Proof Theory: Logical and Philosophical Aspects

Class 3: Beyond Sequents

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Our Aim

To introduce *proof theory*, with a focus in its applications in philosophy, linguistics and computer science.

Our Aim for Today

Introduce extensions of sequent systems to naturally deal with modal logics.

Today's Plan

Basic Modal Logic Modal Sequent Systems Display Logic Labelled Sequents Tree Hypersequents

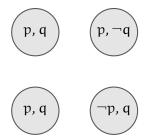
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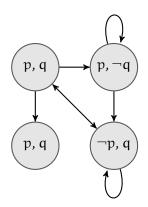
Possibility and Necessity

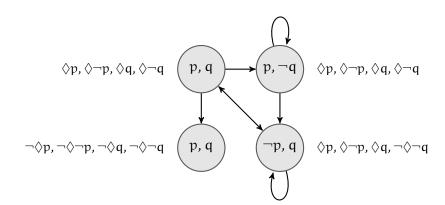
Modal logic adds propositional logic the notions of possibility and necessity.

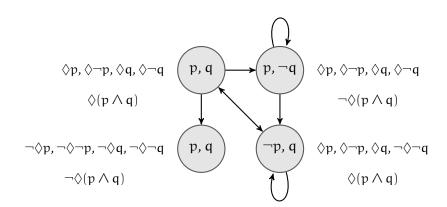
Add to the language of propositional logic the ' \Box ' and ' \Diamond .'

▶ If A is a formula, so are $\Box A$ and $\Diamond A$.









Modal Logic: Interpretations

An interpretation for the language is a triple: $\langle W, R, \nu \rangle$.

W is a non-empty set of states (or possible worlds).

R is a two-place relation on W, of *relative possibility*. uRw means that from the point of view of u, w is possible.

Finally, v assigns a truth value to a propositional parameter at a state.

That is, for each world w and propositional parameter p, we will have either $v_w(p) = 1$ (if p is "true at w") or $v_w(p) = 0$ (if p is "false at w").

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... or equivalently, there is no state $w \in W$ at which every member of X is true and every member of Y is false.







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None of these are much like good L/R rules for \square or \lozenge .

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Restrictions on the accessibility relation lead to properties for \Box and \Diamond .

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K: all models T: reflexive models S4: reflexive transitive models S5: reflexive symmetric transitive models.

MODAL SEQUENT SYSTEMS







$$\frac{\Box X \vdash A, \Diamond Y}{\Box X \vdash \Box A, \Diamond Y} {}_{[\Box R]}$$

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These rules characterise the modal logic S4.

Example Derivations

What about \$5?

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The sequent $\vdash p$, $\Box \neg \Box p$ has *no* cut-free proof. (How could you apply a \Box rule?)

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Hard/impossible to generalise.

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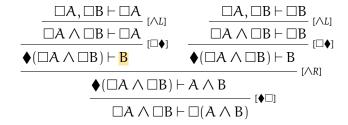
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Going Forward and Back in a Derivation



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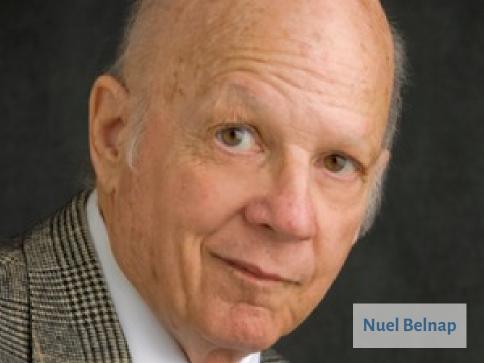
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DISPLAY LOGIC



Sequents

Sequents are of the form $X \vdash Y$, where X and Y are *structures*

Structures are built up out of formulas and the structural connetives *, \bullet (both unary), and \circ (binary)

For example, $*(p \circ q) \vdash \bullet(r \circ *s)$

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(These rules ensure that * acts like negation,
○ is conjunctive on the left and disjunctive on the right,
and • acts like a necessity on the right
and its converse possibility the left.)

