

# Formal Verification of Knowledge Production Systems

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# **Abstract**

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This thesis presents Kleis, a formal verification system for knowledge production.

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## **1 Chapter 1: Introduction**

Knowledge production relies on precise notation and rigorous verification.

## **2 Chapter 2: Background**

We build on prior work in formal verification and type theory.

## **3 Chapter 3: The Kleis System**

Kleis is built on structures, axioms, and templates.

## **4 Chapter 4: Evaluation**

We evaluate Kleis on tensor calculus and protocol verification.

## **5 Chapter 5: Conclusion**

We have presented Kleis, a substrate for formal knowledge production.

## **6 References**

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