

Modal Propositional Logic.

- **Propositional Logic:** Prop. Propositional variables p_i , \wedge , \vee , \neg , \rightarrow .
- **Modal Logic.** Prop + \square , \diamond .
- **First-order logic.** Prop + \forall , \exists , function symbols f , relation symbols R .

Prop \subseteq Mod \subseteq FOL

Standard
Translation



The standard translation (1).

Let \dot{P}_i be a unary relation symbol and \dot{R} a binary relation symbol.

We translate Mod into $\mathcal{L} = \{\dot{P}_i, \dot{R}; i \in \mathbb{N}\}$.

For a variable x , we define ST_x recursively:

$$\begin{aligned} ST_x(p_i) &:= \dot{P}_i(x) \\ ST_x(\neg\varphi) &:= \neg ST_x(\varphi) \\ ST_x(\varphi \vee \psi) &:= ST_x(\varphi) \vee ST_x(\psi) \\ ST_x(\diamond\varphi) &:= \exists y \left(\dot{R}(x, y) \wedge ST_y(\varphi) \right) \end{aligned}$$

The standard translation (2).

If $\langle M, R, V \rangle$ is a Kripke model, let $P_i := V(p_i)$. If P_i is a unary relation on M , let $V(p_i) := P_i$.

Theorem.

$$\langle M, R, V \rangle \models \varphi \iff \langle M, P_i, R; i \in \mathbb{N} \rangle \models \forall x ST_x(\varphi)$$

Corollary. Modal logic satisfies the compactness theorem.

Proof. Let Φ be a set of modal sentences such that every finite set has a model. Look at $\Phi^* := \{\forall x ST_x(\varphi); \varphi \in \Phi\}$. By the theorem, every finite subset of Φ^* has a model. By compactness for first-order logic, Φ^* has a model. But then Φ has a model. q.e.d.

Bisimulations.

If $\langle M, R, V \rangle$ and $\langle M^*, R^*, V^* \rangle$ are Kripke models, then a relation $Z \subseteq M \times N$ is a **bisimulation** if

- If xZx^* , then $x \in V(p_i)$ if and only if $x^* \in V(p_i)$.
- If xZx^* and xRy , then there is some y^* such that $x^*R^*y^*$ and yZy^* .
- If xZx^* and $x^*R^*y^*$, then there is some y such that xRy and yZy^* .

A formula $\varphi(v)$ is called **invariant under bisimulations** if for all Kripke models M and N , all $x \in M$ and $y \in N$, and all bisimulations Z such that xZy , we have

$$M \models \varphi(x) \leftrightarrow N \models \varphi(y).$$

van Benthem.



Johan van Benthem

Theorem (van Benthem; 1976). A formula in one free variable v is invariant under bisimulations if and only if it is equivalent to $ST_v(\psi)$ for some modal formula ψ .

Modal Logic is the bisimulation-invariant fragment of first-order logic.

Decidability.

Theorem (Harrop; 1958). Every finitely axiomatizable modal logic with the finite model property is decidable.

Theorem. T, S4 and S5 are decidable.

Intuitionistic Logic (1).

Recall the game semantics of intuitionistic propositional logic: $\models_{\text{dialog}} \varphi$.

- $\models_{\text{dialog}} p \rightarrow \neg\neg p$,
- $\not\models_{\text{dialog}} \neg\neg p \rightarrow p$,
- $\not\models_{\text{dialog}} \varphi \vee \neg\varphi$.

Kripke translation (1965) of intuitionistic propositional logic into modal logic:

$$\begin{aligned}K(p_i) &:= \Box p_i \\K(\varphi \vee \psi) &:= K(\varphi) \vee K(\psi) \\K(\neg\varphi) &:= \Box\neg K(\varphi)\end{aligned}$$

Intuitionistic Logic (2).

