

① Week 4 Monday:

problem class.

(1.3.1) Theorem (Soundness of  $\mathcal{L}$ )

Suppose  $\phi$  is a theorem of  $\mathcal{L}$ .

Then  $\phi$  is a tautology.

≡ (1.3.2) Notation

A (propositional) valuation  $v$

is an assignment of truth values to the propositional variables  $p_1, p_2, \dots$

So  $v(p_i) \in \{T, F\}$  (for  $i \in \mathbb{N}$ )

Using the truth table rules,

this assigns a truth value

$v(\phi) \in \{T, F\}$  to every

$\mathcal{L}$ -formula  $\phi$  (satisfying

$$v(\neg \phi) \neq v(\phi)$$

$$\text{and } v(\phi \rightarrow \psi) = F \quad (\Rightarrow)$$

$$v(\phi) = T \text{ or } v(\psi) = F.$$

[Prob. sheet 2]

Pf of 1.3.1: By induction on the

length of a pf. of  $\phi$  it is enough to show

(a) Every axiom is a tautology;

(b) MP preserves tautologies.

(a) Use truth tables, or argue as

follows: Do AZ:

Suppose for a contradiction,  
 $v$  is a valuation with

$$v(((\phi \rightarrow (\psi \rightarrow \chi)) \rightarrow ((\phi \rightarrow \psi) \rightarrow (\phi \rightarrow \chi))) = F.$$

then:  $v(\phi \rightarrow (\psi \rightarrow \chi)) = T \dots ①$   
 $\alpha \ v((\phi \rightarrow \psi) \rightarrow (\phi \rightarrow \chi)) = F \dots ②$

By ②  $v(\phi \rightarrow \psi) = T \dots ③$   
 $\alpha \ v(\phi \rightarrow \chi) = F \dots ④$

By ④  $v(\phi) = T \quad v(\chi) = F$

By ③  $v(\psi) = T$  //

this contradicts ①. //

A1, A3 Ex.

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(b) if  $\phi$  and  $(\phi \rightarrow \psi)$  are tautologies and  $v$  is a valuation then

$$v(\phi) = T \quad v(\phi \rightarrow \psi) = T$$

$$\text{so } v(\psi) = T. \quad \#$$

(1.3.3) Then (Generalisation of Soundness)

Suppose  $\Gamma$  is a set of L-formulas,  $\phi$  is a formula. and  $\Gamma \vdash_L \phi$ .

If  $v$  is a valuation with

$$v(\psi) = T \text{ for all } \psi \in \Gamma$$

[ write  $v(\Gamma) = T$  ]

then  $v(\phi) = T$ .

Pf: As for 1.3.2.

(1.3.4) Thm (Completeness /

Adequacy Thm. for  $L$ ).

Suppose  $\phi$  is a tautology. Then

$$\vdash_L \phi.$$

Steps in pf:

1. Want to show: if  $v(\phi) = T$   
for all valuations  $v$  then

$$\vdash_L \phi.$$

2. Generalisation:

Suppose that for every  $v$

with  $v(\Gamma) = T$  we have

$$v(\phi) = T.$$

Then  $\vdash_L \phi$ .

[ i. is the case  $\Gamma = \emptyset$  ].

3. Equivalently:

If  $\Gamma \not\vdash_L \phi$  there is a  $v$

with  $v(\Gamma) = T$  and  $v(\phi) = F$ .

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(1.3.6) Def: A set of  $L$ -formulas

$\Gamma$  is consistent if there is

no  $L$ -formula  $\phi$  with

$$\Gamma \vdash_L \phi \quad \text{and} \quad \Gamma \vdash_L (\neg \phi).$$

Rh: By 1.3.1 (Soundness)

there is no  $L$ -formula  $\phi$  with

$$\vdash_L \phi \quad \text{and} \quad \vdash_L (\neg \phi)$$

(Say that  $L$  is consistent.)

### (1.3.7) Proposition

Suppose  $\Gamma$  is a consistent set of L-formulas and  $\Gamma \not\vdash_L \phi$ .  
 then  $\Gamma \cup \{(\neg\phi)\}$  is consistent.

