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# Coalgebraic Logics via Categorical Duality

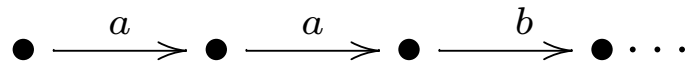
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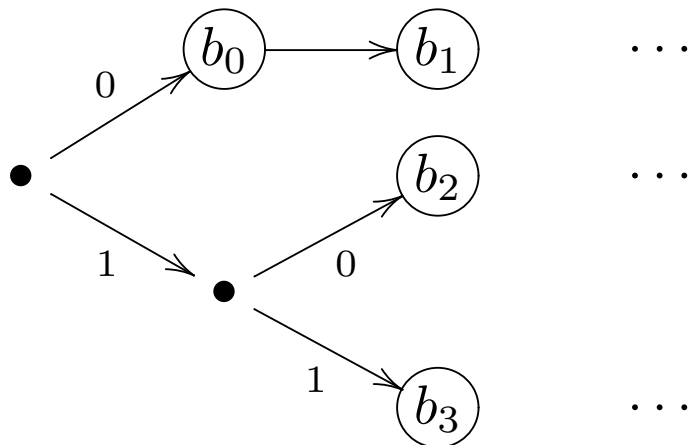
**Infinite Streams** (over a set  $A$  of labels)



- state set  $C$

- dynamics  $\gamma : C \rightarrow A \times C$

**Stream Functions**  $A^\omega \rightarrow B^\omega$  (resp. their representations)



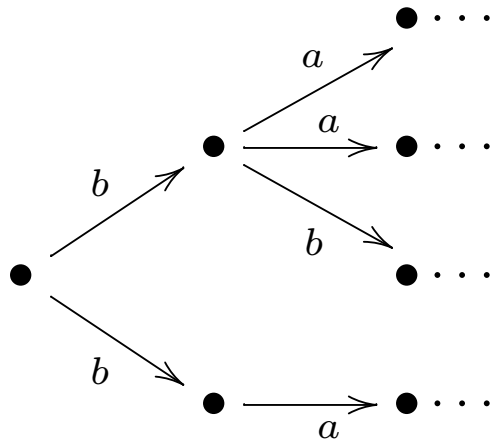
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- dynamics  $\gamma : C \rightarrow FC$

$$FC = \mu Y. B \times C + (A \rightarrow Y)$$

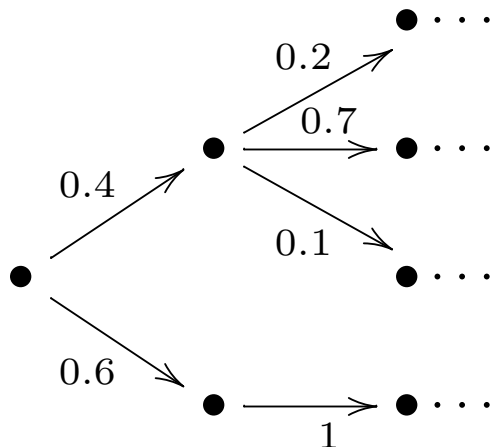
# Coalgebras in Computer Science

## Nondeterministic Transition Systems (over a set $A$ of labels)



- state set  $C$
- dynamics  $\gamma : C \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(A \times C)$

## Probabilistic Transition Systems



- state set  $C$
  - dynamics  $\gamma : C \rightarrow \mathcal{D}(C)$
- $\mathcal{D}(C)$ : probability distributions over  $C$

# Interlude: the role of Set

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**Disclaimer.** Why restrict the discourse to coalgebras on Set?

- universally understood in Computing
- “standard” systems usually formulated set-theoretically (eg transition systems)
- in applications: systems often have *finite* carrier

**Claimer(?)**

- but even this leads to (moderately) interesting categorical questions ...

