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# FUZZY LOGIC

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## About the Course

### Course Material

- *Metamathematics of Fuzzy Logic* by Petr Hájek
- available on course website:
  - Slides
  - Lecture Notes (from a previous semester)
  - Exercise Sheets

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### Exams

Oral exams at the end of the semester or during semester break

# Classical Logic

- suited for properties that are
  - identifiable,
  - distinct,
  - clear-cut.
- Examples:
  - days of the week,
  - marital status,
  - ...

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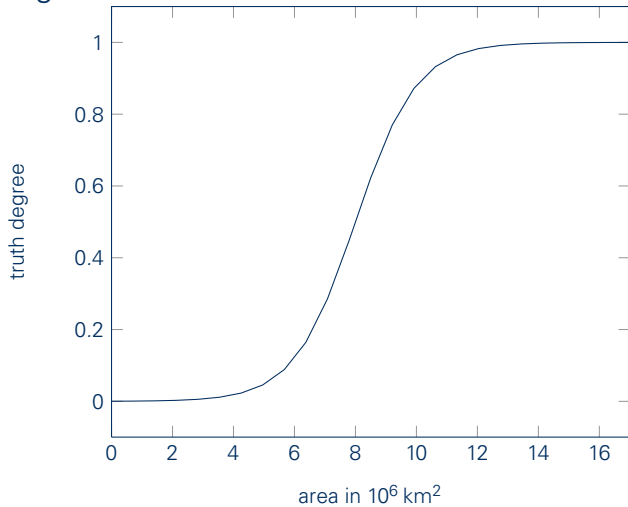
Other examples for fuzzy properties

- old
- warm
- tall
- ...



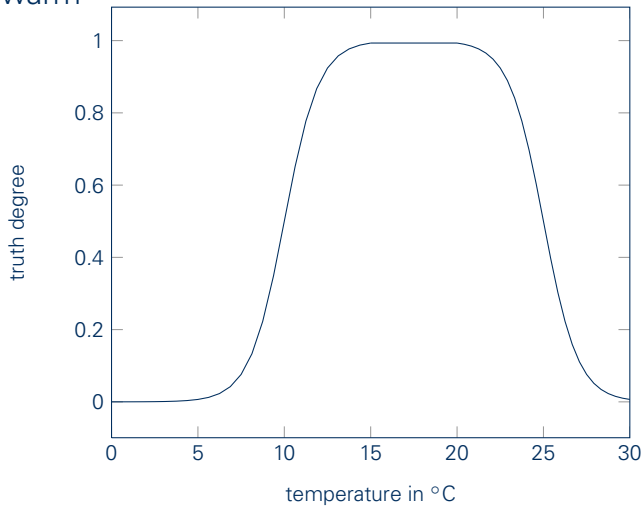
## Degrees of Membership

large



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warm





## Crisp vs. Fuzzy Logics

- Crisp Logics: Only truth values 1 and 0.  
⇒ characteristic function
- Fuzzy Logics: Truth values from the interval  $[0, 1]$ .  
⇒ membership function

# Fuzzy vs. Probabilistic Logics

Both use truth values

- Fuzzy Logics: vagueness
  - statement is neither completely true nor false
  - e.g. “The Dresden TV Tower is a tall building.”
- Probabilistic Logics: belief or uncertainty
  - statement is either true nor false, but outcome unknown
  - e.g. “Tomorrow it will rain.”

## Question

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### Possible choices

- Minimum of 0.046 and 0.969
- Product of 0.046 and 0.969
- ...

$\Rightarrow$  There is not just one fuzzy logic!

# Generalize Operators

Classical logical operators, such as

- conjunction,
- disjunction,
- negation, and
- implication

need to be generalized.

Generalizations should be

- truth functional
- “behave well” logically (e.g. conjunction should be associative, commutative, etc.)