Displaying

By means of the display equivalences, one can display a formula or structure on one side of the turnstile in isolation

This permits the left and right rules to deal with only the displayed formulas and structures

$$\frac{A \circ B \vdash X}{A \land B \vdash X} \ [\land L]$$

$$\frac{X \vdash A \qquad Y \vdash B}{X \circ Y \vdash A \land B} \ [\land R]$$

Generality

The connectives rules are formulated so that each connective is paired with a structural connective

Different logical behaviour is obtained by imposing different rules on the structural connectives

A single form of conjunction rule can be used for, say, classical conjunction and relevant fusion, the difference coming out in the structural rules in force

Cut

Because formulas can always be displayed, a simple form of *Cut* can be used for a range of logics

$$\frac{X \vdash A \quad A \vdash Y}{X \vdash Y} \ [\mathit{Cut}]$$

Eliminating Cut

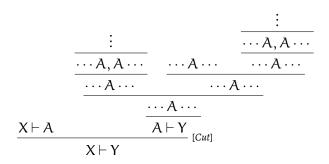
The *Elimination Theorem* is proved via a general argument that depends on eight conditions on the rules.

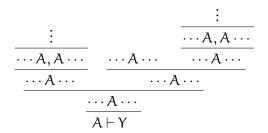
If these conditions are satisfied, then it follows that Cut is admissible

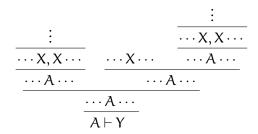
This argument is due to Haskell Curry and Nuel Belnap.

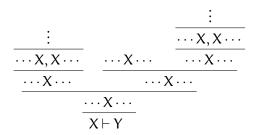
The Structure of the Curry–Belnap Cut Elimination Proof

- ▶ It's a *Cut* elimination argument (it doesn't appeal to a Mix rule).
- ► It's an induction on *grade* (complexity of the *Cut* formula), as usual.
- ► To eliminate a *Cut* on a formula A, trace the *parametric* occurrences of a formula in the premises of the cut inference upward to where they first appear. Replace the cut at those instances (either with cuts on subformulas, or by weakening, or the cuts evaprate into identities) and then replay the substitution downward.









The Eight Conditions

- ► c1: Preservation of formulas.
- ► c2: Shape-alikeness of parameters.
- ▶ c3: Non-proliferation of parameters.
- ▶ c4: Position-alikeness of parameters.
- ► c5: Display of principal constituents.
- c6: Closure under substitution for consequent parameters.
- ► c7: Closure under substitution for antecedent parameters.
- ▶ c8: Eliminability of matching principal constituents.

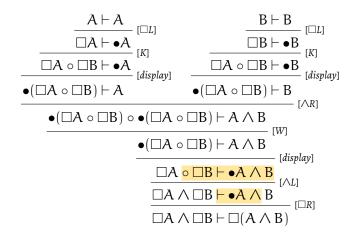
Modal Rules

To give rules for modal operators, you use the modal structure.

$$\frac{A \vdash Y}{\Box A \vdash \bullet Y} \ ^{[\Box L]}$$

$$\frac{X \vdash \bullet B}{X \vdash \Box B} \, [\Box R]$$

Example Display Logic Derivation



Structural Rules

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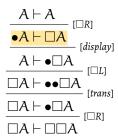
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$$\frac{A \vdash A}{*A \vdash *A} [display]$$

$$\frac{*A \vdash *A}{\neg A \vdash *A} [\neg L]$$

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$$\frac{\bullet A \vdash * \Box \neg A}{\bullet A \vdash \neg \Box \neg A} [display]$$

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Many more structural rules are possible.

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$$\frac{ \frac{X \vdash \bullet A}{\bullet X \vdash A} \frac{[display]}{A \vdash Y}}{\frac{\bullet X \vdash Y}{X \vdash \bullet Y} \frac{[display]}{[display]}} [Cut]$$

Virtues and Vices of Display Logic

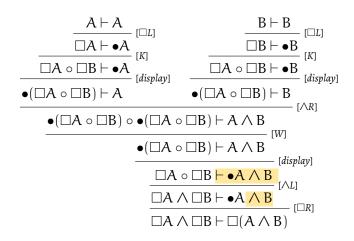
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LABELLED SEQUENTS

Recall this derivation...



