Bachelor's thesis - proposal talk: Organizing a Library of Higher Order Problems

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# Recap

The story so far...



# Our problem

- The context: Proofs in Jitpro
- Goal: Reusing existing "theories" and proven claims
- Problem: Combining different small theories to bigger, more powerful theories

```
• Example:
sort I; // set elements
var x: I;
var S, T: I B; // subsets
term union = 'S T x.S x | T x; // definition of union
sort V; // vertices
var v1, v2, v8: V;
const E: V V B; // edges
axiom !v1 v2. (E v1 v2) -> (E v2 v1); // undirected graph
claim !v1, v2, v3. (E v1 v3) ->
(union (E v1) (E v2)) v3
```

# Signatures





#### Presentations / Problems / Provability



# Closure / Theory



# Morphisms (idea)



# A closer look at morphisms

"Truth is invariant under change of notation"



# Signature morphisms



## Signature morphisms ctd

- Let  $\Sigma_1$ ,  $\Sigma_2$  and  $\varphi = (\mu, \nu)$  be given
- Recursively define  $\mu^{\bullet}$  on types using  $\mu$
- Recursively define  $\nu^{\bullet}$  on terms using  $\mu^{\bullet}$  and  $\nu$



•  $\phi$  is a *signature morphism* from  $\Sigma_1$  and  $\Sigma_2$ 

#### Theory morphisms

• Let  $P_1 = (\Sigma_1, \delta_1, K_1, \kappa_1)$ ,  $P_2 = (\Sigma_2, \delta_2, K_2, \kappa_2)$  and  $\varphi: \Sigma_1 \rightarrow \Sigma_2$  be given



•  $\phi$  is a *theory morphism* iff  $\phi(P_1^{\bullet}) \subseteq P_2^{\bullet}$  (preservation of provability)

#### Theory morphisms ctd

- Let  $P_1 = (\Sigma_1, \delta_1, K_1, \kappa_1)$ ,  $P_2 = (\Sigma_2, \delta_2, K_2, \kappa_2)$  and  $\varphi: \Sigma_1 \rightarrow \Sigma_2$  be given
- Problem: If we want to show that φ is a theory morphism, i.e. that we can reuse existing proofs, we first have to reprove everything which can be quite a lot of work.
- Fortunately: **Presentation Lemma**: If  $\phi(\kappa_1(k)) \in P_2^{\bullet}$  for all  $k \in K_1$  and  $(\phi(d) = \phi(\delta_1(d))) \in P_2^{\bullet}$  for all  $d \in Dom(\delta)$  then  $\phi$  is a theory morphism.
  - Proof: In my Bachelor's thesis ;-)
- => It is enough to check all knowns and definitions (which <u>can</u> be trivial as we will later see)

# Status of the implementation



# Morphisms in Jitpro

• Unfortunately, using only some implementation of pure morphisms is not very useful in practice:



- Assume, we want to reuse sort I in Presentation 2. Using morphisms, this would work as follows:
  - Define a sort I in Presentation 2
  - Map sort I of Presentation 1 to sort I of Presentation 2
- Quite useless, similar with constants, definitions...

# Morphisms in Jitpro ctd

- We need a possibility to define a presentation and morph another presentation at the same time, so called *imports*
- Imports are more powerful practical counterparts to the theory of morphisms

```
Presentation 1
sort I
term union = \C, D:I B.\x:I.(C x) | (D x)
```

```
Presentation 2
import "Presentation 1"
end
sort M
...
```

• Implicitly defines sort I and definition union and applies identity morphism

#### More complex import

```
Presentation 1
```

```
sort I
term union = \C, D:I B.\x:I.(C x) | (D x)
```

```
Presentation 2
```

#### How imports work



#### Preservation of provability

- What about the obligations for a theory morphisms?
  - Morphed knowns must be provable
  - Morphed constant = morphed definition must be provable
- When using rename for knowns or definitions, these proofs become trivial
- Otherwise: The corresponding obligation becomes a claim in the new presentation and has to be proven by the user
- **Default import mode is** rename

# **Questions?**

Thank you for your attention and enjoy your weekend!