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# Rholang V 1.1

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New and improved for-comprehension

```
for(  
  ptrn11 ← src11 & ... & ptrn1n ← src1n;  
  ...  
  ptrnm1 ← srcm1 & ... & ptrnmn ← srcmn;  
) { P }
```

where  $\text{src} ::= x \mid x?! \mid x!?( a_1, \dots, a_k )$

and ‘&’ replaces the old meaning of ‘;’



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New and improved for-comprehension desugared

```
[[for(  
  ptrn11 ← x11!?( a1, ..., ak ) & ... & ptrn1n ← src1n;  
  ...  
  ptrnm1 ← srcm1 & ... & ptrnmn ← srcmn;  
){P}]]  
=  
new r11 in  
  x11!( a1, ..., ak, *r11 )  
  | [[for( ptrn11 ← r11 & ... & ptrn1n ← src1n;  
  ...  
  ptrnm1 ← srcm1 & ... & ptrnmn ← srcmn;  
){P}]]
```

*removing send/recv's: x<sub>11</sub>!?( a<sub>1</sub>, ..., a<sub>k</sub> )*



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```
[[for(  
  ptrn11 ← x11?! & ... & ptrn1n ← src1n;  
  ...  
  ptrnm1 ← srcm1 & ... & ptrnmn ← srcmn;  
){P}]]  
  
=  
  
[[for(  
  (ptrn11, r) ← x11 & ... & ptrn1n ← src1n;  
  ...  
  ptrnm1 ← srcm1 & ... & ptrnmn ← srcmn;  
){ r!() | P}]]
```

*removing recv/send's:  $x_{11}?!$*

where  $r$  is fresh for the whole context



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[[for(  
  ptrn11 ← x11 & ... & ptrn1n ← x1n;  
  ptrnm1 ← srcm1 & ... & ptrnmn ← srcmn;  
  ...  
  ptrnm1 ← srcm1 & ... & ptrnmn ← srcmn  
){P}]]  
=  
for(  
  ptrn11 ← x11 & ... & ptrn1n ← x1n  
)  
[[for(  
  ptrnm1 ← srcm1 & ... & ptrnmn ← srcmn;  
  ...  
  ptrnm1 ← srcm1 & ... & ptrnmn ← srcmn;  
){P}]]  
}
```

*removing ;'s*



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sequential output

$x!(v);P$

Allows for sequences of sends

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sequential send expressions desugared

$$\llbracket x!(v);P \rrbracket = \text{new } r \text{ in } x!((v,*r)) \mid \text{for}(\_ \leftarrow r)\{ \llbracket P \rrbracket \}$$

*removing ;'s*

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let expressions

let  $\text{ptrn}_1 \leftarrow v_1 ; \dots ; \text{ptrn}_m \leftarrow v_m$  in  $P$

let  $\text{ptrn}_1 \leftarrow v_1 \ \& \ \dots \ \& \ \text{ptrn}_m \leftarrow v_m$  in  $P$

These provide immutable variables much like  
Scala's

$\text{val } x = v ; P$



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let expressions desugared

```
[[let ptrn1 ← v1 ; ... ; ptrnn ← vn in P ]]  
=  
new x1 in  
  x1!(v1)  
  | for( ptrn1 ← x1 ){  
    [[let ptrn2 ← v2 ; ... ; ptrnn ← vn in P ]]  
  }
```

*removing ;'s*

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let expressions desugared

$$\begin{aligned} & \llbracket \text{let ptrn}_1 \leftarrow v_1 \ \& \ \dots \ \& \ \text{ptrn}_n \leftarrow v_n \ \text{in } P \rrbracket \\ & = \\ & \text{new } x_1 \ \dots \ x_n \ \text{in} \\ & \quad x_1!(v_1) \ | \ \dots \ | \ x_n!(v_n) \\ & \quad | \ \text{for}( \text{ptrn}_1 \leftarrow x_1 \ \& \ \dots \ \& \ \text{ptrn}_n \leftarrow x_n ) \{ \llbracket P \rrbracket \} \end{aligned}$$

*removing &'s*