# Duality I

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Now let  $T : \text{Set} \rightarrow \text{Set}$  and  $\text{CABA} =$  completely atomic boolean algebras

**First Idea.** Extend the duality

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & \xrightarrow{\text{Clp}} & \\ \text{Set} & \xleftrightarrow{\quad} & \text{CABA} \\ & \xleftarrow{\text{Sp}} & \end{array}$$

between sets and completely atomic boolean algebras to algebras / coalgebras

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \text{Coalg}(T) & \xleftrightarrow{\quad} & \text{Alg}(T^{\text{op}}) \\ \downarrow U & & \downarrow U \\ \text{Set} & \xleftrightarrow{\mathcal{P}} & \text{CABA} \\ & \xleftarrow{\text{Sp}} & \end{array}$$

**Conceptually.**

- use “logic of CABA” (infinitary propositional logic) to describe underlying space
- find some extension to describe  $\text{Alg}(T^{\text{op}})$  logically

# Duality II

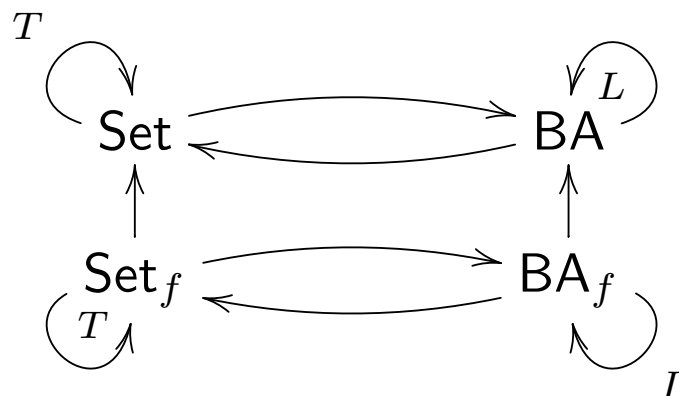
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**Problem.** The “logic of CABA” is infinitary

- hard to implement, eg in a theorem prover / model checker
- typical specifications are finitary, anyway

**Second Idea.** Trash the CA and use BA's instead

- faithful descriptions of *finite* systems
- finite model property / finite algebra property interesting in its own right



**But.** Functors would have to preserve finite sets! (violated eg for probabilities)

# Duality III

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## Finite Models via Finite Algebras: Restricting Stone-duality

$$\text{BA} \begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{\text{Sp}} \\ \xleftarrow{\text{Clp}} \end{array} \text{Stone}$$

to a duality between *finite* modal algebras and *finite* coalgebras (over Set):

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \text{Alg}_f(L) & \begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{\quad} \\ \xleftarrow{\quad} \end{array} & \text{Coalg}_f(T) \\ \text{forget} \downarrow & & \downarrow \text{forget} \\ \text{BA}_f & \begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{\text{Sp}} \\ \xleftarrow{\text{Clp}} \end{array} & \text{Set}_f \end{array}$$

## The finite model property for coalgebraic logics

- transport a finite *algebraic* model along duality to a (finite) *coalgebraic* one
- investigate the finite algebra property for logics of interest

# Coalgebraic Logics, Algebraically

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**Extensions** of propositional logics:

- new (polyadic) operators (modalities)  $\heartsuit \in \Lambda$

**Algebraic Semantics.** boolean algebras with  $\Lambda$ -operators ( $\Lambda$ -BAOs)

- algebras for boolean signature plus operations  $\heartsuit \in \Lambda$
- equations: laws of boolean algebras (for the moment)

**Observation.**  $\Lambda$  – BAO  $\cong \text{Alg}(L)$  where

$$L : \text{BA} \rightarrow \text{BA}, A \mapsto F\{\heartsuit(a_1, \dots, a_n) \mid \heartsuit \in \Lambda \text{ } n\text{-ary}, a_1, \dots, a_n \in A\}$$

and  $F : \text{Set} \rightarrow \text{BA}$  is the free construction

Given  $\alpha : LA \rightarrow A$ , have  $\llbracket \heartsuit \rrbracket : A^n \rightarrow A, (a_1, \dots, a_n) \mapsto \alpha(\heartsuit(a_1, \dots, a_n))$

