



A Structured Set of Higher-Order Problems

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Talk: Mechanization of Church’s simple type theory; test problems

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α -conversion Changing Bound Variables

β -reduction $[[\lambda Y_\beta A_\alpha] B] \xrightarrow{\beta} [B/Y]A$

η -reduction $[\lambda Y_\beta [F_{\alpha\beta} Y]] \xrightarrow{\eta} F$ ($Y_\beta \notin \mathbf{Free}(F)$)

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Every term has a unique $\beta\eta$ -normal form (up to α -conversion).

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Intuition:

- $[\sum^\alpha [\lambda X_\alpha C_o]]$ is true iff $\{X_\alpha \mid C\}$ is **nonempty**.

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- $[A_o \vee B_o]$ means $[\vee_{ooo} A_o B_o]$
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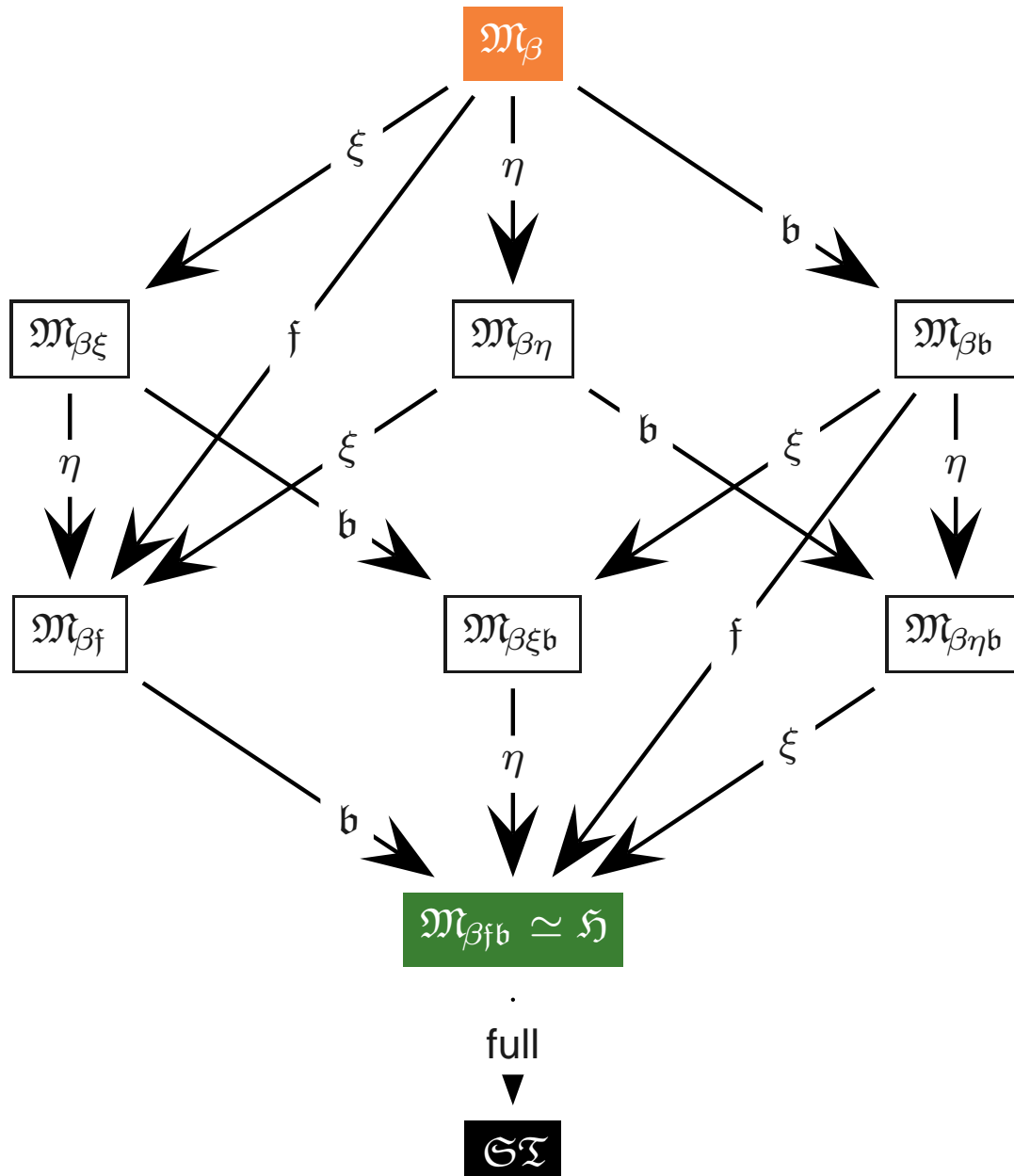
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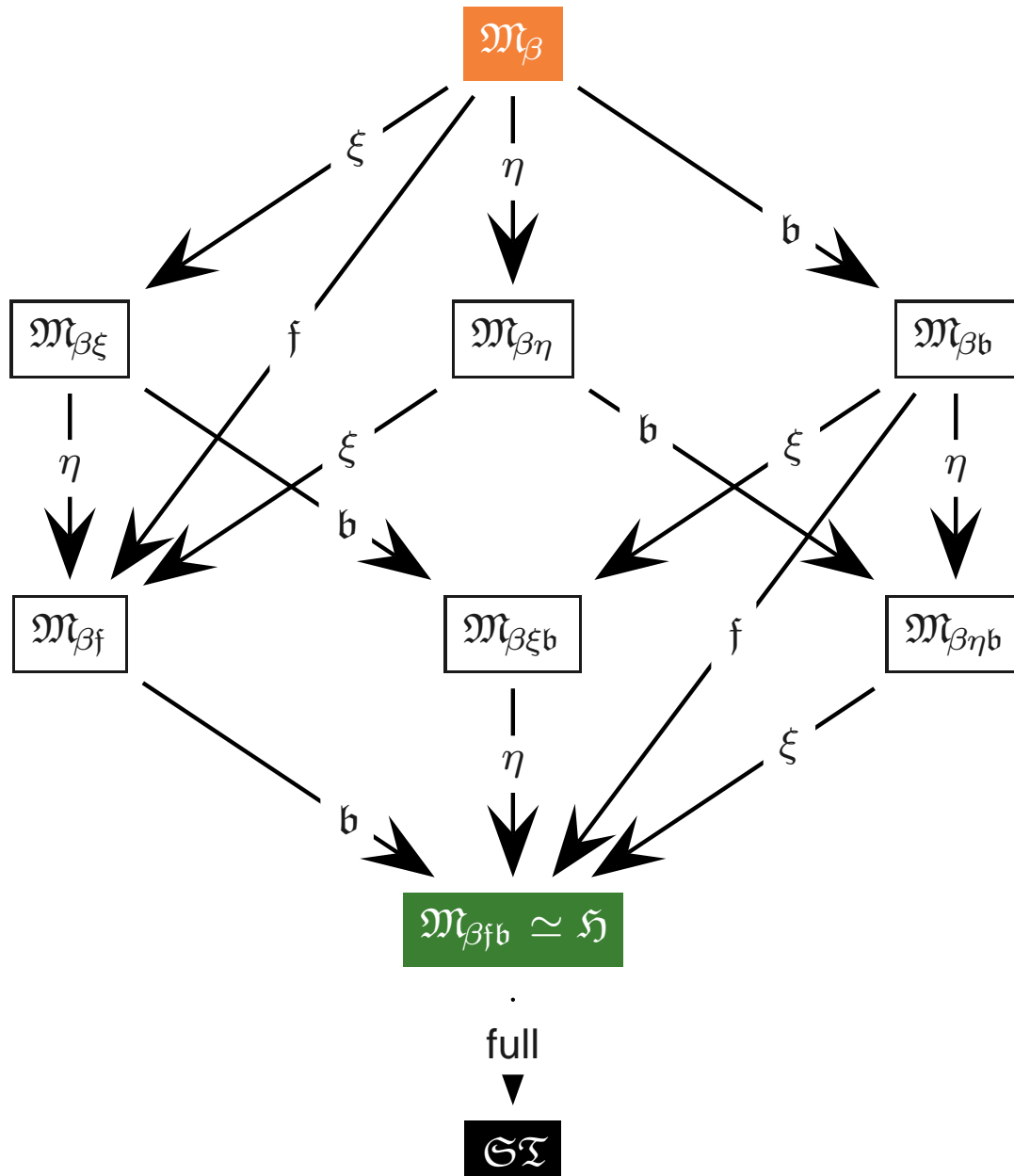
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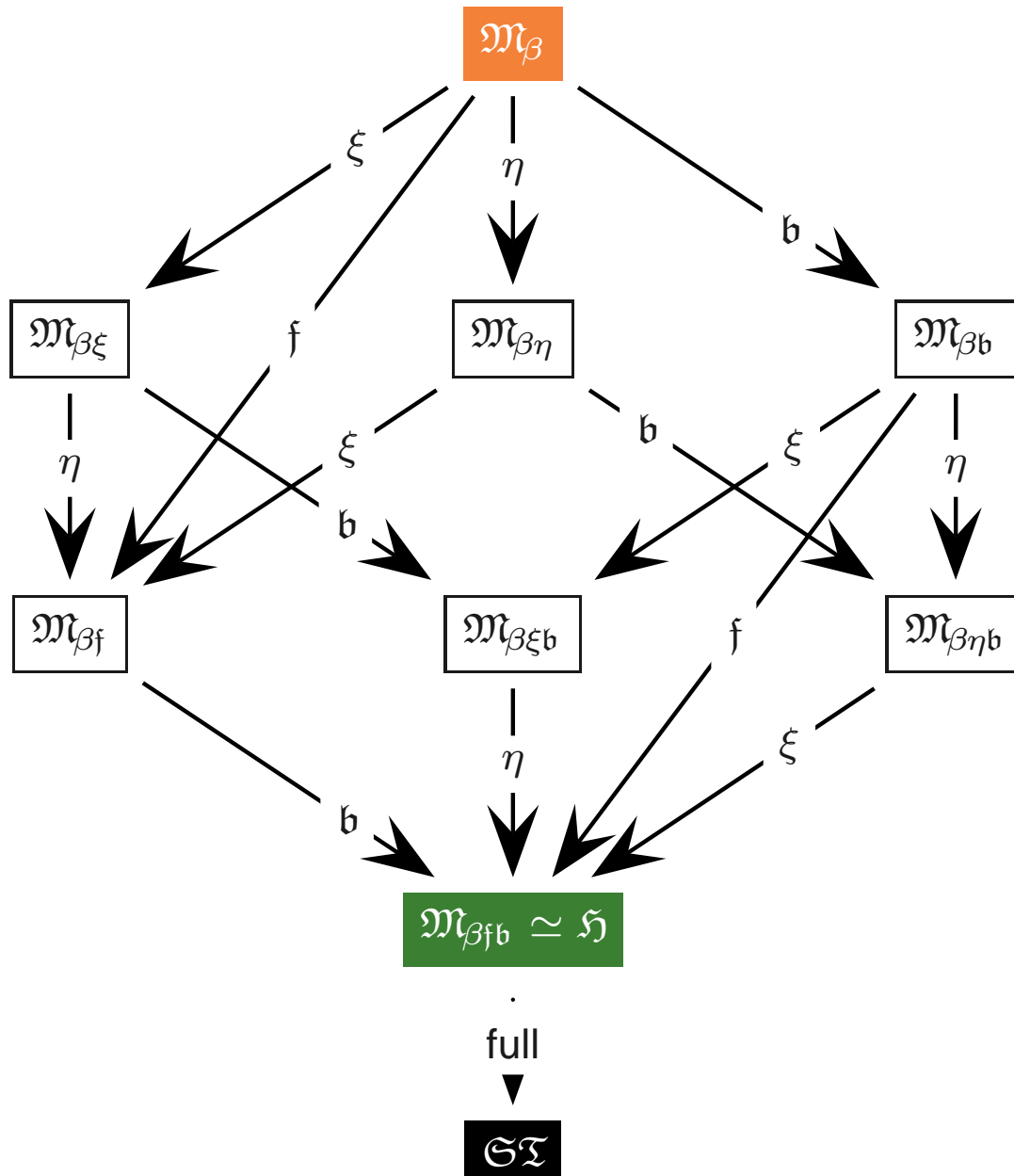
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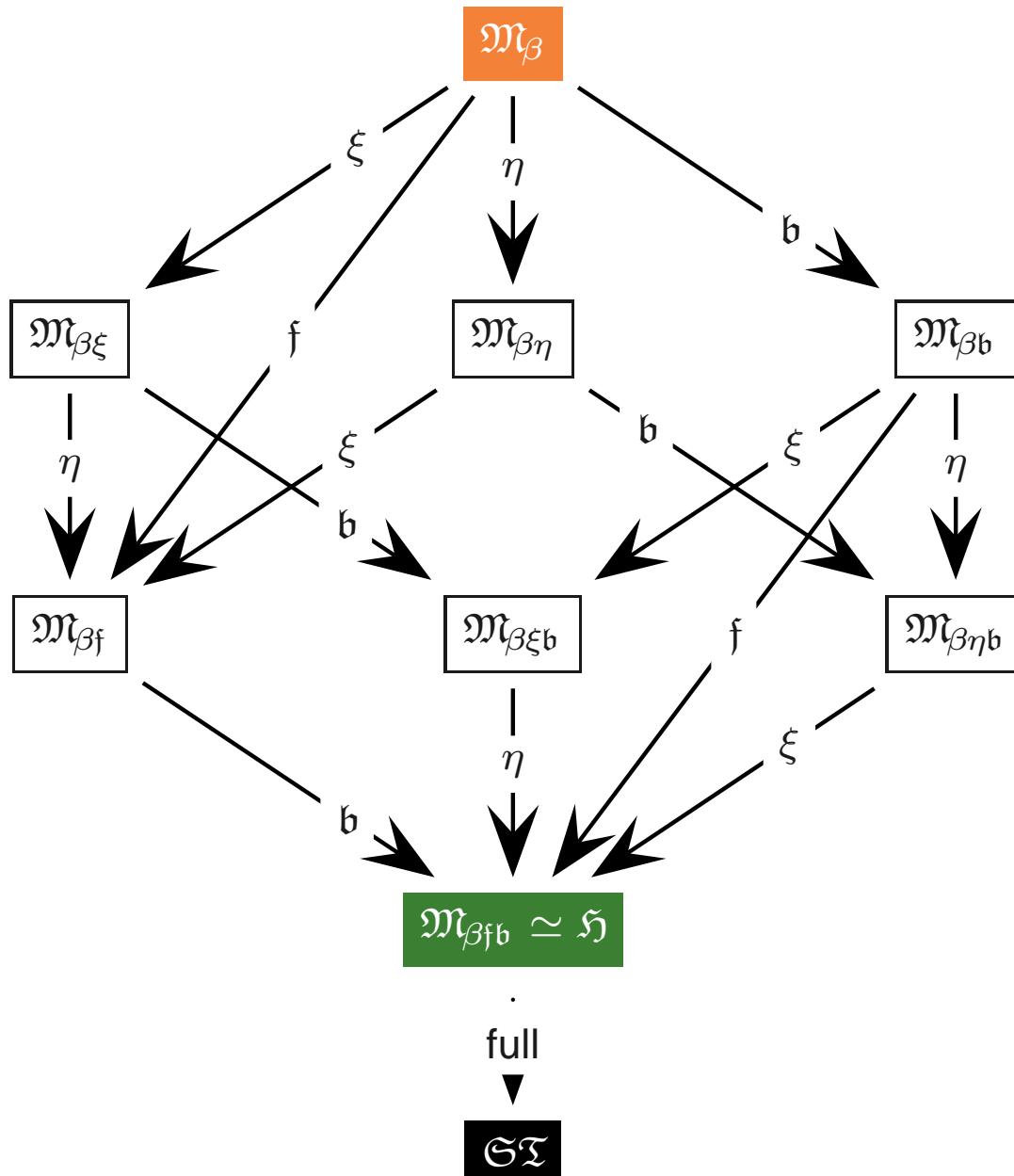


