

## D Unfolding theorems

**Theorem 7.** If  $\mu X_v. P$  is  $v$ -closed then  $\mu X_v. P \equiv P\{(\mu X_v. P)/X_v\}$  .  
-  $\llbracket \mu X_v. P \rrbracket$  exists

*Proof* (Th. 7).

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \llbracket \mu X_v. P \rrbracket_\rho \\
 &= \text{lfp}_{\emptyset}^{\subseteq} \lambda X. \llbracket P \rrbracket_{[\rho|X_v \rightarrow X]} \text{ def} \\
 &= \llbracket P \rrbracket_{[\rho|X_v \rightarrow (\llbracket \mu X_v. P \rrbracket_\rho)]} \quad (\text{since it's a fix point}) \\
 &= \llbracket P(\mu X_v. P)/X_v \rrbracket_\rho \quad (\text{from the substitution theorem for } BI^{\mu\nu} \text{ general Th. 10})
 \end{aligned}$$

**Theorem 8.** If  $\nu X_v. P$  is  $v$ -closed then  $\nu X_v. P \equiv P\{(\nu X_v. P)/X_v\}$  .  
-  $\llbracket \nu X_v. P \rrbracket$  exists

*Proof* (Th. 8).

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \llbracket \nu X_v. P \rrbracket_\rho \\
 &= \text{gfp}_{\emptyset}^{\subseteq} \lambda X. \llbracket P \rrbracket_{[\rho|X_v \rightarrow X]} \text{ def} \\
 &= \llbracket P \rrbracket_{[\rho|X_v \rightarrow (\llbracket \nu X_v. P \rrbracket_\rho)]} \quad (\text{since it's a fix point}) \\
 &= \llbracket P(\nu X_v. P)/X_v \rrbracket_\rho \quad (\text{from the substitution theorem for } BI^{\mu\nu} \text{ general Th. 10})
 \end{aligned}$$