

Recent Investigations into Inconsistency: from Measurement to Reasoning

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$$\mathcal{I} : K \mapsto [0, \infty]$$

that satisfies some requirements, e.g.,

- if K is consistent, then $\mathcal{I}(K) = 0$

Inconsistency measures - two rationales

Inconsistency measures may reflect ...

1. *minimizing cost and minimal intervention to fix* a knowledge base
2. *structural transparency and diagnosis* of a knowledge base

Example

- $K_1 = \{\neg p, p\}$
- $K_2 = \{\neg p, p, q, \neg(p \wedge q)\}$

1. minimal costs: Minimal repair: remove p
2. structural diagnosis: structurally K_2 seems more conflicting and we expect that it has more inconsistency weight

This is informal talk, but we'll soon capture these intuitions in formal properties.

Some terminology ... in funny notation

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Some core desiderata for inconsistency measures

Consistency

$$\text{👤}(K) = \emptyset \implies \mathcal{I}(K) = 0$$

“no 👤, no 💀”

Guiltlessness

$$\text{👤}(K) \neq \emptyset \implies \mathcal{I}(K) > 0$$

“if 👤, then 💀”

Together

$$\text{👤}(K) = \emptyset \iff \mathcal{I}(K) = 0$$

“👤, iff, 💀”

Monotonicity

$$\mathcal{I}(K) \subseteq \mathcal{I}(K \cup K')$$

“more citizens, at least as much 💀”

Free Formula Independence

$$K' \subset \text{👤}(K \cup K') \implies \mathcal{I}(K \cup K') = \mathcal{I}(K)$$

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2. rationale **structural diagnosis**:

- **strict monotonicity**: strictly more 🧑🚒 \implies strictly more 🧠.¹
- formally: $\text{🧑🚒}(K) \subset \text{🧑🚒}(K \cup K') \implies \mathcal{I}(K) < \mathcal{I}(K \cup K')$

¹A similar property has been proposed by Matthias (2009) under the name *Penalty*.

Are there other properties tracking structural diagnosis of inconsistency?

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- But $\mathcal{I}_{\#} : K \mapsto |\mathbf{OO}(K)|$ violates it.
- Take: $K = \{p, \neg p, \neg\neg p, \neg\neg\neg p\}$.
- So, $\mathbf{OO}(K) = \{\{p, \neg p\}, \{p, \neg\neg\neg p\}, \{\neg p, \neg\neg p\}, \{\neg\neg p, \neg\neg\neg p\}\}$.
- So, $\mathcal{I}_{\#}(K) = 4$, but there is no $S \subset K$ s.t. $\mathcal{I}_{\#}(K \setminus S) = 3$.

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Counter-example:

- $\mathcal{I}_{\text{ms}} : K \mapsto (|\text{ms}(K)| + |\perp(K)|) - 1$, where $\text{ms}(K)$ are maximal consistent subsets of K and $\perp(K)$ are contradictions in K .
- $\mathcal{I}_{\text{ms}}(\{p, \neg p\}) = 1 = \mathcal{I}_{\text{ms}}(\{q, \neg q\})$ but $\mathcal{I}_{\text{ms}}(\{p, \neg p, q, \neg q\}) = 3$.

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Separability (2/2)

ϕ separates K if

- $\phi \notin K$ and
- for all $S \in \text{span}(K \oplus \phi)$, either $S \ominus \phi \subseteq \text{span}(K)$ or $S \ominus \phi \subseteq \text{span}(K)$.

Every time ϕ forms a span , it either only uses $\text{span}(K)$ or only $\text{span}(K)$.
In other words, ϕ does not involve $\text{span}(K)$ with $\text{span}(K)$ in a span .


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- $\{p, q, \neg(p \wedge q)\} \in \text{👤}(K \oplus q)$ where $p \in \text{😊}(K)$ and $\neg(p \wedge q) \in \text{🙋}(K)$.
- q mixes up 😊 and 🙋 in a newly formed 👤.

Example

- Let $K = \{\neg u, \neg p, \neg\neg p, \neg\neg\neg p\}$ and $\phi = p \wedge u$.
- $p \wedge u$ separates K into
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Let **Structural Additivity** be the joint property of:

- strict monotonicity
- gradual scaling
- strict separability
- formula separability

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- How? We'll propose a concrete correction-based measure.
- ... but let's first see how measures from the literature perform.

How do Measures from the Literature perform?

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{I}_d(K) &= \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } |\text{👤}(K)| = 0 \\ 1 & \text{else} \end{cases} & \mathcal{I}_\#(K) &= |\text{👤}(K)| \\ \mathcal{I}_{\text{👤}}(K) &= \sum_{M \in \text{👤}(K)} \frac{1}{|M|} & \mathcal{I}_{\text{👨}}(K) &= |\text{👨}(K)| \\ \mathcal{I}_{\text{hit}}(K) &= \min_{M \in \text{mc}(K)} |M| & \mathcal{I}_{\text{mcsc}}(K) &= |K| - |\bigcap \mathcal{C}| \\ \mathcal{I}_{\text{ms}}(K) &= (|\text{ms}(K)| + |\perp(K)|) - 1\end{aligned}$$

Concerning: $\mathcal{I}_{\text{mcsc}}$ (Ammoura et al., 2017): where \mathcal{C} is a \subset -minimal family of minimal corrections sets such that $\bigcup \mathcal{C} = \text{👤}(K)$, and among these it maximizes $|\bigcap \mathcal{C}|$.