# t-Norms

## Definition

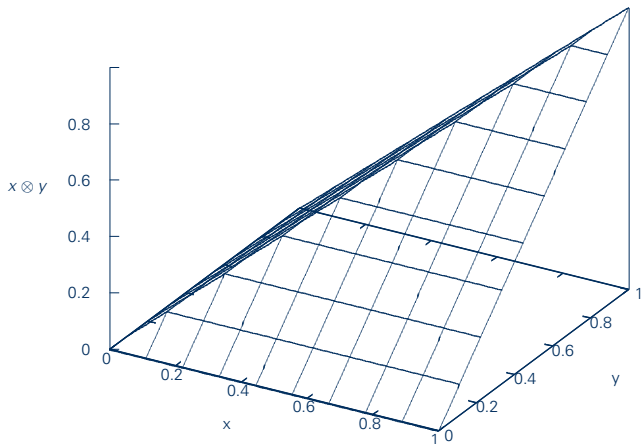
Binary operator  $\otimes: [0, 1] \times [0, 1] \rightarrow [0, 1]$

- associative,
- commutative,
- monotone, and
- has unit 1.

## Continuous t-norms

### Fundamental continuous t-norms

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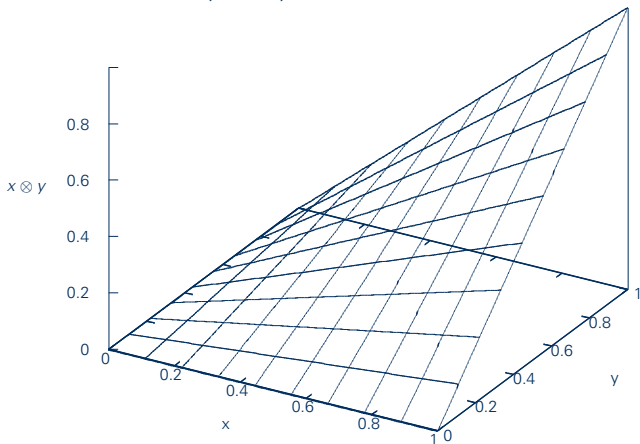


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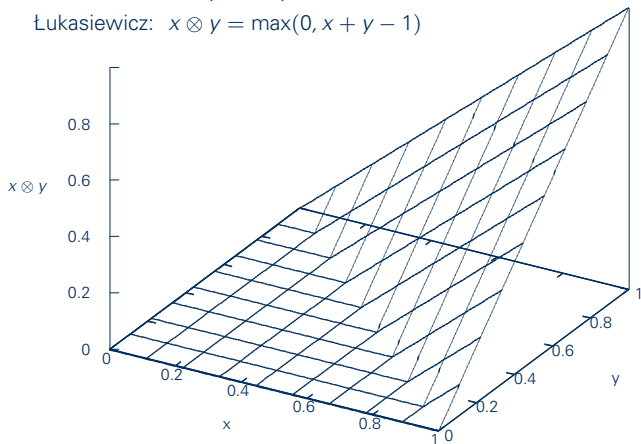
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## Truth Functions for Boolean Connectives

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conjunction ( $\&$ )	t-norm ( $\otimes$ )	associative, commutative, monotone, unit 1, (usually also continuous)
implication ( $\rightarrow$ )	?	
negation ( $\neg$ )	?	
disjunction ( $\vee$ )	?	

## Generalizing Modus Ponens

### Modus Ponens in the Crisp Case

$\phi \wedge (\phi \rightarrow \psi)$  then  $\psi$ .

### Fuzzy Generalization of Modus Ponens

$$x \otimes \underbrace{(x \Rightarrow y)}_z \leq y$$

### Residuum

Choose  $z$  maximal with this property:

$$x \Rightarrow y = \max\{z \mid x \otimes z \leq y\}$$

# Uniqueness of Residuum

## Lemma 1.2

For every continuous t-norm  $\otimes$

$$x \Rightarrow y = \max\{z \mid x \otimes z \leq y\}$$

is the unique operator satisfying

$$z \leq x \Rightarrow y \text{ iff } x \otimes z \leq y$$

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negation ( $\neg$ )	precomplement $\ominus$	$x \Rightarrow 0$
disjunction ( $\vee$ )	?	

