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1 Propositional Logic

1.1 Syntax

Definition 1.1.1. (Propositional Logic) $\Sigma_P = \{P_1, \dots\}$ is the countably infinite set of propositional symbols. $\Omega_0 = \{\top, \perp, \neg, \wedge, \vee, \rightarrow, \longleftrightarrow\}$ is the set of operators with arity $\alpha : \Omega_0 \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$.

The formal language, or syntax, of the propositional logic is $\mathcal{L}_0(\Omega_0) = \mathbb{T}_{\Omega_0}(\Sigma_P)$, that is:

$$\psi ::= P \in \Sigma_P \mid \underbrace{o(\psi_1, \dots, \psi_n)}_{\text{where } \alpha(o)=n}$$

- **Precedence:** (in order) of operators in Ω_0 : $\longleftrightarrow < \rightarrow < \vee < \wedge < \neg$.
- $\psi_1 \equiv \psi_2$ denotes syntactically identical propositions (abstract syntax trees).

1.2 Semantics

- Boolean Algebra $\mathbf{B} = (\{0, 1\}, +, \cdot)$ where $\mathbb{B} = \{0, 1\}$.

Definition 1.2.1. (Interpretation) The interpretation \mathcal{I} of the proposition $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_0$ is a function $\mathcal{I} : \Sigma_P \rightarrow |\mathbf{B}|$. The set of interpretations is denoted $\Sigma_{\mathcal{I}} = \mathcal{P}[\Sigma_P \rightarrow |\mathbf{B}|]$.

Definition 1.2.2. (Valuation) The *truth* value of the proposition $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_0$ in the context of the interpretation \mathcal{I} , denoted $\mathcal{T}[\![\psi]\!]_{\mathcal{I}}$, where $\mathcal{T}[\![\cdot]\!]_{\mathcal{I}} : \mathcal{L}_0 \rightarrow |\mathbf{B}|$

is inductively defined by

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{T} \llbracket \top \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} &= 1 & \mathcal{T} \llbracket \perp \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} &= 0 \\
\mathcal{T} \llbracket P \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} &= \mathcal{I}(P) & \mathcal{T} \llbracket \neg \psi \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} &= \overline{\mathcal{T} \llbracket \psi \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}}} \\
\mathcal{T} \llbracket \psi_1 \wedge \psi_2 \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} &= \mathcal{T} \llbracket \psi_1 \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} \cdot \mathcal{T} \llbracket \psi_2 \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} & \mathcal{T} \llbracket \psi_1 \vee \psi_2 \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} &= \mathcal{T} \llbracket \psi_1 \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} + \mathcal{T} \llbracket \psi_2 \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} \\
\mathcal{T} \llbracket \psi_1 \rightarrow \psi_2 \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} &= \overline{\mathcal{T} \llbracket \psi_1 \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}}} + \mathcal{T} \llbracket \psi_2 \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} & \mathcal{T} \llbracket \psi_1 \longleftrightarrow \psi_2 \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} &= \overline{\mathcal{T} \llbracket \psi_1 \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} \oplus \mathcal{T} \llbracket \psi_2 \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}}}
\end{aligned}$$

- **Notation:** $\models_{\mathcal{I}} \psi \iff \mathcal{T} \llbracket \psi \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} = 1$.

Lemma 1.2.1. (Coincidence Lemma I) For all $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_0$ and $\mathcal{I}, \mathcal{I}' \in \Sigma_{\mathcal{I}}$,

$$(\forall P \in \llbracket \psi \rrbracket_P. \mathcal{I}(P) = \mathcal{I}'(P)) \implies \mathcal{T} \llbracket \psi \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} = \mathcal{T} \llbracket \psi \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}'}.$$

- $\implies \models \psi$ is decidable w/ $O(2^{|\llbracket \psi \rrbracket_P|})$ complexity via truth tables.

Definition 1.2.3. (Tautology, Satisfiable, Contradiction) For $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_0$:

- (i) ψ is a tautology, or *valid*, iff $\forall \mathcal{I} \in \Sigma_{\mathcal{I}}. \models_{\mathcal{I}} \psi$.
- (ii) ψ is satisfiable, iff $\exists \mathcal{I} \in \Sigma_{\mathcal{I}}. \models_{\mathcal{I}} \psi$.
- (iii) ψ is unsatisfiable, or a contradiction, iff $\forall \mathcal{I} \in \Sigma_{\mathcal{I}}. \not\models_{\mathcal{I}} \psi$.

Definition 1.2.4. (Entailment and Equivalence) A proposition ψ_1 entails ψ_2 , denoted $\psi_1 \models \psi_2$ iff $\forall \mathcal{I} \in \Sigma_{\mathcal{I}}. \models_{\mathcal{I}} \psi_1 \implies \models_{\mathcal{I}} \psi_2$. The propositions ψ_1 and ψ_2 are equivalent, denoted $\psi_1 \simeq \psi_2 \iff \psi_1 \models \psi_2 \wedge \psi_2 \models \psi_1$.

- **Notation:** $\models \Delta$ is equivalent to $\emptyset \models \Delta$, $\{\psi_1\} \models \psi_2$ is equivalent to $\psi_1 \models \psi_2$, and $\Gamma_1, \Gamma_2 \models \Delta$ is equivalent to $\Gamma_1 \cup \Gamma_2 \models \Delta$.

Theorem 1.2.1. For all $\Gamma, \Delta \in \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{L}_0)$:

- (i) $\Gamma \models \Delta \iff \neg \Gamma \cup \Delta$ is contradicting.
- (ii) Γ is contradicting $\implies \Gamma \models \Delta$.
- (iii) $\models \Delta \iff \Delta$ is a tautology $\iff \neg \Delta$ is contradicting.

Theorem 1.2.2. (Preorder \models) The tuple (\mathcal{L}_0, \models) is a preorder:

- (R) *Reflexive:* $\forall \psi \in \mathcal{L}_0. \psi \models \psi$

(T) *Transitive*: $\forall \psi, \phi, \varphi \in \mathcal{L}_0. \psi \models \phi \wedge \phi \models \varphi \implies \psi \models \varphi$

Theorem 1.2.3. (Monotonicity of \models)

$$\forall \Gamma_1, \Gamma_2, \Delta \in \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{L}_0). \Gamma_1 \models \Delta \wedge \Gamma_1 \subseteq \Gamma_2 \implies \Gamma_2 \models \Delta.$$

Theorem 1.2.4. (Equivalence Relation \simeq) $\simeq: \mathcal{L}_0 \rightarrow \mathcal{L}_0$ is an equivalence relation on \mathcal{L} :

(R) *Reflexive*: $\forall \psi \in \mathcal{L}_0. \psi \simeq \psi$

(S) *Symmetric*: $\forall \psi, \phi \in \mathcal{L}_0. \psi \simeq \phi \implies \phi \simeq \psi$

(T) *Transitive*: $\forall \psi, \phi, \varphi \in \mathcal{L}_0. \psi \simeq \phi \wedge \phi \simeq \varphi \implies \psi \simeq \varphi$

Theorem 1.2.5. (Congruence \simeq) $\simeq: \mathcal{L}_0 \rightarrow \mathcal{L}_0$ is a congruence relation on \mathcal{L}_0 , that is

$$\forall \psi, \phi \in \mathcal{L}_0. \psi \simeq \phi \implies (\forall C \in \Sigma_C. C[\psi] \simeq C[\phi]),$$

where $C \in \Sigma_C$ is the set of contexts of \mathcal{L}_0 , defined by:

$$\begin{array}{l} C ::= [\cdot] \\ \quad | \neg C \\ \quad | C * \psi \quad | \psi * C \end{array}$$

where $*$ $\in \{\wedge, \vee, \rightarrow, \longleftrightarrow\} \subset \Sigma_\Omega$.

Theorem 1.2.6. (Deduction Theorem) For all $\psi, \phi \in \mathcal{L}_0$:

(i) $\models \psi \rightarrow \phi \iff \psi \models \phi$

(ii) $\models \psi \longleftrightarrow \phi \iff \psi \simeq \phi$

1.2.1 Equivalences

- Idempotent laws:

$$\psi \wedge \psi \simeq \psi \quad \psi \vee \psi \simeq \psi.$$

- Commutative laws:

$$\psi_1 \wedge \psi_2 \simeq \psi_2 \wedge \psi_1 \quad \psi_1 \vee \psi_2 \simeq \psi_2 \vee \psi_1.$$

- Associative laws:

$$(\psi_1 \wedge \psi_2) \wedge \psi_3 \simeq \psi_1 \wedge (\psi_2 \wedge \psi_3) \quad (\psi_1 \vee \psi_2) \vee \psi_3 \simeq \psi_1 \vee (\psi_2 \vee \psi_3).$$

- Distributive laws:

$$\psi_1 \vee (\psi_2 \wedge \psi_3) \simeq (\psi_1 \vee \psi_2) \wedge (\psi_1 \vee \psi_3) \quad \psi_1 \wedge (\psi_2 \vee \psi_3) \simeq (\psi_1 \wedge \psi_2) \vee (\psi_1 \wedge \psi_3).$$

- Negation laws:

$$\neg \neg \psi \simeq \psi \quad \psi \vee \neg \psi \simeq \top \quad \psi \wedge \neg \psi \simeq \perp.$$

- Identity laws:

$$\psi \wedge \top \simeq \psi \quad \psi \vee \perp \simeq \psi.$$

- Annihilation laws:

$$\psi \wedge \perp \simeq \perp \quad \psi \vee \top \simeq \top.$$

- De Morgans' laws:

$$\neg(\psi_1 \wedge \psi_2) \simeq \neg \psi_1 \vee \neg \psi_2 \quad \neg(\psi_1 \vee \psi_2) \simeq \neg \psi_1 \wedge \neg \psi_2.$$

- Connective equivalence laws:

$$\psi_1 \longleftrightarrow \psi_2 \simeq (\psi_1 \rightarrow \psi_2) \wedge (\psi_2 \rightarrow \psi_1) \simeq (\neg \psi_1 \wedge \neg \psi_2) \vee (\psi_1 \wedge \psi_2)$$

$$\psi_1 \rightarrow \psi_2 \simeq \neg \psi_1 \vee \psi_2$$

- Contrapositive:

$$\psi_1 \rightarrow \psi_2 \simeq \neg \psi_2 \rightarrow \neg \psi_1.$$

1.2.2 Normal Forms

- **Problem:** Existence of *adequate* propositional logics $\implies \mathcal{L}_0$ contains redundancy.
- **Examples:**
 - $\mathcal{L}_0(\{\top, \perp, \neg, \vee, \wedge\}) \cong \mathcal{L}_0$, by connective equivalence laws.
 - $\mathcal{L}_0(\{\neg, \vee, \wedge\}) \cong \mathcal{L}_0$, by negation laws.
 - $\mathcal{L}_0(\{\neg, \wedge\}) \cong \mathcal{L}_0(\{\neg, \vee\}) \cong \mathcal{L}_0$ by De Morgans' laws

Definition 1.2.5. (Primitive Propositional Logic) The primitive propositional logic is $\mathcal{L}_0^P = \mathcal{L}_0(\{\top, \perp, \neg, \vee, \wedge\})$, henceforth denoted $\mathcal{L}_0^P \subset \mathcal{L}_0$.

Definition 1.2.6. (Dual) The dual of a primitive proposition $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_0^P$, denoted ψ^* , where $\cdot^* : \mathcal{L}_0^P \rightarrow \mathcal{L}_0^P$ is inductively defined by

$$\begin{aligned} P^* &= \neg P & \top^* &= \perp & \perp^* &= \top \\ (\neg\psi)^* &= \neg\psi^* & (\psi_1 \wedge \psi_2)^* &= \psi_1^* \vee \psi_2^* & (\psi_1 \vee \psi_2)^* &= \psi_1^* \wedge \psi_2^* \end{aligned}$$

Theorem 1.2.7. (Principle of Duality)

$$\forall \psi \in \mathcal{L}_0^P. \psi^* \simeq \neg\psi.$$

Definition 1.2.7. (Negation Normal Form) A literal is defined by $\ell ::= P \mid \neg P$. A primitive proposition $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_0^P$ is said to be in negation normal form, iff

$$\psi \in \mathcal{L}_0(\{\neg P : P \in \Sigma_P\} \cup \{\wedge, \vee\}) = \mathcal{L}^{NNF}.$$

Definition 1.2.8. (Conjunctive and Disjunctive Normal Forms) A negation normalized proposition $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_0^{NNF}$ is said to be in conjunctive normal form (CNF) if $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_0^{CNF} \cong \mathcal{L}_0^{NNF}$, defined by:

$$C ::= \ell \vee C \mid \ell \qquad \psi ::= C \wedge \psi \mid C$$

That is $\psi \equiv \bigwedge_{i=0}^n \bigvee_{j=0}^{m_i} \ell_{ij}$.

A negation normalized proposition $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_0^{NNF} \cong \mathcal{L}_0^{NNF}$ is said to be in disjunctive normal form (DNF) if $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_0^{DNF}$, defined by:

$$C ::= \ell \wedge C \mid \ell \qquad \psi ::= C \vee \psi \mid C$$

That is $\psi \equiv \bigvee_{i=0}^n \bigwedge_{j=0}^{m_i} \ell_{ij}$.

- Translation from \mathcal{L}_0 to CNF (or DNF):
 - Eliminate \rightarrow and \longleftrightarrow .
 - Push \neg using $\neg\neg\psi \simeq \psi$ and De Morgans' laws.
 - Push \vee (or \wedge) using distributive laws.
 - Simplify w/ *absorption law*: $\psi_1 \wedge (\psi_1 \vee \psi_2) \simeq \psi_1$ and $(\neg\psi_1 \vee \psi_2) \wedge (\psi_1 \vee \psi_2) \simeq \psi_2$.

1.2.3 Clauses

Definition 1.2.9. (Clause) A (set-based) *clause* is a finite set of literals $C \in \mathcal{P}(\Sigma_\ell) = \Sigma_C$. A family of clauses $\Delta \in \mathcal{P}(\Sigma_C) = \Sigma_\Delta$. The empty clause \emptyset is semantically equivalent to \perp ($\bigvee \emptyset = \perp$, by identity).

- Σ_Δ and \mathcal{L}_0 are congruent.
- The sets of positive and negative literals in a clause C are denoted $P(C), N(C) \subseteq C$, respectively.

Theorem 1.2.8. A family of clauses $\Delta \in \Sigma_\Delta$ may be simplified:

1. For all $C, C' \in \Delta$,

$$C \subseteq C' \implies \Delta \simeq_\Delta \Delta \setminus \{C'\}.$$

2. For all C ,

$$P(C) \cap N(C) \neq \emptyset \implies \Delta \simeq_\Delta \Delta \setminus \{C\}.$$

- **Kowalski Notation:** The clause $\{\neg P_0, \dots, \neg P_k, P_{k+1}, \dots, P_n\}$ are written as $P_0 \wedge \dots \wedge P_k \rightarrow P_{k+1} \vee \dots \vee P_n$.

1.3 Proof Systems

- **Problem:** Decidable methods to determine whether $\Gamma \models \psi$ holds.
- **Solution:** Proof Systems

1.3.1 Hilbert-Style Proof System

- A proof system is said to be *Hilbert-style* if it has a minimal set of axiom and inference rules *with* a Modus Ponens inference rule. Useful for **LCF** style ATP.

Definition 1.3.1. (Hilbert-Style \mathcal{H}_0) \mathcal{H}_0 , the Hilbert-style proof system for Propositional logic, is defined on the language $\mathcal{L}_0(\{\neg, \rightarrow\})$ (henceforth denoted \mathcal{L}_0) with the following axioms and inference rules:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{(S)} \frac{}{(\psi \rightarrow (\phi \rightarrow \chi)) \rightarrow ((\psi \rightarrow \phi) \rightarrow (\psi \rightarrow \chi))} \quad \text{(K)} \frac{}{\psi \rightarrow (\phi \rightarrow \psi)} \\
 & \text{(N)} \frac{}{(\neg\phi \rightarrow \neg\psi) \rightarrow ((\neg\phi \rightarrow \psi) \rightarrow \phi)} \\
 & \text{(MP)} \frac{\psi \quad \psi \rightarrow \phi}{\phi}
 \end{aligned}$$

Theorem 1.3.1. (Deduction Theorem) For all $\Gamma \in \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{L}_0)$ and propositions $\psi, \phi \in \mathcal{L}_0$,

$$\Gamma, \psi \vdash_{\mathcal{H}_0} \phi \iff \Gamma \vdash_{\mathcal{H}_0} \psi \rightarrow \phi.$$

- The deduction theorem justifies the standard: “Assume ψ , prove ϕ . So we have $\psi \rightarrow \phi$ ” argument \implies *Natural Deduction* or Sequent forms.

