

Gödel Logics

Enduring Consequences of a short paper

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Das korr. Mitglied H. Hahn übersendet folgende Mitteilung:

»Zum intuitionistischen Aussagenkalkül« von Kurt Gödel in Wien.

Für das von A. Heyting¹ aufgestellte System H des intuitionistischen Aussagenkalküls gelten folgende Sätze:

I. *Es gibt keine Realisierung mit endlich vielen Elementen (Wahrheitswerten), für welche die und nur die in H beweisbaren Formeln erfüllt sind (d. h. bei beliebiger Einsetzung ausgezeichnete Werte ergeben).*

II. *Zwischen H und dem System A des gewöhnlichen Aussagenkalküls liegen unendlich viele Systeme, d. h. es gibt eine monoton abnehmende Folge von Systemen, welche sämtlich H umfassen und in A enthalten sind.*

Der Beweis ergibt sich aus folgenden Tatsachen: Sei F_n die Formel:

$$\sum_{1 \leq i < k \leq n} (a_i \supset \supset a_k)$$

wobei \sum die iterierte \vee -Verknüpfung bedeutet und die a_i Aussagevariable sind. F_n ist erfüllt für jede Realisierung mit weniger als n Elementen, für welche alle in H beweisbaren Formeln erfüllt sind. Denn bei jeder Einsetzung wird in mindestens einem Summanden von F_n a_i und a_k durch dasselbe Element e ersetzt und $e \supset \supset e \vee b$ ergibt bei beliebigem b einen ausgezeichneten Wert, weil die Formel $a \supset \supset a \vee b$ in H beweisbar ist. Sei ferner S_n die folgende Realisierung:

Elemente: $\{1, 2, \dots, n\}$, ausgezeichnetes Element: 1;

$a \vee b = \min(a, b)$; $a \wedge b = \max(a, b)$; $a \supset b = 1$ für $a \geq b$;

$a \supset b = b$ für $a < b$; $\neg a = n$ für $a \neq n$, $\neg n = 1$.

Dann sind für S_n sämtliche Formeln aus H und die Formel F_{n+1} sowie alle F_i mit größerem Index erfüllt, dagegen F_n sowie

alle F_i mit kleinerem Index nicht erfüllt. Insbesondere ergibt sich daraus, daß kein F_n in H beweisbar ist. Es gilt übrigens ganz allgemein, daß eine Formel der Gestalt $A \vee B$ in H nur dann beweisbar sein kann, wenn entweder A oder B in H beweisbar ist.

Let $V \subseteq [0, 1]$ be some set of truth values which contains 0 and 1. A propositional Gödel valuation \mathcal{I}^0 (short valuation) based on V is a function from the set of propositional variables into V with $\mathcal{I}^0(\perp) = 0$. This valuation can be extended to a function mapping formulas from $\text{Frm}(\mathcal{L}^0)$ into V as follows:

$$\mathcal{I}^0(A \wedge B) = \min\{\mathcal{I}^0(A), \mathcal{I}^0(B)\},$$

$$\mathcal{I}^0(A \vee B) = \max\{\mathcal{I}^0(A), \mathcal{I}^0(B)\},$$

$$\mathcal{I}^0(\Delta A) = \begin{cases} 1 & \mathcal{I}^0(A) = 1, \\ 0 & \mathcal{I}^0(A) < 1, \end{cases}$$

$$\mathcal{I}^0(A \rightarrow B) = \begin{cases} \mathcal{I}^0(B) & \text{if } \mathcal{I}^0(A) > \mathcal{I}^0(B), \\ 1 & \text{if } \mathcal{I}^0(A) \leq \mathcal{I}^0(B). \end{cases}$$

A formula is called valid with respect to V if it is mapped to 1 for all valuations based on V . The set of all formulas which are valid with respect to V will be called the propositional Gödel logic based on V and will be denoted by \mathbf{G}_V^0 .

