

Displacement Logic for Grammar

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Lecture 4

From Linearity to Non-Linearity

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i.e. $\Delta|_k \Gamma$ is the configuration resulting from replacing by Γ the k th separator in Δ .

A semantically labelled sequent is a sequent in which the antecedent types A_1, \dots, A_n are labelled by distinct variables x_1, \dots, x_n of types $T(A_1), \dots, T(A_n)$ respectively, and the succedent type A is labelled by a term of type $T(A)$ with free variables drawn from x_1, \dots, x_n .

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4.
$$\frac{\zeta; \Delta(\Lambda) \Rightarrow A: \phi}{\zeta; \Delta(\vec{I}: x) \Rightarrow A: \phi} !L \quad \frac{}{\Lambda \Rightarrow !: 0} !R$$

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Of course this use of product is not essential: we could just as well have used $((N \setminus S) / (CN / CN)) / N$ since in general we have both $A / (C \bullet B) \Rightarrow (A / B) / C$ (currying) and $(A / B) / C \Rightarrow A / (C \bullet B)$ (uncurrying).

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$$\frac{\frac{N \Rightarrow N}{N \Rightarrow N\oplus(CN/CN)} \oplus R_1 \quad N\backslash S \Rightarrow N\backslash S}{(N\backslash S)/(N\oplus(CN/CN)), N \Rightarrow N\backslash S} /L \quad \frac{\frac{CN/CN \Rightarrow CN/CN}{CN/CN \Rightarrow N\oplus(CN/CN)} \oplus R_2 \quad N\backslash S \Rightarrow N\backslash S}{(N\backslash S)/(N\oplus(CN/CN)), CN/CN \Rightarrow N\backslash S} /L$$

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 12. \quad \frac{\Omega \langle \overrightarrow{A[a/v]} : x \rangle \Rightarrow B : \psi}{\Omega \langle \bigvee vA : z \rangle \Rightarrow B : \psi \{\pi_2 z/x\}} \vee L^{\dagger} \qquad \frac{\Omega \Rightarrow A[t/v] : \phi}{\Omega \Rightarrow \bigvee vA : (t, \phi)} \vee R
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where \boxtimes/\Diamond marks a structure all the types of which have principal connective a box/diamond

For example, for a propositional attitude verb we can have an assignment such as *believes*: $\Box((N \setminus S) / \Box S)$ with a modality outermost since the word has a sense, and its sentential complement is an intensional domain, but its subject is not.

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$$16. \quad \frac{\Omega \langle \vec{A} : x \rangle \Rightarrow B : \psi}{\Omega \langle \langle \rangle A : x \rangle \Rightarrow B : \psi} \langle \rangle L \quad \frac{\Omega \Rightarrow A : \phi}{[\Omega] \Rightarrow \langle \rangle A : \phi} \langle \rangle R$$

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$$\begin{array}{c}
 \frac{N \Rightarrow N}{[N] \Rightarrow \langle \rangle N} \langle \rangle R \\
 \frac{S \Rightarrow S}{[N], \langle \rangle N \setminus S \Rightarrow S} \setminus L \\
 \\
 \frac{S \Rightarrow S}{[S, (S \setminus [\]^{-1} [\]^{-1} S) / S, S] \Rightarrow S} / S \\
 \\
 \frac{S \Rightarrow S \quad \frac{\frac{S \Rightarrow S}{[[\]^{-1} S] \Rightarrow S} [\]^{-1} L}{[[[\]^{-1} [\]^{-1} S]] \Rightarrow S} [\]^{-1} L}{[S, S \setminus [\]^{-1} [\]^{-1} S] \Rightarrow S} \setminus S
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 \\
 \frac{\Omega(\zeta; \Gamma_1, A: x, \Gamma_2) \Rightarrow B: \psi}{\Omega(\zeta \uplus \{A: x\}; \Gamma_1, \Gamma_2) \Rightarrow B: \psi} !P \\
 \\
 \frac{\Omega(\zeta \uplus \{A: x\}; \Gamma_1, [\{A: y\}; \Gamma_2], \Gamma_3) \Rightarrow B: \psi}{\Omega(\zeta \uplus \{A: x\}; \Gamma_1, \Gamma_2, \Gamma_3) \Rightarrow B: \psi[x/y]} !C \\
 \\
 18. \quad \frac{\Omega \Rightarrow A: \phi}{\Omega \Rightarrow ?A: [\phi]} ?R \qquad \frac{\zeta; \Gamma \Rightarrow A: \phi \quad \zeta'; \Delta \Rightarrow ?A: \psi}{\zeta \uplus \zeta'; \Gamma, \Delta \Rightarrow ?A: [\phi|\psi]} ?M
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