Here is another way to represent it

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\frac{\nu : A \vdash \nu : A}{wRv, w : \Box A \vdash \nu : A} \stackrel{[\Box L]}{=} \frac{v : B \vdash \nu : B}{wRv, w : \Box B \vdash \nu : B} \stackrel{[\Box L]}{=} \frac{wRv, w : \Box B \vdash \nu : B}{wRv, w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash \nu : B} \stackrel{[K]}{=} \frac{wRv, w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash \nu : B}{wRv, w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash \nu : A \land B} \stackrel{[W]}{=} \frac{wRv, w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash A \land B}{wRv, w : \Box A, w : \Box A \land B \vdash \nu : A \land B} \stackrel{[W]}{=} \frac{wRv, w : \Box A \land \Box B \vdash \nu : A \land B}{w : \Box A \land \Box B \vdash w : \Box (A \land B)} \stackrel{[\Box R]}{=} \frac{wRv, w : \Box A \land \Box B \vdash w : \Box (A \land B)}{w : \Box A \land \Box B \vdash w : \Box (A \land B)} \stackrel{[\Box R]}{=} \frac{v : B \vdash \nu : B}{w : \Box A \land \Box B \vdash w : \Box (A \land B)} \stackrel{[\Box R]}{=} \frac{v : B \vdash \nu : B}{wRv, w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash \nu : A \land B} \stackrel{[\Box R]}{=} \frac{v : B \vdash \nu : B}{wRv, w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash \nu : A \land B} \stackrel{[\Box R]}{=} \frac{v : B \vdash \nu : B}{wRv, w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash \nu : A \land B} \stackrel{[\Box R]}{=} \frac{v : B \vdash \nu : B}{wRv, w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash \nu : A \land B} \stackrel{[\Box R]}{=} \frac{v : B \vdash \nu : B}{wRv, w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash \nu : A \land B} \stackrel{[\Box L]}{=} \frac{v : B \vdash \nu : B}{wRv, w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash \nu : A \land B} \stackrel{[\Box L]}{=} \frac{v : B \vdash \nu : B}{wRv, w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash \nu : A \land B} \stackrel{[\Box L]}{=} \frac{v : B \vdash \nu : B}{wRv, w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash \nu : A \land B} \stackrel{[\Box R]}{=} \frac{v : B \vdash \nu : B}{wRv, w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash \nu : A \land B} \stackrel{[\Box R]}{=} \frac{v : B \vdash \nu : B}{wRv, w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash \nu : A \land B} \stackrel{[\Box R]}{=} \frac{v : B \vdash \nu : B}{wRv, w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash \nu : A \land B} \stackrel{[\Box R]}{=} \frac{v : B \vdash \nu : B}{w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash \nu : A \land B} \stackrel{[\Box R]}{=} \frac{v : B \vdash \nu : B}{=} \frac{v : B \vdash \nu : B}{=} \frac{v : B \vdash \nu : B}{=} \stackrel{[\Box L]}{=} \frac{v : B \vdash \nu : B}{=} \stackrel{[\Box L]}{=} \frac{v : B \vdash \nu : B}{=} \stackrel{[\Box L]}{=} \frac{v : B \vdash \nu : B}{=} \stackrel{[\Box L]}{=} \frac{v : B \vdash \nu : B}{=} \stackrel{[\Box L]}{=} \frac{v : B \vdash \nu : B}{=} \stackrel{[\Box L]}{=} \frac{v : B \vdash \nu : B}{=} \stackrel{[\Box L]}{=} \stackrel{[\Box
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Labelled Sequent Rules: Boolean Connectives

$$x : A \vdash x : A$$

(Plus weakening and contraction.)

