

Chapter 10

Dual Tableaux for Many-Valued Logics

10.1 Introduction

The development of multiple-valued logic in its modern form began with the work of Jan Łukasiewicz [Łuk20] and Emil Post [Pos20, Pos21]. Since the emergence of computer science as an independent discipline, there have been an extensive interplay and mutual inspiration between the two fields. Apart from its logical and philosophical motivation, multiple-valued logic has applications, among others, in hardware design and artificial intelligence. In the field of hardware design classical propositional logic is used as a tool for specification and analysis of electrical switching circuits with two stable voltage levels. A generalization to a finitely-valued logic allows the analogous applications with possibly many stable states. In artificial intelligence multiple-valued logic provides models of vagueness or uncertainty of information and contributes to the development of formal methods simulating commonsense reasoning. Some recent developments and applications of multiple-valued logics can be found e.g., in [Mal93, Got00, Häh01, FO03].

In this chapter we develop a method of designing a dual tableau for an arbitrary finite-valued propositional logic. We follow a relational approach, however, in this case the relational logic appropriate for the translation of formulas of an n -valued logic is not $RL(1, 1')$, a logic of n -ary relations is employed, where $n \geq 2$. The relational operations of the logic include n specific unary relational operators such that k th operator, $k \leq n$, applied to a relation selects, in a sense, the k th components of the n -tuples belonging to that relation and represents them as an n -ary relation. We apply the method to three multiple-valued logics: Rosser and Turquette logic, RT [RT52], symmetric Heyting logic of order n , $n \geq 2$, SH_n [Itu83, IO06], and a finite poset-based generalization of Post logic, L_\top [Ras91]. Decidability of the logic RT follows from the developments in [Got00, Häh03]. Decidability of the logic SH_n follows from the results presented in [Itu82]. Decidability of logic L_\top is proved in [Nou99]. The present chapter is based on the developments in [KMO98]. Dual tableaux for many-valued modal logics can be found in [KO01].

10.2 Finitely Many-Valued Logics

In this chapter we consider n_L -valued, $n_L \geq 2$, propositional logics, L , whose languages are built from the following pairwise disjoint sets of symbols:

- \mathbb{V} – a countable infinite set of propositional variables;
- $\{o_j : 1 \leq j \leq j_L\}$ – a set of propositional operations where $j_L \geq 1$ and the arity of o_j is $a(j) \geq 1$.

The set of L -formulas is generated from the propositional variables with the propositional operations. The standard many-valued semantics for L is based on a semantic range $\mathcal{SR}_L = \{0, 1, \dots, s, \dots, n_L - 1\}$ consisting of n_L logical values indexed by integers, where $0 < s \leq n_L - 1$. We assume that the values $\{s, \dots, n_L - 1\}$ are designated, and all the other ones undesignated. Though in notation we identify the values with their natural number indices, in general we do not assume any kind of ordering, in particular, any linear ordering corresponding to that of the natural indices is not necessarily assumed in the set of the logical values.

With the family of propositional operations $\{o_1, \dots, o_{i_L}\}$, we associate a family of semantic functions $\{f_{o_j} : j = 1, \dots, i_L\}$, where f_{o_j} maps $\mathcal{SR}_L^{a(j)}$ into \mathcal{SR}_L .

An L -model is a structure of the form $\mathcal{M} = (U, m, \{m_k : k \in \mathcal{SR}_L\})$, where U is a non-empty set of states, $m: \mathbb{V} \times U \rightarrow \mathcal{SR}_L$, and $\{m_k : k \in \mathcal{SR}_L\}$ is a family of meaning functions such that:

- $m_k(p) = \{w \in U : m(p, w) = k\}$, for $p \in \mathbb{V}$;
- $m_k(o_j(\varphi_1, \dots, \varphi_{a(j)})) = \bigcup_{f_{o_j}(k_1, \dots, k_{a(j)})=k} (m_{k_1}(\varphi_1) \cap \dots \cap m_{k_{a(j)}}(\varphi_{a(j)}))$.

Intuitively, $m_k(\varphi)$ is the set of states at which formula φ takes value k .

The standard notions of satisfaction of a formula at a state in a model, truth in a model, and validity are defined as follows. An L -formula φ is satisfied in a model \mathcal{M} at a state w , written $\mathcal{M}, w \models \varphi$, whenever $w \in m_k(\varphi)$ for some $k \in \{s, \dots, n_L - 1\}$; φ is true in a model \mathcal{M} , written $\mathcal{M} \models \varphi$, if and only if $\mathcal{M}, w \models \varphi$, for all $w \in U$, and it is L -valid whenever it is true in all L -models.

Along these lines we present three examples of multiple-valued logics.

Rosser-Turquette Logic

Rosser-Turquette logic RT is an n_{RT} -valued logic with $\mathcal{SR}_{RT} = \{0, \dots, n - 1\}$, designated values are $s, \dots, n - 1$, where $0 < s \leq n - 1$, and the logical values are linearly ordered consistently with the order of their natural indices. The propositional operations of RT include the family $\{J_k : k \in \mathcal{SR}_{RT}\}$ of unary operations. The operations J_k play a special role. Namely, J_k is a unary operation ‘selecting’ the logical value k . Other propositional operations are \vee , \wedge , and \neg .

The respective semantic functions are defined as follows:

- $f_\vee(k, l) = \max(k, l)$;
- $f_\wedge(k, l) = \min(k, l)$;

- $f_{J_k}(k) = n - 1$, and for $l \neq k$, $f_{J_k}(l) = 0$;
- $f_{\neg}(l) = \max(f_{J_0}(l), \dots, f_{J_{s-1}}(l))$.

An RT-model is a structure of the form $\mathcal{M} = (U, m, \{m_k : k \in \mathcal{SR}_{\text{RT}}\})$, where U is a non-empty set of states, $m: \mathbb{V} \times U \rightarrow \mathcal{SR}_{\text{RT}}$, and $\{m_k : k \in \mathcal{SR}_{\text{RT}}\}$ is a family of meaning functions such that:

- $m_k(p) = \{w \in U : m(p, w) = k\}$, for every $k \in \mathcal{SR}_{\text{RT}}$;
- $m_k(\varphi \vee \psi) = \bigcup_{i=0}^k ((m_k(\varphi) \cap m_i(\psi)) \cup (m_i(\varphi) \cap m_k(\psi)))$;
- $m_k(\varphi \wedge \psi) = \bigcup_{i=k}^{n-1} ((m_k(\varphi) \cap m_i(\psi)) \cup (m_i(\varphi) \cap m_k(\psi)))$;
- $m_{n-1}(J_l(\varphi)) = m_l(\varphi)$, $m_0(J_l(\varphi)) = \bigcup_{i \neq l} m_i(\varphi)$, and $m_k(J_l(\varphi)) = \emptyset$, for $k \neq 0, n - 1$;
- $m_{n-1}(\neg\varphi) = \bigcup_{i=0}^{s-1} m_i(\varphi)$, $m_0(\neg\varphi) = \bigcup_{i=s}^{n-1} m_i(\varphi)$, and $m_k(\neg\varphi) = \emptyset$, for $k \neq 0, n - 1$.