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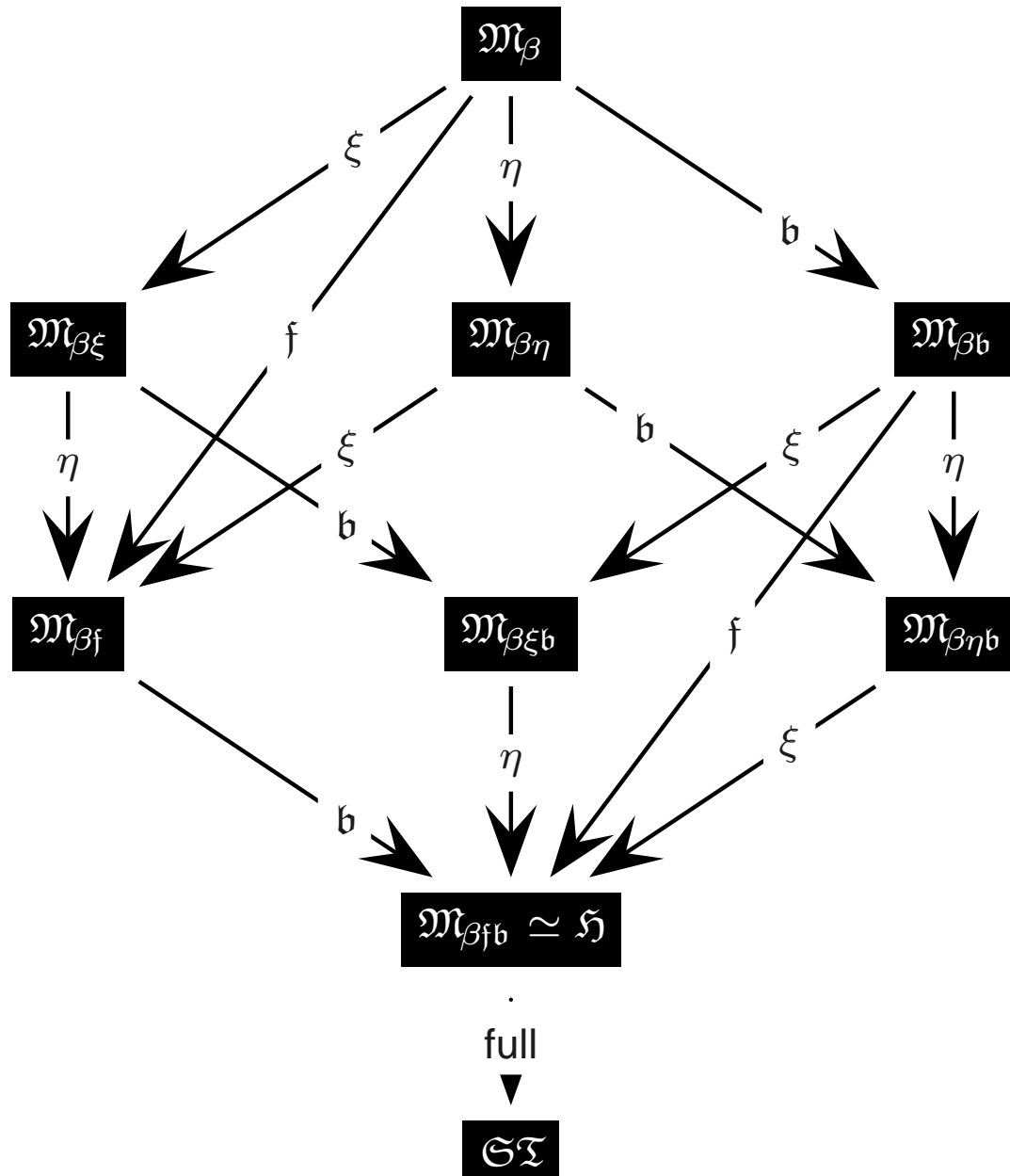
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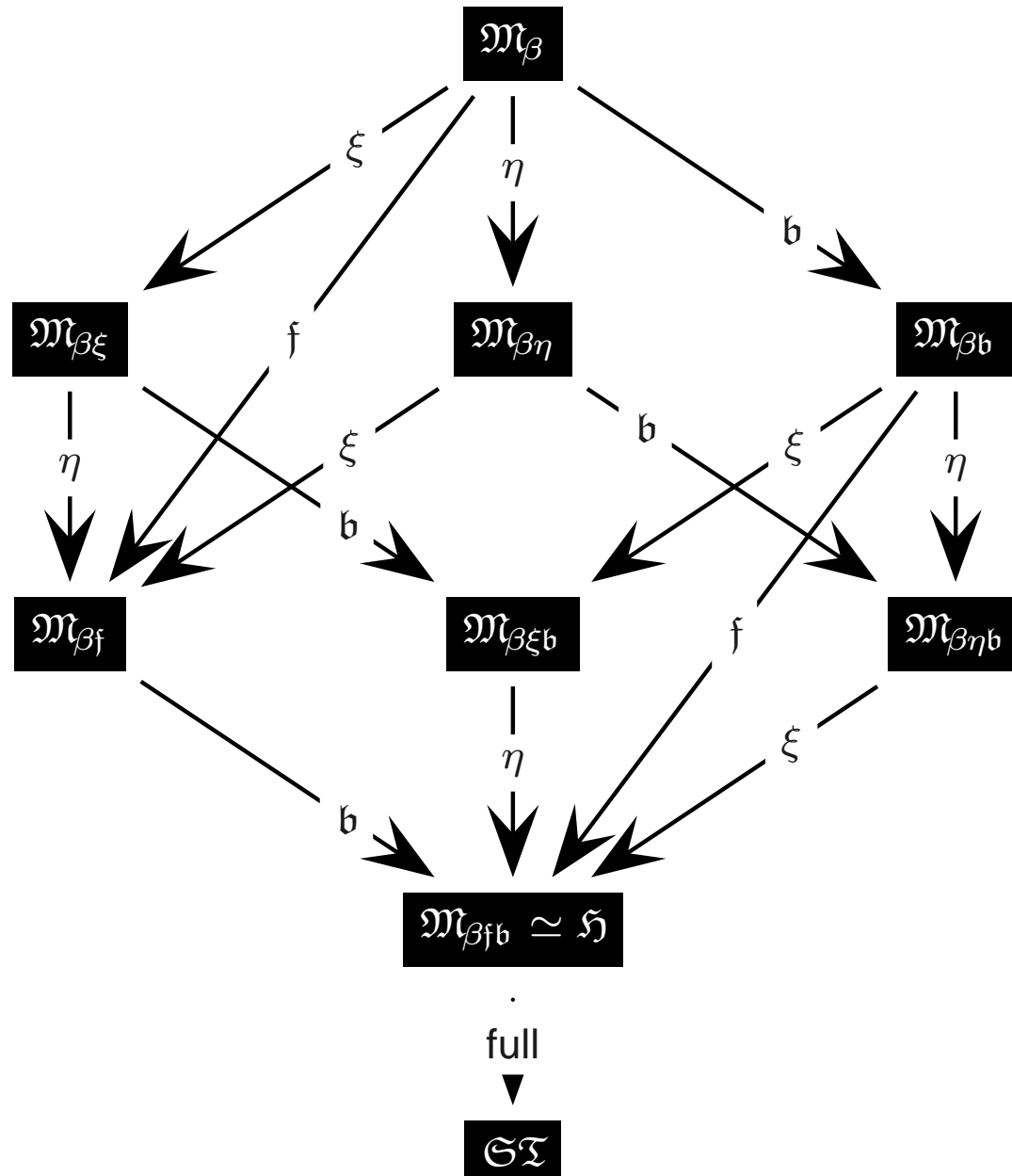
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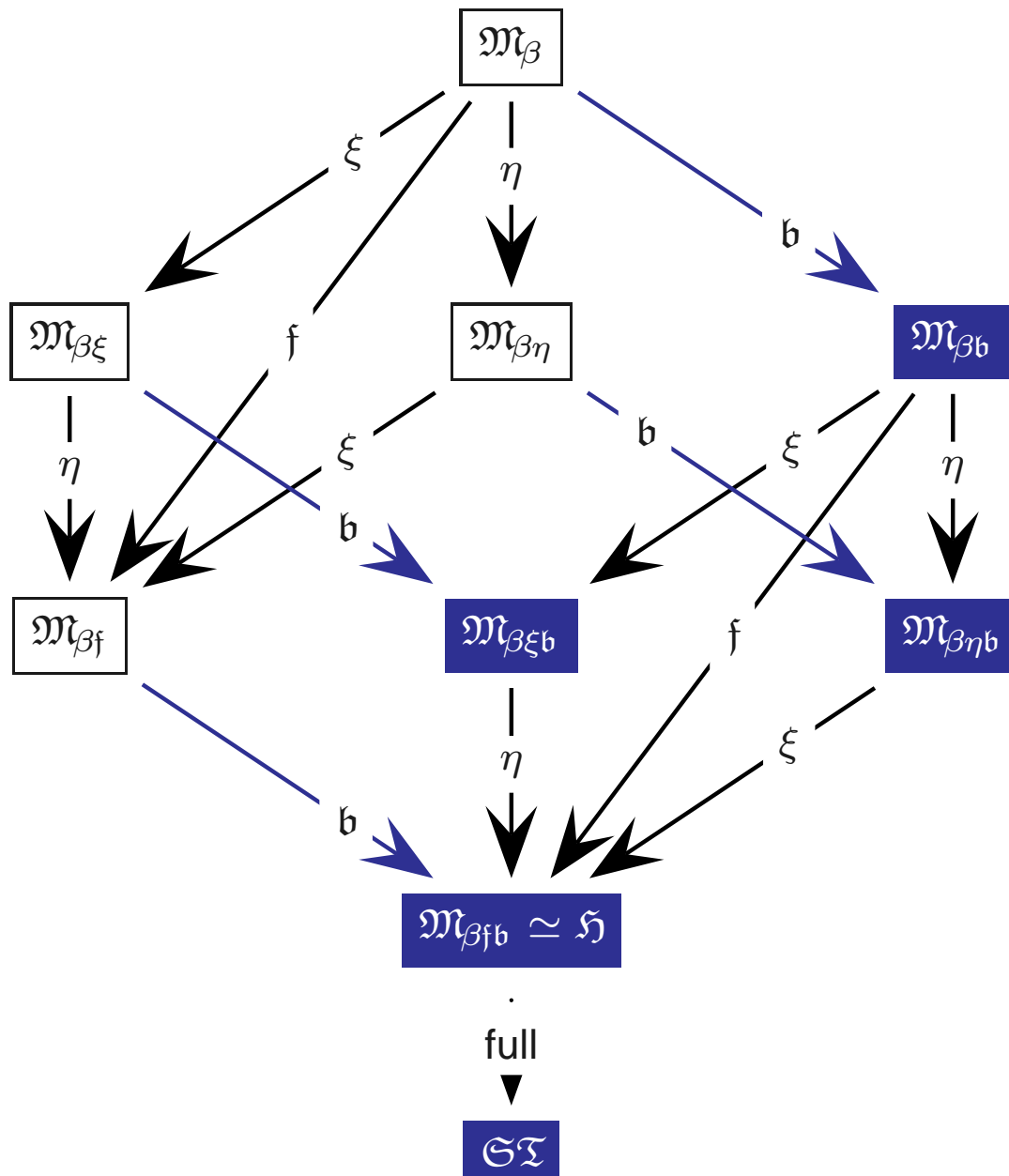
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- [Andrews72]: without property η Leibniz equality \doteq not necessarily evaluates to identity relation — even in Henkin semantics

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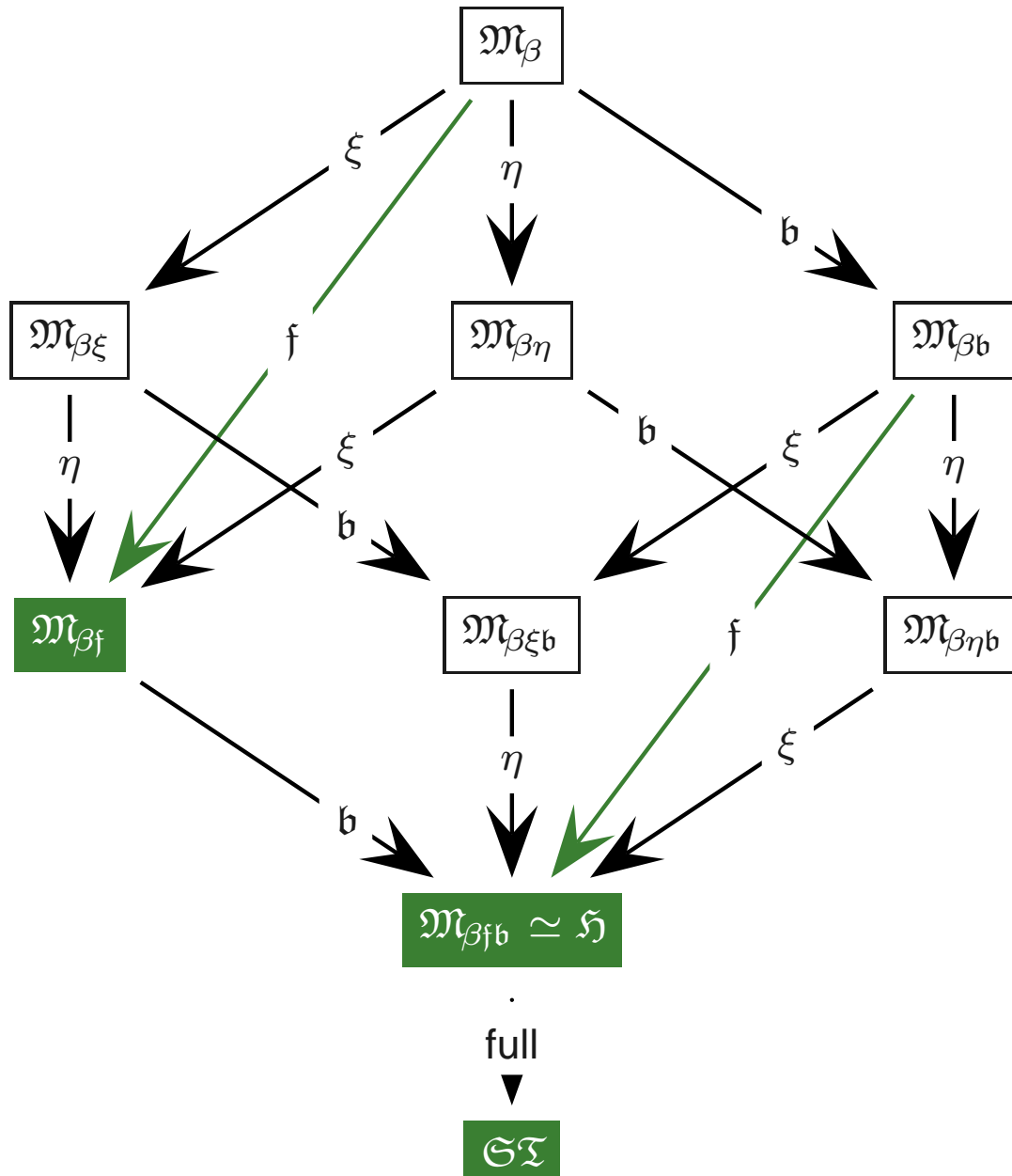


