

# Sahlqvist theory for regular modal logics

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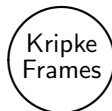
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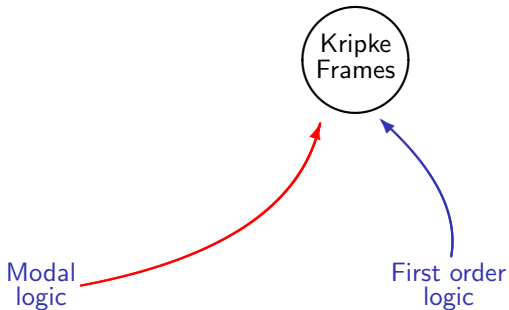
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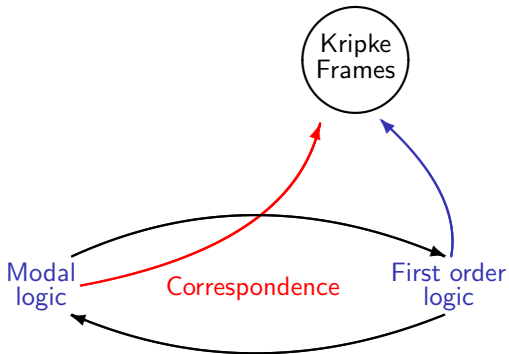
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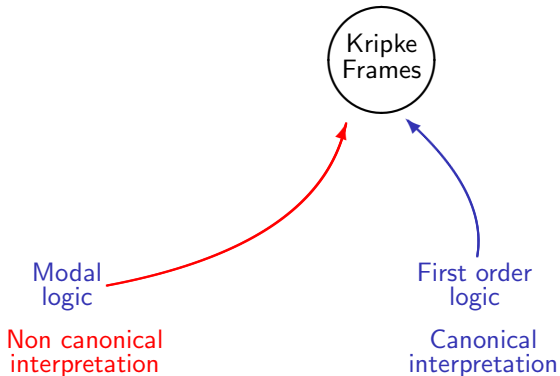
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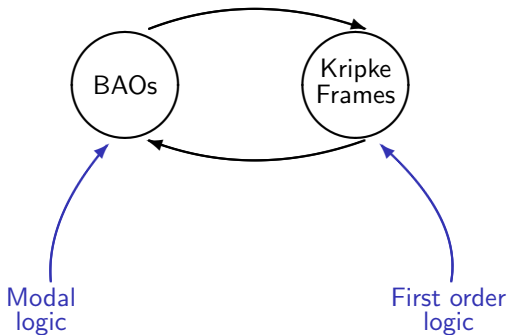
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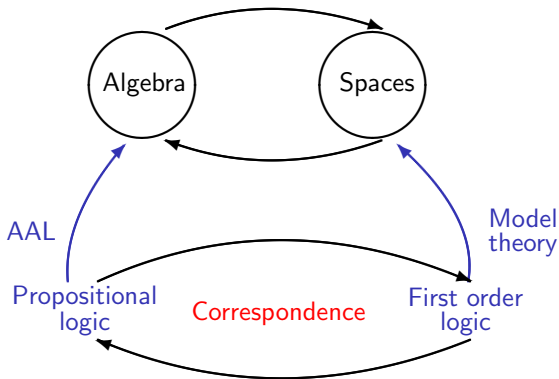
Symmetry re-established via duality:





# Correspondence via Duality

Correspondence available not just for normal modal logic:



# Unified correspondence

Hybrid logics  
[CR15]

DLE-logics  
[CP12, CPS]

Substructural logics  
[CP15]

Mu-calculi  
[CFPS15, CGP14, CC15]

Display calculi  
[GMPTZ]

Regular DLE-logics  
Kripke frames with  
impossible worlds  
[PSZ15a]

Jónsson-style vs  
Sambin-style canonicity  
[PSZ15b]



Canonicity via  
pseudo-correspondence  
[CPSZ]

Finite lattices and  
monotone ML  
[FPS15]

