# Extend the Intuitionistic Logic Natural Deduction with Kolmogorov Double Negation

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## 1 Idea

The key difference between intuitionistic logic and classical logic lies in the acceptance of the law of excluded middle. Our goal is to explore the connection between the two systems, showing that they are essentially equivalent under double negation translation.

#### 1.1 Nature Deduction

For the natural deduction we have these rules for introduction and elimination.

$$\frac{}{\vdash \top} \ \top I \qquad \qquad \frac{\vdash \bot}{\vdash C} \ \bot E$$

Natural deduction (ND) corresponds to intuitionistic logic because it does not enforce that every proposition has a fixed complement. For example, if we apply negation introduction  $(\neg I)$  to a proposition A and derive  $\neg A$ , we cannot simply repeat this process on  $\neg A$  to recover A. This asymmetry is a key reason why ND is not classical logic.

To extend ND into classical logic, we need to incorporate the law of excluded middle. One way to do this is by adding the *Kolmogorov double negation rule*, which allows us to derive A from  $\neg\neg A$ . We refer to this rule as  $\neg kdE$  (short for not Kolmogorov double Elimination, or nkdE). With this rule added, we define a new system—ND plus the Kolmogorov rule—which we call KND.

To fully complete KND as classical logic, we must also specify the unique complement of  $\top$ , which is  $\bot$ . We treat  $\bot$  as an atomic formula. With these additions, KND forms a proper classical logic system.

$$\frac{\frac{\vdash \neg \neg A}{\vdash A} \neg \neg_{kd} E}{\frac{\vdash \neg (A \lor \neg A)}{\vdash \neg (A \lor \neg A)} u \frac{\vdash A}{\vdash A \lor \neg A} \lor I_{1}} \frac{}{\neg E}$$

$$\frac{\frac{\vdash p}{\vdash \neg A} \neg I^{p,\nu}}{\frac{\vdash A \lor \neg A}{\vdash A \lor \neg A} \lor I_{2}}$$

$$\frac{\vdash p}{\vdash \neg \neg (A \lor \neg A)} \neg I^{p,u}$$

$$\frac{\vdash A \lor \neg A}{\vdash A \lor \neg A} \neg \neg E$$

prove of excluding middle

Now in our hand we have the intuitionistic logic ND and classical logic KND. We show that both these two logics are "the same" by proving that for any logical formula provable in KND it can also be proven in ND (soundness) and any logical formula provable in ND can also be proven in KND (completeness).

To do this first we need to define a translation function that translates formulas in ND or KND to their counterparts. We use the ktrans–Kolmogorov translation and it is defined as  $(n \text{ for } \neg \neg)$ :

### 2 Inference Rules

Before we step into the proof of soundness and completeness we need some inference rules to help us eliminate double negation in ND.

First, since we can prove  $\neg \neg A$  from A in ND we have the inference rule  $\neg \neg X$ . Same with  $\neg \neg_k X$ .

Also we can eliminate  $\neg\neg\neg A$  to  $\neg A$ , we make it as  $\neg\neg\neg R$ .

#### 3 Lemma

**Lemma 1** (Existence of Kolmogorov Translation). For every propositional formula A (built from atoms with  $\neg$ ,  $\land$ ,  $\lor$ , and  $\supset$ ), there exists a formula  $A^*$ —its Kolmogorov translation—such that

$$kolm(A, A^*)$$

holds.

*Proof.* Define  $A^*$  by structural induction on A:

$$p^* := \neg \neg p \qquad (p \text{ atomic})$$

$$(A \wedge B)^* := \neg \neg (A^* \wedge B^*)$$

$$(A \vee B)^* := \neg \neg (A^* \vee B^*)$$

$$(A \supset B)^* := \neg \neg (A^* \supset B^*)$$

$$(\neg A)^* := \neg \neg \neg A^*$$

**Base case.** If A is atomic (A = p), set  $A^* = \neg \neg p$ ; then  $kolm(p, \neg \neg p)$  is immediate.

**Inductive step.** Assume  $A^*$  and  $B^*$  already exist. The table above defines translations for each composite constructor, and the corresponding kolm derivations follow from the induction hypotheses.

