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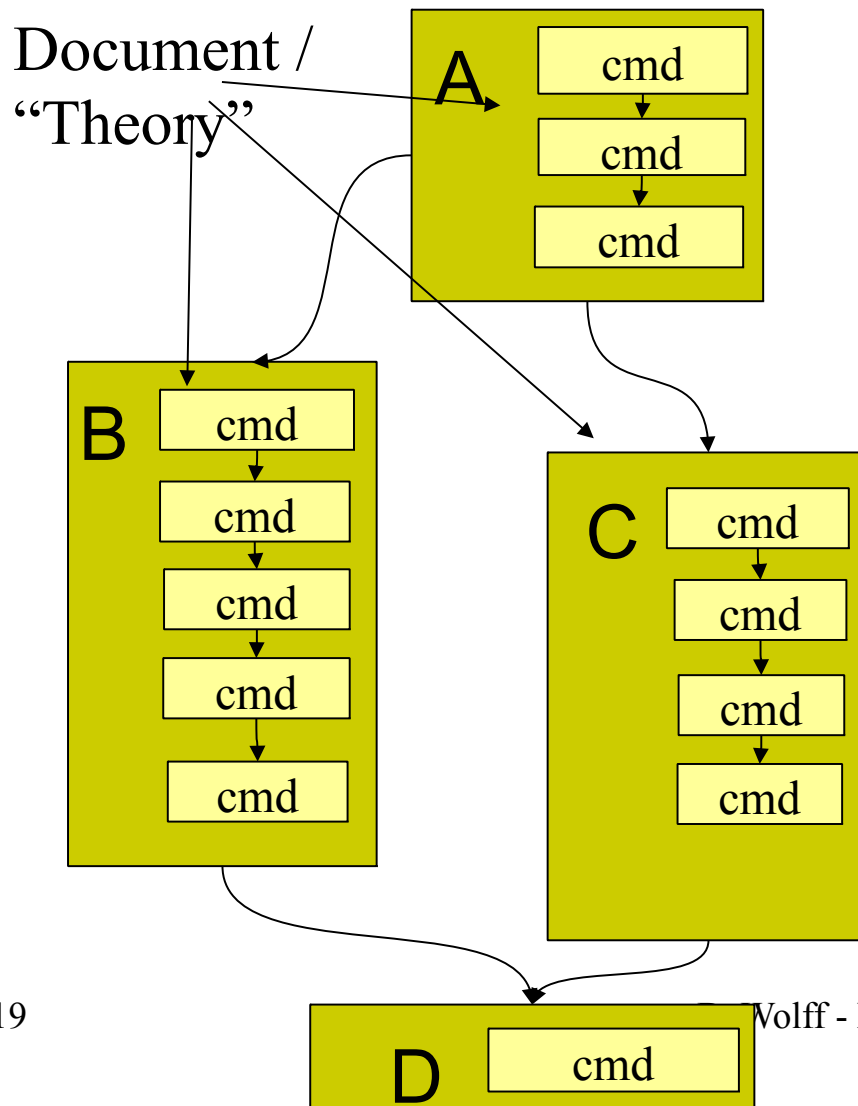
HOL Foundations and Specification Constructs

Revision: Documents and Commands

- Isabelle has (similar to Eclipse) a „document-centric“ view of development: there is a notion on an entire “project” which is processed globally.
- Documents (~ projects in Eclipse) consists of files (with potentially different file-type); .thy files consists of headers commands.

What is Isabelle as a System ?

- Global View of a “session”



