of Lyndon words ...

**lemma** *Lyndon-fac-set*:  $z \in \text{set } (\text{Lyndon-fac } w) \implies \text{Lyndon } z$

**proof**(*induction w rule: Lyndon-fac.induct*)

**case** ( $1 w$ )

**then show**  $\text{Lyndon } z$

**proof** (*cases w = ε*)

**assume**  $w \neq \varepsilon$

**have**  $\text{Lyndon-fac } w = (\text{Lyndon-fac } (w^{<-1} (\text{LynSuf } w))) \cdot [\text{LynSuf } w]$

**using** *Lyndon-fac-simp[OF <w ≠ ε>]*.

**from** *set-ConsD[OF 1.prem1[unfolding rotate1.simps(2)[of LynSuf w Lyndon-fac (w^{<-1}(LynSuf w)), folded this, symmetric], unfolded set-rotate1]*

**have**  $z = \text{LynSuf } w \vee z \in \text{set } (\text{Lyndon-fac } (w^{<-1} (\text{LynSuf } w)))$ .

**thus**  $\text{Lyndon } z$

**using** *1.IH[OF <w ≠ ε>] longest-Lyndon-suf-Lyndon[OF <w ≠ ε>]*

**by** *blast*

**next**

**assume**  $w = \varepsilon$

**thus**  $\text{Lyndon } z$

**using** *1.prem1*

**unfolding** *Lyndon-fac-emp[folded <w = ε>] list.set(1) empty-iff*

**by** *blast*

**qed**

**qed**

...and it indeed is a factorization of the argument.

