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# Chapter 1

## Package logic.proof.builder.proof

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## 1.1 Classes

### 1.1.1 CLASS Proof

Stores all data necessary to construct a proof. Simple Methods are provided to manipulate the proof such as adding or deleting lines.

#### DECLARATION

```
public class Proof
extends java.lang.Object
```

#### FIELDS

- public List predicates
  - A list of all the named predicates in the proof. Used to populate the predicate list.

#### CONSTRUCTORS

- *Proof*

```
public Proof( )
```

  - **Usage**
    - \* Default constructor. Constructs an empty proof

#### METHODS

- *addStepAsEndOfSubproof*

```
public ProofStep addStepAsEndOfSubproof(
logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode node, java.lang.String formula )
```

  - **Usage**
    - \* Adds a new proofstep that is the last line of a subproof
  - **Parameters**
    - \* **node** - Root node of the sentence of the proofstep
    - \* **formula** - String representation of the sentence
  - **Returns** - Returns the proofstep that has been added
- *addStepAsNewLine*

```
public ProofStep addStepAsNewLine( logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode
node, java.lang.String formula )
```

  - **Usage**
    - \* The default method to add a new proofstep to the proof

- \* **node** - Root node of the sentence of the proofstep
  - \* **formula** - String representation of the sentence
  - **Returns** - Returns the proofstep that has been added

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- *addStepAsStartOfSubproof*
  - public ProofStep **addStepAsStartOfSubproof**(  
logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode **node**, java.lang.String **formula** )
  - **Usage**
    - \* Adds a new proofstep that is the start of a subproof
  - **Parameters**
    - \* **node** - Root node of the sentence of the proofstep
    - \* **formula** - String representation of the sentence
  - **Returns** - Returns the proofstep that has been added

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- *addVar*
  - public ProofStep **addVar**( java.lang.String **var** )
  - **Usage**
    - \* Add a new proofstep which introduces a boxed variable
  - **Parameters**
    - \* **var** - The name of the variable being introduced
  - **Returns** - Returns the proofstep that has been added

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- *addVar*
  - public ProofStep **addVar**( java.lang.String **introducedVariable**,  
logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode **rootNode**, java.lang.String **formula**  
)
  - **Usage**
    - \* Add a new proofstep which introduces a boxed variable alongside an assumption
  - **Parameters**
    - \* **introducedVariable** - The name of the variable being introduced
    - \* **node** - Root node of the sentence
    - \* **formula** - String representation of the sentence
  - **Returns** - Returns the proofstep that has been added

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- *getCurrentLevel*
  - public int **getCurrentLevel**( )
  - **Usage**
    - \* Returns the number of subproofs currently open
  - **Returns** - the number of subproofs currently open

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- *getLines*
  - public ArrayList **getLines**( )
  - **Usage**
    - \* Returns the ordered list of proofsteps
  - **Returns** - the ordered list of proofsteps

- *removeStep*  
   public void **removeStep**( )
- **Usage**
  - \* Removes the most recent line from the proof

### 1.1.2 CLASS ProofStep

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#### DECLARATION

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```
public class ProofStep
extends java.lang.Object
```

#### FIELDS

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- public ProofStep parent
  -
- public List subproofs
  -
- public ProofStep next
  -
- public SimpleNode node
  -
- public Integer lineNumber
  -
- public int level
  -
- public String formula
  -
- public String justification
  -
- public boolean endOfSubproof
  -
- public HashMap freeVariables
  -
- public String introducedVariable

### 1.1.3 CLASS RulesOfInference

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Contains methods for the rules of inference of first-order logic

#### DECLARATION

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```
public final class RulesOfInference
extends java.lang.Object
```

#### CONSTRUCTORS

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- *RulesOfInference*  
public **RulesOfInference**( )

#### METHODS

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- *andElimination1*  
public static SimpleNode **andElimination1**(  
logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode **premise** )  
  - **Parameters**
    - \* **premise** - The root node of a conjunctive sentence of FOL
  - **Returns** - leftChild The left child node of the given conjunction
  - **Exceptions**
    - \* logic.proof.builder.exceptions.PremiseException - If premises are not of the correct form for this rule

