

# Unified Correspondence as a Proof-Theoretic Tool

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Main question: which axioms give rise to analytic rules?

Correspondence theory can help in answering this question!

- Formal connections between **correspondence theory** and **display calculi**.
- **Primitive formulas** [Kracht '96] for classical modal logic **K** generalised to **primitive inequalities** for general **DLE-logics**.

# Display Calculi

Natural generalization of sequent calculi.

Sequents  $X \vdash Y$ , where  $X, Y$  are **structures**:

$A, A; B, \dots X > Y, \dots$

structural symbols assemble **and disassemble** structures

operational symbols assemble formulas.

**Main feature:** display property

$$\frac{\frac{\frac{Y \vdash X > Z}{X; Y \vdash Z}}{Y; X \vdash Z}}{X \vdash Y > Z}$$

display property: **adjunction** at the structural level.

**Canonical proof of cut elimination**

# Canonical Cut elimination

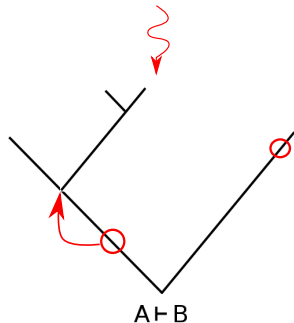
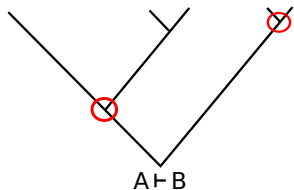
## Complexity of the cut formula

$$\frac{\frac{\vdots \pi_1}{Z \vdash \circ A} \quad \frac{\vdots \pi_2}{A \vdash Y}}{Z \vdash \square A} \quad \frac{\square A \vdash \circ Y}{Z \vdash \circ Y} \text{ Cut}$$

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$$\text{Display} \frac{\frac{\vdots \pi_1}{Z \vdash \circ A} \quad \vdots \pi_2}{\bullet Z \vdash A} \quad A \vdash Y}{\text{Display} \frac{\bullet Z \vdash Y}{Z \vdash \circ Y}} \text{ Cut}$$

## Height of the cut



## Theorem (Canonical cut elimination)

*If a calculus satisfies the properties below, then it enjoys cut elimination.*

- **C1**: structures can disappear, formulas are **forever**;
- **tree-traceable** formula-occurrences, via suitably defined congruence:
  - **C2**: same shape, **C3**: non-proliferation, **C4**: same position;
- **C5**: **principal = displayed**;
- **C6, C7**: rules are closed under **uniform substitution** of congruent parameters;
- **C8**: **reduction strategy** exists when cut formulas are both principal.

# DLE-languages and expansions

$$\varphi ::= p \mid \perp \mid \top \mid \varphi \wedge \varphi \mid \varphi \vee \varphi \mid f(\bar{\varphi}) \mid g(\bar{\varphi})$$

where  $p \in \text{PROP}$ ,  $f \in \mathcal{F}$ ,  $g \in \mathcal{G}$ .

Str.	$\perp$	$\top$	$\wedge$	$\vee$	$(\succ)$	$(\rightarrow)$	$f$		$g$
Op.	$\top$	$\perp$	$\wedge$	$\vee$	$(\succ)$	$(\rightarrow)$	$f$		$g$

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| Str. | $H_i$      | $K_h$     |
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for  $\varepsilon_f(i) = \varepsilon_g(h) = 1$
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for  $\varepsilon_f(i) = \varepsilon_g(h) = \partial$

