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2. First-order logic .
 (Predicate logic) .
- Plan:
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| 1) 1st order structures
2) 1st order languages / formulas | semantics
(where $A^n = \{(a_1, \dots, a_n) : a_i \in A\}$
\uparrow n-tuple |
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- "syntax"
- 3) A formal system for 1st-order logic
- 4) Theorems of the formal system are the "logically valid formulas".
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- Gödel's Completeness Theorem
- (2.1) Structures -
- (2.1.1) Def. Suppose A is a set and $n \geq 1$. An n-ary relation on A is a subset $\bar{R} \subseteq A^n$
- An n-ary function on A is a function $\bar{f} : A^n \rightarrow A$.
- Examples
- a) $=$ on any set A is a 2-ary relation on A .
 - b) \leq ordering on \mathbb{R} 2-ary relation on \mathbb{R} .
 - c) $+$ on \mathbb{C} 2-ary function on \mathbb{C}
 - d) $\bar{P} \subseteq \mathbb{Z}$ $\bar{P} = \{x \in \mathbb{Z} : x \text{ is even}\}$
 ['Predicate' : 'Relation'].

Notation If $\bar{R} \subseteq A^n$
 $\& (a_1, \dots, a_n) \in A^n$ write
 $\bar{R}(a_1, \dots, a_n)$ (or say this holds)
if $(a_1, \dots, a_n) \in \bar{R}$.

(2.1.2) Def A first-order structure

\mathcal{A} consists of :

- 1) A non-empty set A
(the domain of \mathcal{A})
- 2) A set $\{\bar{R}_i : i \in I\}$
of relations on A , $\bar{R}_i \subseteq A^{n_i}$
($i \in I$)

- 3) A set $\{\bar{f}_j : j \in J\}$ of
functions $\bar{f}_j : A^{m_j} \rightarrow A$
(for $j \in J$)
- 4) A set $\{\bar{c}_k : k \in K\} \subseteq A$
of constants : just elements of A .

the sets I, J, K are indexing sets
(can be empty). Usually subsets
of \mathbb{N} .

The information

$(n_i : i \in I)$
 $(m_j : j \in J)$

Denote : $\underbrace{K}_{\text{domain}}$ $\underbrace{\text{relations}}_{\text{functions constants.}}$

$\mathcal{A} = \langle A ; (\bar{R}_i : i \in I), (\bar{f}_j : j \in J), (\bar{c}_k : k \in K) \rangle$

(2.1.3) Examples.

① Orderings

$A = \mathbb{N}, \mathbb{Z}, \mathbb{Q}$ or \mathbb{R}

Right take

$$I = \{1\}$$

$$n_1 = 2$$

$$J = K = \emptyset$$

$\bar{R}_1(a_1, a_2)$ to mean
" $a_1 \leq a_2$ " .

② Groups.

Groups could use the signature

\bar{R} 2-ary relation for =

\bar{m} 2-ary function for group operation

\bar{i} 1-ary function for inverse .

\bar{e} constant (for identity elt.)

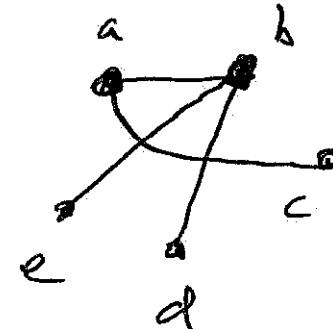
<u>Rings</u>	
\bar{R}	2-ary rel. for =
\bar{m}	2-ary function for multiplication
\bar{a}	2-ary function for addition
\bar{n}	1-ary function for $x \mapsto -x$
$\bar{0}, \bar{1}$	constants (for zero and one).

④ Arithmetic

$$\langle \mathbb{N}; \bar{R}, \bar{a}, \bar{m}, \bar{s}, \bar{0} \rangle$$

as in ③ \bar{s} function $x \mapsto x + 1$

⑤ Graphs. (simple, loopless)



\bar{E} 2-ary relation
for edge relation
(adjacency).
 \bar{R} equality .

(2.2) First-order languages.

(2.2.1) Def. A 1st order language \mathcal{L}

has an alphabet of symbols:

variables x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots

punctuation () ,

connectives $\neg \rightarrow$

quantifier \forall

relation symbols: R_i ($i \in I$)

function symbols: f_j ($j \in J$)

constant symbols: c_k ($k \in K$)

I, J, K are indexing sets

(could have J, K being \emptyset)

Each R_i has an arity n_i 4

Each f_j has an arity m_j .

The information

$((n_i : i \in I), (m_j : j \in J), K)$

is called the signature of \mathcal{L} .

A 1st order structure \mathfrak{A}

with the same signature as \mathcal{L}
is called an \mathcal{L} -structure.

The correspondence between the
rel., fn. and constant symbols
in \mathcal{L} and the relations, fns. +
constants in \mathfrak{A}

$(R_i \mapsto \bar{R}_i)$ etc.)

is called an interpretation of \mathcal{L} .

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(2.2.2) Def. A term

of \mathcal{L} is defined as follows:

- i) Any variable is a term;
- ii) Any constant symbol is a term;
- iii) If f is an m -ary function symbol and t_1, \dots, t_m are terms, then $f(t_1, \dots, t_m)$ is a term.

Example If \mathcal{L} has a 2-ary

function symbol f and constant symbols c_0, c_1 (and ...)

Some terms: c_0, c_1, x_1

$f(c_0, x_1)$ $f(x_2, f(c_0, x_1))$