Overview

Property	\mathcal{I}_d	$\mathcal{I}_\#$	$\mathcal{I}_{\text{👤}}$	$\mathcal{I}_{\text{👨}}$	\mathcal{I}_{hit}	\mathcal{I}_{ms}	$\mathcal{I}_{\text{mcsc}}$	\mathcal{I}_{sCS}
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Guiltlessness	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Free Formula Independence	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Monotonicity	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
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Fairness	✓	×	×	×	✓	×	×	✓
Gradual Scaling	✓	×	×	×	✓	×	×	✓
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Sequential Correction Sets (SCS). An ordered correction set $S = \{\phi_1, \dots, \phi_n\}$ is a *sequential correction set* of K , iff,

$$\emptyset = \text{Min}(K \setminus S) \subset \dots \subset \text{Min}(K \setminus \{\phi_1, \dots, \phi_i\}) \subset \text{Min}(K \setminus \{\phi_1, \dots, \phi_{i-1}\}) \subset \dots \subset \text{Min}(K)$$

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- $\text{SCS}(K) = \emptyset$ iff 🤖(K) = \emptyset .

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Two Competing Rationales for an inconsistency measure

1. *minimizing cost and minimal intervention to fix*
 - minimal amounts of repairs to fix K
 - other measures in this spirit: minimum hitting sets (\mathcal{I}_{hit}),
2. *structural transparency and diagnosis*
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While aiming for (2) it also bridges the repair idea with the aim for structural transparency.

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$\mathcal{I}_{\text{SCS}}(K) = m$ where $m = |Q|$ and $Q \subseteq \mathcal{H}(K)$ is maximally acyclic in $(K, \mathcal{H}(K))$.

Examples (1/2)

We look back at $K = \{p, \neg p \wedge q, \neg q \wedge \neg r, r\}$. We have $\mathcal{M}(K) = \{M_1, M_2, M_3\}$ with

- $M_1 = \{p, \neg p \wedge q\}$
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- $M_3 = \{\neg q \wedge \neg r, r\}$

Note, $\mathcal{M}(K)$ is acyclic. (For instance, $M_1 \not\subseteq M_2 \cup M_3$.)

- So, $\mathcal{I}_{\text{scs}}(K) = 3 = |\mathcal{M}(K)| = \mathcal{I}_{\#}(K)$.

Examples (2/2)

Consider $K = \{\phi_1 : p \wedge q, \phi_2 : \neg p \wedge q, \phi_3 : p \wedge \neg q, \phi_4 : \neg p \wedge \neg q\}$.

- We have $\mathcal{M}(K) = \{M_{ij} \mid i \neq j\}$ where $M_{ij} = \{\phi_i, \phi_j\}$.
- $\mathcal{M}(K)$ is cyclic.
- each $\mathcal{M}(K) \setminus \{M_{ij}\}$ is acyclic
- so, $\mathcal{I}_{\text{scs}}(K) = 3$, while $\mathcal{I}_{\#}(K) = 4$ and $\mathcal{I}_{\text{hit}}(K) = 2$.

Corollary.

1. $\mathcal{I}_{\text{scs}}(K) = \mathcal{I}_{\#}(K)$ if $(K, \mathbb{H}(K))$ is acyclic.
2. $\mathcal{I}_{\text{scs}}(K) \leq \mathcal{I}_{\#}(K)$.

In sum:

$$\bullet \mathcal{I}_{\text{hit}}(K) \leq \mathcal{I}_{\text{scs}}(K) \leq \mathcal{I}_{\#}(K).$$

Part II (joint work with O. Arieli and B. Raddaoui)

Free formulas, how innocent are you?

Let $K = \{m, \neg m, e, m \vee p\}$

- Fred: The museum is open. (m)
- Wilma: The museum is closed. ($\neg m$)
- There is an event today. (e)
- Bernie: The museum or the park is open. ($m \vee p$)

We have

- 🧑 (K) = $\{m, \neg m\}$
- 🧑 (K) = $\{e, m \vee p\}$
- How innocent is $m \vee p$?

Example 2

Let $K = \{m, \neg m \wedge s, m \wedge \neg s, \neg m \vee \neg s, a\}$

- The patient has migraine. (m)
- No migraine, but stroke. ($\neg m \wedge s$)
- No stroke, but migraine. ($m \wedge \neg s$)
- Not migraine and stroke. ($\neg m \vee \neg s$)
- The patient is 15y old. (a)

We have:

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- 🧑 (K) = $\{a, \neg m \vee \neg s\}$
- How innocent is $\neg m \vee \neg s$?