Symmetric Heyting Logic of Order n , SH_n

The formulas of logic SH_n , $n \geq 2$, are constructed from propositional variables with the operations $\wedge, \vee, \rightarrow, \neg, \sim$, and with a family $\{\sigma_i\}_{i=1, \dots, n-1}$ of unary operations. The semantic range for logic SH_n is:

$$\mathcal{SR}_{\text{SH}_n} = \left\{ (x, y) : x, y \in \left\{ 0, \frac{1}{n-1}, \frac{2}{n-1}, \dots, 1 \right\} \right\}.$$

We can treat the set $\{0, \frac{1}{n-1}, \frac{2}{n-1}, \dots, 1\}$ as a symmetric Heyting algebra

$$((n), \vee, \wedge, \rightarrow, \neg, \sim, 0, 1),$$

where $(n) = \{0, \frac{1}{n-1}, \frac{2}{n-1}, \dots, 1\}$, and

$$x \vee y = \max(x, y) \qquad x \wedge y = \min(x, y) \qquad \sim x = 1 - x$$

$$x \rightarrow y = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x \leq y \\ y & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \qquad \neg x = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x = 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } x > 0 \end{cases}$$

We define the unary operations $\{\sigma_i\}_{i=1, \dots, n-1}$ in this algebra by:

$$\sigma_i \left(\frac{x}{n-1} \right) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x \geq n - i \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Then the semantic functions for the propositional operations in $\mathcal{SR}_{\text{SH}_n}$ are given by:

- $f_{\vee}((x, y), (x', y')) = (x \vee x', y \vee y')$;
- $f_{\wedge}((x, y), (x', y')) = (x \wedge x', y \wedge y')$;
- $f_{\rightarrow}((x, y), (x', y')) = (x \rightarrow x', y \rightarrow y')$;
- $f_{\neg}((x, y)) = (x \rightarrow 0, y \rightarrow 0)$;

- $f_{\sim}((x, y)) = (1 - y, 1 - x)$;
- $f_{\sigma_i}((x, y)) = (\sigma_i(x), \sigma_i(y))$.

An SH_n -model is a structure of the form $\mathcal{M} = (U, m, \{m_{(k,l)} : (k, l) \in \mathcal{SR}_{\text{SH}_n}\})$, where U is a non-empty set of states, $m: \mathbb{V} \times U \rightarrow \mathcal{SR}_{\text{SH}_n}$, and $\{m_{(k,l)} : (k, l) \in \mathcal{SR}_{\text{SH}_n}\}$ is a family of meaning functions reflecting the intended interpretation of the operations. For example, the functions for the implication and negation \sim are defined as follows:

- $m_{(1,1)}(\varphi \rightarrow \psi) = \bigcup_{x \leq x', y \leq y'} (m_{(x,y)}(\varphi) \cap m_{(x',y')}(\psi))$;
- $m_{(1,l)}(\varphi \rightarrow \psi) = \bigcup_{x \leq x', y > l} (m_{(x,y)}(\varphi) \cap m_{(x',l)}(\psi))$;
- $m_{(k,1)}(\varphi \rightarrow \psi) = \bigcup_{x > k, y \leq y'} (m_{(x,y)}(\varphi) \cap m_{(k,y')}(\psi))$;
- $m_{(k,l)}(\varphi \rightarrow \psi) = \bigcup_{x > k, y > l} (m_{(x,y)}(\varphi) \cap m_{(x',y')}(\psi))$, where $k, l \neq 1$;
- $m_{(k,l)}(\sim \varphi) = m_{(1-l, 1-k)}(\varphi)$.

The Logic L_\top

The logic L_\top is a certain version of the logics introduced in [CH73], see also [Ras91]. The logic is based on a generalization of Post algebras investigated in [CHR89] where a chain of Post constants is replaced by a finite partially ordered set. The elements of this set are the indices of the unary Post operations but, in contrast with the classical Post logic, they do not have syntactic counterparts in the language.

L_\top is a propositional logic whose formulas are built from propositional variables with the operations $\vee, \wedge, \rightarrow, \neg$, and a family $\{d_t\}_{t \in \top}$ of unary operations, where \top is a finite set partially ordered by a relation \leq . The semantic range for the logic L_\top is the set of all the increasing subsets of \top , that is:

$$\mathcal{SR}_{\text{L}_\top} = \{s \subseteq \top : \text{for all } x, y, x \in s \text{ and } x \leq y \text{ imply } y \in s\} \cup \{\emptyset\}.$$

The semantic functions providing meaning of the propositional operations are defined as follows:

- $f_{\vee}(s, s') = s \cup s'$;
- $f_{\wedge}(s, s') = s \cap s'$;
- $f_{\rightarrow}(s, s') = \bigcup \{u \in \mathcal{SR}_{\text{L}_\top} : s \cap u \subseteq s'\}$;
- $f_{\neg}(s) = s \rightarrow \emptyset$;
- $f_{d_t}(s) = \begin{cases} \top & \text{if } t \in s, \\ \emptyset & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$

The only distinguished element of $\mathcal{SR}_{\text{L}_\top}$ is the set \top .

In an L_\top -model $\mathcal{M} = (U, m, \{m_k : k \in \mathcal{SR}_{\text{L}_\top}\})$, the meaning functions for operations d_t are defined as follows, for $l \in \mathcal{SR}_{\text{L}_\top}$:

- $m_{\top}(d_t(\varphi)) = \bigcup_{t \in l} m_l(\varphi)$;
- $m_{\emptyset}(d_t(\varphi)) = \bigcup_{t \notin l} m_l(\varphi)$;
- $m_l(d_t(\varphi)) = \emptyset$, for $l \neq \emptyset, \top$.

10.3 Relational Formalization of Finitely Many-Valued Logics

In the relational formalization of many-valued logics we apply the standard method of interpreting formulas of an n_L -valued logic L as n_L -ary relations. The vocabulary of the language of relational logic RL_L adequate for logic L consists of symbols from the following pairwise disjoint sets:

- $\mathbb{R}V_{RL_L}$ – a countable infinite set of relational variables representing n_L -ary relations;
- $\{o_j : 1 \leq j \leq i_L\} \cup \{J_t : 0 \leq t \leq n_L - 1\}$ – the set of relational operations, where o_j is of the arity $a(j)$, for $j = 1, \dots, i_L$, and every J_t is unary.

We slightly abuse the notation here by denoting the relational operations of RL_L with the same symbols as the operations of L .

The set $\mathbb{R}T_{RL_L}$ of relational terms is the smallest set that includes $\mathbb{R}V_{RL_L}$ and is closed with respect to all the relational operations. The set of formulas is simply the set of relational terms $\mathbb{R}T_{RL_L}$. An RL_L -formula is said to be *indecomposable* whenever it is of the form $J_t(P)$, for some $t \in \{0, \dots, n_L - 1\}$ and $P \in \mathbb{R}V_{RL_L}$. A finite set of RL_L -formulas is indecomposable whenever all of its formulas are indecomposable.