Since the construction terminates for every syntax tree, the mapping  $A \mapsto A^*$  is total; hence  $kolm(A, A^*)$  holds for all formulas A.

**Lemma 2** (Every Kolmogorov image is a double negation). Let A and B be propositional formulas. If kolm(A, B) holds, then there exists a formula C such that

$$B = \neg \neg C \quad and \quad kolm(A, C).$$

*Proof.* Proceed by induction on the derivation of kolm(A, B).

Atomic case. If A=p and the derivation ends with the rule for atoms, we have  $B=\neg\neg p$ . Set C:=p. Then  $\operatorname{kolm}(p,C)$  is the very last step of the given derivation, so the claim holds.

Conjunction. Suppose  $kolm(A \wedge B_0, B)$  is derived via

$$B = \neg \neg (D_1 \wedge D_2), \quad \operatorname{kolm}(A, D_1), \quad \operatorname{kolm}(B_0, D_2).$$

Take  $C := D_1 \wedge D_2$ . Both sub-derivations satisfy the induction hypothesis, hence  $\operatorname{kolm}(A \wedge B_0, C)$  holds and  $B = \neg \neg C$ .

Disjunction and implication. The arguments are identical: each rule in the definition of kolm produces the outer pattern  $\neg\neg(\cdot)$ , so we peel off that pair of negations and re-assemble the inner sub-translations using the induction hypothesis.

Negation. From kolm( $\neg A_0, B$ ) we get  $B = \neg \neg \neg D$  with kolm( $A_0, D$ ). Let  $C := \neg D$ ; then again  $B = \neg \neg C$  and kolm( $\neg A_0, C$ ).

Thus every derivation of kolm(A, B) factors through an inner formula C with  $B = \neg \neg C$ , proving the claim.

## 4 Soundness

Now with the help of our derivation rule, and lemma we can prove our soundness theorem. We do structural proof on the last used operation.

Case:

$$\frac{A \quad B}{A \wedge^k B} \wedge kI \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{\frac{\neg \neg A \quad \neg \neg B}{\neg \neg A \wedge \neg \neg B} \wedge I}{\neg \neg (\neg \neg A \wedge \neg \neg B)} \neg \neg X$$

Case:

Case:

$$\frac{\frac{\overline{\neg \neg A \wedge \neg \neg B}}{\neg \neg B} \overset{u}{\wedge} \times E2\overline{\neg B} \overset{v}{\neg \neg I^{q,u}}}{\frac{q}{\neg (\neg \neg A \wedge \neg \neg B)}} \overset{v}{\neg I^{q,u}}$$

$$\frac{A \wedge^k B}{B} \wedge kE2 \quad \Rightarrow \qquad \frac{\overline{p}}{\neg \neg B} \neg I^{p,v}$$

Case:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \overline{A} & u & & \overline{\neg \neg A} & u \\ \vdots & & & \vdots \\ \underline{B} & & \overline{\neg \neg B} & \neg \neg B \\ \overline{A} \supset^k B & \Rightarrow & \overline{\neg \neg (\neg \neg A \supset \neg \neg B)} & \neg \neg X \end{array}$$

Case:

$$\frac{\neg \neg A \supset \neg \neg B}{\neg \neg B} \xrightarrow{\neg \neg A} E_{\neg B} \xrightarrow{v} E_{\neg B} \xrightarrow{\neg \neg B} E_{\neg B} \xrightarrow{v} E_{\neg B} \xrightarrow{\neg A} E_{\neg B} \xrightarrow{v} E_{\neg B} \xrightarrow{\neg A} E_{\neg B} \xrightarrow{v} E_{\neg B} \xrightarrow{\neg A} E_{\neg A} \xrightarrow{\neg A} E_{\neg B} \xrightarrow{\neg A} E_{\neg A} \xrightarrow{\neg A} E_{\neg A}$$