The validity of a formula A with respect to V will be denoted by

$$\models_V^0 A \quad \text{or} \quad \models_{\mathbf{G}_V^0} A.$$

Let $\neg A$ be $A \rightarrow \perp$ and $A \prec B$ be $(B \rightarrow A) \rightarrow B$.

$$\mathcal{I}^0(\neg A) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } \mathcal{I}^0(A) > 0, \\ 1 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

$$\mathcal{I}^0(A \prec B) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \mathcal{I}^0(A) < \mathcal{I}^0(B) \text{ or } \mathcal{I}^0(A) = \mathcal{I}^0(B) = 1, \\ \mathcal{I}^0(B) & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

We assume closed V and countable Γ . If Γ is a set of formulas (possibly infinite), we say that Γ *entails* A in \mathbf{G}_V , $\Gamma \models_V A$ iff for all \mathcal{I} into V , $\mathcal{I}(\Gamma) \leq \mathcal{I}(A)$.

Γ *1-entails* A in \mathbf{G}_V , $\Gamma \rightarrow_V A$, iff, for all \mathcal{I} into V , whenever $\mathcal{I}(B) = 1$ for all $B \in \Gamma$, then $\mathcal{I}(A) = 1$.

Proposition

$\Pi \models_V A$ iff $\Pi \rightarrow_V A$.

Examples

$$\models (A \rightarrow B) \vee (B \rightarrow A)$$

$$\models (A \rightarrow B) \vee ((A \rightarrow B) \rightarrow A)$$

$$\models \neg A \vee \neg\neg A$$

$$\models A \rightarrow B \vee B \rightarrow C \vee C \rightarrow D$$

Let $G_V = \{A : \models_{G_V} A\}$ be the propositional Gödel logic for V .

Proposition

- (i) $G_V = G_{V'}$ iff $|V| = |V'|$ or both V, V' are infinite
- (ii) $G_V \subsetneq G_{V'}$ iff $|V| < |V'|$
- (iii) $\bigcap_{|V| \text{ finite}} G_V = G_{[0,1]}$
- (iv) Assume A contains n variables, then

$$G_{n+2} \models A \Rightarrow \text{for all } V: G_V \models A$$

Proof

i, iii, iv are obvious

ad ii. $G_V \subseteq G_{V'}$ is obvious, and $G_V \models A_{|V|}$, but $G_{V'} \not\models A_{|V|}$ for

$$A_{|V|} = p_1 \vee p_1 \rightarrow p_2 \vee \dots \vee p_{|V|} \rightarrow \top$$

Gödel Conditional

Suppose we have a standard language containing a 'conditional' \rightarrow interpreted by a truth-function into $[0, 1]$, and some entailment relation \models . Suppose further that

a conditional evaluates to 1 if the truth value of the antecedent is less or equal to the truth value of the consequent, i.e., if $\mathcal{I}(A) \leq \mathcal{I}(B)$, then $\mathcal{I}(A \rightarrow B) = 1$;

if $\Gamma \models B$, then $\mathcal{I}(\Gamma) \leq \mathcal{I}(B)$;

the deduction theorem holds, i.e.,

$\Gamma \cup \{A\} \models B \Leftrightarrow \Gamma \models A \rightarrow B$.

Then \rightarrow is the Gödel conditional.

Proof

From (1), we have that $\mathcal{I}(A \rightarrow B) = 1$ if $\mathcal{I}(A) \leq \mathcal{I}(B)$. Since \models is reflexive, $B \models B$. Since it is monotonic, $B, A \models B$. By the deduction theorem, $B \models A \rightarrow B$. By (2),

$$\mathcal{I}(B) \leq \mathcal{I}(A \rightarrow B).$$

From $A \rightarrow B \models A \rightarrow B$ and the deduction theorem, we get $A \rightarrow B, A \models B$. By (2),

$$\min\{\mathcal{I}(A \rightarrow B), \mathcal{I}(A)\} \leq \mathcal{I}(B).$$

Thus, if $\mathcal{I}(A) > \mathcal{I}(B)$, $\mathcal{I}(A \rightarrow B) \leq \mathcal{I}(B)$.

