

# Abstract Soundness

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## Abstract

This is a formalized coinductive account of the abstract development of Brotherston et al. [2], in a slightly more general form since we work with arbitrary infinite proofs, which may be acyclic. This work is described in detail in an article by the authors [1]. The abstract proof can be instantiated for various formalisms, including first-order logic with inductive predicates.

## References

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## 1 Abstract Soundness

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locale Soundness = RuleSystem-Defs eff rules for
  eff :: 'rule ⇒ 'sequent ⇒ 'sequent fset ⇒ bool
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and rules :: 'rule stream +
fixes structure :: 'structure set
and sat :: 'structure  $\Rightarrow$  'sequent  $\Rightarrow$  bool
assumes local-soundness:
 $\bigwedge r s sl.$ 
 $\llbracket r \in R; eff r s sl; \bigwedge s'. s' | \in sl \implies \forall S \in structure. sat S s' \rrbracket$ 
 $\implies$ 
 $\forall S \in structure. sat S s$ 
begin

abbreviation ssat s  $\equiv \forall S \in structure. sat S s$ 

lemma epath-shift:
assumes epath (srs @- steps)
shows epath steps
⟨proof⟩

theorem soundness:
assumes f: tfinite t and w: wf t
shows ssat (fst (root t))
⟨proof⟩