Case:

$$\frac{A}{A \vee^k B} \vee kI1 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{\neg \neg A}{\neg \neg A \vee \neg \neg B} \vee I1 \\ \neg \neg (\neg \neg A \vee \neg \neg B) \quad \neg \neg X$$

Case:

$$\frac{B}{A \vee^k B} \vee kI2 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{\frac{\neg \neg B}{\neg \neg A \vee \neg \neg B} \vee I2}{\neg \neg (\neg \neg A \vee \neg \neg B)} \neg \neg X$$

Case

Case:

$$\frac{\neg \neg A}{A} \neg \neg E \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{\neg \neg \neg \neg A}{\neg \neg A} \neg \neg \neg R$$

Case:

$$\frac{\neg \neg A}{A} \neg \neg E \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{\neg \neg \neg \neg A}{\neg \neg A} \neg \neg \neg R$$

# 5 Completeness

Case:

$$\frac{A \quad B}{A \land B} \land I \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{\neg \neg A'}{A'} \neg \neg E \quad \frac{\neg \neg B'}{B'} \neg \neg E$$

Case:

$$\frac{A \wedge B}{A} \wedge E1 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{\neg \neg A' \wedge^k \neg \neg B'}{\neg \neg A'} \wedge kE1$$

Case:

$$\frac{A \wedge B}{A} \wedge E2 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{\neg \neg A' \wedge^k \neg \neg B'}{\neg \neg B'} \wedge kE2$$

Case:

$$\begin{array}{cccc} \overline{A} & u & & & & \\ \overline{A} & u & & & & \\ \vdots & & & & \\ \overline{A} & & & & \\ \vdots & & & & \\ \overline{A} & B & \supset I^{u} & & \\ \hline A & D & & \Rightarrow & & \\ \hline \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \overline{A'} & v \\ \overline{A'} & \overline{A'} & v \\ \overline{A'} & \overline{A'} & \overline{A'} & v \\ \overline{A'} & \overline{A'} & \overline{A'} & v \\ \overline{A'} & \overline{A'} & \overline{A'} & v \\ \hline \overline{A'} & \overline{A'} & \overline{A'} & v \\ \overline{A'} & \overline{A'} & \overline{A'} & \overline{A'} & v \\ \hline \end{array}$$

Case:

Case:

$$\frac{A}{A \vee B} \vee I1 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{\neg \neg A'}{A'} \neg \neg E$$

$$A' \vee B' \vee kI1$$

Case:

$$\frac{B}{A \vee B} \vee I2 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{\neg \neg B'}{B'} \neg \neg E$$

$$A' \vee^k B' \vee kI2$$

Case:

# 6 Beluga

 $\ensuremath{\mathtt{i}}$  : type. % Type of individuals; we leave elements abstract.

