

# Fibration of context and fibration of toposes

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# Outline of the talk

	Fibrations of	Fibrations in
Categories	Grothendieck fibrations (SGA 1) Street (aka weak) fibrations	
Strict 2-categories	Hermida	R.Street
Bicategories	Bakovic Buckley	R.Street P.Johnstone

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- In the last section, I will tell how this reformulation helped us proving a result about (op)fibration of toposes.

# A notation guide

I will stick to these more or less!

- For categories:  $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B}, \mathcal{C}, \dots, \mathcal{X}$
- Objects of categories, 2-categories, bicategories:  $A, B, \dots, Z$
- For functors:  $p, q, \dots$
- For bicategories:  $\mathbb{C}, \mathbb{K}, \mathbb{L}, \dots, \mathbb{X}$
- For 2-functors and bifunctors:  $\mathbb{P}, \mathbf{Cod}, \dots$
- Comma category:  $\mathcal{C}^\downarrow$



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- what we mean by the 2-category of toposes.
- what we mean by fibration internal to a 2-category.

# The 2-category of Grothendieck toposes

- The 2-category  $\mathcal{G}\mathcal{T}\text{op}$  of Grothendieck toposes is specified by the following data:
- 0-cells are of the form

$$\begin{array}{c} \mathcal{E} \\ p \downarrow \\ \mathcal{S} \end{array}$$

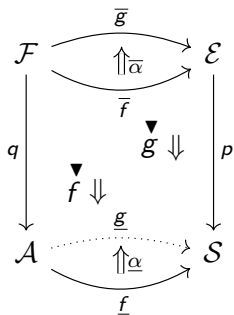
$\mathcal{E}, \mathcal{S}$  : elementary toposes, and  $p$  : bounded geometric morphism.

- 1-cells from  $q$  to  $p$  are of the form  $f = \langle \bar{f}, \overset{\blacktriangledown}{f}, \underline{f} \rangle$ , where

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{F} & \xrightarrow{\bar{f}} & \mathcal{E} \\ q \downarrow & \overset{\blacktriangledown}{f} \Downarrow & p \downarrow \\ \mathcal{A} & \xrightarrow{\underline{f}} & \mathcal{S} \end{array}$$

$\overset{\blacktriangledown}{f} : p\bar{f} \Rightarrow \underline{f}q$ : isomorphism geometric transformation.

- 2-cells between any two 1-cells  $f$  and  $g$  are of the form  $\alpha = \langle \bar{\alpha}, \underline{\alpha} \rangle$  where  $\bar{\alpha} : \bar{f} \Rightarrow \bar{g}$  and  $\underline{\alpha} : \underline{f} \Rightarrow \underline{g}$  are geometric transformations



in such a way that the obvious diagram of 2-cells commutes.

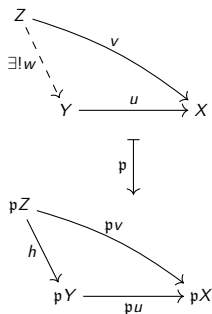
# Cartesian morphisms

Suppose  $\mathcal{X}$  and  $\mathcal{C}$  are categories and  $p : \mathcal{X} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$  is a functor. A  $u : X \rightarrow Y$  in  $\mathcal{X}$  is called **p-cartesian** whenever the following commuting square is a pullback diagram in **Set** for each object  $Z$  in  $\mathcal{X}$ :

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \mathcal{X}(Z, X) & \xrightarrow{u \circ -} & \mathcal{X}(Z, Y) \\
 p_{Z, X} \downarrow & \lrcorner & \downarrow p_{Z, Y} \\
 \mathcal{C}(pZ, pX) & \xrightarrow{p(u) \circ -} & \mathcal{C}(pZ, pY)
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More explicitly,  $u : X \rightarrow Y$  in  $\mathcal{X}$  is cartesian iff for any  $\mathcal{X}$ -morphism  $v : Z \rightarrow X$  and any  $h : p(Z) \rightarrow p(X)$  with  $p(u) \circ h = p(v)$ , there exists a *unique* lift  $w$  of  $h$  such that  $u \circ w = v$ .

