

# Duality in Relation Structures<sup>1</sup>

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The articles [12], [15], [16], [18], [17], [7], [8], [10], [1], [2], [6], [11], [13], [14], [3], [4], [20], [9], [5], and [19] provide the notation and terminology for this paper.

Let  $L$  be a relational structure. We introduce  $L^{\text{op}}$  as a synonym of  $L^{\sim}$ .

We now state several propositions:

- (1) For every relational structure  $L$  and for all elements  $x, y$  of  $L^{\text{op}}$  holds  $x \leq y$  iff  $\curvearrowright x \geq \curvearrowright y$ .
- (2) Let  $L$  be a relational structure,  $x$  be an element of  $L$ , and  $y$  be an element of  $L^{\text{op}}$ . Then
  - (i)  $x \leq \curvearrowright y$  iff  $x^{\sim} \geq y$ , and
  - (ii)  $x \geq \curvearrowright y$  iff  $x^{\sim} \leq y$ .
- (3) For every relational structure  $L$  holds  $L$  is empty iff  $L^{\text{op}}$  is empty.
- (4) For every relational structure  $L$  holds  $L$  is reflexive iff  $L^{\text{op}}$  is reflexive.
- (5) For every relational structure  $L$  holds  $L$  is antisymmetric iff  $L^{\text{op}}$  is antisymmetric.
- (6) For every relational structure  $L$  holds  $L$  is transitive iff  $L^{\text{op}}$  is transitive.
- (7) For every non empty relational structure  $L$  holds  $L$  is connected iff  $L^{\text{op}}$  is connected.

Let  $L$  be a reflexive relational structure. Observe that  $L^{\text{op}}$  is reflexive.

Let  $L$  be a transitive relational structure. One can verify that  $L^{\text{op}}$  is transitive.

Let  $L$  be an antisymmetric relational structure. One can check that  $L^{\text{op}}$  is antisymmetric.

Let  $L$  be a connected non empty relational structure. One can check that  $L^{\text{op}}$  is connected.

One can prove the following propositions:

- (8) Let  $L$  be a relational structure,  $x$  be an element of  $L$ , and  $X$  be a set. Then
  - (i)  $x \leq X$  iff  $x^{\sim} \geq X$ , and
  - (ii)  $x \geq X$  iff  $x^{\sim} \leq X$ .
- (9) Let  $L$  be a relational structure,  $x$  be an element of  $L^{\text{op}}$ , and  $X$  be a set. Then
  - (i)  $x \leq X$  iff  $\curvearrowright x \geq X$ , and
  - (ii)  $x \geq X$  iff  $\curvearrowright x \leq X$ .

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- (10) Let  $L$  be a relational structure and  $X$  be a set. Then  $\sup X$  exists in  $L$  if and only if  $\inf X$  exists in  $L^{\text{op}}$ .
- (11) Let  $L$  be a relational structure and  $X$  be a set. Then  $\sup X$  exists in  $L^{\text{op}}$  if and only if  $\inf X$  exists in  $L$ .
- (12) Let  $L$  be a non empty relational structure and  $X$  be a set. If  $\sup X$  exists in  $L$  or  $\inf X$  exists in  $L^{\text{op}}$ , then  $\sqcup_L X = \bigcap_{(L^{\text{op}})} X$ .
- (13) Let  $L$  be a non empty relational structure and  $X$  be a set. If  $\inf X$  exists in  $L$  or  $\sup X$  exists in  $L^{\text{op}}$ , then  $\bigcap_L X = \sqcup_{(L^{\text{op}})} X$ .
- (14) Let  $L_1, L_2$  be relational structures such that the relational structure of  $L_1 =$  the relational structure of  $L_2$  and  $L_1$  has g.l.b.'s. Then  $L_2$  has g.l.b.'s.
- (15) Let  $L_1, L_2$  be relational structures such that the relational structure of  $L_1 =$  the relational structure of  $L_2$  and  $L_1$  has l.u.b.'s. Then  $L_2$  has l.u.b.'s.
- (16) For every relational structure  $L$  holds  $L$  has g.l.b.'s iff  $L^{\text{op}}$  has l.u.b.'s.
- (17) For every non empty relational structure  $L$  holds  $L$  is complete iff  $L^{\text{op}}$  is complete.

Let  $L$  be a relational structure with g.l.b.'s. Observe that  $L^{\text{op}}$  has l.u.b.'s.

Let  $L$  be a relational structure with l.u.b.'s. Note that  $L^{\text{op}}$  has g.l.b.'s.

Let  $L$  be a complete non empty relational structure. One can check that  $L^{\text{op}}$  is complete.