Theorem 1.3.2. (Soundness and Completeness of \mathcal{H}_0) \mathcal{H}_0 is sound and complete, that is

$$\forall \Gamma \in \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{L}), \psi \in \mathcal{L}. \Gamma \vdash_{\mathcal{H}_0} \psi \implies \Gamma \models \psi,$$

and

$$\forall \Gamma \in \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{L}_0), \psi \in \mathcal{L}_0. \Gamma \models \psi \implies \Gamma \vdash_{\mathcal{H}_0} \psi.$$

1.3.1.1 The Sequent Form

- **Idea:** Explicit movement of assumptions via a *sequent*

Definition 1.3.2. (Sequent) A sequent in the proof system \mathcal{P} for \mathcal{L} is a meta-formula of the form $\Gamma \vdash \psi$, where $\Gamma \in \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{L})$ and $\psi \in \mathcal{L}$.

- The *sequent form* of a proof system \mathcal{P} explicitly specifies the assumptions Γ in the proof trees \mathcal{T} .
- The set of sequents on a language \mathcal{L} is denoted $\mathcal{S}_{\mathcal{L}}$.
- By substitutivity (theorem ??) we may simplify our proofs by incorporating theorems (and meta-theorems) as *derived rules* (denoted with a ') of the proof system.

Definition 1.3.3. (The Sequent Form of \mathcal{H}_0) \mathcal{H}_0^s , the sequent form of \mathcal{H}_0 is a proof system, is defined on the language $\mathcal{S}_{\mathcal{L}_0}$ with the following axioms and inference rules:

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 (\text{R}') \frac{\psi \in \Gamma}{\Gamma \vdash \psi} & (\text{S}) \frac{}{\Gamma \vdash (\psi \rightarrow (\phi \rightarrow \chi)) \rightarrow ((\psi \rightarrow \phi) \rightarrow (\psi \rightarrow \chi))} \\
 (\text{K}) \frac{}{\Gamma \vdash \psi \rightarrow (\phi \rightarrow \psi)} & (\text{N}) \frac{}{\Gamma \vdash (\neg \phi \rightarrow \neg \psi) \rightarrow ((\neg \phi \rightarrow \psi) \rightarrow \phi)} \\
 (\text{MP}) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \psi \quad \Gamma \vdash \psi \rightarrow \phi}{\Gamma \vdash \phi} & \\
 (\text{DT I}') \frac{\Gamma, \psi \vdash \phi}{\Gamma \vdash \psi \rightarrow \phi} & (\text{DT E}') \frac{\Gamma \vdash \psi \rightarrow \phi}{\Gamma, \psi \vdash \phi}
 \end{array}$$

- $\Delta \vdash_{\mathcal{H}_0^s} (\Gamma \vdash \psi) \iff \Delta, \Gamma \vdash_{\mathcal{H}_0} \psi$.
- The sequent form \mathcal{H}_0^s w/ derived rules and operators provides a richer proof system. (See notes for derived rules).

Definition 1.3.4. (Derived Operator) A *derived operator* $O^\Delta \notin \Omega$ is an operator o defined in terms of operators in Ω , given by $O^\Delta(\psi_1, \dots, \psi_n) \triangleq$

$O(\psi_1, \dots, \psi_n)$ where $O(\psi_1, \dots, \psi_n) \in \mathcal{L}_0(\Omega)$.

$$\begin{aligned}\top &\triangleq \psi \rightarrow \psi \\ \perp &\triangleq \neg(\psi \rightarrow \psi) \\ \psi \vee \phi &\triangleq \neg\psi \rightarrow \phi \\ \psi \wedge \phi &\triangleq \neg(\psi \rightarrow \neg\phi)\end{aligned}$$

Each derived operator $O^\Delta(\psi_1, \dots, \psi_n) \triangleq O(\psi_1, \dots, \psi_n)$ has the introduction and elimination rules:

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash O^\Delta(\psi_1, \dots, \psi_n)}{\Gamma \vdash O(\psi_1, \dots, \psi_n)} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash O(\psi_1, \dots, \psi_n)}{\Gamma \vdash O^\Delta(\psi_1, \dots, \psi_n)}$$

1.3.2 Gentzen's Natural Deduction System

- **Idea:** Derived rules from $\mathcal{H}_0^\mathcal{S}$ results in a *natural system*. A non-minimal system that consists of *introduction* and *elimination* (or left or right) rules for each operator.

Definition 1.3.5. (\mathcal{G}_0 Proof System) The \mathcal{G}_0 proof system, Gentzen's Natural Deduction System, is defined on the language $\mathcal{S}_{\mathcal{L}_0}$ with the following axioms and inference rules:

Operator	Introduction	Elimination
\perp	$(\perp I) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \psi \wedge \neg \psi}{\Gamma \vdash \perp}$	$(\perp E) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \perp}{\Gamma \vdash \psi}$
\top	$(\top I) \frac{}{\Gamma \vdash \top}$	$(\top E) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \top}{\Gamma \vdash \psi \vee \neg \psi}$
\neg	$(\neg I) \frac{\Gamma, \psi \vdash \perp}{\Gamma \vdash \neg \psi}$	$(\neg E) \frac{\Gamma, \neg \psi \vdash \perp}{\Gamma \vdash \psi}$
$\neg\neg$	$(\neg\neg I) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \psi}{\Gamma \vdash \neg\neg \psi}$	$(\neg\neg E) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \neg\neg \psi}{\Gamma \vdash \psi}$
\vee	$(\vee I_1) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \psi}{\Gamma \vdash \psi \vee \phi} \quad (\vee I_2) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \phi}{\Gamma \vdash \psi \vee \phi}$	$(\vee E) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \psi \vee \phi \quad \Gamma \vdash \psi \rightarrow \chi \quad \Gamma \vdash \phi \rightarrow \chi}{\Gamma \vdash \chi}$
\wedge	$(\wedge I) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \psi \quad \Gamma \vdash \phi}{\Gamma \vdash \psi \wedge \phi}$	$(\wedge E_1) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \psi \wedge \phi}{\Gamma \vdash \psi} \quad (\wedge E_2) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \psi \wedge \phi}{\Gamma \vdash \phi}$
\rightarrow	$(\rightarrow I) \frac{\Gamma, \psi \vdash \phi}{\Gamma \vdash \psi \rightarrow \phi}$	$(\rightarrow E) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \psi \quad \Gamma \vdash \psi \rightarrow \phi}{\Gamma \vdash \phi}$
\longleftrightarrow	$(\longleftrightarrow I) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \psi \rightarrow \phi \quad \Gamma \vdash \phi \rightarrow \psi}{\Gamma \vdash \psi \longleftrightarrow \phi}$	$(\longleftrightarrow E_1) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \psi \longleftrightarrow \phi}{\Gamma \vdash \psi \rightarrow \phi} \quad (\longleftrightarrow E_2) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \psi \longleftrightarrow \phi}{\Gamma \vdash \phi \rightarrow \psi}$

1.3.3 Sequent Calculus

- **Idea:** Extends \mathcal{G}_0 w/ *generalized sequents*.

Definition 1.3.6. (Generalized Sequent) An generalized sequent in a proof system \mathcal{P} for $\mathcal{L}_0(\Omega)$ where $\vee \in \Omega$ is a meta-formula of the form $\Gamma \vdash \Delta$, where $\Gamma, \Delta \in \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{L})$, with the semantic definition

$$\Gamma \vdash \Delta \iff \Gamma \vdash \bigvee \Delta.$$

- Semantically, by deduction theorem and soundness and completeness:

$$\Gamma \vdash \Delta \iff \models \bigwedge \Gamma \rightarrow \bigvee \Delta$$

- The generalized sequent: explicitly specifies the assumptions Γ *and* reduces non-determinism (branching) on \vee .

Definition 1.3.7. (Sequent Calculus \mathcal{S}_0 Proof System) \mathcal{S}_0 , the Sequent calculus proof system for Propositional logic, is defined on the generalized sequent form language of $\mathcal{L}_0(\Omega_0)$ with the following axioms and inference rules:

Operator	Left	Right
Axiom	(A) $\frac{}{\Gamma, \psi \vdash \Delta, \psi}$	
\neg	$(\neg l) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi}{\Gamma, \neg \psi \vdash \Delta}$	$(\neg r) \frac{\Gamma, \neg \psi \vdash \perp}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \neg \psi}$
\wedge	$(\wedge l) \frac{\Gamma, \psi, \phi \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma, \psi \wedge \phi \vdash \Delta}$	$(\wedge r) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi \quad \Gamma \vdash \Delta, \phi}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi \wedge \phi}$
\vee	$(\vee l) \frac{\Gamma, \psi \vdash \Delta \quad \Gamma, \phi \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma, \psi \vee \phi \vdash \Delta}$	$(\vee r) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi, \phi}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi \vee \phi}$
\rightarrow	$(\rightarrow l) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi \quad \Gamma, \phi \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma, \psi \rightarrow \phi \vdash \Delta}$	$(\rightarrow r) \frac{\Gamma, \psi \vdash \Delta, \phi}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi \rightarrow \phi}$
\longleftrightarrow	$(\longleftrightarrow l) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi, \phi \quad \Gamma, \psi, \phi \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma, \psi \longleftrightarrow \phi \vdash \Delta}$	$(\longleftrightarrow r) \frac{\Gamma, \psi \vdash \Delta, \phi \quad \Gamma, \phi \vdash \Delta, \psi}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi \longleftrightarrow \phi}$

Theorem 1.3.3. (Soundness and Completeness of \mathcal{S}_0) \mathcal{S}_0 is sound and complete, that is

$$\forall \Gamma, \Delta \in \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{L}). \Gamma \vdash_{\mathcal{S}_0} \Delta \iff \Gamma \models \bigvee \Delta.$$

Proof. By the soundness and completeness of \mathcal{H}_0 and the derived rules of \mathcal{H}_0 (see notes), then it follows that \mathcal{S}_0 is sound and complete. \square

1.3.3.1 Structural Rules

- Structural rules apply to generalized sequents, as opposed to operators.

Lemma 1.3.1. (Weakening) We have the following weakening rules:

$$(\text{Weaken } l) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma, \psi \vdash \Delta} \quad (\text{Weaken } r) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi}$$

- *Contradiction* not required for *our formalization* due to the usage of sets since $\{x, x\} = \{x\}$.

$$(\text{Contradiction } l) \frac{\Gamma, \psi, \psi \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma, \psi \vdash \Delta} \quad (\text{Contradiction } r) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi, \psi}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi}$$

Lemma 1.3.2. (Contradiction) We have the following contradiction rules:

Theorem 1.3.4. (Cut Elimination Theorem) The rule

$$(\text{Cut}) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi \quad \Gamma, \psi \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta}$$

is *derived*.

1.4 Automated Theorem Proving

- Proof systems \mathcal{P} yield *decidable methods* for determining whether $\Gamma \models \psi$ holds *given* a proof tree \mathcal{T}
- **Problem:** Determining whether $\Gamma \models \psi$ holds *without* a proof tree \implies Automated Theorem Proving.
- Many automated methods use search algorithms on proof trees (see Tableaux Calculus) or *clause-based* methods (See section ?? for *clauses*).

1.4.1 Tautology Checking

- **Approach:** Reduce $\Gamma \models \psi$ to $\models \underbrace{\bigwedge \Gamma}_{\phi} \rightarrow \psi$ via deduction theorem and uncurrying.
- **Solutions:**
 - Truth tables, considering $\mathcal{T}[\cdot]_{\mathcal{I}}$ under the finite $2^{|\llbracket \phi \rrbracket_P|}$ interpretations.
 - *Tautology checking:* Determine whether $\not\models \phi$ is true. (*falsifying*)
- **Approach:** Determine whether $\not\models \phi$ using *clauses*

Theorem 1.4.1. For a family of clauses $\Delta \in \Sigma_{\Delta}$:

- (i) $\not\models C \iff P(C) \cap N(C) = \emptyset$
- (ii) $\not\models \Delta \iff \exists C \in \Delta. \not\models C$

Definition 1.4.1. (\mathcal{T}_0 Proof System) The \mathcal{T}_0 (tautology checking) proof system is defined on the language Σ_{Δ} with the following axiom and inference rule:

$$(i) \frac{P(C) \cap N(C) = \emptyset}{\{C\}}$$

$$(ii) \frac{\{C_k\}}{\{C_1, \dots, C_n\}} [1 \leq k \leq n]$$

with the axioms and inference rules corresponding to statements in Theorem ??.

Theorem 1.4.2. (Completeness and Soundness of \mathcal{T}_0) The proof system \mathcal{T}_0 satisfies

$$\not\vdash_{\mathcal{T}_0} \Delta \iff \Gamma \models \psi.$$

- Method to prove $\Gamma \models \psi$:
 1. Compute $\Delta = \llbracket \bigwedge \Gamma \rightarrow \psi \rrbracket_{CNF} \llbracket \Delta$
 2. Determine whether $\vdash_{\mathcal{T}_0} \Delta$ is true, a *tautological refutation* using \mathcal{T} . Performing simplification on Δ improves efficiency (see theorem ??).
 3. If $\vdash_{\mathcal{T}_0} \Delta$ is true, then $\Gamma \models \psi$.
- **Advantage:** If a refutation cannot be found, then it is easy to determine a satisfiable interpretation.

1.4.2 Propositional Resolution

- **Problem:** CNF of $\bigwedge \Gamma \rightarrow \psi$ has an exponential space complexity (due to distributive law).
- **Solution:** Use $\Gamma \models \psi \iff \bigwedge \Gamma \wedge \neg\psi$ is contradicting.

The (set-based) family of clause representation of $\bigwedge \Gamma \wedge \neg\psi$ computed using:

$$\llbracket \bigwedge \Gamma \wedge \neg\psi \rrbracket_{\Delta} = \bigcup_{\varphi \in \Gamma \cup \{\neg\psi\}} \llbracket \varphi \rrbracket_{CNF} \llbracket \Delta.$$

Improved efficiency by computing the CNF of smaller propositions.

Theorem 1.4.3. (Resolution Theorem) For all $\psi_1, \psi_2, \psi_3 \in \mathcal{L}_0$,

$$(\psi_1 \vee \psi_2) \wedge (\neg\psi_1 \vee \psi_3) \text{ is satisfiable} \implies \psi_2 \vee \psi_3 \text{ is satisfiable.}$$

Definition 1.4.2. (\mathcal{R}_0 Proof System) The \mathcal{R}_0 (propositional resolution) proof system is defined on the language Σ_Δ with the following axiom and inference rules:

$$\begin{aligned} (\emptyset) & \frac{\emptyset \in \Delta}{\Delta} \\ (R) & \frac{\Delta \cup \{C \setminus \{p\} \cup \overline{C} \setminus \{\neg p\} : C \in \Lambda_p, \overline{C} \in \overline{\Lambda}_p\}}{\Delta \cup \Lambda_p \cup \overline{\Lambda}_p} \end{aligned}$$

where $\Lambda_p = \{p \in C : C \in \Delta'\}$, $\overline{\Lambda}_p = \{\neg p \in \overline{C} : \overline{C} \in \Delta'\}$ and $\Delta' = \Delta \cup \Lambda_p \cup \overline{\Lambda}_p$.

- This yields a $O(|\llbracket \Delta \rrbracket_p|)$ algorithm. Since each application of (R) removes a predicate symbol \implies terminating.

Theorem 1.4.4. (Completeness and Soundness of \mathcal{R}_0) The proof system \mathcal{R}_0 satisfies

$$\vdash_{\mathcal{R}_0} \Delta \iff \Delta \text{ is unsatisfiable.}$$

- Method to prove $\Gamma \models \psi$:
 1. Compute $\Delta = \llbracket \bigwedge \Gamma \wedge \neg \psi \rrbracket_\Delta$
 2. Determine whether $\vdash_{\mathcal{R}_0} \Delta$ is true, a *refutation* using \mathcal{R}_0 . Performing simplification on Δ improves efficiency (see theorem ??).
 3. If $\vdash_{\mathcal{R}_0} \Delta$ is true, then Δ is contradicting. Hence $\Gamma \models \psi$ is true.
- Often useful to use resolution trees, e.g.

$$\frac{\frac{\{\neg P, R\} \quad \{P\}}{\{R\}} \quad \{\neg R\}}{\emptyset}$$

with the resolution rule: $\frac{P, \Delta \quad \neg P, \Gamma}{\Delta, \Gamma}$.

