

# propositional logic & simple types

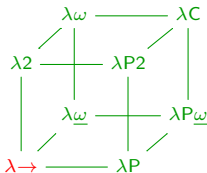
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## type systems and logics

teaser: a proof term for a proof

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$\lambda x : a \rightarrow b \rightarrow c. \lambda y : a \rightarrow b. \lambda z : a. xz(yz)$

$$\frac{\frac{\frac{[a \rightarrow b \rightarrow c^x] \quad [a^z]}{b \rightarrow c} E \rightarrow \quad \frac{[a \rightarrow b^y] \quad [a^z]}{b} E \rightarrow}{c} I[z] \rightarrow}{\frac{(a \rightarrow b) \rightarrow a \rightarrow c}{(a \rightarrow b) \rightarrow a \rightarrow c} I[y] \rightarrow} I[x] \rightarrow$$

$(a \rightarrow b \rightarrow c) \rightarrow (a \rightarrow b) \rightarrow a \rightarrow c$

## many systems

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- ▶ one untyped lambda calculus  
(last week: recap)
- ▶ many typed lambda calculi = type theories
  - ▶ **Church-style**  
variables explicitly typed  
  
the systems in this course  
Coq!
  - ▶ **Curry-style**  
assigning types to untyped terms  
(in one of Herman's lectures)
- ▶ many logics

## Curry-Howard correspondence

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'propositions-as-types'

type systems  $\sim$  logics

datatypes  $\sim$  propositions

$A \times B$   $\sim$   $A \wedge B$

$A \rightarrow B$   $\sim$   $A \rightarrow B$

objects of a datatype  $\sim$  proofs of a proposition  
'inhabitants'  $\sim$  'proof objects'

non-empty type  $\sim$  true proposition

empty type  $\sim$  false proposition

derivation in a type theory  $\sim$  derivation in a logic

## type systems in this course

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logics  $\sim$  type systems

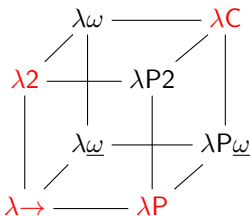
propositional logic  $\sim$   $\lambda \rightarrow$  = simply typed lambda calculus

predicate logic  $\sim$   $\lambda P$  = dependently typed lambda calculus

second order logic  $\sim$   $\lambda 2$  = polymorphic lambda calculus

higher order logic  $\sim$   $\lambda C$  = CC = Calculus of Constructions

'the logic of Coq'  $\sim$  CIC = Calculus of Inductive Constructions



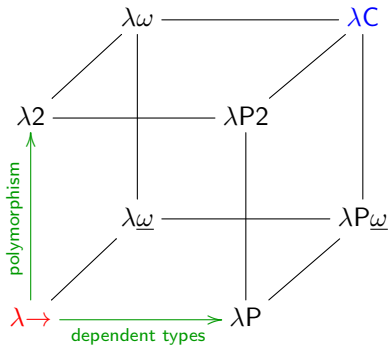
## the lambda cube

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the Barendregt cube

eight PTSs = pure type systems

(not explicitly in Femke's course notes)



- ▶ **natural deduction**  $B_1, \dots, B_m \vdash A$   
introduction and elimination rules for each connective

$$\frac{\dots \vdash \dots}{\dots \vdash \dots \otimes \dots} I \qquad \frac{\dots \vdash \dots \otimes \dots}{\dots \vdash \dots} E$$

- ▶ **Gentzen–Prawitz style:** proof is a derivation tree
  - ▶ **Jaśkowski–Fitch style:** proof consists of nested boxes/flags
- ▶ **sequent calculus:** LK & LJ  $B_1, \dots, B_m \vdash A_1, \dots, A_n$   
left and right rules for each connective

$$\frac{\dots \vdash \dots}{\dots \otimes \dots \vdash \dots} L \qquad \frac{\dots \vdash \dots}{\dots \vdash \dots \otimes \dots} R$$

- ▶ **Hilbert-style**  $\vdash A$   
axioms for each connective (and at most two rules)