**lemma** *Lyndon-fac-longest-dec*:  $\text{concat } (\text{Lyndon-fac } w) = w$

**proof**(*induction w rule: Lyndon-fac.induct*)

**case** ( $1 w$ )

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thus concat (LynFac w) = w
proof (cases w =  $\varepsilon$ , simp)
assume  $w \neq \varepsilon$ 
  have eq: concat (Lyndon-fac w) = concat ( (Lyndon-fac ( $w^{<-1}$ (LynSuf w)) )
) · concat ([LynSuf w])
  unfolding Lyndon-fac-simp[OF  $\langle w \neq \varepsilon \rangle$ ] concat-morph.
  from this[unfolded 1.IH[OF  $\langle w \neq \varepsilon \rangle$ ] concat-sing' rq-suf[OF longest-Lyndon-suf-suf[OF
 $\langle w \neq \varepsilon \rangle$ ]]]]
  show ?case.
qed
qed

```

The following lemma makes explicit the inductive character of the definition of *LynFac*.

**lemma** *Lyndon-fac-longest-pref*:  $us \leq_p \text{Lyndon-fac } w \implies \text{Lyndon-fac } (\text{concat } us) = us$

**proof**(*induction* *w* *arbitrary*: *us* *rule*: *Lyndon-fac.induct*)

**case** (1 *w*)

**thus** *LynFac* (*concat* *us*) = *us*

**proof** (*cases*  $w = \varepsilon$ , *simp*)

**assume**  $w \neq \varepsilon$

**have** *step*: *Lyndon-fac* *w* = (*Lyndon-fac* ( $w^{<-1}$ (*LynSuf* *w*))) · [*LynSuf* *w*]

**using** *Lyndon-fac-simp*[*OF*  $\langle w \neq \varepsilon \rangle$ ].

**consider** (*neq*)  $us \neq \text{Lyndon-fac } w$  | (*eq*)  $us = \text{Lyndon-fac } w$

**using** 1.*prems* *le-neq-implies-less* **by** *blast*

**then show** *LynFac* (*concat* *us*) = *us*

**proof**(*cases*)

**case** *neq*

**hence**  $us \leq_p \text{Lyndon-fac } (w^{<-1} \text{LynSuf } w)$

**using** 1.*prems* *last-no-split*[*of* *us* *Lyndon-fac* ( $w^{<-1}$ *LynSuf* *w*) *LynSuf* *w*]

**unfolding** *step*[*symmetric*] **by** *blast*

**thus** *LynFac* (*concat* *us*) = *us*

**using** 1.*IH*  $\langle w \neq \varepsilon \rangle$  **by** *blast*

**next**

**case** *eq*

**show** *LynFac* (*concat* *us*) = *us*

**using** *Lyndon-fac-longest-dec*[*of* *w*, *folded* *eq*] *eq* **by** *simp*

**qed**

**qed**

**qed**

We give name to an important predicate: monotone (nonincreasing) list of Lyndon words.

**definition** *Lyndon-mono* :: 'a list list  $\Rightarrow$  bool **where**

*Lyndon-mono* *ws*  $\longleftrightarrow (\forall u \in \text{set } ws. \text{Lyndon } u) \wedge (\text{rlex.sorted } (\text{rev } ws))$

**lemma** *Lyndon-mono-set*: *Lyndon-mono* *ws*  $\implies u \in \text{set } ws \implies \text{Lyndon } u$

**unfolding** *Lyndon-mono-def* **by** *blast*

**lemma** *Lyndon-mono-sorted*:  $Lyndon\text{-}mono\ ws \implies rlex.sorted\ (rev\ ws)$   
**unfolding** *Lyndon-mono-def* **by** *blast*

**lemma** *Lyndon-mono-nth*:  $Lyndon\text{-}mono\ ws \implies i \leq j \implies j < |ws| \implies ws!j \leq_{lex} ws!i$   
**unfolding** *Lyndon-mono-def* **using** *rlex.sorted-rev-nth-mono* **by** *blast*

**lemma** *Lyndon-mono-empty[simp]*:  $Lyndon\text{-}mono\ \varepsilon$   
**unfolding** *Lyndon-mono-def* **by** *auto*

**lemma** *Lyndon-mono-sing*:  $Lyndon\ u \implies Lyndon\text{-}mono\ [u]$   
**unfolding** *Lyndon-mono-def* **by** *auto*

**lemma** *Lyndon-mono-fac-Lyndon-mono*:  
**assumes**  $ps \leq_f ws$  **and**  $Lyndon\text{-}mono\ ws$  **shows**  $Lyndon\text{-}mono\ ps$   
**unfolding** *Lyndon-mono-def*  
**proof**  
**show**  $\forall x \in (set\ ps). Lyndon\ x$   
**using**  $\langle Lyndon\text{-}mono\ ws \rangle [unfolded\ Lyndon\text{-}mono\text{-}def]\ set\text{-}mono\text{-}sublist [OF\ \langle ps \leq_f ws \rangle]$  **by** *blast*  
**show**  $linorder.sorted\ (\leq_{lex})\ (rev\ ps)$   
**using** *rlex.sorted-append*  $\langle Lyndon\text{-}mono\ ws \rangle [unfolded\ Lyndon\text{-}mono\text{-}def]\ \langle ps \leq_f ws \rangle [unfolded\ sublist\text{-}def]$  **by** *fastforce*  
**qed**

Lyndon factorization is monotone! Altogether, we have shown that the Lyndon factorization is a monotone factorization into Lyndon words.

**theorem** *fac-Lyndon-mono*:  $Lyndon\text{-}mono\ (Lyndon\text{-}fac\ w)$   
**proof** (*induct Lyndon-fac w arbitrary: w rule: rev-induct, simp*)  
**case** (*snoc x xs*)  
**have**  $Lyndon\ x$   
**using** *Lyndon-fac-set[of x, unfolded in-set-conv-decomp, of w, folded snoc.hyps(2)]*  
**by** *fast*  
**have**  $concat\ (xs \cdot [x]) = w$   
**using** *Lyndon-fac-longest-dec[of w, folded snoc.hyps(2)]* **by** *auto*  
**then show**  $Lyndon\text{-}mono\ (LynFac\ w)$   
**proof** (*cases xs =  $\varepsilon$* )  
**assume**  $xs = \varepsilon$   
**show**  $Lyndon\text{-}mono\ (LynFac\ w)$   
**unfolding** *Lyndon-mono-def*  $\langle xs \cdot [x] = LynFac\ w \rangle [symmetric]\ \langle xs = \varepsilon \rangle$   
*append.left-neutral*  
*rlex.sorted1[of x]*  
**using**  $\langle Lyndon\ x \rangle$  **by** *force*  
**next**  
**assume**  $xs \neq \varepsilon$   
**have**  $concat\ (xs \cdot [x]) \neq \varepsilon$  **and**  $w \neq \varepsilon$   
**using** *Lyndon-fac-longest-dec snoc.hyps(2)* **by** *auto*  
**have**  $x = LynSuf\ w$  **and**  $xs = LynFac\ (w^{<-1} LynSuf\ w)$



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    using Lyndon-fac.simps[of w, folded snoc.hyps(2)] ⟨w ≠ ε⟩
      Lyndon-fac-longest-dec append1-eq-conv[of xs x LynFac (w<sup>-1</sup>LynSuf w)
LynSuf w] by presburger+
    from Lyndon-mono-sorted[OF snoc.hyps(1)[OF ⟨xs = LynFac (w<sup>-1</sup>LynSuf w
)⟩], folded this]
    have dual-rlex.sorted xs
      unfolding sorted-dual-rev-iff.
    have Lyndon (last xs)
    using Lyndon-fac-set[of last xs w<sup>-1</sup>LynSuf w, folded ⟨xs = LynFac (w<sup>-1</sup>LynSuf
w)⟩, OF last-in-set[OF ⟨xs ≠ ε⟩]].
    have x ≤lex last xs
    proof(rule ccontr)
      assume ¬ x ≤lex last xs hence last xs <lex x by auto
      from Lyndon-concat[OF ⟨Lyndon (last xs)⟩ ⟨Lyndon x⟩ this]
      have Lyndon ((last xs) · x).
      have (last xs) · x ≤s concat (xs · [x])
        using ⟨xs ≠ ε⟩ concat-last-suf by auto
      from longest-Lyndon-suf-longest[OF ⟨concat (xs · [x]) ≠ ε⟩ this ⟨Lyndon
((last xs) · x)⟩,
        unfolded ⟨concat (xs · [x]) = w⟩, folded ⟨x = LynSuf w⟩]
      show False
      using ⟨Lyndon (last xs)⟩ by simp
    qed
  have dual-rlex.sorted (butlast xs · [last xs])
    by (simp add: ⟨linorder.sorted (λx y. y ≤lex x) xs⟩ ⟨xs ≠ ε⟩)
  from this ⟨x ≤lex last xs⟩
  have dual-rlex.sorted (butlast xs · [last xs,x])
    using dual-rlex.sorted-append by auto
  from this[unfolded hd-word[of last xs [x]] lassoc append-butlast-last-id[OF ⟨xs
≠ ε⟩]]
  have rlex.sorted (rev (LynFac w))
    unfolding ⟨xs · [x] = LynFac w⟩[symmetric] sorted-dual-rev-iff[symmetric].
  thus Lyndon-mono (LynFac w)
    unfolding Lyndon-mono-def using Lyndon-fac-set by blast
  qed
qed

