

Two Approaches to Substructural Modal Logic: Some Elementary Observations

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- Many-valued PDL makes very good sense (variables of a non-Boolean type), but the Routley-Meyer modelling is somewhat more tangible...

Results so far:

- Turning countermodels to φ of one kind to countermodels of the other kind.
- A class of lattice-based Kripke frames giving the logic of all Routley-Meyer frames.

FL-type: $\wedge, \vee, \setminus, \bullet, /, 1, 0$; **mFL-type** adds unary \Box .

A **modal FL-algebra** is a mFL-type algebra M where the FL-type reduct is a FL-algebra

- $\langle A, \wedge, \vee \rangle$ lattice
- $\langle A, \bullet, 1 \rangle$ monoid
- $a \bullet b \leq c$ iff $b \leq a \setminus c$ iff $a \leq c / b$

and

- $\Box(a \wedge b) = \Box a \wedge \Box b$

Formula algebras: Fm is an absolutely free mFL-type algebra with a countable set Prop of generators; F is an absolutely free FL-type algebra over Prop.

A **Routley-Meyer frame** is $\mathcal{F} = \langle S, \leq, T, F, R_3, R_2 \rangle$

- (S, \leq) poset
- T, F subsets of S upwards closed under \leq
- R_3 ternary, antitone in first two positions, monotone in third
- R_2 , binary, antitone in first position, monotone in second
- $s \leq t$ iff $\exists u \in T : R_3 sut$
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The **lattice-based frame of \mathbf{M}** with non-modal reduct \mathbf{A} is

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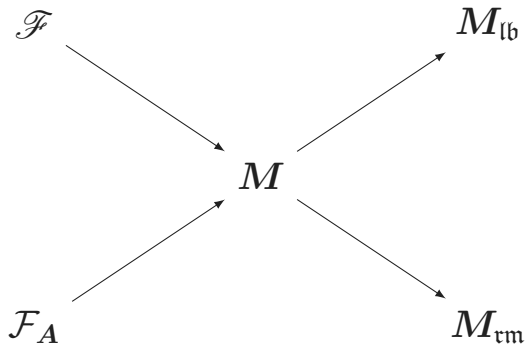
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then the logic of \mathcal{K} is the logic of Kripke frames based on \mathbf{K} .