# Introduction rules for $f \in \mathcal{F}$ and $g \in \mathcal{G}$

$$f_L \frac{H(A_1, \dots, A_{n_f}) \vdash X}{f(A_1, \dots, A_{n_f}) \vdash X} \quad \frac{X \vdash K(A_1, \dots, A_{n_g})}{X \vdash g(A_1, \dots, A_{n_g})} g_R$$

$$f_R \frac{\left( X_i \vdash A_i \quad A_j \vdash X_j \quad | \quad \varepsilon_f(i) = 1 \quad \varepsilon_f(j) = \partial \right)}{H(X_1, \dots, X_{n_f}) \vdash f(A_1, \dots, A_{n_f})}$$

$$g_L \frac{\left( A_i \vdash X_i \quad X_j \vdash A_j \quad | \quad \varepsilon_g(i) = 1 \quad \varepsilon_g(j) = \partial \right)}{g(A_1, \dots, A_{n_g}) \vdash K(X_1, \dots, X_{n_g})}$$

# Display postulates for $f \in \mathcal{F}$ and $g \in \mathcal{G}$

- If  $\varepsilon_f(i) = \varepsilon_g(h) = 1$

$$\frac{H(X_1, \dots, X_i, \dots, X_{n_f}) \vdash Y}{X_i \vdash H_i(X_1, \dots, Y, \dots, X_{n_f})} \quad \frac{Y \vdash K(X_1, \dots, X_h, \dots, X_{n_g})}{K_h(X_1, \dots, Y, \dots, X_{n_g}) \vdash X_h}$$

- If  $\varepsilon_f(i) = \varepsilon_g(h) = \partial$

$$\frac{H(X_1, \dots, X_i, \dots, X_{n_f}) \vdash Y}{H_i(X_1, \dots, Y, \dots, X_{n_f}) \vdash X_i} \quad \frac{Y \vdash K(X_1, \dots, X_h, \dots, X_{n_g})}{X_h \vdash K_h(X_1, \dots, Y, \dots, X_{n_g})}$$



# Unified correspondence

Substructural logics  
[CP14]

Display calculi  
[GMPTZ14]

Jónsson-style vs  
Sambin-style canonicity  
[PSZ14b]

DLE-logics  
[CP12, CPS14]



Canonicity via  
pseudo-correspondence  
[CPSZ14]

Mu-calculi  
[CFPS14, CGP14]

Regular DLE-logics  
Kripke frames with  
impossible worlds  
[PSZ14a]

Finite lattices and  
monotone ML  
[FPS14]

## Ackermann Lemma Based Algorithm

- engined by the Ackermann lemma.
- Reduction rules leading to the Ackermann elimination step.
- Residuation and approximation rules.
- Soundness on **perfect DLEs**:
  - approximation: both  $\vee$ -generated by the c.  $\vee$ -primes and  $\wedge$ -generated by the c.  $\wedge$ -primes;
  - residuation: all the operations are either right or left adjoints or residuals.

Perfect DLEs: the natural semantic environment both for ALBA and for display calculi for DLE.

# Primitive inequalities

**Primitive formulas:** [Kracht 1996]

$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{Left-primitive} & \varphi := p \mid \top \mid \vee \mid \wedge \mid f(\vec{\varphi}/\vec{p}, \vec{\psi}/\vec{q}) \\ \text{Right-primitive} & \psi := p \mid \perp \mid \wedge \mid \vee \mid g(\vec{\psi}/\vec{p}, \vec{\varphi}/\vec{q}) \end{array}$$

**Primitive inequalities:**

$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{Left-primitive} & \varphi_1 \leq \varphi_2 \text{ with } \varphi_1 \text{ scattered} \\ \text{Right-primitive} & \psi_1 \leq \psi_2 \text{ with } \psi_2 \text{ scattered} \end{array}$$

**Example:**

$$\diamond q \rightarrow \Box p \leq \Box(q \rightarrow p) \rightsquigarrow \frac{x \vdash \diamond q \rightarrow \Box p}{x \vdash \Box(q \rightarrow p)} \rightsquigarrow \frac{X \vdash \circ Z > \circ Y}{X \vdash \circ(Z > Y)}.$$

# First Attempt

Crucial observation: **same** structural connectives for the **basic** and for the **expanded** DLE.

