

Ecumenical modal logic

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A solution: They are not talking about the same connective(s) (Prawitz 2015)

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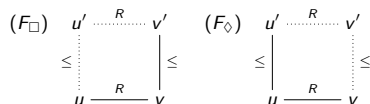
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Intuitionistic

A pure and internal system

Getting rid of negation

\boxed{LE}

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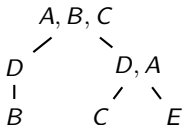
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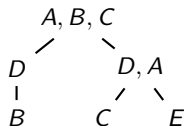
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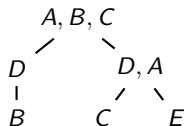


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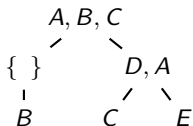
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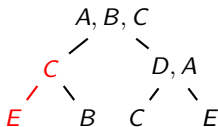


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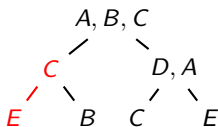


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