Theorem

- (i) \models_V is compact iff V is uncountable
- (ii) There are uncountably many different $\{\langle \Gamma, A \rangle : \Gamma \models_V A\}$

Example: $V = \{\frac{1}{n} : n \in \mathbb{N}\} \cup \{0\}$ does not admit a compact entailment

Let $\Gamma = \{x_1 < x_2, x_2 < x_3, \dots\} \cup \{x_1 > z, x_2 > z, \dots\}$

$\Gamma \models_V z$ but $\Gamma' \not\models_V z$ for all finite subsets $\Gamma' \subset \Gamma$.

Axioms and deduction systems for Gödel logics

We will denote by **IL** the following complete axiom system for intuitionistic logic.

$$\text{I1} \quad \perp \rightarrow A$$

$$\text{I2} \quad A \rightarrow (B \rightarrow A)$$

$$\text{I3} \quad (A \wedge B) \rightarrow A$$

$$\text{I4} \quad (A \wedge B) \rightarrow B$$

$$\text{I5} \quad A \rightarrow (B \rightarrow (A \wedge B))$$

$$\text{I6} \quad A \rightarrow (A \vee B)$$

$$\text{I7} \quad B \rightarrow (A \vee B)$$

$$\text{MP} \quad \frac{A \quad A \rightarrow B}{B}$$

$$\text{I8} \quad (A \rightarrow B) \rightarrow [(C \rightarrow A) \rightarrow (C \rightarrow B)]$$

$$\text{I9} \quad [A \rightarrow (C \rightarrow B)] \rightarrow [C \rightarrow (A \rightarrow B)]$$

$$\text{I10} \quad (A \rightarrow C) \wedge (B \rightarrow C) \rightarrow ((A \vee B) \rightarrow C)$$

$$\text{I11} \quad (C \rightarrow A) \wedge (C \rightarrow B) \rightarrow (C \rightarrow (A \wedge B))$$

$$\text{I12} \quad (A \rightarrow (B \rightarrow C)) \rightarrow (A \wedge B \rightarrow C)$$

$$\text{I13} \quad [A \rightarrow (A \rightarrow B)] \rightarrow (A \rightarrow B)$$

Theorem

$\mathbf{G}_{[0,1]}$ is axiomatized by $\text{IL} + (A \rightarrow B \vee B \rightarrow A)$

Proof

A chain on X_1, \dots, x_n is an expression

$$(\perp \bowtie_0 x_{\pi(1)}) \wedge (x_{\pi(1)} \bowtie_1 x_{\pi(2)}) \wedge \dots \wedge (x_{\pi(n)} \bowtie_n \top)$$

where π is a permutation and $\bowtie_i \in \{\prec, \rightarrow\}$.

$\bigvee_{\substack{C \text{ chain} \\ \text{on } \{x_1, \dots, x_n\}}} C$ is valid (use that all Gödel logics prove

$$\vDash_{[0,1]} u \prec v \vee u \leftrightarrow v \vee v \prec u).$$

Proof cont.

Let $\mathcal{F}(x_1, \dots, x_n)$ be the set of formulas in x_1, \dots, x_n ,

$\psi_C : \mathcal{F}(x_1, \dots, x_n) \mapsto \{x_1, \dots, x_n, \top, \perp\}$ the formal evaluation of a formula under C , then

$$C \wedge A \leftrightarrow C \wedge \psi_C(A)$$

A formula is valid iff $\psi_C(A) = 1$ for all C .

$$\bigvee C \leftrightarrow \bigvee C \wedge \top \leftrightarrow \bigvee (C \wedge \psi_C(A)) \leftrightarrow \bigvee (C \wedge A) \leftrightarrow (\bigvee C) \wedge A \leftrightarrow A$$

Corollary

Strong completeness for uncountable V follows from compactness.

