

Strength of Weak Type Theory – Dutch Categories and Types Seminar

Effective conservativity of  
**extensional type theory**  
over  
**weak type theory**

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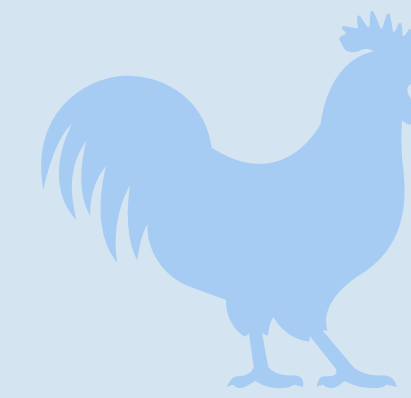
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Equality reflection

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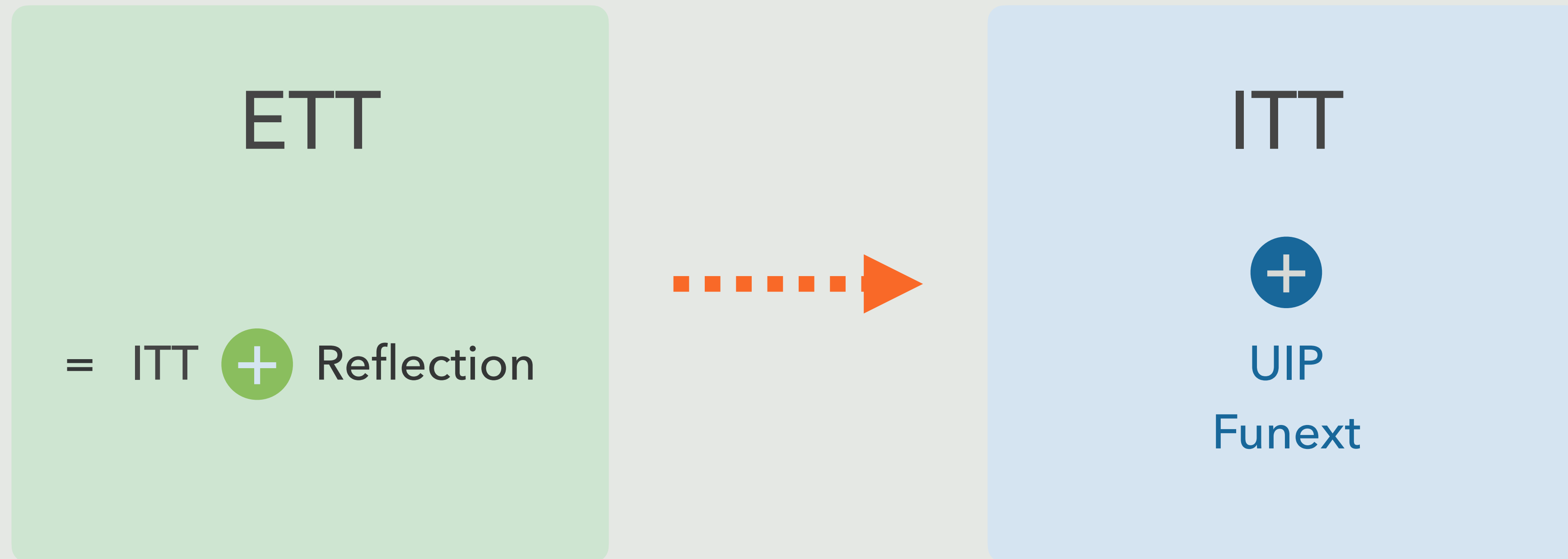
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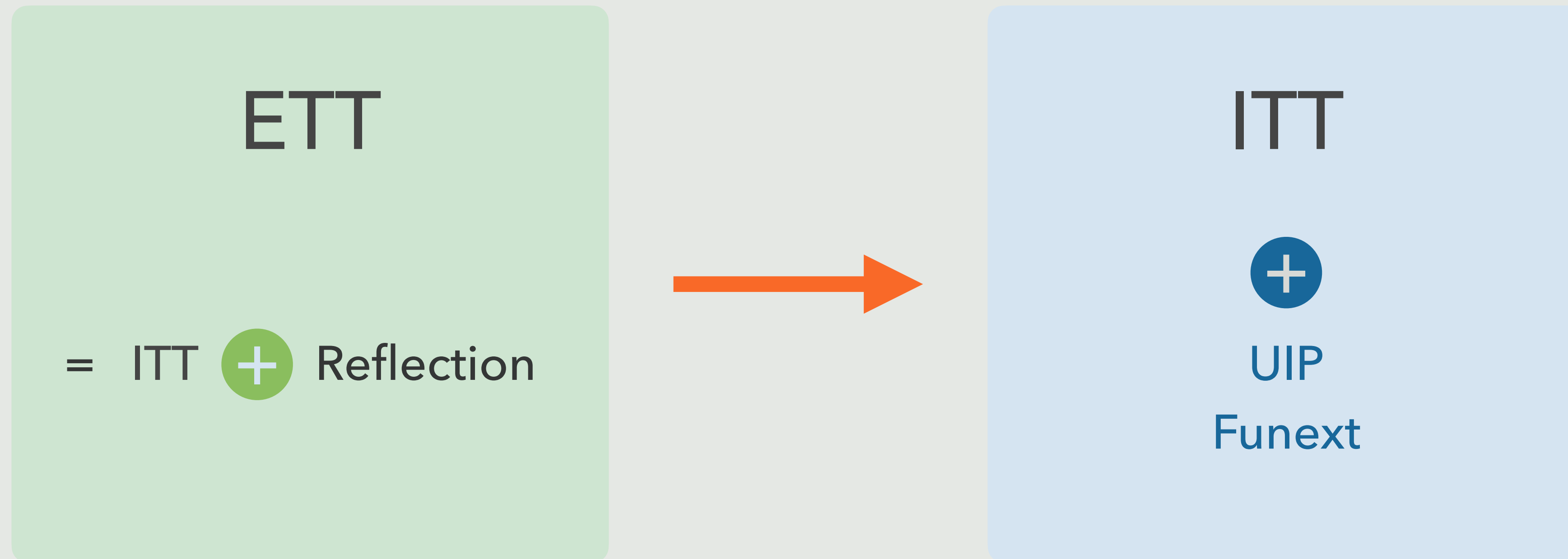
Martin Hofmann (1995): ETT is conservative over ITT (categorically)