# Algebraic vs Coalgebraic Semantics

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**Interlude.** Suppose there are finitely many(!) new modalities. Then

$$L : \mathbf{BA} \rightarrow \mathbf{BA}, A \mapsto F\{\heartsuit(a_1, \dots, a_n) \mid \heartsuit \in \Lambda \text{ } n\text{-ary}, a_1, \dots, a_n \in A\}$$

preserves finite boolean algebras, and induces

$$L^{\text{op}} : \mathbf{Set}_f \rightarrow \mathbf{Set}_f, X \mapsto \mathbf{Sp} \circ L \circ \mathcal{P}(X)$$

**Side by side.** Suppose  $(A, \alpha) = (\mathcal{P}(C), \gamma^{-1})$  comes from  $(C, \gamma)$  under duality

## Algebraic Semantics

- Structures:  $(A, \alpha) \in \mathbf{Alg}(L)$ .
- Operators:  $\llbracket \heartsuit \rrbracket : A^n \rightarrow LA$
- Semantics:  $\llbracket \heartsuit(\vec{a}) \rrbracket = \alpha \circ \llbracket \heartsuit \rrbracket(\vec{a})$

## Coalgebraic Semantics

- Structures:  $(C, \gamma) \in \mathbf{Coalg}(L^{\text{op}})$
- Operators:  $\llbracket \heartsuit \rrbracket : \mathcal{P}(C)^n \rightarrow \mathcal{P}L^{\text{op}}(C)$
- Semantics:  $\llbracket \heartsuit(\vec{p}) \rrbracket = \gamma^{-1} \circ \llbracket \heartsuit \rrbracket(\vec{p})$

**Conclusion.** Modalities for  $L^{\text{op}}$ -coalgebras are natural maps  $\mathcal{P}^n \rightarrow \mathcal{P} \circ L^{\text{op}}$ .

# Coalgebraic Semantics of Modal Logics

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**Structures** for  $T$  coalgebras determine the semantics of modal operators: they

assign a *nbhd frame translation*

or, equivalently, a *predicate lifting*

$$\llbracket M \rrbracket : TC \rightarrow \mathcal{P}\mathcal{P}(C)$$

$$\llbracket M \rrbracket : \mathcal{P}(C) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(TC)$$

to every modal operator  $M$  of the language, parametric in  $C$ .

Together with a  $T$ -coalgebra  $(C, \gamma)$  this gives a

*neighbourhood frame*

*boolean algebra with operator*

$$C \xrightarrow{\gamma} TC \xrightarrow{\llbracket M \rrbracket} \mathcal{P}\mathcal{P}(C)$$

$$\mathcal{P}(C) \xrightarrow{\llbracket M \rrbracket} \mathcal{P}(TC) \xrightarrow{\gamma^{-1}} \mathcal{P}(C)$$

Induced **Coalgebraic Semantics**  $\llbracket \phi \rrbracket \subseteq C$  of a modal formula

from a *nbhd perspective*

equivalent *predicate lifting view*

$$c \in \llbracket M\phi \rrbracket \text{ iff } \llbracket \phi \rrbracket \in \llbracket M \rrbracket \circ \gamma(\llbracket \phi \rrbracket)$$

$$c \in \llbracket M\phi \rrbracket \iff \gamma(c) \in \llbracket M \rrbracket(\llbracket \phi \rrbracket)$$

# Examples

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**Neighbourhood Frames**, i.e. coalgebras  $C \rightarrow \mathcal{P}\mathcal{P}(C)$

$$\llbracket \square \rrbracket = \text{id} : \underbrace{\mathcal{P}\mathcal{P}(C)}_{TC} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}\mathcal{P}(C)$$

(identical nbhd frame translation)

**Kripke Frames**, i.e. coalgebras  $C \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(C)$

*viewed as neighbourhood frames*

*via boolean algebras with operators*

$$\begin{aligned} \llbracket \square \rrbracket : \underbrace{\mathcal{P}(C)}_{TC} &\rightarrow \mathcal{P}\mathcal{P}(C) \\ c &\mapsto \{c' : c' \supseteq c\} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \llbracket \square \rrbracket : \mathcal{P}(C) &\rightarrow \mathcal{P}\underbrace{\mathcal{P}(C)}_{TC} \\ c &\mapsto \{c' : c' \subseteq c\} \end{aligned}$$

