# The Welkin Standard

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## **Conventions**

- Artifacts must be copied identically. They are listed below.
  - boostrap.welkin is located in Appendix A.
  - derivation.welkin is located in Appendix B.
- We write (n) for the n-th line in the bootstrap file.
- Every definition is explicitly written. **Every definition MUST exclude Peano Arithmetic.**

# **Syntax**

#### **Terminals**

- Logic
- Symbols (1): 0, 1
- Concatenation · .
- Implication  $\Rightarrow$
- Table of US-ASCII:

Symbol	Encoding
{	173
}	175

- A word is recursively defined.
  - Base case (5):
    - 0 is a word.
    - 1 is a word.
  - Recursion (6): let w be a word.
    - $w \cdot 0$  is a word.
    - $w \cdot 1$  is a word.

#### **Atoms**

- Strings are words with delimiters:  $d_1$ .w. $d_2$ , where  $d_1 \not\subset w$  and  $d_2 \not\subset w$ .
- Identifiers are strings without white space.
- Numbers are a subset of strings with an injective function  $q: \text{NUMBER} \to Q$ .
  - Q is set of strings formed by scientific notation.

## Grammar

- LALR
  - · Not ambiguous
- Welkin Grammar:

## **Semantics**

## **Equality on Terms**

- Two strings are equal if they contain the same strings, in order.
- Two numbers are equal if q(a) = q(b).

## **Valid Strings**

- No relative members at toplevel (with length 2).
- No duplicate members, graphs, or connections.

## **Welkin Information Graphs**

A Welkin Information Graph (WIG) is a structure G = (T, H, L) with:

- A tree *T*,
- A hypergraph H,
- A tree L isomorphic to T called the **label tree**.

# AST ()

- Units:
- Members are words of units
- Connections are WIGs with
- · Graphs are WIGs with
  - · Derived terms as children
  - Ordered triples are arcs.

## **Encoding**

The **encoding** E(G) of the WIG G is the unique string where

- All nodes are listed in breadth-first order
- Leaves are terms ending with "#"
- Edges are enumerated, starting from 0. They are included in nodes:
  - s means source,
  - c means connector,
  - ullet t means target.

# **Bootstrap**

**Theorem.** The Bootstrap File (Appendix A) has the encoding

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We prove this in the following calculations:

$$(1)0, 1 \Rightarrow \{0, 1\}$$

$$(3)$$
 start  $-\{0,1\} \rightarrow \text{word} \Rightarrow (\text{start}, \{0,1\}, \text{word})$ 

# Appendix A: Boostrap File