Nicolas Oury (2005): conservative translation (on paper)



ITT + congruence of application for heterogenous equality

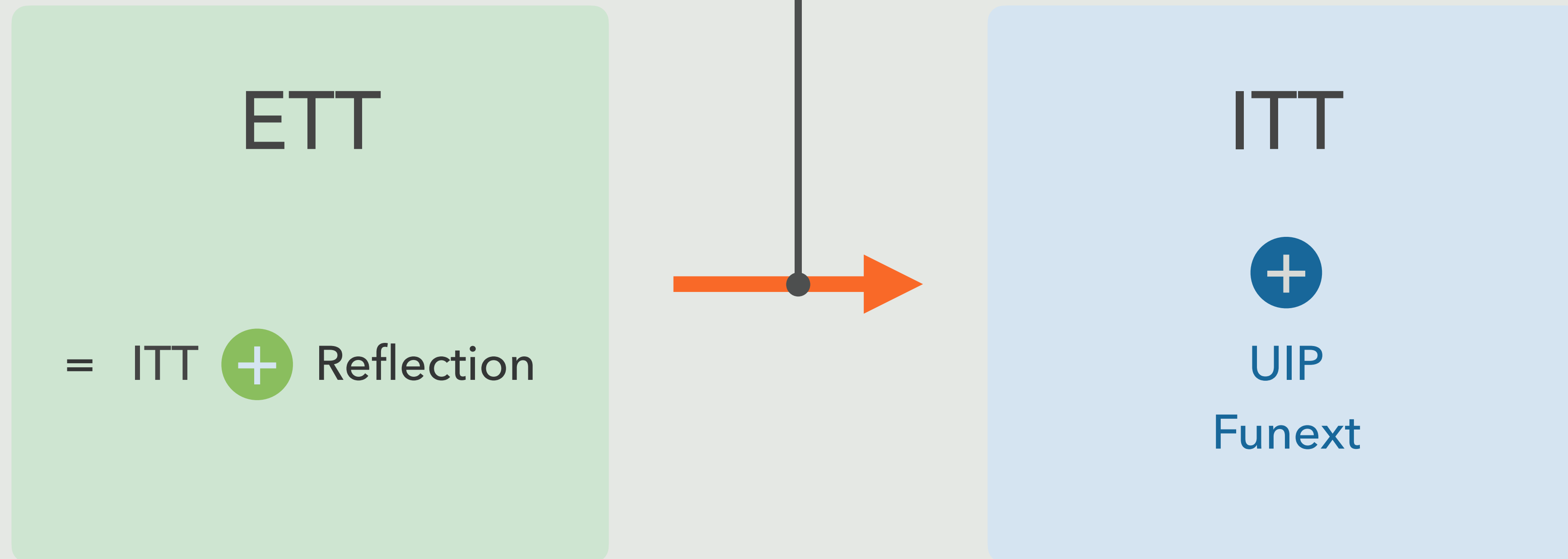


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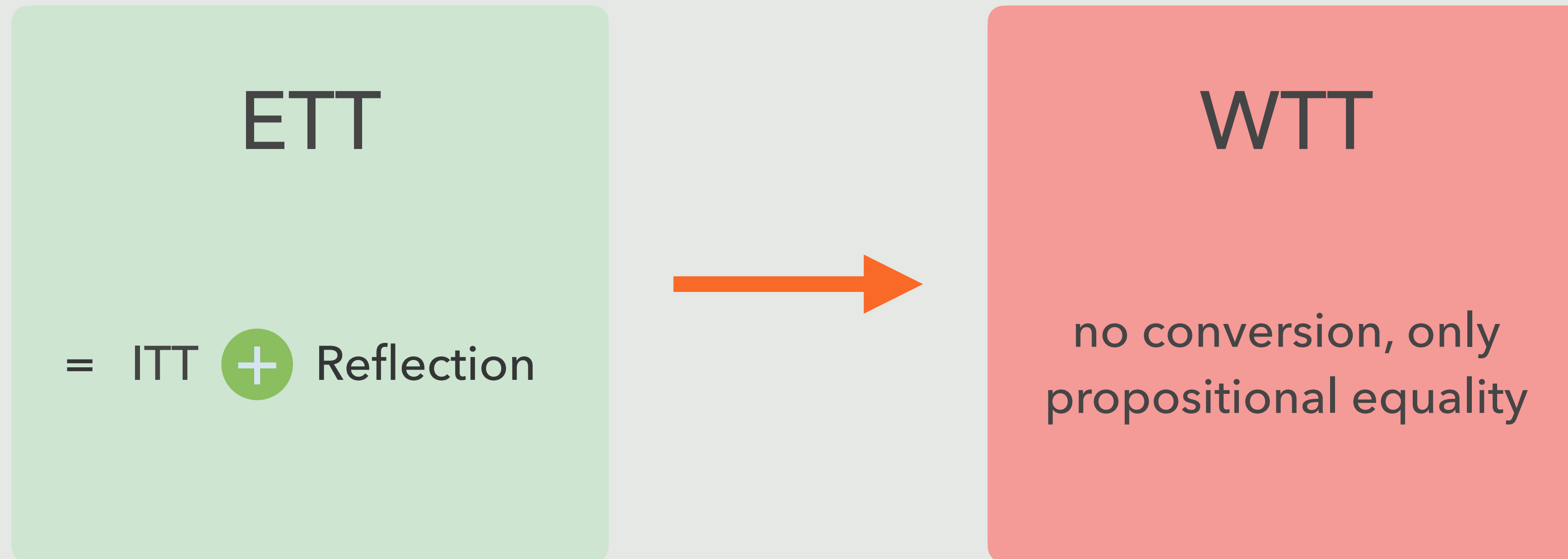
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we need to relate two translations of the same object (at possibly two different types)



