

THE PROPOSITIONAL CALCULUS MC AND ITS MODAL ANALOG

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In [5], Łukasiewicz sets down a system for which the matrix

p	Np	C	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	K	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	A	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	1
0	1	0	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	0	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	0	0	0	0
$\frac{1}{2}$	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	0	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$
1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	1

(with 0 as designated value) is characteristic. This system is formed by adding to the intuitionist propositional calculus (IC) the axiom

$$CCNpqCCCqppq \tag{1};$$

he notes that Apq may be defined in this system by the formula

$$KCCpqqCCqpp \tag{2}.$$

This definition is, of course, "characteristic" of Dummett's system LC [1] in the sense that its addition to IC yields LC. In the present section of this paper, we shall propose a definition of Apq "stronger" than that above, and will show that it is characteristic of a system—which we call MC—equivalent to that of Łukasiewicz [5]. In the latter part of this paper we shall investigate the Lewis-modal system analogous to MC.

We shall call MC the system formulable by adding to IC the definition

$$Apq \text{ for } KCNpqCCqpp \tag{3}.$$

Alternate formulations are available; if we add to IC the axiom

$$ACpqCNNqp \tag{4}$$

or

$$ACpqCCNqpp \tag{5}$$

or, finally

$$ANpAqCqp \tag{6}$$

the result will be MC. For the moment, let us call IC + (4) MC', and

IC + (5) **MC'**. It may be shown without much trouble that (6) implies (4) in **IC** and that (4) implies (6) in the system **KC**. By

$$\mathbf{IC} \quad \quad \quad CCNNqpCqp \quad \quad \quad (7)$$

$$\mathbf{IC} \quad \quad \quad CCpqCAr\bar{p}Arq \quad \quad \quad (8)$$

$$(4), (7), (8) \quad \quad \quad ACpqCqp \quad \quad \quad (9)$$

MC' contains **LC**, and so **KC**; **IC** + (4), then, is equivalent to **IC** + (6). And further:

$$\mathbf{KC} \quad \quad \quad CCNNqpANqp \quad \quad \quad (10)$$

$$\mathbf{IC} \quad \quad \quad CANqpCCNqpp \quad \quad \quad (11)$$

$$(10), (11), \text{ syl} \quad \quad \quad CCNNqpCCNqpp \quad \quad \quad (12)$$

$$(4), (8), (12) \quad \quad \quad ACpqCCNqpp \quad \quad \quad (13)$$

Since (13) is formula (5), the system **MC'** contains **MC''**; conversely:

$$\mathbf{IC} \quad \quad \quad CCCNqppCNNqp \quad \quad \quad (14)$$

$$(5), (8), (14) \quad \quad \quad ACpqCNNqp \quad \quad \quad (15)$$

With (15) provable in **MC''**, **MC'** is included in **MC''**, and the two systems are equivalent. Let us now assume system **MC''**:

$$\text{Hyp} \quad \quad \quad CNqp \quad \quad \quad (16)$$

$$\text{Hyp} \quad \quad \quad CCpqq \quad \quad \quad (17)$$

$$\mathbf{IC} \quad \quad \quad CCNqpCCCNqppp \quad \quad \quad (18)$$

$$(16), (18) \quad \quad \quad CCCNqppp \quad \quad \quad (19)$$

$$(5), (8), (19) \quad \quad \quad ACpqp \quad \quad \quad (20)$$

$$\mathbf{IC}, (20), (8), (17) \quad \quad \quad Aqp \quad \quad \quad (21)$$

From the hypotheses (16) and (17), then, we are able to prove (21) in **MC''**; thus, by the deduction theorem we have

$$CCNqpCCCNqppAqp \quad \quad \quad (22)$$

as a theorem of **MC''**; **MC''** thus contains **MC**, since $CAp\bar{q}KC\bar{N}p\bar{q}CCqpp$ holds even in **IC**. Now let us assume the system **MC**:

$$\text{Df. } A \text{ in } \mathbf{MC} \quad \quad \quad CCNp\bar{q}CCCNqppA\bar{p}q \quad \quad \quad (23)$$

$$\mathbf{IC} \quad \quad \quad CNCp\bar{q}CCNqpp \quad \quad \quad (24)$$

$$\mathbf{IC} \text{ (by syl-simp, Hilbert)} \quad \quad \quad CCCCNqppCp\bar{q}Cp\bar{q} \quad \quad \quad (25)$$