## Ordinal Sums

### Definition

Given  $(a_i, b_i)$ ,  $i \in \mathcal{I}$  family disjoint open intervals,  $\otimes_i$ ,  $i \in \mathcal{I}$  family of t-norms

$$x \otimes y = \begin{cases} s_i^{-1}(s_i(x) \otimes_i s_i(y)) & \text{if } x, y \in (a_i, b_i) \\ \min\{x, y\} & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

where

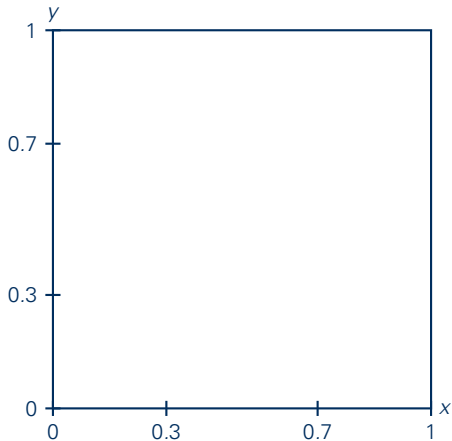
$$s_i(x) = \frac{x - a_i}{b_i - a_i}$$

is the *ordinal sum*  $\sum_{i \in \mathcal{I}} (\otimes_i, a_i, b_i)$ .

# Plots of Ordinal Sums

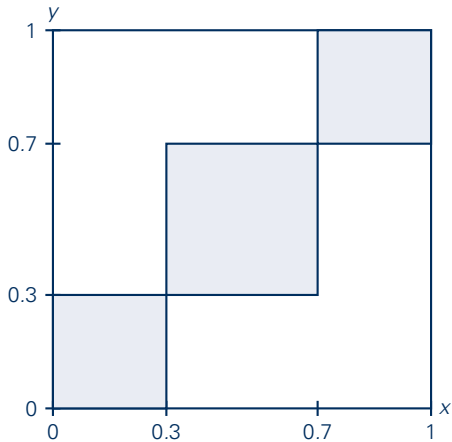


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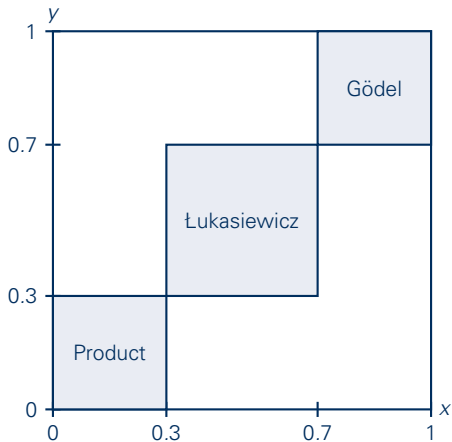




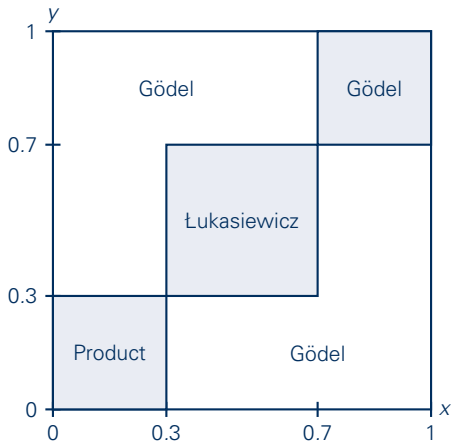
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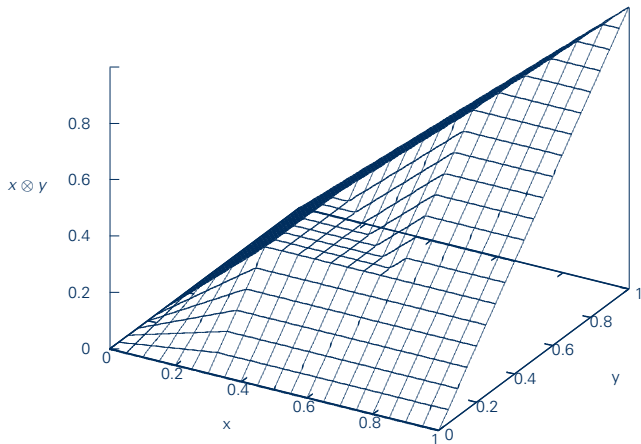
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# Isomorphisms between t-norms

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If there is  $s$  is a bijective, monotone function

