

From unified correspondence to parametric correspondence

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Unified correspondence

Duality-theoretic approach to nonclassical logics

- ▶ canonical extensions;
- ▶ ALBA + translation;
- ▶ uniform definition of Sahlqvist/inductive formulas/inequalities;
- ▶ applications to structural proof theory (ALBA- driven generation of analytic rules).

Methodologically unified mathematical theory of LE-logics (LE: lattice expansions)

- ▶ duality-induced relational semantics (polarity-based frames, graph-based frames...);
- ▶ generalized Sahlqvist correspondence and canonicity;
- ▶ syntactic and semantic cut elimination, finite model property;
- ▶ Goldblatt-Thomason theorem.

Main tool: the algorithm ALBA

- ▶ computes the first-order correspondent of LE-terms/inequalities.
- ▶ reduction steps sound on complex algebras of relational structures (perfect LEs)

Examples: reflexivity and transitivity

$$\forall p[\Box p \leq p]$$

$$\text{iff } \forall p \forall j \forall m [(j \leq \Box p \ \& \ p \leq m) \Rightarrow j \leq m] \quad (\text{generators})$$

$$\text{iff } \forall p \forall j \forall m [(\Diamond j \leq p \ \& \ p \leq m) \Rightarrow j \leq m] \quad (\text{adjunction})$$

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Modularity: One reduction, many translations!

On Kripke frames (W, R) :

$$\forall j [j \leq \blacklozenge j] \rightsquigarrow \forall w (\Delta[w] \subseteq R[w]) \quad \text{i.e. } \Delta \subseteq R$$

$$\forall j [\lozenge\lozenge j \leq \lozenge j] \rightsquigarrow \forall w (R^{-1}[R^{-1}[w]] \subseteq R^{-1}[w]) \quad \text{i.e. } R \circ R \subseteq R$$

On polarity-based frames $(A, X, I, R_{\square}, R_{\lozenge})$:

$$\forall j [j \leq \blacklozenge j] \rightsquigarrow \forall a (R_{\square}^{(1)}[a] \subseteq I^{(1)}[a]) \quad \text{i.e. } R_{\square} \subseteq I$$

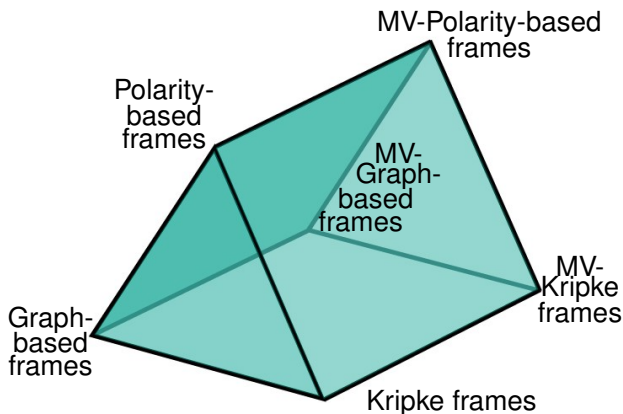
$$\forall j [\lozenge\lozenge j \leq \lozenge j] \rightsquigarrow \forall a ((R_{\lozenge}; I R_{\lozenge})^{(0)}[a] \subseteq R_{\lozenge}^{(0)}[a]) \quad \text{i.e. } R_{\lozenge} \subseteq R_{\lozenge}; I R_{\lozenge}$$

On graph-based frames $(Z, E, R_{\square}, R_{\lozenge})$:

$$\forall j [j \leq \blacklozenge j] \rightsquigarrow \forall z (E^{[1]}[z] \subseteq R_{\square}^{[1]}[z]) \quad \text{i.e. } E \subseteq R_{\square}$$

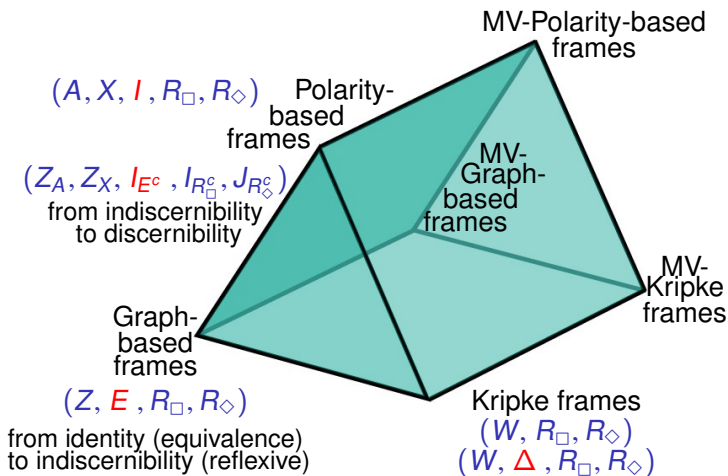
$$\forall j [\lozenge\lozenge j \leq \lozenge j] \rightsquigarrow \forall z ((R_{\lozenge} \star_E R_{\lozenge})^{[0]}[z] \subseteq R_{\lozenge}^{[0]}[z]) \quad \text{i.e. } R_{\lozenge} \star_E R_{\lozenge} \subseteq R_{\lozenge}$$

A commutative diagram of semantic contexts 1/2



- ▶ These semantic contexts relate to each other via embeddings;
- ▶ Can we systematically relate the f.o.-correspondents of (modal) axioms to each other along these embeddings?
- ▶ Can we retrieve the intuitive meaning of these axioms in each context?