**Probabilistic Transition Systems**, i.e. coalgebras  $C \rightarrow \mathcal{D}C$

$$\begin{aligned} \llbracket L_p \rrbracket : \mathcal{P}(C) &\rightarrow \mathcal{P}\underbrace{\mathcal{D}(C)}_{TC} && \text{(algebraic perspective)} \\ c &\mapsto \{\mu : C \rightarrow [0, 1] : \mu(c) \geq p\} \end{aligned}$$

# Axiomatisation of Coalgebraic Logics

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**What Axioms?** are needed to have  $\phi = \top \iff \llbracket \phi \rrbracket_{(C, \gamma)} = 1$  for all  $(C, \gamma)$ ?

**Crucial.** model class that furnishes the structures, here *all* of  $\text{Coalg}(T)$

- *one-step axioms* completely describe *one-step behaviour*  $C \rightarrow TC$ .
- in analogy to  $\text{Alg}(F) \cong \text{Alg}(\Sigma, E)$  for  $E$  “very simple” and  $F : \text{Set} \rightarrow \text{Set}$

**One-step axioms.** Propositional formulas over  $\heartsuit(\vec{\phi})$  where  $\vec{\phi}$  are propositional formulas over  $V$ .

**Example.** Kripke Frames  $C \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(C)$  with  $\llbracket \Box \rrbracket_X(A) = \{B \in \mathcal{P}(X) \mid B \subseteq A\}$

$$\Box(p \wedge q) \leftrightarrow \Box p \wedge \Box q \qquad \Box \top \leftrightarrow \top$$

**Frame Conditions** encode models with specific properties:

$$\boxed{\text{Coalgebraic Logics}} = \boxed{\text{One-Step Axioms}} + \boxed{\text{Frame Conditions}}$$

# Algebraic Semantics of Modal Logics

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**Starting Point.** Complete Axiomatisation  $\mathcal{L} = (\Lambda, \mathcal{A})$  of  $\text{Coalg}(T)$

- $T : \text{Set} \rightarrow \text{Set}$  and interpretations  $[[\heartsuit]] : \mathcal{P}^n \rightarrow \mathcal{P} \circ T$  for  $\heartsuit \in \Lambda$   $n$ -ary
- one-step axioms  $\mathcal{A}$  so that  $\phi = \top \iff [[\phi]]_{\mathbb{C}} = 1$  for all  $\mathbb{C} \in \text{Coalg}(T)$

**Goal.** Extend  $\mathcal{A}$  with frame conditions

**Defn.** The *functorial presentation* of  $\mathcal{L}$  is the endofunctor

$$L : \text{BA} \rightarrow \text{BA}, \quad A \mapsto F(\{\heartsuit a \mid a \in A, \heartsuit \in \Lambda\}) / \sim$$

where  $\sim$  is the equivalence induced by the axioms  $\mathcal{A}$  and  $F$  is free construction.

**Observation.**  $\text{Alg}(L) \cong \Lambda\text{-BAO}(\mathcal{A})$  are the  $\Lambda$ -BAOs satisfying all axioms in  $\mathcal{A}$ .

## 3 Different Types of Semantics

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**Given** modalities  $\Lambda, T : \text{Set} \rightarrow \text{Set}$ , interpretation  $\llbracket \heartsuit \rrbracket : \mathcal{P}^n \rightarrow \mathcal{P} \circ T$ , axioms  $\mathcal{A}$

**Algebraic Semantics.** in the category  $\text{Alg}(L) \simeq \text{BAO}(\Lambda, \mathcal{A})$

$$\llbracket \heartsuit \rrbracket_{(A, \alpha)}(a_1, \dots, a_n) = \alpha(\underbrace{\heartsuit(a_1, \dots, a_n)}_{\in LA})$$