Theorem.

$$\models_{\text{dialog}} \varphi \leftrightarrow \mathbf{S4} \vdash K(\varphi).$$

Consequently, φ is intuitionistically valid if and only if $K(\varphi)$ holds on all transitive and reflexive frames.

$$\begin{aligned} \models_{\text{dialog}} p \rightarrow \neg\neg p &\rightsquigarrow \Box p \rightarrow \Box\Diamond\Box p \\ \not\models_{\text{dialog}} \neg\neg p \rightarrow p &\rightsquigarrow \Box\Diamond\Box p \rightarrow \Box p \\ \not\models_{\text{dialog}} \varphi \vee \neg\varphi &\rightsquigarrow K(\varphi) \vee \Box\neg K(\varphi) \\ &\Box p \vee \Box\neg\Box p \\ &\Box p \vee \Box\Diamond\neg p \end{aligned}$$

Provability Logic (1).



Leon Henkin (1952). “If φ is equivalent to $PA \vdash \varphi$, what do we know about φ ?”

M. H. Löb, Solution of a problem of Leon Henkin, **Journal of Symbolic Logic** 20 (1955), p.115-118:

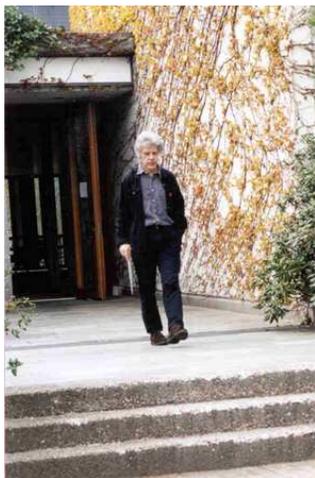
$PA \vdash ((PA \vdash \varphi) \rightarrow \varphi)$ implies $PA \vdash \varphi$.

Interpret $\Box\varphi$ as $PA \vdash \varphi$. Then Löb’s theorem becomes:

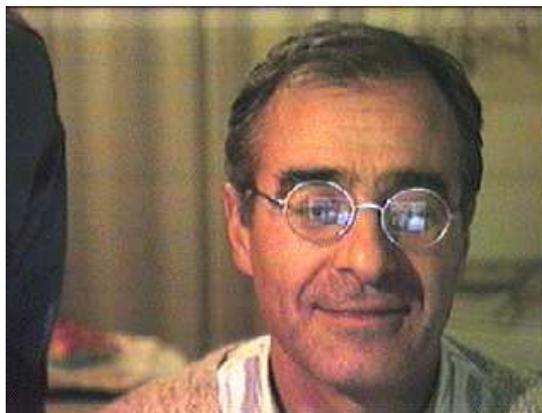
$$\text{(Löb)} \quad \Box(\Box\varphi \rightarrow \varphi) \rightarrow \Box\varphi.$$

GL is the modal logic with the axiom (Löb).

Provability Logic (2).



Dick de Jongh



Giovanni Sambin

Theorem (de Jongh-Sambin; 1975). GL has a fixed-point property.

Corollary. $GL \vdash \neg \Box \perp \leftrightarrow \neg \Box (\neg \Box \perp)$.

Provability Logic (3).

Theorem (Seegerberg-de Jongh-Kripke; 1971). $\text{GL} \vdash \varphi$ if and only if φ is true on all transitive converse wellfounded frames.

A translation R from the language of model logic into the language of arithmetic is called a **realization** if

$$\begin{aligned}R(\perp) &= \perp \\R(\neg\varphi) &= \neg R(\varphi) \\R(\varphi \vee \psi) &= R(\varphi) \vee R(\psi) \\R(\Box\varphi) &= \text{PA} \vdash R(\varphi).\end{aligned}$$

Theorem (Solovay; 1976). $\text{GL} \vdash \varphi$ if and only if for all realizations R , $\text{PA} \vdash R(\varphi)$.

Modal Logics of Models (1).

One example: Modal logic of forcing extensions.