- **Strategies:**
 - Ignore irrelevant clauses: Not all clauses are or can be used in a resolution proof (e.g. clauses containing *pure literals*)

- Set of support: Initial application of resolution must contain the clause of the consequence ($\neg\psi$).
- Linear resolution: Each resolvent is the parent clause for the next resolvent w/ the other parent being drawn from the set of axiom clauses e.g.

$$\frac{\frac{\frac{\{\neg P\} \quad \{P, Q\}}{\{Q\}} \quad \{P, \neg Q\}}{\{P\}} \quad \{\neg P\}}{\emptyset}$$

Additional space complexity improvement by only storing the current resolvent (starting w/ the set of support).

- Cuts: Using a cut (or case split):

$$\frac{\neg P, \Gamma \quad P, \Gamma}{\Gamma}$$

is often useful to reduce clause sizes.

1.4.3 DPLL

- DPLL: simple clausal-based ATP procedure that determines unsatisfiability.

Definition 1.4.3. (Pure Literal) A literal ℓ is pure in $\Delta \iff$ no clause $C \in \Delta$ contains $\neg\ell$.

- **Algorithm:**

1. Delete all tautological clauses: $\{P, \neg P, \dots\}$. $\top \wedge C \simeq C$
2. Delete all clauses containing *pure literals*.
3. Unit propagation: For each unit clause $\{\ell\}$:
 - Delete all clauses containing ℓ . $\ell \wedge (\ell \vee C) \simeq C$.
 - Delete $\neg\ell$ from all clauses. $\ell \wedge (\neg\ell \vee C) \simeq C \wedge \psi$
4. Case split: Perform a case split (cut) on some literal ℓ , recursively applying the DPLL method on Δ, ℓ and $\Delta, \neg\ell$. Satisfiable \iff one of the cases is satisfiable. $(\ell \wedge \psi) \vee (\neg\ell \wedge \psi) \simeq \psi$.

5. If the empty clause is generated \implies unsatisfiable (a refutation).
 If all clauses are deleted \implies satisfiable.

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let dpll Δ
| S.is_empty Δ = True
| S.empty ∈ Δ = False
| otherwise = rule1
where
  rule1 = maybe rule2 dpll (unit_prop Δ)
  rule2 = maybe rule3 dpll (pure_lit Δ)
  rule3 = dpll (S.insert {p} Δ)
          || dpll (S.insert {¬p} Δ)

  // arbitrary choice. Could optimize based on occurrence of literal etc
  p = max (S.filter is_pos (S.unions Δ))

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- **Terminates:** Each unit propagation removes a propositional symbol and $\llbracket \Delta \rrbracket_P$ is finite.
- The set of unit propagations $\{\ell_1, \dots\}$ (for a satisfiable termination) defines a satisfying interpretation \mathcal{I} s.t $\forall 1 \leq i \leq n. \models_{\mathcal{I}} \ell_i$.

Definition 1.4.4. (DPLL Proof System) The \mathcal{D}_0 DPLL proof system is defined on the sequents of Σ_Δ w/ the following axioms and inference rules:

$$\begin{array}{l}
 \text{(Unit)} \frac{\Gamma, \ell \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \{\ell\}} \\
 \text{(Unit E}_1\text{)} \frac{\Gamma, \ell \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma, \ell \vdash \Delta, C \cup \{\ell\}} \qquad \text{(Unit E}_2\text{)} \frac{\Gamma, \ell \vdash \Delta, C}{\Gamma, \ell \vdash \Delta, C \cup \{\neg \ell\}} \\
 \text{(Split)} \frac{\Gamma, \ell \vdash \Delta \quad \Gamma, \neg \ell \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta} \qquad \text{(Unsat)} \frac{}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \emptyset}
 \end{array}$$

Theorem 1.4.5. (Completeness and Soundness of \mathcal{D}_0) The proof system \mathcal{D}_0 satisfies

$$\vdash_{\mathcal{D}_0} \Delta \iff \Delta \text{ is unsatisfiable.}$$

1.4.4 Binary Decision Diagrams

- **Problem:** $\mathcal{T}_0, \mathcal{D}_0, \mathcal{R}_0$ proof systems still suffer from exponential increase in number of literals (due to distributivity) for clause-based methods.
- **Observation:** Semantic mapping of boolean algebra operators $\{\bar{\cdot}, \cdot, +, \oplus\}$ and syntactic operators $\Omega_0 = \{\neg, \wedge, \vee, \longleftrightarrow, \rightarrow\}$. Reason about tautologies using semantics expressions.
- The homogenous Boolean algebra $\mathbf{B} = (\{0, 1\}, \{\bar{\cdot}, \cdot, +, \oplus\}, \{=\mathbf{B}\})$ defines the term algebra $\mathbf{B}(V) = (\mathbb{B}_\Omega(V), \Omega, \{=\mathbf{B}\})$ where $s, t, u \in \mathbb{B}(V)$ is the set of *boolean expressions* and $V = \{a, b, c, \dots\}$ is the set of boolean variables.

Definition 1.4.5. (Ternary Operator) We extend $\mathbf{B} = (\{0, 1\}, \{\bar{\cdot}, \cdot, +, \dots\}, \{=\})$ to \mathbf{B}' by introducing the *ternary operator* $a?b : c$, defined by

$$a?b : c = a \cdot b + \bar{a} \cdot c.$$

Lemma 1.4.1. The algebra $\mathbf{B}_? = (\{0, 1\}, \{\cdot? \cdot : \cdot\}, \{=\})$ is adequate, that is $\mathbb{B}_?(V) \lesssim \mathbb{B}(V)$.

Proof. The following identities prove the lemma:

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{a} &= a?0 : 1 \\ a \cdot b &= a?b : 0 = b?a : 0 \\ a + b &= a?1 : b = b?1 : a \\ a \oplus b &= a?b : (b?0 : 1) \end{aligned}$$

□

Lemma 1.4.2. For boolean expressions, $s^0, s^1, t^0, t^1 \in \mathbb{B}'(V)$, define $s = a?s^1 : s^0$ and $t = a?t^1 : t^0$, then

$$(i) \quad \bar{s} = a?\bar{s}^1 : \bar{s}^0,$$

$$(ii) \quad \text{For all } \odot \in \{\cdot, +, \oplus\},$$

$$s \odot t = a?(s^1 \odot t^1) : (s^0 \odot t^0),$$

and by extension, for all $o_n : \mathbb{B}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{B}$ n -ary boolean operators, then

$$\forall 1 \leq i \leq n. t_i = a?t_i^1 : t_i^0 \implies o_n(t_1, \dots, t_n) = a?o_n(t_1^1, \dots, t_n^1) : o_n(t_1^0, \dots, t_n^0).$$

Proof. Let s^0, s^1, t^0, t^1 be arbitrary boolean expressions. For a boolean variable a , define $s = a?s^1 : s^0$ and $t = a?t^1 : t^0$.

(i) We have

$$\begin{aligned}
 \bar{s} &= \overline{a \cdot s^1 + \bar{a} \cdot s^0} && \text{(Definition ??)} \\
 &= \overline{a \cdot s^1} \cdot \overline{\bar{a} \cdot s^0} && \text{(De Morgan's Law)} \\
 &= (\bar{a} + \overline{s^1}) \cdot (a + \overline{s^0}) && \text{(De Morgan's Law)} \\
 &= \bar{a} \cdot \overline{s^0} + a \cdot \overline{s^1} + \overline{s^0} \cdot \overline{s^1} && \text{(Distributive Law)} \\
 &= \bar{a} \cdot \overline{s^0} + a \cdot \overline{s^1} && (a \cdot b + \bar{a} \cdot c + b \cdot c = a \cdot b + \bar{a} \cdot c) \\
 &= a?s^1 : \overline{s^0}
 \end{aligned}$$

as required.

(ii) For

$\odot = \cdot$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 s \cdot t &= (a \cdot s^1 + \bar{a} \cdot s^0) \cdot (a \cdot t^1 + \bar{a} \cdot t^0) && \text{(Definition ??)} \\
 &= a \cdot s^1 \cdot t^1 + \bar{a} \cdot s^0 \cdot t^0 && \text{(Distributive Law)} \\
 &= a?s^1 \cdot t^1 : s^0 \cdot t^0
 \end{aligned}$$

a as required.

Similar proofs hold for $\odot \in \{+, \oplus\}$, with the extension by induction.

□

Theorem 1.4.6. $\mathcal{L}_0(\{\perp, \top, ? : \})$ and \mathcal{L}_0 are congruent.

Proof. Follows from the homomorphism μ between semantic and syntactic operators and lemma ??.

□

Definition 1.4.6. (TNF) A boolean expression $s \in \mathbb{B}(V)$ is said to be in *ternary normal form* (TNF) if $s \in \mathbb{B}_?(V)$, where $\mathbb{B}_?(V)$ is defined by

$$s ::= 0 \mid 1 \mid a ? s^1 : s^0$$

where $a \in V, s \in \mathbb{B}_?(V)$.

- A boolean expression s with variables a_1, \dots, a_n is denoted $s(a_1, \dots, a_n)$.

Theorem 1.4.7. All boolean expressions $s \in \mathbb{B}(V)$ may be expressed in TNF

Proof. Follows from Lemma ??

□

- **Idea:** The truth-table of some expression $s(a_1, \dots, a_n)$ yields a TNF of $s(a_1, \dots, a_n)$.

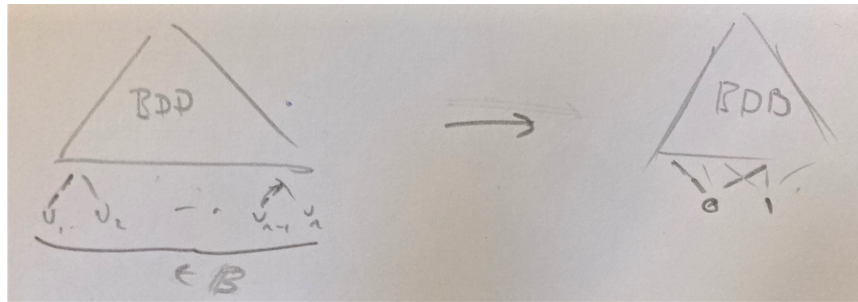
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		1	1	0
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			1	1
		0	1	0
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- **Idea:** Truth-tables may be represented using *trees* \implies BDDs

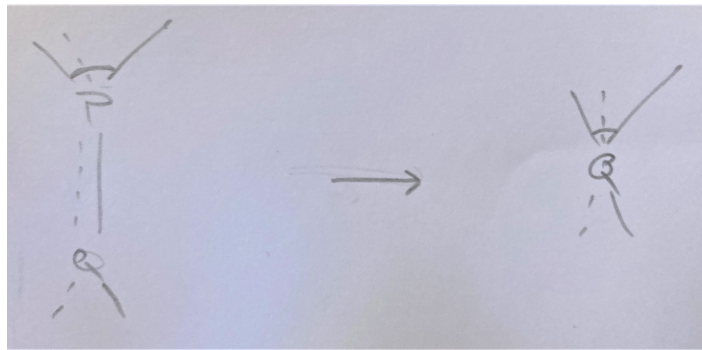
Definition 1.4.7. (BDD) A *binary decision diagram* (BDD) is a DAG $G = (V, E)$ satisfying

- **Leaf nodes:** There are at least 2 distinct leaf nodes with the labels 0 and 1 (respectively).
- **Internal nodes:** Each internal node $v \in V \setminus L$ has a boolean variable label a with two out-going edges $e_0, e_1 \in E$, referred to as the 0 (or *low*) edge (dashed) and the 1 (or *high*) edge, respectively.
- A BDD has the following \rightarrow *reductions*:

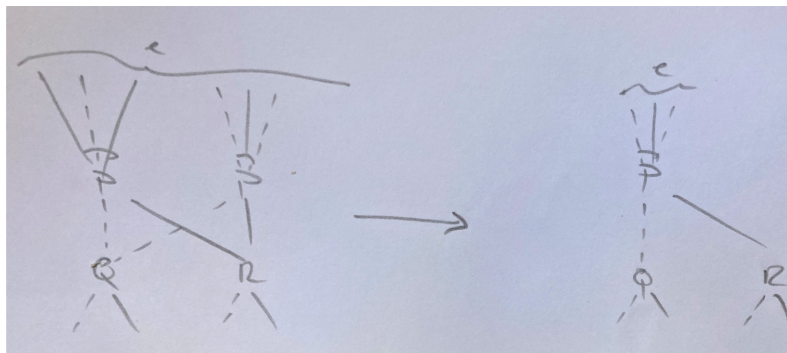
1. **Eliminating Duplicate Terminals:**



2. Eliminating Redundant Vertices:



3. Eliminating Duplicate Vertices:



- The variable (or label) of a non-terminal v w/ variable a , low vertex u and high w is associated with

$$var(v) = a, lo(v) = u, hi(v) = w.$$

This is denoted as $v = \langle a, u, w \rangle \in V \setminus L$. Leaves $v \in L$ are denote $v = \langle k \rangle$ where $k \in \mathbb{B}$.

Definition 1.4.8. (RBDD) A BDD is a *reduced BDD* if no more \rightarrow reductions may be applied.

Definition 1.4.9. (OBDD) A BDD is an *ordered BDD* (OBDD) with total order (V, \leq) , if for all (v_{x_1}, v_{x_n}) paths

$$v_{x_1} \rightarrow v_{x_2} \rightarrow \cdots \rightarrow v_{x_n},$$

$x_1 \leq x_2 \leq \cdots \leq x_n$ holds.

- An *reduced ordered BDD* (ROBDD) is a ordered BDD that is reduced.

Theorem 1.4.8. (ROBDD Representation) For a given total ordering (V, \leq) , every ROBDD $G = (V, E)$ represents a *unique boolean expression* s .

Proof. We proceed by rule induction on an ROBDD $G = (V, E)$, with the statement

$$P(v) = \exists! s^v \in \mathbb{B}_?(V).$$

Base Case: For a leaf $v = \langle k \rangle \in L$, we have the following cases:

- $v = \langle 0 \rangle$. So we have $s^v = 0$.
- $v = \langle 1 \rangle$. So we have $s^v = 1$.

So we have $P(v)$.

Inductive Step: For a vertex $v = \langle a, u, w \rangle \in V$, we wish to show that $P(u) \wedge P(w) \implies P(v)$. Let us assume that $P(u)$ and $P(w)$ hold, then we have s^u and s^w . We define

$$s^v = a?s^w : s^u,$$

where uniqueness follows from the uniqueness of s^u, s^w and a (on subpaths). So we have $P(v)$.

By the Principle of Rule Induction, we conclude the statement $P(v)$ holds for all $v \in V$. \square

Theorem 1.4.9. (ROBDD Canonicity) For a given total ordering (V, \leq) s.t $a_n \leq \cdots \leq a_1$, for all boolean expressions $s(a_1, \dots, a_n)$ there exists a unique ROBDD representing $s(a_1, \dots, a_n)$.

Proof. We proceed by induction on $n \in \mathbb{N}$ with the statement

$$P(n) = \forall s(a_1, \dots, a_n) \in \mathbb{B}_?(V). \exists! \text{ROBDD } G = (V, E). G \text{ represents } s(a_1, \dots, a_n).$$

Base Case: For $n = 0$, there exists exactly two ground expressions 0 and 1, with ROBDDs $G = (\{0\}, \emptyset)$ and $G = (\{1\}, \emptyset)$ respectively. So we have $P(0)$.

Inductive Step: We wish to show that $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}. P(n) \implies P(n+1)$. Let $n \in \mathbb{N}$ be an arbitrary natural. Let $s(a_1, \dots, a_{n+1}) \in \mathbb{B}_?(V)$. Define $s^0(a_1, \dots, a_n) = s(a_1, \dots, a_n, 0)$ and $s^1(a_1, \dots, a_n) = s(a_1, \dots, a_n, 1)$. Then it follows that

$$s(a_1, \dots, a_{n+1}) = a_{n+1} ? s^1(a_1, \dots, a_n) : s^0(a_1, \dots, a_n).$$

Let us assume that $P(n)$ holds. Instantiating for s^1 and s^0 yields the ROBDDs $G^1 = (V^1, E^1)$ and $G^0 = (V^0, E^0)$, with roots v_0 and v_1 respectively. We have the following cases:

- $G^1 \neq G^0$. Let us assume that $G^1 = G^0$. Hence $s^0 = s^{v_0} = s^{v_1} = s^1$. Hence $s = s^1 = s^0$. So we have $G = G^1 = G^0$.
- $G^1 \neq G^0$. So we have $s^{v_1} = s^1 \neq s^0 = s^{v_0}$. Define a new vertex $v = \langle a_{n+1}, v_0, v_1 \rangle$. This yields a new ROBDD $G = (V^1 \cup V^2 \cup \{v\}, E^1 \cup E^2 \cup \{(v, v_0), (v, v_1)\})$ representing s . The uniqueness of G follows from the uniqueness of G^1, G^2 and the ordering (V, \leq) .

