Hand-in 2 Course: Seminar Logic - Categorical Logic

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This hand-in consists of three exercises.

Exercise 1. (5 points) Let M be an interpretation of some language $\mathcal{L}(S)$ of signature S. Then for t_1, t_2 terms of type Y with free variables among $\overline{z} : \overline{Z}$ we have that $\{\overline{z}|t_1 = t_2\}^{(M)}$ is represented by the equalizer of

$$\overline{Z}^{(M)} \xrightarrow[t_2^{(M)}]{t_2^{(M)}} Y^{(M)}$$

Show that more generally for $\overline{t_1} = (t_{1,1}, t_{1,2}, ..., t_{1,n}), \overline{t_2} = (t_{2,1}, t_{2,2}, ..., t_{2,n})$ finite tupples of terms with free variables among $\overline{z} : \overline{Z}$ such that $t_{i,j}$ is of type Y_j that $\{\overline{z} | \overline{t_1} = \overline{t_2}\}^{(M)}$ is represented by the equalizer of

$$\overline{Z}^{(M)} \xrightarrow[\langle t_{1,1}^{(M)}, \dots, t_{1,n}^{(M)} \rangle]{\langle t_{2,1}^{(M)}, \dots, t_{2,n}^{(M)} \rangle} \overline{Y}^{(M)}$$

Here $\overline{t_1} = \overline{t_2}$ stands for $\bigwedge_i^n (t_{1,i} = t_{2,i})$ and $\overline{Y}^{(M)} = Y_1^{(M)} \times Y_2^{(M)} \times \ldots \times Y_n^{(M)}$.

Exercise 2. (3 + 7 points) Let T be a theory and M a model of T. Prove the following:

a. Let $p(\overline{z}), q(\overline{z})$ be formulas with free variables among $\overline{z} : \overline{Z}$. Then we have

$$\{\overline{z}|p(\overline{z}) \land q(\overline{z})\}^{(M)} \le \{\overline{z}|p(\overline{z})\}^{(M)}$$

b. Let now $p(\overline{x}, y)$ be a formula with free variables among $\overline{x} : \overline{X}$ and y : Y. Let also q(y), r(y) be formulas with as free variables y or none such that the sequent $q(y) \Rightarrow r(y)$ is in T. Then we have

$$\{\overline{x}|\exists y(p(\overline{x},y) \land q(y))\}^{(M)} \le \{\overline{x}|\exists y(p(\overline{x},y) \land r(y))\}^{(M)}$$

Exercise 3. (Exercise E.4, 5 points) Prove the following statement which was used in the proof of Lemma 5.1: For an arrow $f: X \to Y$ a monomorphism m representing the subobject graph(f) is an equalizer of the two parallel arrows $f \circ \pi_1, \pi_2: X \times Y \rightrightarrows Y$.