$$(23), p/Cp\bar{q}, q/CCNqpp \quad \quad \quad CCNCp\bar{q}CCNqppCCCCNqppCp\bar{q}Cp\bar{q}ACp\bar{q} \quad \quad \quad (26)$$

$$\quad \quad \quad CCNqpp \quad \quad \quad (26)$$

$$(26), (24), (25) \quad \quad \quad ACp\bar{q}CCNqpp \quad \quad \quad (27)$$

Since (27) is the special axiom of **MC''**, **MC** contains **MC''**, and we have the three formulations, **MC**, **MC'**, and **MC''** as equivalent.

That **MC** is included in the system of Łukasiewicz [5] may be seen by noting that all **MC** theses will be validated by the earlier-stated three-valued matrix; that the system of [5] is included in **MC** is shown as follows:

$$\mathbf{IC} \quad \quad \quad CCCqppCCq\bar{p}CCNpqq \quad \quad \quad (28)$$

$$\mathbf{IC} \quad \quad \quad CAp\bar{q}CCqrCCprr \quad \quad \quad (29)$$

$$(29), p/Cq\bar{p} \quad q/CCNpqq \quad \quad \quad CACq\bar{p}CCNpqqCCCCNpqqCCNpqqCCCq\bar{p} \quad \quad \quad (30)$$

$$r/CCNpqq \quad \quad \quad CCNpqqCCNpqq \quad \quad \quad (30)$$

(30), (5), Cp	$CCCqpCCNpqqCCNpqq$	(31)
(28), (31), IC	$CCCqpqCCNpqq$	(32)
(32), IC	$CCNpqCCCqpq$	(33)

But (33) is the axiom of the system of [5], which is then equivalent to **MC**.

The Modal Analog of **MC** In [1], Dummett and Lemmon introduce the modal systems **S4.2** and **S4.3** as analogs, respectively, of the systems **KC** and **LC**; these systems are related in the same way that **S4** is related to **IC** as was shown by McKinsey and Tarski [3]. The translation of [3] by which these systems are related requires that in a formula of **IC** or one of its extensions we replace each variable— p, q, \dots —by Lp, Lq, \dots ; that we replace each sign of implication C by LC . The resulting formula will be a theorem of the respective modal analog if and only if the original formula was a theorem of **IC** or the one of its extensions under consideration.

Clearly, we can do the same for **MC**; if we use (4) as our axiom for **MC**, the modal logic in which we are interested will be the one formulable by adjoining to **S4** the axiom

$$ALCLpLqLCLNLNLqLp \quad (34).$$

We shall call the system thus formed **S4.3.2**. (34) would do as an axiom for **S4.3.2**, but it is possible to formulate the system more neatly; the axiom we suggest is

$$ALCLpqCMLqp \quad (35).$$

We now will show that **S4** plus (35) is equivalent to **S4** plus (34). Assuming first of all formula (35):

(35), $p/Lp, q/Lq, S4$	$ALCLpLqCMMMLqLLp$	(36)
$S4$	$CCMpLqLCpq$	(37)
(36), (37)	$ALCLpLqLCMLqLp$	(38)
(38), $S4, Df. M$	$ALCLpLqLCLNLNLqLp$	(39)

S4 plus (35), then, contains **S4.3.2**; let us now assume **S4.3.2**, that is, **S4** plus (34):

$S4$	$CLqLMLq$	(40)
(34), (40), $S4$	$ALCLpLqLCLqLp$	(41);

formula (41) plus **S4** yields **S4.3**. **S4.3.2** thus contains **S4.3**, and so **S4.2**:

(34), $S4.2, Df. M$	$ALCLpLqLCMLqLp$	(42)
(42), $S4$	$ALCLpqCMLqp$	(43).

Since (43) is formula (35), **S4** plus (35) is equivalent to **S4.3.2**.

In [4], Sobociński introduces the system **S4.4**, which is formulated by adjoining to **S4** the axiom

$$CpCMLpLp \quad (44).$$

On p. 307 of [4], as formula *Z7*, Sobociński has

$$LCNpCMKLqrLCLpq \tag{45}.$$

(I have here corrected an obvious typographical error in Z7: there should be an *L*, as in (45) as the fifth last character of the formula (45) is, as is shown in [4], a theorem of S4.4.

