

On Model Theory of Bi-approximation Semantics

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- Bi-approximation semantics (T. Suzuki) provides a relational semantics to lattice-based logics, as e.g. substructural logics.
- Relates to work by M. Gehrke, N. Galatos, P. Jipsen,... motivated by similar goals
- What has been done by now includes a natural definition of validity-preserving morphisms, dual relation to algebraic semantics, first-order correspondence, canonicity results and Sahlqvist theorem (series of papers by T.Suzuki 2010-2013)

We would like to do

- offer a more general categorial view on the polarity-based frames
- to prove a definability theorem in the spirit of Goldblatt and Thomason abstractly
- to prove the definability theorem using first-order model theory

Main references for this talk are:

- Tomoyuki Suzuki, Morphisms on bi-approximation semantics , Advances in Modal Logic 2012, vol.9, 2012, pp.494-515. College Publications.
- Unpublished notes on the category of frames seen as modules by Jiří Velebil.

Polarity frames

- A **polarity** (X, Y, N) is a binary relation N on two nonempty sets X and Y .
- N generates a preorder on X and Y :

$$x \leq x' \equiv \forall y (x' N y \longrightarrow x N y)$$

$$y' \leq y \equiv \forall x (x N y' \longrightarrow x N y)$$

- A pair (L, U) of subsets of X and Y is called a **cut**, iff L are the lowerbounds of U , and U are the upperbounds of L w.r.t. N .

Doppelgänger valuation

A valuation is a map V assigning to each atom p a cut

$V(p) = (V^\downarrow(p), V^\uparrow(p))$ of states where p is **assumed** and states where p is **concluded**.

Lattice fragment of the language

Any valuation on $F = (X, Y, N)$ generates semantics relations \Vdash^x and \Vdash_y as follows:

- $\Vdash^x \varphi \wedge \psi \Leftrightarrow \Vdash^x \varphi$ and $\Vdash^x \psi$
- $\Vdash^x \varphi \vee \psi \Leftrightarrow \forall y (\Vdash_y \varphi \vee \psi \Rightarrow xNy)$
- $\Vdash_y \varphi \vee \psi \Leftrightarrow \Vdash_y \varphi$ and $\Vdash_y \psi$
- $\Vdash_y \varphi \wedge \psi \Leftrightarrow \forall x (\Vdash^x \varphi \wedge \psi \Rightarrow xNy)$

Residuated polarity frame

A polarity frame $F = (X, Y, N, R, O)$ where $R : Y \dashrightarrow X \times X$ is a ternary monotone relation:

$$x'_1 \leq x_1, x'_2 \leq x_2, y \leq y' \text{ and } R(x_1, x_2, y) \Rightarrow R(x'_1, x'_2, y')$$

and $O = (O_X, O_Y)$ is a cut.

additional properties of R and O

- ① $x' \leq x \Leftrightarrow (\exists o \in O_X)(\forall y)(R(x, o, y) \Rightarrow x' \leq y)$
 $x' \leq x \Leftrightarrow (\exists o \in O_X)(\forall y)(R(o, x, y) \Rightarrow x' \leq y)$
- ② tightness of R ...
- ③ associativity, commutativity of R if needed ...

Interpreting substructural language

- ① $\Vdash^x 1 \Leftrightarrow x \in O_X$
- ② $\Vdash^x \varphi \otimes \psi \Leftrightarrow \forall y (\Vdash_y \varphi \otimes \psi \Rightarrow xNy)$
- ③ $\Vdash^x \varphi \rightarrow \psi \Leftrightarrow \forall x', y (\Vdash^{x'} \varphi \text{ and } \Vdash_y \psi \Rightarrow R(x', x, y))$
- ④ $\Vdash^x \psi \leftarrow \varphi \Leftrightarrow \forall x', y (\Vdash^{x'} \varphi \text{ and } \Vdash_y \psi \Rightarrow R(x, x', y))$
- ⑤ $\Vdash_y 1 \Leftrightarrow y \in O_Y$
- ⑥ $\Vdash_y \varphi \otimes \psi \Leftrightarrow \forall x, x' (\Vdash^x \varphi \text{ and } \Vdash^{x'} \psi \Rightarrow R(x, x', y))$
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- ⑧ $\Vdash_y \psi \leftarrow \varphi \Leftrightarrow \forall x (\Vdash^x \psi \leftarrow \varphi \Rightarrow xNy)$