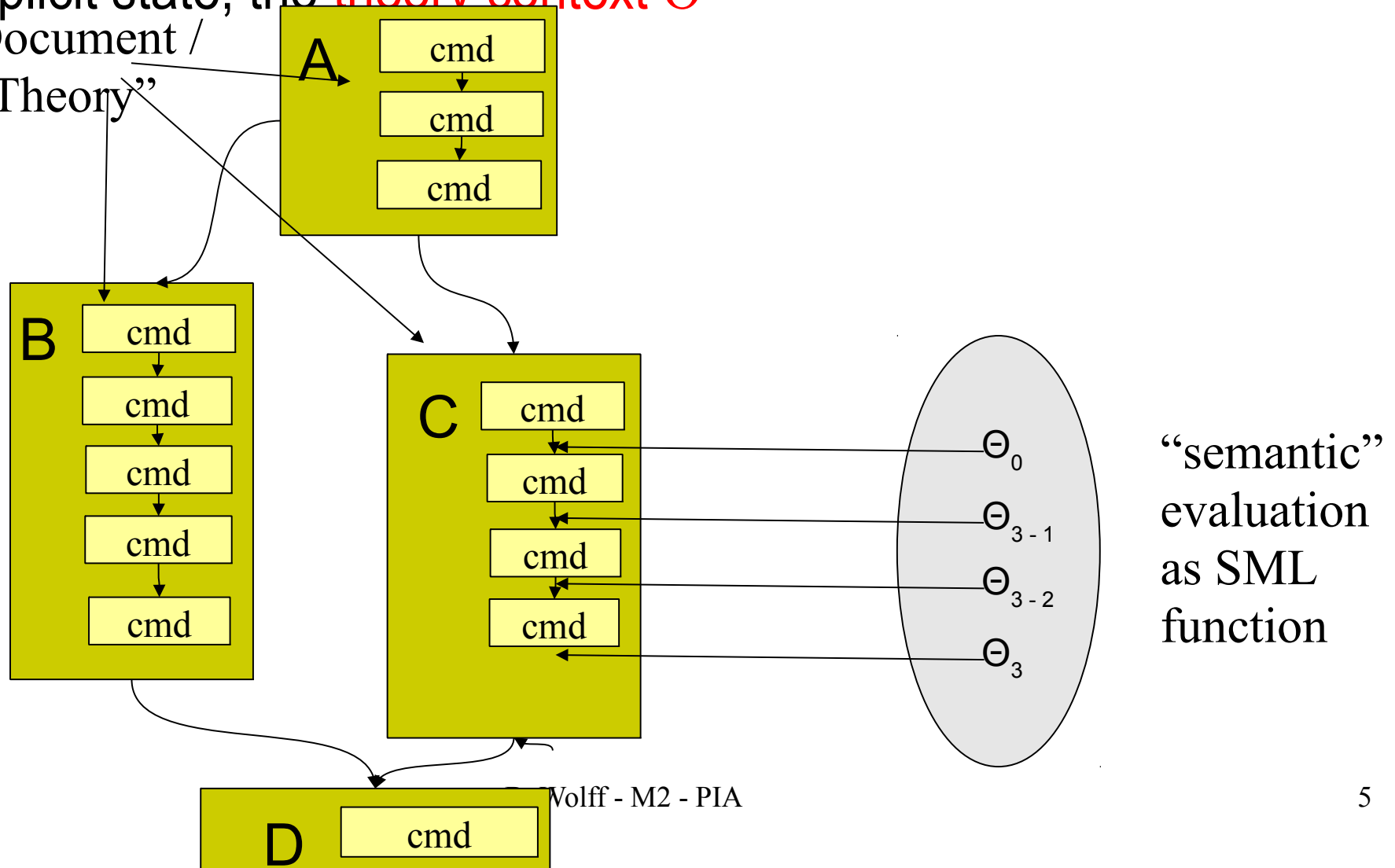
Revision: Documents and Commands

- Each position in document corresponds
 - to a “global context” Θ
(containing a signature Σ and a set of axioms A)
 - to a “local context” Θ, Γ
- There are specific „Inspection Commands”
that give access to information in the contexts
 - thm, term, typ, value, prop : global context
 - print_cases, facts, ... thm : local context

What is Isabelle as a System ?

- Document “positions” were evaluated to an implicit state, the **theory context** Θ

Document /
“Theory”



Recall: Basic Declaration Commands

- Type Declaration

```
typedecl " $(\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_n)$  <typconstructor-id>"
```

example: typedecl "L"

- (Unspecified) Constant Declaration:

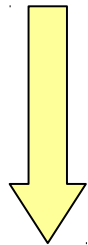
```
consts c :: " $\tau$ "
```

example: consts True :: "bool" (NOT Isabelle/HOL)

Recall: Basic Declaration Commands

- Constant Declaration “Semantics”:

$(\Sigma, A) \text{ "}\in\text{" } \Theta$



consts $c :: \text{"}\tau\text{"}$

$(\Sigma \oplus (C \mapsto \tau), A) \text{ "}\in\text{" } \Theta'$

- where the constant c is “fresh” in Σ

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 - Is the logic HOL consistent ?
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We will address these questions one by one ...