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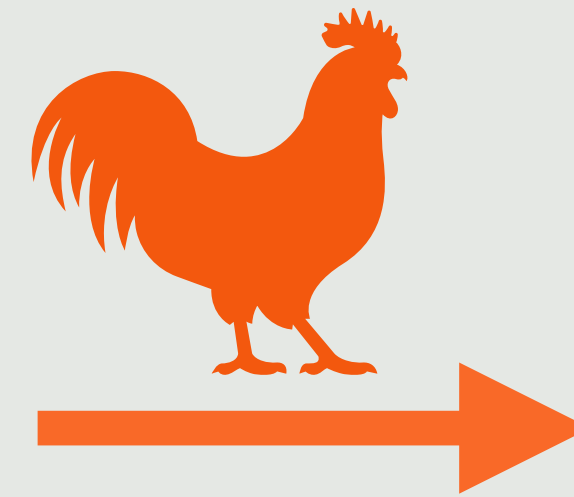
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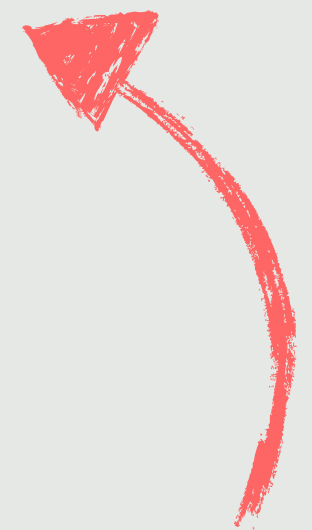
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