

## On the Equivalence Between the Calculi $MC^\nu$ and $EC^{\nu+1}$ of A. Bressan

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### *Part I General interpretations for the modal language $ML^\nu$*

**1 Introduction** The modal calculus  $MC^\nu$  (based on the language  $ML^\nu$ ) and the extensional calculus  $EC^{\nu+1}$  (based on  $EL^{\nu+1}$ ) are presented and investigated in [2]; and in Section 15 of that work the translation  $\Delta \rightarrow \Delta^n$  of  $ML^\nu$  into  $EL^{\nu+1}$  is defined (on the basis of the semantical rules for  $ML^\nu$ ). The main result concerning the function  $\eta$  is proved (syntactically) in [2] (Theorem 63.1). The theorem asserts that, for a suitable version of  $MC^\nu$ ,

$$(1.1) \quad \frac{}{MC^\nu} p \text{ iff } \frac{}{EC^{\nu+1}} p^n, \text{ for every formula } p \text{ of } ML^\nu.$$

Obviously, the only relevant part of (1.1) is the implication from right to left, since its converse is the very goal aimed at in defining  $\eta$ .

Now, in [8]  $MC^\nu$  is proved to be complete with respect to general  $ML^\nu$ -interpretations (cf. Section 3) and an analogous result for  $EC^{\nu+1}$  can be easily achieved by adapting the proof of Theorem 2 in [4]. Therefore (1.1) is a trivial consequence of

$$(1.2) \quad \frac{g}{MC^\nu} p \text{ iff } \frac{g}{EC^{\nu+1}} p^n, \text{ for every formula } p \text{ of } ML^\nu,$$

where  $\frac{g}{MC^\nu} p$  [ $\frac{g}{EC^{\nu+1}} p^n$ ] expresses that  $p$  [ $p^n$ ] is true in every general model of the considered version of  $MC^\nu$  [ $EC^{\nu+1}$ ].

In this work the structures of the general interpretations for  $ML^\nu$  and

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