An RL_L -model is a structure $\mathcal{M} = (U \cup \{\emptyset\}, m, \{m_k : k \in \mathcal{S}R_L\})$ such that U is a non-empty set, $m: \mathbb{R}T_{RL_L} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}((U \cup \{\emptyset\})^{n_L-1})$ and for every $k \in \mathcal{S}R_L$, $m_k: \mathbb{R}T_{RL_L} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(U \cup \{\emptyset\})$ are meaning functions such that the following conditions are satisfied:

- $m_k(P) \subseteq U \cup \{\emptyset\}$ and $m(P) = m_0(P) \times \dots \times m_{n_L-1}(P)$, for $P \in \mathbb{R}V_{RL_L}$;
- If $m(P) = P_0 \times \dots \times P_{n_L-1}$, then:
 - (1) For any i , $0 \leq i \leq n_L - 1$, $P_i \in \mathcal{P}(U \cup \{\emptyset\}) \setminus \{\emptyset\}$, i.e., P_i is a non-empty subset of $U \cup \{\emptyset\}$,
 - (2) If $i \neq j$, then $P_i \cap P_j \in \{\emptyset, \{\emptyset\}\}$, i.e., $P_i \cap P_j$ is either empty or equals $\{\emptyset\}$,
 - (3) $U \subseteq \bigcup_{k=0}^{n_L-1} P_k$;
- For any j and t the operations o_j and J_t are interpreted as functions on relations on $(U \cup \{\emptyset\})^{n_L-1}$ such that:
 - (i) For all terms $P^1, \dots, P^{a(j)}$ such that $m(P^l) = (m_0(P^l) \times \dots \times m_{n_L-1}(P^l))$, we have:

$$m\left(o_j\left(P^1, \dots, P^{a(j)}\right)\right) = Q_0 \times \dots \times Q_{n_L-1},$$

where

$$Q_k = \bigcup_{f_{o_j}(g_1, \dots, g_{a(j)})=k} m_{g_1}(P^1) \cap \dots \cap m_{g_{a(j)}}(P^{a(j)})$$

if the above union is non-empty, and $Q_k = \{\emptyset\}$ otherwise;

- (ii) For any relational term P such that $m(P) = m_0(P) \times \cdots \times m_{n_L-1}(P)$ we have:

$$m(J_t(P)) = Q_0 \times \cdots \times Q_{n_L-1},$$

where

$$Q_{n_L-1} = m_t(P), \quad Q_0 = \bigcup_{l \neq t} m_l(P), \quad \text{and } Q_i = \{\emptyset\} \text{ for } i \neq 0, n_L - 1.$$

Note that $m(J_t(P))$ partitions the set U into the sets $m_t(P)$ and $U - m_t(P)$.

An RL_L -formula P is said to be true in an RL_L -model \mathcal{M} , written $\mathcal{M} \models P$, whenever $\bigcup_{i=s}^{n_L-1} (m_i(P)) = U \cup \{\emptyset\}$. A formula P is RL_L -valid whenever it is true in all RL_L -models.

Proposition 10.3.1. RL_L -models are well-defined.

Proof. We have to show that $\mathcal{P}((U \cup \{\emptyset\})^{n_L-1})$ is closed under the interpretations of operations o_j and J_t , that is for all relational terms $P, P^1, \dots, P^{a(j)}$, the relations $m(o_j(P^1, \dots, P^{a(j)}))$ and $m(J_t(P))$ satisfy the conditions (1), (2), and (3). The preservation of condition (1) is quite obvious, so we concentrate on conditions (2) and (3).

Assume $m(P^r) = m_0(P^r) \times \cdots \times m_{n_L-1}(P^r)$ satisfy the conditions (1), (2), and (3), for $r = 1, \dots, a(j)$. Let $Q = m(o_j(P^1, \dots, P^{a(j)}))$, where $Q = Q_0 \times \cdots \times Q_{n_L-1}$. Let $0 \leq l, k \leq n_L - 1$, and $l \neq k$. Then either at least one of Q_k, Q_l is $\{\emptyset\}$, and then obviously $Q_k \cap Q_l$ is either \emptyset or $\{\emptyset\}$ or

$$Q_k = \bigcup_{f_{o_j}(g_1, \dots, g_{a(j)})=k} m_{g_1}(P^1) \cap \dots \cap m_{g_{a(j)}}(P^{a(j)}),$$

$$Q_l = \bigcup_{f_{o_j}(h_1, \dots, h_{a(j)})=l} m_{h_1}(P^1) \cap \dots \cap m_{h_{a(j)}}(P^{a(j)}),$$

hence

$$\begin{aligned} Q_k \cap Q_l &= \bigcup_{f_{o_j}(g_1, \dots, g_{a(j)})=k} \bigcup_{f_{o_j}(h_1, \dots, h_{a(j)})=l} m_{g_1}(P^1) \cap \dots \cap m_{g_{a(j)}}(P^{a(j)}) \cap \\ &\quad \cap m_{h_1}(P^1) \cap \dots \cap m_{h_{a(j)}}(P^{a(j)}). \end{aligned}$$

By our assumption about $m(P^r)$'s we have $m_s(P^r) \cap m_t(P^r) = \emptyset$ or $\{\emptyset\}$, for $s \neq t$. On the other hand, in each of the summands above $g_r = h_r$, for $r = 1, \dots, a(j)$ would imply

$$k = f_{o_j}(g_1, \dots, g_{a(j)}) = f_{o_j}(h_1, \dots, h_{a(j)}) = l$$

which is a contradiction. Thus $g_r \neq h_r$, for some r , so $m_{g_r}(P^r) \cap m_{h_r}(P^r) \in \{\emptyset, \{\emptyset\}\}$. Obviously, this means that the same holds for each summand in $Q_k \cap Q_l$, and in consequence for the latter intersection, therefore Q satisfies the condition (2).

To prove that Q satisfies condition (3), consider any $u \in U$. Since all the P^r 's satisfy condition (3), then for each r , $1 \leq r \leq a(j)$, there exists k_r , $0 \leq k_r \leq n_L - 1$ such that $u \in m_{k_r}(P^r)$. Obviously, $u \in m_{k_1}(P^1) \cap \dots \cap m_{k_{a(j)}}(P^{a(j)})$. Therefore, for $k = f_{o_j}(k_1, \dots, k_{a(j)})$, we obtain:

$$u \in \bigcup_{f_{o_j}(g_1, \dots, g_{a(j)})=k} m_{g_1}(P^1) \cap \dots \cap m_{g_{a(j)}}(P^{a(j)}).$$

Since u is in the above union, the union is non-empty. Thus, by the definition it equals Q_k . Therefore, $u \in \bigcup_{l=0}^{n_L-1} Q_l$. Since u is an arbitrary element of U , Q satisfies condition (3).

Assume that $m(P) = m_0(P) \times \dots \times m_{n_L-1}(P)$ satisfies conditions (1), (2), and (3). Let $Q = m(J_I P)$, where $Q = Q_0 \times \dots \times Q_{n_L-1}$. Then obviously, Q satisfies condition (2), because $Q_l = \{\emptyset\}$ for $l \neq 0, n_L - 1$ and $Q_0 \cap Q_{n_L} = (\bigcup_{l \neq t} m_l(P)) \cap m_t(P)$. Since for $l \neq t$ the intersection $m_l(P) \cap m_t(P)$ is either \emptyset or $\{\emptyset\}$ by the assumption on $m(P)$, the same holds for the union representing $Q_0 \cap Q_{n_L}$. Finally, Q satisfies also condition (3), since:

$$\bigcup_{i=0}^{n_L} Q_i = \bigcup_{l \neq k} m_l(P) \cup \{\emptyset\} \cup m_t(P) \subseteq \bigcup_{i=0}^{n_L-1} m_i(P) \supseteq U,$$

by the assumption on $m(P)$. □

The translation of L-formulas into relational terms starts with a one-to-one assignment $\tau': \mathbb{V} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}\mathbb{V}_{\text{RL}_L}$ of relational variables to the propositional variables. Then, the translation τ of formulas is defined by:

$$\tau(o_j(\varphi_1, \dots, \varphi_{a(j)})) = o_j(\tau(\varphi_1), \dots, \tau(\varphi_{a(j)})).$$

Proposition 10.3.2. *For every L-formula φ and for every L-model \mathcal{M} there exists an RL_L -model \mathcal{M}' such that $\mathcal{M} \models \varphi$ iff $\mathcal{M}' \models \tau(\varphi)$.*

Proof. Let φ be an L-formula and let $\mathcal{M} = (U, m, \{m_k : k \in \mathcal{S}\mathcal{R}_L\})$ be an L-model. We define the corresponding RL_L -model $\mathcal{M}' = (U' \cup \{\emptyset\}, m', \{m'_k : k \in \mathcal{S}\mathcal{R}_L\})$ as follows:

- $U' = U$;
- For a relational variable P such that $\tau'(p) = P$ we define $m'_k(P) = m_k(p) \cup \{\emptyset\}$ and $m'(P) = m'_0(P) \times \dots \times m'_{n_L-1}(P)$;
- m' extends to all the compound relational terms as in RL_L -models.

