# termp

Prolog term utility predicates protocol.

## **Public interface**

## depth/2

True if the depth of Term is Depth. The depth of atomic terms is zero; the depth of a compound term is one plus the maximium depth of its sub-terms.

```
compilation:
      static
template:
      depth(Term,Depth)
mode - number of solutions:
      depth(@term,?integer) - zero_or_one
ground/1
      True if the argument is ground.
compilation:
      static
template:
      ground(Term)
mode - number of solutions:
      ground(@term) - zero_or_one
new/1
      Creates a new term instance (if meaningful).
```

```
compilation:
    static

template:
    new(Term)

mode - number of solutions:
    new(-nonvar) - zero_or_one
```

#### occurs/2

True if the variable occurs in the term.

```
compilation: static
```

```
template:
      occurs(Variable, Term)
mode - number of solutions:
      occurs(@var,@term) - zero_or_one
subsumes/2
      The first term subsumes the second term.
compilation:
      static
template:
      subsumes(General,Specific)
mode - number of solutions:
      subsumes(?term,@term) - zero_or_one
subterm/2
      The first term is a subterm of the second term.
compilation:
      static
template:
      subterm(Subterm, Term)
mode - number of solutions:
      subterm(?term,+term) - zero_or_more
valid/1
      Term is valid.
compilation:
      static
template:
      valid(Term)
mode - number of solutions:
      valid(@nonvar) - zero_or_one
check/1
      Checks if a term is valid. Throws an exception if the term is not valid.
compilation:
      static
template:
      check(Term)
mode - number of solutions:
      check(@nonvar) - one
variant/2
      Each term is a variant of the other (i.e. they are structurally equivalent).
compilation:
      static
template:
      variant(Term1,Term2)
```

```
mode - number of solutions:
     variant(@term,@term) - zero_or_one
```

#### variables/2

Returns a list of all term variables (ordered as found when doing a depth-first, left-to-right traversal of Term).

```
compilation:
    static

template:
    variables(Term, List)

mode - number of solutions:
```

variables(@term,-list) - one

## singletons/2

Returns a list of all term singleton variables (ordered as found when doing a depth-first, left-to-right traversal of Term).

```
compilation:
    static

template:
    singletons(Term, Singletons)

mode - number of solutions:
    singletons(@term, -list) - one
```

## **Protected interface**

(none)

## **Private predicates**

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