- (45), S4 CMKLqrCNpLCLpq (46)
- S4 LCLqCrKLqr (47)
- (47), S4 CMLqMCrKLqr (48)
- (48), S4 CMLqCLrMKLqr (49)
- (49), (46), PC CMLqCLrCNpLCLpq (50)
- (50), PC CLrCKMLqNpLCLpq (51)
- (51), *r/Cp*, S4 ACMLq

LCLpq (52)

Since (52), then, is a theorem of S4.4, S4.3.2 is contained in S4.4.

In [2] it is shown that the formula

$$CLCLCpLpLpCMLpLp \tag{53}$$

is independent of S4.3; in [4] Sobociński shows that S4.4 contains (53). The system S4.3.1—which is the result of adding (53) to S4.3—is then contained in S4.4, but is not contained in S4.3; furthermore, Sobociński supplies us with a matrix which shows that S4.3.1 is *properly* contained in S4.4. Since (53) is an S4.4 thesis, and since we have already shown that S4.3.2 is contained in S4.4, the system which is the result of adding (53) to S4.3.2 will also be contained in S4.4. Let us now assume S4.3.2 and (53):

- (35), PC CNpCMLqLCLpq (54)
- (54), *p/CpLp*, *q/Lp*, S4 CNCpLpCMLpLCLCpLpLp (55)
- (53), (55), PC CNCpLpCMLpCMLpLp (56)
- (56), PC ACpLpCMLpLp (57)
- (57), PC CpCMLpLp (58)

Formula (58) is the axiom for S4.4; the result of adding (53) to S4.3.2, then, is precisely S4.4.

Sobociński uses the following matrix:

<i>p</i>	1*	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Lp</i>	1	6	8	8	5	6	8	8
<i>Mp</i>	1	1	3	4	1	1	3	8

to show that S4.3.1 is properly contained in S4.4; as he points out, it validates S4.3 and (53), but fails to validate S4.4. This matrix will also show that S4.3.2 is contained neither in S4.3 nor in S4.3.1; when *p*=5 and *q*=2 or 6, *ALCLpqCMLq* takes the value 5; since we earlier showed that S4.3 is contained in S4.3.2, this means that it is properly so contained. On the other hand, the matrix

<i>p</i>	1*	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Lp</i>	1	8	7	8	7	8	7	8
<i>Mp</i>	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	8

validates S4.3.2, but fails to do so for both (53) and *CpCMLpLp*—at, say,

$p=3$ for both formulas. Thus S4.3.2 is properly contained in S4.4, and is neither contained in nor does it contain S4.3.1.

We may summarize the discussion of S4.3.2 and its position among the modal systems between S4 and S5 by reproducing an updated version of the diagram of relations between these systems appearing in [4]; first of all, note the formulas:

$$CMLpLMp \tag{59}$$

$$CLCLCpLppCMLpp \tag{60}$$

$$ALpALCpqLCpNq \tag{61};$$

the systems appearing in the diagram below are formulated as follows:

$$(S5;V1) = S5 + (61)$$

$$S4.4 = S4 + (44)$$

$$= S4.3.2 + (53)$$

$$V1 = S4 + (61)$$

$$S4.3.2 = S4 + (35)$$

$$S4.3.1 = S4.3 + (53)$$

$$S4.3 = S4 + (41)$$

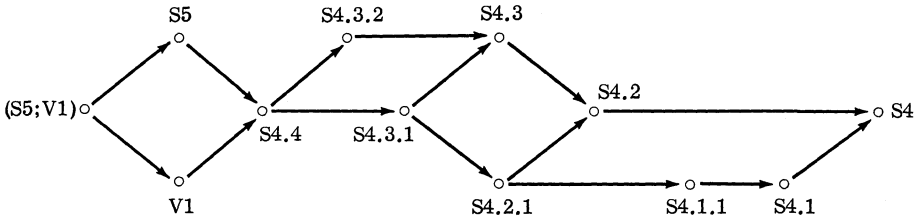
$$S4.2.1 = S4.2 + (53)$$

$$S4.2 = S4 + (59)$$

$$S4.1.1 = S4 + (53)$$

$$S4.1 = S4 + (60)$$

The diagram of relationships, including S4.3.2, the analog of MC, is as follows.



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