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- Cartesian morphisms in  $\mathcal{C}^\downarrow$  are precisely pullback squares in  $\mathcal{C}$ .

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A simple functor which fails to be a fibration: consider category  $\mathcal{C}$  consisting of two objects  $x_0$  and  $x_1$  with their identities and an arrow  $\theta_x$  between them. Let  $\mathcal{X}$  be the category extended by a fresh arrow  $e : x_0 \rightarrow x_0$  with  $e \circ e = e$  and  $\theta_x \circ e = \theta_x$ . The functor  $\mathcal{X} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$  which sends  $\theta_x$  to itself and  $e$  to  $id_{x_0}$  is not a fibration since  $\theta_x$  in  $\mathcal{C}$  does not have a cartesian lift.



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$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathbf{Fam}(\mathcal{B}) & \xrightarrow{!} & \mathbf{1} \\ \pi_1 \downarrow & \nearrow & \downarrow \mathcal{B} \\ \mathbf{Set} & \hookrightarrow & \mathcal{Cat} \end{array}$$

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commutes, and moreover,  $G$  is cartesian, that is it carries  $q$ -cartesian morphisms to  $p$ -cartesian morphisms. A **fibration transformation** is a pair of natural transformations  $(\alpha : F_0 \rightarrow F_1, \beta : G_0 \rightarrow G_1)$  such that  $p \cdot \beta = \alpha \cdot q$ .

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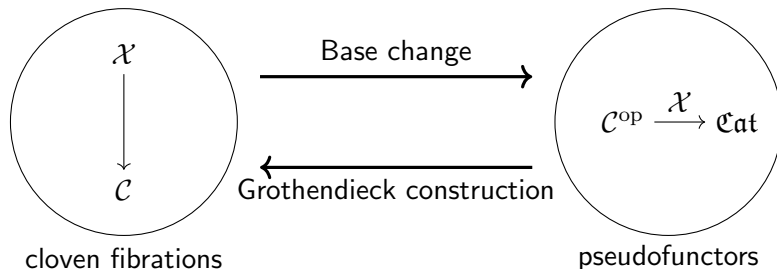
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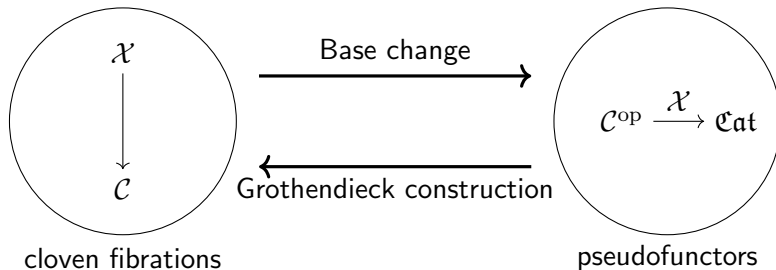
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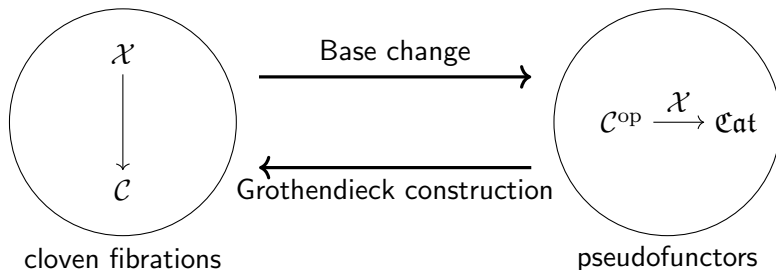
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$$\mathbf{clFib}(\mathcal{C}) \simeq \mathbf{PsFun}(\mathcal{C}^{\text{op}}, \mathcal{Cat})$$

where **clFib** is the 2-category of cloven fibrations.

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## REMARK

An interesting feature of the Grothendieck construction is that it reduces category level. That is it turns a 2-functor of 2-categories into a single morphisms in 2-category of categories. Other than a change in viewpoint it makes a world of difference when we work in higher levels.



