

Collection Frames for Substructural Logics

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To *better understand*,
to *simplify* and to *generalise*
the ternary relational semantics
for substructural logics.

Ternary Relational Frames

Multiset Relations

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Soundness

Completeness

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In RW^+ and in R^+

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(Finite) Multisets

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Finding our Target

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So, it should satisfy analogues of *reflexivity* and *transitivity*.

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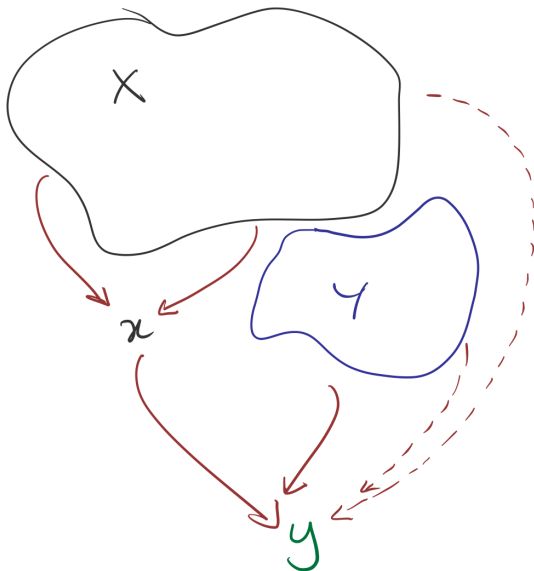
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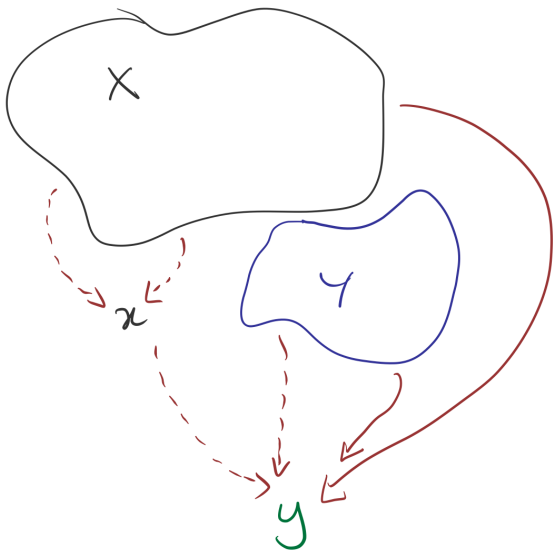
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Compositional Multiset Relations

$R \subseteq \mathcal{M}(P) \times P$ is *compositional* iff for each $X, Y \in \mathcal{M}(P)$ and $y \in P$

- $[y] R y$
- $(\exists x)(X R x \wedge [x] \cup Y R y) \iff X \cup Y R y$

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so $X \cup Y \mathrel{R} y$ iff for some $X' \leq X$ and $Y' \leq Y$, $y = \Pi(X' \cup Y')$.
But $\Pi(X' \cup Y') = \Pi X' \times \Pi Y' = \Pi([\Pi X'] \cup Y')$, and $X \mathrel{R} \Pi X'$.

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If $[x] R y$ and $[y] R z$,
then since $[x] R y$ and $[y] \cup [] R z$,
we have $[x] R z$, as desired.

R respects order

$$\underline{X} \text{ R } \bar{y}$$

Propositions

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Extend \Vdash to structures by setting

$$x \Vdash \epsilon \text{ iff } [] R x$$

$$x \Vdash \Gamma, \Gamma' \text{ iff } x \Vdash \Gamma \text{ and } x \Vdash \Gamma'$$

$$x \Vdash \Gamma; \Gamma' \text{ iff for some } y, z \text{ where } [y, z] R x, y \Vdash \Gamma \text{ and } y \Vdash \Gamma'$$

COMPLETENESS

The canonical RW^+ frame is a multiset frame.

BEYOND MULTISETS

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If $Y(x)$ is a multiset containing x and X is a multiset, $Y(X)$ is the multiset found by *replacing* x in $Y(x)$ by X , in the natural way.

e.g., if $Y(x)$ is $[1, 2, 3, x]$ then $Y([3, 4])$ is $[1, 2, 3, 3, 4]$.

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(Sequents $\Gamma \succ A$ with a non-empty right hand side.)

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OPEN QUESTION: Is the logic of set frames *exactly* R^+ ?

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The *empty list* is straightforward and natural.

The *empty tree* is less straightforward.

(To get the logic B^+ take the empty tree to be a *left* but not a *right* identity.)

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What *other* finite structures give rise
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- ▶ Different logics are found by varying the *collections* being related, whether sets, multisets, lists, trees or something else.

THANK YOU!