So we have $P(n+1)$.

By the Principle of Mathematical Induction, we conclude the statement $P(n)$ holds for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$. \square

• **Consequences:**

- Tautology checking $\Gamma \models \psi$ consists of checking whether the ROBDD for ψ is equal to 1.
- Checking semantic equivalence is determined by checking whether the ROBDDs are equal.

2 First Order Logic

2.1 Syntax

Definition 2.1.1. (Homogenous Signature) A signature $\Omega = (S, \mathcal{F}, \mathcal{R})$ is homogenous, or *uni-typed* iff $S = \{s\}$, where s is some arbitrary type.

Definition 2.1.2. (Ω -Terms) For a homogenous signature $\Omega = (S, \mathcal{F}, \mathcal{R})$, the set of Ω -terms $\mathbb{T}_\Omega(V)$ (in context of \mathcal{L}_1) is defined by

$$s, t, u ::= x \in V \mid f(t_1, \dots, t_n)$$

where $f : s^n \rightarrow s \in \Omega$.

- \mathbb{T}_Ω is the set of *ground terms*.

Definition 2.1.3. (First Order Logic) For a homogenous signature Ω and set of Ω -terms $\mathbb{T}_\Omega(V)$:

- $\Sigma_A(\Omega) = \{p(t_1, \dots, t_n) : p : s^n \in \mathcal{R} \wedge t_i \in \mathbb{T}_\Omega(V)\}$ is the set of Ω -atoms.
- $\Omega_1 = \Omega_0 \cup \{\forall x.\cdot, \exists x.\cdot : x \in V\}$ is the set of operators.
- The formal language, or *syntax*, of the first order logic is $\mathcal{L}_1(\Omega_1, \Omega) = \mathbb{T}_{\Omega_1}(\Sigma_A(\Omega))$, often denoted $\mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$, that is

$$\begin{aligned} \psi & ::= p(t_1, \dots, t_n) \in \Sigma_A(\Omega) \\ & \mid \top \mid \perp \mid \neg\psi \\ & \mid \psi_1 \wedge \psi_2 \mid \psi_1 \vee \psi_2 \\ & \mid \psi_1 \rightarrow \psi_2 \mid \psi_1 \longleftrightarrow \psi_2 \\ & \mid \forall x.\psi \mid \exists x.\psi \end{aligned}$$

Definition 2.1.4. (Variables) For any term $t \in \mathbb{T}_\Omega(V)$, $var(t)$ is the set of variables in t :

$$\begin{aligned} var(x) &= \{x\} \\ var(f(t_1, \dots, t_n)) &= \bigcup_{1 \leq i \leq n} var(t_i) \end{aligned}$$

- $\mathcal{Q}x.\psi$ binds x in ψ where $\mathcal{Q} \in \{\exists, \forall\}$ is a *quantifier*.

Definition 2.1.5. (Free and bound variables) For any formula $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$, $fv(\psi)$ and $var(\psi)$ are the sets of *free* variables and *variables* in ψ , respectively:

$$\begin{aligned} fv(p(t_1, \dots, t_n)) &= \bigcup_{1 \leq i \leq n} fv(t_i) & var(p(t_1, \dots, t_n)) &= \bigcup_{1 \leq i \leq n} var(t_i) \\ fv(o(\psi_1, \dots, \psi_n)) &= \bigcup_{1 \leq i \leq n} fv(\psi_i) & var(o(\psi_1, \dots, \psi_n)) &= \bigcup_{1 \leq i \leq n} var(\psi_i) \\ fv(\mathcal{Q}x.\psi) &= fv(\psi) \setminus \{x\} & var(\mathcal{Q}x.\psi) &= var(\psi) \cup \{x\} \end{aligned}$$

The bound variables of ψ is defined as $bv(\psi) = var(\psi) \setminus fv(\psi)$.

- **Notation:** ψ may be written as $\psi(x_1, \dots, x_n)$ to denote $fv(\psi) \subseteq \{x_1, \dots, x_n\}$.

Definition 2.1.6. (Closed Formulae and Closures) $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_1$ is *closed* iff $fv(\psi) = \emptyset$. $\forall \mathbf{x}.\psi$ and $\exists \mathbf{x}.\psi$ are the *universal closure*, *existential closure* of $\psi(\mathbf{x})$.

Definition 2.1.7. (Substitution) A **substitution** θ is a partial function $\theta : V \rightarrow \mathbb{T}_\Omega(V)$.

- **Notation:** $\{t_1/x_1, \dots, t_n/x_n\}$ denotes a substitution θ , where $\theta(x_i) = t_i$ and $t/x \in \theta \iff \theta(x) = t$.

Definition 2.1.8. (Application (Terms)) The application of a substitution θ to $t \in \mathbb{T}_\Omega(V)$, denoted θt , is inductively defined by

$$\begin{aligned} \theta x &= \begin{cases} \theta(x) & \text{if } x \in \text{dom } \theta \\ x & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \\ \theta f(t_1, \dots, t_n) &= f(\theta t_1, \dots, \theta t_n) \end{aligned}$$

Definition 2.1.9. (Application (Formulae)) The application of a substitution θ to $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$, denoted $\theta\psi$, is inductively defined by

$$\begin{aligned} \theta p(t_1, \dots, t_n) &= p(\theta t_1, \dots, \theta t_n) \\ \theta o(\psi_1, \dots, \psi_n) &= o(\theta\psi_1, \dots, \theta\psi_n) \\ \theta \mathcal{Q}x.\psi &= \begin{cases} \mathcal{Q}x.[(\theta \setminus \{t/x\})\psi] & t/x \in \theta \\ \mathcal{Q}x.\theta\psi & x \notin \text{dom } \theta \wedge x \notin fv(\text{rng } \theta) \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

- Substitutions are *capture avoiding* (see quantifier case).

Definition 2.1.10. (α -equivalence) The $\equiv_\alpha: \mathbb{T}_\Omega(V) \rightarrow \mathbb{T}_\Omega(V)$ is inductively defined by

$$\frac{}{x \equiv_\alpha x} \quad \frac{\forall 1 \leq i \leq n. t_i \equiv_\alpha s_i}{o(t_1, \dots, t_n) \equiv_\alpha o(s_1, \dots, s_n)}.$$

and $\equiv_\alpha: \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega) \rightarrow \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$ is defined by

$$\frac{\forall 1 \leq i \leq n. t_i \equiv_\alpha s_i}{p(t_1, \dots, t_n) \equiv_\alpha p(s_1, \dots, s_n)} \quad \frac{\forall 1 \leq i \leq n. \psi_i \equiv_\alpha \phi_i}{o(\psi_1, \dots, \psi_n) \equiv_\alpha o(\phi_1, \dots, \phi_n)} \quad \frac{z \notin \text{var}(\psi) \cup \text{var}(\phi) \quad \{z/x\} \psi \equiv_\alpha \{z/y\} \phi}{Qx.\psi \equiv_\alpha Qy.\phi}$$

- α -equivalence is used w/ capture avoiding substitutions.

2.2 Semantics

Definition 2.2.1. (Homogeneous Algebra) A **homogeneous algebra**, \mathbf{A} is a tuple $(\mathbb{A}, \mathcal{F}_\mathbf{A}, \mathcal{R}_\mathbf{A})$ such that $(\{\mathbb{A}\}, \mathbb{A} \cup \mathcal{F}_\mathbf{A}, \mathcal{R}_\mathbf{A})$ is an algebra, with the (*implicit*) homogenous signature $(\{\mathbb{A}\}, \mathbb{A} \cup \mathcal{F}, \mathcal{R})$ where:

- $\mathcal{F}_\mathbf{A}$ is the set of functions, where for each symbol $f \in \mathcal{F}$ of type $\mathbb{A}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{A}$, there is a function $f_\mathbf{A} \in \mathcal{F}_\mathbf{A}$ of type $f_\mathbf{A}: \mathbb{A}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{A}$.
- $\mathcal{R}_\mathbf{A}$ is the set of relations, where for each symbol $p \in \mathcal{R}$ of type \mathbb{A}^n , there is a relation $p_\mathbf{A} \in \mathcal{R}_\mathbf{A}$ of type $p_\mathbf{A} \subseteq \mathbb{A}^n$.
- m -ary partial functions $f_\mathbf{A}: \mathbb{A}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{A}$ are defined as $m+1$ -ary relations $p_\mathbf{A}^f \subseteq \mathbb{A}^{m+1}$. We often define a *guard* relation $p_\mathbf{A}^f \downarrow \subseteq \mathbb{A}^m$, where $p_\mathbf{A}^f(x) \downarrow$ is true if $x \in \text{dom } f$.

Definition 2.2.2. (Valuation) For an Ω -homogenous algebra \mathbf{A} . A *valuation* $v_\mathbf{A}: V \rightarrow |\mathbf{A}|$ is a total function associating each variable $x \in V$ with a unique value $a \in |\mathbf{A}|$. Set of \mathbf{A} valuations is $\Sigma_v(\mathbf{A}) = \mathcal{P}[V \rightarrow |\mathbf{A}|]$

- The domain $|\mathbf{A}|$ must be *non-empty* for a valid valuation.

Definition 2.2.3. (Ω -interpretation) For an Ω -homogenous algebra \mathbf{A} and valuation $v_\mathbf{A}: V \rightarrow |\mathbf{A}|$, the tuple $\mathcal{I} = (\mathbf{A}, v_\mathbf{A})$ is a Ω -interpretation. The set of Ω -interpretations is given by $\Sigma_\mathcal{I}(\Omega)$.

Definition 2.2.4. (Value of terms) For a Ω -interpretations $\mathcal{I} = (\mathbf{A}, v_{\mathbf{A}})$, the value of a term t in context of \mathcal{I} is inductively defined by

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{V}_{\mathbf{A}} \llbracket x \rrbracket_{v_{\mathbf{A}}} &= v_{\mathbf{A}}(x) \\ \mathcal{V}_{\mathbf{A}} \llbracket f(t_1, \dots, t_n) \rrbracket_{v_{\mathbf{A}}} &= f_{\mathbf{A}}(\mathcal{V}_{\mathbf{A}} \llbracket t_1 \rrbracket_{v_{\mathbf{A}}}, \dots, \mathcal{V}_{\mathbf{A}} \llbracket t_n \rrbracket_{v_{\mathbf{A}}})\end{aligned}$$

Lemma 2.2.1. (Coincidence Lemma for Terms) For all Ω -interpretations $(\mathbf{A}, v_{\mathbf{A}}), (\mathbf{A}, v'_{\mathbf{A}}) \in \Sigma_{\mathcal{I}}(\Omega)$ and terms $t \in \mathbb{T}_{\Omega}(V)$,

$$\forall x \in \text{var}(t). v_{\mathbf{A}}(x) = v'_{\mathbf{A}}(x) \implies \mathcal{V}_{\mathbf{A}} \llbracket t \rrbracket_{v_{\mathbf{A}}} = \mathcal{V}_{\mathbf{A}} \llbracket t \rrbracket_{v'_{\mathbf{A}}}.$$

Definition 2.2.5. (Valuation variant) For any set variables $X \subseteq V$ and valuations $v_{\mathbf{A}}, v'_{\mathbf{A}} \in \Sigma_v(\Omega)$. $v'_{\mathbf{A}}$ is said to be an X -variant of $v_{\mathbf{A}}$, denoted $v_{\mathbf{A}} =_{\setminus X} v'_{\mathbf{A}}$, if

$$\forall y \in V \setminus X. v_{\mathbf{A}}(y) = v'_{\mathbf{A}}(y).$$

• **Notation:**

- For $X = \{x\}$, v and v' are x -variants, denoted $v =_{\setminus x} v'$.
- For $X = \{x_1, \dots, x_n\}$, if $v_X =_{\setminus X} v$ and $v_X(x_i) = a_i \in |\mathbf{A}|$ for all $x_i \in X$, then we write $v_X = \{a_1/x_1, \dots, a_n/x_n\} v$.

Definition 2.2.6. (Semantics of First Order Logic) Let $\mathcal{I} = (\mathbf{A}, v_{\mathbf{A}}) \in \Sigma_{\mathcal{I}}(\Omega)$ be a Ω -interpretation. The truth value of a formula $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$ in the context of the interpretation \mathcal{I} , denoted $\mathcal{T}_{\mathbf{A}} \llbracket \psi \rrbracket_{v_{\mathbf{A}}}$, where $\mathcal{T}_{\mathbf{A}} \llbracket \cdot \rrbracket_{v_{\mathbf{A}}} : \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega) \rightarrow |\mathbf{B}|$ is inductively defined by

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{T}_{\mathbf{A}} \llbracket p(t_1, \dots, t_n) \rrbracket_{v_{\mathbf{A}}} &= \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } (\mathcal{V}_{\mathbf{A}} \llbracket t_1 \rrbracket_{v_{\mathbf{A}}}, \dots, \mathcal{V}_{\mathbf{A}} \llbracket t_n \rrbracket_{v_{\mathbf{A}}}) \in p_{\mathbf{A}} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \\ \mathcal{T}_{\mathbf{A}} \llbracket \forall x. \psi \rrbracket_{v_{\mathbf{A}}} &= \prod_{v'_{\mathbf{A}} =_{\setminus x} v_{\mathbf{A}}} \mathcal{T}_{\mathbf{A}} \llbracket \psi \rrbracket_{v'_{\mathbf{A}}} \\ \mathcal{T}_{\mathbf{A}} \llbracket \exists x. \psi \rrbracket_{v_{\mathbf{A}}} &= \sum_{v'_{\mathbf{A}} =_{\setminus x} v_{\mathbf{A}}} \mathcal{T}_{\mathbf{A}} \llbracket \psi \rrbracket_{v'_{\mathbf{A}}}\end{aligned}$$

- The number of x -variants of v is $|\mathbf{A}|$.
- **Notation:** $\models_{(\mathbf{A}, v_{\mathbf{A}})} \psi \iff \mathcal{T}_{\mathbf{A}} \llbracket \psi \rrbracket_{v_{\mathbf{A}}} = 1$.

Lemma 2.2.2. (Coincidence Lemma II) For all $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$ and $(\mathbf{A}, v_{\mathbf{A}}), (\mathbf{A}, v'_{\mathbf{A}}) \in \Sigma_{\mathcal{I}}(\Omega)$,

$$(\forall x \in fv(\psi). v_{\mathbf{A}}(x) = v'_{\mathbf{A}}(x)) \implies \mathcal{T}_{\mathbf{A}} \llbracket \psi \rrbracket_{v_{\mathbf{A}}} = \mathcal{T}_{\mathbf{A}} \llbracket \psi \rrbracket_{v'_{\mathbf{A}}}.$$

Definition 2.2.7. (Satisfiable)

- A Ω -interpretation $\mathcal{I} = (\mathbf{A}, v_{\mathbf{A}}) \in \Sigma_{\mathcal{I}}(\Omega)$ *satisfies* $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$ iff $\models_{(\mathbf{A}, v_{\mathbf{A}})} \psi$.
- $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$ is said to be *satisfiable in* \mathbf{A} iff $\exists v_{\mathbf{A}} \in \Sigma_v(\Omega). \models_{(\mathbf{A}, v_{\mathbf{A}})} \psi$.
- $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$ is said to be *satisfiable* iff $\exists (\mathbf{A}, v_{\mathbf{A}}) \in \Sigma_{\mathcal{I}}(\Omega). \models_{(\mathbf{A}, v_{\mathbf{A}})} \psi$.