# Fam as example of Grothendieck construction

For a category  $\mathcal{B}$ , the Grothendieck fibration  $\mathbf{Fam}(\mathcal{B}) \rightarrow \mathbf{Set}$  is the Grothendieck construction of 2-functor

$$\mathbf{Fun}(-, \mathcal{B}): \mathbf{Set}^{\mathrm{op}} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}\mathrm{at}$$

where for an (indexing) set  $I$ ,  $\mathbf{Fun}(I, \mathcal{B})$  is the category of functors from discrete category  $I$  to category  $\mathcal{B}$ .

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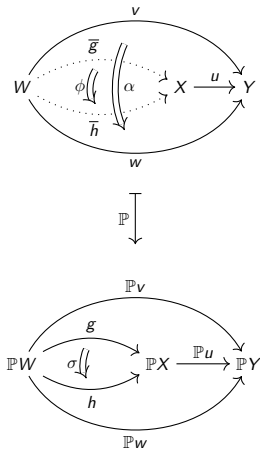
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By considering object component of pullback diagram above we observe that every 2-cartesian 1-cell is automatically 1-cartesian in the usual sense.

## 2-cartesian 1-cells in elementary terms

This definition gives us two layers of cartesian properties of 1-cells w.r.t.  $\mathbb{P}$  in  $\mathbb{X}$ . First of all,  $u$  is 1-cartesian as usual. Second, every 2-cell  $\alpha: v \Rightarrow w: W \rightarrow Y$  and every 2-cell  $\sigma: g \Rightarrow h: \mathbb{P}W \rightarrow \mathbb{P}X$  with  $\mathbb{P}(\alpha) = \mathbb{P}(u) \cdot \sigma$  there is a unique lift  $\phi$  of  $\sigma$  such that  $u \cdot \phi = \alpha$ .



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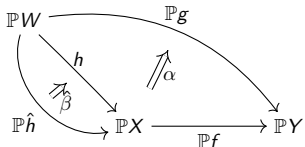
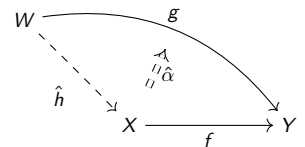
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# Weak cartesian 1-cells in elementary terms

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- ①  $g: W \rightarrow Y$
- ②  $h: \mathbb{P}W \rightarrow \mathbb{P}X$
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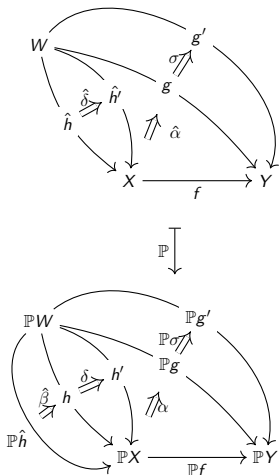
## Output data:

(not necc. unique)

- ①  $\hat{h}: W \rightarrow X$
- ② iso 2-cell  $\hat{\alpha}: f\hat{h} \Rightarrow g$
- ③ iso 2-cell  $\hat{\beta}: \mathbb{P}(\hat{h}) \Rightarrow h$
- ④ an equality of 2-cells  
 $\alpha \circ (\mathbb{P}(f) \cdot \hat{\beta}) = \mathbb{P}(\hat{\alpha}) \circ \Phi_{h,f}$

# Weak 2-cartesian 1-cells in elementary terms

Continued



## Input data:

- 1  $\sigma: g \Rightarrow g': W \rightrightarrows Y$
- 2  $\delta: h \Rightarrow h': \mathbb{P}W \rightrightarrows \mathbb{P}X$
- 3 iso 2-cells  
 $\alpha: \mathbb{P}(f) \circ h \Rightarrow \mathbb{P}(g)$   
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- 4 an equality of 2-cells  
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## Output data:

- 1 unique  $\hat{\delta}: \hat{h} \Rightarrow \hat{h}'$
- 2 an equality  $\hat{\alpha}' \circ (f \cdot \hat{\delta}) = \sigma \circ \hat{\alpha}$
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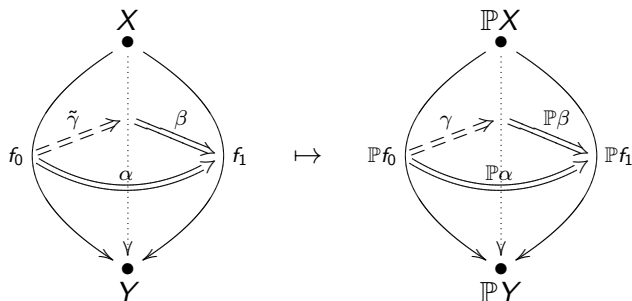
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In elementary terms it means a 2-cell  $\alpha: f_0 \Rightarrow f_1: X \rightrightarrows Y$  is cartesian if for any given 1-cell  $e: X \rightarrow Y$  and 2-cell  $\beta: e \rightarrow f_1$  with  $\mathbb{P}\alpha = \mathbb{P}\beta \circ \gamma$  for some 2-cell  $\gamma$ , then there is a unique 2-cell  $\tilde{\gamma}$  over  $\gamma$  such that  $\alpha = \beta \circ \tilde{\gamma}$ .



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The first and the most obvious way to internalize definition of Grothendieck fibration in a 2-category is the representable approach. The second approach was developed by Street in (Street, 1974) who introduced two-sided fibrations in 2-categories, followed by two-sided fibrations in bicategories. These fibrations are defined as algebras over certain 2-monads on 2-categories, or hyperdoctrines on bicategories respectively, and Chevalley's internal characterization of fibrations was obtained as a theorem.



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The third approach was developed by Johnstone in (Johnstone, [1993](#)) which is closer than Streets definition to the spirit of Grothendiecks original definition. For instance, the base change functors is part of data of definition. Johnstone also established the equivalence of his definition with the representable one.

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- 2 If  $\underline{\beta}: \underline{g} \Rightarrow \underline{h}$  is another 2-cell in  $\mathbb{K}$ , then there exists an iso 2-cell  $\tau_{\alpha, \beta}: r(\alpha) \circ r(\beta) \Rightarrow r(\beta\alpha)$  such that the following diagram of 2-cells in  $\mathbb{K}^{\mathbb{I}}$  commutes:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 f \circ r(\alpha) \circ r(\beta) & \xrightarrow{\alpha \cdot r(\beta)} & g \circ r(\beta) \\
 f \cdot \tau_{\alpha, \beta} \Downarrow & = & \Downarrow \beta \\
 f \circ r(\beta\alpha) & \xrightarrow{\beta\alpha} & h
 \end{array}$$

- ③ Lifting of  $\alpha$  is compatible with left whiskering; That is, given any 1-cell  $\underline{k} : B \rightarrow A$  in  $\mathbb{K}$ , we require  $r(\alpha \cdot k)$  to fit into the following bipullback square in  $\mathbb{K}^{\mathbb{I}}$ :

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 (\underline{g}\underline{k})^* p & \xrightarrow{k_g} & \underline{g}^* p \\
 \downarrow r(\alpha \cdot k) & \cong_{\kappa} & \downarrow r(\alpha) \\
 (\underline{f}\underline{k})^* p & \xrightarrow{k_f} & \underline{f}^* p
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where  $k_f$  and  $k_g$  are pullback 1-cells over  $\underline{k}$ .

We also require pasting of 2-cells  $\alpha$  and  $\kappa$  to be equal to 2-cell  $\alpha \cdot k$ .

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- ④ For any 1-cells  $y = \langle \bar{y}, id, 1_A \rangle$  where  $\bar{y}: D \rightarrow \underline{g}^*E$ , and  $x = \langle \bar{x}, \bar{x}, 1_A \rangle: \underline{g}^*p \circ \bar{y} \rightarrow \underline{f}^*p$  where  $\bar{x}: D \rightarrow \underline{f}^*E$ , and , any 2-cell  $\beta = \langle \bar{\beta}, \underline{\alpha} \rangle: f \circ x \Rightarrow g \circ y$  in  $\mathbb{K}^{\mathbb{I}}$  is uniquely factored through  $\alpha$ , that is there is a unique 2-cell  $\mu$  in  $\mathbb{K}^{\mathbb{I}}$  with property  $(\alpha \cdot y) \circ (f \cdot \mu) = \beta$ , that is to say the two pasting diagrams in below are equal:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \underline{g}^*p \circ \bar{y} & \xrightarrow{x} & \underline{f}^*p \\
 y \downarrow & \searrow^{r(\alpha)} & \downarrow f \\
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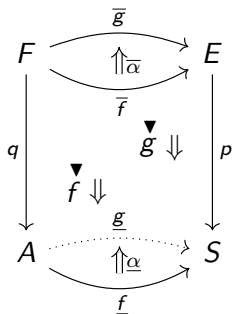
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- 1-cells from  $q$  to  $p$  are of the form  $f = \langle \bar{f}, \overset{\blacktriangledown}{f}, \underline{f} \rangle$