Corollary

$\mathbf{G}_{|V|}$ with $|V| = n$ is axiomatized by

$$\mathbf{G}_{[0,1]} + \top \rightarrow A_1 \vee A_1 \rightarrow A_2 \vee \dots \vee A_{n-1} \rightarrow \perp$$

Gödel logics with Δ

$$v(\Delta A) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } v(A) = 1 \\ 0 & \text{if } v(A) \neq 1 \end{cases}$$

Theorem

$\mathbf{G}_{[0,1]}$ extended by Δ is axiomatized by $\mathbf{G}_{[0,1]}$ and

$$\Delta 1 \quad \Delta A \vee \Delta A$$

$$\Delta 2 \quad \Delta(A \vee B) \rightarrow (\Delta A \vee \Delta B)$$

$$\Delta 3 \quad \Delta A \rightarrow A$$

$$\Delta 4 \quad \Delta A \rightarrow \Delta \Delta A$$

$$\Delta 5 \quad \Delta(A \rightarrow B) \rightarrow (\Delta A \rightarrow \Delta B)$$

$$\Delta 6 \quad \frac{A}{\Delta A}$$

First order Gödel Logics

Definition

A *Gödel set* is a closed set $V \subseteq [0, 1]$ which contains 0 and 1.

Let V be a Gödel set. An *interpretation* \mathcal{I} into V , or a *V-interpretation*, consists of

a nonempty set $U = U^{\mathcal{I}}$, the 'universe' of \mathcal{I} ,

for each k -ary predicate symbol P , a function $P^{\mathcal{I}}: U^k \rightarrow V$,

for each k -ary function symbol f , a function $f^{\mathcal{I}}: U^k \rightarrow U$,

for each variable v , a value $v^{\mathcal{I}} \in U$.

Given an interpretation \mathcal{I} , we can naturally define a value $t^{\mathcal{I}}$ for any term t and a truth value $\mathcal{I}(A)$ for any formula A of \mathcal{L}^U . For a term $t = f(u_1, \dots, u_k)$ we define $\mathcal{I}(t) = f^{\mathcal{I}}(u_1^{\mathcal{I}}, \dots, u_k^{\mathcal{I}})$. For atomic formulas $A \equiv P(t_1, \dots, t_n)$, we define $\mathcal{I}(A) = P^{\mathcal{I}}(t_1^{\mathcal{I}}, \dots, t_n^{\mathcal{I}})$. For composite formulas A we extend the truth definitions from the propositional case for the new syntactic elements by:

$$\mathcal{I}(\forall x A(x)) = \inf\{\mathcal{I}(A(u)) : u \in U\}$$

$$\mathcal{I}(\exists x A(x)) = \sup\{\mathcal{I}(A(u)) : u \in U\}.$$

If $\mathcal{I}(A) = 1$, we say that \mathcal{I} *satisfies* A , and write $\mathcal{I} \models A$. If $\mathcal{I}(A) = 1$ for every V -interpretation \mathcal{I} , we say A is *valid* in \mathbf{G}_V and write $\mathbf{G}_V \models A$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 V_{\mathbb{R}} &= [0, 1] & V_0 &= \{0\} \cup [1/2, 1] \\
 V_{\downarrow} &= \{1/k \mid k \geq 1\} \cup \{0\} \\
 V_{\uparrow} &= \{1 - 1/k \mid k \geq 1\} \cup \{1\} \\
 V_n &= \{1 - 1/k \mid 1 \leq k \leq m - 1\} \cup \{1\}
 \end{aligned}$$

The corresponding Gödel logics are $\mathbf{G}_{[0,1]}$, \mathbf{G}_0 , \mathbf{G}_{\downarrow} , \mathbf{G}_{\uparrow} , and \mathbf{G}_n . $\mathbf{G}_{[0,1]}$ is the *standard* Gödel logic.