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LF o : type = % formulas
| : 0 -> 0 -> 0
 1 : 0
 1 : 0
 | : 0 →0 →0
 | : 0 →0 →0
 | ¬ : o -> o
 | : (i →o) →o % \x. A(x) B \x. A(x) B(x)
 | : (i →o) →o % \x. A(x) B \x. A(x) B(x)
--prefix ¬ 10.
--infix 6 right.
--infix 5 right.
--infix 4 right.
--prefix 8.
--prefix 8.
LF nd : o -> type =
 | I : (nd A -> nd B)
  -> nd (A B)
 | E : nd (A B) -> nd A
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\rightarrow nd B
  | ¬I : ({p:o} nd A -> nd p)
   -> nd (¬ A)
  | ¬E : nd (¬ A) -> nd A
  -> nd C
  | I : nd A →nd B→
   nd (A B)
  | El : nd (A B)→
    nd A
  | Er : nd (A B)→
    nd B
  | Il : nd A→
   nd (A B)
  | Ir : nd B →nd (A B)
  \mid E : nd (A B) \rightarrow
         (nd A \rightarrow nd C) \rightarrow
        (nd B \rightarrow nd C) \rightarrow
        nd C
  | I : nd
 | E : nd →
        nd C
LF knd : o →type =
 | kI : (knd A →knd B)→
         knd (A B)
  | kE : knd (A B) →knd A→
          knd B
  | kI : knd A →knd B→
         knd (A B)
  | kEl : knd (A B)→
         knd A
  | kEr : knd (A B)→
         knd B
  | kIl : knd A→
         knd (A B)
  | kIr : knd B→
        knd (A B)
  | kE : knd (A B)→
          (knd A \rightarrow knd C) \rightarrow
          (knd B \rightarrow knd C) \rightarrow
         knd C
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| kI : knd
  | kE : knd →
         knd\ C
 | \neg kI : (\{p:o\} \text{ knd A } \rightarrow \text{knd p}) \rightarrow
           knd (¬ A)
  | ¬kE : knd (¬ A) -> knd A
        -> knd C
 | \neg \neg kE : knd (\neg (\neg A)) \rightarrow
           knd A
LF ktrans : o \rightarrow o \rightarrow type =
 | ktrans_I : ktrans A A* -> ktrans B B* ->
             ktrans (A B) (¬ (¬ (A* B*)))
  | ktrans_El : ktrans (A B) (¬ (¬ (A* B*))) ->
              ktrans A A*
  | ktrans_Er : ktrans (A B) (¬ (¬ (A* B*))) ->
               ktrans B B*
  | ktrans_I : ktrans A A* -> ktrans B B* ->
             ktrans (A B) (¬ (¬ (A* B*)))
  | ktrans_E : ktrans (A B) (¬ (¬ (A* B*))) -> ktrans A A* ->
             ktrans B B*
  | ktrans_I : ktrans A A* -> ktrans B B* ->
             ktrans (A B) (¬ (¬ (A* B*)))
  | ktrans_E : ktrans (A B) (¬ (¬ (A* B*))) -> ktrans A A* -> ktrans B B* -> ktrans C C*
             ktrans C C*
  | ktrans_¬I : ktrans A A* ->
             ktrans (¬ A) (¬ (¬ (¬ A*)))
  | ktrans_\negE : ktrans (\neg A) (\neg (\neg (\neg A*))) -> ktrans A A* -> ktrans C C* ->
             ktrans C C*
 | ktrans_ : ktrans (¬ (¬ ))
 | ktrans_ : ktrans (¬ (¬ ))
%{
Translation context
schema ctx = knd A ;
schema nctx = nd A ;
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inductive Rel : \Gamma\{:ctx\}\ \Gamma\{'\ :\ nctx\}\ ctype =
  | empty : Rel [ ] [ ]
 | cons : Rel \Gamma[] \Gamma['] \rightarrow
         Rel \Gamma[, a:knd A[]] \Gamma[', a:nd A[]];