Reasoning with inconsistent information (1/2)

1. Rescher and Manor, for instance:

- $K \sim \phi$ iff $(K) \vdash \phi$
- $K \sim^{\text{strong}} \phi$ iff $K' \vdash \phi$ for all $K' \in \text{ms}(K)$

Example:

- $\{m, \neg m, e, m \vee p\} \sim (e \wedge m) \vee (e \wedge p)$
- $\{m, \neg m \wedge s, m \wedge \neg s, \neg m \vee \neg s, a\} \sim (a \wedge \neg m) \vee (a \wedge \neg s)$

Reasoning with inconsistent information (2/2)

2. paraconsistent logic

- LP (3-valued, $0 < i < 1$), $\vee \approx \max$, $\wedge \approx \min$ and

ϕ	$\neg\phi$
0	1
i	i
1	0

- minimal models:
 - $M \prec M'$ iff $i(M) \subset i(M')$, where $i(M) = \{p \in \text{Atoms} \mid v_M(p) = i\}$.
 - $K \vdash^{LP} \phi$ iff $v_M(\phi) \in \{1, i\}$ for all $M \in \min_{\prec}(\text{MOD}(K))$.

Example

For $K = \{m, \neg m, e, m \vee p\}$:

	m	p	e	
M_1	i	1	1	minimal
M_2	i	0	1	minimal
M_3	i	i	1	
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So, $K \sim_{LP} m \wedge \neg m \wedge e$.

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And then define:

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	m	p	e	$m \vee p$
M_1	i	1	1	1
M_2	i	0	1	i

So,

- $K \not\vdash_{CL\downarrow LP}^{\forall} m \vee p$
- $K \vdash_{CL\downarrow LP}^{\exists} m \vee p$
- $K \vdash_{CL\downarrow LP}^{\forall} e$
- $K \vdash_{CL\downarrow LP}^{\exists} e$

More refined example

$$K = \{p \wedge \neg q, \neg p \wedge q, p \vee q, p \vee s, r\}$$

- 🧐(K) = $\{p \wedge \neg q, \neg p \wedge q\}$
- 🧑(K) = $\{p \vee q, p \vee s, r\}$

Minimal models:

	p	q	s	r	$p \vee s$	$p \vee q$
M_1	i	i	1	1	1	i
M_2	i	i	0	1	i	i

We have:

- $K \vDash_{CL\downarrow LP}^{\forall} r$ and $K \vDash_{CL\downarrow LP}^{\exists} r$
- $K \not\vDash_{CL\downarrow LP}^{\forall} p \vee s$ but $K \vDash_{CL\downarrow LP}^{\exists} p \vee s$
- $K \not\vDash_{CL\downarrow LP}^{\exists} p \vee q$ and $K \not\vDash_{CL\downarrow LP}^{\forall} p \vee q$

A filtering variant

- $M \sqsubset M'$ iff $i^*(M) \subset i^*(M')$, where $i^*(M) = \{\phi \in K \mid v_M(\phi) = i\}$
- $\text{Min}_{CL \downarrow LP}^{*\forall}(K) = \{\phi \in \text{Min}_{CL}(K) \mid \forall M \in \text{min}_{\square}^{LP}(K), v_M(\phi) = 1\}$
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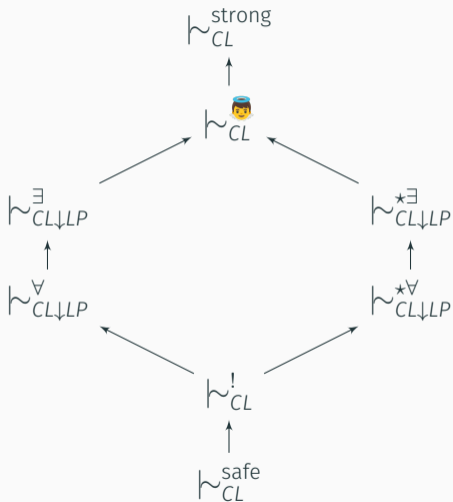
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So, $K \sim_{CL\downarrow LP}^{*\forall} p \vee s$.

Two more extreme variants

- Safe inference:
 - ϕ is *safe* in K iff $\text{Atoms}(\phi) \cap \text{Atoms}(K \setminus \{\phi\}) = \emptyset$ and $\phi \notin \text{Smiley}(K)$
 - $K \vdash^{\text{safe}} \phi$ iff $\text{Safe}(K) \vdash \phi$
- $\text{Sad}^!(K) = \{\phi \in \text{Sad}(K) \mid \text{Lit}(\phi) \subseteq \text{Sad}(\text{Lit}(K))\}$
 - $r \in \text{Sad}^!({\neg}p \vee {\neg}q, r)$
 - $p \notin \text{Sad}^!({\neg}p \vee {\neg}q, p)$
 - Definition: $K \vdash^! \phi$ iff $\text{Sad}^!(K) \vdash \phi$.

A hierarchy









Some properties ...

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 $*\exists$	✓	×	×	✓	×	✓
 \forall	×	×	×	×	×	✓
 $*\forall$	✓	×	×	✓	×	✓
 $!$	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Safe	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

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