## Personal Thesis

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I believe that algebraic formulas are notional concepts that describe the properties of the concept of number.

The concept of number is, to me, a **measurable and conserved concept**, which can be judged through discrete logical statements.

An algebraic formula contains **logical flows**, and the following is a list of formulas derived from those logical flows.

# Representing Logical Operations via Arithmetic Operations

First, define some functions to be used:

- Solve(F){ $\bar{x} \mid F(\bar{x}) = 0$ }
- boolf(S)(x)( $x \in S$ )
- bool $(x)(x \neq 0)$

#### 1. 3-variable: $x, y \rightarrow z$

Logical value assignments:

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0000: z = 0
0001: \quad z = 1 + xy - (x + y)
0010: \quad z = y - xy
0011: z = 1 - x
0100: z = x - xy
0101: z = 1 - y
0110: \quad z = x + y - 2xy
0111: z = 1 - xy
1000: z = xy
1001: z = 1 + 2xy - (x + y)
1010: z = y
1011: z = 1 + xy - x
1100: z = x
1101: z = 1 + xy - y
1110: z = x + y - xy
1111: z = 1
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## 2. 2-variable: $x \to y$

Logical value assignments:

00: y = 0

01: y = 1 - x

10: y = x

11: y=1

## 3. 0-variable Linear Mapping xe

- Logical assignment 0 maps to 0
- Logical assignment 1 maps to 1

# Model Theory and Equations

To judge equality of values, define:

$$\delta_i(x) \lim_{n \to (x-i)^+} 0^n$$

By interpreted proposition P(x) = 0 into the logical truth value which is  $\{0, 1\}$ , then the composed function  $\delta_0 \circ P$  computes the truth of the proposition P(x) = 0.

## Key Insight: Logical Meaning of an Equation: The "Existential (∃) Condition"

About function P, "the equation which is introduced by function P" is a solution (root) to the equation P(x) = 0.

Thus, "the equation which is introduced by function P" is logically equivalent to the predicate logic statement:

$$(\exists x)(P(x) = 0)$$

Which can also be written using composed functions:

$$(\exists x)((bool \circ \delta_0 \circ P)(x))$$

# Background: Logical Consequence

If an assignment  $\bar{x}$  satisfies a proposition p, we write  $\bar{x} \models p$ , and call this a satisfying relationship.

• For a proposition p, define its **model set**:

$$\operatorname{Mod}(p)\{\bar{x} \mid \bar{x} \vDash p\}$$

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• For a set of propositions  $\Phi = \{p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n\}$ :

$$\operatorname{Mod}(\Phi) \bigcap \operatorname{Mod}(p)$$

• The **logical consequence** relation  $A \models B$  means:

$$Mod(A) \subseteq Mod(B)$$

## Key Insight: Algebraic Expression of Logical Consequence

The logical consequence relation  $A \vDash B$  can be expressed arithmetically using the divisibility operator:

$$bool^{-1}(A) \mid bool^{-1}(B)$$

Note: Since  $x \equiv y \pmod{m}$  means  $m \mid (x - y)$ , we can interpret  $f \mid g$  as  $g \equiv 0 \pmod{f}$ .

Thus, if  $g \mod f = 0$ , then g is a logical consequence of f, and this itself  $(g \mod f = 0)$  is an equation.

## Key Insight: Logical Meaning of an Identity (∀ Condition)

If f(x) = 0 is an identity (always true), then  $f(x) \neq 0$  is **inconsistent**.

Thus, 
$$(\exists x)(\text{bool}((1 - \delta_0 \circ f)(x)))$$
 is always false, and  $\neg(\exists x)(\text{bool}((1 - \delta_0 \circ f)(x)))$  is always true.

Hence, the identity f can be expressed as:

$$\neg(\exists x)(\text{bool}((1 - \delta_0 \circ f)(x)))$$

# Applying "Logical Flows in Algebraic Formulas" to Arithmetize Logic

Covering:

- Equations (including inconsistent, identity, and standard types)
- Functions (predicates, operators)
- Propositional logical connectives
- Logical consequence in model theory
- Equations as existential statements
- Identity equations as universal statements

#### Examples:

$$\operatorname{Solve}(\lambda x.1) = \mathbb{R} \quad \text{(the universal set, all real numbers)}$$
 
$$\operatorname{Solve}(\lambda x.0) = \varnothing \quad \text{(empty set)}$$
 
$$\operatorname{Solve}(\lambda x.ax^2 + bx + c) = \left\{ \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2} \right\}$$

Also:

$$(\text{bool}^{-1} \circ \text{boolf})(S) = 1_S$$

$$(\text{bool}^{-1} \circ \text{boolf} \circ \text{Solve})(x) = 1_{\text{solve}(x)}$$

Therefore, by using the function composition  $bool^{-1} \circ boolf \circ Solve$ , one can perform **predicate logic using arithmetic**, without having to define natural-language predicates. . . . (1)

Further, for any natural-language predicate P, one can **port** it into arithmetic using bool<sup>-1</sup>  $\circ P$ . ...(2) Hence, by conclusions (1) and (2), **logical operations** can be expressed via algebraic operations.

### Note on Conclusion (1)

This works because for any algebraic operation f, the function Solve(f) already serves the role of  $boolf^{-1} \circ bool^{-1}$ .

Therefore, unless external set theory is used, Solve-defined sets are **set-theoretically implicit**, not external.

#### Bonus 1

This logical framework can be smoothly extended to:

- Fuzzy set logic (membership degree, like probability)
- Multiset logic (multiplicity degree)
- Fuzzy multiset logic (membership + multiplicity)

#### Bonus 2

By using **adjacency matrices** from linear algebra and assigning objects to node sequences, this framework can incorporate **graphs**.

This allows the use of:

- Category theory
- Fuzzy/multiset/general sets (via subset notation)
- Graph representations dependent on natural-language predicates and node structures

Caveat: When extended to graphs, the underlying structure becomes linear algebra, thus using tensors as algebraic entities, which goes beyond high school mathematics.

That would deviate from the **secondary goal**:

"A complete mathematical logic system expressible via pure high school algebra."

This is why I'm trying to resolve things using only Euclidean space.

# Final Thought

I see:

- Numbers as measurable conserved concepts
- Algebraic formulas as statements about numbers
- Logic embedded in those formulas as the bridge between mathematical logic and symbolic logic
- Mathematical logic as the descriptive system of the logical context implied by numbers