How to built theories in a logically safe manner ?

- HOL consistency
 - ... can only be answered **relatively**,
i.e. relative to a logical system which gives
a formal „interpretation“ of HOL terms.
 - the gold-standard for mathematicians and
logicians is „Zermelo-Fraenkel Set Theory“
plus „axiom of choice“, called ZFC.
 - it is possible to give several interpretations of HOL
in ZFC and prove the validity of HOL-s core
axioms relative to these interpretations.

How to built theories in a logically safe manner ?

- HOL consistency
 - ZFC gives a kind of „universe of sets“ V with the properties:
 - an infinite set I is part of V
 - any product $V' \times V''$ is part of V , if V' and V'' are
 - any potence set $\mathcal{P}(V')$ is part of V provided that V' is.
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 - $A \Rightarrow_{\text{standard}} B = \{f: \mathcal{P}(V' \times V'') \mid f \neq \emptyset \text{ and } f \text{ is function}\}$
 - $\emptyset \neq (A \Rightarrow_{\text{henkin}} B) \subseteq \{f: \mathcal{P}(V' \times V'') \mid f \neq \emptyset \text{ and } f \text{ is function}\}$
 - $A \Rightarrow_{\text{construct}} B = \{f: \mathcal{P}(V' \times V'') \mid f \neq \emptyset \text{ and } f \text{ is a computable function}\}$
 - On this basis, we can give a standard (Henkin-style, constructivist) interpretation of HOL types into V

$$I_{\text{standard}} : \tau \Rightarrow V, \quad I_{\text{henkin}} : \tau \Rightarrow V, \quad I_{\text{construct}} : \tau \Rightarrow V$$

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 - On this basis, we can give a standard interpretation of HOL core types into V
 - $I_{\text{standard}} \llbracket \text{bool} \rrbracket = \{a, b\}$ (where a, b are some distinct elements from the infinite set I)
 - $I_{\text{standard}} \llbracket \text{ind} \rrbracket = I'$
 - $I_{\text{standard}} \llbracket \tau \Rightarrow \tau' \rrbracket = I_{\text{standard}} \llbracket \tau \rrbracket \Rightarrow_{\text{standard}} I_{\text{standard}} \llbracket \tau' \rrbracket$
 - It is easy to show that our typing rules are consistent with I_{standard} , I_{henkin} , $I_{\text{construct}}$.

How to built theories in a logically safe manner ?

- HOL consistency

- Core HOL needs a small number of axioms.
- Traditional papers [Andrews86] reduce it to 6 axioms plus the **axiom of infinity**:

$$\exists f::\text{ind} \Rightarrow \text{ind. injective } f \wedge \neg\text{surjective } f$$

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- The presentation in Isabelle/HOL looks as follows:
 - refl: $"t = (t::'a)"$
 - subst: $"s = t \implies P s \implies P t"$
 - ext: $"(\bigwedge x::'a. (f x ::'b) = g x) \implies (\lambda x. f x) = (\lambda x. g x)"$
 - the_eq_trivial: $"(THE x. x = a) = (a::'a)"$
 - impI: $"(P \implies Q) \implies P \longrightarrow Q"$
 - mp: $"P \longrightarrow Q \implies P \implies Q"$
 - iff: $"(P \longrightarrow Q) \longrightarrow (Q \longrightarrow P) \longrightarrow (P = Q)"$
 - True_or_False: $"(P = True) \vee (P = False)"$

How to built theories in a logically safe manner ?

- where:
 - True is an abbreviation for $((\lambda x::\text{bool}. x) = (\lambda x. x))$
 - All(P) for $(P = (\lambda x. \text{True}))$
 - False for $(\forall P. P)$
 - Not P for $P \longrightarrow \text{False}$
 - and \quad for $\forall R. (P \longrightarrow Q \longrightarrow R) \longrightarrow R$
 - or \quad for $\forall R. (P \longrightarrow R) \longrightarrow (Q \longrightarrow R) \longrightarrow R$

How to built theories in a logically safe manner ?