Joel D. Hamkins

A function H is called a **Hamkins translation** if

$$\begin{aligned}H(\perp) &= \perp \\H(\neg\varphi) &= \neg H(\varphi) \\H(\varphi \vee \psi) &= H(\varphi) \vee H(\psi) \\H(\diamond\varphi) &= \text{“there is a forcing extension in which } H(\varphi) \text{ holds”}.\end{aligned}$$

The **Modal Logic of Forcing**: $\mathbf{Forc} := \{\varphi; \text{ZFC} \vdash H(\varphi)\}$.

Modal Logics of Models (2).

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Theorem (Hamkins).

1. **Forc** $\not\vdash$ S5.
2. **Forc** \vdash S4.
3. There is a model of set theory V such that the Hamkins translation of S5 holds in that model.

Joel D. Hamkins, A simple maximality principle, **Journal of Symbolic Logic** 68 (2003), p. 527–550

Many other applications.

- **Deontic.**

\Box : “it is obligatory”

$\neg(\Box\varphi \rightarrow \varphi)$

- **Epistemic.**

\Box : “agent i knows”

Closure under tautologies problematic

- **Temporal.**

More later in Müller’s guest lecture.

Recent developments.

ASL Annual Meeting 2000 in Urbana-Champaign:

Sam **Buss**, Alekos **Kechris**, Anand **Pillay**, Richard **Shore**,
The prospects for mathematical logic in the twenty-first
century, **Bulletin of Symbolic Logic** 7 (2001), p.169-196



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Gerhard Jäger



Michael Rathjen

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Harvey Friedman



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- Reverse Mathematics.
- Bounded Arithmetic.



Sam Buss



Arnold Beckmann

Reverse Mathematics.

“The five systems of reverse mathematics”

- RCA_0 “recursive comprehension axiom”.
- ACA_0 “arithmetic comprehension axiom”.
- WKL_0 “weak König’s lemma”.
- ATR_0 “arithmetic transfinite recursion”.
- $\Pi_1^1\text{-CA}_0$ “ Π_1^1 -comprehension axiom”.

Empirical Fact. Almost all theorems of classical mathematics are equivalent to one of the five systems.

Stephen G. **Simpson**, Subsystems of second order arithmetic, Springer-Verlag, Berlin 1999
[*Perspectives in Mathematical Logic*]

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- **Corollary.** There are at most countably many different automorphisms of \mathcal{D} .
- Other degree structures (*e.g.*, truth-table degrees).
- Connections to randomness and Kolmogorov complexity.
- Computable Model Theory.

Model Theory (1).

Theorem (Morley). Every theory that is κ -categorical for one uncountable κ is κ -categorical for all uncountable κ .



Michael Morley

~> **Stability Theory**
(Baldwin, Lachlan, Shelah)



Saharon Shelah

“Few is beautiful!”
~> **Classification Theory**

Development of new forcing techniques (proper forcing)

Model Theory (2).

- **Geometric Model Theory.**



Boris Zil'ber



Greg Cherlin



Ehud Hrushovski

Applications to algebraic geometry: **Geometric Mordell-Lang conjecture.**

- **o-Minimality.**



Lou van den Dries



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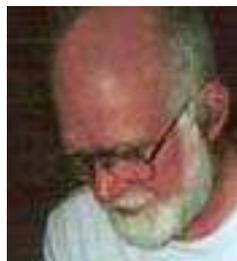
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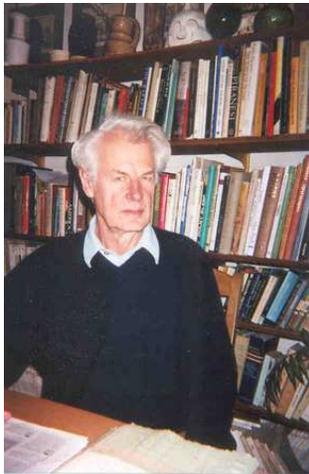
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- **Determinacy Theory:** infinite games and their determinacy; applications to the structure theory of the reals.



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- *Woodin's answer:* Instead of looking at the statements of new axioms, look at the metamathematical properties of axiom candidates. There is an asymmetry between axioms that imply CH and those that imply \neg CH. **Woodin's Ω -conjecture.**

