
Indexing Differential Linear Logic by Differential Operators

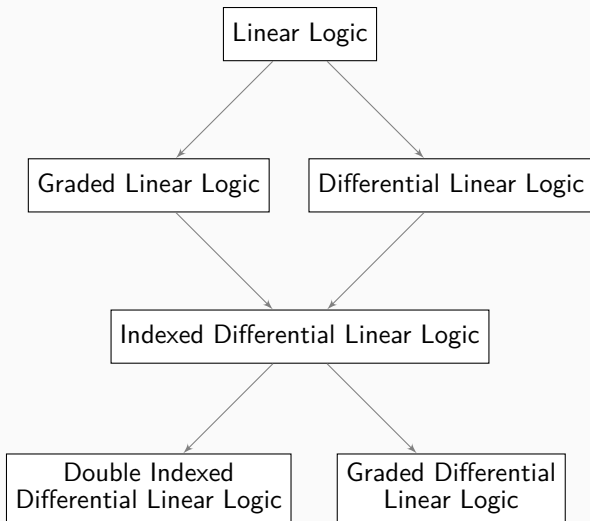
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Logic and formalism

Logic:

- A way of **formalizing** mathematics
- A set of **axioms** and **rules**
- A theorem is a formula
- A proof is a tree

- Axioms:

$$\overline{A, B, C \vdash B} \quad ax$$

$$\overline{\forall x, x + 0 = x} \quad +0$$

- Rules:

$$\frac{\vdash A \Rightarrow B \quad \vdash A}{\vdash B}$$

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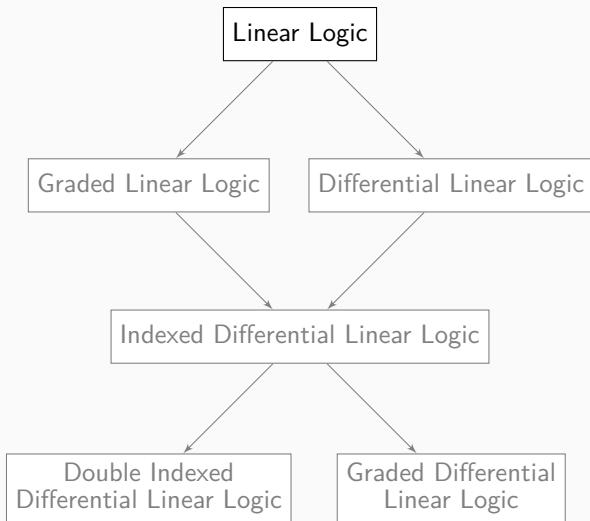
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Computer science	Logic	Mathematics
Program	Proof	Function
Type	Formula	Object
Execution	Cut elimination	Equality
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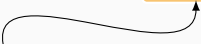
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A curved arrow pointing from the text "Usual implication" to the expression $A \Rightarrow B$ in the equation above.

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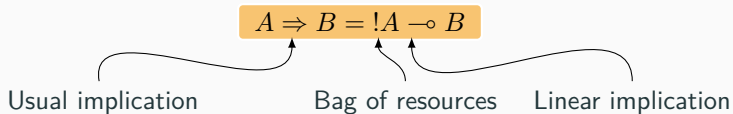
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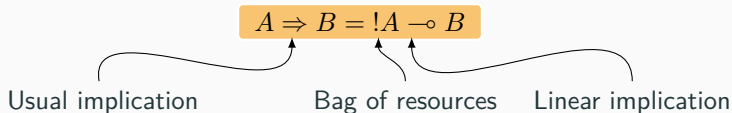
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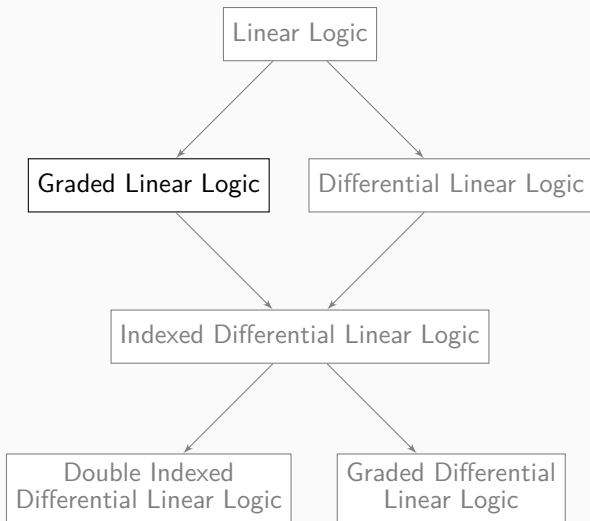
$!A$ or $?A$: exponential formula