Definition 2.2.8. (Models) A Ω -homogenous algebra \mathbf{A} is a *model* (or Ω -model) for $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$ iff

$$\forall v_{\mathbf{A}} \in \Sigma_v(\Omega). \models_{(\mathbf{A}, v_{\mathbf{A}})} \psi,$$

denoted $\models_{\mathbf{A}} \psi$. For $\Delta \in \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{L}_1(\Omega))$:

- (i) \mathbf{A} is a model of Δ (denoted $\models_{\mathbf{A}} \Delta$) iff $\forall \psi \in \Delta. \models_{\mathbf{A}} \psi$.
- (ii) Δ is *consistent* iff there exists an Ω -model \mathbf{A} of Δ .

Definition 2.2.9. (Entailment and Equivalence) A formula ψ_1 entails ψ_2 , denoted $\psi_1 \models \psi_2$ iff $\forall \mathbf{A}. \models_{\mathbf{A}} \psi_1 \implies \models_{\mathbf{A}} \psi_2$. The formulae $\psi_1, \psi_2 \in \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$ are equivalent, denoted $\psi_1 \simeq \psi_2 \iff \psi_1 \models \psi_2 \wedge \psi_2 \models \psi_1$.

Definition 2.2.10. (Validity) Let \mathbf{A} be a Ω -homogenous algebra and $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$.

- ψ is *valid in* \mathbf{A} $\iff \models_{\mathbf{A}} \psi$.
- ψ is *valid, or a tautology* $\iff \models \psi$.
- A tautology ψ may have infinite models.

2.2.1 Equivalences

- Negation laws:

$$\neg(\forall x.\psi) \simeq \exists x.\neg\psi \quad \neg(\exists x.\psi) \simeq \forall x.\neg\psi.$$

- Quantifier expansion (*left*) laws:

$$(\forall x.\psi) \wedge \phi \simeq \forall x.(\psi \wedge \phi)$$

$$(\forall x.\psi) \vee \phi \simeq \forall x.(\psi \vee \phi)$$

$$(\exists x.\psi) \wedge \phi \simeq \exists x.(\psi \wedge \phi)$$

$$(\exists x.\psi) \vee \phi \simeq \exists x.(\psi \vee \phi)$$

given $x \notin fv(\phi)$. By commutativity, there equivalent *right* laws.

- Distributive laws:

$$(\forall x.\psi) \wedge (\forall x.\phi) \simeq \forall x.(\psi \wedge \phi)$$

$$(\exists x.\psi) \vee (\exists x.\phi) \simeq \exists x.(\psi \vee \phi)$$

- Implication laws:

$$(\forall x.\psi) \rightarrow \phi \simeq \exists x.(\psi \rightarrow \phi)$$

$$(\exists x.\psi) \rightarrow \phi \simeq \forall x.(\psi \rightarrow \phi)$$

given $x \notin fv(\phi)$, and

$$\psi \rightarrow (\forall x.\psi) \simeq \forall x.(\psi \rightarrow \phi)$$

$$\psi \rightarrow (\exists x.\psi) \simeq \exists x.(\psi \rightarrow \phi)$$

given $x \notin fv(\psi)$. (*Derived using the equivalence $\psi \rightarrow \phi \simeq \neg\psi \vee \phi$*).

- Expansion laws:

$$\forall x.\psi \simeq (\forall x.\psi) \wedge \{t/x\}\psi$$

$$\exists x.\psi \simeq (\exists x.\psi) \vee \{t/x\}\psi$$

- Alpha equivalence laws:

$$\psi \equiv_\alpha \phi \implies \psi \simeq \phi$$

2.3 Proof Systems

- First-order proof systems \mathcal{P} on $\mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$ consist of:
 - **Logical** Axioms and Rules: A conventional proof system $\mathcal{P}(\Omega)$ (see section ??) parameterized on Ω (due to substitutions, constants, etc).
 - **Non-logical** Axioms: Axioms defined by the algebra or *model* on Ω . e.g. Group axioms, etc.

2.3.1 Hilbert-Style Proof System

Definition 2.3.1. (Hilbert-Style $\mathcal{H}_1(\Omega)$) $\mathcal{H}_1(\Omega)$, the Hilbert-style proof system for first-order logic, is defined on the language $\mathcal{L}_1(\{\neg, \rightarrow, \forall\}, \Omega)$ (henceforth denoted $\mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$) with the following axioms and inference rules:

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 \text{(S)} \frac{}{(\psi \rightarrow (\phi \rightarrow \chi)) \rightarrow ((\psi \rightarrow \phi) \rightarrow (\psi \rightarrow \chi))} & \text{(K)} \frac{}{\psi \rightarrow (\phi \rightarrow \psi)} \\
 \text{(N)} \frac{}{(\neg\phi \rightarrow \neg\psi) \rightarrow ((\neg\phi \rightarrow \psi) \rightarrow \phi)} & \text{(\forall D)} \frac{}{(\forall x.\psi \rightarrow \phi) \rightarrow (\psi \rightarrow \forall x.\phi)} [x \notin fv(\psi)] \\
 \text{(\forall E)} \frac{}{\forall x.\psi \rightarrow \{t/x\}\psi} & \\
 \text{(MP)} \frac{\psi \quad \psi \rightarrow \phi}{\phi} & \text{(\forall I)} \frac{\{y/x\}\psi}{\forall x.\psi} [x \equiv y \vee y \notin fv(\psi)]
 \end{array}$$

Lemma 2.3.1. (Alpha Equivalence for \mathcal{H}_1) For all $\psi, \phi \in \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$,

$$\psi \equiv_\alpha \phi \implies \psi \dashv\vdash_{\mathcal{H}_1} \phi,$$

where $\psi \dashv\vdash_{\mathcal{H}_1} \phi$ iff $\psi \vdash_{\mathcal{H}_1} \phi$ and $\phi \vdash_{\mathcal{H}_1} \psi$.

Theorem 2.3.1. (The Deduction Theorem for \mathcal{H}_1) For all $\Gamma \subseteq \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$ and $\psi, \phi \in \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$:

- (i) If $\Gamma \vdash_{\mathcal{H}_1} \psi \rightarrow \phi$, then $\Gamma, \psi \vdash_{\mathcal{H}_1} \phi$.
- (ii) If $\Gamma, \psi \vdash_{\mathcal{H}_1} \phi$ and ψ is closed, then $\Gamma \vdash_{\mathcal{H}_1} \psi \rightarrow \phi$

Definition 2.3.2. (The Sequent Form of $\mathcal{H}_1(\Omega)$) $\mathcal{H}_1^s(\Omega)$, the sequent form of $\mathcal{H}_1(\Omega)$ is a proof system, is defined on the language $\mathcal{S}_{\mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)}$ with the following axioms and inference rules:

$$\begin{array}{ll}
(\text{R}') \frac{\psi \in \Gamma}{\Gamma \vdash \psi} & (\text{S}) \frac{}{\Gamma \vdash (\psi \rightarrow (\phi \rightarrow \chi)) \rightarrow ((\psi \rightarrow \phi) \rightarrow (\psi \rightarrow \chi))} \\
(\text{K}) \frac{}{\Gamma \vdash \psi \rightarrow (\phi \rightarrow \psi)} & (\text{N}) \frac{}{\Gamma \vdash (\neg\phi \rightarrow \neg\psi) \rightarrow ((\neg\phi \rightarrow \psi) \rightarrow \phi)} \\
(\forall\text{D}) \frac{}{\Gamma \vdash (\forall x.\psi \rightarrow \phi) \rightarrow (\psi \rightarrow \forall x.\phi)} [x \notin fv(\psi)] & (\forall\text{E}) \frac{}{\Gamma \vdash \forall x.\psi \rightarrow \{t/x\}\psi} \\
(\text{MP}) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \psi \quad \Gamma \vdash \psi \rightarrow \phi}{\Gamma \vdash \phi} & (\forall\text{I}) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \{y/x\}\psi}{\Gamma \vdash \forall x.\psi} [x \equiv y \vee y \notin fv(\psi) \cup fv(\Gamma)] \\
(\text{DT I}') \frac{\Gamma, \psi \vdash \phi}{\Gamma \vdash \psi \rightarrow \phi} & (\text{DT E}') \frac{\Gamma \vdash \psi \rightarrow \phi}{\Gamma, \psi \vdash \phi}
\end{array}$$

- Existential quantification is introduced via a derived operator.

Definition 2.3.3. (Existential Quantification in $\mathcal{H}_1(\Omega)$) Existential quantification in $\mathcal{H}_1(\Omega)$ is the *derived operator* defined by

$$\exists x.\psi \triangleq \neg\forall x.\neg\psi.$$

Theorem 2.3.2. Existential quantification introduction, denoted as the derived rule ($\exists\text{I}'$)

$$(\exists\text{I}') \frac{\Gamma \vdash \{t/x\}\psi}{\Gamma \vdash \exists x.\psi}$$

Proof. Let $t \in \mathbb{T}_V(\Omega)$ be arbitrary. We have

$$\begin{array}{c}
\frac{(\forall\text{E}) \frac{}{\vdash \forall x.\neg\psi \rightarrow \neg\{t/x\}\psi} \quad (\text{CP E } \leftarrow') \frac{}{\vdash (\forall x.\neg\psi \rightarrow \neg\{t/x\}\psi) \rightarrow (\neg\neg\{t/x\} \rightarrow \neg\forall x.\neg\psi)} \quad (\text{DN I } \rightarrow') \frac{}{\vdash \{t/x\}\psi \rightarrow \neg\neg\{t/x\}\psi}}{(\text{MP}) \frac{}{\vdash \neg\neg\{t/x\}\psi \rightarrow \neg\forall x.\neg\psi}} \quad (\text{T } \rightarrow') \frac{}{\vdash \{t/x\}\psi \rightarrow \neg\forall x.\neg\psi}
\end{array}$$

□

- The rule ($\exists\text{E}'$) *cannot* be expressed as a *derived rule*

$$(\exists\text{E}') \frac{\Gamma \vdash \exists x.\psi}{\Gamma \vdash \{x_0/x\}\psi} [x_0 \notin fv(\Gamma) \cup fv(\exists x.\psi)]$$

Proofs involving ($\exists\text{E}'$) are denoted $\Gamma \vdash_{\exists} \psi$.

Theorem 2.3.3. (($\exists E'$) Elimination Theorem) For all $\Gamma \in \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{L}_1(\Omega))$, $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$

$$\Gamma \vdash_{\exists} \psi \implies \Gamma \vdash_{\mathcal{H}_1} \psi,$$

assuming no variable introduced by ($\exists E'$) occurs in ψ .

Proof. (sketch) Assume there are k applications of ($\exists E'$) in $\Gamma \vdash_{\exists} \psi$. We show, for all $1 \leq i \leq k$, the statement $P(i)$ holds, that is

$$\Gamma, \{y_1^0/y_1\} \psi_1, \dots, \{y_{i-1}^0/y_{i-1}\} \psi_{i-1} \vdash_{\mathcal{H}_1} \exists y_i. \psi_i,$$

and

$$\Gamma, \{y_1^0/y_1\} \psi_1, \dots, \{y_i^0/y_i\} \psi_i \vdash_{\exists} \psi,$$

with $(k - i)$ applications of ($\exists E'$).

Proof.

Base Case: *trivial.*

Inductive Step: Replace

$$(\exists E') \frac{\Gamma, \{y_1^0/y_1\} \psi_1, \dots, \{y_{i-1}^0/y_{i-1}\} \psi_{i-1} \vdash \exists y_i. \psi_i}{\Gamma, \{y_1^0/y_1\} \psi_1, \dots, \{y_{i-1}^0/y_{i-1}\} \psi_{i-1} \vdash_{\exists} \{y_i^0/y_i\} \psi_i}$$

with

$$(R') \frac{}{\Gamma, \{y_1^0/y_1\} \psi_1, \dots, \{y_i^0/y_i\} \psi_i \vdash_{\mathcal{H}_1} \{y_i^0/y_i\} \psi_i}$$

By the Principle of Mathematical Induction, the statement $P(i)$ holds for all $1 \leq i \leq k$. \square

We show, for all $0 \leq i \leq k$, the statement $Q(i)$ holds, that is

$$\Gamma, \{y_1^0/y_1\} \psi_1, \dots, \{y_{k-i}^0/y_{k-i}\} \psi_{k-i} \vdash_{\mathcal{H}_1} \psi.$$

Proof.

Base Case: We have $Q(0) = P(k)$.

Inductive Step: We have

$$\frac{\Gamma, \{y_1^0/y_1\} \psi_1, \dots, \{y_{k-i}^0/y_{k-i}\} \psi_{k-i} \vdash \psi}{\Gamma, \{y_1^0/y_1\} \psi_1, \dots, \{y_{k-(i+1)}^0/y_{k-(i+1)}\} \psi_{k-(i+1)} \vdash \{y_{k-i}^0/y_{k-i}\} \psi_{k-i} \rightarrow \psi} \\ \frac{}{\Gamma, \{y_1^0/y_1\} \psi_1, \dots, \{y_{k-(i+1)}^0/y_{k-(i+1)}\} \psi_{k-(i+1)} \vdash \forall y_{k-i}. (\{y_{k-i}^0/y_{k-i}\} \psi_{k-i} \rightarrow \psi)}$$

We have the derived rule (see equivalences)

$$(\exists \rightarrow') \frac{\Gamma \vdash \forall x. \psi \rightarrow \phi}{\Gamma \vdash (\exists x. \psi) \rightarrow \phi} [x \notin fv(\phi)]$$

So by lemma ??, the derived rule $(\exists \rightarrow')$, and $P(k - (i + 1))$ we have:

$$(MP) \frac{\Gamma, \{y_1^0/y_1\} \psi_1, \dots, \{y_{k-(i+1)}^0/y_{k-(i+1)}\} \psi_{k-(i+1)} \vdash \exists y_{k-i}. \psi_{k-i} \quad (\exists \rightarrow') \frac{\Gamma, \{y_1^0/y_1\} \psi_1, \dots, \{y_{k-(i+1)}^0/y_{k-(i+1)}\} \psi_{k-(i+1)} \vdash \forall y_{k-i}. (\{y_{k-i}^0/y_{k-i}\} \psi_{k-i} \rightarrow \psi)}{\Gamma, \{y_1^0/y_1\} \psi_1, \dots, \{y_{k-(i+1)}^0/y_{k-(i+1)}\} \psi_{k-(i+1)} \vdash \exists y_{k-i}. \psi_{k-i} \rightarrow \psi}}{\Gamma, \{y_1^0/y_1\} \psi_1, \dots, \{y_{k-(i+1)}^0/y_{k-(i+1)}\} \psi_{k-(i+1)} \vdash \psi}$$

By the Principle of Mathematical Induction, the statement $Q(i)$ holds for all $0 \leq i \leq k$. \square

By $Q(k)$, we have $\Gamma \vdash_{\mathcal{H}_1} \psi$. So we are done. \square

- $\implies (\exists E')$ is a sound and complete rule in a non-minimal system.

Theorem 2.3.4. (Soundness and Completeness of $\mathcal{H}_1(\Omega)$) $\mathcal{H}_1(\Omega)$ is sound and complete, that is

$$\forall \Gamma \in \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{L}), \psi \in \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega). \Gamma \vdash_{\mathcal{H}_1} \psi \iff \Gamma \models \psi.$$

2.3.2 Sequent Calculus

- Extends \mathcal{S}_0 w/ introduction and elimination rules for quantifiers $\mathcal{Q} \in \{\exists, \forall\}$.

Definition 2.3.4. (Sequent Calculus $\mathcal{S}_1(\Omega)$ Proof System) $\mathcal{S}_1(\Omega)$, the Sequent calculus proof system for Propositional logic, is defined on the generalized sequent form language of $\mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$ with the following axioms and inference rules:

Operator	Left	Right
Axiom	$(A) \frac{}{\Gamma, \psi \vdash \Delta, \psi}$	
\neg	$(\neg l) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi}{\Gamma, \neg \psi \vdash \Delta}$	$(\neg r) \frac{\Gamma, \neg \psi \vdash \perp}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \neg \psi}$
\wedge	$(\wedge l) \frac{\Gamma, \psi, \phi \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma, \psi \wedge \phi \vdash \Delta}$	$(\wedge r) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi \quad \Gamma \vdash \Delta, \phi}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi \wedge \phi}$
\vee	$(\vee l) \frac{\Gamma, \psi \vdash \Delta \quad \Gamma, \phi \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma, \psi \vee \phi \vdash \Delta}$	$(\vee r) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi, \phi}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi \vee \phi}$
\rightarrow	$(\rightarrow l) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi \quad \Gamma, \phi \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma, \psi \rightarrow \phi \vdash \Delta}$	$(\rightarrow r) \frac{\Gamma, \psi \vdash \Delta, \phi}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi \rightarrow \phi}$
\longleftrightarrow	$(\longleftrightarrow l) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi, \phi \quad \Gamma, \psi, \phi \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma, \psi \longleftrightarrow \phi \vdash \Delta}$	$(\longleftrightarrow r) \frac{\Gamma, \psi \vdash \Delta, \phi \quad \Gamma, \phi \vdash \Delta, \psi}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi \longleftrightarrow \phi}$
\forall	$(\forall l) \frac{\Gamma, \{t/x\} \psi \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma, \forall x. \psi \vdash \Delta}$	$(\forall r) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \{y/x\} \psi}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \forall x. \psi} [x \equiv y \vee y \notin fv(\Gamma, \Delta, \psi)]$
\exists	$(\exists l) \frac{\Gamma, \{x_0/x\} \psi \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma, \exists x. \psi \vdash \Delta} [x_0 \notin fv(\Gamma, \Delta, \psi)]$	$(\exists r) \frac{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \{t/x\} \psi}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \exists x. \psi}$

- Note that $(\forall r)$ and $(\exists l)$ are *dual* rules.

