

Cut-free Calculus for Second-Order Gödel Logic

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Context and Motivation

- Fuzzy logics have **semantic** origins.
- As *logics* they should have a **proof theory**.
- The same applies for **higher-order** fuzzy logics.
- This is essential for basing **fuzzy mathematics** on fuzzy logic.

G. Metcalfe, N. Olivetti, and D. Gabbay. **Proof Theory for Fuzzy Logics**.
Volume 36 of Applied Logic. Springer, 2008.

Simplified Second-Order Language

Augment a first-order language with the following:

- Set variables and set constants.
- Second-order quantifiers.
- Inclusion predicate ε .

Example (Comprehension Scheme)

$$\exists X. \forall y. A(y) \leftrightarrow (y \varepsilon X) \quad \text{where } X \text{ is not free in } A$$

Structure

$\langle U, \leq, 0, 1 \rangle$ Bounded complete linearly ordered set of truth values.

\mathcal{D}_i Domain of **individuals**.

\mathcal{D}_s Domain of **sets**.

\mathcal{I} Interpretation of relation symbols and sets:

- for any $D \in \mathcal{D}_s$, $\mathcal{I}(D)$ is a fuzzy subset of \mathcal{D}_i .
- for any n -ary relation symbol R , $\mathcal{I}(R)$ is a fuzzy set of n -tuples of elements of \mathcal{D}_i .

$$\llbracket R(t_1, \dots, t_n) \rrbracket_\sigma = \mathcal{I}(R)(\llbracket t_1 \rrbracket_\sigma, \dots, \llbracket t_n \rrbracket_\sigma)$$

$$\llbracket t \in T \rrbracket_\sigma = \mathcal{I}(\llbracket T \rrbracket_\sigma)(\llbracket t \rrbracket_\sigma)$$

$$\llbracket \perp \rrbracket_\sigma = 0$$

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- Various sequent systems have been introduced (e.g., [Sonobe '75], [Corsi '86], [Avellone et al. '99], [Dyckhoff '99], [Avron and Konikowska '01], [Dyckhoff and Negri '06]).
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- In contrast, *standard* logical rules are used in **HG** [Avron '91], the system obtained by “lifting” (propositional) **LJ** to the *hypersequent* level, and adding the *communication* rule.

Hypersequents

A *hypersequent* is a finite set of sequents denoted by:

$$\Gamma_1 \Rightarrow E_1 \mid \Gamma_2 \Rightarrow E_2 \mid \dots \mid \Gamma_n \Rightarrow E_n$$

The Communication Rule

$$\frac{H \mid \Gamma, \Delta \Rightarrow E_1 \quad H \mid \Gamma, \Delta \Rightarrow E_2}{H \mid \Gamma \Rightarrow E_1 \mid \Delta \Rightarrow E_2}$$

Semantics of Hypersequents

$$\llbracket \Gamma \Rightarrow E \rrbracket_{\sigma} = \begin{cases} 1 & \min_{A \in \Gamma} \llbracket A \rrbracket_{\sigma} \leq \max_{A \in E} \llbracket A \rrbracket_{\sigma} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

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The System HG

Structural Rules:

$$(IW \Rightarrow) \frac{H \mid \Gamma \Rightarrow E}{H \mid \Gamma, A \Rightarrow E} \quad (\Rightarrow IW) \frac{H \mid \Gamma \Rightarrow}{H \mid \Gamma \Rightarrow A} \quad (EW) \frac{H}{H \mid \Gamma \Rightarrow E}$$
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Identity Rules:

$$(id) \frac{}{A \Rightarrow A} \quad (cut) \frac{H \mid \Gamma \Rightarrow A \quad H \mid \Gamma, A \Rightarrow E}{H \mid \Gamma \Rightarrow E}$$

Logical Rules:

$$(\supset \Rightarrow) \frac{H \mid \Gamma \Rightarrow A \quad H \mid \Gamma, B \Rightarrow E}{H \mid \Gamma, A \supset B \Rightarrow E} \quad (\Rightarrow \supset) \frac{H \mid \Gamma, A \Rightarrow B}{H \mid \Gamma \Rightarrow A \supset B}$$
$$(\wedge \Rightarrow) \frac{H \mid \Gamma, A, B \Rightarrow E}{H \mid \Gamma, A \wedge B \Rightarrow E} \quad (\Rightarrow \wedge) \frac{H \mid \Gamma \Rightarrow A \quad H \mid \Gamma \Rightarrow B}{H \mid \Gamma \Rightarrow A \wedge B}$$

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- Augment **HG** with the usual rules for first-order quantifiers:

$$(\forall \Rightarrow) \frac{H \mid \Gamma, A\{t/x\} \Rightarrow E}{H \mid \Gamma, \forall x. A \Rightarrow E} \quad (\Rightarrow \forall) \frac{H \mid \Gamma \Rightarrow A}{H \mid \Gamma \Rightarrow \forall x. A}$$

$$(\exists \Rightarrow) \frac{H \mid \Gamma, A \Rightarrow E}{H \mid \Gamma, \exists x. A \Rightarrow E} \quad (\Rightarrow \exists) \frac{H \mid \Gamma \Rightarrow A\{t/x\}}{H \mid \Gamma \Rightarrow \exists x. A}$$

x is not free in the lower hypersequent in $(\Rightarrow \forall)$ and $(\exists \Rightarrow)$.