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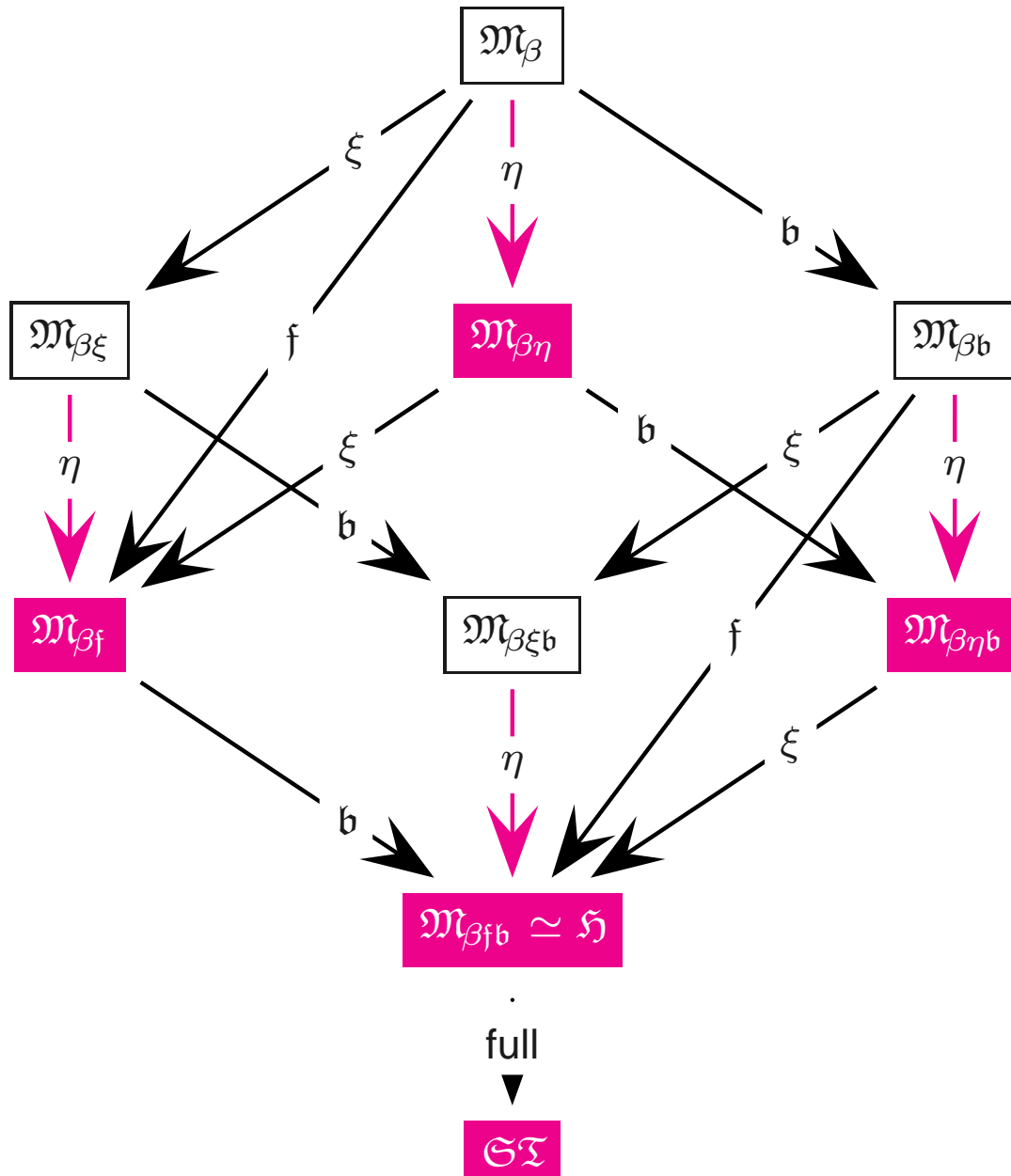
$\forall f, g \in \mathcal{D}_{\beta\alpha} :$
 $f \equiv g \text{ iff } f@a \equiv g@a \text{ } (\forall a \in \mathcal{D}_\alpha)$



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$$\mathcal{E}_\varphi(A) \equiv \mathcal{E}_\varphi(A \downarrow_\eta)$$



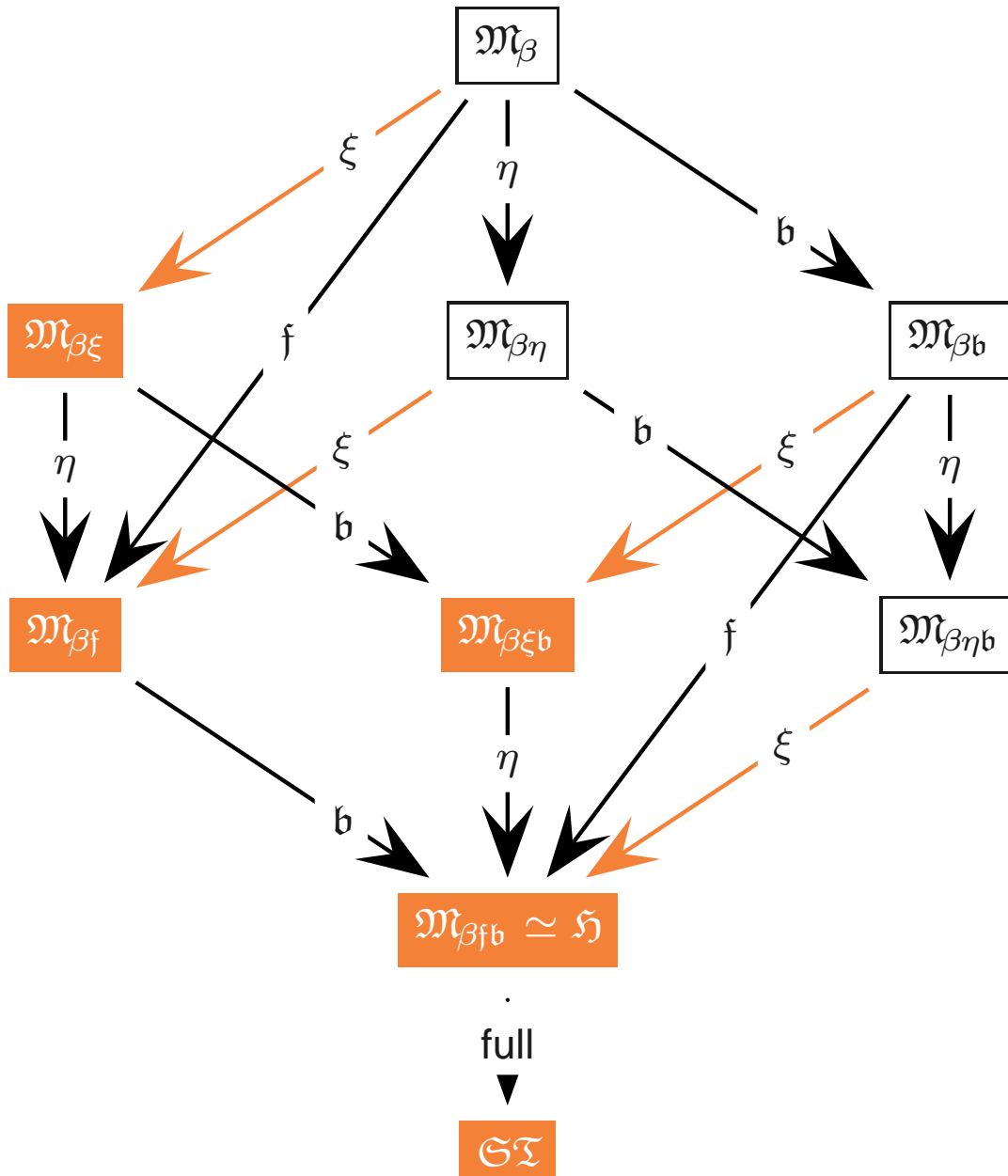
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$$\mathcal{E}_\varphi(\lambda X_\alpha. M_\beta) \equiv \mathcal{E}_\varphi(\lambda X_\alpha. N_\beta) \text{ iff}$$

$$\mathcal{E}_{\varphi, [a/X]}(M) \equiv \mathcal{E}_{\varphi, [a/X]}(N) \quad (\forall a \in \mathcal{D}_\alpha)$$