Main strategy: transform **non-primitive** DLE inequalities into (conjunctions of) **primitive** DLE inequalities in the **expanded** language:

$$s(\vec{p}, \vec{q}) \leq s'(\vec{p}, \vec{q}) \quad \& \left\{ \varphi_i^*(\vec{p}, \vec{q}) \leq \varphi_i'^*(\vec{p}, \vec{q}) \mid i \in I \right\}$$

$\Updownarrow$  ALBA

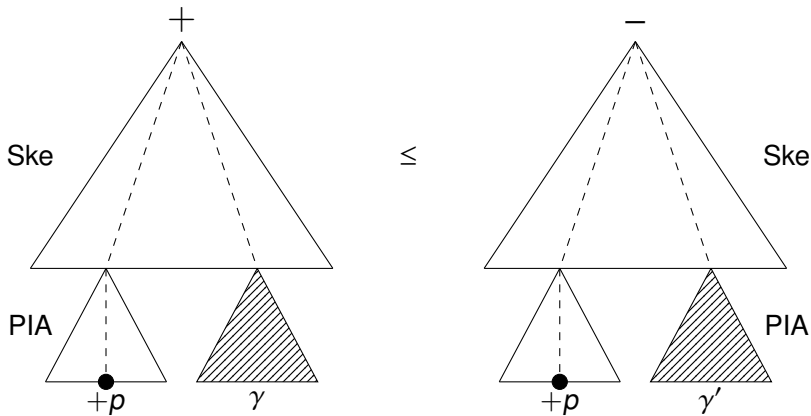
$\Updownarrow$  ALBA on primitives

$$\& \left\{ \varphi_i^*(\vec{i}, \vec{m}) \leq \varphi_i'^*(\vec{i}, \vec{m}) \mid i \in I \right\} = \& \left\{ \varphi_i^*(\vec{i}, \vec{m}) \leq \varphi_i'^*(\vec{i}, \vec{m}) \mid i \in I \right\}$$

# Inductive but not analytic

- $\forall[\diamond p \leq \diamond \Box p]$
- iff  $\forall[(i \leq \diamond p \ \& \ \diamond \Box p \leq m) \Rightarrow i \leq m]$
- iff  $\forall[(i \leq \diamond j \ \& \ j \leq p \ \& \ \diamond \Box p \leq m) \Rightarrow i \leq m]$
- iff  $\forall[(i \leq \diamond j \ \& \ \diamond \Box j \leq m) \Rightarrow i \leq m]$
- iff  $\forall[i \leq \diamond j \Rightarrow \forall m[\diamond \Box j \leq m \Rightarrow i \leq m]]$
- iff  $\forall[i \leq \diamond j \Rightarrow i \leq \diamond \Box j]$
- iff  $\forall[\diamond j \leq \diamond \Box j]$

# Analytic inductive inequalities



# Type 2: allowing multiple occurrences of var's in heads of inequalities

Let  $\mathcal{G} = \emptyset$ ,  $\mathcal{F} = \{\diamond, \cdot\}$  where  $\cdot$  binary and of order type  $(1, 1)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \forall[\diamond\diamond p \cdot \diamond p \leq \diamond p] \\
 \text{iff} & \quad \forall[(j \leq \diamond\diamond p \cdot \diamond p \ \& \ \diamond p \leq m) \Rightarrow j \leq m] \\
 \text{iff} & \quad \forall[(j \leq \diamond\diamond i \cdot \diamond p \ \& \ i \leq p \ \& \ \diamond p \leq m) \Rightarrow j \leq m] \\
 \text{iff} & \quad \forall[(j \leq \diamond\diamond i \cdot \diamond h \ \& \ i \leq p \ \& \ h \leq p \ \& \ \diamond p \leq m) \Rightarrow j \leq m] \\
 \text{iff} & \quad \forall[(j \leq \diamond\diamond i \cdot \diamond h \ \& \ i \vee h \leq p \ \& \ \diamond p \leq m) \Rightarrow j \leq m] \\
 \text{iff} & \quad \forall[(j \leq \diamond\diamond i \cdot \diamond h \ \& \ \diamond(i \vee h) \leq m) \Rightarrow j \leq m] \\
 \text{iff} & \quad \forall[j \leq \diamond\diamond i \cdot \diamond h \Rightarrow \forall m[\diamond(i \vee h) \leq m \Rightarrow j \leq m]] \\
 \text{iff} & \quad \forall[j \leq \diamond\diamond i \cdot \diamond h \Rightarrow j \leq \diamond(i \vee h)] \\
 \text{iff} & \quad \forall[\diamond\diamond i \cdot \diamond h \leq \diamond(i \vee h)] \\
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 \text{iff} & \quad \forall[\diamond\diamond p_1 \cdot \diamond p_2 \leq \diamond p_1 \vee \diamond p_2] \text{ (ALBA for primitive)}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\dots \rightsquigarrow \frac{\diamond p_1 \vdash q \quad \diamond p_2 \vdash q}{\diamond\diamond p_1 \cdot \diamond p_2 \vdash z} \rightsquigarrow \frac{\circ X \vdash Z \quad \circ Y \vdash Z}{\circ \circ X \odot \circ Y \vdash Z}$$

