

Leads-To Induction

$$WellFounded(N, - \succ -) \triangleq \neg \exists ch \in [Nat \rightarrow N] : \forall i \in Nat : ch[i + 1] \succ ch[i]$$

$$\begin{aligned} IsMinimum(N, - \succ -, z) &\triangleq \bigwedge \forall n \in N : \neg(z \succ n) \\ &\quad \bigwedge \forall m \in N \setminus \{z\} : \exists n \in N : m \succ n \end{aligned}$$

$$LTSet(N, - \succ -, n) \triangleq \{m \in N : n \succ m\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} LeadsToInduction(F(-), N, - \succ -, z) &\triangleq \\ &\bigwedge WellFounded(N, \succ) \\ &\bigwedge IsMinimum(N, \succ, z) \\ &\bigwedge \forall n \in N \setminus \{z\} : F(n) \rightsquigarrow (\exists m \in LTSet(N, \succ, n) : F(m)) \\ &\Rightarrow ((\exists n \in N : F(n)) \rightsquigarrow F(z)) \end{aligned}$$

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