

ONTOLOGY ANALYSIS PROJECT

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1. AXIOMS

The two ontologies in my project are

http://colore.oor.net/bipartite_incidence/graphical_incidence.clif

and

http://colore.oor.net/bipartite_incidence/point_line.clif

The Prover9 translations of the ontologies are in the files *graphical_incidence.in* and *point_line.in*.

2. CONSISTENCY

Each of the ontologies is consistent, since we are able to construct models for them using Mace4.

A model for *graphical_incidence.in* can be found in *graphical_incidence.model*, and a model for *point_line.in* can be found in *point_line.in*.

The two ontologies are mutually consistent; a model of the union of the two ontologies can be found in *combined_ontology.model*.

3. ENTAILMENT

Neither ontology entails the other, since we can construct models of one ontology that falsify the other ontology.

nonentail1.model is a model of *graphical_incidence.in* that falsifies the axiom

```
(all x all y
  ((line(x)
    & line(y)
    & (x != y))
  ->
  (exists z
    (point(z)
    & in(z,x)
    & -in(z,y))))).
```

in *point_line.in*. (The input file is *nonentail1.in*).

On the other hand, *nonentail2.model* is a model of *point_line.in* that falsifies the axiom in *graphical_incidence.in*. (The input file is *nonentail2.in*)

```
(all x all y all z all l
  ((point(x)
    & point(y)
    & point(z)
```

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& line(l)
& in(x,l)
& in(y,l)
& in(z,l))
->
((z = x) | (z = y) | (x = y))).

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The axioms which are entailed by both ontologies can be found in *similarity.in*. Most of the axioms are common, but one additional axiom of *graphical_incidence.in* is also entailed by *point_line.in*:

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(all l
  (line(l)
    ->
    (exists p
      (point(p)
        & in(p,l)))))).

```

The proof of this is found in *ontology2_entails_axiom06.proof* (The input file is *ontology2_entails_axiom06.in*).

4. COMPLETE LISTING OF FILES

- (1) *graphical_incidence.clif*
- (2) *point_line.clif*
- (3) *graphical_incidence.in*
- (4) *point_line.in*
- (5) *graphical_incidence.model*
- (6) *point_line.model*
- (7) *combined_ontology.model*
- (8) *nonentail1.in*
- (9) *nonentail1.model*
- (10) *nonentail2.in*
- (11) *nonentail2.model*
- (12) *ontology2_entails_axiom06.in*
- (13) *ontology2_entails_axiom06.proof*
- (14) *similarity.in*