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The logic of proofs LP ([1]) achieves Gödel's objective ([2]) of defining intuitionistic propositional logic IPC via classical proofs and provides a *Brouwer-Heyting-Kolmogorov (BHK)*-style provability semantics for IPC.

The arithmetical provability semantics can be naturally generalized to first-order language and to language with quantifiers over proofs. In both cases, axiomatizability questions have been answered in the negative. However, there have been promising advances towards a system of first-order logic of proofs which can serve as the *BHK* semantics for first-order intuitionistic logic.

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