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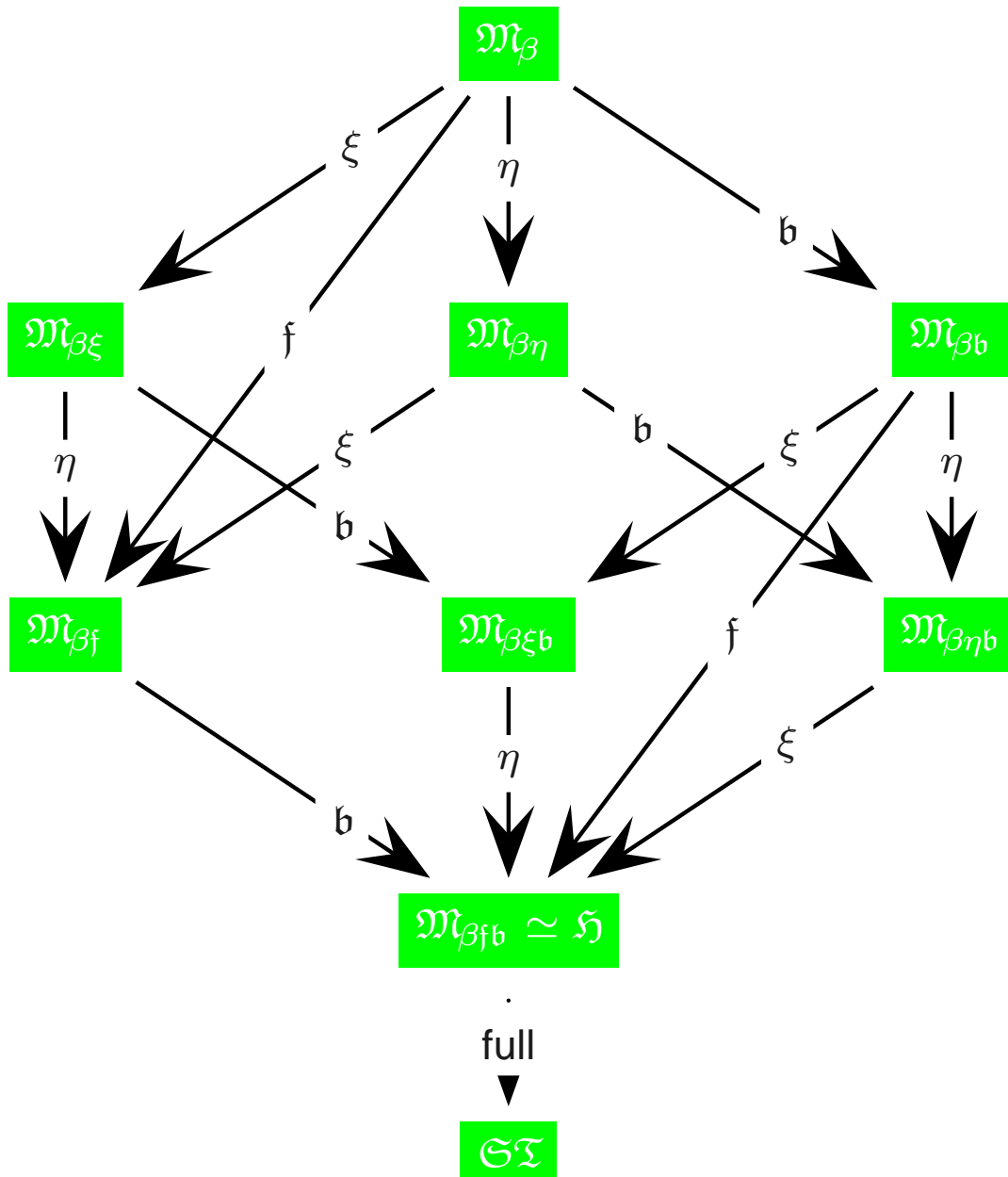
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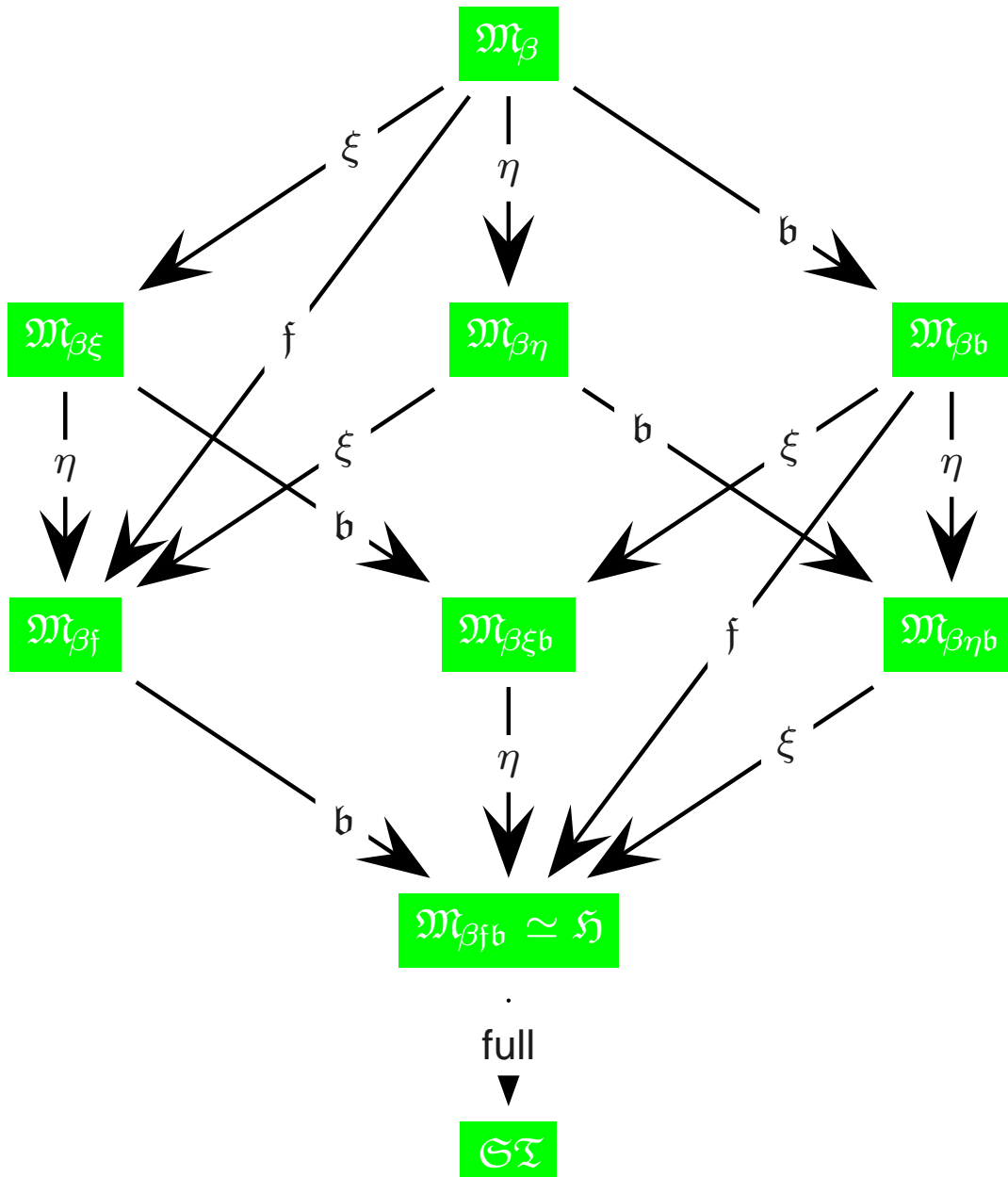
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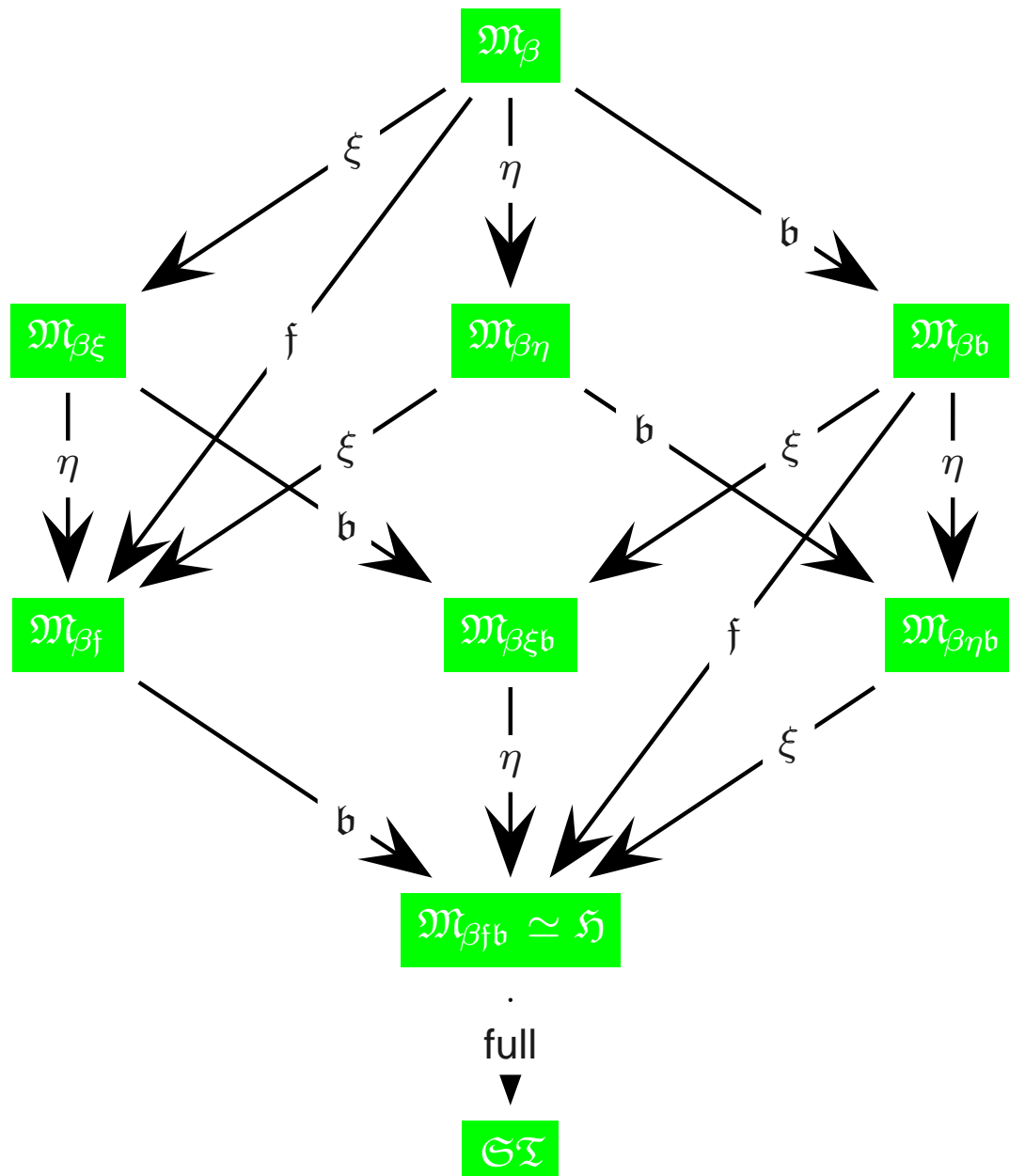
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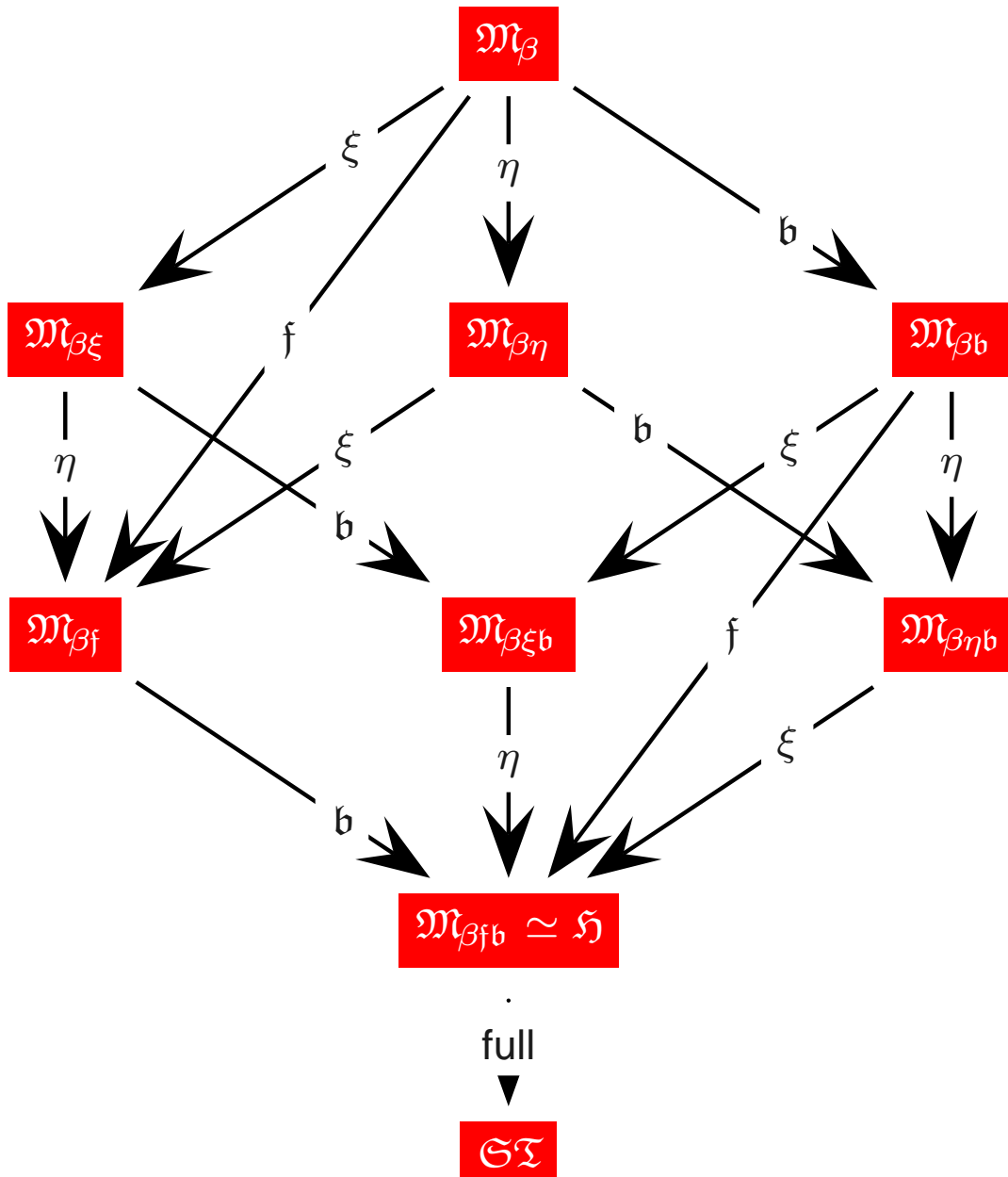
Pre-unification with β -conversion:

- $\exists N_{(\iota \rightarrow \iota) \rightarrow \iota \rightarrow \iota}. ((N \bar{\times} \bar{1}) \stackrel{*}{=} \bar{1})$
(two solutions if only β ;
one solution if $\beta\eta$)
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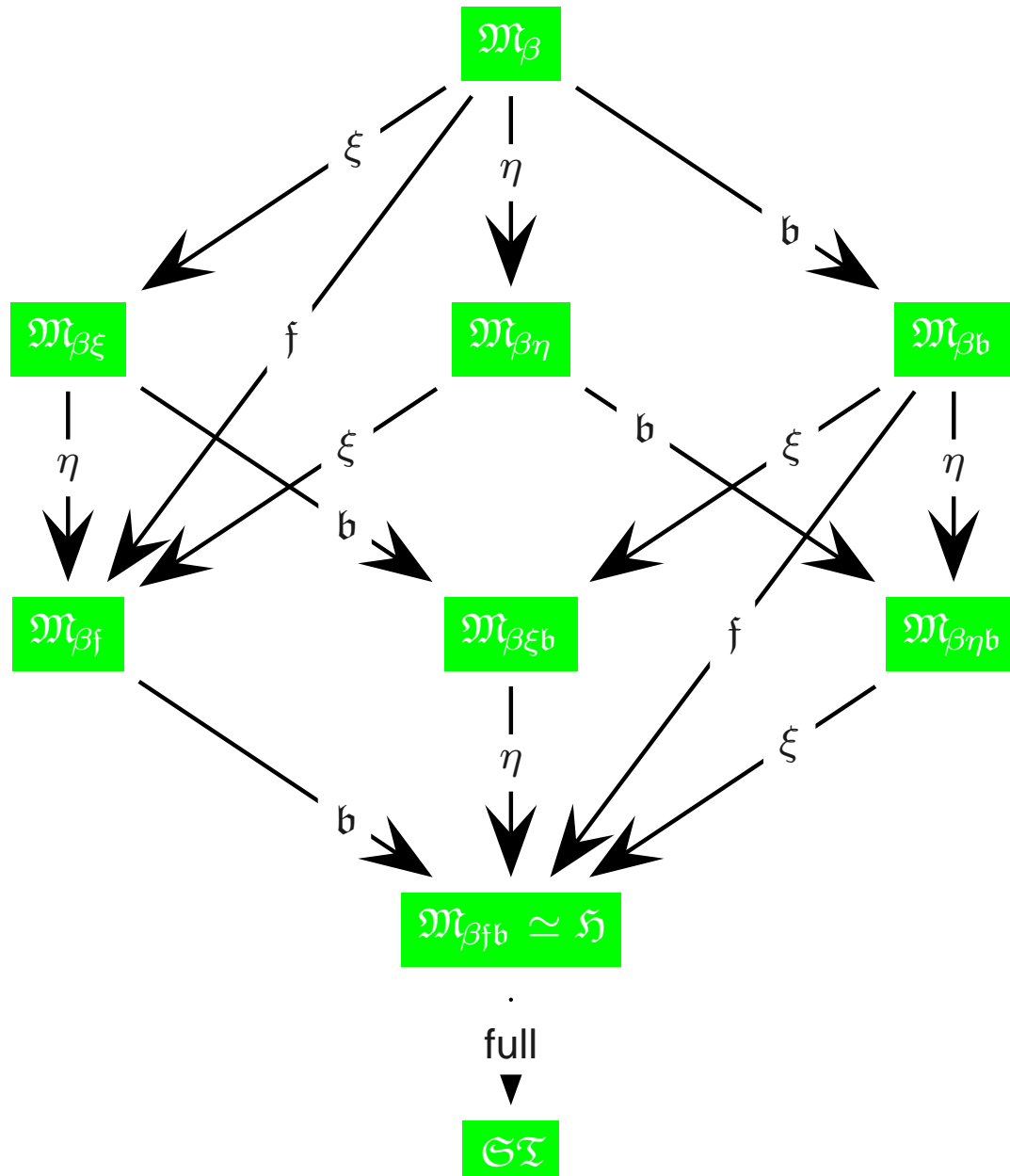
HOL-Non-Problems

Some non-theorems:

- essentially FOL
- apply to all model classes
- address
 - ▶ Skolemization
 - ▶ axiom of choice



