

The coproduct of frames as encoding d-frame structure

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 - $\square U = \{C \in VX : C \subseteq U\}$.
 - $\diamond U = \{C \in VX : C \cap U \neq \emptyset\}$.

Where U varies over $\Omega(X)$.

A *bitopological space* is a structure (X, τ^+, τ^-) where X is a set and τ^+ and τ^- two topologies on it. We call τ^+ the *upper*, or *positive*, topology. We call τ^- the *negative*, or *lower*, topology.

The category **BiTop** has bitopological spaces as objects, *bicontinuous* functions as maps.

D-frames are quadruples $(L^+, L^-, \mathbf{con}, \mathbf{tot})$ where L^+ and L^- are frames, and $\mathbf{con}, \mathbf{tot} \subseteq L^+ \times L^-$; satisfying some axioms. The intuition is:

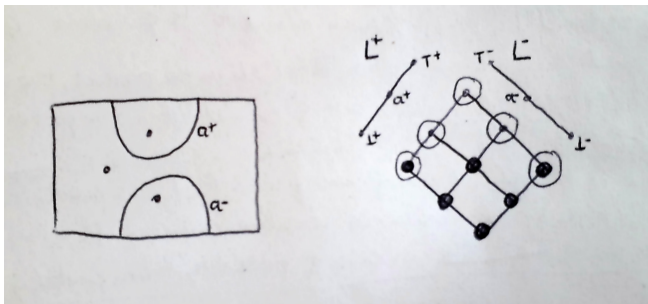
- L^+ and L^- are the frames of positive and negative **opens** respectively.
- The pairs of opens in **con** are the **disjoint** pairs.
- The pairs of opens in **tot** are the **covering** pairs (i.e. those whose union covers the whole space).

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- (Balance). Whenever $a^+ b^- \in \text{con}$ and $a^+ c^- \in \text{tot}$ we have $b^- \leq c^-$. Similarly whenever $b^+ a^- \in \text{con}$ and $c^+ a^- \in \text{tot}$ we have $b^+ \leq c^+$.

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Theorem

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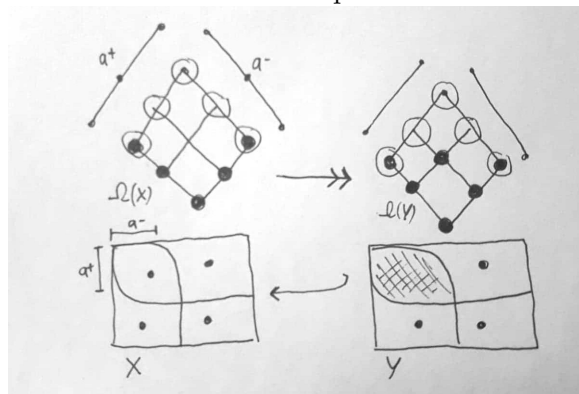
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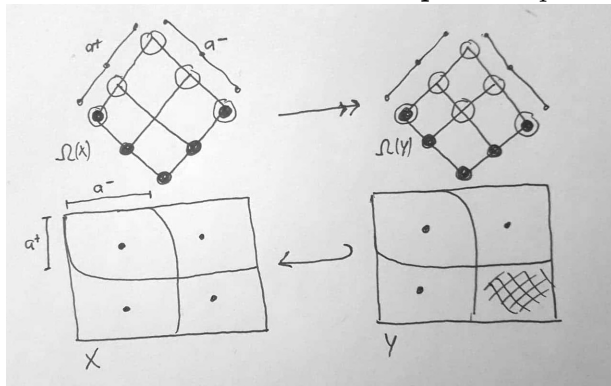
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Lemma

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There is a frame isomorphism $L^+ \oplus L^- \cong \text{con}(L^+ \times L^-)$.

Since L^+, L^- are subframes of $L^+ \oplus L^-$, for simplicity we will assume notationally that $L^+, L^- \subseteq L^+ \oplus L^-$.

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The following is an order isomorphism:

$$i : \text{tot}(L^+ \times L^-) \cong \text{filt}(L^+ \oplus L^-)$$
$$i : t \mapsto \bigvee \{\uparrow x^+ \cap \uparrow x^- : x^+ x^- \in t\}.$$

A d-frame of cons and tots

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But Galois connections are **con** subsets. Then we may define a **con** subset $\mathbf{Con} \subseteq (L^+ \oplus L^-) \times (\mathbf{filt}(L^+ \oplus L^-))$ as follows:

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Define also **Tot**, as:

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Consider the **free frame** from **generators** $L^+ \oplus L^-$, $\text{filt}(L^+ \oplus L^-)$ and **relations** Con, Tot . We call this frame the *finitary assembly* of $L^+ \oplus L^-$ and denote it as $\text{cong}(L^+ \oplus L^-)$.

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$$\begin{array}{ccc} L & \xrightarrow{\nabla} & (\mathbf{Cong}(L)) \\ f \downarrow & \swarrow \bar{f} & \\ M & & \end{array}$$

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Consider the canonical embedding of generators in the free frame:

$$[-] : L^+ \oplus L^- \rightarrow \mathbf{cong}(L^+ \oplus L^-).$$

*This is such that $[x]$ is complemented for every finitary $x \in L^+ \oplus L^-$. The map is universal in **Frm** with this property.*

Theorem

The following are all isomorphic frames.

- *The finitary assembly $\text{cong}(L^+ \oplus L^-)$.*
- *The subframe of $\text{Cong}(L^+ \oplus L^-)$ generated by $\{\Delta(x) : x \in L^+ \cup L^-\} \cup \{\nabla(x) : x \in L^+ \cup L^-\}$.*
- *The \wedge -subsemilattice of $\text{Cong}(L^+ \oplus L^-)$ generated by the congruences of extremal epis from $(L^+, L^-, L^+ \oplus L^-)$ in **BiFrm**.*
- *The frame of congruences on $L^+ \oplus L^-$ of the form $\bigvee_i \Delta(x_i^+ \vee x_i^-) \cap \nabla(y_i^+ \wedge y_i^-)$.*

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