$$\frac{x:A,x:B,X\vdash Y}{x:A\land B,X\vdash Y}$$
 [\lambda L]

$$\frac{x:A,X\vdash Y \quad x:B,X\vdash Y}{x:A\lor B,X\vdash Y}_{[\lor L]}$$

$$\frac{X \vdash x : A, Y}{x : \neg A, X \vdash Y} \,_{[\neg L]}$$

$$\frac{X \vdash x : A, Y \qquad X \vdash x : B, Y}{X \vdash x : A \land B, Y} [\land R]$$

$$\frac{X \vdash x : A, x : B, Y}{X \vdash x : A \lor B, Y} [\lor R]$$

$$\frac{x:A,X\vdash Y}{X\vdash x:\neg A,Y}^{[\neg R]}$$

Labelled Sequent Rules: Modal Operators

$$\frac{x:A,X\vdash Y}{yRx,y:\Box A,X\vdash Y} {}_{[\Box L]}$$

$$\frac{xRy, X \vdash y : A, Y}{X \vdash x : \Box A, Y} \stackrel{[\Box R]}{}$$

$$\frac{xRy,y:A,X\vdash Y}{x:\Diamond A,X\vdash Y}_{[\Diamond L]}$$

$$\frac{X \vdash x : A, Y}{y Rx, X \vdash y : \Diamond A, Y} [\Diamond R]$$

In $\Box R$ and $\Diamond L$, the label y must not be present in X, Y or be identical to x.

Labelled Sequents

In these rules (except for weakenings) relational statements (xRy) are introduced only on the left of the sequent.

We may without loss of deductive power, restrict our attention to sequents in $X \vdash Y$ which relational statements appear only in X and not in Y.

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The 'cash value' of a labelled sequent $X \vdash Y$ on a Kripke model is found by replacing x : A by $v_x(A) = 1$; X by its conjunction; Y by its disjunction; the \vdash by a conditional; and universally quantifying over all world labels.

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 $xRy, x : A \vdash y : B, x : C$ is valid on a model if and only if

$$(\forall x,y)((xRy \wedge \nu_x(A)=1) \supset ((\nu_y(B)=1) \vee \nu_x(C)=1))$$

Translation

A systematic translation maps modal display derivations into labelled modal derivations.

The translation simplifies the proof structure, erasing display equivalences, which are mapped to identical labelled sequents (*modulo* relabelling).

For details, see Poggiolesi and Restall "Interpreting and Applying Proof Theory for Modal Logic" (2012).

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All we *care* about is that one world accesses the other. We have

$$A \vdash \longrightarrow \vdash B$$

Replace the labelled sequent \mathcal{R} , $X \vdash Y$ by a *directed graph* of sequents:

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- ▶ If \mathcal{R} contains Rxy, then place an arc from x to y.

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- ▶ Delabelled Sequent: $B \vdash \longrightarrow D, E \vdash \longrightarrow \vdash A$

$$\frac{\frac{\nu:A\vdash\nu:A}{w\mathsf{R}\nu,w:\Box A\vdash\nu:A}}{\frac{w\mathsf{R}\nu,w:\Box A\vdash\nu:A}{w\mathsf{R}\nu,w:\Box A,w:\Box B\vdash\nu:A}} \underbrace{\frac{\frac{\nu:B\vdash\nu:B}{w\mathsf{R}\nu,w:\Box A\vdash\nu:A}}{w\mathsf{R}\nu,w:\Box A,w:\Box B\vdash\nu:A}}_{[K]}_{[K]}$$

$$\frac{\frac{w\mathsf{R}\nu,w:\Box A,w:\Box B\vdash\nu:A\land B}{w:\Box A,w:\Box B\vdash w:\Box (A\land B)}}{\frac{w:\Box A,w:\Box B\vdash w:\Box (A\land B)}{w:\Box A\land\Box B\vdash w:\Box (A\land B)}}_{[\land R]}$$

$$\frac{A \vdash A}{wRv, w : \Box A \vdash v : A} \xrightarrow{[\Box L]} \frac{v : B \vdash v : B}{wRv, w : \Box A \vdash v : A} \xrightarrow{[K]} \frac{wRv, w : \Box A \vdash v : A}{wRv, w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash v : A} \xrightarrow{[K]} \frac{wRv, w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash v : A \land B}{w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash w : \Box (A \land B)} \xrightarrow{[\triangle R]} \frac{w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash w : \Box (A \land B)}{w : \Box A \land \Box B \vdash w : \Box (A \land B)} \xrightarrow{[\triangle R]}$$