# Type 3: allowing PIA-subterms

Frege axiom: a first reduction

$$\begin{aligned} & \forall [p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r) \leq (p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow (p \rightarrow r)] \\ \text{iff} & \forall [(j \leq p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r) \ \& \ (p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow (p \rightarrow r) \leq m) \Rightarrow j \leq m] \\ \text{iff} & \forall [(j \leq p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r) \ \& \ (p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow (p \rightarrow n) \leq m \ \& \ r \leq n) \Rightarrow j \leq m] \\ \text{iff} & \forall [(j \leq p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow n) \ \& \ (p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow (p \rightarrow n) \leq m) \Rightarrow j \leq m] \\ \text{iff} & \forall [(j \leq p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow n) \ \& \ (p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow (i \rightarrow n) \leq m \ \& \ i \leq p) \Rightarrow j \leq m] \\ \text{iff} & \forall [(j \leq i \rightarrow (q \rightarrow n) \ \& \ (i \rightarrow q) \rightarrow (i \rightarrow n) \leq m) \Rightarrow j \leq m] \\ \text{iff} & \forall [(j \leq i \rightarrow (q \rightarrow n) \ \& \ h \rightarrow (i \rightarrow n) \leq m \ \& \ h \leq i \rightarrow q) \Rightarrow j \leq m] \\ \text{iff} & \forall [(j \leq i \rightarrow (q \rightarrow n) \ \& \ h \rightarrow (i \rightarrow n) \leq m \ \& \ i \bullet h \leq q) \Rightarrow j \leq m] \\ \text{iff} & \forall [(j \leq i \rightarrow ((i \bullet h) \rightarrow n) \ \& \ h \rightarrow (i \rightarrow n) \leq m) \Rightarrow j \leq m] \\ \text{iff} & \forall [j \leq i \rightarrow ((i \bullet h) \rightarrow n) \Rightarrow \forall m [h \rightarrow (i \rightarrow n) \leq m \Rightarrow j \leq m]] \\ \text{iff} & \forall [j \leq i \rightarrow ((i \bullet h) \rightarrow n) \Rightarrow j \leq h \rightarrow (i \rightarrow n)] \\ \text{iff} & \forall [i \rightarrow ((i \bullet h) \rightarrow n) \leq h \rightarrow (i \rightarrow n)] \\ \text{iff} & \forall [p \rightarrow ((p \bullet q) \rightarrow r) \leq q \rightarrow (p \rightarrow r)] \text{ (ALBA for primitive)} \end{aligned}$$



$$\frac{\text{iff } \forall [i \rightarrow ((i \bullet h) \rightarrow n) \leq h \rightarrow (i \rightarrow n)]}{\text{iff } \forall [p \rightarrow ((p \bullet q) \rightarrow r) \leq q \rightarrow (p \rightarrow r)] \text{ (ALBA for primitive)}}$$

by applying the usual procedure, we obtain the following rule:

$$\dots \rightsquigarrow \frac{s \vdash p \rightarrow ((p \bullet q) \rightarrow r)}{s \vdash q \rightarrow (p \rightarrow r)} \rightsquigarrow \frac{W \vdash X \succ ((X \odot Y) \succ Z)}{W \vdash Y \succ (X \succ Z)}$$