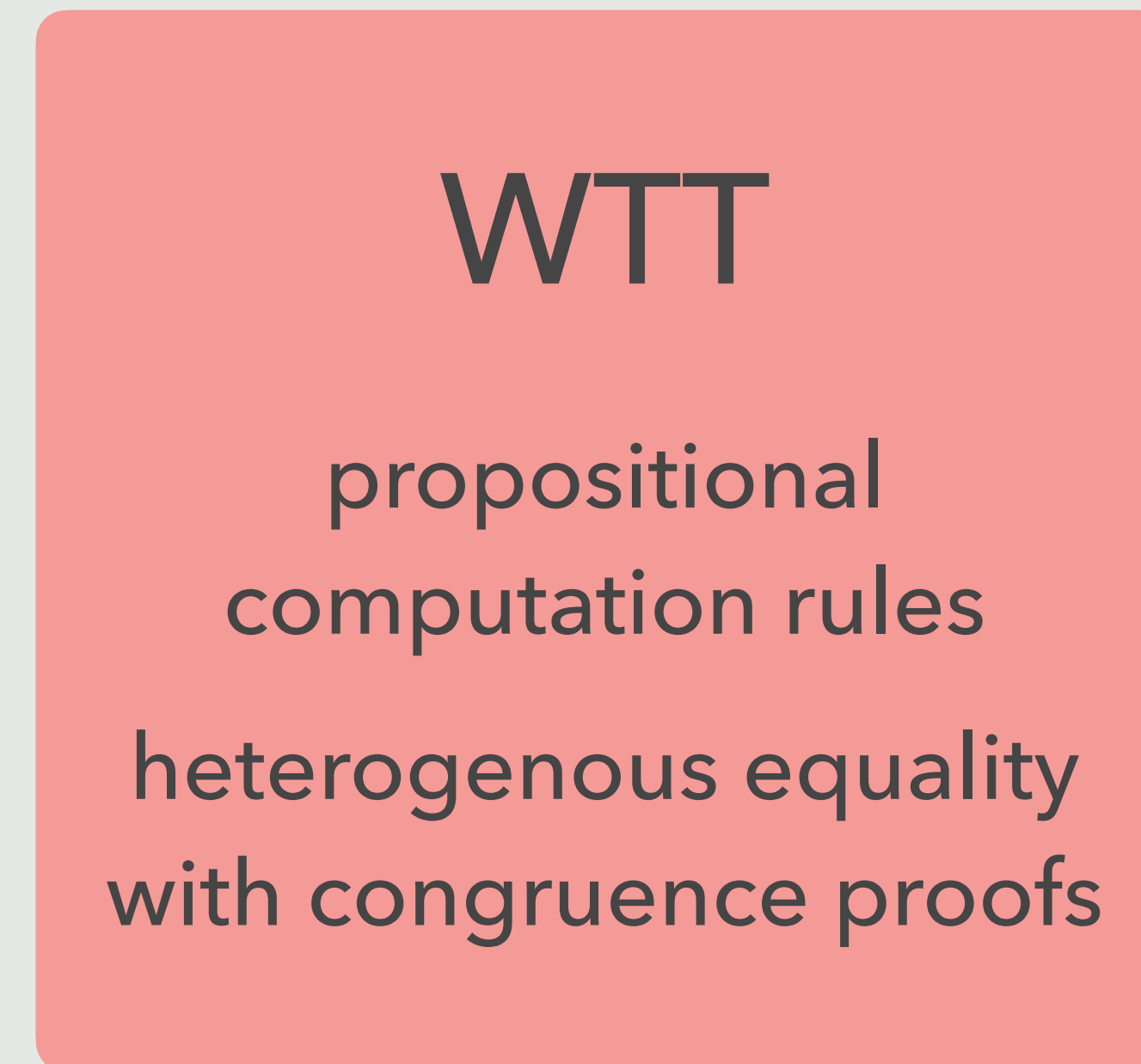
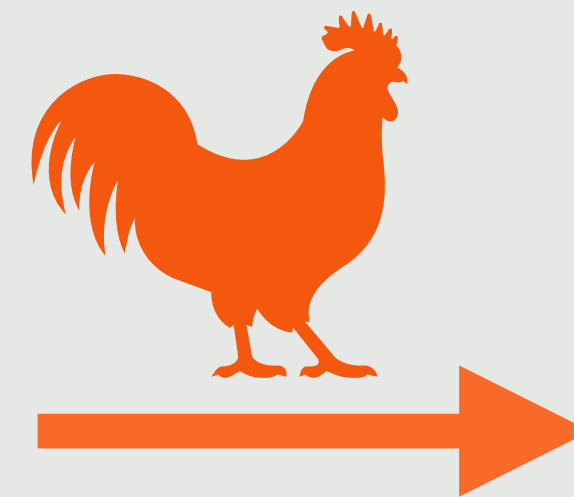
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to abstract over  $B_1'$  and  $B_2'$  we need extensionality of  $\Pi$ !