$$\frac{A \vdash A}{\square A \vdash \longrightarrow \vdash A} \stackrel{[\square L]}{\longleftarrow} \frac{v : B \vdash v : B}{wRv, w : \square A \vdash v : A} \stackrel{[\square L]}{\longleftarrow} \frac{wRv, w : \square A \vdash v : A}{wRv, w : \square A, w : \square B \vdash v : A} \stackrel{[K]}{\longleftarrow} \frac{wRv, w : \square A, w : \square B \vdash v : A \land B}{\square A, w : \square B \vdash w : \square (A \land B)} \stackrel{[\square R]}{\longleftarrow} \frac{w : \square A, w : \square B \vdash w : \square (A \land B)}{\square A, w : \square A, w : \square A, w : \square (A \land B)}$$

$$\frac{A \vdash A}{\Box A \vdash \longrightarrow \vdash A} \stackrel{[\Box L]}{\boxtimes} \qquad \frac{\nu : B \vdash \nu : B}{wR\nu, w : \Box A \vdash \nu : A} \stackrel{[\Box L]}{\boxtimes} \\
\frac{\neg A, \Box B \vdash \longrightarrow \vdash A}{wR\nu, w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash \nu : A} \stackrel{[K]}{\boxtimes} \\
\frac{wR\nu, w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash \nu : A \land B}{w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash w : \Box (A \land B)} \stackrel{[\Box R]}{\boxtimes} \\
\frac{w : \Box A, \wedge \Box B \vdash w : \Box (A \land B)}{w : \Box A \land \Box B} \stackrel{[\land R]}{\boxtimes}$$

$$\frac{A \vdash A}{\Box A \vdash \longrightarrow \vdash A} \stackrel{[\Box L]}{\boxtimes} \qquad \frac{B \vdash B}{wRv, w : \Box A \vdash v : A} \stackrel{[\Box L]}{\boxtimes} \\
\frac{\Box A, \Box B \vdash \longrightarrow \vdash A}{wRv, w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash v : A} \stackrel{[K]}{\boxtimes} \\
\frac{wRv, w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash v : A \land B}{w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash w : \Box (A \land B)} \stackrel{[\Box R]}{\boxtimes} \\
\frac{w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash w : \Box (A \land B)}{w : \Box A \land \Box B \vdash w : \Box (A \land B)}$$

$$\frac{A \vdash A}{\Box A \vdash \longrightarrow \vdash A} \stackrel{[\Box L]}{\boxtimes B} \qquad \frac{B \vdash B}{\Box B \vdash \longrightarrow \vdash B} \stackrel{[\Box L]}{\boxtimes A, \square B \vdash \longrightarrow \vdash A} \stackrel{[K]}{\boxtimes A, w : \square A, w : \square A, w : \square B \vdash v : A} \stackrel{[K]}{\boxtimes A, w : \square A, w : \square B \vdash v : A \land B} \stackrel{[\Box R]}{\boxtimes A, w : \square B \vdash w : \square (A \land B)} \stackrel{[\Box R]}{\boxtimes A, w : \square A \land \square B \vdash w : \square (A \land B)}$$

$$\frac{A \vdash A}{\Box A \vdash \longrightarrow \vdash A} \xrightarrow{[K]} \frac{B \vdash B}{\Box B \vdash \longrightarrow \vdash B} \xrightarrow{[K]} \underbrace{\Box A, \Box B \vdash \longrightarrow \vdash B} \xrightarrow{[K]} \underbrace{WRv, w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash v : A \land B}_{[CR]} \xrightarrow{[CR]} \underbrace{w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash w : \Box (A \land B)}_{[CR]} \xrightarrow{[CR]}$$

$$\frac{A \vdash A}{\Box A \vdash \cdots \vdash A} \stackrel{[\Box L]}{\Box B} \qquad \frac{B \vdash B}{\Box B \vdash \cdots \vdash B} \stackrel{[\Box L]}{\Box A, \Box B \vdash \cdots \vdash B} \stackrel{[K]}{\Box A, \Box B \vdash \cdots \vdash B} \stackrel{[K]}{\Box A, \Box B \vdash \cdots \vdash B} \stackrel{[K]}{\Box A, \Box B \vdash \cdots \vdash A \land B} \stackrel{[\Box R]}{w : \Box A, w : \Box B \vdash w : \Box (A \land B)} \stackrel{[\Box R]}{w : \Box A \land \Box B \vdash w : \Box (A \land B)}$$

