

Computational Learning in Dynamic Logics

Extra Exercises

Day 2

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Ex. 1. Comparing $[\!|\varphi]$ and $\langle\!|\varphi\rangle$. Let us define the semantic of $\langle\!|\varphi\rangle$ in the following way:

$$(M, s) \models \langle\!|\varphi\rangle\psi \text{ iff } (M, s) \models \neg[\!|\varphi]\neg\psi.$$

a. Decide if $(M, s) \models \langle\!|\varphi\rangle\psi$ is equivalent to:

$$(M, s) \models \varphi \text{ or } (M|\varphi, s) \models \psi.$$

b. Justify your answer.

c. What is the intuitive meaning of $\langle\!|\varphi\rangle$?

Why is it not ' $\langle\!|(\varphi \wedge \psi)\rangle$ '? In other words, find a counterexample to:

$$\models [\!|\varphi][\!|\psi]\theta \leftrightarrow [\!|(\varphi \wedge \psi)]\theta.$$

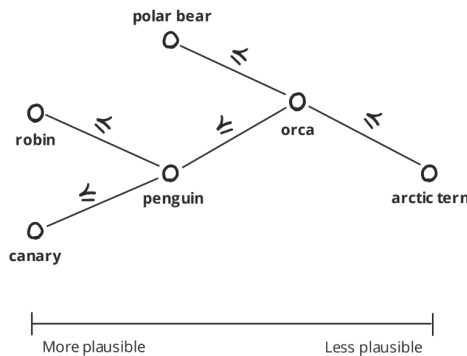
Ex. 2. In Lecture 2, the following validity expressed how to perform sequential composition of announcements:

$$\models [\!|\varphi][\!|\psi]\theta \leftrightarrow [\!|(\varphi \wedge [\!|\varphi]\psi)]\theta.$$

Why not ' $\langle\!|(\varphi \wedge \psi)\rangle$ '? In other words, find a counterexample to:

$$\models [\!|\varphi][\!|\psi]\theta \leftrightarrow [\!|(\varphi \wedge \psi)]\theta.$$

Ex. 3. Consider the plausibility model M over animals that we discussed in class:



Let the set of propositions be $Prop = \{\text{BIRD}, \text{POLAR}, \text{MAMMAL}, \text{FLY}, \text{PENGUIN}, \text{ROBIN}\}$, with the valuations:

$$\begin{aligned} \llbracket \text{BIRD} \rrbracket &= \{\text{robin}, \text{canary}, \text{penguin}, \text{arctic tern}\} & \llbracket \text{PENGUIN} \rrbracket &= \{\text{penguin}\} \\ \llbracket \text{POLAR} \rrbracket &= \{\text{polar bear}, \text{penguin}, \text{orca}, \text{arctic tern}\} & \llbracket \text{ROBIN} \rrbracket &= \{\text{robin}\} \\ \llbracket \text{MAMMAL} \rrbracket &= \{\text{polar bear}, \text{orca}\} \\ \llbracket \text{FLY} \rrbracket &= \{\text{robin}, \text{canary}, \text{arctic tern}\} \end{aligned}$$

Think of ROBIN as the classification or predicate “is a robin,” and ‘robin’ as an individual robin.

Determine the validity of the following formulas. (Recall that $M \models \varphi$ whenever $M, s \models \varphi$ for all states s in the model. Notice: the semantics of $\mathbf{B}^\varphi \psi$ do not depend on the state s .)

Expression	Does it hold?		Explanation
$M \models \text{BIRD} \rightarrow \text{FLY}$	yes	no	
$M \models \text{PENGUIN} \rightarrow \text{FLY}$	yes	no	
$M \models \mathbf{B}^{\text{BIRD}}(\text{FLY})$	yes	no	
$M \models \mathbf{B}^{\text{POLAR}}(\text{FLY})$	yes	no	
$M \models \mathbf{B}^{\text{BIRD} \wedge \text{POLAR}}(\neg \text{FLY})$	yes	no	
$M \models \mathbf{B}^{\text{BIRD} \wedge \neg \text{POLAR}}(\text{FLY})$	yes	no	

Ex. 4. Assume Bob’s believes set p , $p \leftrightarrow q$, and $\neg r$. Come up with an appropriate prior plausibility order on W (the set of all possible truth assignments over p, q, r), which satisfies both of the requirements below:

1. after minimal revision with r Bob would believe that q ;
2. after lexicographic revision with $p \rightarrow q$ Bob would believe that $\neg p$.