end

```

## 2 Soundness of Infinite Proof Trees

**context**  
**begin**

**private definition** num P xs  $\equiv$  LEAST n. list-all (Not o P) (stake n xs)  $\wedge$  P (xs!!n)

**private lemma** num:
**assumes** ev: ev ( $\lambda xs. P (shd xs)$ ) xs
**defines** n  $\equiv$  num P xs
**shows**
 $(list-all (Not o P) (stake n xs) \wedge P (xs!!n)) \wedge$ 
 $(\forall m. list-all (Not o P) (stake m xs) \wedge P (xs!!m) \longrightarrow n \leq m)$ 
⟨proof⟩ **lemma** num-stl[simp]:
**assumes** ev ( $\lambda xs. P (shd xs)$ ) xs **and**  $\neg P (shd xs)$ 
**shows** num P xs = Suc (num P (stl xs))
⟨proof⟩

**corecursive** decr0 **where**
decr0 Ord minSoFar js =
(if  $\neg (ev (\lambda js. (shd js, minSoFar) \in Ord \wedge shd js \neq minSoFar))$  js
then undefined
else if  $((shd js, minSoFar) \in Ord \wedge shd js \neq minSoFar)$

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then shd js ## decr0 Ord (shd js) js
else decr0 Ord minSoFar (stl js))
⟨proof⟩

end

lemmas well-order-on-defs =
well-order-on-def linear-order-on-def partial-order-on-def
preorder-on-def trans-def antisym-def refl-on-def

lemma sdrop-length-shift[simp]:
sdrop (length xs) (xs @- s) = s
⟨proof⟩

lemma ev-iff-shift:
ev φ xs ←→ (exists xl xs2. xs = xl @- xs2 ∧ φ xs2)
⟨proof⟩

locale Infinite-Soundness = RuleSystem-Defs eff rules for
eff :: 'rule ⇒ 'sequent ⇒ 'sequent fset ⇒ bool
and rules :: 'rule stream
+
fixes structure :: 'structure set
and sat :: 'structure ⇒ 'sequent ⇒ bool
and δ :: 'sequent ⇒ 'rule ⇒ 'sequent ⇒ ('marker × bool × 'marker) set
and Ord :: 'ord rel
and σ :: 'marker × 'structure ⇒ 'ord
assumes
Ord: well-order Ord
and
descent:
 $\bigwedge r s sl S.$ 
 $\llbracket r \in R; eff r s sl; S \in structure; \neg sat S s \rrbracket$ 
 $\implies$ 
 $\exists s' S'.$ 
 $s' \in sl \wedge S' \in structure \wedge \neg sat S' s' \wedge$ 
 $(\forall v v' b.$ 
 $(v, b, v') \in \delta s r s' \longrightarrow$ 
 $(\sigma(v', S'), \sigma(v, S)) \in Ord \wedge (b \longrightarrow \sigma(v', S') \neq \sigma(v, S)))$ 

sublocale Infinite-Soundness < Soundness where eff = eff and rules = rules
and structure = structure and sat = sat
⟨proof⟩

context Infinite-Soundness
begin

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coinductive follow :: bool stream  $\Rightarrow$  'marker stream  $\Rightarrow$  ('sequent,'rule)step stream
 $\Rightarrow$  bool where
   $\llbracket M' = shd\ Ms; s' = fst\ (shd\ steps); (M,b,M') \in \delta\ s\ r\ s'; follow\ bs\ Ms\ steps \rrbracket$ 
   $\implies$ 
  follow (SCons b bs) (SCons M Ms) (SCons (s,r) steps)

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definition infDecr :: bool stream  $\Rightarrow$  bool where
  infDecr  $\equiv$  alw (ev ( $\lambda$ bs. shd bs))

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definition good :: ('sequent,'rule)dtree  $\Rightarrow$  bool where
  good t  $\equiv$   $\forall$  steps.
  ipath t steps
   $\longrightarrow$ 
  ev ( $\lambda$ steps'.  $\exists$  bs Ms. follow bs Ms steps'  $\wedge$  infDecr bs) steps

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lemma tfinite-good: tfinite t  $\implies$  good t
   $\langle$ proof $\rangle$ 

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context
  fixes inv :: 'sequent  $\times$  'a  $\Rightarrow$  bool
  and pred :: 'sequent  $\times$  'a  $\Rightarrow$  'rule  $\Rightarrow$  'sequent  $\times$  'a  $\Rightarrow$  bool
  begin

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primcorec konigDtree :: ('sequent,'rule) dtree  $\Rightarrow$  'a  $\Rightarrow$  (('sequent,'rule) step  $\times$  'a) stream where
  shd (konigDtree t a)  $=$  (root t, a)
  |stl (konigDtree t a) =
    (let s  $=$  fst (root t); r  $=$  snd (root t);
     (s',a')  $=$  (SOME (s',a'). s'  $| \in |$  fimage (fst o root) (cont t)  $\wedge$  pred (s,a) r (s',a')
      $\wedge$  inv (s',a'));
     t'  $=$  (SOME t'. t'  $| \in |$  cont t  $\wedge$  s'  $=$  fst (root t'))
     in konigDtree t' a'
    )

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lemma stl-konigDtree:
  fixes t defines s  $\equiv$  fst (root t) and r  $\equiv$  snd (root t)
  assumes s': s'  $| \in |$  fimage (fst o root) (cont t) and pred (s,a) r (s',a'') and inv (s',a'')
  shows  $\exists$  t' a'. t'  $| \in |$  cont t  $\wedge$  pred (s,a) r (fst (root t'),a')  $\wedge$  inv (fst (root t'),a')
   $\wedge$  stl (konigDtree t a)  $=$  konigDtree t' a'
   $\langle$ proof $\rangle$ 

```

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declare konigDtree.simps(2)[simp del]

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lemma konigDtree:

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assumes 1:  $\bigwedge r s sl a.$ 
 $\llbracket r \in R; eff\ r\ s\ sl; inv\ (s,a) \rrbracket \implies$ 
 $\exists s' a'. s' \in sl \wedge inv\ (s',a') \wedge pred\ (s,a)\ r\ (s',a')$ 
and 2:  $wf\ t\ inv\ (fst\ (root\ t), a)$ 
shows
   $alw\ (\lambda stepas.$ 
     $let\ ((s,r),a) = shd\ stepas;\ ((s',-),a') = shd\ (stl\ stepas)\ in$ 
       $inv\ (s,a) \wedge pred\ (s,a)\ r\ (s',a')$ 
     $(konigDtree\ t\ a)$ 
   $\langle proof \rangle$ 