## defining a logic or type system

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- ▶ **syntax**

- ▶ terms
- ▶ types
- ▶ formulas
- ▶ contexts
- ▶ judgments

$$M, N ::= x \mid MN \mid \lambda x. M$$

- ▶ **rules**

- ▶ **logics**: proof rules
- ▶ **type systems**: typing rules

no rules for untyped lambda calculus

- ▶ **reduction**

$$(\lambda x. M) N \rightarrow_{\beta} M[x := N]$$



## propositional logic

### three propositional logics

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▶ **minimal propositional logic**

the logic that corresponds to simply typed lambda calculus

only implication:  $\rightarrow$

▶ **constructive propositional logic**

all connectives:  $\rightarrow, \wedge, \vee, \neg, \perp, \top$

▶ **classical propositional logic**

$$A \vee \neg A$$

$$\neg\neg A \rightarrow A$$

## propositional logic: syntax

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### formulas

$$A, B ::= a \mid A \rightarrow B \mid A \wedge B \mid A \vee B \mid \neg A \mid \top \mid \perp$$

$a, b, c, \dots$  atomic propositions  
later: propositional variables

$A, B, C, \dots$  meta-variables for arbitrary formulas

implication associates to the right:

$$a \rightarrow b \rightarrow c \text{ means } a \rightarrow (b \rightarrow c)$$

order of binding strength:  $\neg > \wedge > \vee > \rightarrow$

$$a \vee \neg b \wedge c \rightarrow d \text{ means } (a \vee ((\neg b) \wedge c)) \rightarrow d$$

## the two rules of minimal propositional logic

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the introduction and elimination rules of implication:

$$\frac{\begin{array}{c} [A^x] \\ \vdots \\ B \end{array}}{A \rightarrow B} I[x] \rightarrow \qquad \frac{\begin{array}{cc} \vdots & \vdots \\ A \rightarrow B & A \end{array}}{B} E \rightarrow$$

in the introduction rule the assumption  $[A^x]$  may be used an arbitrary number of times: zero, one or more

in the elimination rule the proof of  $A \rightarrow B$  is on the *left* of the proof of  $A$

## example proof of minimal propositional logic

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$$\frac{\frac{\frac{[a \rightarrow b \rightarrow c^x] \quad [a^z]}{b \rightarrow c} E \rightarrow \quad \frac{[a \rightarrow b^y] \quad [a^z]}{b} E \rightarrow}{E \rightarrow}}{\frac{\frac{\frac{c}{a \rightarrow c} I[z] \rightarrow}{(a \rightarrow b) \rightarrow a \rightarrow c} I[y] \rightarrow}{(a \rightarrow b \rightarrow c) \rightarrow (a \rightarrow b) \rightarrow a \rightarrow c} I[x] \rightarrow}}$$

## constructive propositional logic: the other rules

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$$\frac{\begin{array}{c} \vdots \\ A \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} \vdots \\ B \end{array}}{A \wedge B} I\wedge \quad \frac{\begin{array}{c} \vdots \\ A \wedge B \end{array}}{A} E\wedge \quad \frac{\begin{array}{c} \vdots \\ A \wedge B \end{array}}{B} E\wedge$$

$$\frac{\begin{array}{c} \vdots \\ A \end{array}}{A \vee B} I\vee \quad \frac{\begin{array}{c} \vdots \\ B \end{array}}{A \vee B} I\vee \quad \frac{\begin{array}{c} \vdots \\ A \vee B \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} \vdots \\ A \rightarrow C \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} \vdots \\ B \rightarrow C \end{array}}{C} E\vee$$

$$\frac{\begin{array}{c} [A^x] \\ \vdots \\ \perp \end{array}}{\neg A} I\neg \quad \frac{\begin{array}{c} \vdots \\ \neg A \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} \vdots \\ A \end{array}}{\perp} E\neg \quad \frac{}{\top} I\top \quad \frac{\begin{array}{c} \vdots \\ \perp \end{array}}{A} E\perp$$

$$\neg A := A \rightarrow \perp$$

## variants of elimination rules

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- ▶ what Coq's `elim` tactic implements for conjunction:

$$\frac{\begin{array}{c} \vdots \\ A \wedge B \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} \vdots \\ A \rightarrow B \rightarrow C \end{array}}{C} E\wedge$$

- ▶ often the disjunction elimination rule is:

$$\frac{\begin{array}{c} \vdots \\ A \vee B \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} [A^x] \\ \vdots \\ C \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} [B^y] \\ \vdots \\ C \end{array}}{C} E[x, y]\vee$$

not what Coq's `elim` tactic implements for disjunction

## example proof beyond minimal propositional logic

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$$\frac{[a \vee b^x] \quad \frac{\frac{[a^y]}{b \vee a} Ir\vee \quad I[y] \rightarrow}{a \rightarrow b \vee a} \quad \frac{\frac{[b^z]}{b \vee a} Il\vee \quad I[z] \rightarrow}{b \rightarrow b \vee a} E\vee}{\frac{b \vee a}{a \vee b \rightarrow b \vee a} I[x] \rightarrow} E\vee$$

