

Natural Deduction in the Sequent Form (for Intuitionistic Logic)

1 Deduction Rules

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \frac{}{A_1, \dots, A_i, \dots, A_n \vdash A_i} \text{ (Hyp}^i\text{)} \\
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 \frac{\Gamma \vdash A \quad \Gamma \vdash B}{\Gamma \vdash A \wedge B} \text{ (\wedge I)} \qquad \frac{\Gamma \vdash A \wedge B}{\Gamma \vdash A} \text{ (\wedge E}_1\text{)} \\
 \qquad \qquad \qquad \frac{\Gamma \vdash A \wedge B}{\Gamma \vdash B} \text{ (\wedge E}_2\text{)} \\
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 \frac{\Gamma \vdash A}{\Gamma \vdash A \vee B} \text{ (\vee I}_1\text{)} \qquad \frac{\Gamma \vdash A \vee B \quad \Gamma, A \vdash C \quad \Gamma, B \vdash C}{\Gamma \vdash C} \text{ (\vee E)} \\
 \frac{\Gamma \vdash B}{\Gamma \vdash A \vee B} \text{ (\vee I}_2\text{)} \\
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 \frac{}{\Gamma \vdash \top} \text{ (\top I)} \\
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 \frac{\Gamma, A \vdash B}{\Gamma \vdash A \rightarrow B} \text{ (\rightarrow I)} \qquad \frac{\Gamma \vdash A \rightarrow B \quad \Gamma \vdash A}{\Gamma \vdash B} \text{ (\rightarrow E)} \\
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 \frac{\Gamma \vdash \perp}{\Gamma \vdash A} \text{ (\perp E)}
 \end{array}$$

The above rule says that, if we can deduce \perp (representing a contradiction), then we can deduce anything. $\neg A$ is then represented (i.e., defined) as $A \rightarrow \perp$. With the \rightarrow -elimination rule, one can deduce a contradiction (and hence anything) from $\neg A$ and A .

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \frac{\Gamma \vdash B[y/x]}{\Gamma \vdash \forall x B} \text{ (\forall I)} \qquad \frac{\Gamma \vdash \forall x B}{\Gamma \vdash B[t/x]} \text{ (\forall E)} \\
 \\
 \frac{\Gamma \vdash B[t/x]}{\Gamma \vdash \exists x B} \text{ (\exists I)} \qquad \frac{\Gamma \vdash \exists x B \quad \Gamma, B[y/x] \vdash C}{\Gamma \vdash C} \text{ (\exists E)}
 \end{array}$$

In the rules above, we assume that all substitutions are admissible. In Rule $\forall I$, y does not occur free in Γ or B , and in Rule $\exists E$, y does not occur free in Γ , B , or C .

2 Deduction Rules with Proof Terms

$$\begin{array}{c}
\frac{}{x_1 : A_1, \dots, x_i : A_i, \dots, x_n : A_n \vdash x_i : A_i} (\text{Hyp}^i) \\
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\frac{\Gamma \vdash t_1 : A \quad \Gamma \vdash t_2 : B}{\Gamma \vdash (t_1, t_2) : A \wedge B} (\wedge I) \qquad \frac{\Gamma \vdash t : A \wedge B}{\Gamma \vdash \mathbf{fst}(t) : A} (\wedge E_1) \\
\qquad \qquad \qquad \frac{\Gamma \vdash t : A \wedge B}{\Gamma \vdash \mathbf{snd}(t) : B} (\wedge E_2) \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash t : A}{\Gamma \vdash \mathbf{inl}(B, t) : A \vee B} (\vee I_1) \qquad \frac{\Gamma \vdash t : A \vee B \quad \Gamma, x : A \vdash t_1 : C \quad \Gamma, y : B \vdash t_2 : C}{\Gamma \vdash \mathbf{case}(t, x.t_1, y.t_2) : C} (\vee E) \\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash t : B}{\Gamma \vdash \mathbf{inr}(A, t) : A \vee B} (\vee I_2) \\
\\
\frac{}{\Gamma \vdash \mathbf{unit} : \top} (\top I) \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma, x : A \vdash t : B}{\Gamma \vdash (\lambda x : A.t) : A \rightarrow B} (\rightarrow I) \qquad \frac{\Gamma \vdash t_1 : A \rightarrow B \quad \Gamma \vdash t_2 : A}{\Gamma \vdash t_1 t_2 : B} (\rightarrow E)
\end{array}$$

In the $(\rightarrow I)$ rule above, it is assumed that B does not contain x (so B is independent of A).

$$\begin{array}{c}
\frac{\Gamma \vdash t : \perp}{\Gamma \vdash \mathbf{abort}(A, t) : A} (\perp E) \\
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\frac{\Gamma, y : A \vdash t : B[y/x]}{\Gamma \vdash (\lambda x : A.t) : \forall x : A, B} (\forall I) \qquad \frac{\Gamma \vdash t_1 : \forall x : A, B \quad \Gamma \vdash t_2 : A}{\Gamma \vdash t_1 t_2 : B[t_2/x]} (\forall E) \\
\\
\frac{\Gamma \vdash t_1 : A \quad \Gamma \vdash t_2 : B[t_1/x]}{\Gamma \vdash (t_1, t_2) : \exists x : A, B} (\exists I) \qquad \frac{\Gamma \vdash t_1 : \exists x : A, B \quad \Gamma, y : A, z : B[y/x] \vdash t_2 : C}{\Gamma \vdash \mathbf{open}(t_1, y.z.t_2) : C} (\exists E)
\end{array}$$

In Rule $\forall I$, y does not occur free in Γ or B , and in Rule $\exists E$, y does not occur free in Γ , B , or C ; $\mathbf{open}((t_1, t_2), y.z.t) \triangleq t[t_2/z][t_1/y]$.