

Isomorphisms in a Category of Proofs

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To show how a category of propositions
and *classical* proofs can give rise to
finely grained hyperintensional notions
of sameness of content.

One notion is *very* finely grained
(distinguishing p and $p \wedge p$)
others are is less finely grained.

One of these notions amounts to equivalence in
Richard B. Angell's logic of analytic containment.

To apply distinctively
prooftheoretical methods
to issues in philosophical logic.

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The Category of Classical Proofs

Isomorphisms

More Proofs from A to A

Matching & Logics of Analytic Containment

Matching as Isomorphism

THE CATEGORY OF CLASSICAL PROOFS

There can be different ways to prove the same thing

$$p \wedge q \succ p \vee q$$

Four different derivations,

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Proof terms are an *invariant*
for derivations under rule permutation.

δ_1 and δ_2 have the same *term* iff
some permutation sends δ_1 to δ_2 .

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Ingredients

λ terms • flow graphs • proof nets

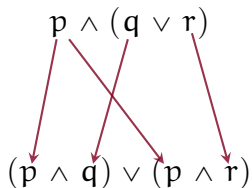
A proof term for $\Sigma \succ \Delta$
encodes the flow of information
in a proof of $\Sigma \succ \Delta$.

Proof Terms

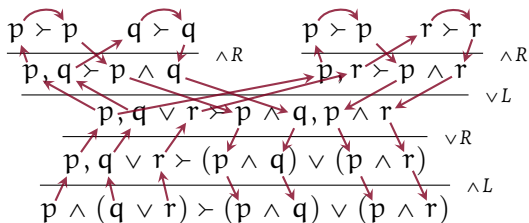
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Proof Terms as Graphs on Sequents

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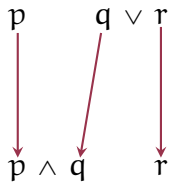
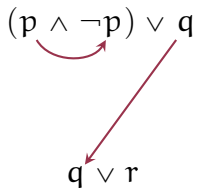
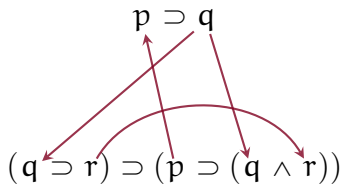
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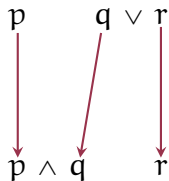
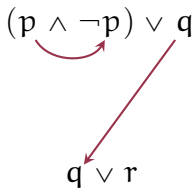
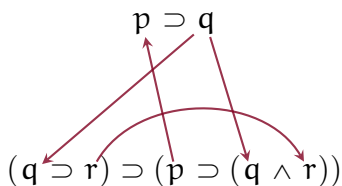
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Links wholly internal to a *premise* or a *conclusion* are called *cups* (↪) and *caps* (↩).

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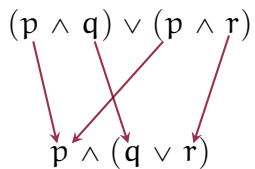
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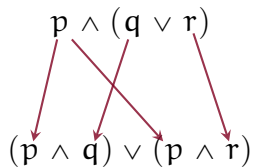
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- ▶ They must satisfy an “enough connections” condition, amounting to a non-emptiness under every *switching*. [e.g. the obvious linking between premise $p \vee q$ and conclusion $p \wedge q$ is not connected enough to be a proof term.]

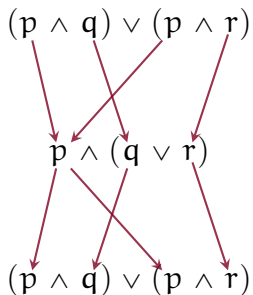
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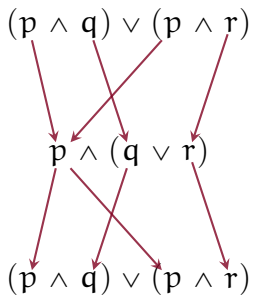


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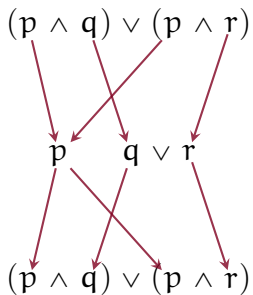


The *cut formula* is no longer a premise or a conclusion in the proof term.