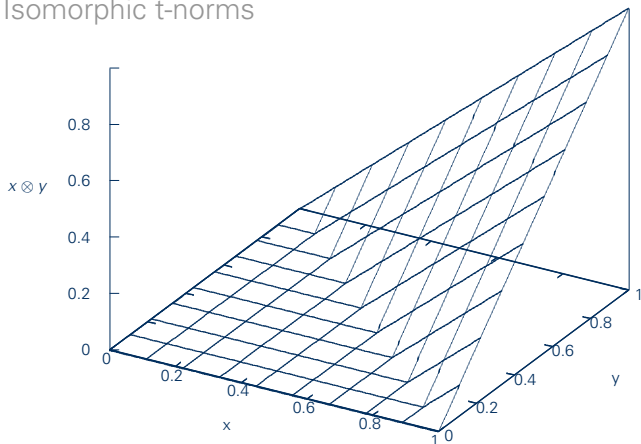
$$s: [0, 1] \rightarrow [0, 1]$$

satisfying

$$x \otimes_1 y = s^{-1}(s(x) \otimes_2 s(y))$$

then  $\otimes_1$  and  $\otimes_2$  are called *isomorphic*.

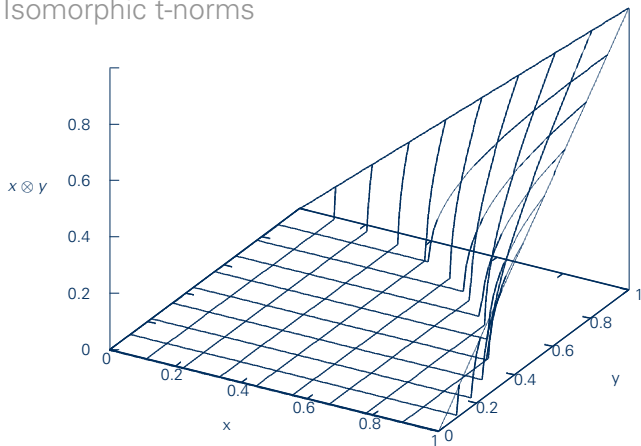
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Łukasiewicz t-norm (aka 1st Schweizer-Sklar t-norm)

$$x \otimes y = \max\{x + y - 1, 0\}$$

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2nd Schweizer-Sklar t-norm

$$x \otimes y = \sqrt{\max\{x^2 + y^2 - 1, 0\}}$$

# Basic Logic

## Syntax

$P$  countable set of propositional variables,  $\otimes$  continuous t-norm.  
Formulas of  $PC(\otimes)$  are

- $\mathbf{0}$ ,
- $p$ ,
- $f_1 \& f_2$ , and
- $f_1 \rightarrow f_2$ .

## Semantics

Valuation  $\mathcal{V}: P \rightarrow [0, 1]$

Zero

$$\mathcal{V}(\mathbf{0}) = 0,$$

Strong Conjunction

$$\mathcal{V}(\phi \& \psi) = \mathcal{V}(\phi) \otimes \mathcal{V}(\psi),$$

Implication

$$\mathcal{V}(\phi \rightarrow \psi) = \mathcal{V}(\phi) \Rightarrow \mathcal{V}(\psi).$$



# Abbreviations

Weak Conjunction

$$\phi \wedge \psi := \phi \& (\phi \rightarrow \psi),$$

Weak Disjunction

$$\phi \vee \psi := ((\phi \rightarrow \psi) \rightarrow \psi) \wedge ((\psi \rightarrow \phi) \rightarrow \phi)$$

Negation

$$\neg \phi := \phi \rightarrow \mathbf{0}$$

Equivalence

$$\phi \equiv \psi := (\phi \rightarrow \psi) \& (\psi \rightarrow \phi)$$

One

$$\mathbf{1} := \mathbf{0} \rightarrow \mathbf{0}.$$

# 1-Tautologies

Formula  $\phi$  such that

$$\mathcal{V}(\phi) = \mathbf{1}$$

for every valuation  $\mathcal{V}$ .