One can prove the following propositions:

- (18) Let  $L$  be a non empty relational structure,  $X$  be a subset of  $L$ , and  $Y$  be a subset of  $L^{\text{op}}$ . If  $X = Y$ , then  $\text{fininfs}(X) = \text{finsups}(Y)$  and  $\text{finsups}(X) = \text{fininfs}(Y)$ .
- (19) Let  $L$  be a relational structure,  $X$  be a subset of  $L$ , and  $Y$  be a subset of  $L^{\text{op}}$ . If  $X = Y$ , then  $\downarrow X = \uparrow Y$  and  $\uparrow X = \downarrow Y$ .
- (20) Let  $L$  be a non empty relational structure,  $x$  be an element of  $L$ , and  $y$  be an element of  $L^{\text{op}}$ . If  $x = y$ , then  $\downarrow x = \uparrow y$  and  $\uparrow x = \downarrow y$ .
- (21) For every poset  $L$  with g.l.b.'s and for all elements  $x, y$  of  $L$  holds  $x \sqcap y = x \smile \sqcup y \smile$ .
- (22) For every poset  $L$  with g.l.b.'s and for all elements  $x, y$  of  $L^{\text{op}}$  holds  $\smile x \sqcap \smile y = x \sqcup y$ .
- (23) For every poset  $L$  with l.u.b.'s and for all elements  $x, y$  of  $L$  holds  $x \sqcup y = x \smile \sqcap y \smile$ .
- (24) For every poset  $L$  with l.u.b.'s and for all elements  $x, y$  of  $L^{\text{op}}$  holds  $\smile x \sqcup \smile y = x \sqcap y$ .
- (25) For every lattice  $L$  holds  $L$  is distributive iff  $L^{\text{op}}$  is distributive.

Let  $L$  be a distributive lattice. Observe that  $L^{\text{op}}$  is distributive.

The following propositions are true:

- (26) Let  $L$  be a relational structure and  $x$  be a set. Then  $x$  is a directed subset of  $L$  if and only if  $x$  is a filtered subset of  $L^{\text{op}}$ .
- (27) Let  $L$  be a relational structure and  $x$  be a set. Then  $x$  is a directed subset of  $L^{\text{op}}$  if and only if  $x$  is a filtered subset of  $L$ .
- (28) Let  $L$  be a relational structure and  $x$  be a set. Then  $x$  is a lower subset of  $L$  if and only if  $x$  is an upper subset of  $L^{\text{op}}$ .
- (29) Let  $L$  be a relational structure and  $x$  be a set. Then  $x$  is a lower subset of  $L^{\text{op}}$  if and only if  $x$  is an upper subset of  $L$ .
- (30) For every relational structure  $L$  holds  $L$  is lower-bounded iff  $L^{\text{op}}$  is upper-bounded.

- (31) For every relational structure  $L$  holds  $L^{\text{op}}$  is lower-bounded iff  $L$  is upper-bounded.
- (32) For every relational structure  $L$  holds  $L$  is bounded iff  $L^{\text{op}}$  is bounded.
- (33) For every lower-bounded antisymmetric non empty relational structure  $L$  holds  $(\perp_L)^\smile = \top_{L^{\text{op}}}$  and  $\smile(\top_{L^{\text{op}}}) = \perp_L$ .
- (34) For every upper-bounded antisymmetric non empty relational structure  $L$  holds  $(\top_L)^\smile = \perp_{L^{\text{op}}}$  and  $\smile(\perp_{L^{\text{op}}}) = \top_L$ .
- (35) Let  $L$  be a bounded lattice and  $x, y$  be elements of  $L$ . Then  $y$  is a complement of  $x$  if and only if  $y^\smile$  is a complement of  $x^\smile$ .
- (36) For every bounded lattice  $L$  holds  $L$  is complemented iff  $L^{\text{op}}$  is complemented.

Let  $L$  be a lower-bounded relational structure. Observe that  $L^{\text{op}}$  is upper-bounded.

Let  $L$  be an upper-bounded relational structure. Observe that  $L^{\text{op}}$  is lower-bounded.

Let  $L$  be a complemented bounded lattice. Note that  $L^{\text{op}}$  is complemented.

The following proposition is true

- (37) For every Boolean lattice  $L$  and for every element  $x$  of  $L$  holds  $\neg(x^\smile) = \neg x$ .

Let  $L$  be a non empty relational structure. The functor  $\neg_L$  yielding a map from  $L$  into  $L^{\text{op}}$  is defined as follows:

- (Def. 1) For every element  $x$  of  $L$  holds  $\neg_L(x) = \neg x$ .

Let  $L$  be a Boolean lattice. One can verify that  $\neg_L$  is one-to-one.

Let  $L$  be a Boolean lattice. One can check that  $\neg_L$  is isomorphic.