rec ktrans_of : [ o] \rightarrow [ o] =
fn A =>
 case A of
   | [ A1 B1] =>
      let [ A1*] = ktrans_of [ A1] in
      let [ B1*] = ktrans_of [ B1] in
      [ ¬ (¬ (A1* B1*))]
   | [ A1 B1] =>
      let [ A1*] = ktrans_of [ A1] in
      let [ B1*] = ktrans_of [ B1] in
      [ ¬ (¬ (A1* B1*))]
   | [ A1 B1] =>
      let [ A1*] = ktrans_of [ A1] in
      let [ B1*] = ktrans_of [ B1] in
      [ ¬ (¬ (A1* B1*))]
   | [ ¬ A1] =>
      let [ A1*] = ktrans_of [ A1] in
       [ ¬ (¬ (¬ A1*))]
   | [ ] =>
      [ ¬ (¬ )]
   | [ ] =>
      [ ¬ (¬ )]
rec existsktrans : \{A : [o]\} \{A* : [o]\} [ktrans A A*] =
mlam A => mlam A* =>
 case [ A] of
  | [ A1 B1] =>
   (case [ A*] of
   | [ ¬ (¬ (A1* B1*))] =>
     let [ KA] = existsktrans [ A1] [ A1*] in
     let [KB] = existsktrans [B1] [B1*] in
     [ ktrans_I KA KB])
  | [ A1 B1] =>
   (case [ A*] of
   | [ ¬ (¬ (A1* B1*))] =>
     let [ KA] = existsktrans [ A1] [ A1*] in
     let [ KB] = existsktrans [ B1] [ B1*] in
     [ ktrans_I KA KB])
  | [ A1 B1] =>
   (case [ A*] of
   | [ ¬ (¬ (A1* B1*))] =>
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     let [KB] = existsktrans [B1] [B1*] in
     [ ktrans_I KA KB])
  | [ ¬ A1] =>
   (case [ A*] of
   | [ ¬ (¬ (¬ A1*))] =>
     let [ KA] = existsktrans [ A1] [ A1*] in
    [ ktrans_¬I KA])
  | [ ] =>
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(case [ A*] of
    | [ ¬ (¬ )] =>
      [ ktrans_])
  | [ ] =>
    (case [ A*] of
    | [¬(¬)] =>
      [ ktrans_])
rec dnotx : Rel \Gamma[] \Gamma['] \rightarrow \Gamma[' nd A] \rightarrow \Gamma[' nd (\neg (\neg A))] =
fn rel => fn prf =>
 let \Gamma[' D[]] = prf in\Gamma
 [' ¬I (\p. \u. ¬E u D[])]
\texttt{rec triple\_neg\_red} \; : \; \texttt{Rel } \Gamma[] \;\; \Gamma['] \;\; \rightarrow \Gamma[' \;\; \texttt{nd } (\neg \; (\neg \; A[])))] \;\; \rightarrow \Gamma[' \;\; \texttt{nd } (\neg \; A[])] \;\; = \;\; \\
fn rel => fn prf =>
 let \Gamma[' D[]] = prf in\Gamma
 [' ¬I (\p. \u. ¬E D[] (¬I (\q. \v. ¬E v u)))]
rec dneg_falser : Rel \Gamma[] \Gamma['] \rightarrow \Gamma[' nd (\neg (\neg ))] \rightarrow \Gamma[' nd C[]] =
fn rel => fn prf =>
 let Γ[' D[]] = prf inΓ
 [' ¬E D[] (¬I \p. \u. (E u))]
rec sound : Rel \Gamma[] \Gamma['] \rightarrow \Gamma[ knd A[]] \rightarrow [ ktrans A A*] <math>\rightarrow \Gamma[' nd A*[]] =
fn rel => fn prf => fn kolm =>
  case (prf, kolm) of
  | Γ([ kI NKA NKB], [ ktrans_I KA KB]) =>
   let \Gamma[' NJA] = sound rel \Gamma[ NKA] [ KA] in
   let \Gamma[' NJB] = sound rel \Gamma[ NKB] [ KB] in
    dnotx rel [' I NJA NJB]
  | \Gamma([ kEl (NK1 : knd (A[] B[]))], [ (KA : (ktrans A (¬(¬ A**))))]) =>
   let [ B*] = ktrans_of [ B] in
   let [KB] = existsktrans [B] [B*] in
    let \Gamma[' \ NJ1[]] = sound rel \Gamma[ \ NK1] [ ktrans_I KA KB] in\Gamma
    [' ¬I (\p. \u.
      ¬E NJ1∏ (
        ¬I (\q. \v.
