

Remote talk - Dependent Type Theory from the Perspective of Mathematics, Physics, and Artificial Intelligence (T: 50mn + Q: 10mn)

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Dependent type theory imposes a type system on Zermelo-Fraenkel set theory (ZFC). From a mathematics and physics perspective dependent type theory naturally generalizes the Bourbaki notion of structure and provides a universal notion of isomorphism and symmetry. This comes with a universal substitution theorem – isomorphic objects are inter-substitutable in well-typed contexts (Hofmann and Streicher 1995). From an AI perspective, or automated reasoning perspective, dependent type theory underlies the LEAN interactive verifier which is currently the go-to system for formal verification of mathematics. This talk will review dependent type theory as a discipline on set theory (the set model of type theory) and discuss approaches to improving automated reasoning based on SMT (SAT Modulo a theory) technology. This results in a class of inference algorithms under the name SAT modulo type theory or SMTT. Speculations on the relationship between SMTT and deep learning will be discussed briefly.

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Classification de Session: Afternoon chair: Organizer