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THE PRODUCT OF IMPLICATION AND COUNTER-IMPLICATION SYSTEMS

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1. Introduction.* Rasiowa has obtained in [1] a finite axiomatization of the product system of "implication" and "equivalence". In this paper, we show that the logic system based on the single binary connective \bigcirc with the logical matrix

0	1	2	3	4
*1	1	1	3	3
2	2	1	4	3
3	1	1	1	1
4	2	1	2	1

that is the product connective of implication (C) and counter-implication (\mathcal{I}) is finitely axiomatizable. The axiom and the rules of inference have been obtained by combining the axioms and the rules of inference of the complete axiomatizations of the implication system (C-system) and of the counter-implication system (\mathcal{I} -system).

2. Preliminary definitions. In these definitions Δ and Δ_1 are arbitrary binary connectives.

2.1. \triangle -formulas. \triangle -formulas are defined recursively as follows:

i) a sentential variable, a small Roman letter, is a Δ -formula;

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