

1st Note for *A Taste of Proof Theory*

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Formulas of propositional logic are given by trees of the form

$$A :: P \mid \top \mid \perp \mid A \Rightarrow A \mid A \wedge A \mid A \vee A$$

where P is the set of atomic propositions. When writing formula trees we associate \Rightarrow to the right, and assume that \vee and \wedge bind stronger than \Rightarrow . We use the abbreviations:

$$\begin{aligned}\neg A &\equiv A \Rightarrow \perp \\ A \Leftrightarrow B &\equiv (A \Rightarrow B) \wedge (B \Rightarrow A)\end{aligned}$$

Here \neg binds stronger than any other operator and \Leftrightarrow behaves like \Rightarrow .

We present the rules without proof terms here.

1 Hilbert style (H)

Here I present only the assumption-free calculus with sequents of the style $\vdash_H A$. To obtain (H) with assumptions one has to define contexts as explained below, add the rule (Hyp) and relativize all axioms and the rule (MP) wrt any given context.

1.1 Implication

$$\frac{}{\vdash_H A \Rightarrow B \Rightarrow A} K \quad \frac{\vdash_H (A \Rightarrow B \Rightarrow C) \Rightarrow (A \Rightarrow B) \Rightarrow A \Rightarrow C}{\vdash_H A \Rightarrow B \quad \frac{A}{\vdash_H B}} S \quad \frac{}{\vdash_H A \Rightarrow B} MP$$

1.2 Propositional logic

We add the following families of axioms:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \vdash_H \top \\
 & \vdash_H A \Rightarrow B \Rightarrow A \wedge B \\
 & \vdash_H A \wedge B \Rightarrow A \\
 & \vdash_H A \wedge B \Rightarrow B \\
 & \vdash_H A \Rightarrow A \vee B \\
 & \vdash_H B \Rightarrow A \vee B \\
 & \vdash_H \perp \Rightarrow A \\
 & \vdash_H (A \Rightarrow C) \Rightarrow (B \Rightarrow C) \Rightarrow (A \vee B) \Rightarrow C
 \end{aligned}$$

1.3 Classical logic

We replace $\perp \Rightarrow A$ by

$$\vdash_H^c ((A \Rightarrow \perp) \Rightarrow \perp) \Rightarrow A$$

2 Natural deduction (N)

We view here contexts Γ as finite sets of formulas. The sequents have the form $\Gamma \vdash_N A$. We write $\Gamma.A$ for $\Gamma \cup \{A\}$.

2.1 Implication

$$\frac{}{\Gamma.A \vdash_N A} \text{Hyp} \\
 \frac{\Gamma.A \vdash_N B}{\Gamma \vdash_N A \Rightarrow B} \Rightarrow_I \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash_N A \Rightarrow B \quad \Gamma \vdash_N A}{\Gamma \vdash_N B} \Rightarrow_E$$

2.2 Propositional logic

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 \frac{}{\Gamma \vdash_N \top} \top_I & \frac{\Gamma \vdash_N A \quad \Gamma \vdash_N B}{\Gamma \vdash_N A \wedge B} \wedge_I \\
 \frac{\Gamma \vdash_N A \wedge B}{\Gamma \vdash_N A} \wedge_{E1} & \frac{\Gamma \vdash_N A \wedge B}{\Gamma \vdash_N B} \wedge_{E2} \\
 \frac{\Gamma \vdash_N A}{\Gamma \vdash_N A \vee B} \vee_{I1} & \frac{\Gamma \vdash_N B}{\Gamma \vdash_N A \vee B} \vee_{I2} \\
 \frac{\Gamma \vdash_N \perp}{\Gamma \vdash_N A} \perp_E & \frac{\Gamma.A \vdash_N C \quad \Gamma.B \vdash_N C \quad \Gamma \vdash_N A \vee B}{\Gamma \vdash_N C} \vee_E
 \end{array}$$

2.3 Classical logic

We replace \perp_E by:

$$\frac{\Gamma.A \Rightarrow \perp \vdash_N^c \perp}{\Gamma \vdash_N^c A} \text{RAA}$$

3 Sequent calculus (G)

For the intuitionistic sequent calculus we use the same judgements as for (N). The classical sequent calculus has judgements of the form $\Gamma \vdash_G \Delta$, i.e with contexts on both sides.

3.1 Implication

$$\begin{array}{c} \frac{}{\Gamma.A \vdash_G A} \text{Ax} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash_G A \quad \Gamma.A \vdash_G B}{\Gamma \vdash_G B} \text{Cut} \\ \frac{\Gamma.A \vdash_G B}{\Gamma \vdash_G A \Rightarrow B} \Rightarrow_R \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash_G A \quad \Gamma.B \vdash_G C}{\Gamma.A \Rightarrow B \vdash_G C} \Rightarrow_L \end{array}$$

3.2 Propositional logic

$$\begin{array}{c} \frac{}{\Gamma \vdash_G \top} \top_R \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash_G A}{\Gamma.\top \vdash_G A} \top_L \quad \frac{}{\Gamma.\perp \vdash_G A} \perp_L \\ \frac{\Gamma \vdash_G A \quad \Gamma \vdash_G B}{\Gamma \vdash_G A \wedge B} \wedge_R \quad \frac{\Gamma.A.B \vdash_G C}{\Gamma.A \wedge B \vdash_G C} \wedge_L \\ \frac{\Gamma \vdash_G A}{\Gamma \vdash_G A \vee B} \vee_{R1} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash_G B}{\Gamma \vdash_G A \vee B} \vee_{R2} \quad \frac{\Gamma.A \vdash_G C \quad \Gamma.B \vdash_G C}{\Gamma.A \vee B \vdash_G C} \vee_L \end{array}$$

3.3 Classical logic

$$\begin{array}{c} \frac{}{\Gamma.A \vdash_G^c \Delta.A} \text{Ax} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash_G^c \Delta.A \quad \Gamma.A \vdash_G^c \Delta}{\Gamma \vdash_G^c B} \text{Cut} \\ \frac{\Gamma.A \vdash_G^c \Delta.B}{\Gamma \vdash_G^c \Delta.A \Rightarrow B} \Rightarrow_R \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash_G^c \Delta.A \quad \Gamma.B \vdash_G^c \Delta}{\Gamma.A \Rightarrow B \vdash_G^c \Delta} \Rightarrow_L \\ \frac{}{\Gamma \vdash_G^c \Delta.\top} \top_R \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash_G^c \Delta}{\Gamma.\top \vdash_G^c \Delta} \top_L \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash_G^c \Delta}{\Gamma \vdash_G^c \Delta.\perp} \perp_R \quad \frac{}{\Gamma.\perp \vdash_G^c A} \perp_L \\ \frac{\Gamma \vdash_G^c \Delta.A \quad \Gamma \vdash_G^c \Delta.B}{\Gamma \vdash_G^c \Delta.A \wedge B} \wedge_R \quad \frac{\Gamma.A.B \vdash_G^c \Delta}{\Gamma.A \wedge B \vdash_G^c \Delta} \wedge_L \\ \frac{\Gamma \vdash_G^c \Delta.A}{\Gamma \vdash_G^c \Delta.A \vee B} \vee_{R1} \quad \frac{\Gamma \vdash_G^c \Delta.B}{\Gamma \vdash_G^c \Delta.A \vee B} \vee_{R2} \quad \frac{\Gamma.A \vdash_G^c \Delta \quad \Gamma.B \vdash_G^c \Delta}{\Gamma.A \vee B \vdash_G^c \Delta} \vee_L \end{array}$$