Interpreting sequents

$$F, V \Vdash (\varphi \Rightarrow \psi) \text{ IFF } \forall x, y (\Vdash^x \varphi \text{ and } \Vdash_y \psi \Rightarrow xNy)$$

Morphisms of polarity frames

A **frame morphism** from $F_1 = (X_1, Y_1, N_1)$ to $F_2 = (X_2, Y_2, N_2)$ is a pair of (monotone) maps $p : X_1 \rightarrow X_2$ and $f : Y_2 \rightarrow Y_1$ satisfying:

- ① $\forall x, y (p(x) N_2 f(y) \Rightarrow x N_1 y)$
- ② for all $x_1 \in X_1$ and $y_2 \in Y_2$:

$$\forall y_1 [y_2 \leq f(y_1) \Rightarrow x_1 N_1 y_1] \Rightarrow p(x_1) N_2 y_2$$

- ③ for all $x_2 \in X_2$ and $y_1 \in Y_1$:

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$$(L, U) \text{ is a cut on } F_2 \Rightarrow (p^{-1}[L], f^{-1}[U]) \text{ is a cut on } F_1$$

Morphisms of residuated polarity frames

① for all x_2, x'_2, y

$$\forall x_1, x'_1 [p(x_1) \leq x_2 \text{ and } p(x'_1) \leq x'_2 \Rightarrow R_1(x_1, x'_1, y)] \Leftrightarrow R_2(x_2, x'_2, f(y))$$

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Special morphisms

- a frame morphism $(p, f) : F_1 \longrightarrow F_2$ is **N -embedding** if

$$\forall x, y (x N_1 y \Rightarrow p(x) N_2 f(y))$$

- a frame morphism $(p, f) : F_1 \longrightarrow F_2$ is **N -separating** if for all $x_2 \in X_2$ and $y_2 \in Y_2$,

$$\forall x_1, y_1 [p(x_1) \leq x_2 \text{ and } y_2 \leq f(y_1) \Rightarrow x_1 N_1 y_1] \Rightarrow p(x_1) N_2 f(y_1)$$

Morphisms of residuated polarity frames

- ① generalise to model morphisms by requirement of atomic harmony
- ② model morphisms preserve assuming and concluding of every formula
- ③ *N-embeddings* of frames **reflect** validity of sequents
- ④ *N-separating* morphisms of frames **preserve** validity of sequents

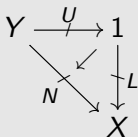
Frames as modules

Consider 2-category of **preorders** and **monotone relations** (modules).

A frame F is a monotone relation $N : Y \dashrightarrow X$

Cuts

A **cut** on F is a diagram



that is simultaneously a right Kan extension and a right Kan lifting:

- ① $L = \llbracket U, N \rrbracket$, i.e. $L(x) = \bigwedge_y (U(y) \longrightarrow N(x, y))$
- ② $U = \{ \llbracket L, N \rrbracket \}$, i.e. $U(y) = \bigwedge_x (L(x) \longrightarrow N(x, y))$

Reflecting cuts morphisms

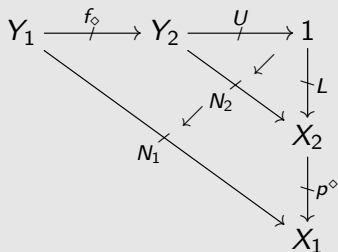
A **morphism** from $N_1 : Y_1 \dashrightarrow X_1$ to $N_2 : Y_2 \dashrightarrow X_2$ consists of a pair $f : Y_1 \rightarrow Y_2$, $p : X_1 \rightarrow X_2$ with:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 Y_1 & \xrightarrow{f} & Y_2 \\
 N_1 \downarrow & \leftarrow & \downarrow N_2 \\
 X_1 & \xleftarrow{p} & X_2
 \end{array}$$

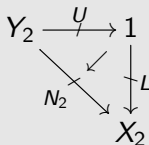
and such that ...