lemma konigDtree-ipath:
assumes  $\bigwedge r s sl a.$ 
 $\llbracket r \in R; eff\ r\ s\ sl; inv\ (s,a) \rrbracket \implies$ 
 $\exists s' a'. s' \in sl \wedge inv\ (s',a') \wedge pred\ (s,a)\ r\ (s',a')$ 
and  $wf\ t$  and  $inv\ (fst\ (root\ t), a)$ 
shows ipath t (smap fst (konigDtree t a))
 $\langle proof \rangle$ 

end

lemma follow-stl-smap-fst[simp]:
 $follow\ bs\ Ms\ (smap\ fst\ stepSs) \implies$ 
 $follow\ (stl\ bs)\ (stl\ Ms)\ (smap\ fst\ (stl\ stepSs))$ 
 $\langle proof \rangle$ 

lemma epath-stl-smap-fst[simp]:
 $epath\ (smap\ fst\ stepSs) \implies$ 
 $epath\ (smap\ fst\ (stl\ stepSs))$ 
 $\langle proof \rangle$ 

lemma infDecr-tl[simp]:  $infDecr\ bs \implies infDecr\ (stl\ bs)$ 
 $\langle proof \rangle$ 

fun descent where descent (s,S) r (s',S') =
 $(\forall v v' b.$ 
 $(v,b,v') \in \delta\ s\ r\ s' \implies$ 
 $(\sigma(v',S'), \sigma(v,S)) \in Ord \wedge (b \implies \sigma(v',S') \neq \sigma(v,S)))$ 

lemma descentE[elim]:
assumes descent (s,S) r (s',S') and  $(v,b,v') \in \delta\ s\ r\ s'$ 
shows  $(\sigma(v',S'), \sigma(v,S)) \in Ord \wedge (b \implies \sigma(v',S') \neq \sigma(v,S))$ 
 $\langle proof \rangle$ 

definition konigDown  $\equiv$  konigDtree ( $\lambda(s,S).$   $S \in structure \wedge \neg sat\ S\ s$ ) descent

lemma konigDown:
assumes wf t and  $S \in structure$  and  $\neg sat\ S\ (fst\ (root\ t))$ 

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**shows**  
 $\text{alw } (\lambda \text{stepSs. let } ((s,r),S) = \text{shd stepSs}; ((s',-),S') = \text{shd (stl stepSs)} \text{ in}$   
 $S \in \text{structure} \wedge \neg \text{sat } S s \wedge \text{descent } (s,S) r (s',S'))$   
 $(\text{konigDown } t S)$   
 $\langle \text{proof} \rangle$

**lemma** *konigDown-ipath*:  
**assumes**  $\text{wf } t \text{ and } S \in \text{structure} \text{ and } \neg \text{sat } S (\text{fst } (\text{root } t))$   
**shows**  
 $\text{ipath } t (\text{smap fst } (\text{konigDown } t S))$   
 $\langle \text{proof} \rangle$

**context**  
**fixes**  $t S$   
**assumes**  $w: \text{wf } t \text{ and } t: \text{good } t \text{ and } S: S \in \text{structure} \neg \text{sat } S (\text{fst } (\text{root } t))$   
**begin**

**lemma** *alw-ev-Ord*:  
**obtains**  $ks \text{ where } \text{alw } (\lambda ks. (\text{shd (stl } ks), \text{ shd } ks) \in \text{Ord}) ks$   
**and**  $\text{alw } (\text{ev } (\lambda ks. \text{ shd (stl } ks) \neq \text{ shd } ks)) ks$   
 $\langle \text{proof} \rangle$

**definition**  
 $ks \equiv \text{SOME } ks.$   
 $\text{alw } (\lambda ks. (\text{shd (stl } ks), \text{ shd } ks) \in \text{Ord}) ks \wedge$   
 $\text{alw } (\text{ev } (\lambda ks. \text{ shd (stl } ks) \neq \text{ shd } ks)) ks$

**lemma** *alw-ks*:  $\text{alw } (\lambda ks. (\text{shd (stl } ks), \text{ shd } ks) \in \text{Ord}) ks$   
**and** *alw-ev-ks*:  $\text{alw } (\text{ev } (\lambda ks. \text{ shd (stl } ks) \neq \text{ shd } ks)) ks$   
 $\langle \text{proof} \rangle$