Theorem 2.3.5. (Soundness and Completeness of $\mathcal{S}_1(\Omega)$) $\mathcal{S}_1(\Omega)$ is sound and complete, that is

$$\forall \Gamma, \Delta \in \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)). \Gamma \vdash_{\mathcal{S}_1} \Delta \iff \Gamma \models \bigvee \Delta,$$

Proof. By the soundness and completeness of $\mathcal{H}_1(\Omega)$ and the derived rules of $\mathcal{H}_1(\Omega)$, then it follows that $\mathcal{S}_1(\Omega)$ is sound and complete. \square

2.4 Skolemization

- **Notation:** \overrightarrow{Qx} denotes $Q_1x_1.Q_2x_2.\dots.Q_nx_n$. Q^* denotes the *dual quantifier* of Q .

Lemma 2.4.1. (Quantifier Movement) Let $\psi, \phi \in \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$, $z \notin \text{fv}(\psi, \phi) \cup x$. For all $Q, \mathcal{O} \in \{\forall, \exists\}$:

$$\begin{aligned} \overrightarrow{Qx} \neg \mathcal{O}y.\psi &\simeq \overrightarrow{Qx} \mathcal{O}^*y.\neg\psi \\ \overrightarrow{Qx} (\mathcal{O}y.\psi \vee \phi) &\simeq \overrightarrow{Qx} \mathcal{O}z. (\{z/y\} \psi \vee \phi) \\ \overrightarrow{Qx} (\psi \vee \mathcal{O}y.\phi) &\simeq \overrightarrow{Qx} \mathcal{O}z. (\psi \vee \{z/y\} \phi) \end{aligned}$$

Corollary 2.4.0.1.

$$\begin{aligned} \overrightarrow{Qx} (\mathcal{O}y.\psi \wedge \phi) &\simeq \overrightarrow{Qx} \mathcal{O}z. (\{z/y\} \psi \wedge \phi) \\ \overrightarrow{Qx} (\psi \wedge \mathcal{O}y.\phi) &\simeq \overrightarrow{Qx} \mathcal{O}z. (\psi \wedge \{z/y\} \phi) \\ \overrightarrow{Qx} [(\mathcal{O}y.\psi) \rightarrow \phi] &\simeq \overrightarrow{Qx} \mathcal{O}^*z. (\{z/y\} \psi \rightarrow \phi) \\ \overrightarrow{Qx} (\psi \rightarrow \mathcal{O}y.\phi) &\simeq \overrightarrow{Qx} \mathcal{O}z. (\psi \rightarrow \{z/y\} \phi) \end{aligned}$$

Proof. Follows from De Morgan's Laws, and \rightarrow equivalences. \square

Definition 2.4.1. (Quantifier-free Formulae) The set of quantifier-free formulae $\mathcal{L}_1^{QF}(\Omega)$ is defined by

$$\begin{aligned} \chi, \xi &::= p(t_1, \dots, t_n) \in \Sigma_A(\Omega) \\ &| \top \quad | \perp \quad | \neg\chi \\ &| \chi_1 \wedge \chi_2 \quad | \chi_1 \vee \chi_2 \\ &| \chi_1 \rightarrow \chi_2 \quad | \chi_1 \longleftrightarrow \chi_2 \end{aligned}$$

Definition 2.4.2. (Prenex Normal Form (PNF)) A formula $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$ is said to be in *prenex normal form* if $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_1^{PNF}(\Omega)$, where $\mathcal{L}_1^{PNF}(\Omega)$ is defined by

$$\psi, \phi ::= \chi \in \mathcal{L}_1^{QF}(\Omega) \mid \forall x.\psi \mid \exists x.\psi$$

That is $\psi = \overrightarrow{Q\mathbf{x}}\chi$.

- $\overrightarrow{Q\mathbf{x}}$ is the *prenex* and χ is the *body* of ψ .
- $\mathcal{L}_1^{PNF}(\Omega) \cong \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$.
- Translation to PNF:
 1. Use α -equivalence to obtain unique variables for all bound and free variables
 2. Use the equivalences of lemma ?? to push quantifiers out.
- PNF contains redundancy \implies PCNF

Definition 2.4.3. (Prenex Conjunctive Normal Form (PCNF)) A formula $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$ is said to be in *prenex conjunctive normal form* if $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_1^{PNF}(\Omega)$ and the body of ψ (χ) is in CNF.

- Translation from PNF to PCNF:
 1. Convert the “propositional” body χ to CNF. (see section ??)

Theorem 2.4.1. (Skolem Normal Form Theorem) Let $\psi \equiv \overrightarrow{\forall \mathbf{x}} \exists y. \phi \in \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$ where $\mathbf{x} = \{x_1, \dots, x_n\}$, y are distinct, and $Qx_i \notin \llbracket \psi \rrbracket_Q$.

Let $\Omega' = \Omega \cup \{g : s^n \rightarrow s\}$ be an *expansion* of Ω . Then

- (i) For all Ω' models of $\psi' \equiv \overrightarrow{\forall \mathbf{x}} \{g(x_1, \dots, x_n)/y\} \phi \in \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega')$ is a Ω' model of ψ .
- (ii) For all Ω models of ψ can be expanded to a Ω' model of ψ' .

Proof.

- (i) We have $\models \psi' \rightarrow \psi$. Hence for all Ω' homogenous algebra \mathbf{A} , $\models_{\mathbf{A}} \psi' \implies \models_{\mathbf{A}} \psi$ by the Deduction Theorem.

- (ii) Let \mathbf{A} be a Ω -model of ψ , that is $\models_{\mathbf{A}} \psi$. Hence for all $\mathbf{a} \in |\mathbf{A}|^n$, there exists $a \in |\mathbf{A}|$ s.t

$$\mathcal{T}_{\mathbf{A}} \llbracket \phi \rrbracket_{v_{\mathbf{A}}\{(x_i, a_i), (y, a)\}} = 1.$$

Define a function $g_{\mathbf{A}} : |\mathbf{A}|^n \rightarrow |\mathbf{A}|$ s.t

$$g(a_1, \dots, a_n) = a \iff \mathcal{T}_{\mathbf{A}} \llbracket \phi \rrbracket_{v_{\mathbf{A}}} = 1.$$

So we have

$$\mathcal{T}_{\mathbf{A}} \llbracket \phi \rrbracket_{v_{\mathbf{A}}\{(x_i, a_i), (y, g_{\mathbf{A}}(a_1, \dots, a_n))\}} = 1$$

Let \mathbf{B} be an extension of \mathbf{A} w/ signature Ω' and $g_{\mathbf{B}} = g_{\mathbf{A}}$. Then it follows that for all $v_{\mathbf{B}} \in \Sigma_v(\mathbf{B})$:

$$\mathcal{T}_{\mathbf{A}} \llbracket \{g(x_1, \dots, x_n)/y\} \phi \rrbracket_{v_{\mathbf{B}}} = 1.$$

So we have $\models_{\mathbf{B}} \psi'$.

□

Corollary 2.4.1.1. (Equisatisfiability) Let $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$, $\psi' \in \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega')$ be as defined.

- (i) $\exists \mathbf{A}. \models_{\mathbf{A}} \psi \implies \exists \mathbf{B}. \models_{\mathbf{B}} \psi'$.
- (ii) ψ is unsatisfiable $\iff \psi'$ is unsatisfiable.
 - g is said to be a *Skolem function* (for $n = 0$, $c = g()$ is a *Skolem constant*).

Definition 2.4.4. (Skolem normal form (SNF)) A formula $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$ is said to be in *skolem normal form* if $\psi \equiv \forall \mathbf{x}. \chi$ where $\chi \in \mathcal{L}_1^{QF}(\Omega)$. The set of SNF formulae is denoted $\mathcal{L}_1^{SNF}(\Omega)$.

If χ is in CNF, then ψ is in *skolem conjunctive normal form* (SCNF).

- Translating ψ to SCNF, denoted $\llbracket \psi \rrbracket_{SCNF}$:
 - Translate ψ into CNF. (see section ??)
 - Push existential quantifiers out using lemma ?? (or push universal quantifiers in: *miniscoping*) Until we have quantifier form: $\vec{\forall} \mathbf{x} \exists y. \phi$.
 - Choose $|\mathbf{x}|$ function symbol g , delete $\exists y$ and *replace free occurrences* of y w/ g : $\vec{\forall} \mathbf{x} \{g(x_1, \dots, x_n)/y\} \phi$.
- Using a PNF (pushing out quantifiers) is harder. Push quantifiers in for better clauses. This is called *miniscoping*.

2.5 Herbrand's Theorem

Definition 2.5.1. (The Herbrand Universe) Let Ω be a homogenous signature containing at least one constant. The set of *ground terms* $\mathbb{T}_\Omega \subseteq \mathbb{T}_\Omega(V)$ is called the **Herbrand Universe**.

Definition 2.5.2. (Herbrand Algebra) A Ω -algebra $\mathbf{H}(\Omega)$ where Ω contains at least one constant, is a **Herbrand Algebra** iff $|\mathbf{H}(\Omega)| = \mathbb{T}_\Omega$.

- For all $f \in \mathcal{F}$, $f_{\mathbf{H}} = f$. \mathbf{H} must define $p_{\mathbf{H}} \subseteq \mathbb{T}_\Omega^n$.
- $|\mathbf{H}(\Omega)|$ is non-empty since Ω contains at least one constant.
- Valuations $v_{\mathbf{H}}$ are *ground substitutions*: $v_{\mathbf{H}} : V \rightarrow \mathbb{T}_\Omega$ (or $|\mathbf{H}|$).

Definition 2.5.3. (Herbrand Interpretation) A Herbrand interpretation is $\mathcal{I} = (\mathbf{H}, v_{\mathbf{H}})$ where $v_{\mathbf{H}} : V \rightarrow \mathbb{T}_\Omega$. For all $t \in \mathbb{T}_V(\Omega)$ with $\text{var}(t) = \{x_1, \dots, x_n\}$,

$$\mathcal{V}_{\mathbf{H}} \llbracket t \rrbracket_{v_{\mathbf{H}}} = \{v(x_i)/x_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\} t.$$

Definition 2.5.4. (Herbrand Model) A **Herbrand model** of a set $\Delta \in \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{L}_1(\Omega))$, denoted $\models_{\mathbf{H}} \Delta$, is a Herbrand algebra \mathbf{H} s.t

$$\forall v_{\mathbf{H}} \in \Sigma_v(\mathbf{H}). \forall \psi \in \Delta. \models_{(\mathbf{H}, v_{\mathbf{H}})} \psi,$$

where $v_{\mathbf{H}}$ is a Herbrand valuation (defined on the $fv(\Delta)$).

Theorem 2.5.1. Let Ω be a homogenous signature containing at least one constant. Let $\Lambda = \{\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_n\}$ be a finite set of *ground literals*.

- (i) $\bigwedge \Lambda$ has a model $\iff P(\Lambda) \cap N(\Lambda) = \emptyset$.
- (ii) $\bigwedge \Lambda$ is never valid.
- (iii) $\bigvee \Lambda$ always has a model.
- (iv) $\bigvee \Lambda$ is valid $\iff P(\Lambda) \cap N(\Lambda) \neq \emptyset$.

Definition 2.5.5. (Ground Instances) Let Ω be a homogenous signature containing at least one constant. Let $\Delta \subseteq \left\{ \overrightarrow{\forall \mathbf{x}} \chi : \chi \in \mathcal{L}_1^{QF}(\Omega) \wedge \mathbf{x} = fv(\chi) \right\} = \mathcal{L}_1^{\forall QF}(\Omega)$ be a non-empty set of formulae. The **ground instance** of $\psi \equiv \overrightarrow{\forall \mathbf{x}} \chi \in \Delta$, denoted $\mathbf{g}(\psi)$, is

$$\mathbf{g}(\psi) = \{ \{t_1/x_1, \dots, t_n/x_n\} \chi : t_1, \dots, t_n \in \mathbb{T}_\Omega \}.$$

- $\mathfrak{g}(\Delta) = \bigcup_{\psi \in \Delta} \mathfrak{g}(\psi)$.

Theorem 2.5.2. (Herbrand's Theorem) Let Ω and Δ be as in definition ???. Then

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\Delta \text{ has a model} \\
 &\iff \Delta \text{ has a Herbrand model} \\
 &\iff \mathfrak{g}(\Delta) \text{ has a model} \\
 &\iff \mathfrak{g}(\Delta) \text{ has a Herbrand model}
 \end{aligned}$$

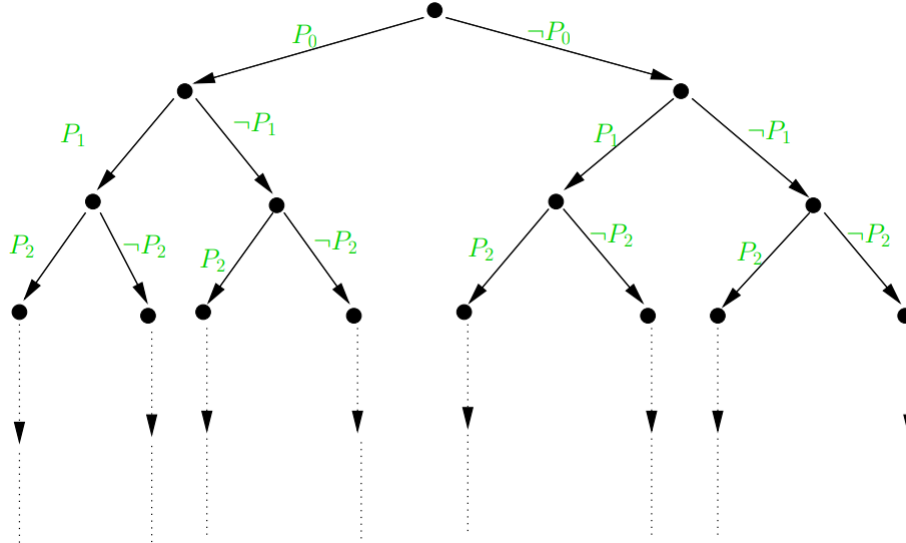
Proof. (Sketch) It suffices to show that for all $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$, ψ has a model $\implies \psi$ has a Herbrand model.

Assume $\models_{\mathbf{A}} \psi$. We define the Herbrand interpretation $(\mathbf{H}, v_{\mathbf{H}})$ where for all $p \in \mathcal{R}$

$$p_{\mathbf{H}} = \{(t_1, \dots, t_n) \in \mathbb{T}_{\Omega} : \models_{\mathbf{A}} p(t_1, \dots, t_n)\}.$$

So we have $p_{\mathbf{H}} = p_{\mathbf{A}}$. By induction, on $\mathcal{T}[\![\cdot]\!]$ and ψ , we deduce that $\models_{\mathbf{A}} \psi$. \square

- Set of Herbrand algebras may be thought paths on trees $\mathcal{T}_{|\mathbf{H}|}$ that enumerate the countably infinite set of *ground atomic formulae*: $p(t_1, \dots, t_n)$.



- Given a vertex v , \mathbf{H}_π is the Herbrand algebra defined by labels of the path $\pi \in \mathcal{T}_{|\mathbf{H}|}$ from the root to v .

Lemma 2.5.1. Let $\Delta \subseteq \mathfrak{g}(\mathcal{L}_1^{QF}(\Omega))$ be a set of ground quantifier-free formulae. Δ has a model $\iff \forall$ finite $\Gamma \in \mathcal{P}(\Delta)$. Γ has a model.