Proof: Suppose not. So there is a formula  $\psi$  with

$$\Gamma \cup \{(\neg\phi)\} \vdash_L \psi \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\text{and } \Gamma \cup \{(\neg\phi)\} \vdash_L (\neg\psi) \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Apply DT to (2):  
 $\Gamma \vdash_L ((\neg\phi) \rightarrow (\neg\psi))$ .

By A3 + this  $((\neg\phi) \rightarrow (\neg\psi)) \rightarrow (\psi \rightarrow \phi)$   
 $\Gamma \vdash_L (\psi \rightarrow \phi) \quad \dots \text{--- (3)}$

By (1), (3) + MP obtain:

$$\Gamma \cup \{(\neg\phi)\} \vdash_L \phi \quad \dots \text{--- (4)}$$

Apply DT  $\Gamma \vdash_L ((\neg\phi) \rightarrow \phi)$

$$\dots \text{--- (5)}$$

By 1.2.7 (c)  
 $\Gamma \vdash_L (((\neg\phi) \rightarrow \phi) \rightarrow \phi)$

By this and (5) + MP  
 get  $\Gamma \vdash_L \phi$ .

Contradiction. #.

### (1.3.8) Prop. (Lindenbaum Lemma)

Suppose  $\Gamma^*$  is a consistent set of L-formulas. Then there is a consistent set of formulas

$\Gamma^* \supseteq \Gamma$  such that for

L-formula

every  $\phi$

$$\Gamma^* \vdash_L \phi$$

either

$$\text{or } \Gamma^* \vdash_L (\neg \phi).$$

[Sometimes say  $\Gamma^*$  is complete.]

Pf: The set of L-formulas is countable, so we can take

L-formulas as  $\phi_0, \phi_1, \phi_2, \dots$

[Why countable? Alphabet

$$\neg \rightarrow ) ( \wedge \vee \neg \vdash \dots$$

is countable.]

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Formulas are certain finite sequences of symbols from the alphabet. This is a countable set.

// Define inductively sets of L-formulas

$$\Gamma_0 \subseteq \Gamma_1 \subseteq \Gamma_2 \subseteq \dots$$

$$\text{where } \Gamma_0 = \Gamma$$

$$\text{and } \Gamma^* = \bigcup_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \Gamma_i.$$

Suppose  $\Gamma_n$  has been defined.

If  $\Gamma_n \vdash_L \phi_n$  then

$$\text{let } \Gamma_{n+1} = \Gamma_n$$

If  $\Gamma_n \not\vdash_L \phi_n$  then

$$\text{let } \Gamma_{n+1} = \Gamma_n \cup \{(\neg \phi_n)\}.$$

An easy induction using Prop 1.3.7 shows that each  $\Gamma_n$  is consistent. let  $\Gamma^* = \bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \Gamma_n$

Claim 1  $\Gamma^*$  is consistent.

if  $\Gamma^* \vdash \phi$   
and  $\Gamma^* \vdash (\neg \phi)$

then as deductions are finite

$\exists \Gamma_n \vdash \phi$

and  $\Gamma_n \vdash (\neg \phi)$  for

some  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Contradiction

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Claim 2  $\Gamma^*$  is complete.

let  $\phi$  be any formula.

We have  $\phi = \phi_n$  for some  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

Then by construction

either  $\Gamma_n \vdash \phi$

or  $\Gamma_{n+1} \vdash (\neg \phi)$

~~As~~ In the first case

$\Gamma^* \vdash \phi$

in the second case

$\Gamma^* \vdash (\neg \phi)$ .

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46/ (1.3.9) Lemma - Suppose  $\Gamma^*$  is a set of L-formulas which is consistent and complete.

Then there is a valuation  $v$  such that for every L-formula  $\phi$

$$v(\phi) = T \iff \Gamma^* \vdash_L \phi.$$

Pf: ~~For~~ Each variable  $p_i$  is an L-formula. So

by the properties of  $\Gamma^*$

either  $\Gamma^* \vdash_L p_i$

or  $\Gamma^* \vdash_L (\neg p_i)$

(and only one of these is the case).