A commutative diagram of semantic contexts 2/2



- ▶ Complex algebras preserved under embeddings.
- ▶ $z_A I_{R_{\square}} z'_X$ iff $z R z'$ $z_X J_{R_{\square}} z'_A$ iff $z R z'$;
- ▶ Lifting preserves composition! E.g. $I_{(R \circ S)^c} = I_{R^c} ; I_{S^c}$.

Epistemic interpretation of modal axioms

Axiom	Kripke frames	Polarity-based frames	Graph-based frames
$\Box p \rightarrow p$ Factivity: if agent knows p then p true	$\Delta \subseteq R$ states that agent tells apart are non-identical	$R \subseteq I$ agent's attributions factually correct	$E \subseteq R$ states that agent tells apart are not inher. indist.
$\Box p \rightarrow \Box \Box p$ Positive introspection: if agent knows p then agent knows of knowing p	$R \circ R \subseteq R$ if agent tells apart x, y then agent can distinguish y from any z agent cannot tell apart from x	$R \subseteq R; R$ If agent thinks object a is an x -object, then agent must also attribute to a all features shared by x -objects according to i	$R \circ_E R \subseteq R$ positive introspection + inherent indistinguishab.

Skimming through the technicalities

In each semantic context:

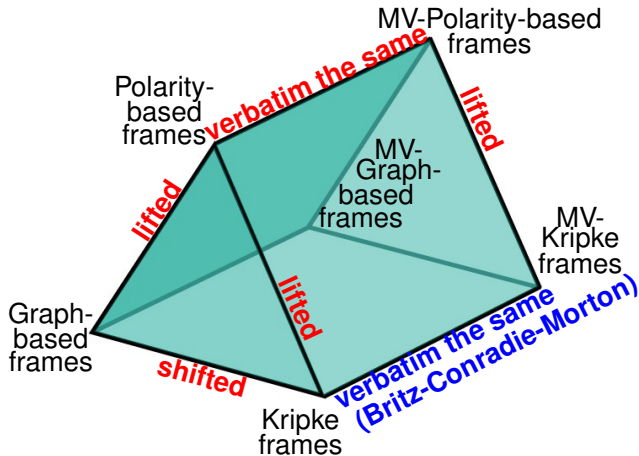
- ▶ Various **compositions of binary relations** have been defined;
- ▶ these compositions used as interpretations of **term-constructors in an algebraic language of binary relations**;
- ▶ **f.o.-correspondents** of Sahlqvist MRPs (modal reduction principles) translated **as term-inequalities** in this language.

Thanks to compositions being preserved under embeddings, **term-inequalities “lifted” and “shifted” along the embeddings** among contexts.

Preliminary results: the f.o.-correspondents of...

blue = all Sahlqvist formulas

red = all modal reduction principles



Conclusions: towards parametric correspondence

- ▶ Groundwork for a framework for systematically comparing f.o.-corr's of inductive formulas/inequalities across different relational semantics;
- ▶ correspondence theories for different logics and semantic contexts both methodologically *unified* by the same algebraic and algorithmic mechanisms, and *parametrically* related in terms of their outputs.
- ▶ Question: can other results be parametrically transferred in analogous ways?

How far can these results be extended?

- ▶ From Sahlqvist to inductive?
 - ▶ Yes, this should be no problem (but see below);
- ▶ to all LE-signatures?
 - ▶ Yes, this should be no problem (but see below);
- ▶ from modal reduction principles to **all** Sahlqvist/inductive inequalities?
 - ▶ **No.** Consider $\diamond(p \vee q) \leq \diamond(p \wedge q)$, which is Sahlqvist. Its f.o.-corr. on Kripke frames is $R \subseteq \emptyset$, which lifts to $X \times A \subseteq R_\diamond$, which is NOT equivalent to its f.o.-corr. on polarity-based frames.
- ▶ What goes wrong?
 - ▶ **Conjecture:** we believe the failure is due to the loss of order-theoretic properties of the interpretation of \wedge in moving from the classical to the lattice-based environment. Notice that no such loss occurs for the connectives occurring in modal reduction principles.