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- *andElimination1*  
public static void **andElimination1**( logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode  
**premise**, logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode **conclusion** )  
  - **Parameters**
    - \* **premise** - The root node of a conjunction
    - \* **conclusion** - The root node of the sentence being justified
  - **Exceptions**
    - \* logic.proof.builder.exceptions.ConclusionException - If conclusion does not follow from using rule on given arguments
    - \* logic.proof.builder.exceptions.PremiseException - If premises are not of the correct form for this rule

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- *andElimination2*  
public static SimpleNode **andElimination2**(  
logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode **premise** )  
  - **Parameters**
    - \* **premise** - The root node of a conjunction

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– **Exceptions**

- \* `logic.proof.builder.exceptions.PremiseException` - If conclusion does not follow from using rule on given arguments
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• *andElimination2*

```
public static void andElimination2( logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode
premise, logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode conclusion )
```

– **Parameters**

- \* `premise` - The root node of a conjunction
- \* `conclusion` - The root node of the sentence being justified

– **Exceptions**

- \* `logic.proof.builder.exceptions.ConclusionException` - If conclusion does not follow from using rule on given arguments
  - \* `logic.proof.builder.exceptions.PremiseException` - If premises are not of the correct form for this rule
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• *andIntroduction*

```
public static SimpleNode andIntroduction(
logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode p,
logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode q )
```

– **Parameters**

- \* `p` - The root node of a sentence of FOL
- \* `q` - The root node of a sentence of FOL

– **Returns** - conjunction The root node of a conjunction of the given parameters

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• *andIntroduction*

```
public static void andIntroduction( logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode
p, logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode q,
logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode conclusion )
```

– **Parameters**

- \* `p` - The root node of a sentence of FOL
- \* `q` - The root node of a sentence of FOL
- \* `conclusion` - The root node of the sentence being justified

– **Exceptions**

- \* `logic.proof.builder.exceptions.ConclusionException` - If conclusion does not follow from using rule on given arguments
- 

• *bottomElimination*

```
public static void bottomElimination( logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode
p, logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode conclusion )
```

– **Parameters**

- \* `premise` - Bottom only
- \* `conclusion` - The root node of the sentence being justified

– **Exceptions**

- \* `logic.proof.builder.exceptions.PremiseException` - If premises are not of the correct form for this rule
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- *compareEqualsElim*

```
public static boolean compareEqualsElim(
    logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode a,
    logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode b,
    logic.proof.builder.parser.Variable subVariable, java.lang.String
    newName )
```

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- *copy*

```
public static boolean copy( logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode p,
    logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode conclusion )
```

- **Parameters**

- \* premise - The root node of a sentence of FOL
- \* conclusion - The root node of the sentence being justified

- **Exceptions**

- \* logic.proof.builder.exceptions.PremiseException - If premises are not of the correct form for this rule
- 

- *doubleNegationElimination*

```
public static SimpleNode doubleNegationElimination(
    logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode p )
```

- **Parameters**

- \* p - The root node of a sentence of FOL starting with two negations

- **Returns** - The premise without the first two negations

- **Exceptions**

- \* logic.proof.builder.exceptions.PremiseException - If premises are not of the correct form for this rule
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- *doubleNegationElimination*

```
public static void doubleNegationElimination(
    logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode p,
    logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode conclusion )
```

- **Parameters**

- \* premise - The root node of a sentence of FOL starting with two negations
- \* conclusion - The root node of the sentence being justified

- **Exceptions**

- \* logic.proof.builder.exceptions.ConclusionException - If conclusion does not follow from using rule on given arguments
  - \* logic.proof.builder.exceptions.PremiseException - If premises are not of the correct form for this rule
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- *doubleNegationIntroduction*

```
public static SimpleNode doubleNegationIntroduction(
    logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode p )
```

- **Parameters**

- \* p - The root node of a sentence of FOL

- **Returns** - the premise with two negations appended to the start



- *doubleNegationIntroduction*

```
public static void doubleNegationIntroduction(
    logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode p,
    logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode conclusion )
```

- Parameters

- \* p - The root node of a sentence of FOL
- \* conclusion - The root node of the sentence being justified, should start with double negation

- Exceptions

- \* logic.proof.builder.exceptions.ConclusionException - If conclusion does not follow from using rule on given arguments
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- *equalsElimination*

```
public static void equalsElimination( logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode
    equals, logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode statement,
    logic.proof.builder.parser.Variable variable,
    logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode conclusion )
```