## alternative style: explicit assumption lists

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### syntax

$A, B ::= a \mid A \rightarrow B \mid \dots$	formulas
$\Gamma ::= \cdot \mid \Gamma, A$	assumption lists
$\mathcal{J} ::= \Gamma \vdash A$	sequents

we do not write the dot and the comma after the dot  
still natural deduction, *not* sequent calculus

### rules

$$\frac{}{\Gamma \vdash A} \text{ass} \quad \text{for } A \in \Gamma$$
$$\frac{\Gamma, A \vdash B}{\Gamma \vdash A \rightarrow B} I \rightarrow \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash A \rightarrow B \quad \Gamma \vdash A}{\Gamma \vdash B} E \rightarrow \quad \dots$$



## the example proofs with explicit assumption lists

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$\Gamma_1 := a \rightarrow b \rightarrow c, a \rightarrow b, a$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \frac{}{\Gamma_1 \vdash a \rightarrow b \rightarrow c} \text{ass} \quad \frac{}{\Gamma_1 \vdash a} \text{ass} \quad \frac{}{\Gamma_1 \vdash a \rightarrow b} \text{ass} \quad \frac{}{\Gamma_1 \vdash a} \text{ass} \\
 \frac{}{\Gamma_1 \vdash b \rightarrow c} E \rightarrow \quad \frac{}{\Gamma_1 \vdash b} E \rightarrow \\
 \frac{}{\Gamma_1 \vdash c} E \rightarrow \\
 \frac{}{a \rightarrow b \rightarrow c, a \rightarrow b \vdash a \rightarrow c} I \rightarrow \\
 \frac{}{a \rightarrow b \rightarrow c \vdash (a \rightarrow b) \rightarrow a \rightarrow c} I \rightarrow \\
 \frac{}{\vdash (a \rightarrow b \rightarrow c) \rightarrow (a \rightarrow b) \rightarrow a \rightarrow c} I \rightarrow
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \frac{}{a \vee b \vdash a \vee b} \text{ass} \quad \frac{}{a \vee b, a \vdash a} \text{ass} \quad \frac{}{a \vee b, b \vdash b} \text{ass} \\
 \frac{}{a \vee b \vdash a \rightarrow b \vee a} I \rightarrow \quad \frac{}{a \vee b, a \vdash b \vee a} Ir \vee \quad \frac{}{a \vee b, b \vdash b \vee a} Il \vee \\
 \frac{}{a \vee b \vdash b \vee a} I \rightarrow \\
 \frac{}{\vdash a \vee b \rightarrow b \vee a} E \vee
 \end{array}$$

## simply typed lambda calculus

the S combinator

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untyped

typed: Curry-style

$$\lambda xyz. xz(yz)$$
$$(\lambda x. (\lambda y. (\lambda z. ((xz)(yz)))))$$

typed: Church-style

$$\lambda x : a \rightarrow b \rightarrow c. \lambda y : a \rightarrow b. \lambda z : a. xz(yz)$$

Coq syntax

```
fun x : a -> b -> c => fun y : a -> b => fun z : a =>
  x z (y z)
```

