## Mathematical Logic

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### 1 Propositional Logic

- $\mathcal{L}_0$ -formulas
- Truth Assignments
- Proof System for  $\mathcal{L}_0$
- Compactness of  $\mathcal{L}_0$

#### Definition 4.1

We say  $\Gamma \subseteq \mathcal{L}_0$  is finitely satisfiable if every finite  $\Gamma_0 \subset \Gamma$  is satisfiable, i.e. there is a truth assignment  $\nu$  such that for all  $\psi \in \Gamma_0$ ,  $\bar{\nu}(\psi) = T$ .

#### Theorem 4.1 (Compactness for $\mathcal{L}_0$ )

Suppose that  $\Gamma \subseteq \mathcal{L}_0$ ,  $\varphi \in \mathcal{L}_0$  and  $\Gamma \models \varphi$ . Then there is a finite  $\Gamma_0 \subset \Gamma$  such that  $\Gamma_0 \models \varphi$ .

#### Theorem 4.2 (Compactness, Version II)

A set of formulas is satisfiable if and only if every finite subset is satisfiable.<sup>a</sup>

<sup>a</sup>This version can be proved using ultraproduct of models.

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$$\nu_1(A_n) \neq \nu_2(A_n).$$

We may assume that  $\nu_1(A_n) = 0$  and  $\nu_2(A_n) = 1$ . Then  $\nu_1 \in \mathcal{O}_{\{A_n\}}$  and  $\nu_2 \in \mathcal{O}_{\{\neg A_n\}}$ , and

$$\mathcal{O}_{\{A_n\}} \cap \mathcal{O}_{\{\neg A_n\}} = \varnothing.$$

## **Topological Compactness**

Let  $(X,\tau)$  be a topological space. Suppose  $(X,\tau)$  is a Hausdorff.

#### Definition

- Let *F* be a collection of closed subsets of *X*. If every nonempty finite subcollection *F*<sub>0</sub> ⊂ *F* has nonempty intersection, i.e. ∩*F*<sub>0</sub> ≠ Ø, we say *F* has finite intersection property (FIP).
- We say (X, τ) is compact, if any nonempty collection F of closed subsets of X with FIP has nonempty intersection, i.e. ∩F ≠ Ø.
- The Compactness theorem in fact is a consequence of Tychonoff's theorem (which says the product of compact spaces is compact) applied to compact Stone spaces (Hausdorff + totally disconnected).

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Log.  $\Rightarrow$  Top. Suppose  $\{B_{\Gamma} \mid \Gamma \in \mathcal{G}\}$  has the FIP. We show  $\bigcup_{\Gamma \in \mathcal{G}} \Gamma$  is finitely satisfiable. Let  $\Lambda \subseteq \bigcup \mathcal{G}$  be finite, choose finite  $\mathcal{G}_0 \subseteq \mathcal{G}$ , such that  $\Lambda \subseteq \bigcup \mathcal{G}_0$ . By FIP,

$$\mathcal{B}_{\Lambda} \supseteq \mathcal{B}_{\cup \mathcal{G}_0} = \bigcap_{\Gamma \in \mathcal{G}_0} \mathcal{B}_{\Gamma} \neq \emptyset.$$

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If an assignment  $\nu \models \Sigma_M$ , then the set

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**PROOF.** Prove by induction on |K|.

- The case |K| = 1 is trivial. Suppose the claim holds for all K' of size < |K|, and now consider K.
- Select a  $u \in K$  such that there is no  $v \in K$  satisfies that  $\Sigma_K \vdash p_{vu}$ .<sup>1</sup> Let  $K' = K \setminus \{u\}$ . |K'| < |K|, by the inductive hypothesis,  $\Sigma_{K'}$  is satisfiable, say via  $\nu'$ .
- Extend  $\nu'$  by setting  $\nu(p_{uv}) = 1$  for any  $v \in K'$  and  $\nu(p_{vu}) = 0$  for all  $v \in K$ , and  $\nu \upharpoonright K' = \nu'$ . It is routine to check that  $\nu$  gives a total order on K, i.e.  $\nu \models \Sigma_K$ .