We show that for every L-formula φ , condition (1) $m'_k(\tau(\varphi)) = m_k(\varphi) \cup \{\emptyset\}$ holds. Then, models \mathcal{M} and \mathcal{M}' clearly satisfy the proposition.

We prove (1) by induction on the complexity of formulas. If $\varphi = p$, for $p \in \mathbb{V}$, then (1) holds by the definition of $m'_k(\tau(p))$. Let $\varphi = o_j(p^1, \dots, p^{a(j)})$. Then $m'_k(\tau(\varphi)) = m'_k(o_j(\tau(p^1), \dots, \tau(p^{a(j)})))$. By the definition of the model \mathcal{M}' , $m'_k(o_j(\tau(p^1), \dots, \tau(p^{a(j)})))$ equals:

$$\bigcup_{f_{o_j}(k_1, \dots, k_{a(j)})=k} (m'_{k_1}(\tau(p^1)) \cap \dots \cap m'_{k_{a(j)}}(\tau(p^{a(j)})))$$

if the union is non-empty, otherwise it equals $\{\emptyset\}$. If the latter holds, then $m_k(\varphi) = \emptyset$, hence $m'_k(\tau(\varphi)) = \{\emptyset\} = m_k(\varphi) \cup \{\emptyset\}$. If the union is non-empty, then by the induction hypothesis, we obtain:

$$\begin{aligned} & \bigcup_{f_{o_j}(k_1, \dots, k_{a(j)})=k} (m'_{k_1}(\tau(p^1)) \cap \dots \cap m'_{k_{a(j)}}(\tau(p^{a(j)}))) \\ &= \bigcup_{f_{o_j}(k_1, \dots, k_{a(j)})=k} ((m_{k_1}(p^1) \cup \{\emptyset\}) \cap \dots \cap (m_{k_{a(j)}}(p^{a(j)}) \cup \{\emptyset\})) \\ &= \left(\bigcup_{f_{o_j}(k_1, \dots, k_{a(j)})=k} (m_{k_1}(p^1) \cap \dots \cap m_{k_{a(j)}}(p^{a(j)})) \right) \cup \{\emptyset\} = m_k(\varphi) \cup \{\emptyset\}. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore $m'_k(\tau(\varphi)) = m_k(\varphi) \cup \{\emptyset\}$. □

In a similar way we can prove:

Proposition 10.3.3. *For every \mathbb{L} -formula φ and for every $\mathbf{RL}_{\mathbb{L}}$ -model \mathcal{M} there exists an \mathbb{L} -model \mathcal{M}' such that $\mathcal{M}' \models \varphi$ iff $\mathcal{M} \models \tau(\varphi)$.*

The above two propositions lead to:

Theorem 10.3.1. *Let φ be an \mathbb{L} -formula. Then the following conditions are equivalent:*

1. φ is \mathbb{L} -valid;
2. $\tau(\varphi)$ is $\mathbf{RL}_{\mathbb{L}}$ -valid.

Relational Formalization of Rosser–Turquette Logic \mathbf{RT}

The vocabulary of the language of the relational logic $\mathbf{RL}_{\mathbf{RT}}$ consists of the set of relational variables, two binary operations \vee and \wedge , and unary operations \neg and J_t , for $t = 0, \dots, n_{\mathbf{RT}} - 1$.

In $\mathbf{RL}_{\mathbf{RT}}$ -models we define the meaning functions in a standard way with the following clauses for the compound terms:

- $m_k(P \vee Q) = \bigcup_{l=0}^k (m_k(P) \cap m_l(Q) \cap m_l(P) \cap m_k(Q))$ if this union is non-empty, and $m_k(P \vee Q) = \{\emptyset\}$ otherwise;
- $m_k(P \wedge Q) = \bigcup_{l=k}^{n_{\mathbf{RT}}-1} (m_k(P) \cap m_l(Q) \cap m_l(P) \cap m_k(Q))$ if this union is non-empty, and $m_k(P \wedge Q) = \{\emptyset\}$ otherwise;

- $m_0(\neg P) = \bigcup_{l=s}^{n_{\text{RT}}-1} m_l(P)$, $m_{n_{\text{RT}}-1}(\neg P) = \bigcup_{l=0}^{s-1} m_l(P)$, and for $l \neq 0, n_{\text{RT}} - 1$, $m_l(\neg P) = \{\emptyset\}$;
- For any relational term P such that $m(P) = m_0(P) \times \cdots \times m_{n_{\text{RT}}-1}(P)$ we have:

$$m(J_k(P)) = Q_0 \times \cdots \times Q_{n_{\text{RT}}-1},$$

where

$$Q_{n_{\text{RT}}-1} = m_k(P), \quad Q_0 = \bigcup_{l \neq k} m_l(P), \quad \text{and } Q_i = \{\emptyset\} \text{ for } i \neq 0, n_{\text{RT}} - 1.$$

Relational Formalization of Symmetric Heyting Logics SH_n

The vocabulary of the relational logic RL_{SH_n} consists of relational variables and the relational operations which are the direct counterparts to the propositional operations of the SH_n logics. RL_{SH_n} -models are defined so that the meaning of compound relational terms reflects properties of the corresponding propositional operations. For example, for any relational term P such that:

$$m(P) = \times_{(k,l) \in \mathcal{SR}_{\text{SH}_n}} m_{(k,l)}(P)$$

we have

$$m(\sigma_i(P)) = \times_{(k,l) \in \mathcal{SR}_{\text{SH}_n}} R_{(k,l)},$$

where $\times_i A_i$ denotes the direct product of sets A_i and:

$$\begin{aligned} R_{(k,l)} &= \{\emptyset\} \text{ if either } k \neq 0, 1 \text{ or } l \neq 0, 1, \\ R_{(1,1)} &= \bigcup_{x \geq n-i, y \geq n-i} m_{(\frac{x}{n-1}, \frac{y}{n-1})}(P) \\ &\text{if the above union is non-empty, and } R_{(1,1)} = \{\emptyset\} \text{ otherwise,} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} R_{(1,0)} &= \bigcup_{x \geq n-i, y < n-i} m_{(\frac{x}{n-1}, \frac{y}{n-1})}(P) \\ &\text{if the above union is non-empty, and } R_{(1,0)} = \{\emptyset\} \text{ otherwise,} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} R_{(0,1)} &= \bigcup_{x < n-i, y \geq n-i} m_{(\frac{x}{n-1}, \frac{y}{n-1})}(P) \\ &\text{if the above union is non-empty, and } R_{(0,1)} = \{\emptyset\} \text{ otherwise,} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} R_{(0,0)} &= \bigcup_{x < n-i, y < n-i} m_{(\frac{x}{n-1}, \frac{y}{n-1})}(P) \\ &\text{if the above union is non-empty, and } R_{(0,0)} = \{\emptyset\} \text{ otherwise.} \end{aligned}$$

Relational Formalization of the Logic L_\top

The formulas of relational logic $\text{RL}_{\text{L}_\top}$ are built from relational variables with the relational operations which are the direct counterparts of the propositional

operations of the logic L_T . RL_{L_T} -models are defined in a standard way, so that the meaning of compound relational terms reflects properties of the corresponding propositional operations. For example, if $R = P \rightarrow Q$, and $m(Z) = \times_{k \in \mathcal{SR}_{L_T}} m_k(Z)$, for $Z = P, Q, R$, then we have:

$$m_k(R) = \bigcup_{\cup\{u \in \mathcal{SR}_{L_T} : l \cap u \subseteq t\} = k} m_l(P) \cap m_t(Q),$$

if the above union is non-empty, and $m_k(R) = \{\emptyset\}$ otherwise.