**abbreviation** *decr* **where**  $\text{decr} \equiv \text{decr0 Ord}$

**lemmas** *decr-simps* = *decr0.code*[of *Ord*]

**context**  
**fixes**  $js$   
**assumes**  $a: \text{alw } (\lambda js. (\text{shd (stl } js), \text{ shd } js) \in \text{Ord}) js$   
**and**  $ae: \text{alw } (\text{ev } (\lambda js. \text{ shd (stl } js) \neq \text{ shd } js)) js$   
**begin**

**lemma** *decr-ev*:  
**assumes**  $m: (\text{shd } js, m) \in \text{Ord}$   
**shows**  $\text{ev } (\lambda js. (\text{shd } js, m) \in \text{Ord} \wedge \text{shd } js \neq m) js$   
 $(\text{is ev } (\lambda js. ?\varphi m js) js)$   
 $\langle \text{proof} \rangle$

**lemma** *decr-simps-diff*[*simp*]:  
**assumes**  $m: (\text{shd } js, m) \in \text{Ord}$

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and shd js ≠ m
shows decr m js = shd js ### decr (shd js) js
⟨proof⟩

lemma decr-simps-eq[simp]:
  decr (shd js) js = decr (shd js) (stl js)
⟨proof⟩

end

lemma stl-decr:
  assumes a: alw (λjs. (shd (stl js), shd js) ∈ Ord) js
  and ae: alw (ev (λjs. shd (stl js) ≠ shd js)) js
  and m: (shd js, m) ∈ Ord
  shows
    ∃js1 js2. js = js1 @– js2 ∧ set js1 ⊆ {m} ∧
    (shd js2, m) ∈ Ord ∧ shd js2 ≠ m ∧
    shd (decr m js) = shd js2 ∧ stl (decr m js) = decr (shd js2) js2
    (is ∃js1 js2. ?φ js js1 js2)
⟨proof⟩

corollary stl-decr-shd:
  assumes a: alw (λjs. (shd (stl js), shd js) ∈ Ord) js and
    ae: alw (ev (λjs. shd (stl js) ≠ shd js)) js
  shows
    ∃js1 js2. js = js1 @– js2 ∧ set js1 ⊆ {shd js} ∧
    (shd js2, shd js) ∈ Ord ∧ shd js2 ≠ shd js ∧
    shd (decr (shd js) js) = shd js2 ∧ stl (decr (shd js) js) = decr (shd js2) js2
⟨proof⟩

lemma decr:
  assumes a: alw (λjs. (shd (stl js), shd js) ∈ Ord) js (is ?a js)
  and ae: alw (ev (λjs. shd (stl js) ≠ shd js)) js (is ?ae js)
  shows
    alw (λjs. (shd (stl js), shd js) ∈ Ord ∧ shd (stl js) ≠ shd js) (decr (shd js) js)
    (is alw ?φ -)
⟨proof⟩

lemma alw-snth:
  assumes alw (λxs. P (shd (stl xs)) (shd xs)) xs
  shows P (xs!!(Suc n)) (xs!! n)
⟨proof⟩

lemma F: False
⟨proof⟩

end

```

```

theorem infinite-soundness:
  assumes wf t and good t and S ∈ structure
  shows sat S (fst (root t))
  ⟨proof⟩

```

```
end
```

### 3 Soundness of Cyclic Proof Trees

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datatype (discs-sels) ('sequent, 'rule, 'link) ctree =
  Link link |
  cNode ('sequent,'rule) step ('sequent, 'rule, 'link) ctree fset

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```
corecursive treeOf where
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treeOf pointsTo ct =
  (if  $\exists l l'. \text{pointsTo } l = \text{Link } l'$ 
   — makes sense only if backward links point to normal nodes, not to backwards
   links:
    then undefined
    else (case ct of
      Link l ⇒ treeOf pointsTo (pointsTo l)
      | cNode step cts ⇒ Node step (fimage (treeOf pointsTo) cts)
    )
  )
  ⟨proof⟩