          ¬E (El v) u)))]
  | \Gamma([kEr(NK1:knd(A[]B[]))], [(KB:(ktransB(¬(¬B**)))]) =>
    let [ A*] = ktrans_of [ A] in
    let [KA] = existsktrans [A] [A*] in
    let \Gamma[' \ NJ1[]] = sound rel \Gamma[ \ NK1] [ ktrans_I KA KB] in\Gamma
    [' ¬I (\p. \u.
      ¬E NJ1∏ (
        ¬I (\q. \v.
          ¬E (Er v) u)))]
  | \Gamma([kI \setminus u. (NKB : knd B[])], [ktrans_I (KA : (ktrans A A*)) (KB : (ktrans B B*))])
    let \Gamma[', v:nd A*[] v] = sound (cons rel) \Gamma[, u:knd A[] u] [ KA] in
    let \Gamma[', v:nd A*[] NJB] = sound (cons rel) <math>\Gamma[, u:knd \_ NKB] [ KB] in
    \texttt{dnotx rel } \Gamma[\texttt{'} \quad \texttt{I } \setminus \texttt{u. NJB}]
  | \Gamma([kE(NKI:knd(A[]B[]))(NKA:kndA[])], [(KB:(ktransB(¬(¬B**)))]) =>
    let [ A*] = ktrans_of [ A] in
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let [ KA] = existsktrans [ A] [ A*] in
          let \Gamma[' NJA[]] = sound rel \Gamma[ NKA] [ KA] in
         let \Gamma[' \ NJI[]] = sound rel \Gamma[ \ NKI] [ ktrans_I KA KB] in \Gamma[ \ NKI]
          [' ¬I (\p. \u.
               ¬E NJI[] (
                   ¬I (\q. \v.
                         ¬E (E v NJA[]) u)))]
      | \Gamma([ kIl NK], [ ktrans_I KA KB]) =>
         let \Gamma[' NJ] = sound rel \Gamma[NK] [KA] in
          dnotx rel \Gamma[' Il NJ]
      | \Gamma([ kIr NK], [ ktrans_I KA KB]) =>
         let \Gamma[' \ NJ] = sound rel \Gamma[\ NK] [ KB] in
          dnotx rel Γ[' Ir NJ]
      | \( \Gamma(\) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( \) \( 
                         B) (¬ (¬(¬ A**) ¬(¬ B**))))) (KA : (ktrans A (¬(¬ A**)))) (KB : (ktrans B (¬(
                     let \Gamma[' NJ[]] = sound rel \Gamma[ NK[]] [ KO] in
          let \Gamma[', va:nd (\neg(\neg A**[])) va] = sound (cons rel) \Gamma[, ua:knd A[] ua] [ KA] in
         let \Gamma[', vb:nd (\neg(\neg B**[])) vb] = sound (cons rel) \Gamma[, ub:knd B[] ub] [KB] in
         let \Gamma[', va:nd (\neg(\neg A**[])) NJA[]] = sound (cons rel) <math>\Gamma[, ua:knd A[] NKA[]] [KC] in
         let \Gamma[', \text{ vb:nd } (\neg(\neg B^{**}[])) \text{ NJB}[]] = \text{sound } (\text{cons rel}) \Gamma[, \text{ ub:knd B}[] \text{ NKB}[]] [ \text{ KC}] in\Gamma
          [' ¬I (\p. \u.
               ¬E NJ[] (
                   ¬I (\q. \v.
                         ¬E (E v (\va. NJA[]) (\vb.NJB[])) u)))]
     %\{|\Gamma([\neg kI \ p. \ NK1], [ktrans\_\neg I (K : (ktrans A A*))]) \Rightarrow
         let [ kp] = existsktrans [ ] [ \neg (\neg )] in
          let \Gamma[', v: nd A*[] v] = sound (cons rel) \Gamma[, u:knd A[] u] [K] in
         let \Gamma[', v: nd A*[] NJ1[...,_]] = sound (cons rel) <math>\Gamma[, u: knd A[] NK1[...,_]] [kp]
                       in
         let \Gamma[' NJ1N[]] = dneg_falser rel <math>\Gamma[' NJ1] in