```

Now we want to show the converse: any monotone factorization into Lyndon words is the Lyndon factorization

The last element in the Lyndon factorization is the smallest suffix.

**lemma** *Lyndon-mono-last-smallest*:  $Lyndon\text{-mono } ws \implies s \leq ns \text{ (concat } ws) \implies last\ ws \leq_{lex} s$

**proof**(*induct ws arbitrary: s rule: rev-induct, fastforce*)

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  case (snoc a ws)
  have ws·[a] ≠ ε
    by blast
  have last (ws·[a]) = a
    by simp

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from last-in-set[OF ‹ws·[a] ≠ ε›, unfolded this] ‹Lyndon-mono (ws · [a])›[unfolded
Lyndon-mono-def]
have Lyndon a
  by blast
show ?case
proof(cases s ≤ns a)
  case True
    from Lyndon-suf-le[OF ‹Lyndon a›] this
    show ?thesis
      by simp
  next
    case False
    hence ws ≠ ε
      using snoc.prem(2) by force
    obtain s' where s = s'·a
      using False snoc.prem(2)[unfolded concat-append[of ws [a], unfolded con-
cat-sing1]] suffix-append[of s concat ws a]
      unfolding nonempty-suffix-def
      by blast
    hence s' ≤ns concat ws
      using False snoc.prem(2) by fastforce
    have Lyndon-mono ws
      using ‹Lyndon-mono (ws·[a])› Lyndon-mono-fac-Lyndon-mono
      by blast
    from snoc.hyps[OF this ‹s' ≤ns concat ws›]
    have last ws ≤lex s'
      by auto
    hence last ws ≤lex s'·a
      using local.lexordp-eq-trans ord.lexordp-eq-pref by blast
    have a ≤lex last ws
      using ‹Lyndon-mono (ws·[a])›
      unfolding Lyndon-mono-def
      by (simp add: ‹ws ≠ ε› last-ConsL)
    from dual-rlex.order-trans[OF ‹last ws ≤lex s' · a› this, folded ‹s = s' · a›]
    show ?thesis
      unfolding ‹last (ws·[a]) = a›
      by blast
  qed
qed

```

A monotone list, if seen as a factorization, must end with the longest suffix

**lemma** *Lyndon-mono-last-longest*: **assumes**  $ws \neq \varepsilon$  **and** *Lyndon-mono ws*

**shows**  $\text{LynSuf}(\text{concat } ws) = \text{last } ws$

**proof**–

**have** *Lyndon (last ws)*

**using** *Lyndon-mono-set* *assms(1)* *assms(2)* *last-in-set* **by** blast

**hence**  $\text{last } ws \neq \varepsilon$

**using** *LyndonD-nemp* **by** blast

**hence**  $\text{last } ws \leq_{ns} \text{LynSuf}(\text{concat } ws)$

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using longest-Lyndon-suf-max[OF concat-last-suf[OF assms(1)] ‹Lyndon (last
ws)›]
unfolding nonempty-suffix-def
by blast

have concat ws ≠ ε
using Lyndon.simps assms(2)[unfolded Lyndon-mono-def] set-nemp-concat-nemp[OF
assms(1)]
by blast
from longest-Lyndon-suf-nemp[OF this] longest-Lyndon-suf-suf[OF this]
have LynSuf (concat ws) ≤ns concat ws
unfolding nonempty-suffix-def
by simp

show ?thesis
using Lyndon-mono-last-smallest[OF ‹Lyndon-mono ws› ‹LynSuf (concat ws)
≤ns concat ws›]
Lyndon-suf-le[OF longest-Lyndon-suf-Lyndon[OF ‹concat ws ≠ ε›], OF ‹last
ws ≤ns LynSuf (concat ws)›]
eq-iff
by simp
qed

```

Therefore, by construction, any monotone list is the Lyndon factorization of its concatenation

**lemma** *Lyndon-mono-fac*:

*Lyndon-mono ws*  $\implies$  *ws* = *Lyndon-fac* (concat *ws*)

**proof** (induct *ws* rule: rev-induct, simp)

**case** (snoc *x xs*)

**have** *Lyndon-mono xs*

**using** ‹*Lyndon-mono* (*xs* · [*x*])›

**unfolding** *Lyndon-mono-def*

**by** simp

**from** snoc.hyps[OF this]

**have** *xs* = *LynFac* (concat *xs*).

**have** *x* = *LynSuf* (concat (*xs* · [*x*]))

**using** *Lyndon-mono-last-longest*[OF - ‹*Lyndon-mono* (*xs* · [*x*])›, unfolded *last-snoc*] **by** simp

**have** concat (*xs* · [*x*])<sup><-1</sup>*x* = concat *xs*

**by** simp

**have** concat (*xs* · [*x*]) ≠ ε

**using** *Lyndon-mono-set snoc.prem*s **by** auto

**from** this

**show** ?case

**using** *Lyndon-fac.simps*[of concat (*xs* · [*x*]), folded ‹*x* = *LynSuf* (concat (*xs* · [*x*]))›, unfolded ‹concat (*xs* · [*x*])<sup><-1</sup>*x* = concat *xs*›, folded ‹*xs* = *LynFac* (concat *xs*)›]

**by** presburger

qed

This implies that the Lyndon factorization can be characterized in two equivalent ways: as the (unique) monotone factorization (into Lyndon words) or as the "suffix greedy" factorization (into Lyndon words).