$$\frac{A \vdash A}{\Box A \vdash \longrightarrow \vdash A} \stackrel{[\Box L]}{\sqsubseteq B} \qquad \frac{B \vdash B}{\Box B \vdash \longrightarrow \vdash B} \stackrel{[\Box L]}{\sqsubseteq A}$$

$$\frac{\Box A, \Box B \vdash \longrightarrow \vdash A \land B}{\Box A, \Box B \vdash \longrightarrow \vdash A \land B} \stackrel{[\Box R]}{\sqsubseteq A}$$

$$\frac{\Box A, \Box B \vdash \Box (A \land B)}{w : \Box A \land \Box B \vdash w : \Box (A \land B)} \stackrel{[\land R]}{}$$

$$\frac{A \vdash A}{\Box A \vdash \Box A \vdash \Box A} \xrightarrow{[\Box L]} \frac{B \vdash B}{\Box B \vdash \Box A \vdash \Box B} \xrightarrow{[\Box L]}
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\underline{\Box A, \Box B \vdash \Box (A \land B)} \xrightarrow{[CR]} \xrightarrow{[CR]}$$

$$\frac{x:A \vdash x:A}{x:\neg A, x:A \vdash} \stackrel{[\neg L]}{\underset{[\square L]}{|}} \frac{x:A \vdash x:A}{Ryx,y:\square \neg A, x:A \vdash} \frac{}{\underset{[\neg R]}{|}} \frac{}{xy,x:A \vdash y:\neg \square \neg A} \stackrel{[\neg R]}{\underset{[\square R]}{|}} \frac{}{x:A \vdash x:\square \neg \square \neg A} \stackrel{[\square R]}{}$$

$$\frac{A \vdash A}{\neg A, A \vdash} [\neg L]$$

$$\frac{\neg A \vdash A \vdash}{\neg \neg A \vdash} [\neg R]$$

$$\vdash \neg \neg \neg A \longleftarrow A \vdash}{\vdash \neg \neg \neg A \longleftarrow} [\neg R]$$

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$$\frac{x:A \vdash x:A}{x:\neg A, x:A \vdash} \stackrel{[\neg L]}{}_{[\Box L]}$$

$$\frac{Ryx,y:\Box \neg A, x:A \vdash}{Ryx,x:A \vdash y:\neg\Box \neg A} \stackrel{[\neg R]}{}_{[sym]}$$

$$\frac{Rxy,x:A \vdash y:\neg\Box \neg A}{x:A \vdash x:\Box \neg\Box \neg A} \stackrel{[\Box R]}{}_{[\Box R]}$$

$$\frac{A \vdash A}{\neg A, A \vdash} [\neg L]$$

$$\frac{\Box \neg A \vdash \longrightarrow A \vdash}{\Box \neg A \vdash} [\neg R]$$

$$\vdash \neg \Box \neg A \longrightarrow A \vdash [\neg R]$$

$$\vdash \neg \Box \neg A \longleftarrow A \vdash$$

$$A \vdash \Box \neg \Box \neg A$$

$$[\Box R]$$

$$\frac{x:A \vdash x:A}{x:\neg A, x:A \vdash} [\neg L]$$

$$\frac{Ryx, y: \Box \neg A, x:A \vdash}{Ryx, x:A \vdash y: \neg \Box \neg A} [\neg R]$$

$$\frac{Rxy, x:A \vdash y: \neg \Box \neg A}{x:A \vdash x: \Box \neg \Box \neg A} [\Box R]$$

$$\frac{A \vdash A}{\neg A, A \vdash} [\neg L]$$

$$\frac{\neg A \vdash A \vdash}{\neg \neg A \vdash} [\neg R]$$

$$\vdash \neg \neg \neg A \longrightarrow A \vdash}{\vdash \neg \neg \neg A \longleftarrow} [\neg R]$$

