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Extensional Higher Order Resolution

The Calculus

Higher Order Resolution

$$\frac{[N]^a \vee C \quad [M]^b \vee D \quad \alpha \neq \beta}{C \vee D \vee [N = M]^F} \text{Res} \quad \frac{[N]^a \vee [M]^a \vee C \quad \alpha \in \{T, F\}}{[N]^a \vee C \vee [N = M]^F} \text{Fac}$$

$$\frac{[Q, \overline{U}^k]^a \vee C \quad \mathbf{P} \in \mathcal{G}_T^{\{\neg V, \vee\}; \{ \square^B \mid B \in T \}}}{[Q, \overline{U}^k]^a \vee C \vee [Q = \mathbf{P}]^F} \text{Prim}$$

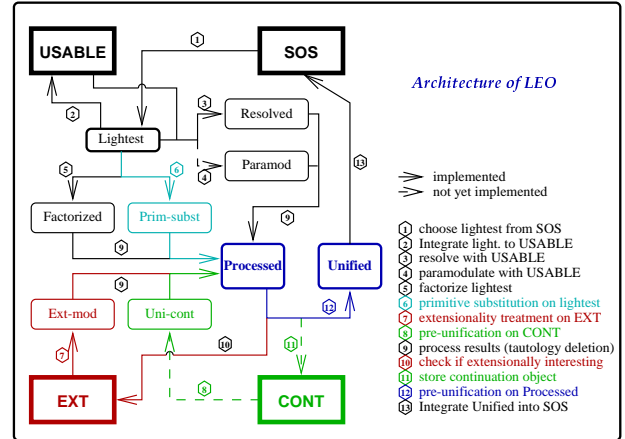
Higher Order Pre-Unification

$$\begin{array}{c}
\frac{C \vee [A = B]^P \quad A, B \text{ functional} \quad s_a \text{ Skolem term}}{C \vee [A s = B s]^P} \alpha \\
\\
\frac{C \vee [h \bar{U}^n = h \bar{V}^n]^P}{C \vee [U^1 = V^1]^P \vee \dots \vee [U^n = V^n]^P} Dec \quad \frac{C \vee [A = A]^P}{C} Triv \\
\\
\frac{C \vee E \text{ solved for } C}{CNF(\text{subst}_C(\mathcal{C}))} Subst \quad \frac{C \vee [E, \bar{U}^n = h \bar{V}^n]^P \quad G \in \mathcal{G}_n^h}{C \vee [F = G]^P \vee [F \bar{U}^n = h \bar{V}^n]^P} f/e/z
\end{array}$$

Extensionality (Interleave Resolution and Unification)

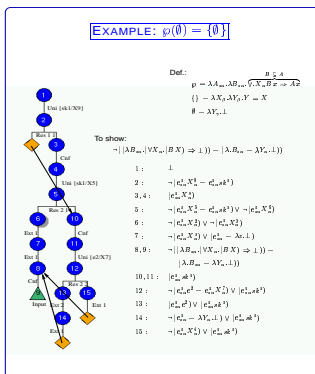
$$\frac{C \vee [M_o = N_o]^F}{\text{CNF}(C \vee [M_o \equiv N_o]^F)} \text{Equiv} \quad \frac{C \vee [M_a = N_a]^F \quad \alpha \in \{o, i\}}{\text{CNF}(C \vee [\forall P_{a \rightarrow o}. PM \Rightarrow PN]^F)} \text{Leib}$$

Extended Set Of Support Architecture



Proving simple theorems about sets with LEO

**Boolean and Basic Properties of Sets,
Journal of Formalized Mathematics Volume 1, 1989**



Examples from Set Theory

Examples:

See: <http://www-irm.mathematik.hu-berlin.de/~if/miz2atp/mizstat.html>

Solved theorems (of 97)	
Waldmeister (pure equity prover), only Th 72 and 99 have been tried	3
Spass v.78 on Ultra Sparc: 170	3
Setheo v3.3 'on' PVM	3
CM v10-15-97 (ME Prover in Prolog)	3
CM v10-15-97 - with special cost function (hdef(1,6,1.6))	3
With definition expansion in the theorem (prover CM v9-22-97)	3
Oter out	6
Goldand v. c-1.0b	3
Spass v0.54	3
Setheo [1]	3
All Together	5

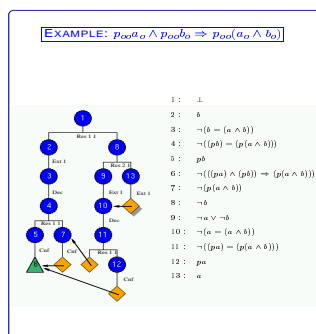
Technical Aspects of LEO

- Implemented in Allegro Common Lisp
- Based on the KEIM-Toolbox
- Automatic Mode
- Interactive Mode
- Graphical User Interface (LEO3)
- Integrated in OMEGA (LEO3)

Difficulties

- efficient Higher Order Subsumption
- Higher Order Termination is not compatible with Extensional Resolution
- Leibnizequality or Primitive Equality

A very simple example with embedded Propositions



- not provable by other Systems

Conclusion and Further Work

- **LEO:** Henkin-Complete Extensional Higher Order Resolution
No Extensionality Axioms required
Interleaving of Resolution and Unification
Well suited for simple theorems from Set Theory
- **Further work:** More efficient implementation
Integration in OMEGA
Cooperation with other Reasoning Systems

- **Availability:**

<http://www.ags.uni-sb.de/projects/deduktion/projects/hot/leo/>