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- $p_X$ ,  $\neg p_\varnothing$ ;
- $p_u \rightarrow p_v$ , if  $u \subseteq v$ ;
- $p_u \wedge p_v \rightarrow p_{u \cap v}$ ;
- $p_{u^c} \leftrightarrow \neg p_u$ , where  $u^c := u^c$ ;
- $p_f$ , for  $f \in \mathcal{F}$ .

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Prove by induction on |A|. The case n = 1 is trivial. Now suppose the claim holds for all A' with |A'| < |A|, work with |A|. There are two cases:

- for every  $u \in \langle A \rangle$ ,  $\Sigma_{\langle A \rangle} \vdash p_u \lor p_{u^c}$ .
  - As  $\emptyset \notin \mathcal{F}$ , for every  $u \in \langle A \rangle$ , exactly one of  $\{u, u^c\}$  is in  $\mathcal{F}$ .
  - Thus  $\Sigma_{\langle A \rangle} \vdash \mathcal{F} \cap \langle A \rangle$  is an ultrafilter over  $\langle A \rangle$ .
  - For  $u \in \langle A \rangle$ , set  $\nu$  such that

$$\nu(p_u) = 1 \quad \text{iff} \quad u \in \mathcal{F}.$$

Otherwise, ...

• there is a  $u \in \langle A \rangle$  such that  $\Sigma_{\langle A \rangle} \not\vdash p_u \lor p_{u^c}$ .

- Let A' be maximal such that  $A' \subset A$  and  $\langle A' \rangle \subseteq \langle A \rangle \backslash \{u\}$ .
- By the minimality assumption on A, we may assume that |A'| + 1 = |A|. By the ind. hyp., there is some  $\nu' \models \Sigma_{\langle A' \rangle}$ .
- Let  $\mathcal{U}_{A'} = \{ w \in \langle A' \rangle \mid \nu'(p_w) = 1 \}.$
- $\mathcal{U}_{A'}$  is finite, so  $\bigcap \mathcal{U}_{A'} \neq \emptyset$ .
- One of  $\{u, u^c\}$  has non-empty intersection with  $\bigcap U_{A'}$ , say u.
- For  $w \in \langle A \rangle$ , set  $\nu$  such that

$$\nu(p_w) = 1 \quad \text{iff} \quad w \supset u \cap (\bigcap \mathcal{U}_{A'})$$

Verify that  $\nu \models \Sigma_{\langle A \rangle}$ .

#### Exercise 4.1

Use Compactness to show that every partial order  $<_0$  on a set X can be extended to a total order < on X.

Exercise (思考题)

- Suppose  $\emptyset \notin \mathcal{F} \neq \emptyset$ . Prove that  $\mathcal{F}$  is a filter on X iff  $u \cap v \in \mathcal{F} \Leftrightarrow u \in \mathcal{F} \land v \in \mathcal{F}$  for every  $u, v \subseteq X$ .
- **2** Suppose  $\emptyset \notin \mathcal{F} \neq \emptyset$  is a filter on *X*. Show that  $\mathcal{F}$  is an ultrafilter iff  $u \cup v \in \mathcal{F} \Leftrightarrow u \in \mathcal{F} \lor v \in \mathcal{F}$ .
- On ultrafilter U on X is principal iff there is an x ∈ X such that U = {u ⊂ X | x ∈ u}. Show that every ultrafilter on a finite X is principal.

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Assign  $p_t$  for each  $t \in T$ . Let  $\Gamma$  consist of

$$\ \, \bigcirc \, \bigvee_{t\in T_k} p_t, \text{ for } k\in \mathbb{N};$$

$$\ 2 \ \neg (p_s \land p_t) \text{ for } s \neq t \in T_k, \ k \in \mathbb{N}.$$

**3** 
$$p_t \rightarrow p_s$$
 for  $s, t \in T$  such that  $s \prec_T t$ .

Here  $T_k$  is the k-th level of T.

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Finite cases are easy. For infinite W, for  $(v,n)\in W\times M,$  assign  $p_{vn}.$  Consider a set  $\Sigma$  such that

- **1**  $p_{vn_1} \vee \cdots \vee p_{vn_l}$ , for  $v \in W$ ,  $n_i$ 's are the meanings of v.
- $\ \ \, \bigcirc \ \ \, \neg(p_{vm} \land p_{vn}), \text{ for } v \in W \text{ and } m \neq n \in M.$