Preface

Static Analysis is a research area aimed at developing principles and tools for high-performance implementation and verification of programming languages. The series of Static Analysis Symposia is a forum for presentation and discussion of advances in the area.

This volume contains the papers presented at the Seventh International Static Analysis Symposium (SAS 2000) which was held on June 29–July 1, 2000 at the University of California, Santa Barbara. Previous symposia were held in Venice, Pisa, Paris, Aachen, Glasgow, and Namur.

The program committee met at Purdue University in March 2000 and selected 20 papers from 52 submissions on the basis of four reviews per paper. The program committee members were not allowed to author or co-author a submission. In addition to the 20 contributed papers, this volume contains two invited papers by Daniel Jackson and Andreas Podelski. At the symposium, there was also an invited talk by Matthias Felleisen and a tutorial by Roy Dz-ching Ju.

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