

advanced logic
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lecture 7

overview

- decidability: standard translation
- proof systems

the book so far

basic modal logic
slides and MLOM chapter 2

bisimulations
slides and MLOM chapter 3

decidability
slides and MLOM chapter 4 and 7.1

expressivity, extension global box
slides and MLOM chapter 7.4

proof systems
slides and MLOM chapter 5

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standard translation: idea

translate being true in world x as predicate P holds for x

translate the accessibility relation R as a binary predicate R

examples

$$ST_x(\diamond p) = \exists y. Rxy \wedge Py$$

$$ST_x(\Box p) = \forall y. (Rxy \rightarrow Py)$$

$$ST_x(p \rightarrow \diamond p) = Px \rightarrow \exists y(Rxy \wedge Py)$$

$$ST_x(\Box \diamond (p \vee q)) = \forall y. (Rxy \rightarrow \exists z. (Ryz \wedge (Pz \vee Qz)))$$

standard translation: more precisely

from basic modal logic to first-order predicate logic

$$ST_x(p) = Px$$

$$ST_x(\perp) = \perp$$

$$ST_x(\neg \phi) = \neg ST_x(\phi)$$

$$ST_x(\phi \wedge \psi) = ST_x(\phi) \wedge ST_x(\psi)$$

$$ST_x(\diamond \phi) = \exists y(Rxy \wedge ST_y(\phi))$$

$$ST_x(\Box \phi) = \forall y(Rxy \rightarrow ST_y(\phi))$$

standard translation: using only two variables

$$ST_a(\diamond \phi) = \exists b(Rab \wedge ST_b(\phi))$$

$$ST_a(\Box \phi) = \forall b(Rab \rightarrow ST_b(\phi))$$

$$ST_b(\diamond \phi) = \exists a(Rba \wedge ST_a(\phi))$$

$$ST_b(\Box \phi) = \forall a(Rba \rightarrow ST_a(\phi))$$

decidability via translation

the translation preserves satisfiability

$M, w \models \phi$ if and only if $ST_x(\phi)[x := w]$ is satisfiable

first-order predicate logic using only two variables is decidable

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decidability: important to know

effective finite model property:

tree unravelling, nearsightedness, via satisfiability, effective

sequents

tableaux

translation to decidable fragment of pred1:

translation on easy examples

recall: the modal tautologies are exactly defined by

extension:

a tautology for first-order propositional logic is a modal tautology

modal distribution:

$$\models \Box(p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow \Box p \rightarrow \Box q$$

modus ponens:

if $\models \phi \rightarrow \psi$ and $\models \phi$ then $\models \psi$

necessitation:

if $\models \phi$ then $\models \Box \phi$

substitution:

if $\models \phi$ then $\models \phi^\sigma$

proof systems

we may consider different proof systems:

natural deduction, sequent calculus, Hilbert systems

here we will use Hilbert systems

a proof is a sequence of numbered formulas,

where every formula is either an axiom

or the result of applying a derivation rule

provability and derivability

soundness and completeness for prop1:

$\models \phi$ if and only if $\vdash \phi$

soundness and completeness for pred1:

$\models \phi$ if and only if $\vdash \phi$

soundness and completeness: intuitive definition

we have a model-theoretic notion of truth with notation \models

$\models \phi$ if ϕ is true in all models

we make a proof system with notation \vdash

$\vdash \phi$ if there is a derivation ending with $\vdash \phi$

a proof system is sound with respect to the semantics if

what we can derive is true: if \vdash then \models

the proof system is complete with respect to the semantics if

we can derive what is true: if \models then \vdash

soundness and completeness: \vdash if and only if \models

difficult proof rules

in prop1: implication introduction (because of the scope)

in prop1: disjunction elimination

in pred1: for all introduction (because of the side condition)

in pred1: exists elimination (because of the side condition)

proof system for basic modal logic

extension:

$\vdash \phi$ if ϕ is a tautology from prop1

modal distribution (!):

$\vdash \Box(\phi \rightarrow \psi) \rightarrow \Box\phi \rightarrow \Box\psi$

modus ponens:

if $\vdash \phi \rightarrow \psi$ and $\vdash \phi$ then $\vdash \psi$

necessitation:

if $\vdash \phi$ then $\vdash \Box\phi$

substitution:

if $\vdash \phi$ then $\vdash \phi^\sigma$ for every substitution σ

admissible rule: definition

if provability of ϕ_1, \dots, ϕ_n implies provability of ψ ,

then we have an **admissible rule** :

$$\frac{\phi_1 \dots \phi_n}{\psi}$$

example derivation

1. $\phi \rightarrow \psi$ assumption
2. $\Box(\phi \rightarrow \psi)$ necessitation, 1
3. $\Box(\phi \rightarrow \psi) \rightarrow \Box\phi \rightarrow \Box\psi$ modal distribution
4. $\Box\phi \rightarrow \Box\psi$ modus ponens, 3, 2

admissible rule DISTR

we have shown the following rule (scheme) **DISTR** to be admissible:

$$\frac{\phi \rightarrow \psi}{\Box\phi \rightarrow \Box\psi}$$

we can use DISTR in derivations