**corollary** *Lyndon-mono-fac-iff*: *Lyndon-mono*  $w$   $\longleftrightarrow$   $w = \text{LynFac}(\text{concat } w)$   
**using** *Lyndon-mono-fac fac-Lyndon-mono*[*of concat*  $w$ ] **by** *fastforce*

**corollary** *Lyndon-mono-unique*: **assumes** *Lyndon-mono*  $w$  **and** *Lyndon-mono*  $z$  **and**  $\text{concat } w = \text{concat } z$

**shows**  $w = z$

**using** *Lyndon-mono-fac*[*OF*  $\langle \text{Lyndon-mono } w \rangle$ ] *Lyndon-mono-fac*[*OF*  $\langle \text{Lyndon-mono } z \rangle$ ]

**unfolding**  $\langle \text{concat } w = \text{concat } z \rangle$  **by** *simp*

### 1.6.1 Standard factorization

**lemma** *Lyndon-std*: **assumes** *Lyndon*  $w$   $1 < |w|$

**obtains**  $l\ m$  **where**  $w = l \cdot m$  **and** *Lyndon*  $l$  **and** *Lyndon*  $m$  **and**  $l <_{\text{lex}} m$

**proof**–

**have**  $w \neq \varepsilon$   $tl\ w \neq \varepsilon$

**using**  $\langle 1 < |w| \rangle$  *long-list-tl* **by** *auto*

**define**  $m$  **where**  $m = \text{LynSuf}(tl\ w)$

**hence** *Lyndon*  $m$

**using**  $\langle tl\ w \neq \varepsilon \rangle$  *local.longest-Lyndon-suf-Lyndon* **by** *blast*

**have**  $m \leq_s w$

**unfolding** *m-def*

**using** *suffix-order.trans*[*OF* *longest-Lyndon-suf-suf*[*OF*  $\langle tl\ w \neq \varepsilon \rangle$ ] *suffix-tl*[*of*  $w$ ]].

**moreover** **have**  $m \neq w$

**unfolding** *m-def* **using** *hd-tl*[*OF*  $\langle w \neq \varepsilon \rangle$ ] *longest-Lyndon-suf-suf*[*OF*  $\langle tl\ w \neq \varepsilon \rangle$ ] *same-suffix-nil*

*not-Cons-self2* **by** *metis*

**ultimately obtain**  $l$  **where**  $w = l \cdot m$  **and**  $l \neq \varepsilon$

**by** (*auto simp add: suffix-def*)

**have** *Lyndon*  $l$

**proof** (*rule* *unbordered-pref-Lyndon*[*OF*  $\langle \text{Lyndon } w \rangle$ ][*unfolded*  $\langle w = l \cdot m \rangle$ ]  $\langle l \neq \varepsilon \rangle$ , *rule*)

**assume** *bordered*  $l$

**from** *unbordered-border*[*OF* *this*, *unfolded* *border-def*]

**obtain**  $s$  **where**  $s \neq \varepsilon$  **and**  $s \neq l$  **and**  $s \leq_p l$  **and**  $s \leq_s l$  **and**  $\neg$  *bordered*  $s$

**by** *blast*

**have** *Lyndon*  $s$

**using** *unbordered-pref-Lyndon*[*OF*  $\langle s \neq \varepsilon \rangle$ ]  $\langle \neg$  *bordered*  $s \rangle$ , *of*  $s^{-1} > l \cdot m$ , *unfolded* *lassoc lq-pref*[*OF*  $\langle s \leq_p l \rangle$ ]

$\langle \text{Lyndon } w \rangle$ ][*unfolded*  $\langle w = l \cdot m \rangle$ ] **by** *blast*

**have**  $s <_{\text{lex}} m$

**using** *Lyndon-pref-suf-less*[*OF*  $\langle \text{Lyndon } w \rangle$ ] - *nsI*[*OF* *LyndonD-nemp*[*OF*

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⟨Lyndon m⟩] ⟨m ≤s w⟩]
  ⟨m ≠ w⟩, of s] Lyndon.elims(2)[OF ⟨Lyndon m⟩]
  ⟨s ≤p l⟩ prefix-append[of s l m, folded ⟨w = l · m⟩]
  by presburger
  from Lyndon-concat[OF ⟨Lyndon s⟩ ⟨Lyndon m⟩ this]
  have Lyndon (s·m).
  moreover have s·m ≤s tl w
    unfolding ⟨w = l · m⟩ using ⟨s ≠ l⟩ ⟨s ≤s l⟩ list.collapse[OF ⟨w ≠ ε⟩,
unfolding ⟨w = l · m⟩]
    by (auto simp add: suffix-def)
  ultimately show False
    using m-def ⟨s ≠ ε⟩ longest-Lyndon-suf-max same-suffix-nil by blast
qed