```

```
declare treeOf.code[simp]
```

```
context Infinite-Soundness
begin
```

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context
```

```

  fixes pointsTo :: 'link ⇒ ('sequent, 'rule, 'link)ctree
  assumes pointsTo: ∀ l l'. pointsTo l ≠ Link l'
begin

```

```

function seqOf where
  seqOf (Link l) = seqOf (pointsTo l)
  |
  seqOf (cNode (s,r) -) = s
  ⟨proof⟩
termination
  ⟨proof⟩

```

```

coinductive cwf where
  Node[intro!]: cwf (pointsTo l) ⇒ cwf (Link l)
  |
  cNode[intro]:

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```

 $\llbracket r \in R; \text{eff } r \text{ } s \text{ } (\text{fimage } \text{seqOf } \text{cts}); \bigwedge ct'. \text{ } ct' \mid\in \text{cts} \implies \text{cwf } ct \rrbracket$ 
 $\implies$ 
 $\text{cwf } (\text{cNode } (s, r) \text{ } \text{cts})$ 

definition  $cgood \text{ } ct \equiv \text{good } (\text{treeOf } \text{pointsTo } ct)$ 

lemma  $cwf\text{-Link}: \text{cwf } (\text{Link } l) \longleftrightarrow \text{cwf } (\text{pointsTo } l)$ 
 $\langle \text{proof} \rangle$ 

lemma  $cwf\text{-cNode-seqOf}:$ 
 $\text{cwf } (\text{cNode } (s, r) \text{ } \text{cts}) \implies \text{eff } r \text{ } s \text{ } (\text{fimage } \text{seqOf } \text{cts})$ 
 $\langle \text{proof} \rangle$ 

lemma  $\text{treeOf}\text{-seqOf}[simp]:$ 
 $\text{fst } \circ \text{root } \circ \text{treeOf } \text{pointsTo} = \text{seqOf}$ 
 $\langle \text{proof} \rangle$ 

lemma  $wf\text{-treeOf}:$ 
assumes  $\text{cwf } ct$ 
shows  $wf \text{ } (\text{treeOf } \text{pointsTo } ct)$ 
 $\langle \text{proof} \rangle$ 

theorem cyclic-soundness:
assumes  $cwf \text{ } ct \text{ and } cgood \text{ } ct \text{ and } S \in \text{structure}$ 
shows  $\text{sat } S \text{ } (\text{seqOf } ct)$ 
 $\langle \text{proof} \rangle$ 

end

end

```

## 4 Appendix: The definition of treeOf under more flexible assumptions about pointsTo

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definition  $rels$  where
 $rels \text{ } \text{pointsTo} \equiv \{((\text{pointsTo}, \text{pointsTo } l'), (\text{pointsTo}, \text{Link } l')) \mid l'. \text{True}\}$ 

definition  $rel :: (('link \Rightarrow ('sequent, 'rule, 'link) \text{ } \text{ctree}) \times ('sequent, 'rule, 'link) \text{ } \text{ctree}) \text{ } rel$  where
 $rel \equiv \bigcup (rels \setminus \{\text{pointsTo}. \text{wf } \{(l, l'). \text{pointsTo } l' = \text{Link } l\}\})$ 

lemma  $wf\text{-rels}[simp]:$ 
assumes  $wf \{(l, l'). \text{pointsTo} :: 'link \Rightarrow ('sequent, 'rule, 'link) \text{ } \text{ctree}) \mid l' = \text{Link } l\}$ 
(is wf ?w)
shows  $wf \text{ } (rels \text{ } \text{pointsTo})$   $\langle \text{proof} \rangle$ 

lemma  $rel: wf \text{ } rel$ 
 $\langle \text{proof} \rangle$ 

```

```

corecursive treeOf' where
  treeOf' pointsTo ct =
    (if  $\neg wf \{(l', l). pointsTo l = Link l'\}$ 
     — makes sense only if backward links point to normal nodes, not to backwards
     links:
     then undefined
     else (case ct of
       Link l  $\Rightarrow$  treeOf' pointsTo (pointsTo l)
       | cNode step cts  $\Rightarrow$  Node step (fimage (treeOf' pointsTo) cts)
     )
   )
  ⟨proof⟩

```