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No necessitation rule

$$(N) \frac{\vdash A}{\vdash \Box A}$$

## Epistemic and deontic logic (Lemmon '57)

If  $\Box$  interpreted as “scientific but not logical necessity” or “obligation”, then (N) is **not plausible**:

Lemmon:

*“nothing is a scientific law or a moral obligation as a matter of logic”.*

# Lemmon's systems E1-5 and D1-5

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|---|--|
| (1) $\Box(p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow \Box(\Box p \rightarrow \Box q)$ | (2) $\Box p \rightarrow p$                     |
| (1') $\Box(p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow (\Box p \rightarrow \Box q)$    | (2') $\Box p \rightarrow \Diamond p$           |
| (4) $\Box p \rightarrow \Box \Box p$                                    | (5) $\neg \Box p \rightarrow \Box \neg \Box p$ |

E1: PC+...+(1')+(2)

E2: PC+...+(1')+(2)

E3: PC+...+(1)+(2)

E4: E2+(4)

E5: E2+(5)

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D3: PC+...+(D)+(1)+(2')

D4: D2+...+(4)

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## Kripke frame with impossible worlds:

$\mathcal{F} = (W, S, N)$  where:

- $W \neq \emptyset$ ;
- $S \subseteq N \times W$ ;
- $N \subseteq W$  is the set of **normal worlds**.

Interpretation of formulas is standard except if  $w \in W \setminus N$ , for every formula  $\varphi$ ,

$$w \not\models \Box\varphi \text{ and } w \Vdash \Diamond\varphi.$$

## Regular Boolean algebras expansions:

$\mathbb{B} = (B, \top, \perp, \neg, \wedge, \vee, f)$ , such that:

- $(B, \top, \perp, \neg, \wedge, \vee)$  is a Boolean algebra;
- $f : B \rightarrow B$  is **additive**:

$$f(a \vee b) = f(a) \vee f(b) \text{ for all } a, b \in B.$$

$f$  is not necessarily normal, i.e.  $f(\perp) = \perp$  not true in general.

# Discrete duality

For any Kripke frame with impossible worlds  $\mathbb{F} = (W, S, N)$ , the *complex algebra* associated with  $\mathbb{F}$  is  $\mathbb{F}^+ := (\mathcal{P}(W), f_S)$  where  $f_S : \mathcal{P}(W) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(W)$  is defined by the following assignment:

$$X \mapsto \{w \in W \mid w \notin N \text{ or } wSv \text{ for some } v \in X\} = N^c \cup S^{-1}[X].$$

For every perfect r-BAE  $\mathbb{A} = (\mathbb{B}, f)$ , the *atom structure with impossible worlds* associated with  $\mathbb{A}$  is  $\mathbb{A}_+ := (\text{At}(\mathbb{A}), S_f, N)$ , where  $\text{At}(\mathbb{A})$  is the collection of atoms of  $\mathbb{A}$ ,  $N := \{x \in \text{At}(\mathbb{A}) \mid x \not\leq f(\perp)\}$  and for all  $x, y \in \text{At}(\mathbb{A})$  such that  $x \not\leq f(\perp)$ ,

$$xS_f y \quad \text{iff} \quad x \leq f(y).$$

## Proposition

For every Kripke frame with impossible worlds  $\mathbb{F}$  and every perfect r-BAE  $\mathbb{A}$ ,

$$(\mathbb{F}^+)_+ \cong \mathbb{F} \quad \text{and} \quad (\mathbb{A}_+)^+ \cong \mathbb{A}.$$

# Normalization of additive maps

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By definition, the normalization of  $f$  is completely join-preserving. Since perfect lattices are complete, this implies that the normalization is an adjoints, i.e., there exists a map  $\blacksquare_f : \mathbb{B} \rightarrow \mathbb{A}$  such that for every  $u \in \mathbb{A}$  and  $v \in \mathbb{B}$ ,