Proof.

(\implies). *Trivial.*

(\impliedby). Assume \forall finite $\Gamma \in \mathcal{P}(\Delta)$. Γ has a model. We proceed by contradiction, assume Δ does not have a model.

By Herbrand theorem, Γ has a Herbrand model and Δ does not have a Herbrand model. Hence for all paths $\pi \in \mathcal{T}_{|\mathbf{H}|}$, there exists $\chi_\pi \in \Delta$ s.t. $\not\models_{\mathbf{H}_\pi} \chi_\pi$.

Since χ_π consists of a finite set of ground atoms, there exists a finite path π s.t. $\not\models_{\mathbf{H}_\pi} \chi_\pi$. Hence the set $\{\chi_\pi : \not\models_{\mathbf{H}_\pi} \chi_\pi\} \in \mathcal{P}(\Delta)$ is a finite subset of Δ that doesn't have a Herbrand model. Hence by Herbrand's Theorem, $\{\chi_\pi : \not\models_{\mathbf{H}_\pi} \chi_\pi\}$ doesn't have a model. A contradiction!

□

Theorem 2.5.3. Let $\Delta \in \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{L}_1(\Omega))$. Δ has a model $\iff \forall$ finite $\Gamma \in \mathcal{P}(\Delta)$. Γ has a model.

Proof. (Sketch)

By lemma ??, Δ has a model $\iff \llbracket \Delta \rrbracket^{SNF} = \left\{ \llbracket \psi \rrbracket^{SNF} : \psi \in \Delta \right\}$ has a model. By Herbrand's theorem, $\iff \mathfrak{g}(\llbracket \Delta \rrbracket^{SNF})$ has a model. By lemma ??, $\iff \forall$ finite $\Gamma' \in \mathcal{P}(\mathfrak{g}(\llbracket \Delta \rrbracket^{SNF}))$ has a model.

(\implies). *Trivial*

(\impliedby). Assume Δ doesn't have a model. Hence finite Γ' does not have a model. Since Γ' is a subset of a ground instantiation of some finite $\Gamma \in \mathcal{P}(\Delta)$, denoted $\Gamma' \subseteq v_{\mathbf{H}}(\Gamma)$, then it follows that Γ does not have a model. A contradiction!

□

Theorem 2.5.4. (Skolem-Godel-Herbrand Theorem) Let $\Delta \in \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{L}_1(\Omega))$. Δ is unsatisfiable, iff \exists finite $\Gamma \in \mathcal{P}(\mathfrak{g}(\Delta))$. Γ is unsatisfiable.

Proof. See theorem ??. □

- \implies Decidable method for determining whether Δ is unsatisfiable:

– Given ψ , compute $\psi' \leftarrow \llbracket \psi \rrbracket^{SCNF}$.

– Compute:

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 $\Gamma \leftarrow \{\text{new\_instance\_of}(\psi')\}$ 
while ( $\Gamma$  is satisfiable) {
     $\Gamma \leftarrow \Gamma \cup \{\text{new\_instance\_of}(\psi')\}$ 
}

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Generating new instances of ψ' consists of enumerating the ground substitutions $v_{\mathbf{H}} : V \rightarrow \mathbb{T}_{\Omega}$, which is countable.

2.6 Unification

Definition 2.6.1. (Instance) A term $t \in \mathbb{T}_{\Omega}(V)$ is an instance of $s \in \mathbb{T}_{\Omega}(V)$ iff there exists a substitution θ s.t $t \equiv \theta s$.

- t is a *common instance* of t_1, \dots, t_n iff there exists $\theta_1, \dots, \theta_n$ s.t $t \equiv \theta_1 t_1 \equiv \theta_2 t_2 \equiv \dots \equiv \theta_n t_n$.
- **Problem:** Finding common instances \implies unification. The process of solving the “equation” $\theta s \equiv \theta t$.

Definition 2.6.2. (Unifiability) A term $t \in \mathbb{T}_{\Omega}(V)$ is *unifiable* with $s \in \mathbb{T}_{\Omega}(V)$ if there exists a substitution θ s.t $\theta t \equiv \theta s$, denoted $t \sim s : \theta$. θ is the *unifier* of s, t .

- Some unifiers may be regarded as being “more general”

Definition 2.6.3. Let θ, τ be substitutions.

- θ is *more general* than τ , denoted $\theta \succsim \tau$, iff there exists χ s.t $\tau = \chi \circ \theta$.
- θ is *strictly more general* than τ , denoted $\theta \succ \tau$ if $\theta \succsim \tau$ and $\tau \not\succsim \theta$.
- \succsim is a preorder on $\mathbf{S}_{\Omega}(V)$. $\theta \sim \tau \iff \theta \succsim \tau \wedge \tau \succsim \theta$, defines an *equivalence relation* on $\mathbf{S}_{\Omega}(V)$.

Definition 2.6.4. (Most General Unifier) A substitution θ is the *most general unifier (mgu)* of $s, t \in \mathbb{T}_{\Omega}(V)$ \iff for all unifiers $s \sim t : \tau$, there exists χ s.t $\tau = \chi \circ \theta$

- **Note:** There may be **multiple** mgus. If θ and τ are mgu's of $s, t \in \mathbb{T}_\Omega(V)$, then $\theta \sim \tau$.

Theorem 2.6.1. (Unification Algorithm) For all $t, s \in \mathbb{T}_\Omega(V)$, the mgu θ of t, s satisfies $t \sim s \triangleright \theta$, inductively defined by:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{(Var)} \frac{}{x \sim x \triangleright \emptyset} \\
 & \text{(Var-Left)} \frac{x \notin fv(\psi)}{x \sim \psi \triangleright \{t/x\}} \quad \text{(Var-Right)} \frac{x \notin fv(\psi)}{\psi \sim x \triangleright \{t/x\}} \\
 & \text{(Comp)} \frac{\psi_1 \sim \phi_1 \triangleright \theta_1 \quad \dots \quad (\theta_{n-1} \circ \dots \circ \theta_1) \psi_n \sim (\theta_{n-1} \circ \dots \circ \theta_1) \phi_n \triangleright \theta_n}{o(\psi_1, \dots, \psi_n) \sim o(\phi_1, \dots, \phi_n) \triangleright \theta_n \circ \dots \circ \theta_1}
 \end{aligned}$$

where $x \in V, o \in \Omega$.

- \implies natural recursive unification algorithm.

2.7 Automated Theorem Proving

2.7.1 First-Order Resolution

- **Recall:**

- For all $\Gamma \in \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)), \psi \in \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$, $\Gamma \models \psi \iff \Delta \cup \{\neg\psi\}$ is unsatisfiable.
- Δ has an equi-unsatisfiable set $\llbracket \Delta \rrbracket^{SNF}$

Definition 2.7.1. (SCNF Clauses) A (set-based) SCNF family of clauses of $\llbracket \psi \rrbracket^{SCNF}$ for $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_1(\Omega)$ is the set $\Delta = \{C_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\}$ s.t. $\llbracket \psi \rrbracket^{SCNF} \equiv \bigwedge_{1 \leq i \leq n} C_i$, where each clause $C_i \equiv \bigvee_{1 \leq j \leq m_i} \lambda_j$ has the (set-based) clause $C_i = \{\lambda_j : 1 \leq j \leq m_i\}$.

- **Notation:**

- For any substitution θ , $\theta C = \{\theta \lambda_j : 1 \leq j \leq m\}$
- $\mathfrak{g}(C) = \{\theta C : \theta : V \rightarrow \mathbb{T}_\Omega\}$

Lemma 2.7.1. Let $\{C_i : 1 \leq i \leq n\} \in \Sigma_\Delta(\Omega)$ be a family of clauses. Then

$$\vec{\forall \mathbf{x}} \bigwedge_{1 \leq i \leq n} C_i \simeq \bigwedge_{1 \leq i \leq n} \vec{\forall \mathbf{x}_i} C_i.$$

Proof. \forall and \wedge cases of lemma ?? □

- Removes common variables between clauses, allowing clauses: $\{p(x)\}$ and $\{\neg p(g(x))\}$ are unifiable.

Definition 2.7.2. ($\mathcal{R}_1(\Omega)$ Proof System) The $\mathcal{R}_1(\Omega)$ resolution proof system is defined on the language $\Sigma_\Delta(\Omega)$ with the following axioms and inference rules:

$$(\emptyset) \frac{\emptyset \in \Delta}{\Delta}$$

$$(R) \frac{\Delta \cup \{\theta(C'_i \cup C'_j)\}}{\Delta \cup \{(C'_i \cup \Lambda_p^i), (C'_j \cup \overline{\Lambda_p^j})\}} [\theta = \text{unify}(\Lambda_p^i \cup \overline{\Lambda_p^j})]$$

where $i \neq j$, $\Lambda_p^i = \{p(\mathbf{s}) \in C_i\} \neq \emptyset$, and $\overline{\Lambda_p^j} = \{\neg p(\mathbf{t}) \in C_j\} \neq \emptyset$.

- **Non-terminating:** Each application of (R) may not remove *all* occurrences of p . Since Λ need not exhaust all literals in either clauses (and other clauses may contain occurrences of p).

Theorem 2.7.1. (Soundness and Completeness of $\mathcal{R}_1(\Omega)$) $\mathcal{R}_1(\Omega)$ is sound and complete, that is

$$\forall \Delta \in \Sigma_\Delta(\Omega). \vdash_{\mathcal{R}_1} \Delta \iff \Delta \text{ is unsatisfiable.}$$

- $\mathcal{R}_1(\Omega)$ may be defined using a *binary resolution and factoring rule*:

$$(\emptyset) \frac{}{\emptyset}$$

$$(\text{BR}) \frac{\psi, C \quad \phi, C'}{\theta(C, C')} [\psi \sim \phi : \theta]$$

$$(\text{F}) \frac{\psi_1, \dots, \psi_n, C}{\theta(\psi_1, C)} [\theta\psi_1 \equiv \dots \theta\psi_n]$$

- The binary resolution rule (BR) increases the size of clauses (assuming C and C' are disjoint). Hence factoring rule (F) is required for completeness of $\mathcal{R}_1(\Omega)$ since a refutation in $\mathcal{R}_1(\Omega)$ requires the empty clause \emptyset , thus a rule is required to *reduce* the size of clauses.

Definition 2.7.3. (Subsumption) A clause C subsumes C' iff there exists θ s.t $\theta C \subseteq C'$.

- In $\mathcal{R}_1(\Omega)$, we delete subsumed clauses from Δ , as they don't the satisfiability of Δ .
- **Redundant Clauses:**
 - Tautological clauses. e.g. $\{P, \neg P, \dots\}$
 - Subsumed clauses. e.g. $\{P, Q\}$ is subsumed by $\{P\}$.

2.7.1.1 Prolog

Definition 2.7.4. (Horn Clause) A Horn Clause, or *definite clause*, is a clause of the form: $\{\neg p_1(\mathbf{t}_1), \dots, \neg p_n(\mathbf{t}_n), p(\mathbf{s})\}$, or in Kowalski notation, $p_1(\mathbf{t}_1), \dots, p_n(\mathbf{t}_n) \rightarrow p(\mathbf{s})$

- **Notation:**
 - $p(\mathbf{s}) \leftarrow p_1(\mathbf{t}_1), \dots, p_n(\mathbf{t}_n)$
e.g. $\text{friends}(\mathbf{A}, \mathbf{B}) \leftarrow \text{likes}(\mathbf{A}, \mathbf{B}), \text{likes}(\mathbf{B}, \mathbf{A})$.
 - If $n \geq 1$, then the clause is a *rule*. If $n = 0$, then the clause is a *fact*.
- Prolog uses **linear resolution** in $\mathcal{R}_1(\Omega)$, with a program being stored in a database \mathcal{D} of clauses, and a query (or goal clause): $p(\mathbf{t}) \leftarrow$ (Prolog notation: $?- p(\mathbf{t}).$)

- Linear resolution \implies improved space complexity, reduced search space (only (BR) rule may be used). Deterministic search.

2.7.2 Tableaux Calculus

- **Problem:** Dual rules w/ connectives in $\mathcal{S}_1(\Omega)$ \implies redundancy

Definition 2.7.5. (Tableaux Calculus) $\mathcal{T}_1(\Omega)$, the Tableaux calculus proof system for first order logic, defined on NNF $\mathcal{L}_1^{NNF}(\Omega)$, with the following axioms and inference rules:

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 \text{(Basic)} \frac{}{\neg\psi, \psi, \Gamma \vdash} & \text{(Cut)} \frac{\neg\psi, \Gamma \vdash \quad \psi, \Gamma \vdash}{\Gamma \vdash} \\
 (\wedge l) \frac{\psi, \phi, \Gamma \vdash}{\psi \wedge \phi, \Gamma \vdash} & (\vee l) \frac{\psi, \Gamma \vdash \quad \phi, \Gamma \vdash}{\psi \vee \phi, \Gamma \vdash} \\
 (\forall l) \frac{\{t/x\} \psi, \Gamma \vdash}{\forall x. \psi, \Gamma \vdash} & (\exists l) \frac{\{x_0/x\} \psi, \Gamma \vdash}{\exists x. \psi, \Gamma \vdash} [x_0 \notin fv(\psi, \Gamma)]
 \end{array}$$

- \mathcal{T}_0^\square uses the left modal rules of \mathcal{S}_0^\square .
- To prove $\Gamma \models \psi$:
 - Convert to $\llbracket \Gamma \rrbracket_{NNF}, \llbracket \psi \rrbracket_{NNF} \vdash$, a *refutation system*.
 - Find a proof tree \mathcal{T} in $\mathcal{T}_1(\Omega)$ $\iff \Gamma \models \psi$
- **Problem:** Choice of term in $(\forall l)$ still yields non-determinism.
- **Solution:** Unification w/ Skolemization \implies free-variable tableaux calculus

Definition 2.7.6. (Free-Tableaux Calculus) $\mathcal{T}_1^{fv}(\Omega)$, the Tableaux calculus proof system for first order logic, defined on Skolem NNF $\mathcal{L}_1^{SNNF}(\Omega)$, with the following axioms and inference rules:

$$(\text{Basic}) \frac{\phi \sim \psi : \theta}{\neg \phi, \psi, \Gamma \vdash}$$

$$(\text{Cut}) \frac{\neg \psi, \Gamma \vdash \quad \psi, \Gamma \vdash}{\Gamma \vdash}$$

$$(\wedge l) \frac{\psi, \phi, \Gamma \vdash}{\psi \wedge \phi, \Gamma \vdash}$$

$$(\vee l) \frac{\psi, \Gamma \vdash \quad \phi, \Gamma \vdash}{\psi \vee \phi, \Gamma \vdash}$$

$$(\forall l) \frac{\{y/x\} \psi, \Gamma \vdash}{\forall x. \psi, \Gamma \vdash} [y \notin fv(\psi, \Gamma)]$$

- **Note:** Free variables in $\Gamma \vdash$ must unify to the same terms. Otherwise the proof fails, by the $(\forall l)$ rule in $\mathcal{T}_1(\Omega)$

3 Decision Procedures

- **Decidability:** A set of problems is *decidable* \iff there exists a algorithm that determines whether an instance of the problem has a solution. (See Computation Theory).
- The algorithm is a *decision procedure*.

3.1 Fourier-Motzkin Elimination

- Decision procedure for solving systems of linear constraints:

$$\bigwedge_{i=1}^m \sum_{j=1}^n a_{ij}x_j \leq b_i.$$

By eliminating a n -variable system to a $(n - 1)$ -variable system.

- **Procedure:**

1. For all $1 \leq i \leq m$, we have the following cases:

$$- a_{in} = 0 \implies \text{constraint doesn't involve } x_n.$$

—

$$a_{in} > 0 \implies x_n \leq \frac{1}{a_{in}} \left(b_i - \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} a_{ij}x_j \right).$$

—

$$a_{in} < 0 \implies x_n \geq \frac{1}{a_{in}} \left(b_i - \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} a_{ij}x_j \right).$$

2. This yields the set of constraint

$$\bigwedge_{i=1}^k L_i(x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}) \leq x_n \quad \bigwedge_{i=1}^{\ell} x_n \leq U_i(x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}),$$

where L_i, U_i are lower and upper bounds w/ $n - 1$ variables and $k + \ell \leq m$

3. Set of constraints are valid iff

$$\bigwedge_{i=1}^k \bigwedge_{j=1}^{\ell} L_i(\mathbf{x}) \leq U_j(\mathbf{x}) \iff \bigwedge_{1 \leq i \leq k, 1 \leq j \leq \ell} L_i(\mathbf{x}) - U_j(\mathbf{x}) \leq 0,$$

yielding $k \cdot \ell$ constraints w/ $n - 1$ variables.