- Parameters

- \* equals - A sentence of the form  $t1 = t2$
- \* statement - A sentence of FOL, should contain t1
- \* variable - The free variable t1
- \* conclusion - The root node of the sentence being justified

- Exceptions

- \* logic.proof.builder.exceptions.ConclusionException - If conclusion does not follow from using rule on given arguments
  - \* logic.proof.builder.exceptions.PremiseException - If premises are not of the correct form for this rule
- 

- *equalsIntroduction*

```
public static void equalsIntroduction( logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode
    conclusion )
```

- Parameters

- \* conclusion - The root node of the sentence being justified, must have the form  $t = t$

- Exceptions

- \* logic.proof.builder.exceptions.ConclusionException - If conclusion does not follow from using rule on given arguments
- 

- *existsElimination*

```
public static void existsElimination( logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode
    p, java.util.ArrayList subproof, java.lang.String variableName,
    logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode conclusion )
```

- Parameters

- \* p - The root node of a sentence of FOL, should be existentially quantified
- \* subproof - a Subproof starting with a sentence in which the existentially quantified variable of the premise is named and ends in any sentence of FOL
- \* variableName - The name of the variable that is introduced

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– **Exceptions**

- \* `logic.proof.builder.exceptions.PremiseException` - If premises are not of the correct form for this rule
  - \* `logic.proof.builder.exceptions.ConclusionException` - If conclusion does not follow from using rule on given arguments
- 

• *existsIntroduction*

```
public static void existsIntroduction( logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode
p, logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode conclusion )
```

– **Parameters**

- \* `premise` - The root node of a sentence of FOL
- \* `conclusion` - The root node of the sentence being justified, should begin with an existential quantifier

– **Exceptions**

- \* `logic.proof.builder.exceptions.ConclusionException` - If conclusion does not follow from using rule on given arguments
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• *forAllElimination*

```
public static void forAllElimination( logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode
forAll, logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode conclusion )
```

– **Parameters**

- \* `forAll` - The root node of universally quantified sentence of FOL
- \* `conclusion` - The root node of the sentence being justified, should be the unquantified version of the premise

– **Exceptions**

- \* `logic.proof.builder.exceptions.PremiseException` - If premises are not of the correct form for this rule
  - \* `logic.proof.builder.exceptions.ConclusionException` - If conclusion does not follow from using rule on given arguments
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• *forAllIntroduction*

```
public static void forAllIntroduction( logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode
p, logic.proof.builder.parser.Variable variable,
logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode conclusion )
```

– **Parameters**

- \* `p` - The final line of the subproof, should contain the introduced variable
- \* `variable` - The introduced variable
- \* `conclusion` - The universally quantified version of the premise

– **Exceptions**

- \* `logic.proof.builder.exceptions.ConclusionException` - If conclusion does not follow from using rule on given arguments
- 

• *impliesIntroduction*

```
public static SimpleNode impliesIntroduction( java.util.List subproof )
```

– **Parameters**

- \* `subproof` - Any subproof

– **Returns** - an implication where the LHS is the first line of the given subproof and the

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- *impliesIntroduction*

```
public static void impliesIntroduction( java.util.List  subproof,
logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode  conclusion )
```

- **Parameters**

- \* **premise** - The root node of a sentence of FOL
- \* **conclusion** - The root node of the sentence being justified

- **Exceptions**

- \* **logic.proof.builder.exceptions.ConclusionException** - If conclusion does not follow from using rule on given arguments
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- *modusPonens*

```
public static SimpleNode modusPonens(
logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode  p,
logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode  implication )
```

- **Parameters**

- \* **p** - The root node of a sentence of FOL
- \* **implication** - The root node of a material implication sentence. The LHS should be the previous argument.