Frege axiom: a second reduction

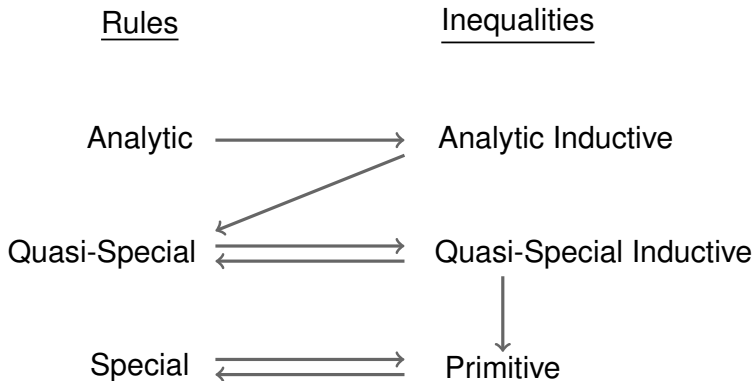
$$\begin{aligned}
 & \forall [p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r) \leq (p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow (p \rightarrow r)] \\
 \text{iff} \quad & \forall [(p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r)) \bullet (p \rightarrow q) \leq p \rightarrow r] \\
 \text{iff} \quad & \forall [((p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r)) \bullet (p \rightarrow q)) \bullet p \leq r] \\
 \text{iff} \quad & \forall [i \leq ((p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r)) \bullet (p \rightarrow q)) \bullet p \ \& \ r \leq m \Rightarrow i \leq m] \\
 \text{iff} \quad & \forall [i \leq (h \bullet k) \bullet j \ \& \ h \leq p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r) \ \& \\
 & \qquad \qquad \qquad k \leq p \rightarrow q \ \& \ j \leq p \ \& \ r \leq m \Rightarrow i \leq m] \\
 \text{iff} \quad & \forall [i \leq (h \bullet k) \bullet j \ \& \ (h \bullet p) \bullet q \leq r \ \& \\
 & \qquad \qquad \qquad k \bullet p \leq q \ \& \ j \leq p \ \& \ r \leq m \Rightarrow i \leq m] \\
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 \text{iff} \quad & \forall [i \leq (h \bullet k) \bullet j \ \& \ (h \bullet j) \bullet (k \bullet j) \leq r \ \& \ r \leq m \Rightarrow i \leq m] \\
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 \text{iff} \quad & \forall [(h \bullet k) \bullet j \leq (h \bullet j) \bullet (k \bullet j)] \\
 \text{iff} \quad & \forall [(r \bullet q) \bullet p \leq (r \bullet p) \bullet (q \bullet p)] \text{ (ALBA for primitive)}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\text{iff } \forall[(\mathbf{h} \bullet \mathbf{k}) \bullet \mathbf{j} \leq (\mathbf{h} \circ \mathbf{j}) \bullet (\mathbf{k} \bullet \mathbf{j})]}{\text{iff } \forall[(r \bullet q) \bullet p \leq (r \bullet p) \bullet (q \bullet p)] \text{ (ALBA for primitive)}}$$

by applying the usual procedure, we obtain the following rule:

$$\dots \rightsquigarrow \frac{(r \bullet p) \bullet (q \bullet p) \vdash s}{(r \bullet q) \bullet p \vdash s} \rightsquigarrow \frac{(Z \odot X) \odot (Y \odot X) \vdash W}{(Z \odot Y) \odot X \vdash W}$$

# Overview of main results



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