4. Repeat 1 - 3 until system of 0 (or 1) variables. A contradicting constraint \implies unsatisfiability. Otherwise satisfiable.

- **Complexity:** Doubly exponential $\Theta\left(\frac{m^{2^n}}{2^{2^n+1}-1}\right)$ (for average # of upper and lower bounds: $m/2$):

$$\begin{aligned} T(m, 0) &= \Theta(m) \\ T(m, n) &= T\left(\frac{m^2}{4}, n - 1\right) \end{aligned}$$

3.2 Satisfiability Modulo Theories

- SMTs are decision procedures for propositional logic w/ propositions ranging over relations on integers, reals, etc.
- \mathcal{T} -solvers: domain specific solvers that determine $\Delta \models_{\mathcal{T}} C$ (defined on $\Sigma_{\Delta}(\Omega_{\mathcal{T}})$). Set of \mathcal{T} -solver atoms: $\Sigma_A(\Omega_{\mathcal{T}})$.

Definition 3.2.1. (DPLL(\mathcal{T})) DPLL(\mathcal{T}) is an extension of DPLL that determines a model for a formula in \mathcal{L}_0 w/ $\Sigma_P = \Sigma_A(\Omega_{\mathcal{T}})$ (an extension of propositional logic w/ domain specific propositions).

- DPLL(\mathcal{T}) procedure:
 1. Convert a formula to a family of clauses (\mathcal{T} propositions are literals e.g. $x \geq 7$ is a literal).
 2. Use the DPLL algorithm (without pure literal elimination) until either unsatisfiability or a model.

3. If a model (interpretation) \mathcal{I} , \mathcal{T} -solver (a domain specific decision procedure) determines validity of \mathcal{I} .
4. If \mathcal{I} (represented by set of literals Γ) is invalid by \mathcal{T} -solver, then backtrack.

Definition 3.2.2. (DPLL(\mathcal{T}) Proof System) The $\mathcal{D}_0(\mathcal{T})$ DPLL(\mathcal{T}) proof system is defined on the sequents of Σ_Δ w/ the following axioms and inference rules:

$$(\text{Unit}) \frac{\Gamma, \ell \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \{\ell\}}$$

$$(\text{Unit } E_1) \frac{\Gamma, \ell \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma, \ell \vdash \Delta, C \cup \{\ell\}}$$

$$(\text{Unit } E_2) \frac{\Gamma, \ell \vdash \Delta, C}{\Gamma, \ell \vdash \Delta, C \cup \{\neg \ell\}}$$

$$(\text{Split}) \frac{\Gamma, \ell \vdash \Delta \quad \Gamma, \neg \ell \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta}$$

$$(\text{Unsat}) \frac{}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \emptyset}$$

$$(\mathcal{T}\text{-Solve}) \frac{\Gamma \models_{\mathcal{T}}}{\Gamma \vdash}$$

- Example \mathcal{T} -solver: Fourier-Motzkin Elimination.

4 Modal Logic

- Logic based on “necessary” and “possibly”.

4.1 Syntax

Definition 4.1.1. (Modal Logic) Given Σ_P as countably infinite set of propositional symbols:

- $\Omega_0^\square = \Omega_0 \cup \{\square, \diamond\}$ is the set of operators, where \square and \diamond are the *necessary* and *possibly* operators.
- The formal language of modal logic is $\mathcal{L}_0^\square(\Omega_0^\square) = \mathbb{T}_{\Omega_0^\square}(\Sigma_P)$, often denoted \mathcal{L}_0^\square

$$\begin{aligned} \psi &::= P \in \Sigma_P \\ &| \dots \\ &| \square\psi \mid \diamond\psi \end{aligned}$$

- **Precedence:** (in order) of operators in Ω_0^\square :
 $\longleftrightarrow < \rightarrow < \neg < \vee < \wedge < \neg < \diamond < \square$.

4.2 Semantics

- **Idea:** Reason about “necessarily” and “possibly” using worlds (states) w/ transitions.

Definition 4.2.1. (Modal Frame) A *modal frame* is the pair (\mathcal{W}, R) , where \mathcal{W} is the non-empty set of *possible worlds* and $R : \mathcal{W} \rightarrow \mathcal{W}$ is the *accessibility relation*.

Definition 4.2.2. (Modal Interpretation) The modal interpretation \mathcal{I} defined on the frame (\mathcal{W}, R) is a function $\mathcal{I} : \Sigma_P \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{W})$.

- $\mathcal{I}(P)$ is the set of worlds that propositional symbol P is true.
- Modal operators \Box, \Diamond relate to universal and existential quantification over (\mathcal{W}, R)

Definition 4.2.3. (Valuation) The *truth* value of the proposition $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_0^\Box$ in the context of modal frame (\mathcal{W}, R) and interpretation $\mathcal{I} \in \Sigma_{\mathcal{I}}(\mathcal{W})$ in world $w \in \mathcal{W}$, denoted $\mathcal{T}_w \llbracket \psi \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}}$, where $\mathcal{T}_w \llbracket \cdot \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} : \mathcal{L}_0^\Box \rightarrow |\mathbf{B}|$ is inductively defined by

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{T}_w \llbracket \top \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} &= 1 & \mathcal{T}_w \llbracket \perp \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} &= 0 \\
 \mathcal{T}_w \llbracket P \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} &= w \in \mathcal{I}(P) & \mathcal{T}_w \llbracket \neg \psi \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} &= \overline{\mathcal{T}_w \llbracket \psi \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}}} \\
 \mathcal{T}_w \llbracket \psi_1 \wedge \psi_2 \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} &= \mathcal{T}_w \llbracket \psi_1 \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} \cdot \mathcal{T}_w \llbracket \psi_2 \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} & \mathcal{T}_w \llbracket \psi_1 \vee \psi_2 \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} &= \mathcal{T}_w \llbracket \psi_1 \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} + \mathcal{T}_w \llbracket \psi_2 \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} \\
 \mathcal{T}_w \llbracket \psi_1 \rightarrow \psi_2 \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} &= \overline{\mathcal{T}_w \llbracket \psi_1 \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}}} + \mathcal{T}_w \llbracket \psi_2 \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} & \mathcal{T}_w \llbracket \psi_1 \longleftrightarrow \psi_2 \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} &= \overline{\mathcal{T}_w \llbracket \psi_1 \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}}} \oplus \mathcal{T}_w \llbracket \psi_2 \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} \\
 \mathcal{T}_w \llbracket \Box \psi \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} &= \prod_{w' \in \mathcal{W} : R(w, w')} \mathcal{T}_{w'} \llbracket \psi \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} & \mathcal{T}_w \llbracket \Diamond \psi \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} &= \sum_{w' \in \mathcal{W} : R(w, w')} \mathcal{T}_{w'} \llbracket \psi \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}}
 \end{aligned}$$

- **Notation:** $w \Vdash_{(\mathcal{W}, R), \mathcal{I}} \psi \iff \mathcal{T}_w \llbracket \psi \rrbracket_{\mathcal{I}} = 1$ in modal frame (\mathcal{W}, R) .

Definition 4.2.4. (Validity) For $\psi \in \mathcal{L}_0^\Box$:

- ψ is valid, denoted $\Vdash_{(\mathcal{W}, R), \mathcal{I}} \psi$, iff $\forall w \in \mathcal{W}. w \Vdash_{(\mathcal{W}, R), \mathcal{I}} \psi$.
- ψ is *universally valid*, denoted $\Vdash_{(\mathcal{W}, R)} \psi$, iff $\forall \mathcal{I} \in \Sigma(\mathcal{W}). \Vdash_{(\mathcal{W}, R), \mathcal{I}} \psi$.
- All propositional tautologies are *universally valid*.

Definition 4.2.5. (Entailment and Equivalence) For $\psi_1, \psi_2 \in \mathcal{L}_0^\Box$:

- ψ_1 entails ψ_2 , denoted $\psi_1 \Vdash_{(\mathcal{W}, R)} \psi_2$ iff $\forall \mathcal{I} \in \Sigma_{\mathcal{I}}(\mathcal{W}). \Vdash_{(\mathcal{W}, R), \mathcal{I}} \psi_1 \implies \Vdash_{(\mathcal{W}, R), \mathcal{I}} \psi_2$.
- ψ_1 and ψ_2 are equivalent, denoted $\psi_1 \simeq_{(\mathcal{W}, R)} \psi_2 \iff \psi_1 \Vdash_{(\mathcal{W}, R)} \psi_2 \wedge \psi_2 \Vdash_{(\mathcal{W}, R)} \psi_1$.
- **Notation:** Modal frame is often implicit e.g. $\Vdash \psi$.

Theorem 4.2.1. (Deduction Theorem \implies) For all $\psi, \phi \in \mathcal{L}_0^\Box$:

- (i) $\Vdash \psi \rightarrow \phi \implies \psi \Vdash \phi$
- (ii) $\Vdash \psi \longleftrightarrow \phi \implies \psi \simeq \phi$

4.2.1 Equivalences

- Dual laws:

$$\Box\psi \simeq \neg \Diamond \neg\psi \quad \Diamond\psi \simeq \neg\Box\neg\psi.$$

(ψ is necessarily true iff not ψ is not possible)

- Conjunctive laws:

$$\Box(\psi \wedge \phi) \simeq \Box\psi \wedge \Box\phi \quad \Diamond(\psi \wedge \phi) \Vdash \Diamond\psi \wedge \Diamond\phi.$$

- Disjunctive laws:

$$\Box(\psi \vee \phi) \simeq \Box\psi \vee \Box\phi \quad \Diamond(\psi \vee \phi) \simeq \Diamond\psi \vee \Diamond\phi.$$

- Implication laws:

$$\Box(\psi \rightarrow \phi) \Vdash \Box\psi \rightarrow \Box\phi \quad \Diamond(\psi \rightarrow \phi) \Vdash \Box\psi \rightarrow \Diamond\phi.$$

4.3 Proof Systems

4.3.1 Hilbert-Style Proof System

Definition 4.3.1. (Hilbert-Style \mathcal{H}_0^\Box) \mathcal{H}_0^\Box , the Hilbert-style proof system for modal propositional logic, is defined on the language $\mathcal{L}_0^\Box(\{\neg, \rightarrow, \Box\})$ (henceforth denoted \mathcal{L}_0^\Box) with the following axioms and inference rules:

$$(S) \frac{}{(\psi \rightarrow (\phi \rightarrow \chi)) \rightarrow ((\psi \rightarrow \phi) \rightarrow (\psi \rightarrow \chi))} \quad (K) \frac{}{\psi \rightarrow (\phi \rightarrow \psi)}$$

$$(N) \frac{}{(\neg\phi \rightarrow \neg\psi) \rightarrow ((\neg\phi \rightarrow \psi) \rightarrow \phi)}$$

$$(\Box K) \frac{}{\Box(\psi \rightarrow \phi) \rightarrow (\Box\psi \rightarrow \Box\phi)} \quad (\Box N) \frac{\psi}{\Box\psi}$$

$$(MP) \frac{\psi \quad \psi \rightarrow \phi}{\phi}$$

- $(\Box K)$ is the distributive law (often called K) and $(\Box N)$ is the necessitation law.

- \diamond is a *derived operator* w/ $\diamond\psi \triangleq \neg\Box\neg\psi$.
- \mathcal{H}_0^\Box is a *pure*, or *normal*, modal logic (sometimes referred to as *K*).
- Pure logics are extended w/ axioms dependent, called *class axioms*, on characteristics of R :
 - (S1) R is serial: $\forall w \in \mathcal{W}. \exists w' \in \mathcal{W}. R(w, w')$. Axiom (D): $\Box\psi \rightarrow \diamond\psi$.
 - (S3) R is reflexive. Axiom (T): $\Box\psi \rightarrow \psi$.
 - (S4) R is transitive. Axiom (4): $\Box\psi \rightarrow \Box\Box\psi$.
 - (S5) R is symmetric. Axiom (B): $\psi \rightarrow \Box\diamond\psi$.
- **Notation:** $\mathcal{A}(R)$ is the set of class axioms defined by frame (\mathcal{W}, R) . $\mathcal{H}_0^\Box(R)$ denotes \mathcal{H}_0^\Box w/ class axioms $\mathcal{A}(R)$.

Theorem 4.3.1. (Soundness and Completeness of $\mathcal{H}_0^\Box(R)$) $\mathcal{H}_0^\Box(R)$ is sound and complete in (\mathcal{W}, R) , that is

$$\forall \Gamma \in \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{L}_0^\Box), \psi \in \mathcal{L}_0^\Box. \Gamma \vdash_{\mathcal{H}_0^\Box} \psi \iff \Gamma \Vdash_{(\mathcal{W}, R)} \psi,$$

4.3.2 Sequent Calculus for $S4$

- $S4 \implies$ Temporal logic. *Intuitively*, worlds are *futures*, each future has multiple futures. Paths are *timelines*.
- $S4$ equivalences:

$$\begin{array}{ll} \Box\Box\psi \simeq \Box\psi & \diamond\diamond\psi \simeq \diamond\psi \\ \Box\diamond\Box\diamond\psi \simeq \Box\diamond\psi & \diamond\Box\diamond\Box\psi \simeq \diamond\Box\psi \end{array}$$

- $S4$ operator strings:
 - $\Box\psi$: ψ is true from now on. In all futures, ψ is true. ψ is true forever.
 - $\diamond\psi$: ψ is true at some point in the future. In some future, ψ is true.
 - $\Box\diamond\psi$: ψ will be true infinitely often.
 - $\Box\Box\psi$: ψ is true from now on.

- $\Box \diamond \Box \psi$: In all futures, at some point, ψ will be true forever.
- $\diamond \Box \diamond \psi$: At some point, ψ will be true infinitely often.

Definition 4.3.2. (Sequent Calculus \mathcal{S}_0^\Box Proof System) \mathcal{S}_0^\Box , the Sequent calculus proof system for modal propositional logic, is defined on the generalized sequent form language of $\mathcal{L}_0^\Box(\Omega_0^\Box)$ with the following axioms and inference rules:

Operator	Left	Right
Axiom	(A) $\frac{}{\Gamma, \psi \vdash \Delta, \psi}$	
\neg	($\neg l$) $\frac{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi}{\Gamma, \neg \psi \vdash \Delta}$	($\neg r$) $\frac{\Gamma, \neg \psi \vdash \perp}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \neg \psi}$
\wedge	($\wedge l$) $\frac{\Gamma, \psi, \phi \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma, \psi \wedge \phi \vdash \Delta}$	($\wedge r$) $\frac{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi \quad \Gamma \vdash \Delta, \phi}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi \wedge \phi}$
\vee	($\vee l$) $\frac{\Gamma, \psi \vdash \Delta \quad \Gamma, \phi \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma, \psi \vee \phi \vdash \Delta}$	($\vee r$) $\frac{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi, \phi}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi \vee \phi}$
\rightarrow	($\rightarrow l$) $\frac{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi \quad \Gamma, \phi \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma, \psi \rightarrow \phi \vdash \Delta}$	($\rightarrow r$) $\frac{\Gamma, \psi \vdash \Delta, \phi}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi \rightarrow \phi}$
\longleftrightarrow	($\longleftrightarrow l$) $\frac{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi, \phi \quad \Gamma, \psi, \phi \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma, \psi \longleftrightarrow \phi \vdash \Delta}$	($\longleftrightarrow r$) $\frac{\Gamma, \psi \vdash \Delta, \phi \quad \Gamma, \phi \vdash \Delta, \psi}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi \longleftrightarrow \phi}$
\Box	($\Box l$) $\frac{\Gamma, \psi \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma, \Box \psi \vdash \Delta}$	($\Box r$) $\frac{\Gamma^* \vdash \Delta^*, \psi}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \Box \psi}$
\diamond	($\diamond l$) $\frac{\Gamma^*, \psi \vdash \Delta^*}{\Gamma, \diamond \psi \vdash \Delta}$	($\diamond r$) $\frac{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \psi}{\Gamma \vdash \Delta, \diamond \psi}$

where $\Gamma^* = \{\Box \psi : \Box \psi \in \Gamma\}$, $\Delta^* = \{\diamond \psi : \diamond \psi \in \Delta\}$.

- Γ^*, Δ^* needed for world independence.