~~In the first case~~

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Let  $v$  be the valuation with

$$v(p_i) = T \iff \Gamma^* \vdash_L p_i$$

(for each  $i \in \mathbb{N}$ ).

Show this  $v$  has the required property.

Do this by induction on the length

of  $\phi$ : show

$$v(\phi) = T \iff \Gamma^* \vdash_L \phi$$

Base case:  $\phi$  is a variable.

this is the def. of  $v$ .

Case 1:  $\phi$  is  $(\neg \psi)$

$\Rightarrow$ : Suppose  $v(\psi) = T$

So  $v(\psi) = F$

$v$  is a valuation

By induction  $\Gamma^* \not\models \psi$

By completeness of  $\Gamma^*$   
obtain  $\Gamma^* \vdash (\neg\psi)$

i.e.  $\Gamma^* \vdash \phi$  //

$\Leftarrow$ : Conversely suppose

$\Gamma^* \vdash \phi$

i.e.  $\Gamma^* \vdash (\neg\psi)$

By consistency  $\Gamma^* \not\models \psi$

So by inductive assumption

$v(\psi) = F$ , so  $v(\neg\psi) = T$  i.e.  $v(\phi) = T$  //

(2)

Case 2  $\phi$  is  $(\psi \rightarrow \chi)$

$\Leftarrow$ : Suppose  $v(\phi) = F$

(Show  $\Gamma^* \not\models \phi$ )

Then  $v(\psi) = T$  &  $v(\chi) = F$

By ind-hypothesis

$\Gamma^* \vdash \psi$  ... (a)

&  $\Gamma^* \not\models \chi$

If  $\Gamma^* \vdash \phi$  then

$\Gamma^* \vdash (\psi \rightarrow \chi)$  ... (b)

then (a), (b) give  $\Gamma^* \vdash \chi$

a contradiction. So

$\Gamma^* \not\models \phi$



$\Rightarrow$ : Suppose  $\Gamma^* \vdash \phi$   
 (show  $v(\phi) = F$ )  
 So  $\Gamma^* \vdash \neg(\psi \rightarrow \chi)$   
 then:  $\Gamma^* \vdash \neg(\chi \rightarrow \psi)$   
 Also  $\Gamma^* \vdash \neg(\neg\psi)$  ... (2)  
 (as  $\vdash_L (\neg\neg(\psi \rightarrow \chi))$  1.2.7(a).  
 By (1), (2) & ind. hyp  
 $v(\chi) = F$   
 and  $v(\neg\psi) = F$   
 so  $v(\psi) = T$   
 Thus  $v(\phi) = F$ . // #

(1.3.10) Cor. Suppose  $\Delta$  is a consistent set of  $L$ -formulas and  $\Delta \not\vdash_L \phi$ .  
 then there is a valuation  $v$  with  $v(\Delta) = T$  and  $v(\phi) = F$ .  
 Pf: let  $\Gamma = \Delta \cup \{\neg\phi\}$ .  
 By 1.3.7  $\Gamma$  is also consistent.  
 Let 1.3.8 there is  $\Gamma^* \supseteq \Gamma$  which is consistent and complete.  
 By 1.3.9 there is a valuation  $v$  with  $v(\Gamma^*) = T$ .  
 In particular  $v(\Delta) = T$  and  $v(\neg\phi) = F$   
 & so  $v(\phi) = F$ .  
 (as  $v$  is a valuation) // #

(1.3.11) Theorem.

(Completeness / Adequacy Thm.

for  $L$ ).

If  $\phi$  is an  $L$ -formula and

$v(\phi) = T$  for every valuation  $v$

then

$\vdash_L \phi$

or by  
soundness  
thm.

Pf: Suppose

$\nvdash_L \phi$

By 1.3.10 (with  $\Delta = \emptyset$ )

there is a valuation  $v$  with

$v(\phi) = F$ .

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