Theorem

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathbf{G}_{\uparrow} &= \bigcap_{V: |V| \text{ is finite}} \mathbf{G}_V \\
 \mathbf{G}_{[0,1]} &= \bigcap_{\text{all } V} \mathbf{G}_V
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathbf{G}_n \supsetneq \mathbf{G}_{n+1},$$

$$\mathbf{G}_n \supsetneq \mathbf{G}_\uparrow \supsetneq \mathbf{G}_\mathbb{R},$$

$$\mathbf{G}_n \supsetneq \mathbf{G}_\downarrow \supsetneq \mathbf{G}_\mathbb{R},$$

$$\mathbf{G}_0 \supsetneq \mathbf{G}_\mathbb{R}.$$

$$\mathbf{G}_n \supsetneq \bigcap_n \mathbf{G}_n = \mathbf{G}_\uparrow \supsetneq \mathbf{G}_\downarrow \supsetneq \mathbf{G}_{[0,1]} = \bigcap_V \mathbf{G}_V.$$

Intuitionistic First Order Logic \mathbf{IL}^1 extends \mathbf{IL} by

$$\frac{A \rightarrow B(a)}{A \rightarrow \forall x B(x)} \qquad \forall x B(x) \rightarrow B(t)$$

$$\frac{A(a) \rightarrow B}{\exists x A(x) \rightarrow B} \qquad A(t) \rightarrow \exists x A(x)$$

(a does not occur in the lower sequent)

Axiomatizability results

Axiomatizable case 1: 0 is contained in the perfect kernel

\mathbf{G}_V is axiomatized by

$$\mathbf{IL} \quad + \quad A \rightarrow B \vee B \rightarrow A \quad + \quad \forall x(A \vee B(x)) \rightarrow A \vee \forall xB(x)$$

Remark: $\mathbf{G}_V = \mathbf{G}_{V'}$ iff V, V' are uncountable and 0 is in the perfect kernel of each of them.

Axiomatizable case 2: 0 is isolated

\mathbf{G}_V is axiomatized by

$$\mathbf{G}_{[0,1]} + \forall \bar{y} (\neg \forall x A(x, \bar{y}) \rightarrow \exists x \neg A(x, \bar{y}))$$

Remark: $\mathbf{G}_V = \mathbf{G}_{V'}$ if both are uncountable with 0 isolated.

Axiomatizable case 3: Finite Gödel sets

\mathbf{G}_V with $|V| = n$ is axiomatized by

$$\mathbf{G}_{[0,1]} + \top \rightarrow A_1 \vee A_1 \rightarrow A_2 \vee \dots \vee A_{n-1} \rightarrow \perp$$

Not recursively enumerable case 1: Countable Gödel sets

Let $A^g \equiv$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} S \wedge c_1 \in 0 \wedge c_2 \in 0 \wedge c_2 \prec c_1 \wedge \\ \forall i [\forall x, y \forall j \forall k \exists z D \vee \forall x \neg(x \in s(i))] \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow (A' \vee \exists u P(u))$$

where S is the conjunction of the standard axioms for 0 , successor and \leq , with double negations in front of atomic formulas,

$$D \equiv \begin{array}{l} (j \leq i \wedge x \in j \wedge k \leq i \wedge y \in k \wedge x \prec y) \rightarrow \\ \rightarrow (z \in s(i) \wedge x \prec z \wedge z \prec y) \end{array}$$

Not recursively enumerable case 2: 0 not isolated but not in the perfect kernel

Let $A^h \equiv$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} S \wedge \forall n((Q(n) \rightarrow Q(s(n))) \rightarrow Q(n)) \wedge \\ \neg \forall n Q(n) \wedge \forall n \neg \neg Q(n) \wedge \\ \forall n \forall x((Q(n) \rightarrow P(x, n)) \rightarrow Q(n)) \wedge \\ \forall n \exists x \exists y(x \in_n 0 \wedge y \in_n 0 \wedge x \prec_n y) \wedge \\ \forall n \forall i[\forall x, y \forall j \forall k \exists z E \vee \forall x \neg(x \in_n s(i))] \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow (A' \vee \exists n \exists u P(u, n) \vee \exists$$

where S is the conjunction of the standard axioms for 0, successor and \leq , with double negations in front of atomic formulas,

$$E \equiv (j \leq i \wedge x \in_n j \wedge k \leq i \wedge y \in_n k \wedge x \prec_n y) \rightarrow (z \in_n s(i) \wedge x \prec_n z \wedge z \prec_n y)$$

and A' is A where every atomic formula is replaced by its double negation, and all quantifiers are relativized to the predicate $R(n) \equiv \forall i \exists x(x \in_n i)$.