One can prove the following propositions:

- (38) For every Boolean lattice  $L$  holds  $L$  and  $L^{\text{op}}$  are isomorphic.
- (39) Let  $S, T$  be non empty relational structures and  $f$  be a set. Then
- (i)  $f$  is a map from  $S$  into  $T$  iff  $f$  is a map from  $S^{\text{op}}$  into  $T$ ,
  - (ii)  $f$  is a map from  $S$  into  $T$  iff  $f$  is a map from  $S$  into  $T^{\text{op}}$ , and
  - (iii)  $f$  is a map from  $S$  into  $T$  iff  $f$  is a map from  $S^{\text{op}}$  into  $T^{\text{op}}$ .
- (40) Let  $S, T$  be non empty relational structures,  $f$  be a map from  $S$  into  $T$ , and  $g$  be a map from  $S$  into  $T^{\text{op}}$  such that  $f = g$ . Then
- (i)  $f$  is monotone iff  $g$  is antitone, and
  - (ii)  $f$  is antitone iff  $g$  is monotone.
- (41) Let  $S, T$  be non empty relational structures,  $f$  be a map from  $S$  into  $T^{\text{op}}$ , and  $g$  be a map from  $S^{\text{op}}$  into  $T$  such that  $f = g$ . Then
- (i)  $f$  is monotone iff  $g$  is monotone, and
  - (ii)  $f$  is antitone iff  $g$  is antitone.
- (42) Let  $S, T$  be non empty relational structures,  $f$  be a map from  $S$  into  $T$ , and  $g$  be a map from  $S^{\text{op}}$  into  $T^{\text{op}}$  such that  $f = g$ . Then
- (i)  $f$  is monotone iff  $g$  is monotone, and
  - (ii)  $f$  is antitone iff  $g$  is antitone.
- (43) Let  $S, T$  be non empty relational structures and  $f$  be a set. Then
- (i)  $f$  is a connection between  $S$  and  $T$  iff  $f$  is a connection between  $S^\smile$  and  $T$ ,
  - (ii)  $f$  is a connection between  $S$  and  $T$  iff  $f$  is a connection between  $S$  and  $T^\smile$ , and
  - (iii)  $f$  is a connection between  $S$  and  $T$  iff  $f$  is a connection between  $S^\smile$  and  $T^\smile$ .

- (44) Let  $S, T$  be non empty posets,  $f_1$  be a map from  $S$  into  $T$ ,  $g_1$  be a map from  $T$  into  $S$ ,  $f_2$  be a map from  $S^\smile$  into  $T^\smile$ , and  $g_2$  be a map from  $T^\smile$  into  $S^\smile$ . If  $f_1 = f_2$  and  $g_1 = g_2$ , then  $\langle f_1, g_1 \rangle$  is Galois iff  $\langle g_2, f_2 \rangle$  is Galois.
- (45) Let  $J$  be a set,  $D$  be a non empty set,  $K$  be a many sorted set indexed by  $J$ , and  $F$  be a set of elements of  $D$  double indexed by  $K$ . Then  $\text{dom}_\kappa F(\kappa) = K$ .

Let  $J, D$  be non empty sets, let  $K$  be a non-empty many sorted set indexed by  $J$ , let  $F$  be a set of elements of  $D$  double indexed by  $K$ , let  $j$  be an element of  $J$ , and let  $k$  be an element of  $K(j)$ . Then  $F(j)(k)$  is an element of  $D$ .

We now state several propositions:

- (46) Let  $L$  be a non empty relational structure,  $J$  be a set,  $K$  be a many sorted set indexed by  $J$ , and  $x$  be a set. Then  $x$  is a set of elements of  $L$  double indexed by  $K$  if and only if  $x$  is a set of elements of  $L^{\text{op}}$  double indexed by  $K$ .
- (47) Let  $L$  be a complete lattice,  $J$  be a non empty set,  $K$  be a non-empty many sorted set indexed by  $J$ , and  $F$  be a set of elements of  $L$  double indexed by  $K$ . Then  $\text{Sup}(\text{Infs}(F)) \leq \text{Inf}(\text{Sups}(\text{Frege}(F)))$ .
- (48) Let  $L$  be a complete lattice. Then  $L$  is completely-distributive if and only if for every non empty set  $J$  and for every non-empty many sorted set  $K$  indexed by  $J$  and for every set  $F$  of elements of  $L$  double indexed by  $K$  holds  $\text{Sup}(\text{Infs}(F)) = \text{Inf}(\text{Sups}(\text{Frege}(F)))$ .
- (49) Let  $L$  be a complete antisymmetric non empty relational structure and  $F$  be a function. Then  $\bigsqcup_L F = \bigsqcap_{(L^{\text{op}})} F$  and  $\bigsqcap_L F = \bigsqcup_{(L^{\text{op}})} F$ .
- (50) Let  $L$  be a complete antisymmetric non empty relational structure and  $F$  be a function yielding function. Then  $\bigsqcup_L F = \overline{\bigsqcap}_{(L^{\text{op}})} F$  and  $\overline{\bigsqcap}_L F = \bigsqcup_{(L^{\text{op}})} F$ .

Let us observe that every non empty relational structure which is completely-distributive is also complete.

One can check that there exists a non empty poset which is completely-distributive, trivial, and strict.

The following proposition is true

- (51) For every non empty poset  $L$  holds  $L$  is completely-distributive iff  $L^{\text{op}}$  is completely-distributive.

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