- It is straight-forward to give Interpretation functions $I_{\text{standard}}, I_{\text{henkin}}, I_{\text{construct}}$ for HOL terms and formulas in ZFC

- (Meta) Theorem: Consistency relative to ZFC

$I_{\text{standard}} : \tau \Rightarrow V$ and $I_{\text{standard}} : T \Rightarrow V$ build a Model for Core-HOL, i.e. they satisfy all axioms for all interpretation of the free variables they contain.

- (Meta) Theorem: Incompleteness

This model is incomplete for Core-HOL, i.e. there are always true terms for which this fact can not be derived.

How to built theories in a logically safe manner ?

- Is HOL correctly implemented in Isabelle ?
 - Isabelle as a system clearly contains bugs; but that does not mean that logical inferences produce false results
 - Isabelle has a kernel architecture it is a member of the LCF-style systems that protects „theorems“, i.e. triples of the form:

$$\Gamma \vdash_{\Theta} \varphi$$

by a fairly small abstract data-type.

- Isabelle can generate proof-objects which can be checked outside Isabelle, in principle by any other HOL prover.
- It is heavily tested and used for a long time.

How to built theories in a logically safe manner ?

- Are Extensions of HOL, so for example, the library „Main“, logically safe ?
 - not necessarily, adding arbitrary axioms by the axiomatization command ruins consistency easily.
 - some proof-methods are not based on the kernel (sorry, self-built oracles, eval (code-generator))
 - However, Isabelle encourages to use specification constructs which are (in some cases even formally) shown to be conservative.

Isabelle Specification Constructs

- Constant Definitions:

```
definition f::"<τ>"  
  where <name> : "f x1 ... xn = <t>"
```

example: definition C::"bool ⇒ bool"
 where "C x = x"

- Type Definitions:

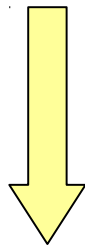
```
typedef ('a1.. 'an) κ =  
  "<set-expr>" <proof>
```

example: typedef even = "{x::int. x mod 2 = 0}"

Specification Commands

- Simple Definitions (Non-Rec. core variant):

$(\Sigma, A) \text{ "}\in\text{" } \Theta$



definition $f::\text{"}\langle\tau\rangle\text{"}$
where $\langle\text{name}\rangle : \text{"}f x_1 \dots x_n = \text{expr}\text{"}$

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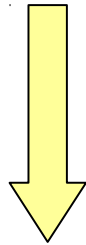
– Side-Conditions

- constant symbol f must be fresh
- f must not be contained in $\text{"}\text{expr}\text{"}$
- (all type-variables occurring in expr must occur in τ)

Isabelle Specification Constructs

- Type definition:

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typedef ('a₁..'a_n) κ =

"<expr:: ('a₁..'a_n)τ set>" <proof>

$(\Sigma \oplus ('a_1..'a_n) \kappa \oplus \text{Abs}_\kappa::('a_1..'a_n)\tau \Rightarrow ('a_1..'a_n)\kappa$

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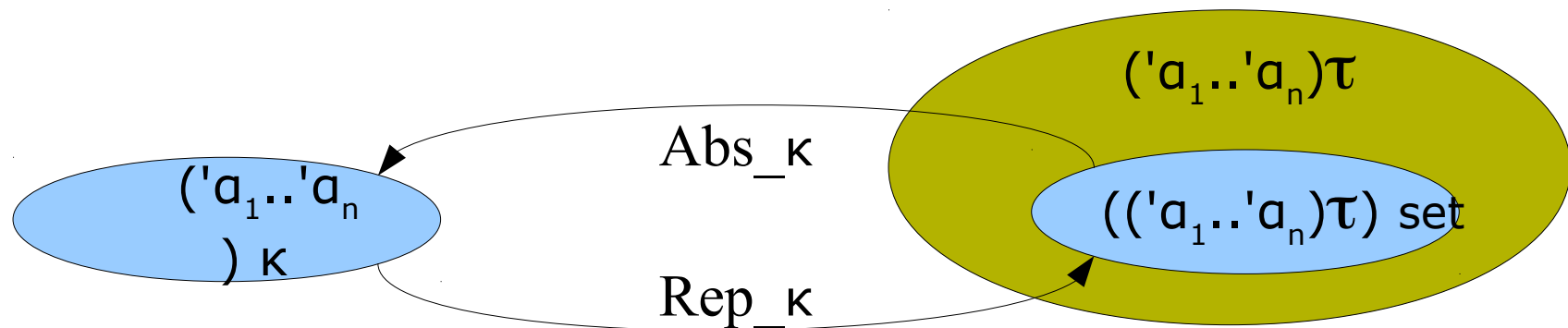
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Semantics of a „Type Definition“