**Synthetic Coalgebraic Semantics** in the category  $\text{Coalg}(L^*)$  for

$$L^* : \text{Set}_f \rightarrow \text{Set}_f, \quad X \mapsto \text{Sp} \circ L \circ \mathcal{P}(X)$$

$$\llbracket \heartsuit \rrbracket_X(A_1, \dots, A_n) = \underbrace{\heartsuit(A_1, \dots, A_n)}_{\in L\mathcal{P}(X) \cong \mathcal{P}L^*X}$$

**Intended Coalgebraic Semantics** in the category  $\text{Coalg}(T)$  via given  $\llbracket \heartsuit \rrbracket$

# Relating the different semantics

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**Algebraic vs Synthetic.**  $\text{Alg}(L)_f \simeq \text{Coalg}(L^*)_f$  preserving semantics.

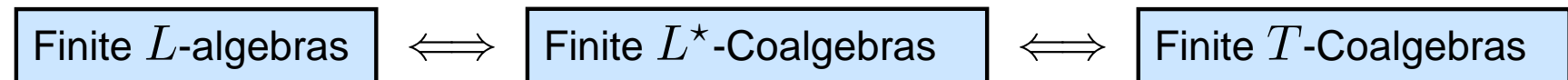
**Synthetic vs Coalgebraic.** Semantically equivalent, i.e.

For every  $L^*$ -coalgebra  $\mathbf{C}$  there exists a  $T$ -coalgebra  $\mathbf{D}$  with the same carrier s.t.

$$c \models_{\mathbf{C}} \phi \iff c \models_{\mathbf{D}} \phi$$

for all modal formulas  $\phi$ , and vice versa (assuming completeness for  $T$ ).

**Corollary.** For frame conditions *over finitely many modalities* in addition to rank-1 axioms:



(use proof-theoretic wizardry, aka cut elimination, for infinitely many modalities)

# The Finite Algebra Property

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**Take 2.** Roll your own.

**Thm.** If the modal rank of all  $\phi \in \Theta$  is  $\leq 1$  then  $\mathcal{L}$  has the finite algebra property.

**General Axioms.** On a case-by-case basis.

# Applications: Logics of Knowledge and Uncertainty

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**Semantics.** Coalgebras for the functor

$$TX = \prod_{i \in N} \mathcal{D}(X) \times \mathcal{P}(X)$$

**Interpretation.**

$$\llbracket K_i \rrbracket_X(A) = \{(\mu_i, S_i)_{i \in N} \mid S_i \subseteq A\}$$

$$\llbracket L_p^i \rrbracket_X(A) = \{(\mu_i, S_i)_{i \in N} \mid \sum_{x \in A} \mu_i(x) \geq p\}.$$

**Axiomatisation.** Axioms for  $K$  and  $L_p$  plus a subset of

$$\begin{array}{ll} (4) & K_i K_i p \rightarrow K_i p \\ (5) & K_i^* p \rightarrow K_i K_i^* p \\ (B) & p \rightarrow K_i K_i^* p \\ (C) & K_i p \rightarrow L_1^i p \\ (U) & p \rightarrow L_1^i p \\ (S) & p \rightarrow K_i p \end{array}$$

**Thm.** The logic of uncertainty and knowledge, augmented with any subset of the above frame conditions, is complete.

# Applications: Extensions of Coalition Logic

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**Semantics.** Coalgebras for the game-frame functor

$$TX = \{(S_1, \dots, S_n, f) \mid \emptyset \neq S_i \in \text{Set}, f : \prod_{i \in N} S_i \rightarrow X\}.$$

**Interpretation.**

$$\llbracket [C] \rrbracket_X(A) = \{(S_1, \dots, S_n, f) \in TX \mid \exists \sigma_C \in S_C. \forall \sigma_{\bar{C}} \in S_{\bar{C}}. f(\sigma_C, \sigma_{\bar{C}}) \in A\}.$$

**Axiomatisation.** Axioms of Coalition Logic plus possibly

$$\begin{array}{ll} (C) & [C]\phi \rightarrow \phi \\ (F) & [C]\phi \rightarrow [C][C]\phi \\ (P) & \phi \rightarrow [C]\phi \end{array}$$

**Thm.** Coalition Logic, extended with any subset of the frame conditions above, is complete up to the fmp.

# Summary

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## Coalgebraic Logics

- specialise to the logic of many types of systems studied in CS
- nearly always presented in set theoretic context

## Algebraic Semantics

- helps answer questions about coalgebraic logics (completeness)
- BUT: had to do most algebra ourselves!