10.4 Dual Tableaux for Finitely Many-Valued Logics

Let L be a finitely many-valued logic. A relational dual tableau for L consist of axiomatic sets of formulas and decomposition rules that apply to finite sets of formulas. The notion of a rule is defined as in Sect. 2.4.

Decomposition rules have the following forms:

$$(J-in) \quad \frac{R}{J_s(R), \dots, J_{n_L-1}(R)}$$

where R is not of the form $J_l(Q)$

for any $l \in \mathcal{SR}_L$ and for any RL_L -formula Q

$$(o_j)_1 \quad \frac{K, J_t(o_j(R_1, \dots, R_i))}{K, H, J_{t_1}(R_1) \mid \dots \mid K, H, J_{t_i}(R_i)}$$

for all t_1, \dots, t_i such that $f_{o_j}(t_1, \dots, t_i) = t$, where

$i = a(j)$, $H = J_t(o_j(R_1, \dots, R_i))$, and

for some $l \in \{1, \dots, i\}$ sequence K of formulas

does not contain $J_{t_l}(R_l)$

$$(o_j)_2 \quad \frac{K, J_t(o_j(R_1, \dots, R_i))}{K}$$

where $K = J_{t_1}(R_1), \dots, J_{t_i}(R_i)$ and $f_{o_j}(t_1, \dots, t_i) = t$

$$(J_0(J_l)) \quad \frac{J_0(J_l(R))}{J_0(R), \dots, J_{l-1}(R), J_{l+1}(R), \dots, J_{n_L-1}(R)}$$

for any $l \in \mathcal{SR}_L$ such that $l \neq 0$

$$(J_0(J_0)) \quad \frac{J_0(J_0(R))}{J_1(R), \dots, J_{n_L-1}(R)}$$

$$(J_{n_L-1}(J_l)) \quad \frac{J_{n_L-1}(J_l(R))}{J_l(R)}, \text{ for any } l \in \mathcal{SR}_L$$

$$(J_t(J_l)) \quad \frac{K, J_t(J_l(R))}{K}$$

for any $l \in \mathcal{SR}_L$ and for any $t \neq 0, n_L - 1$,

and for any sequence K of \mathbf{RL}_L -formulas.

A set of \mathbf{RL}_L -formulas is said to be an \mathbf{RL}_L -axiomatic set whenever it includes either of the following sets:

For any relational term R ,

- $\{J_0(R), \dots, J_{n_L-1}(R)\}$;
- $\{J_0(J_t(J_l(R)))\}$, for $t \neq 0, n_L - 1$.

A finite set $X = \{P_1, \dots, P_n\}$ of \mathbf{RL}_L -formulas is said to be \mathbf{RL}_L -set whenever for every \mathbf{RL}_L -model \mathcal{M} , $\bigcup_{j=1}^n \bigcup_{i=s}^{m_L-1} m_i(P_j) = U \cup \{\emptyset\}$. Correctness of a rule is defined in a similar way as in the relational logics of classical algebras of binary relations (see Sect. 2.4).

Proposition 10.4.1.

1. The \mathbf{RL}_L -rules are \mathbf{RL}_L -correct;
2. The \mathbf{RL}_L -axiomatic sets are \mathbf{RL}_L -sets.

Proof. By way of example, we prove \mathbf{RL}_L -correctness of the rule $(J_{n_L-1}(J_l))$. First, note that by the definition of \mathbf{RL}_L -models we have:

$$m_{n_L-1}(J_{n_L-1}(J_l(R))) = m_{n_L-1}(J_l(R)) = m_l(R),$$

$$m_i(J_{n_L-1}(J_l(R))) = m_i(J_l(R)) = \{\emptyset\}, \text{ for any } i \neq 0, n_L - 1.$$

Therefore, $\bigcup_{k=s}^{n_L-1} m_k(J_{n_L-1}(J_l(R))) = \bigcup_{k=s}^{n_L-1} m_k(J_l(R)) = \{\emptyset\} \cup m_l(R)$. Thus, for every \mathbf{RL}_L -model \mathcal{M} , $\mathcal{M} \models J_{n_L-1}(J_l(R))$ iff $\mathcal{M} \models J_l(R)$. Hence, the correctness follows. \square

The notions of an \mathbf{RL}_L -proof tree and \mathbf{RL}_L -provability of an \mathbf{RL}_L -formula are defined as in Sect. 2.4.

Theorem 10.4.1 (Soundness and Completeness of \mathbf{RL}_L). *Let φ be an \mathbf{RL}_L -formula. Then, the following conditions are equivalent:*

1. φ is \mathbf{RL}_L -valid;
2. φ is \mathbf{RL}_L -provable.

Proof. The implication 2. \rightarrow 1. follows from Proposition 10.4.1, hence \mathbf{RL}_L -dual tableau is sound. Moreover, it can be easily proved that every \mathbf{RL}_L -proof tree is finite. Assume that φ is \mathbf{RL}_L -valid. Suppose φ does not have a closed \mathbf{RL}_L -proof tree. Let us consider a non-closed \mathbf{RL}_L -proof tree for φ . This tree has to contain a branch b which ends with a non-axiomatic set Δ of \mathbf{RL}_L -formulas. By the construction of the tree, each element of Δ is of the form $J_t(P)$, for some $P \in \mathbb{R}\mathbb{V}_{\mathbf{RL}_L}$ and

$t \in \{0, \dots, n_L - 1\}$, since otherwise we could apply to Δ one of the rules. Define the branch structure $\mathcal{M}^b = (U^b \cup \{\emptyset\}, m^b, \{m_k^b : k \in \mathcal{S}\mathcal{R}_L\})$ as follows:

- $U^b = \{w\}$;
- For any relational variable P ,

$$m_k^b(P) = \begin{cases} \{w\} & \text{if } k = \min\{l : J_l(P) \notin \Delta\}, \\ \{\emptyset\} & \text{otherwise;} \end{cases}$$

- m_k^b extends to all compound relational terms as in \mathbf{RL}_L -models.