$$\downarrow \neg \neg \neg A \longleftarrow A \vdash}$$

$$A \vdash \neg \neg \neg A \longleftarrow A \vdash}{\vdash \neg \neg \neg A}$$

$$\frac{x:A \vdash x:A}{x:\neg A, x:A \vdash} \stackrel{[\neg L]}{\underset{[\square L]}{\text{Ryx}, y: \square \neg A, x:A \vdash}}$$

$$\frac{Ryx, y: \square \neg A, x:A \vdash}{\underset{[\neg R]}{\text{Ryx}, x:A \vdash y: \neg \square \neg A}}$$

$$\frac{Rxy, x:A \vdash y: \neg \square \neg A}{x:A \vdash x: \square \neg \square \neg A}$$

$$\stackrel{[\square R]}{\underset{[\square R]}{\text{Im}}}$$

$$\frac{A \vdash A}{\neg A, A \vdash} [\neg L]$$

$$\frac{\Box \neg A \vdash A \vdash}{\vdash \neg \Box \neg A \longrightarrow A \vdash} [\neg R]$$

$$\frac{\vdash \neg \Box \neg A \longleftarrow A \vdash}{\vdash A \vdash} [\Box R]$$

$$A \vdash \Box \neg \Box \neg A$$

$$\frac{x:A \vdash x:A}{x:\neg A, x:A \vdash} \stackrel{[\neg L]}{\underset{[\Box L]}{\text{Pyx}, y:\Box \neg A, x:A \vdash}}$$

$$\frac{Ryx, y:\Box \neg A, x:A \vdash}{\underset{[Sym]}{\text{Ryx}, x:A \vdash y:\neg\Box \neg A}}$$

$$\frac{Rxy, x:A \vdash y:\neg\Box \neg A}{x:A \vdash x:\Box \neg\Box \neg A}$$

$$\frac{A \vdash A}{\neg A, A \vdash} [\neg L]$$

$$\Box \neg A \vdash \longrightarrow A \vdash$$

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$$A \vdash \Box \neg \Box \neg A$$

$$[\Box R]$$

$$\frac{x:A \vdash x:A}{x:\neg A, x:A \vdash} [\neg L]$$

$$\frac{Ryx,y:\Box \neg A, x:A \vdash}{Ryx,x:A \vdash y:\neg\Box \neg A} [\neg R]$$

$$\frac{Rxy,x:A \vdash y:\neg\Box \neg A}{x:A \vdash x:\Box \neg\Box \neg A} [\Box R]$$

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$$\vdash \neg \Box \neg A \longleftarrow A \vdash}$$

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$$[\Box R]$$

$$\frac{x:A \vdash x:A}{x:\neg A, x:A \vdash} [\neg L]$$

$$\frac{Ryx,y:\Box \neg A, x:A \vdash}{Ryx,x:A \vdash y:\neg\Box \neg A} [\neg R]$$

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$$\frac{\vdash \neg \Box \neg A \longleftarrow A \vdash}{\vdash \neg \Box \neg A} [\Box R]$$

Tree Hypersequent Rules: Modal Operators

$$\frac{\mathcal{H}[X \vdash Y \curvearrowright X', A \vdash Y']}{\mathcal{H}[X, \Box A \vdash Y \curvearrowright X' \vdash Y']} \ ^{[\Box L]}$$

$$\frac{\mathcal{H}[X \vdash Y A \vdash]}{\mathcal{H}[\Diamond A, X \vdash Y]} {}_{[\Diamond L]}$$

$$\frac{\mathcal{H}[X \vdash Y \frown \vdash A]}{\mathcal{H}[X \vdash \Box A, Y]} {}^{[\Box R]}$$

$$\frac{\mathcal{H}[X \vdash Y \overset{\frown}{\longrightarrow} X' \vdash A, Y']}{\mathcal{H}[X \vdash \Diamond A, Y \overset{\frown}{\longrightarrow} X' \vdash Y']} \, {}^{[\Diamond R]}$$

Forms of Cut

$$\frac{\mathcal{H}[X \vdash A, Y] \quad \mathcal{H}[X, A \vdash Y]}{\mathcal{H}[X \vdash Y]}_{[Cut^{\alpha}]}$$