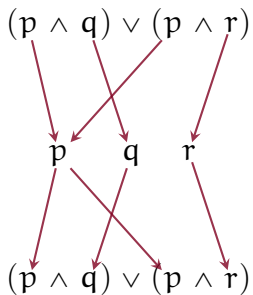
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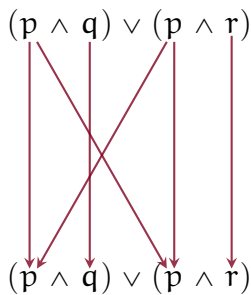
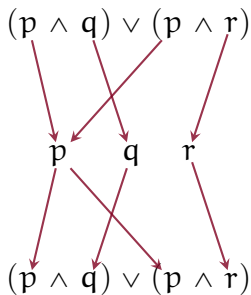
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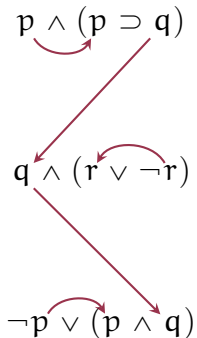
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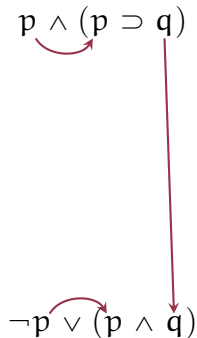
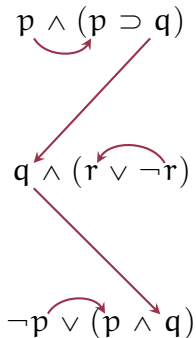
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\mathcal{C} is the Category of Classical Proofs

OBJECTS Formulas — A, B , etc.

ARROWS Cut-Free Proof Terms — $\pi : A \multimap B$.

COMPOSITION Composition of derivations with the elimination of *Cut* — If $\pi : A \multimap B$ and $\tau : B \multimap C$ then $\tau \circ \pi : A \multimap C$.

IDENTITY Canonical identity proofs — $Id(A) : A \multimap A$.

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Two vertical red arrows point upwards from the bottom expression to the top expression, indicating a transformation or identity.

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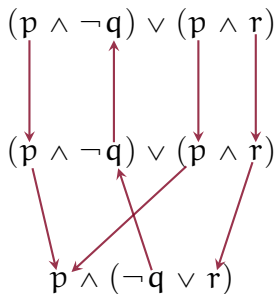
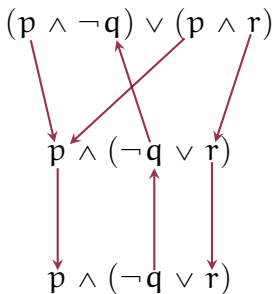
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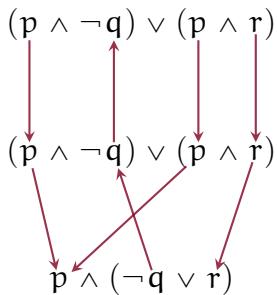
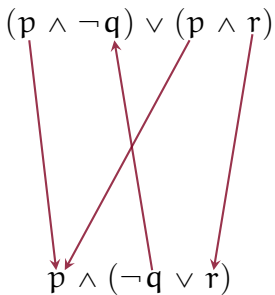
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- ▶ A *positive* occurrence of an atom in the premise linked *to* its mate in the conclusion.
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- ▶ There are no other links.