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A core quantitative coefficient calculus. Brunel et. al (PLS 2014)

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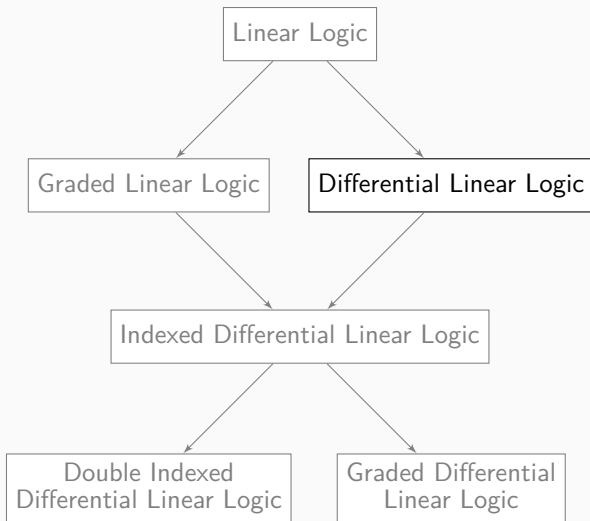
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- $S = \mathbb{N} \rightarrow$ counting resources
- $S = \mathbb{R} \rightarrow$ representing probabilities
- ...



Formulas:

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Proofs:

- Each proof is a **linear** map between the interpretation of the formulas.
- The **dereliction** states that $\mathcal{L}(A, B) \subseteq \mathcal{C}^\infty(A, B)$: it **forgets the linearity**.

Differential Linear Logic



Differential interaction nets. Ehrhard and Regnier (TCS 2005)

Differentiation: the best **linear approximation** of a function

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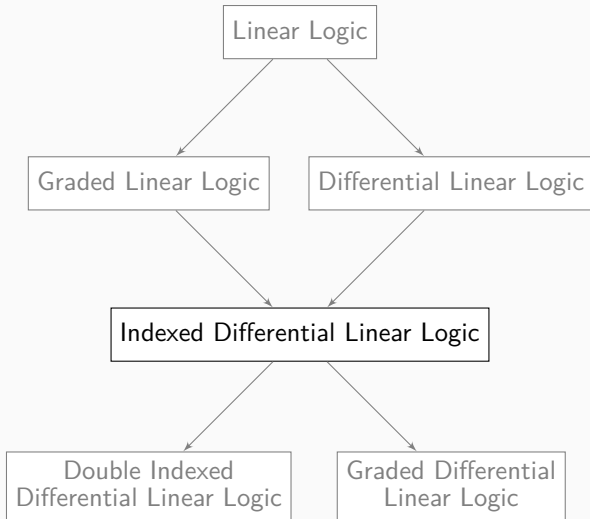
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QUESTION: Can we reconcile the notions of grading and differentiation?



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A Logical Account for Linear Partial Differential Equations. Kerjean (LICS 2018)

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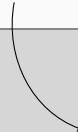
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Linear Partial Differential Operators

Definition

A **LPDOcc** is a linear operator defined as

$$D = \sum_{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^n} a_{\alpha} \frac{\partial^{|\alpha|}}{\partial x_1^{\alpha_1} \dots \partial x_n^{\alpha_n}} \quad (a_{\alpha} \in \mathbb{R})$$

Well known examples: heat equation, Laplace's equation,...

Theorem

Each LPDOcc has a solution

Monoidal structure: (\mathcal{D}, \circ, id) is a monoid

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- We define the interpretations

$$\llbracket ?_D A \rrbracket = D^{-1}(\llbracket ?A \rrbracket) \qquad \text{(solutions)}$$

$$\llbracket !_D A \rrbracket = D(\llbracket !A \rrbracket) \qquad \text{(parameters)}$$

The logic DB_SLL



Unifying graded linear logic and differential operators. Brevart, Kerjean and M. (FSCD 2023)

- A syntactical differentiation of B_SLL

The exponential rules of DB_SLL

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- No promotion: \mathcal{S} is a monoid

Theorem

When \mathcal{S} is additive splitting, and the order is defined through the sum, DB_SLL enjoys a cut elimination procedure.