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$$\frac{\mathcal{H}[X \vdash A, Y] \quad \mathcal{H}'[X, A \vdash Y]}{(\mathcal{H} \oplus \mathcal{H}')[X \vdash Y]} \, {}_{[\textit{Cut}^m]}$$

Forms of Weakening

$$\frac{\mathcal{H}[X \vdash Y]}{\mathcal{H}[X, A \vdash Y]}^{\text{[iKL]}}$$

$$\frac{\mathcal{H}[X \vdash Y]}{\mathcal{H}[X \vdash A, Y]} \, {}^{[\mathit{iKR}]}$$

Forms of Weakening

$$\frac{\mathcal{H}[X \vdash Y]}{\mathcal{H}[X, A \vdash Y]}_{[iKL]}$$

$$\frac{\mathcal{H}[X \vdash Y]}{\mathcal{H}[X \vdash A, Y]}^{[\mathit{iKR}]}$$

$$\frac{\mathcal{H}[X \vdash Y]}{\mathcal{H}[X' \vdash Y' \ \ X \vdash Y]} \, {}^{[\textit{eKL}]}$$

$$\frac{\mathcal{H}[X \vdash Y]}{\mathcal{H}[X \vdash Y X' \vdash Y']}_{\text{[eKR]}}$$

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$$\frac{\mathcal{H}[X \vdash Y]}{\mathcal{H}[X \vdash A, Y]} \, {}^{[\mathit{iKR}]}$$

$$\frac{\mathcal{H}[X \vdash Y]}{\mathcal{H}[X' \vdash Y' \ \ X \vdash Y]} \, {}^{[\textit{eKL}]}$$

$$\frac{\mathcal{H}[X \vdash Y]}{\mathcal{H}[X \vdash Y X' \vdash Y']}_{[\textit{eKR}]}$$

$$\mathcal{H}[X,A\vdash A,Y] \qquad \textit{[axK]}$$

Forms of Contraction

$$\frac{\mathcal{H}[X,A,A \vdash Y]}{\mathcal{H}[X,A \vdash Y]}_{\text{[iWL]}}$$

$$\frac{\mathcal{H}[X \vdash A, A, Y]}{\mathcal{H}[X \vdash A, Y]}_{\textit{[iWR]}}$$

Forms of Contraction

$$\frac{\mathcal{H}[X,A,A\vdash Y]}{\mathcal{H}[X,A\vdash Y]}_{[\mathit{iWL}]} \qquad \qquad \frac{\mathcal{H}[X\vdash A,A,Y]}{\mathcal{H}[X\vdash A,Y]}_{[\mathit{iWR}]}$$

$$\frac{\mathcal{H}[X'' \vdash Y'' \frown X \vdash Y \frown X' \vdash Y']}{\mathcal{H}[X' \vdash Y' \frown X', X'' \vdash X', Y'']}_{[eWo]}$$

Forms of Contraction

$$\frac{\mathcal{H}[X,A,A\vdash Y]}{\mathcal{H}[X,A\vdash Y]}_{[iWL]} = \frac{\mathcal{H}[X\vdash A,A,Y]}{\mathcal{H}[X\vdash A,Y]}_{[iWR]}$$

$$\frac{\mathcal{H}[X'' \vdash Y'' \longrightarrow X \vdash Y \longleftarrow X' \vdash Y']}{\mathcal{H}[X \vdash Y \longleftarrow X', X'' \vdash X', Y'']}_{[eWi]}$$

Cut Elimination

A cut elimination theorem for tree hypersequent systems is relatively straightforward.

One option is a contraction-free style argument (by Negri and von Plato), following the construction for Labelled Sequent systems.

Another is the Curry-Belnap argument.

Virtues and Vices

	DISPLAY	LABELLED	DELABELLED
Cut-free	+	+	+
Explicit	+	+	+
Systematic	+	+	+
Separation	+	+	+
Subformula	+	+-	+
Nonredundant	_	+-	+
Gentzen-plus	_	+-	+

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Tomorrow

Flat hypersequents (for \$5), and structured hypersequents for two-dimensional modal logic.

Display Logic, Labelled Sequents and Hypersequents



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