

## selective information

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```
In[1]:= << goedel52.t17; << tools.m

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It is now: 2003 Nov 17 at 9:31

Loading Simplification Rules

TOOLS.M                          Revised 2003 November 15

weightlimit = 40
```

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## summary

*Mathematica* has a built-in method for obtaining information about its rewrite rules. For example:

```
In[2]:= ?? Information

Information[symbol] prints information about a symbol. More...

Attributes[Information] = {HoldAll, Protected, ReadProtected}

Options[Information] = {LongForm -> True}
```

The number of rewrite rules differs greatly for various constructors:

```
In[3]:= Map[#, Length[DownValues[#]]] &,
         Union[UnaryFuncutors, BinaryFuncutors, {and, or, not, forall, exists}]

Out[3]= {{A, 77}, {Aclosure, 50}, {ADJOIN, 5}, {and, 81}, {APPLY, 35}, {binclosed, 12}, {card, 6},
         {cart, 15}, {cliques, 30}, {complement, 49}, {composite, 2502}, {CORE, 28},
         {cross, 24}, {dif, 1}, {domain, 168}, {exists, 3}, {first, 6}, {fix, 550}, {flip, 1},
         {forall, 1}, {funpart, 42}, {GLB, 14}, {GREATEST, 24}, {H, 8}, {HULL, 30},
         {id, 6}, {image, 954}, {IMAGE, 44}, {intadd, 5}, {intersection, 865}, {invar, 34},
         {inverse, 39}, {iterate, 34}, {LB, 37}, {LEAST, 24}, {LEFT, 4}, {LUB, 13}, {map, 3},
         {MAXIMAL, 12}, {MINIMAL, 11}, {natadd, 7}, {natmul, 8}, {natsub, 14}, {not, 5},
         {or, 635}, {P, 10}, {PAIR, 2}, {pairset, 4}, {plus, 5}, {power, 13}, {range, 131},
         {rank, 11}, {RC, 4}, {RIGHT, 4}, {rotate, 97}, {second, 6}, {singleton, 46},
         {subcommutant, 6}, {subvar, 42}, {succ, 3}, {syndif, 1}, {tc, 10}, {thinpart, 1},
         {trv, 30}, {twist, 44}, {U, 156}, {UB, 38}, {Uclosure, 56}, {union, 241}, {VERTSECT, 62}}
```

When seeking information about rewrite rules in the **GOEDEL** program, it is advisable to first switch to the **Goedel'Private'** context.

```
In[4]:= Begin["Goedel'Private'"]

Out[4]= Goedel'Private'
```

If there are not many rewrite rules, one can quickly obtain information using *Mathematica's* builtin **Information[ ]** or **??**.

```
In[5]:= ?? ADJOIN
```

```
ADJOIN[x] is the function that takes y to union[x,y].

ADJOIN[0] := Id

ADJOIN[V] := 0

ADJOIN[complement[image[V, x_]]] := id[image[V, x]]

ADJOIN[image[V, x_]] := id[complement[image[V, x]]]

ADJOIN[x_] := 0 /; not[member[x, V]]
```

Since there are many rules for some constructors, such as **composite**, it helps to select those matching a given pattern. The **tools.m** file contains a tool for this.

```
In[6]:= ?? InfoMatch
```

```
Goedel`InfoMatch

InfoMatch[x_] := TableForm[Module[{xstr = HoldPattern[<> ToString[Head[x]], xpatt = List@@x],
  (StringReplace[ToString[#1], {HoldPattern[>, ] :> > :=}] &) /@
  Select[DownValues[Evaluate[Head[x]]], MatchQ[ToExpression[StringReplace[
    ToString[First[#1]], xstr -> HoldPattern[List]] /. HoldPattern -> Identity, xpatt] &]]]
```

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## examples

In this section some examples are presented to illustrate the usage of **InfoMatch**.

```
In[7]:= InfoMatch[Uclosure[image[inverse[x_], y_]]]
```

```
Out[7]//TableForm=
Uclosure[image[inverse[DORA], S]] := image[inverse[DORA], S]
Uclosure[image[inverse[DORA], inverse[S]]] := image[inverse[DORA], inverse[S]]
Uclosure[image[inverse[S], x_]] := P[U[x]]
```