Cut reflection

... when pasted as follows:



yields a cut, for every cut



Polarity frames as separated modules

A frame $N : Y \dashrightarrow X$ is a polarity frame (separated frame), if Y (seen as a module) is the right Kan lift of N through N , and X (as a module) is the right Kan extension of N along N :

$$\textcircled{1} \quad y' \leq y = \bigwedge_x [N(x, y') \Rightarrow N(x, y)]$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad x' \leq x = \bigwedge_y [N(x, y) \Rightarrow N(x', y)], \text{ meaning that}$$

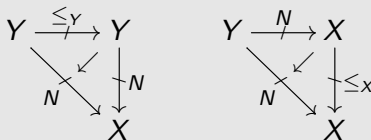


exhibit Y as $\{\{N, N\}$ and X as $[[N, N]]$.

The 2-category of polarity frames

- objects - separated frames
- 1-cells - cut-reflecting morphisms
- 2-cells

$$(p_1, f_1) \sqsubseteq (p_2, f_2) \Leftrightarrow f_1 \leq f_2 \text{ and } p_2 \leq p_1$$

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Examples

- $\leq_X: X \dashrightarrow X$
- $2_\wedge: 2 \dashrightarrow 2^{op}$ where $2_\wedge(u, v) = u \wedge v$
- a morphism from a frame N to 2_\wedge is precisely a cut on N .

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Factorisation

- **N -embeddings** are **order-mono**
- **N -separating** morphisms are **order-epi**
- Every frame morphism has an N -separating- N -embedding factorisation

Lattices and polarity frames

The dual picture:

$$\text{Fr}^{op} \begin{array}{c} \xleftarrow{\text{Stone}} \\ \xrightarrow{\text{Pred}} \end{array} \text{Lat}$$

Explanation:

$$\textcircled{1} \text{ Pred} : \mathbb{F} \mapsto [\mathbb{F}, 2_{\wedge}].$$

The **predicates** on \mathbb{F} are the **cuts** of \mathbb{F} with

$$\begin{aligned} (L, U) \wedge (L', U') &= (L \cap L', U'') \\ (L, U) \vee (L', U') &= (L'', U \cap U') \end{aligned}$$

This is a lattice.

$$\textcircled{2} \text{ Stone} : \mathbb{A} \mapsto (\mathcal{F}, \mathcal{I}, N).$$

The **Stone polarity frame** of \mathbb{A} is based on **filters** on \mathbb{A} , **ideals** on \mathbb{A} , related by

$$F N I \equiv (F \cap I \neq \emptyset).$$

This is a separated frame.

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On morphisms:

- ① For $(p, f) : \mathbb{F}_2 \longrightarrow \mathbb{F}_1$ define $\text{Pred}(p, f) : \text{Pred}(\mathbb{F}_1) \longrightarrow \text{Pred}(\mathbb{F}_2)$ as

$$(L_2, U_2) \mapsto (p^{-1}[L_2], f^{-1}[L_1])$$

- ② For $h : \mathbb{A} \longrightarrow \mathbb{B}$ define $\text{Stone}(h) : (\mathcal{F}_B, \mathcal{I}_B, N_B) \longrightarrow (\mathcal{F}_A, \mathcal{I}_A, N_A)$ as

$$p(F_B) \mapsto h^{-1}[F_B]$$

$$f(I_B) \mapsto h^{-1}[I_B]$$

Residuated lattices and residuated frames

The lifted dual picture:

$$\text{RFr}^{op} \begin{array}{c} \xleftarrow{\text{Stone}^\#} \\ \xrightarrow{\text{Pred}^\#} \end{array} \text{RL}$$