## Current Work

- Bye bye, categories: decidability and complexity bounds
- Hello, categories: logics for bialgebras

# Deleted Slides

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**Defn.** Suppose  $\Delta$  is closed under negation and  $\mathcal{M} = \{\Phi \subseteq \Delta \mid \Phi \text{ max. cons.}\}$ .

A  $\Delta$ -filtration is an algebra structure  $\mathbb{F} = (\mathcal{P}(\mathcal{M}), (f_M)_{M \in \Lambda})$  on  $\mathcal{P}(\mathcal{M})$  with

$$f_M(\{\Phi \in \mathcal{M} \mid \phi \in \Phi\}) = \{\Phi \in \mathcal{M} \mid M\phi \in \Phi\}$$

whenever  $M\phi \in \Delta$ . The filtration  $\mathbb{F}$  is *safe* for  $\phi$  if  $\mathbb{F} \models \phi = \top$ .

**Note.** Existence of safe  $\mathcal{A} \cup \Theta$ -filtrations imply the finite algebra property.

# Generic Results: Standard Filtrations

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**Defn.** For  $\Delta$  closed, finite and  $\mathcal{M} = \{\Phi \subseteq \Delta \mid \Phi \text{ max. cons.}\}$ , let

$$f_M(A) = \{\Phi \in \mathcal{M} \mid \nu(\Phi) \vdash M(\bigvee_{\Psi \in A} \bigwedge \Psi)\}$$

where  $\nu(\Phi)$  is a fixed maximally consistent extension of  $\Phi$ .

**Filtration Lemma.** The standard filtration (above) is safe for  $\mathcal{A} \cup \Theta$  provided the modal rank of all  $\phi \in \Theta$  is  $\leq 1$ .

**Corollary.** All logics with frame conditions of rank  $\leq 1$  have the finite modal property.

## Examples.

- Conservative Coalitions: coalition logic plus  $[C]\phi \rightarrow \phi$
- Known facts are extremely likely: probabilistic  $K$  plus  $\Box\phi \rightarrow L_1\phi$

## Variations: Frame Conditions of rank $\geq 2$

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**Symmetry.**  $\phi \rightarrow MM^*\phi$  ( $M^* = \neg M \neg$ )

$$f_M^B(A) = \{\Psi \in f_M(A) \mid \forall \Phi \in \mathcal{M}(\Phi \rightsquigarrow_M \Psi \Rightarrow \Psi \in A)\}$$

where  $\Phi \rightsquigarrow \Psi$  iff  $\nu(\Phi) \vdash M^* \wedge \Psi$ .

**Euclidean-ness.**  $M^*\phi \rightarrow MM^*\phi$

$$f_M^5(A) = \{\Psi \in f_M(A) \mid \forall \Phi \in \mathcal{M}(\Phi \rightsquigarrow_M \Psi \Rightarrow \Phi \in A)\}$$

where  $\Phi \rightsquigarrow_M \Psi$  iff there are  $\Omega_0, \dots, \Omega_n$  such that

- $\Omega_0 \rightsquigarrow_M \Phi$  and  $\Omega_n \rightsquigarrow_M \Psi$
- $\Omega_i \rightsquigarrow_M \Omega_{i-1}$  or  $\Omega_{i-1} \rightsquigarrow_M \Omega_i$  for all  $i = 1, \dots, n$ .

**Generalised Transitivity.**  $M\phi \rightarrow MM\phi$

$$f_M^{\bullet 4}(A) = \text{gfp}(X \mapsto f_M^\bullet(A) \cap f_M^\bullet(X))$$