Relation to Kripke frames

Theorem

For every countable linear Kripke frame K there is a Gödel set V_K such that $\mathbf{L}(K) = \mathbf{G}_{V_K}$.

Theorem

The set of infinitely-valued propositional Gödel logics is singleton.

The set of infinitely-valued first-order Gödel logics is countable.

The set of infinitely-valued propositional and first-order entailments is uncountable.

The set of infinitely-valued propositional Gödel logics with propositional quantifiers is uncountable.

Theorem

For every n there is exactly one n -valued propositional logic, n -valued propositional logic with quantifiers, n -valued first-order logic, n -valued first-order logic with entailment.

Gödel, Kripke frames and Intuitionistic Logic

Gödel (1933)

Wanted to show that Intuitionistic Logic does not have a finite matrix, i.e., is not a finitely valued logic.

Kripke (60ies)

Semantic for Intuitionistic Logic based on trees.

Axiom $(A \rightarrow B) \vee (B \rightarrow A)$ of Gödel logics implies linearity on Kripke frames.

Relating Gödel logics and logic on Kripke frames

'Truth values in Kripke frames'

Sets of worlds in which a formula is true, is upward closed.

The set of upwards closed sets in K , $\text{Up}(K)$, is a Gödel algebra.

A (order theoretic) upper limit point w generates two distinct upward closed sets:

$$w^\uparrow = \{v \in K : R(w, v)\}$$

$$w^{\uparrow*} = w^\uparrow \setminus \{w\}$$

The logic $L(\mathbb{Q})$ cont.

An embedding of \mathbb{Q}' into $[0, 1]$ preserving the order, infima and suprema will generate a set which is isomorph to the border points of the Cantor middle third set. The closure of this set is the Cantor middle third set.

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Thus, $\mathbf{L}(\mathbb{Q}) = \mathbf{G}_{C_{[0,1]}} = \mathbf{G}_{[0,1]}$

Equivalence result

Gödel logic to Kripke frame

For each Gödel logic there is a countable linear Kripke frame such that the respective logics coincide.

Kripke frames to Gödel logic

For each countable linear Kripke frame there is a Gödel truth value set such that the respective logics coincide.

Definition (sequent)

A sequent is

$$\Gamma \vdash \Delta$$

where Γ, Δ are multisets of formulas and $|\Delta| \leq 1$.

Sequent calculus LJ - structural rules

Axiom

$$A \vdash A$$

weakening

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash \Delta}{A_1, \Gamma \vdash \Delta} w_l$$

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash}{\Gamma \vdash A} w_r$$

contraction

$$\frac{A_1, A_1, \Gamma \vdash \Delta}{A_1, \Gamma \vdash \Delta} c_l$$

cut

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash A \quad A, \Pi \vdash \Delta}{\Gamma, \Pi \vdash \Delta} cut(A)$$

$$|\Delta| \leq 1$$

Sequent calculus LJ - logical rules

and \wedge

$$\frac{A_1, \Gamma \vdash \Delta}{A_1 \wedge A_2, \Gamma \vdash \Delta} \wedge_l \quad \frac{A_2, \Gamma \vdash \Delta}{A_1 \wedge A_2, \Gamma \vdash \Delta} \wedge_b \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash A \quad \Gamma \vdash B}{\Gamma \vdash A \wedge B} \wedge_r$$

or \vee

$$\frac{A_1, \Gamma \vdash \Delta \quad A_2, \Gamma \vdash \Delta}{A_1 \vee A_2, \Gamma \vdash \Delta} \vee_l \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash A_1}{\Gamma \vdash A_1 \vee A_2} \vee_{r1} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash A_2}{\Gamma \vdash A_1 \vee A_2} \vee_{r2}$$

