

Refuting Incompleteness and Undefinability Version(15)

When we understand that analytical truth is nothing more than the conclusion of sound deductive inference, and we assume the (Haskell Curry) notion of a formal system and its axioms:

The construction of a theory begins by specifying a definite non-empty conceptual class E the elements of which are called statements. ... The elementary statements which belong to T are called the elementary theorems of T and said to be true.

(Haskell Curry, Foundations of Mathematical Logic, 2010)

We can specify and analyze analytical Truth directly within the formal system with no need for model theory. Within (Haskell Curry) the ultimate basis for truth is simply expressions of language having their Boolean property assigned the semantic value of true, AKA axioms specified in the language.

Since we already know that valid deductive inference is truth preserving, then we can also understand that the theorems of any (Haskell Curry) formal system must also be true. By assuming these (Haskell Curry) notions we can complete the RHS of Tarski's formal correctness: $\forall x \text{ True}(x) \leftrightarrow \phi(x)$ with this expression: $\forall x \text{ True}(x) \leftrightarrow \vdash x$.

Now that we have defined a universal Truth predicate, we can finally evaluate the formalized Liar Paradox much more effectively. "This sentence is not true." is formalized as: $\text{LP} \leftrightarrow \sim \vdash \text{LP}$.

When the Liar Paradox asserts that it is not a theorem this assertion can only be true when it is a theorem, thus proving that the Liar Paradox is self-contradictory.

Since we have unified the formal proof of theorems with sound deductive inference we can see that a self-contradictory expressions of language must be treated as a deduction based on contradictory premises, thus unsound and therefore not true.

Since Tarski's Undefinability proof:

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| (1) $x \notin \text{Pr} \leftrightarrow p$ | // $p \leftrightarrow \sim \text{Provable}(x)$ |
| (2) $x \in \text{Tr} \leftrightarrow p$ | // $p \leftrightarrow \text{True}(x)$ |
| (3) $x \notin \text{Pr} \leftrightarrow x \in \text{Tr}$ | // $\sim \text{Provable}(x) \leftrightarrow \text{True}(x)$ |
| (4) either $x \notin \text{Tr}$ or $\sim x \notin \text{Tr}$ | // $\sim \text{True}(x) \vee \sim \text{True}(\sim x)$ |
| (5) if $x \in \text{Pr}$, then $x \in \text{Tr}$ | // $\text{Provable}(x) \rightarrow \text{True}(x)$ |
| (6) if $\sim x \in \text{Pr}$, then $\sim x \in \text{Tr}$ | // $\text{Provable}(\sim x) \rightarrow \text{True}(\sim x)$ |
| (7) $x \in \text{Tr}$ | // $\text{True}(x)$ |
| (8) $x \notin \text{Pr}$ | // $\sim \text{Provable}(x)$ |
| (8a) $\sim x \notin \text{Tr}$ | // $\sim \text{True}(\sim x)$ |
| (9) $\sim x \notin \text{Pr}$ | // $\sim \text{Provable}(\sim x)$ |

Is anchored in the Liar Paradox:

THEOREM I. (α) In whatever way the symbol 'Tr', denoting a class of expressions, is defined in the metatheory, it will be possible to derive from it the negation of one of the sentences which were described in the condition (α) of the convention T;

It would then be possible to reconstruct the antinomy of the liar in the metalanguage, by forming in the language itself a sentence x such that the sentence of the metalanguage which is correlated with x asserts that x is not a true sentence. And the Liar Paradox has been shown to be ill-formed, Tarski's proof fails at step(3).

<https://plato.stanford.edu/entries/goedel-incompleteness/>

The first incompleteness theorem states that in any consistent formal system F within which a certain amount of arithmetic can be carried out, there are **statements of the language of F** which can neither be proved nor disproved in F . (Panu Raatikainen Fall 2018)

Simplifying and formalizing above essence of the conclusion of the 1931 Incompleteness Theorem:

$\exists F \in \text{Formal_Systems} (\exists G \in \text{Language}(F) (G \leftrightarrow \sim(F \vdash G)))$

There exists an F element of Formal_Systems

There exists a G element of the Language of F

such that G is materially equivalent to a statement of its own unprovability in F .

When the above expression is shown to be unsatisfiable this proves that no such G that Kurt Gödel posits actually exists, thus refuting the essence of the conclusion of his 1931 Incompleteness Theorem.

We can see that $G \leftrightarrow \sim(F \vdash G)$ expresses the exact same thing as the formalized Liar Paradox, except in this case the results are constrained to the formal system of F .

(a) If G was provable in F this would contradict its assertion that G is not provable in F .

$\therefore G$ is not provable in F .

(b) If $\sim G$ was provable in F this would contradict its assertion that G is not not provable (thus provable) in F . **$\therefore \sim G$ is not provable in F .**

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sentence_\(mathematical_logic\)](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sentence_(mathematical_logic))

A sentence can be viewed as expressing a proposition, something that must be true or false.

Within the context of our Truth predicate $\text{True}(F, G) \leftrightarrow \text{Theorem}(F, G)$ we determine that $\sim(\text{True}(F, G) \wedge \text{True}(F, \sim G)) \leftrightarrow \text{Logic_Sentence}(F, G)$, thus G is not a **statement of the language of F** and the most elegant essence of the conclusion 1931 Incompleteness Theorem that exists in the world: (Raatikainen 2018) is refuted.

Minimal Type Theory (formal specification)

MTT is intended to be used as a universal Tarski meta-language including a meta-language to itself. Because MTT has its own provability operator: “ \vdash ” provability can be directly analyzed directly within the deductive inference model instead indirectly through diagonalization. This allows us to see exactly why an expression of language can be neither proved nor disproved, details that diagonalization cannot provide. **The symbolic logic operators retain their conventional semantic meaning.**

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%left IDENTIFIER           // Letter+ (Letter | Digit)* // Letter includes UTF-8
%left SUBSET_OF            //  $\subseteq$ 
%left ELEMENT_OF           //  $\in$ 
%left FOR_ALL              //  $\forall$ 
%left THERE_EXISTS        //  $\exists$ 
%left IMPLIES              //  $\rightarrow$ 
%left PROVES               //  $\vdash$ 
%left IFF                  //  $\leftrightarrow$ 
%left AND                  //  $\wedge$ 
%left OR                   //  $\vee$ 
%left NOT                  //  $\sim$ 
%left ASSIGN_ALIAS        // := LHS is assigned as an alias name for the RHS (macro substitution)
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sentence
: atomic_sentence
| '~' sentence %prec NOT
| '(' sentence ')'
| sentence IMPLIES sentence
| sentence IFF sentence
| sentence AND sentence
| sentence OR sentence
| quantifier IDENTIFIER sentence
| quantifier IDENTIFIER type_of IDENTIFIER sentence // Enhancement to FOL
| sentence PROVES sentence // Enhancement to FOL
| IDENTIFIER ASSIGN_ALIAS sentence // Enhancement to FOL
;

atomic_sentence
: IDENTIFIER '(' term_list ')' // ATOMIC PREDICATE
| IDENTIFIER // SENTENTIAL VARIABLE // Enhancement to FOL
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term
: IDENTIFIER '(' term_list ')' // FUNCTION
| IDENTIFIER // CONSTANT or VARIABLE
;

term_list
: term_list ',' term
| term
;

type_of
: ELEMENT_OF // Enhancement to FOL
| SUBSET_OF // Enhancement to FOL
;

quantifier
: THERE_EXISTS
| FOR_ALL
;
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