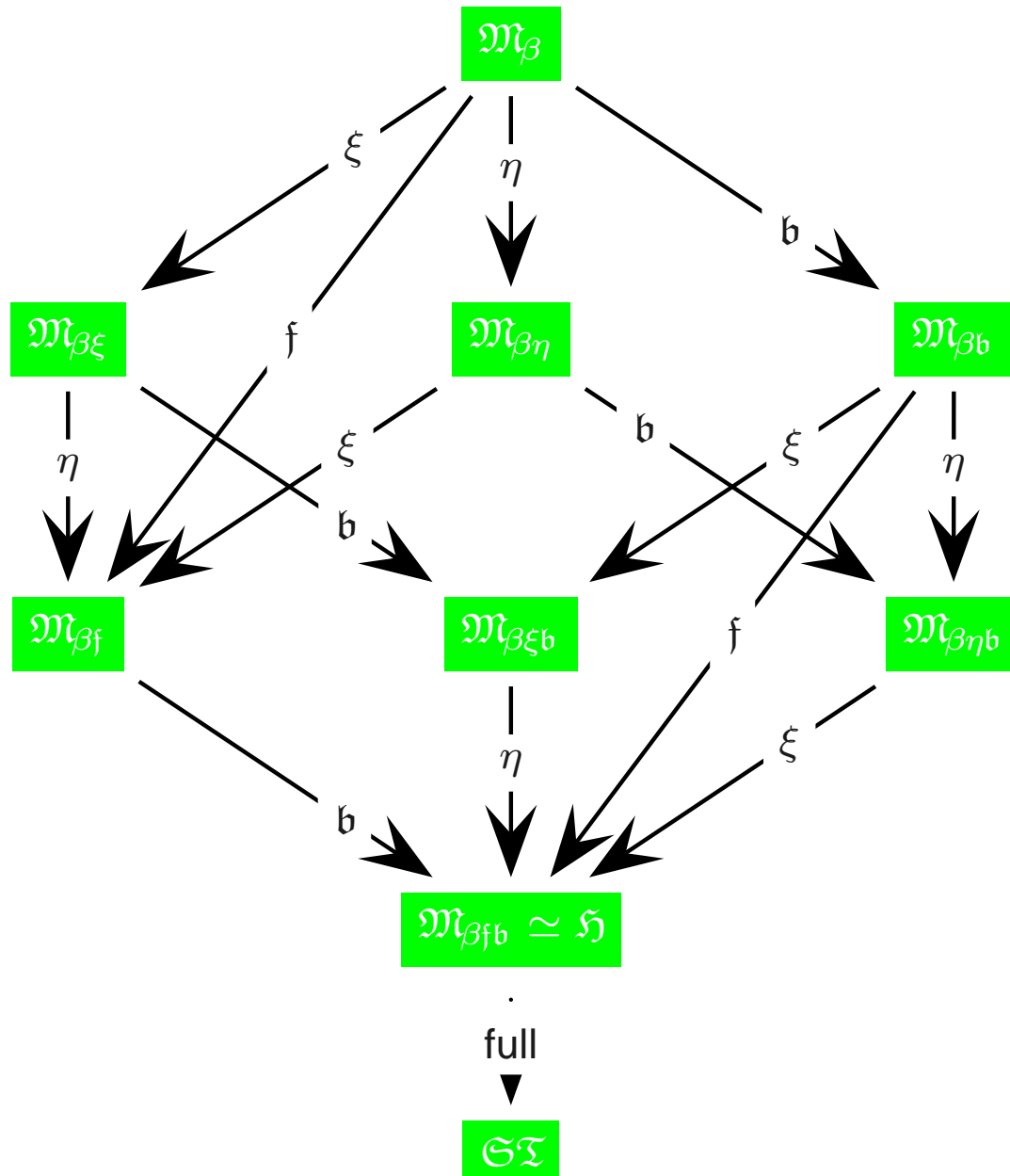
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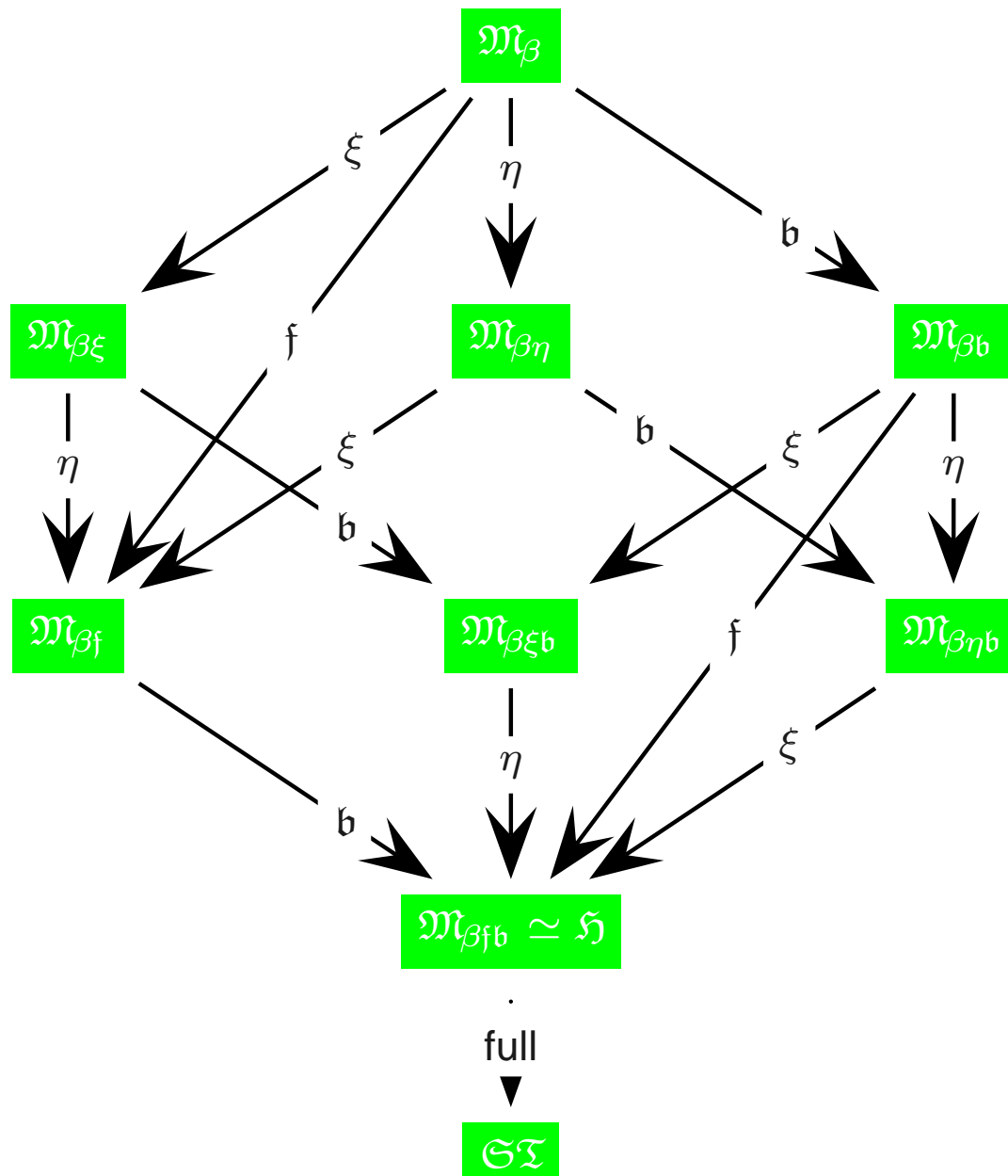
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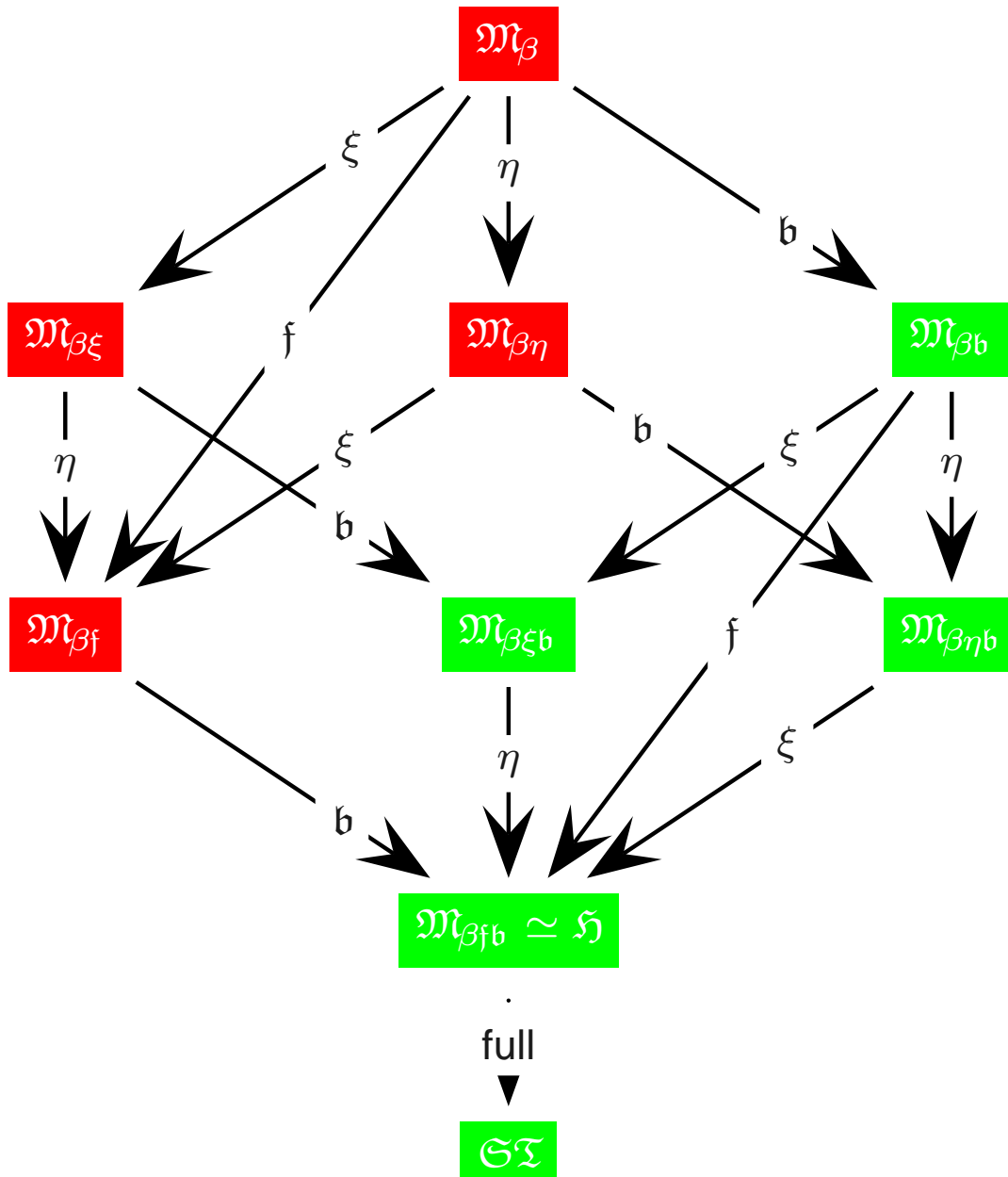
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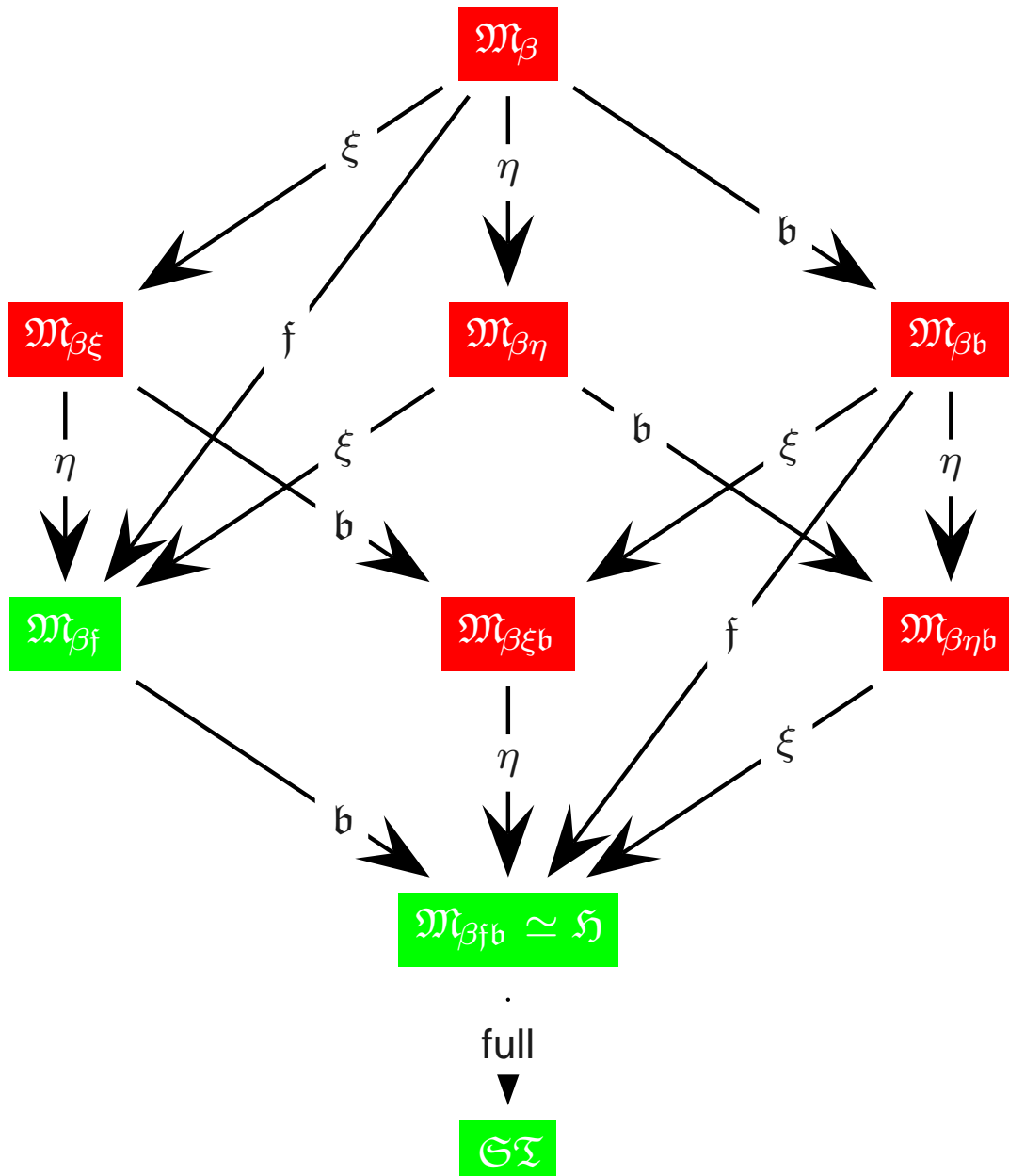
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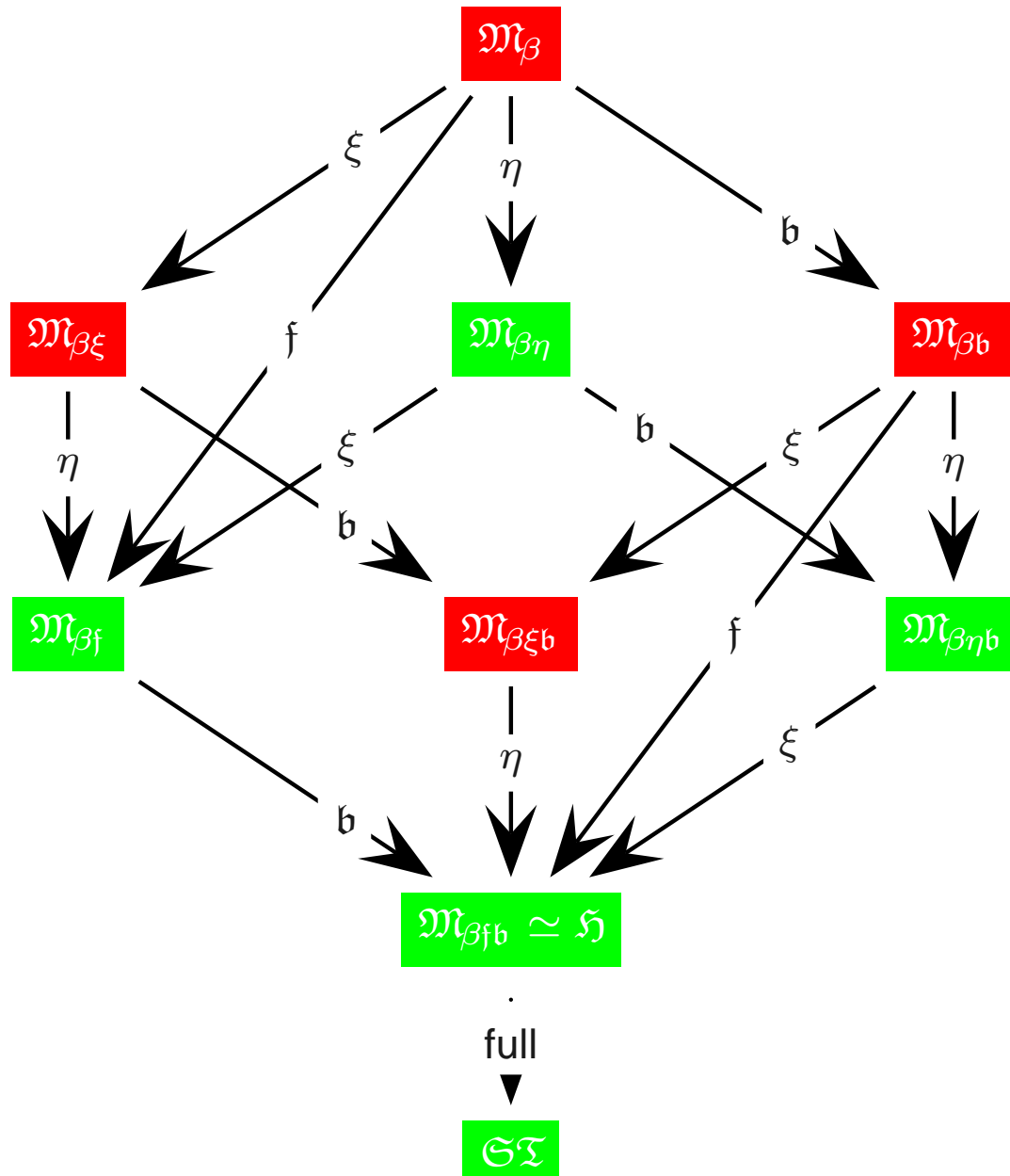
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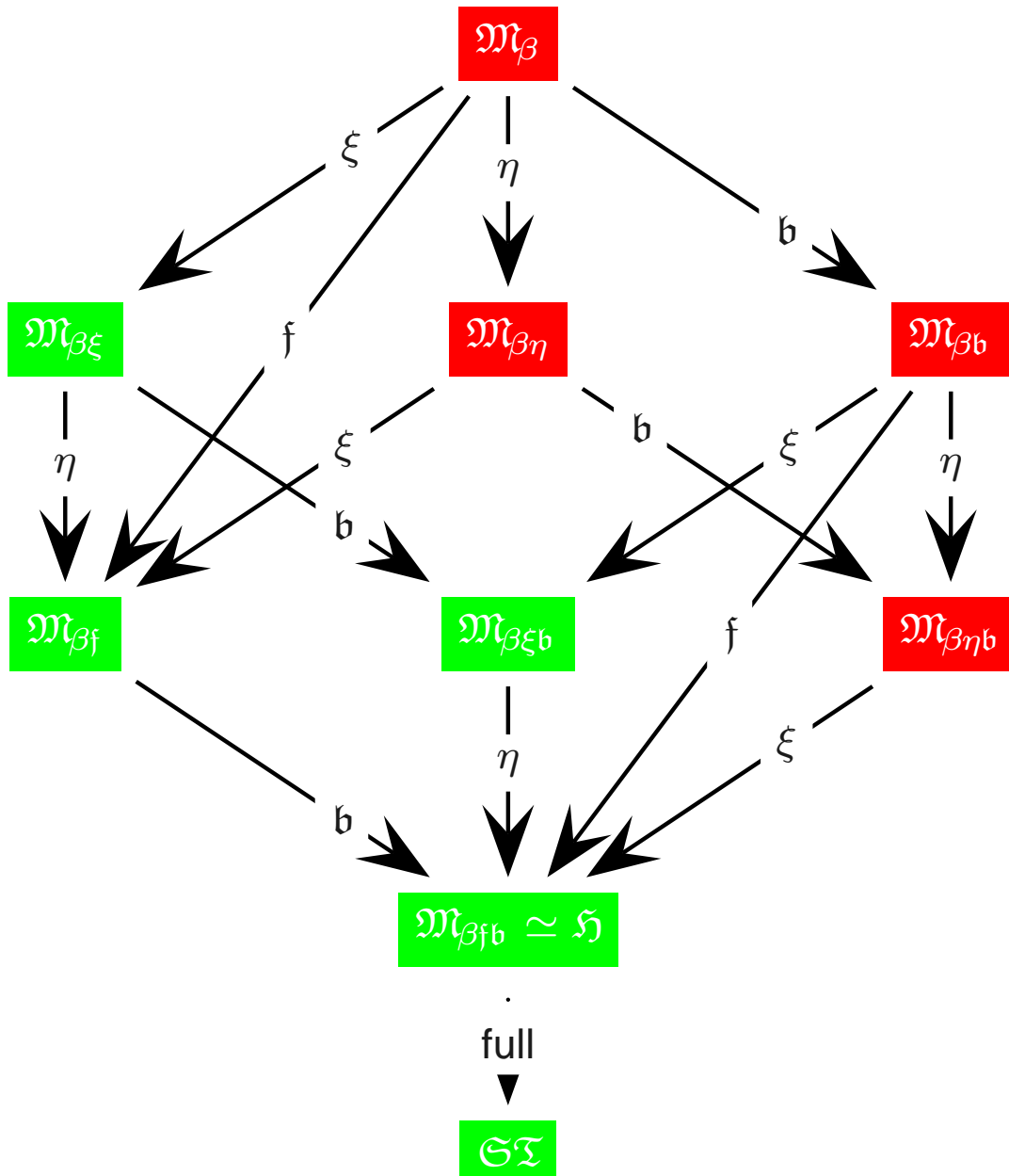
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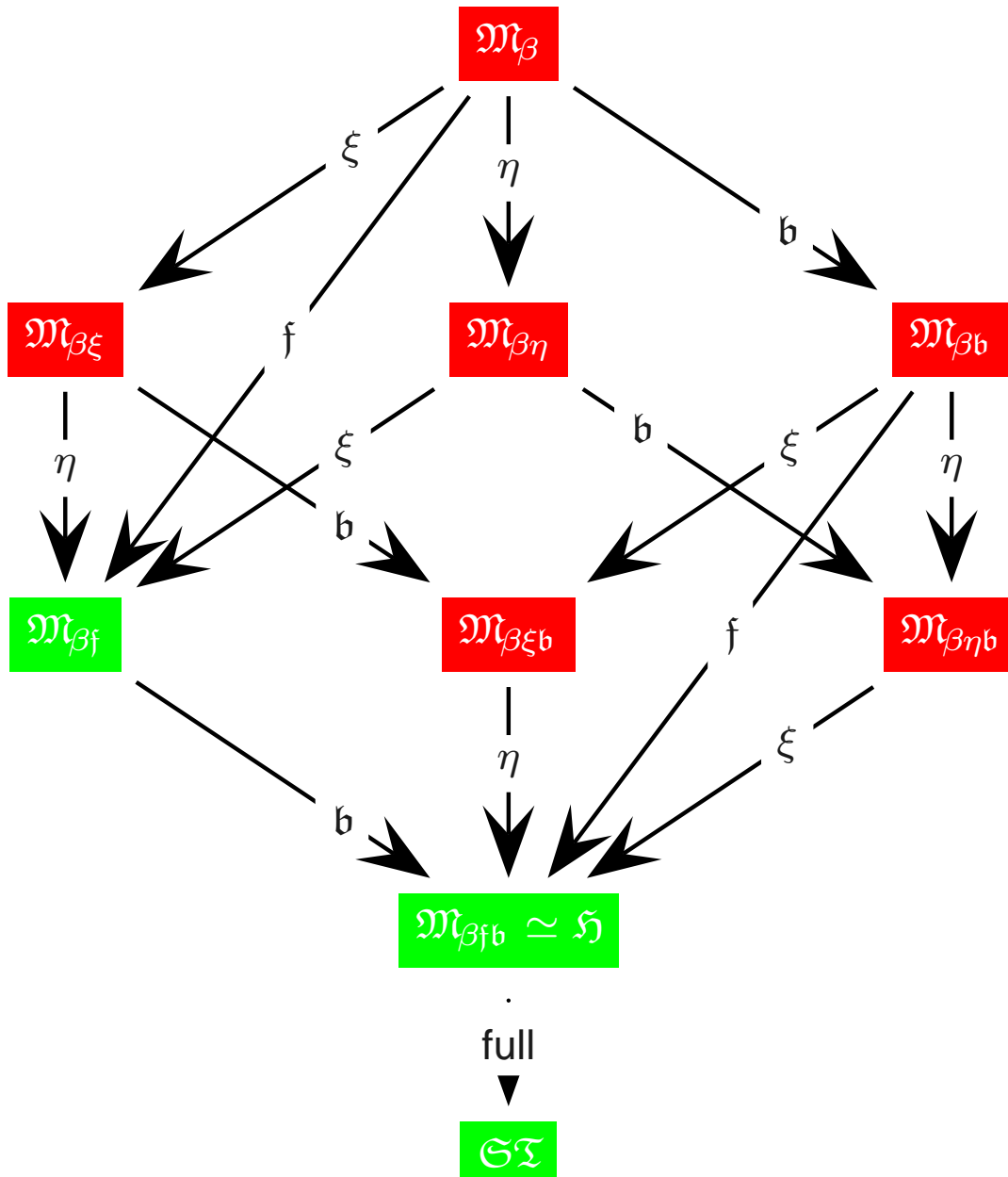
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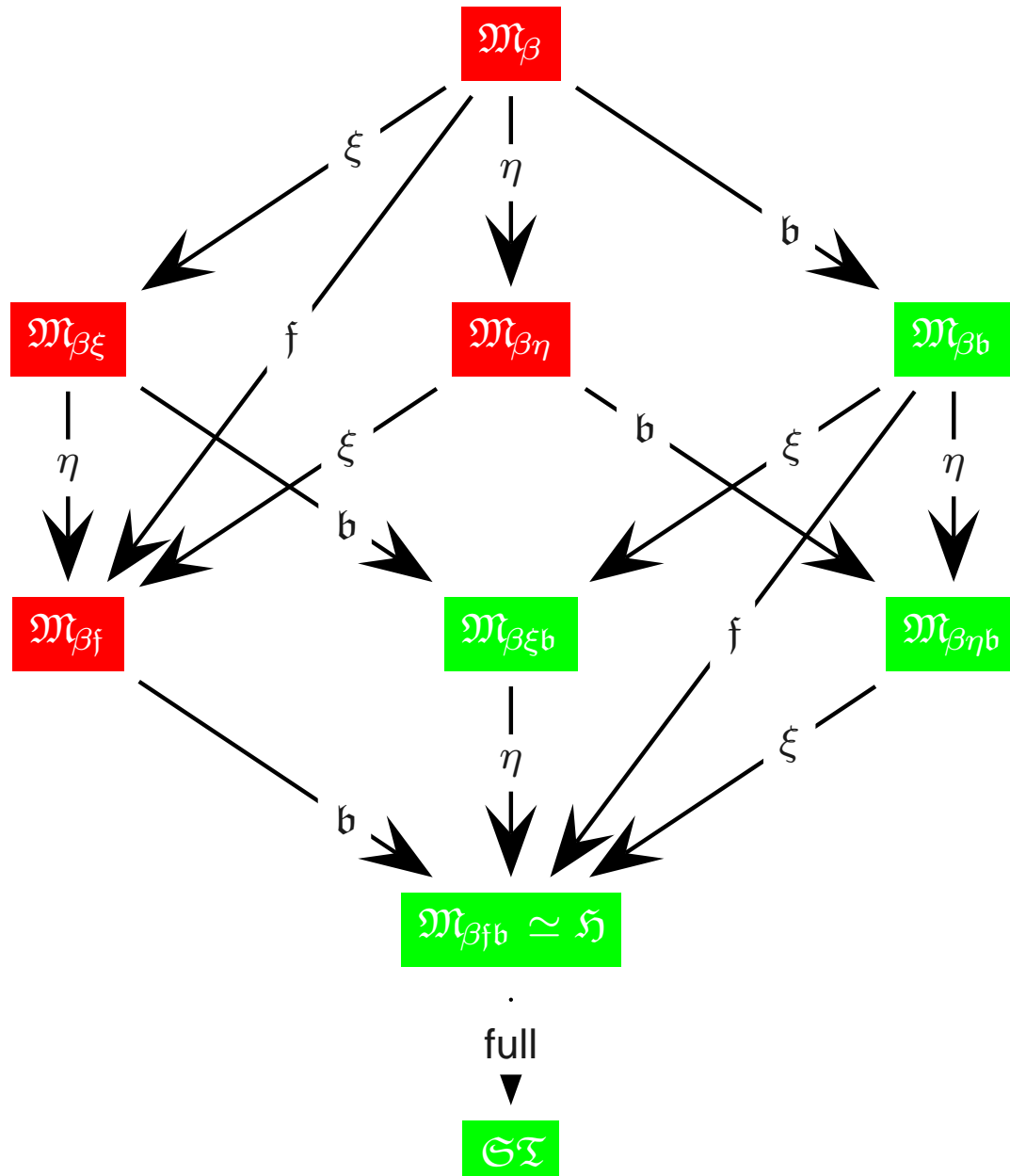
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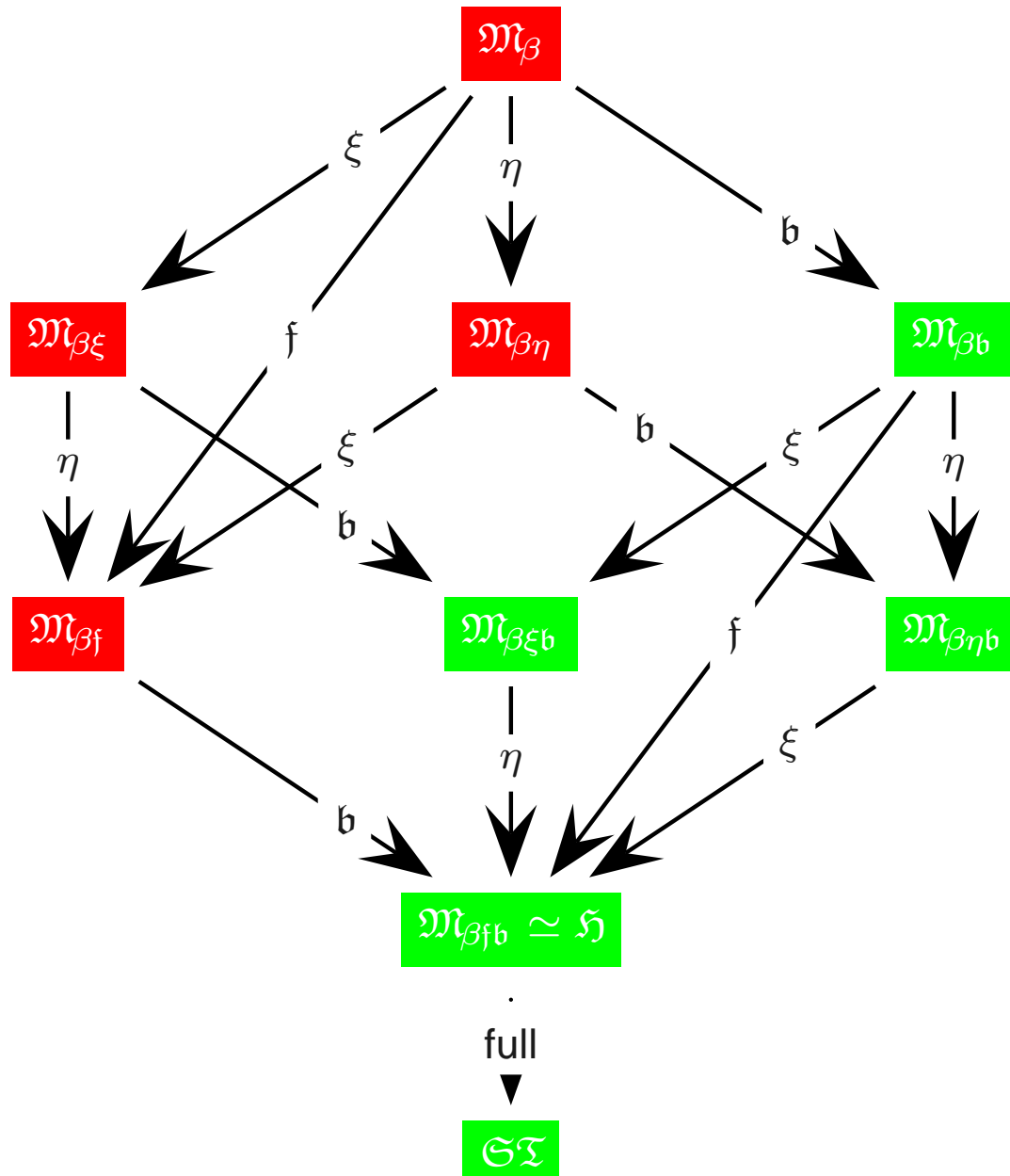
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- $(p_{oo} a_o) \wedge (p b_o) \Rightarrow (p (a \wedge b))$
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- $(h_{\iota o}((h\top) \stackrel{*}{=} (h\perp))) \stackrel{*}{=} (h\perp)$