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fun (x : a -> b -> c) (y : a -> b) (z : a) => x z (y z)
```

## BHK interpretation

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### Brouwer–Heyting–Kolmogorov

~ Curry-Howard correspondence

constructive ‘meaning’ of the logical connectives

connection between proofs and lambda calculus

proof of $A \rightarrow B$	=	function	from proofs of $A$ to proofs of $B$
proof of $A \wedge B$	=	pair	of a proof of $A$ and a proof of $B$
proof of $A \vee B$	=	either	a proof of $A$ , or a proof of $B$
proof of $\neg A$	=	proof of $A \rightarrow \perp$	
proof of $\top$		the object $I$	
proof of $\perp$		does not exist	

proof of  $a \wedge b \rightarrow b \wedge a$  is

a function that inputs a pair  $\langle x, y \rangle$ , and returns  $\langle y, x \rangle$   
with  $x$  a proof of  $a$  and  $y$  a proof of  $b$

$$\lambda p : a \wedge b. \langle \pi_2 p, \pi_1 p \rangle$$

## different names for the same type theory

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simply typed lambda calculus

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simple type theory = STT

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$\lambda \rightarrow$

3 typing rules

$\nrightarrow$

7 typing rules

same set of well-typed terms

## simply typed lambda calculus: syntax and rules

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### syntax

$A, B ::= a \mid A \rightarrow B$	types
$M, N ::= x \mid MN \mid \lambda x : A. M$	preterms
$\Gamma ::= \cdot \mid \Gamma, x : A$	contexts
$\mathcal{J} ::= \Gamma \vdash M : A$	judgments

### rules

$$\frac{}{\Gamma \vdash x : A} \quad \text{for } (x : A) \in \Gamma$$

$$\frac{\Gamma, x : A \vdash M : B}{\Gamma \vdash (\lambda x : A. M) : A \rightarrow B}$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash F : A \rightarrow B \quad \Gamma \vdash M : A}{\Gamma \vdash FM : B}$$

## well-typedness

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$\Gamma \vdash M : A$  is derivable  $\implies M$  is well-typed

well-typed preterms are called **terms**

## example type derivation

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$\lambda f : a \rightarrow b. \lambda x : a. fx$

$$\frac{\frac{\frac{f : a \rightarrow b, x : a \vdash f : a \rightarrow b}{f : a \rightarrow b, x : a \vdash fx : b}}{f : a \rightarrow b \vdash (\lambda x : a. fx) : a \rightarrow b}}{\vdash (\lambda f : a \rightarrow b. \lambda x : a. fx) : (a \rightarrow b) \rightarrow a \rightarrow b}$$

$$\frac{}{\Gamma \vdash x : A} \quad \frac{\Gamma, x : A \vdash M : B}{\Gamma \vdash (\lambda x : A. M) : A \rightarrow B} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash F : A \rightarrow B \quad \Gamma \vdash M : A}{\Gamma \vdash FM : B}$$

## proofs versus type derivations: type derivation

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$$\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{}{f : a \rightarrow b, x : a \vdash f : a \rightarrow b}}{f : a \rightarrow b, x : a \vdash fx : b}}{f : a \rightarrow b \vdash (\lambda x : a. fx) : a \rightarrow b}}{\vdash (\lambda f : a \rightarrow b. \lambda x : a. fx) : (a \rightarrow b) \rightarrow a \rightarrow b}}$$

$$\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{}{a \rightarrow b, a \vdash a \rightarrow b} \text{ass}}{a \rightarrow b, a \vdash b} I \rightarrow}}{\frac{}{a \rightarrow b, a \vdash a} \text{ass}}{a \rightarrow b \vdash a \rightarrow b} E \rightarrow}}{\vdash (a \rightarrow b) \rightarrow a \rightarrow b} I \rightarrow}}$$



## proofs versus type derivations: proof

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$$\frac{\frac{\frac{[a \rightarrow b^f] \quad [a^x]}{b} E \rightarrow}{a \rightarrow b} I[x] \rightarrow}{(a \rightarrow b) \rightarrow a \rightarrow b} I[f] \rightarrow$$

$$\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{}{a \rightarrow b, a \vdash a \rightarrow b} \text{ass}}{a \rightarrow b, a \vdash b} I \rightarrow}{a \rightarrow b \vdash a \rightarrow b} I \rightarrow}{\vdash (a \rightarrow b) \rightarrow a \rightarrow b} I \rightarrow}{\frac{\frac{}{a \rightarrow b, a \vdash a} \text{ass}}{a \rightarrow b, a \vdash b} E \rightarrow} \text{ass}}$$

## proofs versus type derivations: proof term

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$$\frac{\frac{\frac{[a \rightarrow b^f] \quad [a^x]}{b} E \rightarrow}{a \rightarrow b} I[x] \rightarrow}{(a \rightarrow b) \rightarrow a \rightarrow b} I[f] \rightarrow$$

$\lambda f : a \rightarrow b. \lambda x : a. fx$

## Curry-Howard correspondence

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propositions

types

implications

$\longleftrightarrow$

function types

proof rules

proof terms

introduction rules

$\longleftrightarrow$

lambda abstraction

elimination rules

$\longleftrightarrow$

function application

assumption rule

$\longleftrightarrow$

variables

## how to read proof terms

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$$M := (\lambda f : a \rightarrow b. \lambda x : a. fx) : (a \rightarrow b) \rightarrow a \rightarrow b$$

this proof term  $M$  is a function  
that takes as its first argument a proof of  $a \rightarrow b$  called  $f$   
and as its second argument a proof of  $a$  called  $x$

and then maps those to a proof of  $b$

the argument  $f$  is itself a function that  
maps proofs of  $a$  to proofs of  $b$   
(conform the BHK-interpretation)

$x$  is an inhabitant of the type  $a$   
which corresponds to the proposition  $a$

to get a proof of  $b$ , the function  $f$  is applied to  $x$   
and the result of that application then is the result of  $M$

## Coq

### the example

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Parameter a b : Prop.