Since Δ is not an axiomatic set, $\{l : J_l(P) \notin \Delta\} \neq \emptyset$. Therefore, for every $P \in \mathbb{R}\mathbb{V}_{\mathbf{RL}_L}$, there exists exactly one $i \in \{0, \dots, n_L - 1\}$ such that $m_i(P) = \{w\}$. Hence, it can be easily proved that \mathcal{M}^b is an \mathbf{RL}_L -model. Moreover, if $J_l(P) \in \Delta$ for some $l \in \{0, \dots, n_L - 1\}$, then by the definition of the branch structure $m_l(P) = \{\emptyset\}$. Therefore, if $J_l(P) \in \Delta$, then $\bigcup_{k=s}^{n_L-1} m_k(J_l(P)) = \{\emptyset\}$, so $\mathcal{M}^b \not\models J_l(P)$. Hence, Δ is not \mathbf{RL}_L -valid. Since every node of the branch b is obtained from its predecessor node by means of some \mathbf{RL}_L -rule, and the rule preserves and reflects validity, and since Δ is not \mathbf{RL}_L -valid, the formula $\varphi \in b$ is not \mathbf{RL}_L -valid, a contradiction. \square

Finally, by the above theorem and Theorem 10.3.1, we obtain:

Theorem 10.4.2 (Relational Soundness and Completeness of L). *Let φ be an L-formula. Then, the following conditions are equivalent:*

1. φ is L-valid;
2. $\tau(\varphi)$ is \mathbf{RL}_L -provable.

Dual Tableaux for Rosser–Turquette Logics

$\mathbf{RL}_{\mathbf{RT}}$ -dual tableau consists of the rules (J -in), ($J_0(J_l)$), ($J_{n_{\mathbf{RT}}-1}(J_l)$), ($J_k(J_l)$), and the rules of introduction and elimination of disjunction, conjunction, and negation:

$$(\vee\text{-in})_1 \frac{J_t(P \vee Q)}{J_t(P \vee Q), J_t(P) \mid J_t(P \vee Q), J_t(Q)}$$

for $0 \leq l \leq t$

$$(\vee\text{-in})_2 \frac{J_t(P \vee Q)}{J_t(P \vee Q), J_l(P) \mid J_t(P \vee Q), J_t(Q)}$$

for $0 \leq l \leq t$

$$(\vee\text{-el}) \frac{K, J_t(P \vee Q)}{K}$$

$K = J_0(P), J_0(Q), \dots, J_t(P), J_t(Q)$

$$(\wedge\text{-in})_1 \frac{J_t(P \wedge Q)}{J_t(P \wedge Q), J_t(P) \mid J_t(P \wedge Q), J_l(Q)}$$

for $t \leq l \leq n_{\mathbf{RT}} - 1$

$$\begin{aligned}
(\wedge-in)_2 & \frac{J_t(P \wedge Q)}{J_t(P \wedge Q), J_t(P) \mid J_t(P \wedge Q), J_t(Q)} \\
& \text{for } t \leq l \leq n_{\text{RT}} - 1 \\
(\wedge-el) & \frac{K, J_t(P \wedge Q)}{K} \\
& K = J_t(P), J_t(Q), \dots, J_{n_{\text{RT}}-1}(P), J_{n_{\text{RT}}-1}(Q) \\
(\neg-in) & \frac{J_t(\neg R)}{J_i(R), \dots, J_{n_{\text{RT}}-1-t}(R)} \\
& \text{for } t = 0, n_{\text{RT}} - 1, \text{ where } i = \begin{cases} s, & \text{if } t = 0 \\ s - 1, & \text{if } t = n_{\text{RT}} - 1 \end{cases} \\
(\neg-el) & \frac{K, J_t(\neg R)}{K} \\
& K = \begin{cases} \text{any set of } \mathbf{RL}_{\text{RT}}\text{-formulas,} & \text{if } t \neq 0, n_{\text{RT}} - 1 \\ J_0(R), \dots, J_{s-1}(R), & \text{if } t = n_{\text{RT}} - 1 \\ J_s(R), \dots, J_{n_{\text{RT}}-1}(R), & \text{if } t = 0 \end{cases}
\end{aligned}$$

Dual Tableaux for Symmetric Heyting Logics \mathbf{SH}_n

We present $\mathbf{RL}_{\mathbf{SH}_n}$ -rules for the operations σ_i , $i = 1, \dots, n - 1$:

For any sequence K of $\mathbf{RL}_{\mathbf{SH}_n}$ -formulas,

$$\begin{aligned}
(J_{(k,l)}\sigma_i-el)_1 & \frac{K, J_{(k,l)}(\sigma_i(R))}{K}, \text{ if either } k \neq 0, 1 \text{ or } l \neq 0, 1 \\
(J_{(k,l)}\sigma_i-in)_1 & \frac{K, J_{(1,1)}(\sigma_i(R))}{K, J_{(1,1)}(\sigma_i(R)), J_{(\frac{x}{n-1}, \frac{y}{n-1})}(R)} \\
& \text{for } x \geq n - i, y \geq n - i, \text{ if } J_{(\frac{x}{n-1}, \frac{y}{n-1})}(R) \notin K \\
(J_{(k,l)}\sigma_i-in)_2 & \frac{K, J_{(1,0)}(\sigma_i(R))}{K, J_{(1,0)}(\sigma_i(R)), J_{(\frac{x}{n-1}, \frac{y}{n-1})}(R)} \\
& \text{for } x \geq n - i, y < n - i, \text{ if } J_{(\frac{x}{n-1}, \frac{y}{n-1})}(R) \notin K \\
(J_{(k,l)}\sigma_i-in)_3 & \frac{K, J_{(0,1)}(\sigma_i(R))}{K, J_{(0,1)}(\sigma_i(R)), J_{(\frac{x}{n-1}, \frac{y}{n-1})}(R)} \\
& \text{for } x < n - i, y \geq n - i, \text{ if } J_{(\frac{x}{n-1}, \frac{y}{n-1})}(R) \notin K
\end{aligned}$$

$$(J_{(k,l)}\sigma_i-in)_4 \frac{K, J_{(0,0)}(\sigma_i(R))}{K, J_{(0,0)}(\sigma_i(R)), J_{(\frac{x}{n-1}, \frac{y}{n-1})}(R)}$$

for $x < n - i, y < n - i$, if $J_{(\frac{x}{n-1}, \frac{y}{n-1})}(R) \notin K$

$$(J_{(k,l)}\sigma_i-el)_2 \frac{K, J_{(k,l)}(\sigma_i(R))}{K}$$

for $(k, l) \in \{0, 1\}^2$, if for any $x, y, J_{(\frac{x}{n-1}, \frac{y}{n-1})}(R) \in K$

Dual Tableaux for Logics L_T

We present RL_{L_T} -rules for the operations d_t :

For any sequence K of RL_{L_T} -formulas,

$$(J_l(d_t)-el)_1 \frac{K, J_l(d_t(R))}{K}, \text{ for } l \neq \emptyset, T$$

$$(J_l(d_t)-in)_1 \frac{K, J_T(d_t(R))}{K, J_T(d_t(R)), J_l(R)}$$

for $l \in \mathcal{SR}_{L_T}$ such that $t \in l$, if $J_l(R) \notin K$

$$(J_l(d_t)-in)_2 \frac{K, J_\emptyset(d_t(R))}{K, J_\emptyset(d_t(R)), J_l(R)}$$

for $l \in \mathcal{SR}_{L_T}$ such that $t \notin l$, if $J_l(R) \notin K$

$$(J_l(d_t)-el)_2 \frac{K, J_k(d_t(R))}{K}$$

for $k \in \{\emptyset, T\}$, if $J_l(R) \in K$ for every $l \in \mathcal{SR}_{L_T}$

10.5 Three-Valued Logics

In this section we present examples of dual tableau proofs in three-valued instances of Rosser–Turquette logic, symmetric Heyting logic, and logic L_T .