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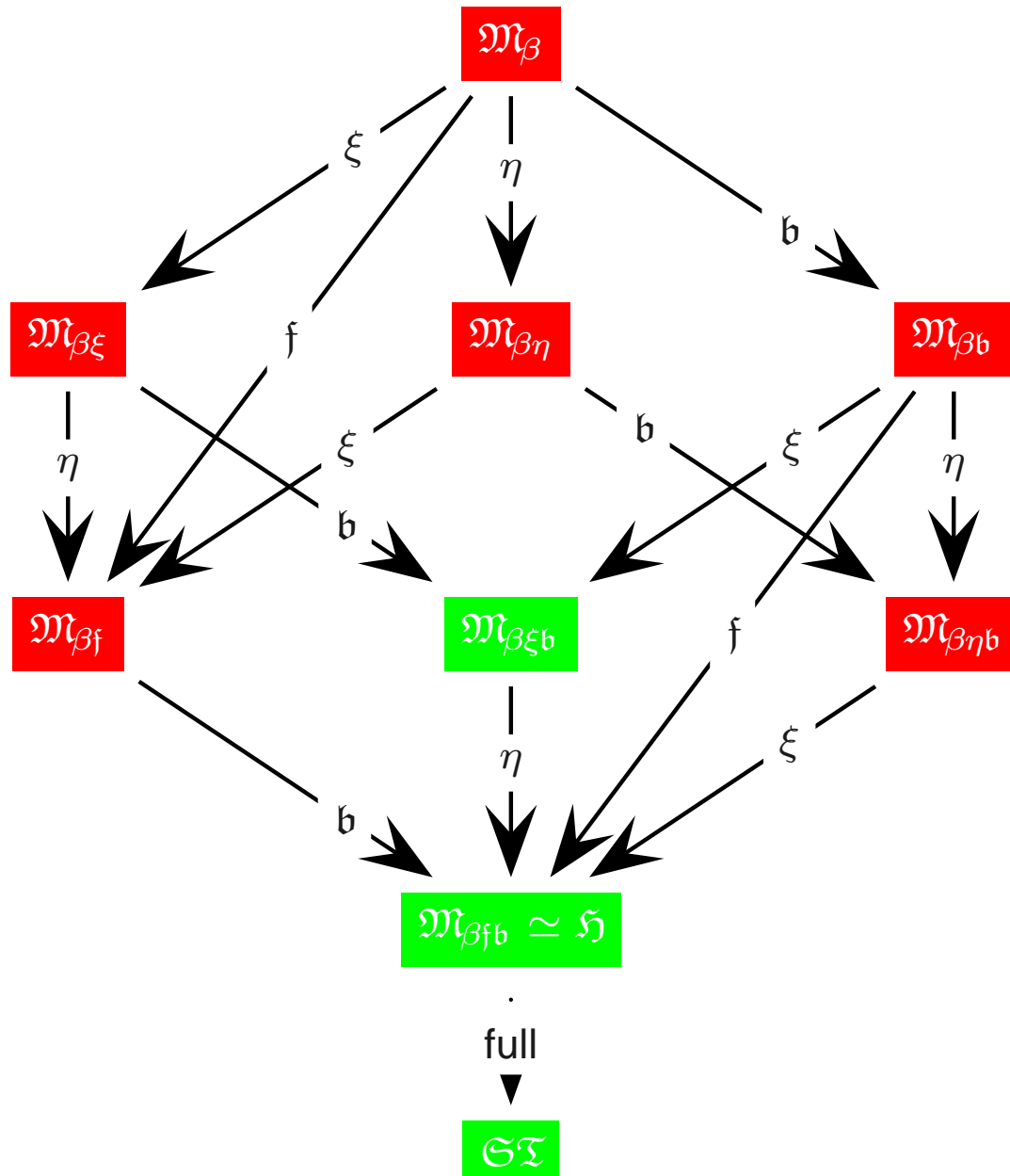