- **Returns** - the RHS of the implication

- **Exceptions**

- \* **logic.proof.builder.exceptions.PremiseException** - If premises are not of the correct form for this rule
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- *modusPonens*

```
public static void modusPonens( logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode  p,
logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode  implication,
logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode  conclusion )
```

- **Parameters**

- \* **p** - The root node of a sentence of FOL
- \* **implication** - The root node of a material implication sentence. The LHS should be the previous argument.
- \* **conclusion** - The root node of the sentence being justified

- **Exceptions**

- \* **logic.proof.builder.exceptions.ConclusionException** - If conclusion does not follow from using rule on given arguments
  - \* **logic.proof.builder.exceptions.PremiseException** - If premises are not of the correct form for this rule
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- *negationElimination*

```
public static SimpleNode negationElimination(
logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode  p,
logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode  notP )
```

- **Parameters**

- \* **p** - The root node of a sentence of FOL
- \* **notP** - The negation of the previous argument

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– **Exceptions**

- \* `logic.proof.builder.exceptions.PremiseException` - If premises are not of the correct form for this rule
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• *negationElimination*

```
public static void negationElimination(
    logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode p,
    logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode notP,
    logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode conclusion )
```

– **Parameters**

- \* `p` - The root node of a sentence of FOL
- \* `notP` - The negation of the previous argument
- \* `conclusion` - The root node of the sentence being justified, should only be bottom

– **Exceptions**

- \* `logic.proof.builder.exceptions.PremiseException` - If premises are not of the correct form for this rule
  - \* `logic.proof.builder.exceptions.ConclusionException` - If conclusion does not follow from using rule on given arguments
- 

• *negationIntroduction*

```
public static SimpleNode negationIntroduction( java.util.List subproof )
```

– **Parameters**

- \* `subproof` - A list of proofsteps ending with bottom

– **Returns** - the negation of the first line of the subproof

– **Exceptions**

- \* `logic.proof.builder.exceptions.PremiseException` - If premises are not of the correct form for this rule
- 

• *negationIntroduction*

```
public static void negationIntroduction( java.util.List subproof,
    logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode conclusion )
```

– **Parameters**

- \* `premise` - The root node of a sentence of FOL
- \* `conclusion` - The root node of the sentence being justified, should start with a negation

– **Exceptions**

- \* `logic.proof.builder.exceptions.PremiseException` - If premises are not of the correct form for this rule
  - \* `logic.proof.builder.exceptions.ConclusionException` - If conclusion does not follow from using rule on given arguments
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• *orElimination*

```
public static SimpleNode orElimination( java.util.List subproof1,
    java.util.List subproof2, logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode
    disjunction )
```

– **Parameters**

- \* `subproof1` - A list of proofsteps ending with the LHS of the disjunction

- \* **subproof2** - A subproof starting with the RHS of the disjunction and ending with the same sentence as the previous subproof
  - \* **disjunction** - The root node of a disjunction of sentences
  - **Returns** - chi The root node of the sentence that both subproofs end with
  - **Exceptions**
    - \* `logic.proof.builder.exceptions.PremiseException` - If premises are not of the correct form for this rule
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- *orElimination*

```
public static void orElimination( java.util.List  subproof1, java.util.List
subproof2, logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode  disjunction,
logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode  conclusion )
```

- **Parameters**

- \* **subproof1** - A list of
- \* **subproof2** - The root node of the sentence being justified
- \* **disjunction** - The root node of a disjunction of sentences
- \* **conclusion** - The root node of the sentence being justified

- **Exceptions**

- \* `logic.proof.builder.exceptions.ConclusionException` - If conclusion does not follow from using rule on given arguments
  - \* `logic.proof.builder.exceptions.PremiseException` - If premises are not of the correct form for this rule
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- *orIntroduction1*

```
public static void orIntroduction1( logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode
premise, logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode  conclusion )
```

- **Parameters**

- \* **premise** - The root node of a sentence of FOL
- \* **conclusion** - The root node of the sentence being justified, must be a disjunctive sentence

- **Exceptions**

- \* `logic.proof.builder.exceptions.ConclusionException` - If conclusion does not follow from using rule on given arguments
  - \* `logic.proof.builder.exceptions.PremiseException` - If premises are not of the correct form for this rule
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- *orIntroduction2*

```
public static void orIntroduction2( logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode
premise, logic.proof.builder.parser.SimpleNode  conclusion )
```

- **Parameters**

- \* **premise** - The root node of a sentence of FOL
- \* **conclusion** - The root node of the sentence being justified, must be a disjunctive sentence

- **Exceptions**

- \* `logic.proof.builder.exceptions.ConclusionException` - If conclusion does not follow from using rule on given arguments
- \* `logic.proof.builder.exceptions.PremiseException` - If premises are not of the correct form for this rule