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**Lawvere theories and C-systems.** (English) Zbl 07186901

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*C*-systems as they were introduced in [V. Voevodsky, Contemp. Math. 658, 127–137 (2016; [Zbl 06607949](#))] as a slightly modified version of contextual categories in [J. Cartmell, Ann. Pure Appl. Logic 32, 209–243 (1986; [Zbl 0634.18003](#))]. A C-system is a category  $CC$  with a function  $l : CC \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$  called the *length function* and a number of other structures. An *l-bijective* C-system is a C-system such that its length function is a bijection. This paper constructs a functor from the category of Lawvere theories [F. W. Lawvere, Repr. Theory Appl. Categ. 2004, No. 5, 1–121 (2004; [Zbl 1062.18004](#)); Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA 50, 869–872 (1963; [Zbl 0119.25901](#))] to the category of *l*-bijective C-systems and a functor in the opposite direction, showing that they are mutually inverse isomorphisms of the corresponding categories.

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- [18C50](#) Categorical semantics of formal languages
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