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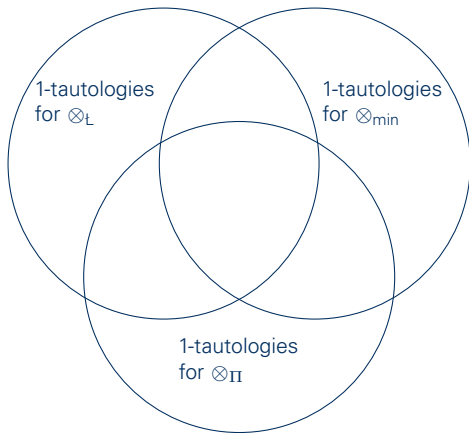
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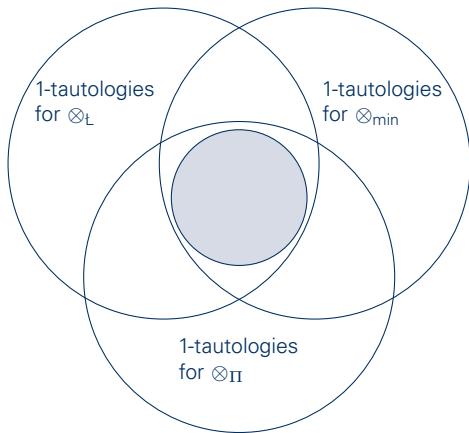
- *Gödel or Product*: Not a 1-tautology! Assume  $\mathcal{V}(\phi) = 0.5$ , then

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{V}(\neg\neg\phi \rightarrow \phi) &= \ominus \ominus \mathcal{V}(\phi) \Rightarrow \mathcal{V}(\phi) \\ &= \ominus 0 \Rightarrow \mathcal{V}(\phi) \\ &= 1 \Rightarrow 0.5 = 0.5\end{aligned}$$

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We are interested in 1-tautologies for all t-norms.

## Axioms of Basic Logic

$$(A1) \quad (\phi \rightarrow \psi) \rightarrow ((\psi \rightarrow \chi) \rightarrow (\phi \rightarrow \chi))$$

$$(A2) \quad \phi \& \psi \rightarrow \phi$$

$$(A3) \quad \phi \& \psi \rightarrow \psi \& \phi$$

$$(A4) \quad \phi \& (\phi \rightarrow \psi) \rightarrow \psi \& (\psi \rightarrow \phi)$$

$$(A5) \quad (\phi \rightarrow (\psi \rightarrow \chi)) \rightarrow (\phi \& \psi \rightarrow \chi)$$

$$(A6) \quad (\phi \& \psi \rightarrow \chi) \rightarrow (\phi \rightarrow (\psi \rightarrow \chi))$$

$$(A7) \quad ((\phi \rightarrow \psi) \rightarrow \chi) \rightarrow (((\psi \rightarrow \phi) \rightarrow \chi) \rightarrow \chi)$$

$$(A8) \quad \mathbf{0} \rightarrow \phi$$

- *Deduction Rule*: Modus Ponens



# Proofs in Basic Logic

## Instantiation

Substitution arbitrary formulae for variable names, e.g.

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## Application of Modus Ponens

$$BL \vdash \rho \& \sigma \rightarrow \sigma \& \rho$$

Instance of (A3)

$$BL \vdash (\rho \& \sigma \rightarrow \sigma \& \rho) \rightarrow ((\sigma \& \rho \rightarrow \sigma) \rightarrow (\rho \& \sigma \rightarrow \sigma))$$

Instance of (A1)

$$BL \vdash (\sigma \& \rho \rightarrow \sigma) \rightarrow (\rho \& \sigma \rightarrow \sigma)$$

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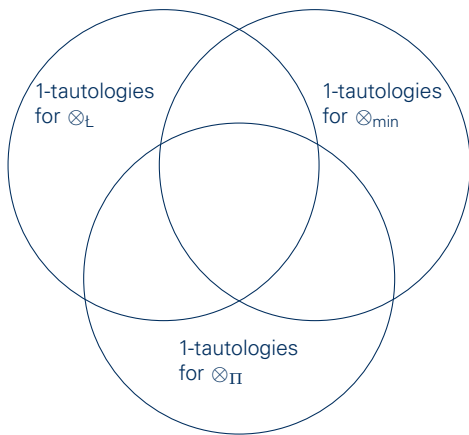
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Instance of (A2)

$$BL \vdash \rho \& \sigma \rightarrow \sigma$$

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