

# iterating clock[x]

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In[1]:= SetDirectory["1:"]; << goedel83.20a; << tools.m

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weightlimit = 40
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## summary

A formula for `iterate[clock[x], set[0]]` is derived for the case that `x` is a nonzero natural number.

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## a generic way to remove succ[nat[x]]

When deriving results about natural numbers it is often convenient to use the `nat` wrapper, defined by

```
In[2]:= intersection[x, image[V, intersection[omega, set[x]]]]
Out[2]= nat[x]
```

The set `nat[x]` is equal to `x` itself when `x` is a natural number, and is `0` otherwise. Since the empty set is a natural number, it follows that `nat[x]` is a natural number for all `x`. One can think of `nat[x]` as a generic natural number. By using `nat` wrappers one can omit numberhood literals, yielding compact formulations of theorems and rewrite rules. It is also easy to go back, eliminating the `nat` wrappers in favor of literals when one desires to do so. To do so, one uses this fact:

```
In[3]:= equal[x, nat[x]]
Out[3]= member[x, omega]
```

When working with `clock[x]`, one often encounters statements of the following form, in which `nat` is combined with `succ`.

```
In[4]:= prop[succ[nat[x_]]] := True
```

In this section it is shown in a generic manner how to eliminate both `succ` and `nat` at the same time, replacing them with two literals. The first step is to use `SubstTest`, replacing the natural number `nat[x]` with its predecessor:

```
In[5]:= SubstTest[prop, succ[nat[y]], y → U[nat[x]]]
```

```
Out[5]= prop[union[nat[x], set[0]]] = True
```

```
In[6]:= prop[union[nat[x_], set[0]]] := True
```

The next step uses **SubstTest** and equality substitution to eliminate the **union**:

```
In[7]:= SubstTest[implies, equal[y, union[nat[x], set[0]]], prop[y], y → nat[x]]
```

```
Out[7]= or[equal[0, nat[x]], prop[nat[x]]] = True
```

```
In[8]:= or[equal[0, nat[x_]], prop[nat[x_]]] := True
```

The final step is just the standard method for removing **nat** wrappers, which again uses **SubstTest** and equality substitution.

```
In[9]:= SubstTest[implies, equal[x, nat[y]], or[equal[0, x], prop[x]], y → x]
```

```
Out[9]= or[equal[0, x], not[member[x, omega]], prop[x]] = True
```

```
In[10]:= or[equal[0, x_], not[member[x_, omega]], prop[x_]] := True
```

The next section provides an example of this technique.

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## iterating clock

In this section, a formula for **iterate[clock[x], set[0]]** is derived. The main tool is the uniqueness theorem for **iterate**, which states:

```
In[11]:= implies[and[equal[composite[u, w], composite[w, SUCC]],
                    equal[image[w, set[0]], v]],
                equal[composite[w, id[omega]], iterate[u, v]]]
```

```
Out[11]= True
```

Lemma 1.

```
In[12]:= SubstTest[composite, modulo[x], plus[y], modulo[x], y → set[0]]
```

```
Out[12]= composite[modulo[x], SUCC, modulo[x]] = composite[modulo[x], SUCC]
```

```
In[13]:= composite[modulo[x_], SUCC, modulo[x_]] := composite[modulo[x], SUCC]
```

Lemma 2.

```
In[14]:= Map[equal[#, composite[clock[succ[nat[x]]], modulo[succ[nat[x]]]]] &,
             Assoc[composite[modulo[succ[nat[x]]], SUCC], id[succ[nat[x]]], modulo[succ[nat[x]]]]]
```

```
Out[14]= equal[composite[clock[succ[nat[x]]], modulo[succ[nat[x]]]],
               composite[modulo[succ[nat[x]]], SUCC]] = True
```

```
In[15]:= (% /. x → x_) /. Equal → SetDelayed
```