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have l <lex m
  using Lyndon-pref-suf-less[OF ⟨Lyndon w⟩ prefI[OF ⟨w = l · m⟩[symmetric]]
  nsI[OF longest-Lyndon-suf-nemp[OF ⟨tl w ≠ ε⟩, folded m-def] ⟨m ≤s w⟩]
  ⟨m ≠ w⟩].
  from that[OF ⟨w = l · m⟩ ⟨Lyndon l⟩ ⟨Lyndon m⟩ this]
  show thesis.
qed

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**corollary** *Lyndon-std-iff*:

$Lyndon\ w \longleftrightarrow (|w| = 1 \vee (\exists\ l\ m.\ w = l \cdot m \wedge Lyndon\ l \wedge Lyndon\ m \wedge l <lex\ m))$   
(is ?L  $\longleftrightarrow$  ?R)

**proof**

assume ?L

show ?R

using Lyndon-std[OF ⟨Lyndon w⟩]

nemp-le-len[OF LyndonD-nemp[OF ⟨Lyndon w⟩], unfolded le-eq-less-or-eq]

by metis

next

assume ?R

thus ?L

proof(rule disjE, fastforce)

show ⟨ $\exists\ l\ m.\ w = l \cdot m \wedge Lyndon\ l \wedge Lyndon\ m \wedge l <lex\ m \implies Lyndon\ w$ ⟩

using Lyndon-concat by blast

qed

qed

end — end context linorder

end

**theory** *Lyndon-Addition*

imports *Lyndon Szpilrajn.Szpilrajn*

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## 1.6.2 The minimal relation

We define the minimal relation which guarantees the lexicographic minimality of  $w$  compared to its nontrivial conjugates.

**inductive-set** *rotate-rel* :: 'a list  $\Rightarrow$  'a rel **for**  $w$   
**where**  $0 < n \implies n < |w| \implies (\text{mismatch-pair } w (\text{rotate } n \ w)) \in \text{rotate-rel } w$

A word is Lyndon iff the corresponding order of letters is compatible with *rotate-rel*  $w$ .

**lemma** (in *linorder*) *rotate-rel-iff*: **assumes**  $w \neq \varepsilon$   
**shows**  $\text{Lyndon } w \longleftrightarrow \text{rotate-rel } w \subseteq \{(x,y). x < y\}$  (**is**  $?L \longleftrightarrow ?R$ )

**proof**

**assume**  $\text{Lyndon } w$  **show**  $\text{rotate-rel } w \subseteq \{(x,y). x < y\}$

**proof**

**fix**  $x$  **assume**  $x \in \text{rotate-rel } w$

**then obtain**  $n$  **where**  $x = \text{mismatch-pair } w (\text{rotate } n \ w)$  **and**  $0 < n$  **and**  $n <$

$|w|$

**using** *rotate-rel.cases* **by** *blast*

**have**  $w <_{\text{lex}} \text{rotate } n \ w$

**using** *LyndonD*[*OF*  $\langle \text{Lyndon } w \rangle \langle 0 < n \rangle \langle n < |w| \rangle$ ].

**from** *this*[*unfolded lexordp-conv-lexord*]

*prim-no-rotate*[*OF* *Lyndon-prim*[*OF*  $\langle \text{Lyndon } w \rangle \langle 0 < n \rangle \langle n < |w| \rangle$ ]

**show**  $x \in \{(a, b). a < b\}$

**using** *lexord-mismatch*[*of*  $w \ \text{rotate } n \ w \ \{(a,b). a < b\}$ , *folded*  $\langle x = \text{mismatch-pair } w (\text{rotate } n \ w) \rangle$ ]