Consider a three-valued Rosser–Turquette logic $RT_{(3,1)}$ with $\mathcal{SR}_{RT_{(3,1)}} = \{0, 1, 2\}$ where 1 and 2 are the designated values. Let φ be the following $RT_{(3,1)}$ -formula:

$$\varphi = \neg J_1(\neg p).$$

Its translations into $RL_{RT_{(3,1)}}$ -term is:

$$\tau(\varphi) = \neg J_1(\neg P),$$

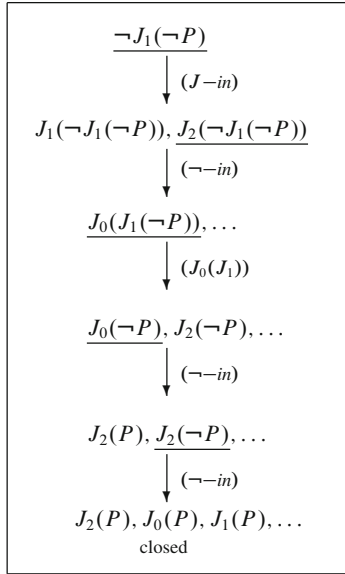


Fig. 10.1 An $\mathbf{RL}_{\mathbf{RT}(3,1)}$ -proof of $\mathbf{RT}(3,1)$ -formula $\neg J_1(\neg P)$

where $\tau'(p) = P$. $\mathbf{RT}(3,1)$ -validity of this formula is equivalent with $\mathbf{RL}_{\mathbf{RT}(3,1)}$ -provability of its translation. Figure 10.1 presents an $\mathbf{RL}_{\mathbf{RT}(3,1)}$ -proof of $\tau(\varphi)$.

Now, consider a three-valued Rosser–Turquette logic $\mathbf{RT}(3,2)$ with $\mathcal{SR}_{\mathbf{RT}(3,2)} = \{0, 1, 2\}$, where 2 is the only designated value. Let ψ be the following $\mathbf{RT}(3,2)$ -formula:

$$\psi = J_0(p) \vee J_1(p) \vee J_2(p).$$

Its translation into $\mathbf{RL}_{\mathbf{RT}(3,2)}$ -term is:

$$\tau(\psi) = J_0(P) \vee J_1(P) \vee J_2(P),$$

where $\tau'(p) = P$. Figure 10.2 presents an $\mathbf{RL}_{\mathbf{RT}(3,2)}$ -proof of $\tau(\psi)$ which shows $\mathbf{RT}(3,2)$ -validity of the formula ψ .

Now, consider symmetric Heyting logic of order 3, \mathbf{SH}_3 , with (1, 1) as the only designated value. The semantic range for the logic \mathbf{SH}_3 is $\mathcal{SR}_{\mathbf{SH}_3} = \{(x, y) : x, y \in \{0, \frac{1}{2}, 1\}\}$. Among the rules of $\mathbf{RL}_{\mathbf{SH}_3}$ -dual tableau are the rules of the form:

$$(\rightarrow)_{\mathbf{SH}_3} \frac{J_{(1,1)}(R \rightarrow Q)}{J_{(t_1, t_2)}(R), J_{(1,1)}(R \rightarrow Q) \mid J_{(t'_1, t'_2)}(Q), J_{(1,1)}(R \rightarrow Q)}$$

for any $t_1, t_2, t'_1, t'_2 \in \mathcal{SR}_{\mathbf{SH}_3}$ such that $t_1 \leq t'_1$ and $t_2 \leq t'_2$

$$(\sim)_{\mathbf{SH}_3} \frac{J_{(k,l)}(\sim R)}{J_{(1-l, 1-k)}(R)} \quad \text{for any } k, l \in \mathcal{SR}_{\mathbf{SH}_3}$$

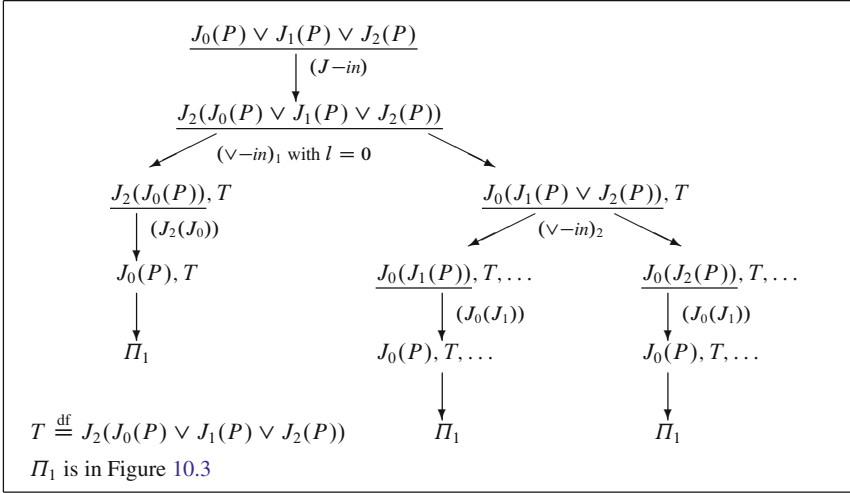


Fig. 10.2 An $RL_{RT(3,2)}$ -proof of $RT_{(3,2)}$ -formula $J_0(p) \vee J_1(p) \vee J_2(p)$.