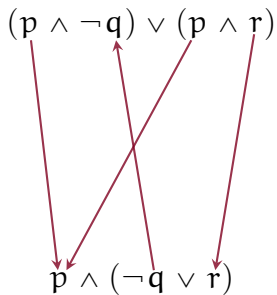
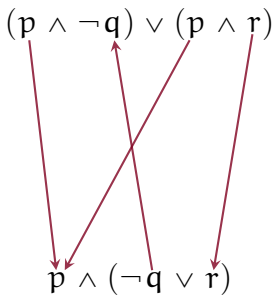
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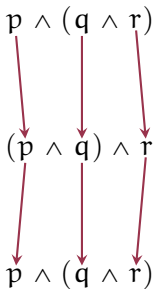


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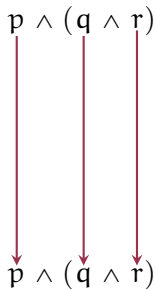
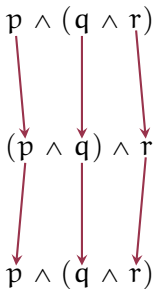
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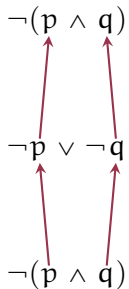


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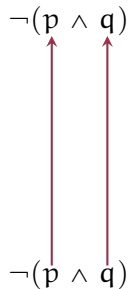
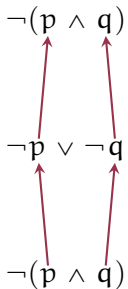
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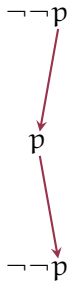


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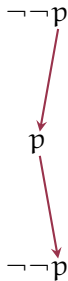
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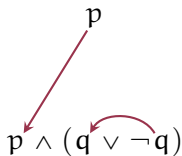
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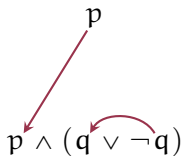