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where  $\overset{\blacktriangledown}{f} : p\bar{f} \Rightarrow \underline{f}q$  is an iso 2-cell in  $\mathbb{K}$ .

- 2-cells between 1-cells  $f$  and  $g$  are of the form  $\alpha = \langle \bar{\alpha}, \underline{\alpha} \rangle$  where  $\bar{\alpha} : \bar{f} \Rightarrow \bar{g}$  and  $\underline{\alpha} : \underline{f} \Rightarrow \underline{g}$  are 2-cells in  $\mathbb{K}$



in such a way that the obvious diagram of 2-cells commutes.

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 \downarrow \lrcorner & & \downarrow p \\
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A 1-cell  $p: E \rightarrow S$  in  $\mathbb{K}$  is a fibration in the sense of Johnstone iff

- every  $\underline{f}: A \rightarrow \mathbf{Cod}(p)$  has a weakly cartesian lift,
- for every 0-cell  $q$ , the 2-functor

$$\mathbf{Cod}_{q,p}: \mathbb{K}^{\mathbb{I}}(q, p) \rightarrow \mathbb{K}(\mathbf{Cod}(q), \mathbf{Cod}(p))$$

is a Grothendieck fibration of categories,

- whiskering on the left preserves cartesian 2-cells in  $\mathbb{K}^{\mathbb{I}}$ .

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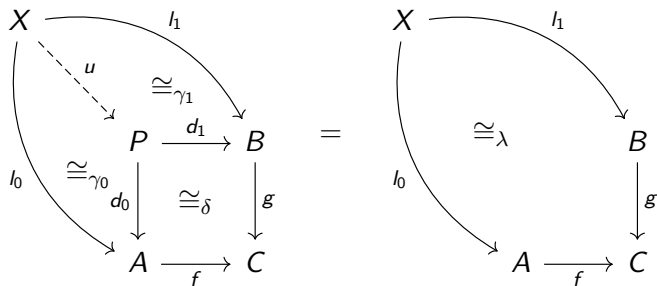
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## Bi-pullback: review

A bi-pullback of an opspan  $A \xrightarrow{f} C \xleftarrow{g} B$  in a 2-category  $\mathbb{K}$  is given by a 0-cell  $P$  together with 1-cells  $d_0, d_1$  and an iso 2-cell  $\delta: fd_0 \Rightarrow gd_1$  satisfying a universal property which states that given another iso cone  $(l_0, l_1, \lambda: fl_0 \cong gl_1)$  over  $f, g$  (with vertex  $X$ ) there exists a 1-cell  $u$  with two iso 2-cells  $\gamma_0$  and  $\gamma_1$  such that the pasting diagrams below are equal

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and furthermore, given 1-cells  $u, v: X \rightrightarrows P$  and 2-cells  $\alpha: d_0 u \rightrightarrows d_0 v$  and  $\beta: d_1 u \rightrightarrows d_1 v$  in such a way that

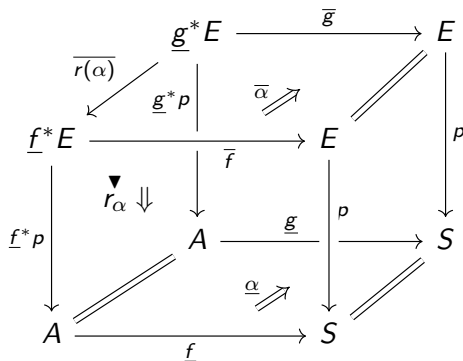
$$\begin{array}{ccc} fd_0 u & \xrightarrow{f.\alpha} & fd_0 v \\ \delta.u \downarrow & & \downarrow \delta.v \\ gd_1 u & \xrightarrow{g.\beta} & gd_1 v \end{array}$$

commutes, there exists a unique 2-cell  $\sigma: u \rightrightarrows v$  such that  $d_0 \cdot \sigma = \alpha$  and  $d_1 \cdot \sigma = \beta$ .

