

# Dyadic Deontic Logic

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**Definition 1.** Axiom 5(a) for a function  $\text{ob} : \mathcal{P}(U) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{P}(U))$  says that  $\emptyset \notin \text{ob}(X)$  for all  $X \in \mathcal{P}(U)$ .

**Definition 2.** Axiom 5(b) for a function  $\text{ob} : \mathcal{P}(U) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{P}(U))$  says that

$$\forall(XYZ : \text{Set}U), Z \cap X = Y \cap X \rightarrow (Z \in \text{ob}X \leftrightarrow Y \in \text{ob}X)$$

**Definition 3.** Axiom 5(d) for a function  $\text{ob} : \mathcal{P}(U) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{P}(U))$  says that

$$\forall(XYZ : \text{Set}U), Y \subseteq X \rightarrow Y \in \text{ob}X \rightarrow X \subseteq Z \rightarrow Z \cup Y \in \text{ob}Z$$

**Definition 4.** Axiom 5(bd) for a function  $\text{ob} : \mathcal{P}(U) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{P}(U))$  says that  $\forall(XYZ \in \mathcal{P}U), Y \in \text{ob}X \wedge X \subseteq Z \rightarrow Z \setminus X \cup Y \in \text{ob}Z$ .

**Theorem 5.** If  $\text{ob}$  satisfies 5(b) and 5(d) then it satisfies 5(bd).