$\langle \text{rotate } n \ w \neq w \rangle \text{rotate-comp-eq}[of \ w \ n]$

**unfolding** *irrefl-def* **by** *blast*

**qed**

**next**

**assume**  $?R$

**show**  $?L$

**unfolding** *Lyndon.simps*

**proof**(*simp add: assms*)

**have**  $w <_{\text{lex}} \text{rotate } n \ w$  **if**  $0 < n$   $n < |w|$  **for**  $n$

**proof**–

**have**  $\neg w \bowtie \text{rotate } n \ w$

**using** *rotate-comp-eq*[*of*  $w \ n$ ] *subsetD*[*OF*  $\langle ?R \rangle$ , *OF* *rotate-rel.intros*[*OF*  $\langle 0 < n \rangle \langle n < |w| \rangle$ ]]

*mismatch-pair-lcp*[*of*  $w \ \text{rotate } n \ w$ ] **by** *fastforce*

**from** *mismatch-lexord-linorder*[*OF* *this subsetD*[*OF*  $\langle ?R \rangle$ , *OF* *rotate-rel.intros*[*OF*  $\langle 0 < n \rangle \langle n < |w| \rangle$ ]]]

**show**  $w <_{\text{lex}} \text{rotate } n \ w$ .

**qed**

**thus**  $\forall n. 0 < n \wedge n < |w| \implies w <_{\text{lex}} \text{rotate } n \ w$  **by** *blast*

**qed**

**qed**

It is well known that an acyclic order can be extended to a total strict linear order. This means that a word is Lyndon with respect to some order iff its *rotate-rel w* is acyclic.

**lemma** *Lyndon-rotate-rel-iff*:

*acyclic (rotate-rel w)  $\longleftrightarrow$  ( $\exists r$ . strict-linear-order r  $\wedge$  rotate-rel w  $\subseteq$  r) (is ?L  $\longleftrightarrow$  ?R)*

**proof**

**assume** ?R **thus** ?L

**unfolding** *strict-linear-order-on-def acyclic-def irrefl-def*

**using** *trancl-id trancl-mono* **by** *metis*

**next**

**assume** ?L **thus** ?R

**using** *acyclic-order-extension* **by** *auto*

**qed**

**lemma** *slo-linorder*: *strict-linear-order r  $\implies$  class.linorder ( $\lambda a b. (a,b) \in r^\equiv$ ) ( $\lambda a b. (a,b) \in r$ )*

**unfolding** *strict-linear-order-on-def strict-partial-order-def irrefl-def trans-def total-on-def*

**by** *unfold-locales blast+*

Application examples

**lemma** *assumes* *w  $\neq \varepsilon$  and acyclic (rotate-rel w) shows primitive w*

**proof**–

**obtain** *r* **where** *strict-linear-order r and rotate-rel w  $\subseteq$  r*

**using** *Lyndon-rotate-rel-iff assms* **by** *blast*

**interpret** *r*: *linorder  $\lambda a b. (a,b) \in r^\equiv \lambda a b. (a,b) \in r$*

**using** *slo-linorder[OF  $\langle$ strict-linear-order  $r$  $\rangle$ ]*.

**have** *r.Lyndon w*

**using** *r.rotate-rel-iff[OF  $\langle$ w  $\neq \varepsilon$  $\rangle$   $\langle$ rotate-rel w  $\subseteq$  r $\rangle$  by blast*

**from** *r.Lyndon-prim[OF this]*

**show** *primitive w*.

**qed**

**lemma** *assumes* *w  $\neq \varepsilon$  and acyclic (rotate-rel w) shows  $\neg$  bordered w*

**proof**–

**obtain** *r* **where** *strict-linear-order r and rotate-rel w  $\subseteq$  r*

**using** *Lyndon-rotate-rel-iff assms* **by** *blast*

**interpret** *r*: *linorder  $\lambda a b. (a,b) \in r^\equiv \lambda a b. (a,b) \in r$*

**using** *slo-linorder[OF  $\langle$ strict-linear-order  $r$  $\rangle$ ]*.

**have** *r.Lyndon w*

**using** *r.rotate-rel-iff[OF  $\langle$ w  $\neq \varepsilon$  $\rangle$   $\langle$ rotate-rel w  $\subseteq$  r $\rangle$  by blast*

**from** *r.Lyndon-ubordered*[*OF this*]  
**show**  $\neg$  *bordered w.*  
**qed**  
**end**



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