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# Supplemental diagrams

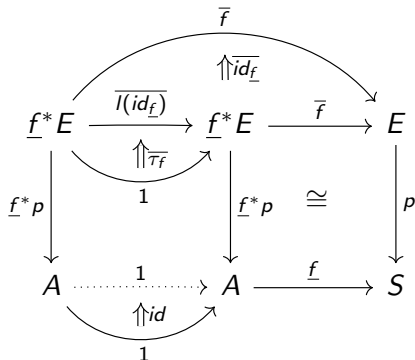
Unpacking them yields the following diagram in  $\mathbb{K}$ :



where obvious diagram of 2-cells commutes.

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Unpacking  $\tau_f$  yields the following diagram in  $\mathbb{K}$ :



We also get

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla_{\bar{f}} \circ (\underline{f}^* p \cdot \bar{\tau}_f) &= id_{\underline{f}^* p} \\ \overline{id}_{\bar{f}} \circ (\bar{f} \bar{\tau}_f) &= id_{\bar{f}} \end{aligned}$$



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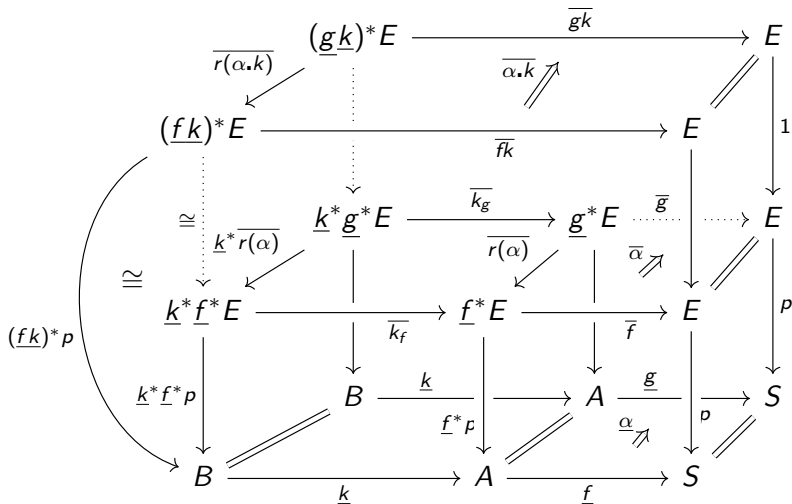
Unpacking  $\tau_{\alpha,\beta}$  yields the following diagram in  $\mathbb{K}$ :

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 & & \overline{r(\beta \circ \alpha)} & & \\
 & & \curvearrowright & & \\
 & \underline{h^*} E & \xrightarrow{\overline{r(\beta)}} & \underline{g^*} E & \xrightarrow{\overline{r(\alpha)}} & \underline{f^*} E \\
 & \downarrow \underline{h^*} p & \cong & \downarrow \underline{g^*} p & \cong & \downarrow \underline{f^*} p \\
 & A & \xrightarrow{1} & A & \xrightarrow{1} & A
 \end{array}$$

Furthermore, we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 \overline{r_{\beta\alpha}} \circ (\overline{f} \cdot \overline{\tau}_{\alpha,\beta}) &= \overline{\beta} \circ (\overline{\alpha} \cdot \overline{r(\beta)}) \\
 r_{\beta\alpha}^\nabla \circ (\underline{f^*} p \cdot \overline{\tau}_{\alpha,\beta}) &= r_{\beta}^\nabla \circ (r_{\alpha}^\nabla \cdot r_{\beta}^\nabla)
 \end{aligned}$$

$\overline{r(\alpha \cdot k)}$  is isomorphic to the bi-pullback of  $\overline{r(\alpha)}$  along  $\overline{k_f}$ , which is to say the top left vertical square of the diagram commutes up to an isomorphism.



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