```
one = fun (f : a -> b) (x : a) => f x
      : (a -> b) -> a -> b
```

Lemma one :

```
(a -> b) -> a -> b.
```

```
intros f x.
```

```
apply f.
```

```
apply x.
```

```
Qed.
```

Check one.

Print one.

$$\frac{\frac{\frac{[a \rightarrow b^f] \quad [a^x]}{b} E \rightarrow}{a \rightarrow b} I[x] \rightarrow}{(a \rightarrow b) \rightarrow a \rightarrow b} I[f] \rightarrow$$

$(\lambda f : a \rightarrow b. \lambda x : a. fx) : (a \rightarrow b) \rightarrow a \rightarrow b$

## example with disjunction

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Parameter a b : Prop.

Lemma two :

```
a ∨ b → b ∨ a.  
intros [y|z].  
- right.  
  apply y.  
- left.  
  apply z.  
Qed.
```

$$\frac{\frac{[a^y]}{b \vee a} Ir\vee \quad \frac{[b^z]}{b \vee a} Il\vee}{\frac{[a \vee b^x]}{a \rightarrow b \vee a} I[y] \rightarrow \quad \frac{[a \vee b^x]}{b \rightarrow b \vee a} I[z] \rightarrow} EV \quad \frac{b \vee a}{a \vee b \rightarrow b \vee a} I[x] \rightarrow$$

## example with conjunction

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Parameter a b : Prop.

Lemma three :

```
a /\ b -> b /\ a.  
intros [y z].  
split.  
- apply z.  
- apply y.  
Qed.
```

$$\frac{\frac{\frac{[b^z] \quad [a^y]}{b \wedge a} I\wedge \quad \frac{I[z] \rightarrow}{b \rightarrow b \wedge a}}{a \rightarrow b \rightarrow b \wedge a} I[y] \rightarrow}{E\wedge} \frac{[a \wedge b^x]}{b \wedge a} I[x] \rightarrow}{a \wedge b \rightarrow b \wedge a}$$

## tactics for proof rules

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$I \rightarrow I \neg$	intro intros	
$E \rightarrow E \neg$	apply	
ass	exact apply	
$E \wedge E \vee E \perp$	elim destruct intros with pattern	
$I \wedge$	split	
$I l \vee$	left	
$I r \vee$	right	
$I \top$	apply I	I : True



## bullets

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structure tactic scripts according to subgoals

related bullets need to match:

-    --    ---    ----    etc.

+    ++    +++    ++++    etc.

\*    \*\*    \*\*\*    \*\*\*\*    etc.

## intro patterns

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only works with `intros`, not with `intro`

the pattern needs to match the shape of assumptions

goal	tactic
$A \rightarrow G$	<code>intros HA.</code>
$A \rightarrow B \rightarrow G$	<code>intros HA HB.</code>
$A \wedge B \rightarrow G$	<code>intros [HA HB].</code>
$A \vee B \rightarrow G$	<code>intros [HA HB].</code>
$A \vee (B \wedge C) \rightarrow D \rightarrow G$	<code>intros [HA [HB HC]] HD.</code>

## apply

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the number  $n$  of antecedents of  $H$  may be zero  
 $H$  not only a variable, may be an arbitrary term

$$H : A_1 \rightarrow \cdots \rightarrow A_n \rightarrow B$$

goal  $B$   $\xrightarrow{\text{apply } H}$  new goals  $A_1, \dots, A_n$

$$\frac{[A_1 \rightarrow \cdots \rightarrow A_n \rightarrow B^H] \quad A_1 \quad E \rightarrow}{A_2 \rightarrow \cdots \rightarrow A_n \rightarrow B} \quad A_2 \quad E \rightarrow$$

⋮

$$\frac{A_{n-1} \rightarrow A_n \rightarrow B \quad A_{n-1} \quad E \rightarrow}{A_n \rightarrow B} \quad A_n \quad E \rightarrow$$
$$\frac{A_n \rightarrow B}{B}$$

## elim

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$$H : A_1 \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow A_n \rightarrow B \otimes C$$

`elim` and `destruct` eliminate the connective  $\otimes$   
which leaves the goal unchanged

but also generate extra subgoals  $A_1, \dots, A_n$

## summary

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logic	type theory	Coq
introduction rules	lambda abstraction	<code>intro</code>
elimination rules	function application	<code>apply</code>
introduction rules	(in two weeks)	(various)
elimination rules	(in two weeks)	<code>elim</code>

for more about the tactics  
read the Coq manual!



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