

Second Order Logic with Henkin's Semantics

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General Structures

Let Π be the most famous set of axioms in the world; namely,

- $1P := \forall x \neg c = \sigma x$
- $2P := \forall xy (\sigma x = \sigma y \rightarrow x = y)$
- $3P := \forall X (Xc \wedge \forall z (Xz \rightarrow X\sigma z) \rightarrow \forall x Xx)$

We will say that a model of these axioms is a *Peano model*.

Let

$$PA^2 = CON(\Pi) = \{\varphi \in SENT(L_2) \mid \Pi \models \varphi\}$$

- **Theorem:** Any two Peano models are isomorphic
- **Corollary:** $PA^2 = THEO(\mathcal{N})$

- **Theorem: Incompleteness of Peano Arithmetic**

There is a sentence γ such that $\gamma \in \text{THEO}(\mathcal{N})$ but it is not the case that $PA^2 \vdash_{CAL} \gamma$ in any second order calculus.

- **Note:** The formula γ is the well known Gödel formula asserting of itself that it is not a theorem of Peano arithmetic.
 - 1 It is in fact not a theorem of PA^2
 - 2 It holds in the standard model of natural numbers, $\mathcal{N}$.

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 - ② In fact, it coincides with the set of sentences derivable in a calculus which is a simple extension of the first order one.

- Two different logics (the set of validities differs)
- What kind of structures do we want to talk about?
 - ① Standard view: the same than in FOL, just one universe. Quantification over sets in SOL is just a device to gain expressiveness
 - ② Non-standard view: heterogeneous structures. In standard interpretation we do not have enough structures.
- The concept of a subset
 - ① Standard: taken from set theory
 - ② Non-standard: is explicitly given
- *The little mermaid*

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When defining the standard semantics it was tied to ZFC Zermelo Fraenkel set theory and the higher order reasoning was hidden. We change to non-standard semantics and obtain completeness.

- You can not have both
 - ① expressive power
 - ② good logical properties
- Little mermaid
 - ① she got two beautiful legs
 - ② she lost he voice