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→ annotations were useful for the proof, now we can drop them!

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# Congruence and binders

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# Congruence and binders

we can now use  $\mathcal{J}$  on  $\boxed{\Gamma \vdash_w \rho A : A_1 = A_2}$  abstracting the rest

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# Congruence and binders

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# Congruence and binders

from this and computation equalities for sums we prove  $\prod (x : A). B_1' x = B_2' x$

$$\Gamma \vdash_w \text{pB}' : \prod (x : \text{Pack } A \ A). B_1' x.1 = B_2' x.2.1$$

$$\Gamma \vdash_w \text{pu} : u_1 \ \prod(x:A).B_1' x = \prod(x:A).B_2' x \ u_2$$

$$\Gamma \vdash_w \text{pv} : v_1 \ A=A \ v_2$$

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$$\text{Pack } A_1 \ A_2 := \sum (x_1 : A_1) (x_2 : A_2). x_1 \ A_1=A_2 \ x_2$$

$$a \ A=B \ b := \sum (e : A = B). \text{transp}(e, a) = b$$

# Congruence and binders

from this and computation equalities for sums, and funext we prove  $B_1' = B_2'$

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$$\Gamma \vdash_w \text{pv} : v_1 \ A = A \ v_2$$

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# Congruence and binders

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$$\Gamma \vdash_w pv : v_1 \quad A = A \quad v_2$$

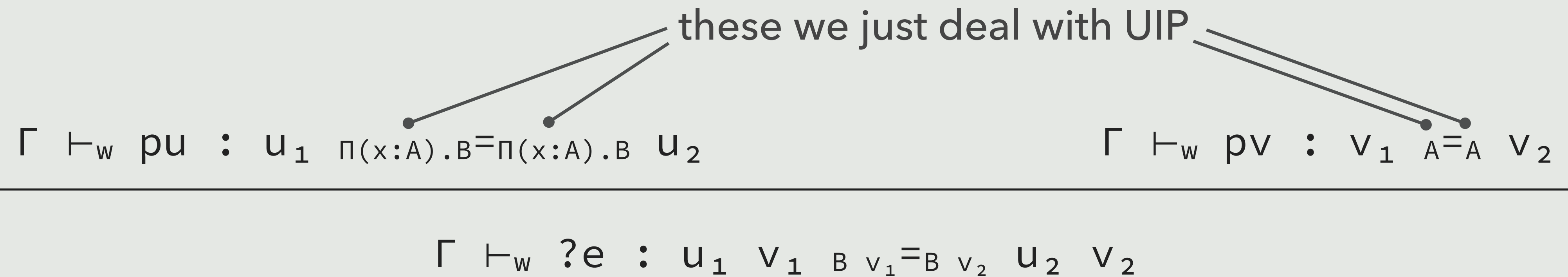
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$$\Gamma \vdash_w ?e : u_1 \quad v_1 \quad B \quad v_1 =_B v_2 \quad u_2 \quad v_2$$

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# Congruence and binders



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# Congruence and binders

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# Congruence and binders

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$$\Gamma \vdash_w ?p : \text{transp}(\text{refl}, u \ v) = u \ v$$