         dnotx rel \Gamma[' \neg I (\p. \u. NJ1N[..,p])]%
      | \( \Gamma(\text{"\text{rans}} \) \( \text{KT (\text{\text{RN}}} \) \( \Text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\titx}\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\titx}\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tinx{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tinx{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tin}\tiny{\tiny{\tinx{\tiny{\tin}\xin{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\tiny{\ti
                        : (ktrans A A*)) (KC : (ktrans C C*))]) =>
         let \Gamma[' NJ1] = sound rel \Gamma[NK1[]] [KN] in
         let \Gamma[' NJ2] = sound rel \Gamma[ NK2[]] [ KA] in
         let \Gamma[' NJ1'] = triple_neg_red rel \Gamma[' NJ1] in\Gamma
          [' ¬E NJ1' NJ2]
rec nj_nk : Rel \Gamma[] \Gamma['] \rightarrow \Gamma[' nd A[]] \rightarrow \Gamma[ knd A[]] =
fn rel => fn prf =>
     case prf of
     | Γ[' I NJA NJB] =>
         let \Gamma[ NKA] = nj_nk rel \Gamma[' NJA] in
         let \Gamma[ NKB] = nj_nk rel \Gamma[' NJB] in\Gamma
          [ kI NKA NKB]
     | Γ[' El NJ] =>
         let \Gamma[ NK] = nj_nk rel \Gamma[' NJ] in\Gamma
          [ kEl NK]
     | Γ[' Er NJ] =>
        let \Gamma[NK] = nj_nk rel \Gamma['NJ] in\Gamma
          [ kEr NK]
      | Γ[' I \u. NJ] =>
         let \Gamma[, a: knd A[] NK] = nj_nk (cons rel) \Gamma[', a:nd _ NJ] in\Gamma
         [ kI \u. NK]
     | Γ[' E NJI NJA] =>
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let \Gamma[ NKI] = nj_nk rel \Gamma[' NJI] in
   let \Gamma[ NKA] = nj_nk rel \Gamma[' NJA] in\Gamma
   [ kE NKI NKA]
  | Γ[' I1 NJ] =>
   let \Gamma[ NK] = nj_nk rel \Gamma[' NJ] in\Gamma
   [ kIl NK]
  | Γ[' Ir NJ] =>
   let \Gamma[ NK] = nj_nk rel \Gamma[' NJ] in\Gamma
   [ kIr NK]
  | \Gamma[' E NJ (\ua. NJ1) (\ub. NJ2)] =>
   let \Gamma[ NK] = nj_nk rel \Gamma[' NJ] in
   let \Gamma[, a: knd A[] NK1] = nj_nk (cons rel) \Gamma[', a:nd _ NJ1] in
   let \Gamma[, a: knd B[] NK2] = nj_nk (cons rel) \Gamma[', a:nd _ NJ2] in\Gamma
   [ kE NK (\va.NK1) (\vb.NK2)]
  %{| Γ[' ¬I \p. \u. NJ] =>
   let \Gamma[, a: knd A[] NK] = nj_nk (cons rel) \Gamma[', a:nd _ NJ[..]] in\Gamma
   [' kI \q. \v. NK]}%
  | \Gamma[' \neg E NJ1 NJ2] \Rightarrow
   let \Gamma[ NK1] = nj_nk rel \Gamma[' NJ1] in
   let \Gamma[ NK2] = nj_nk rel \Gamma[' NJ2] in\Gamma
   [ ¬kE NK1 NK2]
rec equiv : Rel \Gamma[] \Gamma['] \rightarrow [ ktrans A A*] \rightarrow\Gamma[ knd A*[]] \rightarrow\Gamma[ knd A[]] =
fn rel => fn kolm => fn prf =>
  case (kolm, prf) of
 | ([ ktrans_I KA KB], Γ[ (u : knd (¬(¬(A* B*))))]) =>
   let \Gamma[NKA] = equiv rel [KA] \Gamma[kEl (\neg \neg kE u)] in
   let \Gamma[ NKB] = equiv rel [ KB] \Gamma[ kEr (\neg \negkE u)] in\Gamma
   [ kI NKA NKB]
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