Structure of $\text{Pred}^\#(\mathbb{F})$:

$$\begin{aligned} (L, U) \otimes (L', U') &= (L'', \{y \mid \forall x \in L, x' \in L'. R(x, x', y)\}) \\ (L, U) \rightarrow (L', U') &= (\{x' \mid \forall x \in L, y \in U'. R(x, x', y)\}, U'') \\ (L', U') \leftarrow (L, U) &= (\{x' \mid \forall x \in L, y \in U'. R(x', x, y)\}, U'') \\ 1 &= (O_X, O_Y) \end{aligned}$$

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$$O_F = \{F \mid 1 \in F\}$$

$$O_I = \{I \mid 1 \in I\}$$

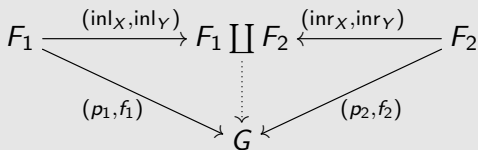
$$R(F, F', I) = F * F' \subseteq I$$

where

$$F * F' = \{a \mid \exists b \in F, b' \in F'. b \otimes b' \leq a\}.$$

is a residuated polarity frame.

Coproducts



Coproduct of polarity frames:

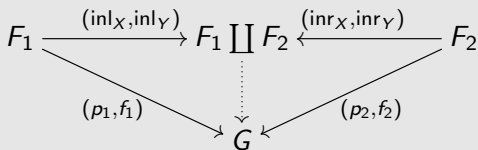
- ① $F_1 \amalg F_2$ is defined on the **disjoint union** of the **underlying sets** as $(X_1 \uplus X_2, Y_1 \uplus Y_2, N)$ with

$$\neg x N y \equiv \exists i (x \in X_i, y \in Y_i, \neg x N_i y)$$

- ② this affects the preorder N generates:

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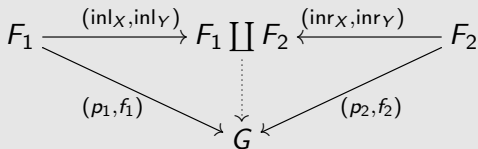
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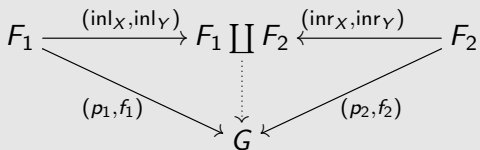
Coproducts of residuated polarity frames is
 $(X_1 \uplus X_2, Y_1 \uplus Y_2, N, R, O_X, O_Y)$ with

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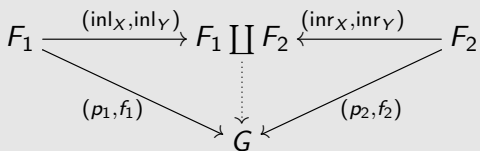
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$$\text{Pred}\left(\coprod_{i \in I} F_i\right) \cong \prod_{i \in I} (\text{Pred} F_i)$$

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$$Pred^\# \left(\coprod_{i \in I} F_i \right) \cong \prod_{i \in I} (Pred^\# F_i)$$

Subframes

We say that F_1 is (isomorphic to) a subframe of F_2

$$F_1 \xrightarrow{(p,f)} F_2$$

if (p, f) is an N -embedding.

Example - pair generated polarity subframes

For F and a pair (x, y) with $\neg xNy$ we define the pair generated subframe $F_{(x,y)}$ as the smallest subframe containing (x, y) and closed under finite iterations of $\neg N$.

Notice:

- ① (p, f) need not be injective. It is an **order-mono**.
- ② preserves validity of sequents from F_2 to F_1 .
- ③ Each polarity frame is a morphic image of its pair-generated subframes.