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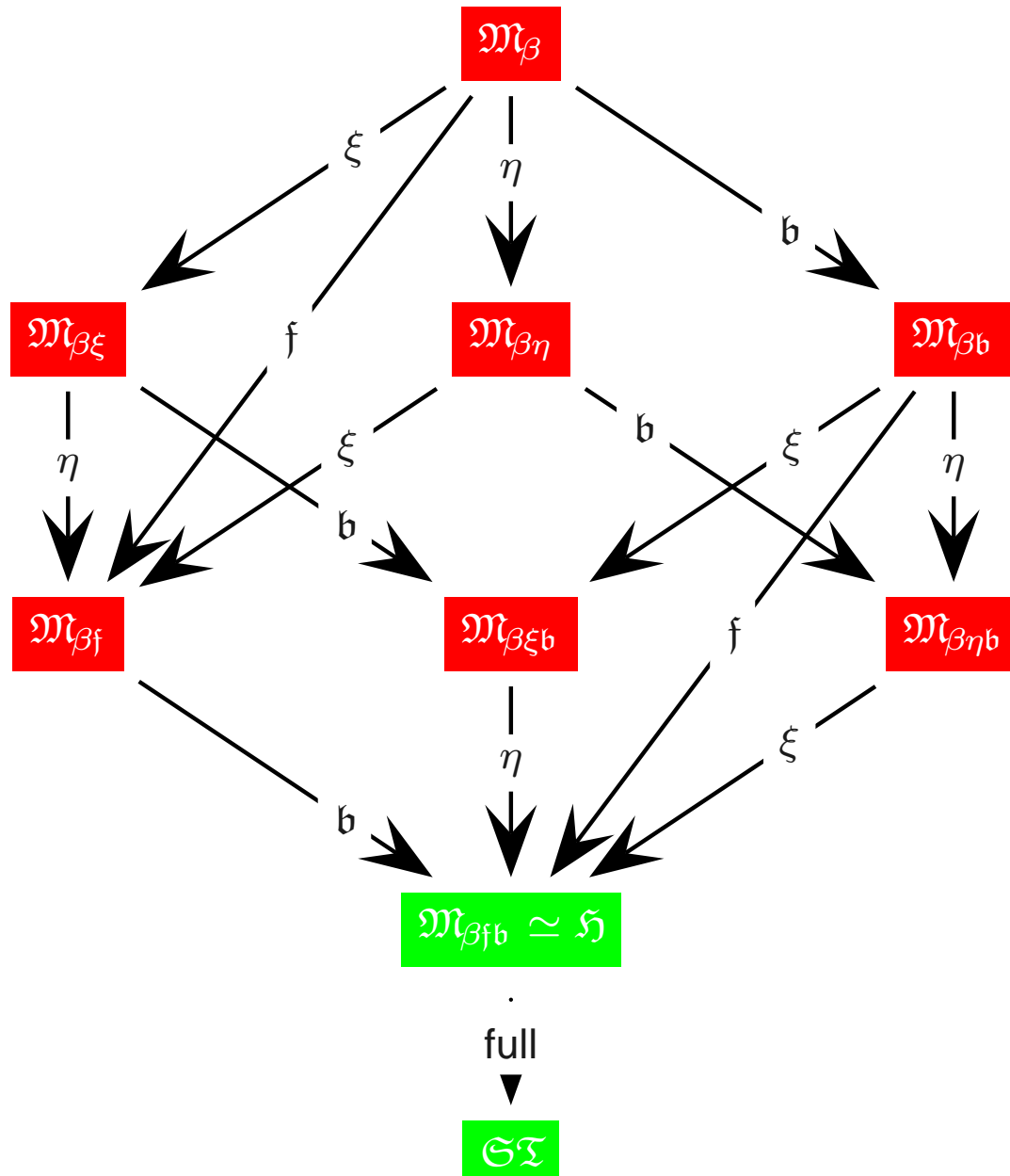


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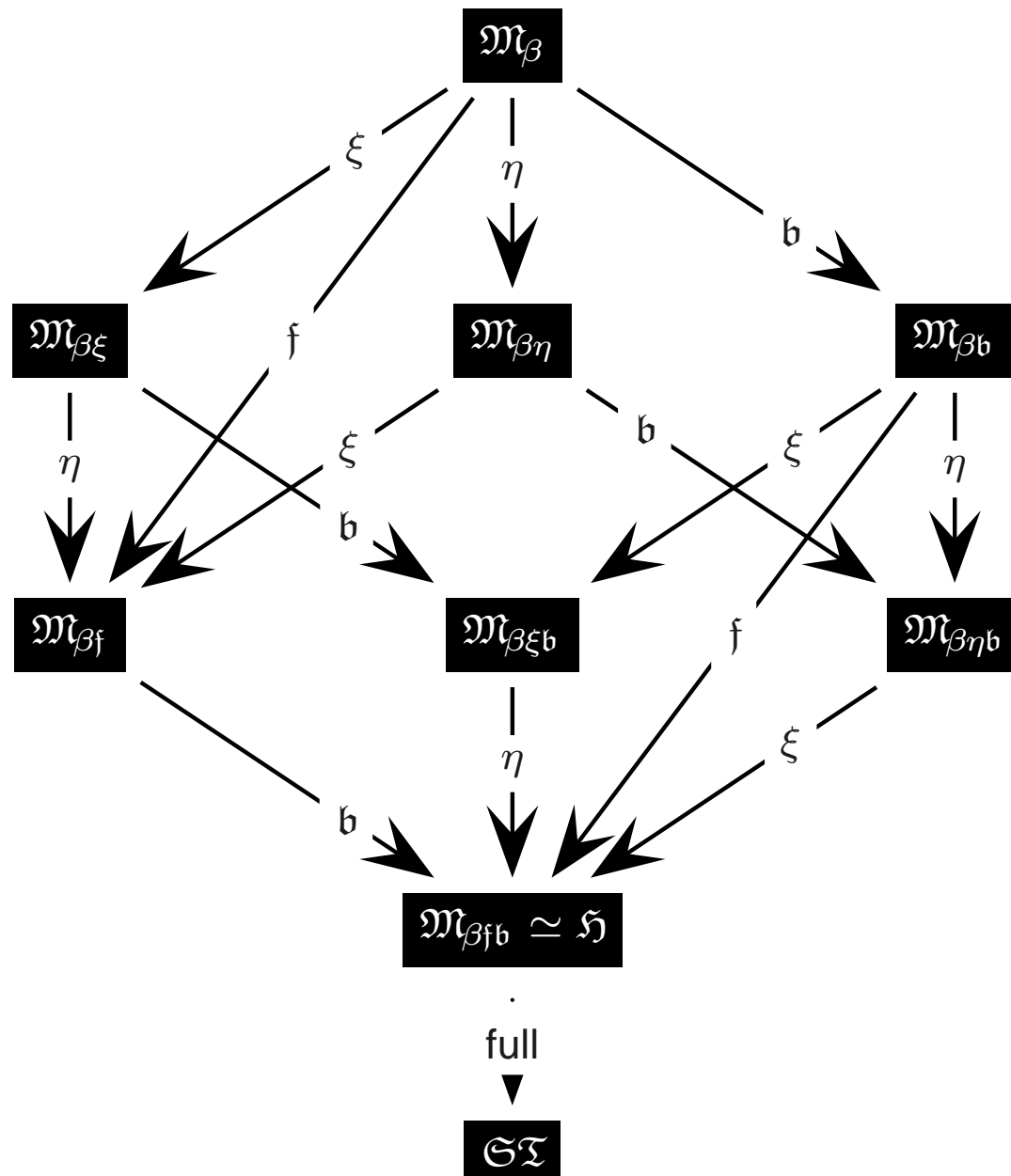