```
In[8]:= InfoMatch[class[pair[u_, v_], w_]]
```

```
Out[8]//TableForm=
class[pair[u_, v_], True] := cart[class[u, True], class[v, True]]
class[pair[u_, v_], member[u_, v_]] := E /; AtomQ[u] && AtomQ[v]
class[pair[u_, v_], p_] := cart[class[u, p], class[v, True]] /; allfreeQ[p, v]
class[pair[u_, v_], p_] := cart[class[u, True], class[v, p]] /; allfreeQ[p, u]
class[pair[u_, v_], member[v_, u_]] := inverse[E] /; AtomQ[u] && AtomQ[v]
class[pair[pair[u_, v_], w_], p_] := composite[class[pair[v, w], p], SECOND, id[cart[c
class[pair[pair[u_, v_], w_], p_] := composite[class[pair[u, w], p], FIRST, id[cart[V,
class[pair[w_, pair[u_, v_]], p_] := composite[id[cart[class[u, True], V]], inverse[SE
class[pair[w_, pair[u_, v_]], p_] := composite[id[cart[V, class[v, True]]], inverse[FI
class[pair[u_, v_], equal[u_, v_]] := Id /; AtomQ[u] && AtomQ[v]
class[pair[u_, v_], equal[pair[V, u_], v_]] := LeftPairV
class[pair[u_, v_], equal[pair[u_, V], v_]] := RightPairV
class[pair[u_, v_], equal[pair[V, v_], u_]] := inverse[LeftPairV]
class[pair[u_, v_], equal[pair[v_, V], u_]] := inverse[RightPairV]
```

## warnings

Warning: Careless application of **InfoMatch** sometimes does not produce what one might have expected. The pattern specified is evaluated before being used. For example, note that **equal** and **not** are switched due to preprocessing in the following:

```
In[9]:= InfoMatch[and[not[x_], equal[y__]]]

Out[9]//TableForm=
  and[equal[0, x_], not[member[x_, V]]] := False
  and[equal[0, second[x_]], not[member[first[x_], V]]] := False
  and[equal[x_, y_], not[subclass[x_, y_]]] := False
```

If the specified pattern exactly matches a rewrite rule, that rewrite rule will change the pattern, and one may obtain no information. For example:

```
In[10]:= InfoMatch[Uclosure[image[inverse[S], x_]]]

Out[10]//TableForm=
```

One can get around this problem by placing **HoldPattern** in the body of the expression.

```
In[11]:= InfoMatch[Uclosure[HoldPattern[image[inverse[S], x_]]]]

Out[11]//TableForm=
  Uclosure[image[inverse[S], x_]] := P[U[x]]
```

This is especially useful when one wants to see wrapped membership rules, such as the following one for **DUP**.

```
In[12]:= InfoMatch[class[w_, HoldPattern[member[x_, DUP]]]]

Out[12]//TableForm=
  class[z_, member[w_, DUP]] := Module[{u = Unique[]}, class[z, exists[u, equal[pair[u, :
```

## the effect of Blank

```
In[13]:= ?? Blank

_ or Blank[ ] is a pattern object that can stand for any Mathematica
expression. _h or Blank[h] can stand for any expression with head h. More...

Attributes[Blank] = {Protected}
```

The presence of **AtomQ** in some of the **class** rules is affected by **Blank**. Compare for example:

```
In[14]:= class[pair[x, y], member[u, v]]

Out[14]= cart[V, image[V, intersection[v, singleton[u]]]]

In[15]:= class[pair[x_, y_], member[u_, v_]]

Out[15]= class[pair[x_, y_], member[u_, v_]]
```

```
In[16]:= ?? BlankSequence
```

```
__ (two _ characters) or BlankSequence[ ] is a pattern object that can stand for
any sequence of one or more Mathematica expressions. __h or BlankSequence[h] can
stand for any sequence of one or more expressions, all of which have head h. More...

Attributes[BlankSequence] = {Protected}
```

The use of **BlankSequence** may not work as expected for certain constructors due to preprocessing. For example:

```
In[17]:= InfoMatch[natadd[x_]]
```

```
Out[17]//TableForm=
```

The cure here is to write at least one variable explicitly:

```
In[18]:= InfoMatch[natadd[x_, y_]]
```

```
Out[18]//TableForm=
```

```
natadd[0, x_] := union[x, complement[image[V, intersection[omega, singleton[x]]]]]
natadd[natsub[y_, z_], x_] := union[image[V, intersection[z, complement[y]]], natsub[n
natadd[x_, singleton[0]] := union[complement[image[V, intersection[omega, singleton[x]
natadd[x_, succ[y_]] := succ[natadd[x, y]]
natadd[x_, union[complement[image[V, z_], y_]] := union[complement[image[V, z]], n
natadd[x_, union[image[V, z_], y_]] := union[image[V, z], natadd[x, y]]
```

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## be patient!

If there are many rewrite rules for a constructor, the information may take some time to be produced, so one must be patient. For example:

```
In[19]:= InfoMatch[composite[IMAGE[BIGCUP], x_]]
```

```
Out[19]//TableForm=
```

```
composite[IMAGE[BIGCUP], id[P[range[SINGLETON]]]] := inverse[IMAGE[SINGLETON]]
composite[IMAGE[BIGCUP], IMAGE[CUP]] := composite[IMAGE[CUP], IMAGE[cross[BIGCUP, BIGC
composite[IMAGE[BIGCUP], IMAGE[inverse[BIGCUP]]] := Id
composite[IMAGE[BIGCUP], IMAGE[POWER]] := Id
composite[IMAGE[BIGCUP], IMAGE[SINGLETON]] := Id
composite[IMAGE[BIGCUP], POWER] := UCLOSURE
composite[IMAGE[BIGCUP], UCLOSURE] := composite[UCLOSURE, IMAGE[BIGCUP]]
```