The smooth semantics for DB_SLL

Definition

$$\begin{aligned} w : \begin{cases} \mathbb{R} & \rightarrow ?_{id}E \\ 1 & \mapsto cst_1 \end{cases} & \qquad \bar{w} : \begin{cases} \mathbb{R} & \rightarrow !_idE \\ 1 & \mapsto \delta_0 \end{cases} \\ c : \begin{cases} ?_{D_1}E \hat{\otimes} ?_{D_2}E & \rightarrow ?_{D_1 \circ D_2}E \\ f \otimes g & \mapsto \Phi_{D_1 \circ D_2} * (D_1(f).D_2(g)) \end{cases} \\ \bar{c} : \begin{cases} !_D_1E \hat{\otimes} !_D_2E & \rightarrow !_D_1 \circ D_2E \\ \psi \otimes \phi & \mapsto \psi * \phi \end{cases} \\ d_I : \begin{cases} ?_{D_1}E & \rightarrow ?_{D_1 \circ D_2}E \\ f & \mapsto \Phi_{D_2} * f \end{cases} & \qquad \bar{d}_I : \begin{cases} !_D_1E & \rightarrow !_D_1 \circ D_2E \\ \psi & \mapsto \psi \circ D_2 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

Theorem

The smooth semantics is **compatible** with the cut-elimination procedure.

Promotion and higher order

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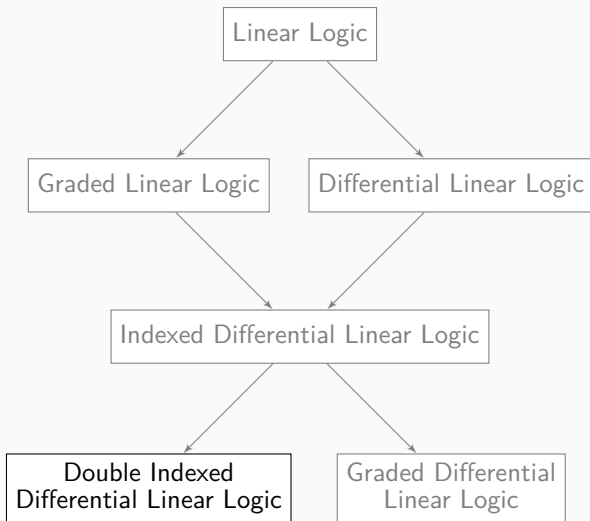
$$\frac{!A \vdash B}{!A \vdash !B} \text{ P} \qquad \frac{!A \xrightarrow{f} B}{!A \xrightarrow{\mu_A} !!A \xrightarrow{!f} !B}$$

- $?(?A) = \mathcal{C}^\infty(\mathcal{C}^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n, \mathbb{R}), \mathbb{R})$, how to describe it? Topological structure?
- Which differential equations are represented?

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial z^2} = 0$$

- No more canonical basis at higher order
- How would the promotion interact with \bar{d}_I ? Another chain rule?

We need linearly independent families to interpret partial derivatives



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Laplace transform turns costructural rules into structural ones.

$$\mathcal{L}(\delta_0) = cst_1 \quad \mathcal{L}(\psi * \phi) = \mathcal{L}(\psi) \cdot \mathcal{L}(\phi) \quad \mathcal{L}(D_0(-)(v)) = eval_v$$

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$$\stackrel{(-)^{\perp}}{\simeq} \{\phi \mid \exists \psi \in !A, \psi = P.\phi\} \neq !_P A \quad (\text{solutions})$$

Two semirings for the formulas



Combining grading and differentiation. Kerjean and M. (Preprint 2026)

Two isomorphic semirings, and

$A, B :=$ non-exponential connectives $| ?_{x^+} A | !_{x^+} A | ?_{x^-} A | !_{x^-} A$

The Laplace transform, orthogonal to the negation:

$$\begin{array}{ccc} ?_{x^-} A & \xleftarrow{\mathcal{L}} & !_{x^-} A \\ \text{w, c, d, } \mu \quad (-)^\perp \downarrow & & (-)^\perp \downarrow \\ !_{x^+} A & \xrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} & ?_{x^+} A \end{array} \quad \bar{\text{w}}, \bar{\text{c}}, \bar{\text{d}}, \bar{\mu}$$

Polarized exponential rules

Rules of DIDiLL

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From codigging to copromotion



Taylor Expansion as a Monad in Models of DiLL. Kerjean and Lemay (LICS 2023)

- Analogy with the promotion:

$$\frac{\Gamma \vdash A}{! \Gamma \vdash ! A} !_f \quad \frac{!! \Gamma \vdash B}{! \Gamma \vdash B} \mu \quad \rho = \frac{! \Gamma \vdash A}{!! \Gamma \vdash ! A} !_f \mu$$