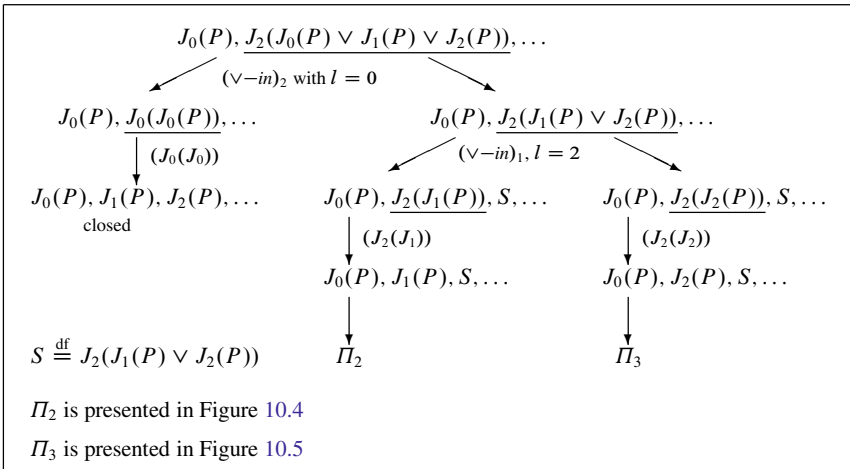


Fig. 10.3 A subtree Π_1

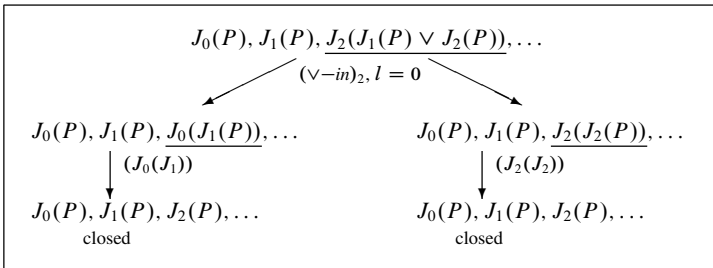


Fig. 10.4 A subtree Π_2

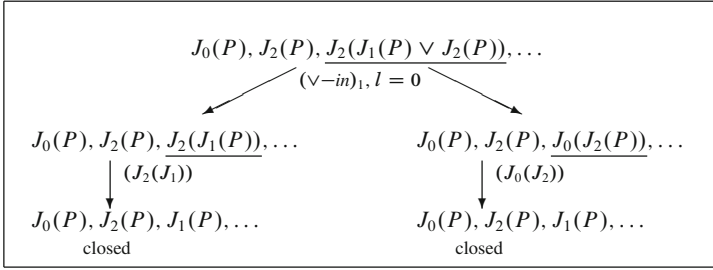


Fig. 10.5 A subtree Π_3

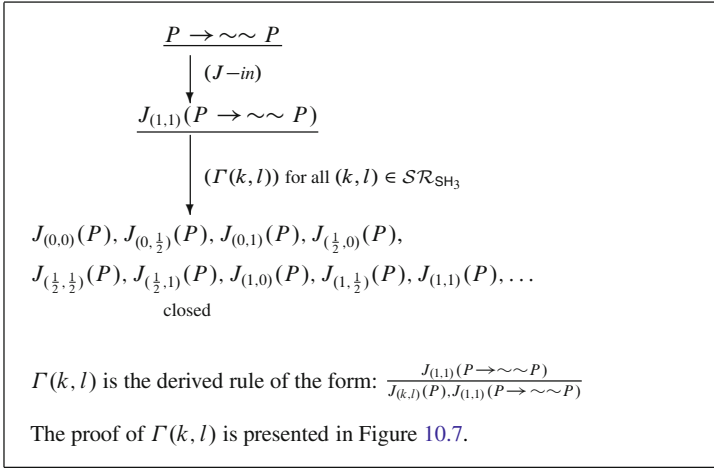


Fig. 10.6 An RL_{SH_3} -proof of SH_3 -formula $p \rightarrow \sim \sim p$

These rules are the instances of the scheme $(o_j)_1$ presented in Section 10.4. Note that the result of an application of the rule $(\sim)_{SH_3}$ to the formula $J_{(k,l)}(\sim \sim R)$ is the formula $J_{(1-l,1-k)}(\sim R)$, while the result of an application of the rule $(\sim)_{SH_3}$ to $J_{(1-l,1-k)}(\sim R)$ is the formula $J_{(k,l)}(R)$. Thus, we can introduce the derived rule of the form:

$$(\sim \sim)_{SH_3} \quad \frac{J_{(k,l)}(\sim \sim R)}{J_{(k,l)}(R)} \quad \text{for any } k, l \in SR_{SH_3}$$

Let φ be an SH_3 -formula $p \rightarrow \sim \sim p$. The translation of φ into RL_{SH_3} -term is $\tau(\varphi) = P \rightarrow \sim \sim P$, where $\tau'(p) = P$. Figure 10.6 presents an RL_{SH_3} -proof of $\tau(\varphi)$ that shows SH_3 -validity of φ .

Observe that in a diagram of Fig. 10.7 an application of a derived rule $(\sim \sim)_{SH_3}$ to $J_{(k,l)}(\sim \sim P)$ results in the node which has the same formulas as those obtained by an application of rule $(\rightarrow)_{SH_3}$ to formula $J_{(1,1)}(P \rightarrow \sim \sim P)$. Therefore, we identify the two nodes.

As the last example, consider logic L_T with $T = \{0, 1\}$. The semantic range for this logic is $SR_{L_T} = \{\emptyset, \{1\}, \{0, 1\}\}$.

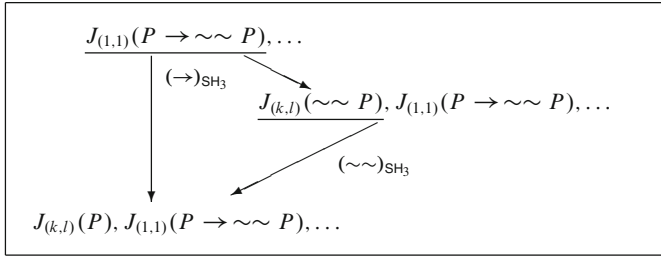


Fig. 10.7 An RL_{SH_3} -proof of a derived rule $\Gamma(k, l) = \frac{J_{(1,1)}(P \rightarrow \sim\sim P)}{J_{(k,l)}(P), J_{(1,1)}(P \rightarrow \sim\sim P)}$.

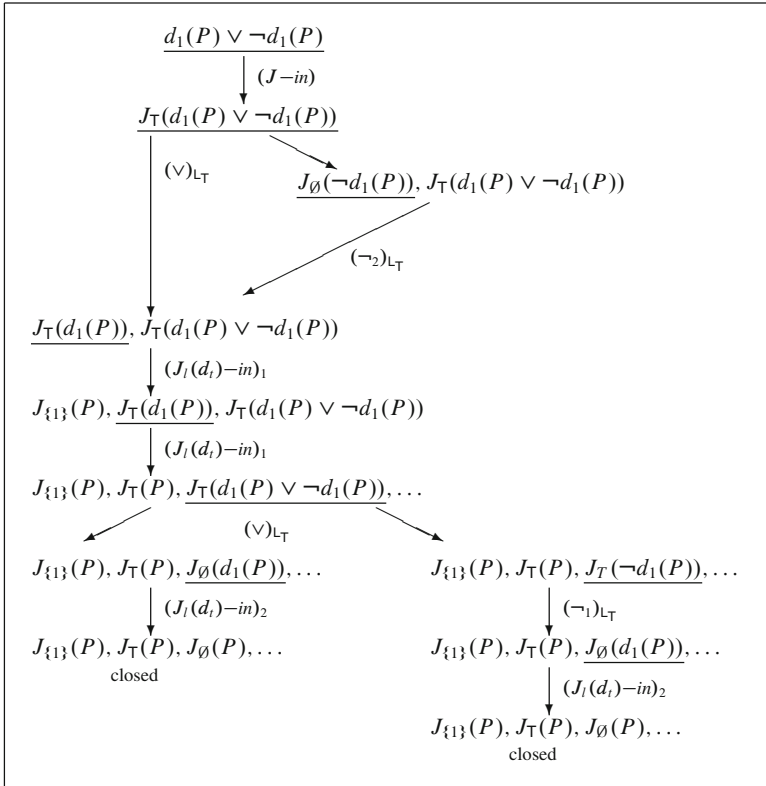


Fig. 10.8 An RL_{LT} -proof of L_T -formula $d_1(p) \vee \neg d_1(p)$

Among the rules of RL_{LT} -dual tableau are the rules of the form:

$$(\vee)_{LT} \frac{J_t(R \vee Q)}{J_{t_1}(R), J_t(R \vee Q) \mid J_{t_2}(Q), J_t(R \vee Q)}$$

for any $t, t_1, t_2 \in \mathcal{SR}_{LT}$ such that $t_1 \cup t_2 = t$

$$(\neg_1)_{LT} \frac{J_T(\neg R)}{J_\emptyset(R)} \quad (\neg_2)_{LT} \frac{J_\emptyset(\neg R)}{J_T(R)}$$

These rules follow the scheme $(o_j)_1$ presented in Sect. 10.4.

Let φ be the following L_T -formula:

$$\varphi = d_1(p) \vee \neg d_1(p).$$

The translation of φ into RL_{L_T} -term is:

$$\tau(\varphi) = d_1(P) \vee \neg d_1(P),$$

where $\tau'(p) = P$. Figure 10.8 presents RL_{L_T} -proof of $\tau(\varphi)$, which proves L_T -validity of φ .