$$\diamond_f u \leq v \text{ iff } u \leq \blacksquare_f v.$$

# Algebraic and Algorithmic Sahlqvist Theory

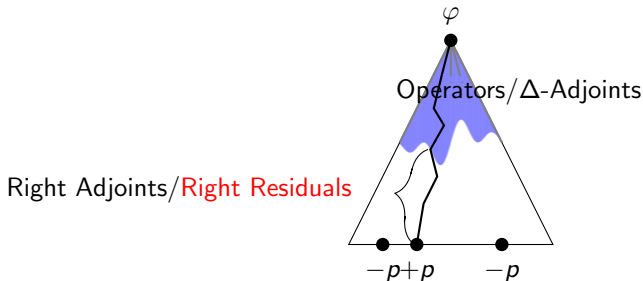
## Sahlqvist theory

sufficient **syntactic** conditions on modal formulas:

- to have a first order correspondent;
- to be canonical.

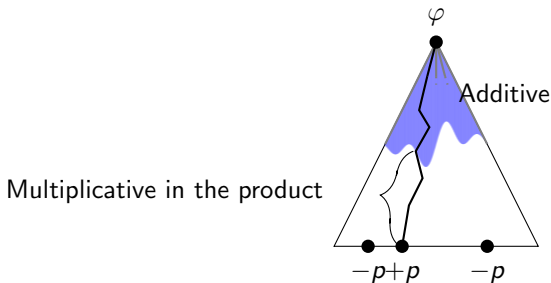
## Sahlqvist theory extended:

- to (normal) logics on a weaker propositional base (BDL, lattices);
- to more general shapes than Sahlqvist (**inductive, recursive**).



# Our Results

- Algorithmic correspondence theory for regular modal logics on a BDL base;
- Syntactic identification of  $r$ -inductive and  $r$ -Sahlqvist inequalities;
- Success of Algorithm ALBA<sup>r</sup> on  $r$ -inductive inequalities;
- Jónsson-style canonicity for  $r$ -Sahlqvist inequalities.



# Examples: Completeness w.r.t. Elementary Classes

The following axioms in Lemmon's system are r-Sahlqvist, and hence canonical.

(2)  $\Box p \rightarrow p$    (2')  $\Box p \rightarrow \Diamond p$    (4)  $\Box p \rightarrow \Box \Box p$    (5)  $\neg \Box p \rightarrow \Box \neg \Box p$ .

$\forall p(\Box p \leq p)$

iff  $\forall p \forall i \forall m[(i \leq \Box p \ \& \ p \leq m) \Rightarrow i \leq m]$  (first appr.)

iff  $\forall p \forall i \forall m[(i \leq \Box \top \ \& \ \blacklozenge i \leq p \ \& \ p \leq m) \Rightarrow i \leq m]$  ( $\Box$ -adjunction)

iff  $\forall i \forall m[(i \leq \Box \top \ \& \ \blacklozenge i \leq m) \Rightarrow i \leq m]$  (Ackermann rule)

iff  $\forall i[i \leq \Box \top \Rightarrow i \leq \blacklozenge i]$

iff  $\forall x(Nx \rightarrow Rxx)$ .

Elementary frame condition	First-order formula
Normality	$\forall xNx$
Closure under normality	$\forall x\forall y(Nx \wedge Rxy \rightarrow Ny)$
Pre-normal reflexivity	$\forall x(Nx \rightarrow Rxx)$
Pre-normal transitivity	$\forall x\forall y\forall z(Nx \wedge Ny \wedge Rxy \wedge Ryz \rightarrow Rxz)$
Pre-normal euclideaness	$\forall x\forall y\forall z(Nx \wedge Ny \wedge Rxy \wedge Rxz \rightarrow Ryz)$

Table : Elementary frame conditions

Modal axiom	Elementary frame condition
$\Box p \rightarrow p$	Pre-normal reflexivity
$\Box p \rightarrow \Box\Box p$	Pre-normal transitivity and closure under normality
$\neg\Box p \rightarrow \Box\neg\Box p$	Normality and pre-normal euclideaness
$\Box(p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow (\Box p \rightarrow \Box q)$	$\top$
$\Box(p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow \Box(\Box p \rightarrow \Box q)$	Pre-normal transitivity

Table : Lemmon's modal axioms and their elementary frame conditions