- Idea: Similar to constant definitions; we define the new entity (“a type”) by an old one.
- For Type Definitions, we define the new type to be isomorphic to a (non-empty) subset of an old one.
- The Isomorphism is stated by three (conservative) axioms.

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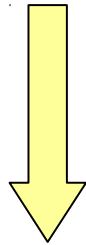
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Semantics of a „Type Definition“

- Major example: Typed sets can be built following this scheme. The trick is to identify α set with characteristic functions $\alpha \Rightarrow \text{bool}$.
- In Isabelle/HOL, α set is introduced via an equivalence axiom scheme; the type-definition uses already implicitly the α set isomorphism to $\alpha \Rightarrow \text{bool}$.

Isabelle Specification Constructs

- Major example:

The introduction of the cartesian product:

```
subsection {* Type definition *}
```

```
definition Pair_Rep :: "'a ⇒ 'b ⇒ 'a ⇒ 'b ⇒ bool"
```

```
where "Pair_Rep a b = (λx y. x = a ∧ y = b)"
```

```
definition "prod = {f. ∃ a b. f = Pair_Rep (a :: 'a) (b :: 'b)}"
```

```
typedef ('a, 'b) prod (infixr "*" 20) = "prod :: ('a ⇒ 'b ⇒ bool) set"
```

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Isabelle Specification Constructs

- Major example:
Typed sets.

```
typedef ('a) set = "prod :: ('a ⇒ 'b ⇒ bool) set"
```

unfolding prod_def by auto

```
type_notation (xsymbols) "prod" ("(_ ×/ _)" [21, 20] 20)
```

Specification Mechanism Commands

- Extended Notation for Cartesian Products: records (as in SML or OCaml; gives a slightly OO-flavor)

```
record    <c> = [ <record> + ]  
  tag1 :: "<τ1>"  
  ...  
  tagn :: "<τn>"
```

- ... introduces also semantics and syntax for
 - selectors : tag₁ x
 - constructors : (tag₁ = x₁, ... , tag_n = x_n)
 - update-functions : x (tag₁ := x_n)

Specification Mechanism Commands

- Inductively Defined Sets:

```
inductive_set <c> :: "  $\tau$  set"  
  where <thmname> : "< $\phi$ >"  
      | ...  
      | <thmname> = < $\phi$ >
```

```
inductive_set <c> :: "  $\tau \Rightarrow \tau$  set" for A ::  $\tau$   
  where <thmname> : "< $\phi$ >"  
      | ...  
      | <thmname> = < $\phi$ >
```

example:

```
inductive_set Even :: "int set"  
  where null: "0  $\in$  Even"  
      | plus: "x  $\in$  Even  $\Rightarrow$  x+2  $\in$  Even"  
      | min: "x  $\in$  Even  $\Rightarrow$  x-2  $\in$  Even"
```

Specification Mechanism Commands

- These are not built-in constructs, rather they are based on a series of definitions and typedefs.
- The machinery behind is based on a fixed-point combinator on sets :

$\text{lf}p :: \text{"('}\alpha \text{ set} \Rightarrow \text{'}\alpha \text{ set)} \Rightarrow \text{'}\alpha \text{ set}"$

which can be conservatively defined by:

$\text{"lf}p f = \bigcap \{u. f u \subseteq u\}"$

and which enjoys a constrained fixed-point property:

$\text{mono } f \implies \text{lf}p f = f (\text{lf}p f)$

Specification Mechanism Commands

- Example : Even (see before)
 - the set Even is conservatively defined by:

$$\text{Even} = \text{lfp } (\lambda X. \quad \{0\} \\ \cup (\lambda x. x + 2) ` X \\ \cup (\lambda x. x - 2) ` X)$$

- from which the properties:

null: "0 ∈ Even"

plus: "x ∈ Even ⇒ x+2 ∈ Even"

min : "x ∈ Even ⇒ x-2 ∈ Even"

can be derived automatically (Note that Isabelle/HOL Version 2016 proceeds differently for technical reasons)

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NOTE: Isabelle HOL compiles this internally to axiomatic definitions, i.e. a "model" in HOL!!!

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(Machinery behind : complex series of const and typedefs !)

```
datatype ('a1.. 'an)  $\Theta$  =  
  <c> :: "< $\tau$ >" | ... | <c> :: "< $\tau$ >"
```

- Recursive Function Definitions:
(Machinery behind: Veeery complex series of const and typedefs and automated proofs!)

```
fun <c> :: "< $\tau$ >" where  
  "<c> <pattern> = <t>"  
  | ...  
  | "<c> <pattern> = <t>"
```

Specification Mechanism Commands

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Specification Mechanism Commands

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Examples:

```
datatype mynat = ZERO | SUC mynat
```

```
datatype 'a list = MT | CONS "'a" "'a list"
```

More on Proof-Methods

- Some composed methods
(internally based on `assumption`, `erule_tac` and `rule_tac` + tactic code that constructs the substitutions)
 - `subst <equation>`
(one step left-to-right rewrite, choose any redex)
 - `subst <equation>[symmetric]`
(one step right-to-left rewrite, choose any redex)
 - `subst (<n>) <equation>`
(one step left-to-right rewrite, choose n-th redex)

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 - `simp`
(arbitrary number of left-to-right rewrites, assumption or rule refl attempted at the end; a global simpset in the background is used.)
 - `simp add: <equation> ... <equation>`

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 - `auto`
(apply in exhaustive, non-deterministic manner:
all introduction rules, elimination rules and
 - `auto intro: <rule> ... <rule>`
`elim: <erule> ... <erule>`
`simp: <equation> ... <equation>`

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 - `cases „<formula>“`
(split top goal into 2 cases:
 <formula> is true or <formula> is false)
 - `cases „<variable>“`
(- precondition : <variable> has type t which is a data-type)
 search for splitting rule and do case-split over this variable.
 - `induct_tac „<variable>“`
(- precondition : <variable> has type t which is a data-type)
 search for induction rule and do induction over this variable.

Screenshot with Examples

The screenshot shows the Isabelle/Isabelle IDE interface. The main editor window displays the content of the file `Seq.thy` located at `~/Papers/isar-book/Orsay/WWW/`. The code defines a datatype `'a seq` and two functions: `conc` and `reverse`. The `conc` function is defined with a type signature `''a seq ⇒ 'a seq ⇒ 'a seq"` and a `where` clause containing two equations. The `reverse` function is defined with a type signature `''a seq ⇒ 'a seq"` and a `where` clause containing two equations. The right-hand sidebar shows a project tree for the `isabelle` project, with the `Seq.thy` file selected. The bottom status bar shows the prover session information: `10,6 (149/731)` and the system information: `(isabelle,sidekick,UTF-8-Isabelle) - - - UG84/1.4Mb 9:57 PM`.

```
imports Main
begin

datatype 'a seq = Empty | Seq 'a "'a seq"

fun conc :: "'a seq ⇒ 'a seq ⇒ 'a seq"
where
  "conc Empty ys = ys"
  | "conc (Seq x xs) ys = Seq x (conc xs ys)"

fun reverse :: "'a seq ⇒ 'a seq"
where
  "reverse Empty = Empty"
  | "reverse (Seq x xs) = conc (reverse xs) (Seq x Empty)"

constants
  conc :: "'a seq ⇒ 'a seq ⇒ 'a seq"
  Found termination order: "(\p. size (fst p)) <*mlex*> {}"
```