

Experiments in Verification

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A detailed circular seal of the University of Innsbruck. The outer ring contains the text ".1673 SIGILLVM CESAREO TYP". The inner circle depicts a figure, likely a saint or a personification of knowledge, holding a book and a key, with a crown on their head. There are also heraldic symbols and a small plaque at the bottom left with the text "LEO FEL POLICI".

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Today's Topics

- Natural Deduction
- Propositional Logic
- Predicate Logic

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Example

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- may be abbreviated by $\llbracket A_1 ; \dots ; A_n \rrbracket \implies B$ instead of $A_1 \implies \dots \implies A_n \implies B$
- **assumes A shows B** is turned into $A \implies B$ after a proof

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theorem $\langle name \rangle$: **assumes** A_1 **and** \dots **and** A_n **shows** B

resulting in

$$[\![?A_1; \dots; ?A_n]\!] \implies ?B$$

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The Same Rules in Isabelle

conjI: $\llbracket ?P ; ?Q \rrbracket \implies ?P \wedge ?Q$

conjunct1: $?P \wedge ?Q \implies ?P$

conjunct2: $?P \wedge ?Q \implies ?Q$

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The Above Proof in Isabelle

lemma

```
assumes pq: "p ∧ q" and "r"  
shows "p ∧ (q ∧ r)" (is ?goal)
```

proof -

```
from pq have "q" by (rule conjunct2)  
from pq have "p" by (rule conjunct1)
```

moreover

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from `q` and `r` have "q ∧ r" by (rule conjI)
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ultimately

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show ?goal by (rule conjI)
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qed

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$$\frac{\phi_i}{\phi_1 \vee \phi_2} (\vee i_i)$$

$$\frac{\phi \quad \vdots \quad \psi}{\phi \rightarrow \psi} (\rightarrow i)$$

$$\frac{\phi \quad \vdots \quad \perp}{\neg \phi} (\neg i)$$

$$\frac{\phi_1 \wedge \phi_2}{\phi_i} (\wedge e_i)$$

$$\phi \vee \psi$$

$$\frac{\phi \quad \vdots \quad \chi}{\chi} (\wedge e)$$

$$\frac{\psi \quad \vdots \quad \chi}{\chi} (\vee e)$$

$$\frac{\phi \rightarrow \psi \quad \phi}{\psi} (\rightarrow e) \quad \frac{\phi \quad \neg \phi}{\psi} (\neg e)$$

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3	\perp	$\neg e$ 2, 1
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5	ϕ	$\neg\text{e } 1, 4$
6	ϕ	$\vee\text{e } 2, 3, 4-5$

Derived Rule – Proof by Contradiction

$$\frac{\neg\phi \quad \vdots \quad \perp}{\phi} \text{ (pbc)}$$

Proof

1	$\neg\phi$	assumption
:	\vdots	
n	\perp	
$n + 1$	$\neg\neg\phi$	$\neg i \ 1-n$
$n + 2$	ϕ	$\neg\neg e \ n + 1$

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- like boxes in the 'pen 'n' paper' natural deduction rules

Predicate Logic

Universal Quantification

$$\frac{x_0 \quad \vdots \quad \phi(x_0)}{\forall x. \phi(x)} \text{ (}\forall\text{i)}$$
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Isabelle Idiom for Meta Universal Quantification

```
fix x0 ... show "?P(x0)" ⟨proof⟩
```

results in

$$\bigwedge x. ?P(x)$$

Existential Quantification

$$\frac{\frac{\phi(t)}{\exists x. \phi(x)} \text{ (}\exists\text{i)} \quad \exists x. \phi(x)}{\psi} \text{ (}\exists\text{e)}$$

$x_0 \ \phi(x_0)$
⋮
 ψ

Existential Quantification

$$\frac{\phi(t)}{\exists x. \phi(x)} \text{ (}\exists\text{i)}$$

$$\exists x. \phi(x)$$

$$\frac{x_0 \ \phi(x_0) \quad \vdots \quad \psi}{\psi} \text{ (}\exists\text{e)}$$

Isabelle Idiom for \exists -Elimination

" $\exists x. ?P(x)$ " then obtain y where " $?P(y)$ " $\langle proof \rangle$

results in

$?P(y)$

An Example Proof

lemma

assumes ex: " $\exists x. \forall y. P x y$ "

shows " $\forall y. \exists x. P x y$ "

proof

fix y

from ex obtain x where " $\forall y. P x y$ " by (rule exE)

hence " $P x y$ " by (rule spec)

thus " $\exists x. P x y$ " by (rule exI)

qed

Exercises

<http://isabelle.in.tum.de/exercises/logic/elimination/ex.pdf>

<http://isabelle.in.tum.de/exercises/logic/propositional/ex.pdf>

<http://isabelle.in.tum.de/exercises/logic/predicate/ex.pdf>