

Full and Mixed (Boolean-Valued) Models

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- A natural way to generalize the classical models: use an arbitrary complete Boolean algebra as the range of truth values.

Boolean Algebra

A *Boolean algebra* is a partial order (B, \leq) s.t. for any $p, q, r \in B$,

- ① p, q have a *lub* ($p \vee q$) and a *glb* ($p \wedge q$).
- ② there is a greatest element 1 and a least element 0.
- ③ p has a complement $(-p)$ s.t. $p \vee -p = 1$ and $p \wedge -p = 0$.
- ④ $p \wedge (q \vee r) = (p \wedge q) \vee (p \wedge r)$,
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A complete Boolean algebra is a Boolean algebra where each subset of B has a least upper bound with respect to \leq .

Let \mathcal{L} be a first-order language. Let \mathbb{B} be a complete Boolean algebra.

Boolean Algebra

A \mathbb{B} -valued model \mathfrak{M} for \mathcal{L} consists of:

- ① A universe M of elements.
- ② Interpretation of any constant C : $\llbracket C \rrbracket \in M$.
- ③ Interpretation of $=$: a function Ω from M^2 to \mathbb{B} , and interpretation of any n -ary relation P : a function h_P from M^n to \mathbb{B} , s.t. for any $x_1, \dots, x_n, y_1, \dots, y_n \in D$,
 - $\Omega(x_1, x_1) = 1$.
 - $\Omega(x_1, x_2) = \Omega(x_2, x_1)$.
 - $\Omega(x_1, x_2) \wedge \Omega(x_2, x_3) \leq \Omega(x_1, x_3)$.
 - $h_P(x_1, \dots, x_n) \wedge \bigwedge_{1 \leq i \leq n} \Omega(x_i, y_i) \leq h_P(y_1, \dots, y_n)$.

Boolean-Valued Models

We define satisfaction as follows. Let t_1, \dots, t_n be terms, \mathbf{x} be a variable assignment:

- ① $\llbracket C \rrbracket[\mathbf{x}] = \llbracket C \rrbracket.$
- ② $\llbracket v_i \rrbracket[\mathbf{x}] = x_i$, where $x_i = \mathbf{x}(v_i).$
- ③ $\llbracket t_1 = t_2 \rrbracket[\mathbf{x}] = \Omega(\llbracket t_1 \rrbracket, \llbracket t_2 \rrbracket).$
- ④ $\llbracket P(t_1, \dots, t_n) \rrbracket[\mathbf{x}] = h_P(\llbracket t_1 \rrbracket, \dots, \llbracket t_n \rrbracket).$
- ⑤ $\llbracket \neg \phi \rrbracket[\mathbf{x}] = \neg \llbracket \phi \rrbracket[\mathbf{x}].$
- ⑥ $\llbracket \phi \wedge \psi \rrbracket[\mathbf{x}] = \llbracket \phi \rrbracket[\mathbf{x}] \wedge \llbracket \psi \rrbracket[\mathbf{x}].$
- ⑦ $\llbracket \forall v \phi \rrbracket[\mathbf{x}] = \bigwedge_{x \in M} \llbracket \phi \rrbracket[\mathbf{x}(v/x)].$

First-order Boolean-valued models are sound and complete with respect to classical first-order logic.

Definition

Let T be a theory and ϕ be a sentence in \mathcal{L} . $T \models_B \phi$ iff for any Boolean-valued model \mathfrak{M} of \mathcal{L} , if $\mathfrak{M} \models T$, then $\mathfrak{M} \models \phi$.

Soundness and Completeness (Rasiowa, Sikorski)

$T \models_B \phi$ iff $T \vdash \phi$.

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- ② For any n -ary predicate P , $\llbracket P(\overline{[x]_h}) \rrbracket^{\mathfrak{M}/h} = h(\llbracket P(\overline{x}) \rrbracket^{\mathfrak{M}})$.
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Generalized Łos' Theorem (Folklore)

Let \mathfrak{M} be a full \mathbb{B} -valued model and h be a homomorphism from \mathbb{B} to \mathbb{B}' . For any formula $\phi(\overline{v})$, any $\overline{x} \in M$, $\llbracket \phi(\overline{[x]_h}) \rrbracket^{\mathfrak{M}/h} = \llbracket \phi(\overline{x}) \rrbracket^{\mathfrak{M}}$.

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To prove ϕ is independent of ZFC : find a \mathbb{B} such that $0 < \llbracket \phi \rrbracket^{V^{\mathbb{B}}} < 1$. Find ultrafilters D^+, D^- on \mathbb{B} such that $\llbracket \phi \rrbracket \in D^+$ and $\neg \llbracket \phi \rrbracket \in D^-$.

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Observation

There exists a Boolean-valued model that does not have a countable elementary submodel.

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Consistency

Let $S^{\mathbb{B}}$ be a Boolean-valuation of \mathcal{L} . Let $h : \mathbb{B} \rightarrow 2$ be a homomorphism. $S_h^{\mathbb{B}}$ is the following set of sentences: for any $\phi \in \mathcal{L}$, any $p \in B$,

- 1 If $\langle \phi, p \rangle \in S^{\mathbb{B}}$ and $h(p) = 1$, then $\phi \in S_h^{\mathbb{B}}$.
- 2 If $\langle \phi, p \rangle \in S^{\mathbb{B}}$ and $h(p) = 0$, then $\neg\phi \in S_h^{\mathbb{B}}$.
- 3 Nothing else is in $S_h^{\mathbb{B}}$.

A Boolean-valuation $S^{\mathbb{B}}$ is *consistent* if and only if for any homomorphism $h : \mathbb{B} \rightarrow 2$, $S_h^{\mathbb{B}}$ is a consistent theory.

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Completeness

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$S^{\mathbb{B}}$ has a \mathbb{B} -valued model iff every finite subset of $S^{\mathbb{B}}$ has a \mathbb{B} -valued model.

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Let \mathfrak{M} be a \mathbb{B} -valued model of \mathcal{L} . Let $\mathcal{L}_{\mathfrak{M}} = \mathcal{L} \cup \{C_x \mid x \in M\}$, where $\{C_x \mid x \in M\}$ is a new set of constants, one for each $x \in M$. The canonical expansion of \mathfrak{M} to $\mathcal{L}_{\mathfrak{M}}$ is the model \mathfrak{M}^* where for all $x \in M$, $\llbracket C_x \rrbracket^{\mathfrak{M}^*} = x$.

The *elementary diagram* of \mathfrak{M} is the \mathbb{B} -valuation $S_{\mathfrak{M}}^{\mathbb{B}}$ which consists of and only of all the pairs of the form $\langle \phi, \llbracket \phi \rrbracket^{\mathfrak{M}^*} \rangle$ where ϕ is a sentence of $\mathcal{L}_{\mathfrak{M}}$ and $\llbracket \phi \rrbracket^{\mathfrak{M}^*}$ is the value of ϕ in \mathfrak{M}^* .

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Using this equivalence and the Completeness theorem on Boolean-valuations:

Corollary

Every Boolean-valued model has a full elementary extension.

Application: Forcing with Urelements

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But the result on the previous slide solves the problem, as we can use Łos' Theorem on their elementary extensions.

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Conjecture

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Thank you for listening! :)