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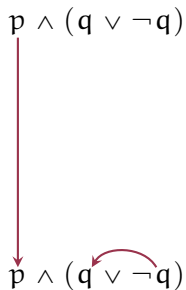
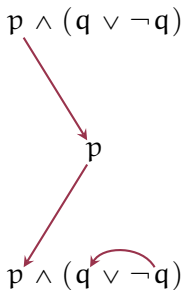
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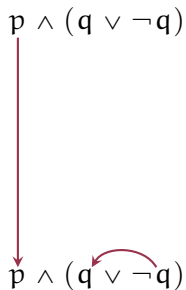
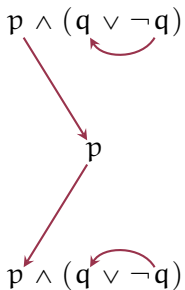
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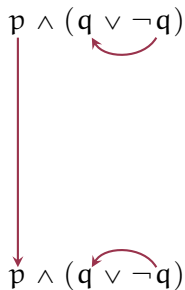
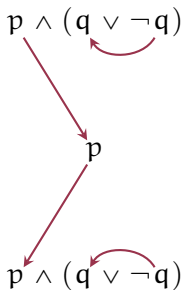
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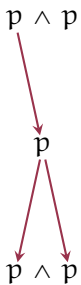
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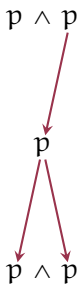
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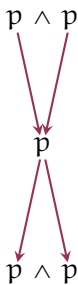
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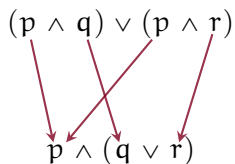
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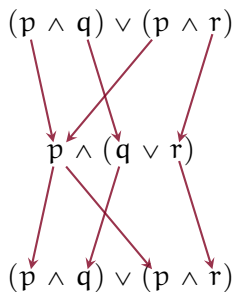
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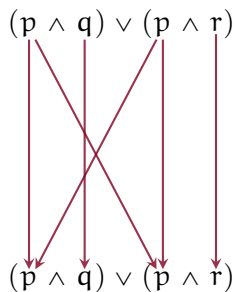
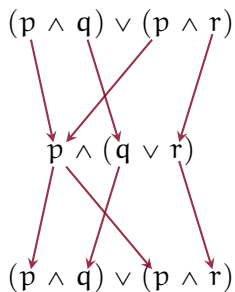
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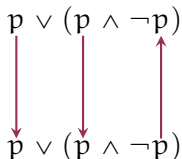
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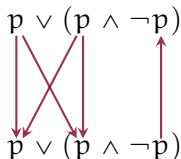
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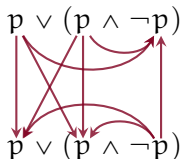
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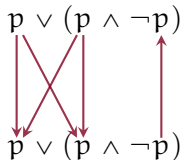
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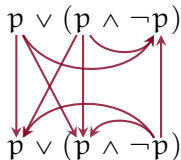
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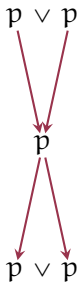
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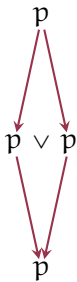
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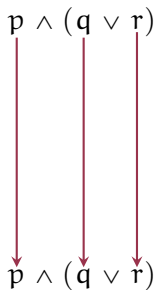
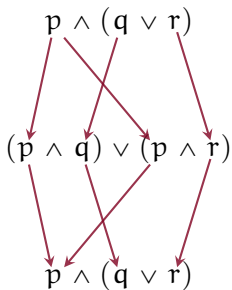
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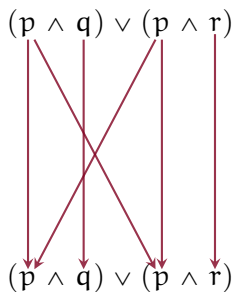
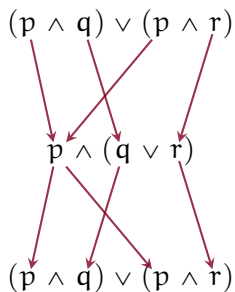
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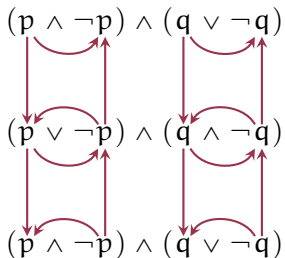
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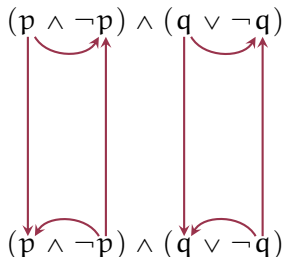
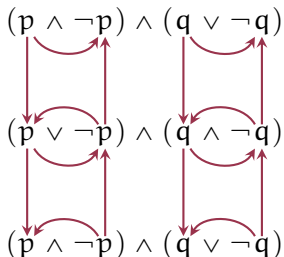
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MATCHING & LOGICS OF ANALYTIC CONTAINMENT

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Extensions of Angell's Logic

- ▶ The first degree fragment of *Parry's* Logic of Analytic Containment is found by adding $(A \vee (B \wedge \neg B)) \rightarrow A$ to Angell's Logic.
 - ▶ Parry's logic still satisfies this relevance constraint: $A \rightarrow B$ is provable only when the atoms in B are present in A .
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 - ▶ A simple translation encodes FDE inside classical logic. Choose, for each atom p , a fresh atom p' , its *shadow*. For each FDE formula A , its translation is the formula A' found by replacing the negative occurrences of atoms p in A by their shadows. An argument is FDE valid iff its translation is classically valid.

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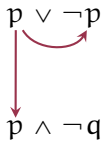
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Open Question

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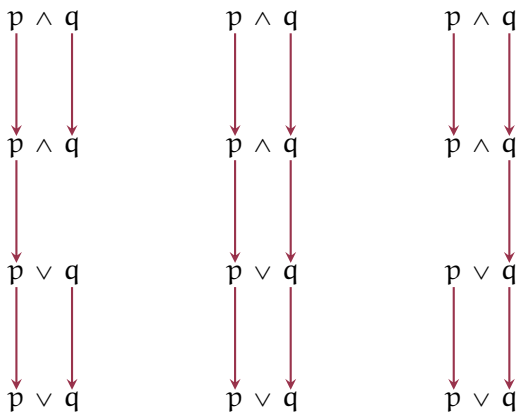
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