Images of frames

We say that F_2 is a N -separating image of F_1

$$F_1 \xrightarrow{(p,f)} F_2$$

if (p, f) is an N -separating morphism.

Notice:

- ① (p, f) need not be surjective. It is an **order-epi**.
- ② preserves validity of sequents from F_1 to F_2 .

From the dual picture:

$$\textcircled{1} \text{ If } F_1 \xrightarrow{(p,f)} \gg F_2 \text{ then } \text{Pred}F_2 \xrightarrow{\text{Pred}(p,f)} \rightarrow \text{Pred}F_1$$

$$\textcircled{2} \text{ If } F_1 \xrightarrow{(p,f)} \rightarrow F_2 \text{ then } \text{Pred}F_2 \xrightarrow{\text{Pred}(p,f)} \gg \text{Pred}F_1$$

$$\textcircled{3} \text{ If } A_1 \xrightarrow{h} \gg A_2 \text{ then } \text{Stone}A_2 \xrightarrow{\text{Stone}(h)} \rightarrow \text{Stone}A_1$$

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holds for both polarity and residuated frames (both $\text{Stone}, \text{Pred}$ and $\text{Stone}^\#, \text{Pred}^\#$).

Goldblatt-Thomason Theorem for classes of residuated polarity frames

Suppose \mathbf{C} is a class of frames closed under the canonical extensions ($F \in \mathbf{C}$ implies that $Stone^\# Pred^\# F \in \mathbf{C}$). Then the following are equivalent:

- ① \mathbf{C} is modally definable (by a set of sequents).
- ② \mathbf{C} has the following closure properties:
 - ① If F_1 is in \mathbf{C} , $(p, f) : F_1 \longrightarrow F_2$ is N -separating, then F_2 is in \mathbf{C} .
 - ② If F_2 is in \mathbf{C} , $(p, f) : F_1 \longrightarrow F_2$ is N -embedding, then F_1 is in \mathbf{C} .
 - ③ If F_i for all $i \in I$ are in \mathbf{C} , then $\coprod_{i \in I} F_i$ is in \mathbf{C} .
 - ④ If $Stone^\# Pred^\#(F)$ is in \mathbf{C} , then F is in \mathbf{C} .

A proof of the theorem

- ① Assume F satisfies the logic of \mathbf{C} . Then $Pred(F)$ satisfies the corresponding equational theory of the variety generated by the complex algebras of \mathbf{C} .
- ② Therefore $PredF$ is in $HSP(Cm(\mathbf{C}))$
- ③ $Pred(F) \llcorner B \lrcorner \rightarrow \coprod (PredF_i) \cong Pred \coprod F_i$ with all $F_i \in \mathbf{C}$
- ④ $StonePred(F) \lrcorner B \llcorner \rightarrow StoneB \llcorner StonePred \coprod F_i$

A model-theoretic proof of the theorem

- Assume \mathbf{C} is closed under ultraproducts. Assume F validates the logic of the class. Assume w.l.o.g. that F is generated by $\neg xNy$.
- Put $At_F = \{p_{(L,U)} \mid (L,U) \in PredF\}$ and generate language $\mathcal{L}(At)_F$. Consider F with the obvious valuation as the model \mathcal{M} .
- Define $\Delta = \{\alpha \Rightarrow \beta \mid \mathcal{M} \Vdash^x \alpha, \mathcal{M} \Vdash^y \beta\}$.
- Each $\Delta' \subseteq_{\omega} \Delta$ is refutable in \mathbf{C} , w.l.o.g. in a pair-generated frame (model).
- Therefore Δ is refutable in \mathbf{C} , w.l.o.g. in a pair-generated frame (model). Consider a countably saturated ultrapower \mathcal{N} of this model, on a frame G in \mathbf{C} .
- Show that $G \longrightarrow \text{StonePred}F$