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# Congruence and binders

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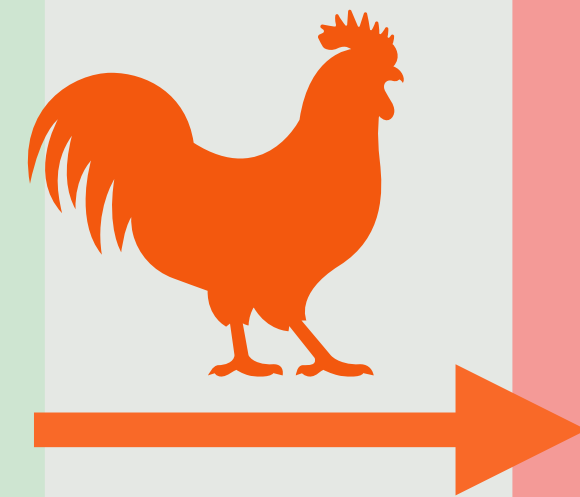
$$\Gamma \vdash_w \text{transp\_comp} : \text{transp}(\text{refl}, u \ v) = u \ v$$

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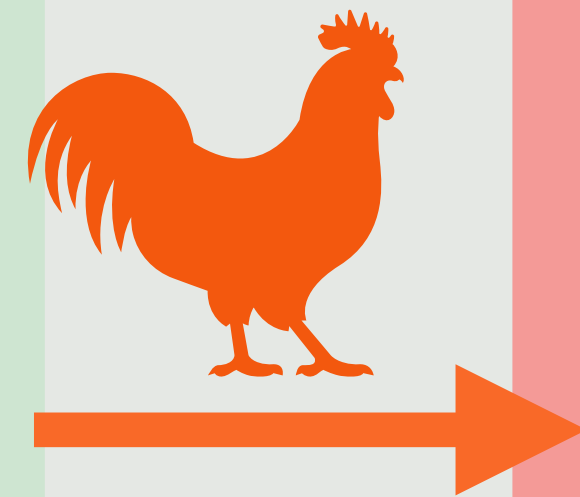
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binder extensionality

Probably have all the tools (sound and complete checker)  
but still very tedious to formalise!

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# Perspectives

## Proof certificates

de Bruijn: A Plea for Weaker Frameworks

Problem: proof terms are too big  
which brings us back to WTT design

## Local computation

Example: parallel plus

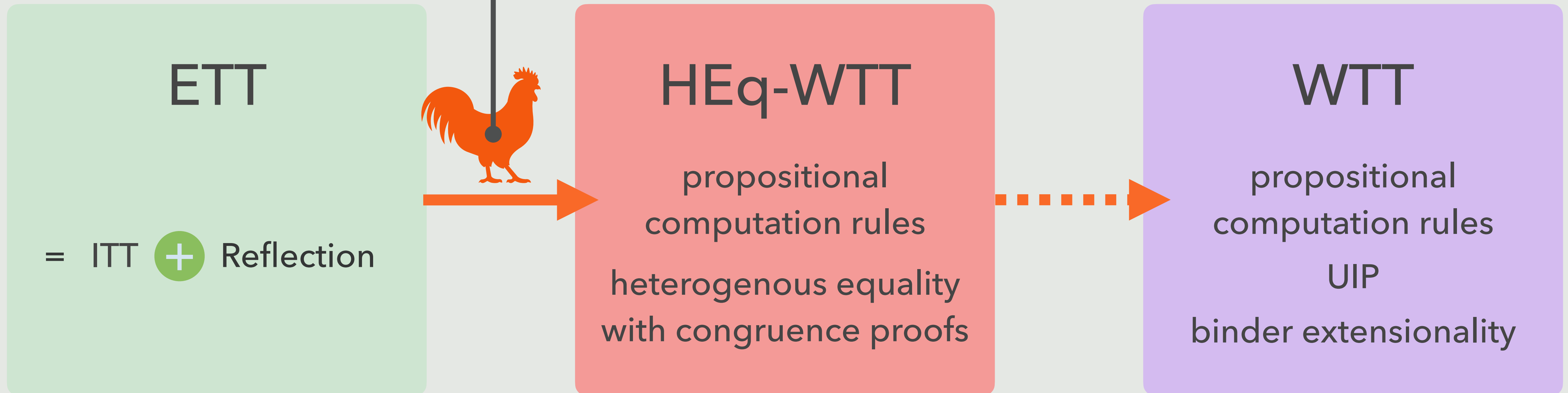
$$\lambda x. x + 0 \equiv \lambda x. x$$

gets translated to

$$\lambda x. x + 0 = \lambda x. x$$

using funext

Also extended to 2 level type theories!



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