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## model effects






## Contributions

- Isabelle/HOL package for reasoning about applicative effects

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- Meta theory formalised and algorithms verified
- Used in several examples and case studies


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