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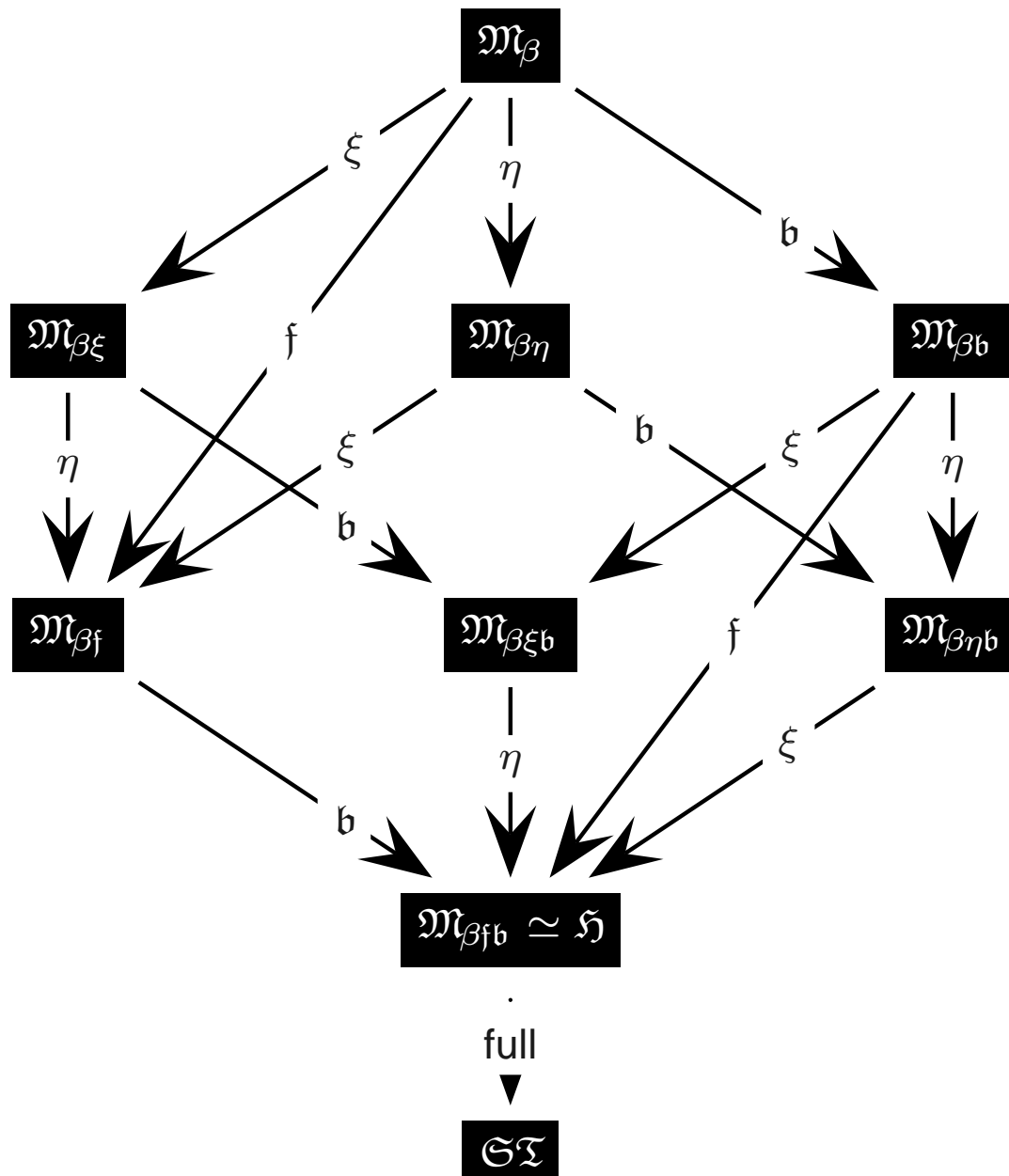
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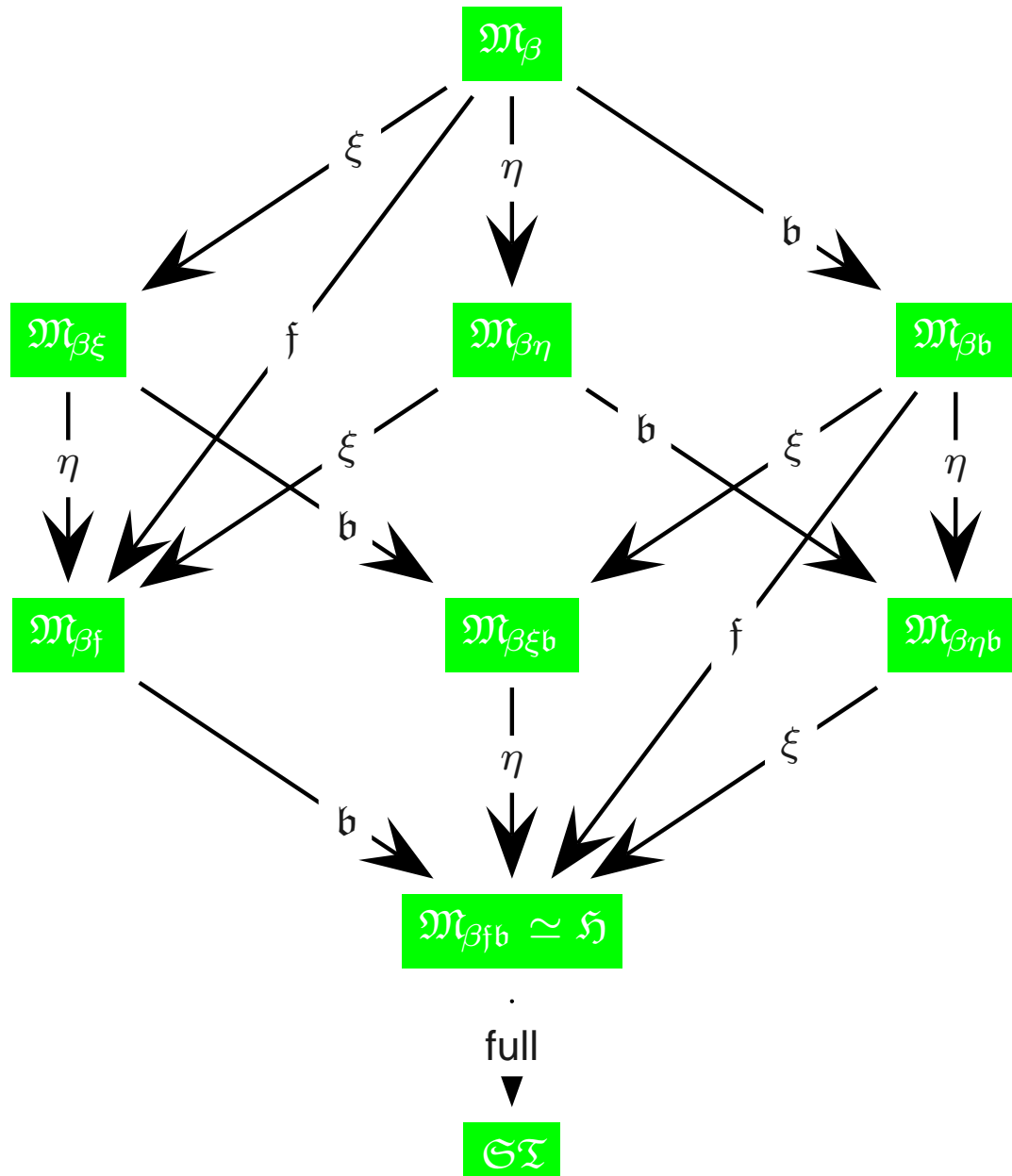
In the remainder

- signature \mathcal{S} varying
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External vs. internal logical constants

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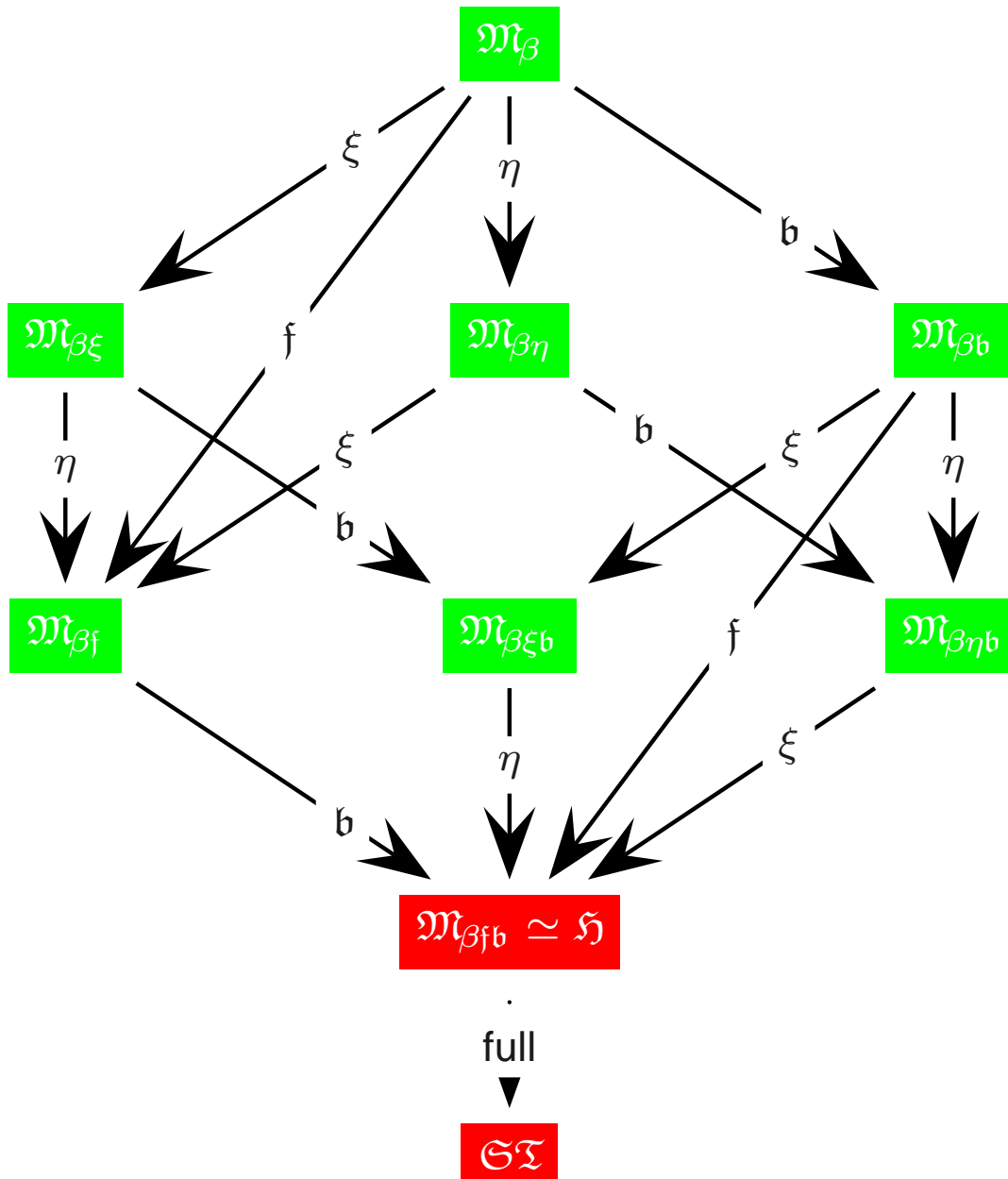
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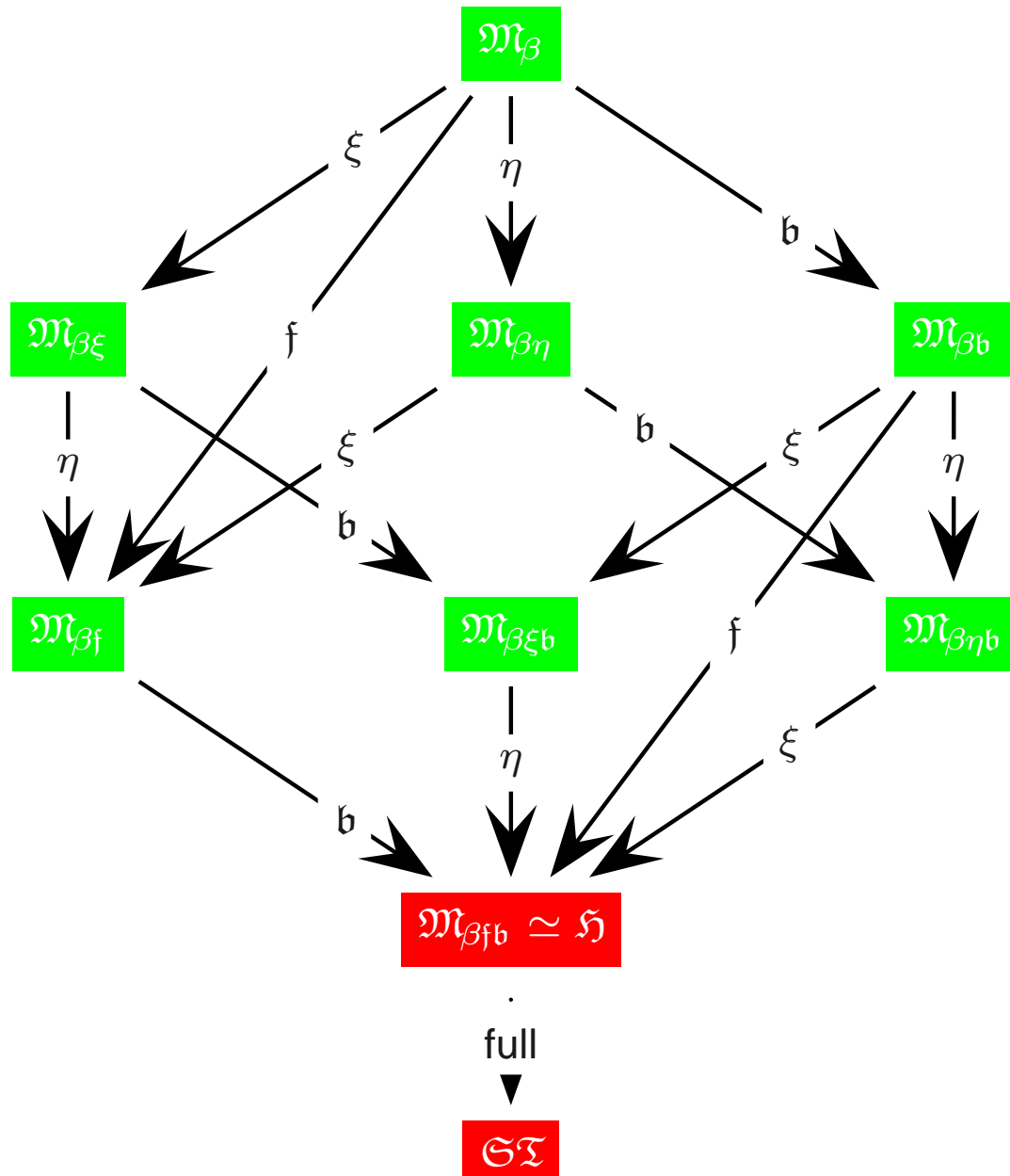
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Thank You



[LPAR-04] HOL versus FOL



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SET670+3 $\forall Z_{o\alpha}, R_{o\beta\alpha}, X_{o\alpha}, Y_{o\beta}. \text{IsRelOn}(R, X, Y) \Rightarrow \text{IsRelOn}(\text{RestrictRDom}(R, Z), Z, Y)$

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|-----------------------------|------|--|
| $- \in -$ | $:=$ | $\lambda x_{\alpha}, A_{o\alpha}. [Ax]$ |
| \emptyset | $:=$ | $[\lambda x_{\alpha}. \perp]$ |
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