



NICTA Advanced Course

**Theorem Proving**  
**Principles, Techniques, Applications**

**locales**

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# CONTENT

- Intro & motivation, getting started with Isabelle
- Foundations & Principles
  - Lambda Calculus
  - Higher Order Logic, natural deduction
  - Term rewriting
- **Proof & Specification Techniques**
  - Inductively defined sets, rule induction
  - Datatypes, recursion, induction
  - More recursion, Computational reasoning
  - Hoare logic, proofs about programs
  - **Locales, Presentation**

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## LAST TIME

- Syntax and semantics of IMP
- Hoare logic rules
- Soundness of Hoare logic
- Verification conditions
- Example program proofs

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`isatool mkdir` create session directory  
`make/makeall` run make for directory/all logics  
`usedir` batch session  
(documents, HTML, session graph)  
`document/latex` run  $\text{\LaTeX}$  for generated sources

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# DEMO: EXAMPLE



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in document/root.tex:

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**DEMO**

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- Locale Expressions + Inheritance
- Locale Instantiation
- Generating  $\text{\LaTeX}$
- Writing a thesis/paper in Isabelle

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