not \neg

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash A}{\neg A, \Gamma \vdash} \neg_l \quad \frac{A, \Gamma \vdash}{\Gamma \vdash \neg A} \neg_r$$

implication \rightarrow

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash A_1 \quad A_2, \Gamma \vdash \Delta}{A_1 \rightarrow A_2, \Gamma \vdash \Delta} \rightarrow_l \quad \frac{A_1, \Gamma \vdash A_2}{\Gamma \vdash A_1 \rightarrow A_2} \rightarrow_r$$

$$|\Delta| \leq 1$$

Sequent calculus LJ - logical rules

for all \forall

$$\frac{A\{x \leftarrow t\}, \Gamma \vdash \Delta}{(\forall x)A(x), \Gamma \vdash \Delta} \forall_l \qquad \frac{\Gamma \vdash A\{x \leftarrow \alpha\}}{\Gamma \vdash (\forall x)A(x)} \forall_r$$

t term, does not contain any variables which are bound in A and α is a free variable which may not occur in Γ, Δ, A . α is called an eigenvariable.

there exists \exists

$$\frac{A\{x \leftarrow \alpha\}, \Gamma \vdash \Delta}{(\exists x)A(x), \Gamma \vdash \Delta} \exists_l \qquad \frac{\Gamma \vdash A\{x \leftarrow t\}}{\Gamma \vdash (\exists x)A(x)} \exists_r$$

The variable conditions for \exists_l are the same as those for \forall_r and similarly for \exists_r and \forall_l .

$$|\Delta| \leq 1$$

Definition (hypersequent)

A hypersequent is a multiset

$$\Gamma_1 \vdash A_1 \mid \dots \mid \Gamma_n \vdash A_n$$

where for every $i = 1, \dots, n$, $\Gamma_i \vdash A_i$ is a sequent, called component of the hypersequent.

Axioms

$A \vdash A \quad \perp \vdash$

A is atomic

External Structural Rules

$$\frac{G}{G \mid \Gamma \vdash A} \text{ (ew)}$$

Internal Structural Rules

$$\frac{G \mid \Gamma \vdash C}{G \mid \Gamma, A \vdash C} \text{ (w, l)}$$

Cut Rule

$$\frac{G \mid \Gamma' \vdash A \quad G' \mid A, \Gamma \vdash C}{G \mid G' \mid \Gamma, \Gamma' \vdash C} \text{ (cut)}$$

$$\frac{G \mid \Gamma, \Gamma' \vdash A \quad G' \mid \Gamma_1, \Gamma'_1 \vdash A'}{G \mid G' \mid \Gamma, \Gamma'_1 \vdash A \mid \Gamma', \Gamma_1 \vdash A'} \text{ (com)}$$

Logical Rules

$$\frac{G \mid S}{G \mid S''} \qquad \frac{G \mid S \quad G \mid S'}{G \mid S''}$$

for S, S', S'' as in the logical rules for **LJ**.

Theorem

If $d \vdash H$, one can find a cut-free proof $d' \vdash H$ with $|d'| \leq 4^{\frac{|d|}{\rho(d)}}$.

Corollary (Midhypersequent theorem)

For every valid hypersequent of prenex formulas there exists a hypersequent (the midhypersequent) such that all inferences in the proof above are propositional or structural and all inferences below are quantificational or structural.

Corollary

The prenex fragment of $\mathbf{G}_{[0,1]}$ admits Skolemization.

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \frac{A \vdash A \quad B \vdash B}{A \vdash B \mid B \vdash A} \\
 \frac{A \vdash B \mid \vdash B \rightarrow A}{\vdash A \rightarrow B \mid \vdash B \rightarrow A} \\
 \frac{\vdash A \rightarrow B \vee B \rightarrow A \mid \vdash B \rightarrow A}{\vdash A \rightarrow B \vee B \rightarrow A \mid \vdash A \rightarrow B \vee B \rightarrow A} \\
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 \vdash A \rightarrow B \vee B \rightarrow A
 \end{array}$$

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