The uniqueness theorem for **iterate** now yields this proposition, which involves **succ[nat[x]]**.

```
In[16]:= SubstTest[implies,
  and[equal[composite[u, w], composite[w, SUCC]], equal[image[w, set[0]], v]],
  equal[composite[w, id[omega]], iterate[u, v]],
  {u -> clock[succ[nat[x]]], v -> set[0], w -> modulo[succ[nat[x]]]}]
```

```
Out[16]= equal[iterate[clock[succ[nat[x]]], set[0]], modulo[succ[nat[x]]]] == True
```

```
In[17]:= iterate[clock[succ[nat[x_]]], set[0]] := modulo[succ[nat[x]]]
```

The method of the preceding section is now used to get rid of **succ[nat[x]]**. This is the first step:

```
In[18]:= Map[equal[#, modulo[union[nat[x], set[0]]]] &,
  SubstTest[iterate, clock[succ[nat[x]]], set[0], x -> U[nat[x]]]]
```

```
Out[18]= equal[iterate[clock[union[nat[x], set[0]]], set[0]],
  modulo[union[nat[x], set[0]]]] == True
```

```
In[19]:= (% /. x -> x_) /. Equal -> SetDelayed
```

Second step.

```
In[20]:= SubstTest[implies, equal[y, union[nat[x], set[0]]],
  equal[iterate[clock[y], set[0]], modulo[y]], y -> nat[x]]
```

```
Out[20]= or[equal[0, nat[x]], equal[iterate[clock[nat[x]], set[0]], modulo[nat[x]]]] == True
```

```
In[21]:= (% /. x -> x_) /. Equal -> SetDelayed
```

Third step.

```
In[22]:= SubstTest[implies, equal[y, nat[x]],
  or[equal[0, y], equal[iterate[clock[y], set[0]], modulo[y]]], y -> x]
```

```
Out[22]= or[equal[0, x],
  equal[iterate[clock[x], set[0]], modulo[x]], not[member[x, omega]]] == True
```

```
In[23]:= or[equal[0, x],
  equal[iterate[clock[x], set[0]], modulo[x]], not[member[x, omega]]] := True
```

This theorem states that **iterate[clock[x],set[0]]** is equal to **modulo[x]** when **x** is a nonzero natural number.

## a corollary about clock-invariant sets

When **f** is a function, and **s** is a set, the range of **iterate[f, set[s]]** is the smallest set which is invariant under **f** and holds **s**. Applying this theorem to the **iterate** formula derived in the preceding section, one finds:

```
In[24]:= SubstTest[range, iterate[funpart[w], set[0]], w -> clock[succ[nat[x]]]] // Reverse
```

```
Out[24]= hull[invar[clock[succ[nat[x]]]], set[0]] == succ[nat[x]]
```

```
In[25]:= hull[invar[clock[succ[nat[x_]]]], set[0]] := succ[nat[x]]
```

Once again one can obtain a wrapper-free formulation using three applications of **SubstTest**. The first step:

```
In[26]:= Map[equal[#, union[nat[x], set[0]]] &,
             SubstTest[hull, invar[clock[succ[nat[y]]]], set[0], y → U[nat[x]]]]
```

```
Out[26]= equal[hull[invar[clock[union[nat[x], set[0]]]], set[0]], union[nat[x], set[0]]] == True
```

```
In[27]:= (% /. x → x_) /. Equal → SetDelayed
```

Step 2:

```
In[28]:= SubstTest[implies, equal[y, union[nat[x], set[0]]],
                equal[hull[invar[clock[y]], set[0]], y], y → nat[x]]
```

```
Out[28]= or[equal[0, nat[x]], equal[hull[invar[clock[nat[x]]], set[0]], nat[x]]] == True
```

```
In[29]:= (% /. x → x_) /. Equal → SetDelayed
```

Step 3.

```
In[30]:= SubstTest[implies, equal[x, nat[y]],
                or[equal[0, x], equal[hull[invar[clock[x]], set[0]], x]], y → x]
```

```
Out[30]= or[equal[0, x], equal[x, hull[invar[clock[x]], set[0]]], not[member[x, omega]]] == True
```

```
In[31]:= or[equal[0, x_],
            equal[x, hull[invar[clock[x_]], set[0]]], not[member[x_, omega]]] := True
```

This theorem says that if  $x$  is any nonzero natural number, then  $x$  is the smallest **clock[x]**-invariant set that holds  $0$ .