- The resulting calculus is **sound and complete** for standard first-order Gödel logic.
- It enjoys **cut-admissibility** ([Baaz, Zach '00], [Avron, L. '13]).

The System **HIF**²

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- τ is a **set abstraction** of the form $\{y \mid \psi(y)\}$
- $A\{\tau/x\}$ is the formula obtained from A by substituting each atomic formula of the form $t \in X$ by $\psi(t)$, e.g.

$$(f(c) \in X \vee g(c) \in X)\{\{y \mid R(y, y)\}/x\} = R(f(c), f(c)) \vee R(g(c), g(c))$$

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Major Obstacle

As in \mathbf{LK}^2 , the usual syntactic approach dramatically fails.

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Basically, we take the same approach.

- Develop complete semantics for HIF^2 without (*cut*).
 - “More” truth values.
 - Non-deterministic.
- Show that from every countermodel in this semantics, it is possible to extract an ordinary countermodel.

The Semantic Role of the Identity Rules

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$$\begin{aligned} \llbracket A \rrbracket_{\sigma} &= \llbracket L \mid R \rrbracket & L &\leq R \\ \llbracket A \rrbracket_{\sigma} &= L & \llbracket A \rrbracket_{\sigma} &= R \end{aligned}$$

(*cut*)-Free Semantics

Quasi-Structure

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\mathcal{I}^L **Left** interpretation of relation symbols and sets.

\mathcal{I}^R **Right** interpretation of relation symbols and sets.

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The rules do **not** uniquely determine truth values of compound formulas.

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The semantics is **non-deterministic**.

$\llbracket \cdot \rrbracket$ and $\lvert \cdot \rvert$ are also included in each quasi-structure.

(*cut*)-Free Semantics

$$\llbracket R(t_1 \dots t_n) \rrbracket_\sigma = \mathcal{I}^L(R)(\llbracket t_1 \rrbracket_\sigma, \dots, \llbracket t_n \rrbracket_\sigma) \quad |R(t_1 \dots t_n)\rrbracket_\sigma = \mathcal{I}^R(R)(\llbracket t_1 \rrbracket_\sigma, \dots, \llbracket t_n \rrbracket_\sigma)$$

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$$\llbracket \perp \rrbracket_\sigma \leq 0$$

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Theorem (Completeness)

If H is not provable without (cut) then $\llbracket H \rrbracket^{cf} = 0$ for some non-deterministic structure.

(cut)-Free Completeness

Given Quasi-structure $\langle \mathcal{U}, \mathcal{D}_i, \mathcal{D}_s, \mathcal{I}^L, \mathcal{I}^R, \llbracket \cdot | \cdot \rrbracket \rangle$ and assignment σ , s.t. $\llbracket H \rrbracket_\sigma^{cf} = 0$.

Goal Structure $\langle \mathcal{U}', \mathcal{D}'_i, \mathcal{D}'_s, \mathcal{I} \rangle$ and assignment ρ , s.t. $\llbracket H \rrbracket_\rho = 0$.

- $\mathcal{U}' := \mathcal{U}$, $\mathcal{D}'_i := \mathcal{D}_i$, $\rho(x) := \sigma(x)$ for individual variables.
- $\mathcal{I}(R) := \mathcal{I}^L(R)$ for relation symbols.
- \mathcal{D}'_s includes a member $\langle D, S \rangle$ for any $D \in \mathcal{D}_s$ and fuzzy set S s.t. $\mathcal{I}^L(D) \subseteq S \subseteq \mathcal{I}^R(D)$.
- $\mathcal{I}(\langle D, S \rangle) := S$ for any $\langle D, S \rangle \in \mathcal{D}'_s$.
- For any set variable X , $\rho(X) := \langle \sigma(X), S \rangle$ for some fuzzy set S as above (we refer to all these assignments as *σ -suitable* assignments).

It remains to prove: $\llbracket H \rrbracket_\rho = 0$; comprehensiveness.

We show: $\llbracket A \rrbracket_\sigma \leq \llbracket A \rrbracket_\rho \leq |A|_\sigma$ for any formula A and σ -suitable assignment ρ .

(cut)-Free Completeness

One step in the (inductive) proof:

$$\text{IH1 } \llbracket A \rrbracket_\sigma \leq \llbracket A \rrbracket_\rho \leq |A|_\sigma$$

$$\text{IH2 } \llbracket B \rrbracket_\sigma \leq \llbracket B \rrbracket_\rho \leq |B|_\sigma$$

$$\text{H1 } \llbracket A \supset B \rrbracket_\rho = \llbracket A \rrbracket_\rho \rightarrow \llbracket B \rrbracket_\rho$$

$$\text{H2 } \llbracket A \supset B \rrbracket_\sigma \leq |A|_\sigma \rightarrow \llbracket B \rrbracket_\sigma$$

$$\text{H3 } |A \supset B|_\sigma \geq \llbracket A \rrbracket_\sigma \rightarrow |B|_\sigma$$

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$$\llbracket A \supset B \rrbracket_\sigma \leq \llbracket A \supset B \rrbracket_\rho \leq |A \supset B|_\sigma$$

(using the fact that if $u_1 \leq u' \leq u_2$ and $u_3 \leq u'' \leq u_4$, then $u_2 \rightarrow u_3 \leq u' \rightarrow u'' \leq u_1 \rightarrow u_4$).

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