- The codigging rule:

$$\bar{\mu} : \begin{cases} !!A & \rightarrow !A \\ \delta_\phi & \mapsto \sum_n \frac{1}{n} \phi^{*n} \end{cases}$$

- It gives:

$$\bar{\rho} = \frac{?A \vdash B}{??A \vdash ?B} ?_f \mu \quad \frac{\vdash !A, B}{\vdash !A, ?B} \bar{\rho}$$

- Restricted to one formula, because of the binarity of \bar{c}
- Possible thanks to the polarities, no more interactions $\rho/\bar{\rho}$

A simple cut elimination

- Negative connectives cannot interact together
- Only two rules with positive connectives: p and \bar{p}
- $!_{x+}A$ in $p \rightarrow$ interacts with structural rules
- $?_{x+}A$ in $\bar{p} \rightarrow$ interacts with costructural rules
- \bar{p} and costructural rules is very similar to p and structural rules
- No interaction between p and \bar{p}

We simply use the cut elimination of LL, and an easy translation:

Theorem

The logic DIDiLL enjoys a cut elimination procedure.

Definition

A weak semiring is a tuple $(\mathcal{S}, +, \times, 0, 1)$ which satisfies:

- $+$ is commutative (c and \bar{c}), 0 neutral element;
- \times is associative (p and \bar{p});
- right distributivity: $(x + y)z = xz + yz$ (p/c and \bar{p}/\bar{c});
- 0 left absorbing: $0 \times x = 0$ (p/w and \bar{p}/\bar{w});
- 1 left neutral: $1 \times x = x$ (p/d and \bar{p}/\bar{d});
- \times is right monotonous over \leq : $x \leq y \Rightarrow xz \leq yz$ (p/ d_I and \bar{p}/\bar{d}_I).

A semiring of LPDO

Set of operators:

$$\mathcal{D} = \left\{ \sum_{\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^n} a_{\alpha} \frac{\partial^{|\alpha|}}{\partial x_1^{\alpha_1} \dots \partial x_n^{\alpha_n}} \right\}$$

Two operations:

$$D_1 \boxplus D_2 = D_1 \circ D_2 \qquad \sum_{\alpha} a_{\alpha} \partial^{\alpha} \boxtimes D = \sum_{\alpha} a_{\alpha} D^{|\alpha|}$$

Their Laplace transform:

$$\mathcal{L}\left(\sum_{\alpha} a_{\alpha} \partial^{\alpha}\right) = \sum_{\alpha} a_{\alpha} X_1^{\alpha_1} \dots X_n^{\alpha_n} = \text{polynomials}$$

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 !_P E = P^{-1} \cdot (!E) & \xrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} & ?_{P+} E = P(\partial)^{-1}(?E)
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The exponential rules are interpreted as in DiLL

Sadly, no interpretation for the copromotion

A smooth model of DIDiLL



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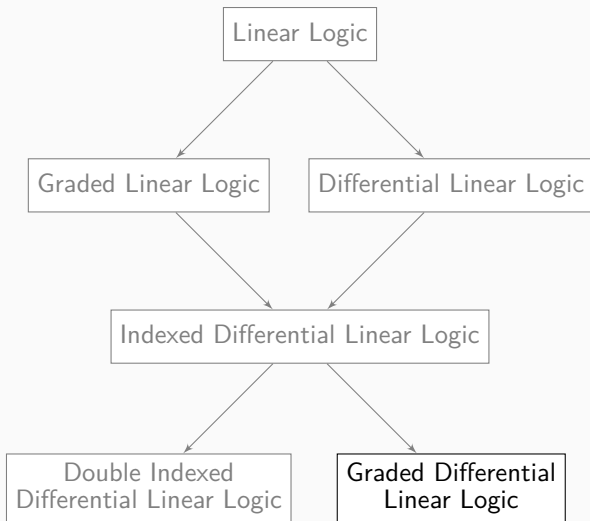


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A model for a **polarized** version of DIDiLL



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- No more sums with the grading

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Differential semirings

- A differential semiring is a new notion
- Some conditions from a usual semiring are relaxed
- Some conditions are added
- **Discreteness** condition: $x + y = 1 \Rightarrow x = 0$ or $y = 0$

Examples:

- Boolean semiring
- Natural numbers
- Polynomials with integer coefficients

Counter examples:

- Real numbers
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