

# *Sharpness in the Fuzzy World*

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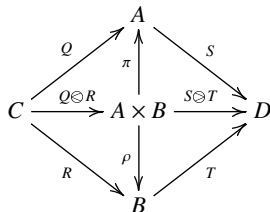


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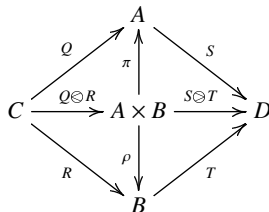
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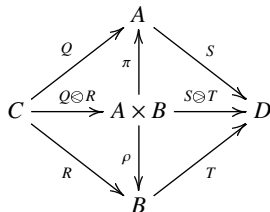
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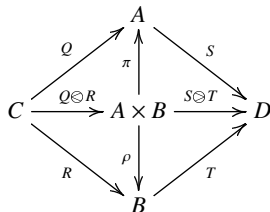


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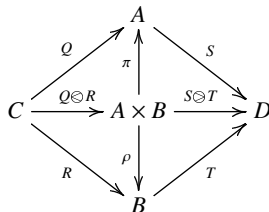


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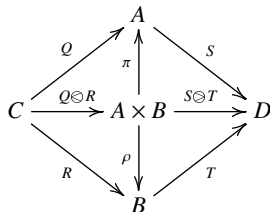


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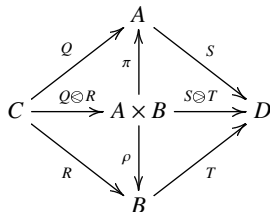


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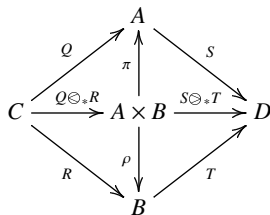
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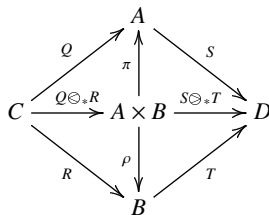
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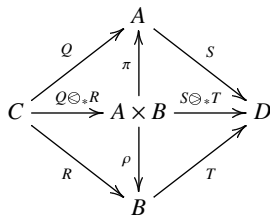
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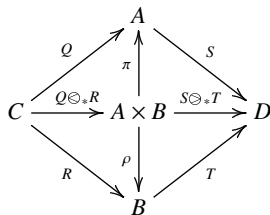
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  - We will show that this is possible.
  - This version of the theorem will then be used to reduce the fuzzy sharpness problem to a regular one.



## Dedekind Categories

## Definition

A Dedekind category  $\mathcal{R}$  is a category satisfying the following:

- 1 For all objects  $A$  and  $B$  the collection  $\mathcal{R}[A, B]$  is a complete distributive lattice with operations  $\sqcap, \sqcup, \sqsubseteq, \perp_{AB}, \top_{AB}$ .
- 2 There is a monotone operation  $\smile$  (called conversion) so that for all relations  $Q : A \rightarrow B$  and  $R : B \rightarrow C$ :

$$(Q; R)^\smile = R^\smile; Q^\smile, \quad (Q^\smile)^\smile = Q.$$

- 3 For all relations  $Q : A \rightarrow B, R : B \rightarrow C$  and  $S : A \rightarrow C$  the modular law holds:

$$Q; R \sqcap S \sqsubseteq Q; (R \sqcap Q^\smile; S).$$

- 4 For all relations  $R : B \rightarrow C$  and  $S : A \rightarrow C$  there is a relation  $S/R : A \rightarrow B$  (called the left residual of  $S$  and  $R$ ) so that for all  $Q : A \rightarrow B$  the following holds:

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- 1 A relation  $J : A \rightarrow B$  is called an ideal iff  $\pi_{AA}; J; \pi_{BB} = J$ .
- 2 A relation  $\alpha : A \rightarrow A$  is called a scalar on  $A$  iff  $\alpha \sqsubseteq \mathbb{I}_A$  and  $\pi_{AA}; \alpha = \alpha; \pi_{AA}$ .



# Arrow Categories

## Definition

An arrow category  $\mathcal{A}$  is a Dedekind category with  $\top_{AB} \neq \perp_{AB}$  for all objects  $A$  and  $B$  together with two operations  $\uparrow$  and  $\downarrow$  satisfying the following:

- ①  $R^\uparrow, R^\downarrow : A \rightarrow B$  for all  $R : A \rightarrow B$ .
- ②  $(\uparrow, \downarrow)$  is a Galois correspondence.
- ③  $(R^\sim; S^\downarrow)^\uparrow = R^{\uparrow\sim}; S^\downarrow$  for all  $R : B \rightarrow A$  and  $S : B \rightarrow C$ .
- ④  $(Q \sqcap R^\downarrow)^\uparrow = Q^\uparrow \sqcap R^\downarrow$  for all  $Q, R : A \rightarrow B$ .
- ⑤ If  $\alpha_A \neq \perp_{AA}$  is a non-zero scalar, then  $\alpha_A^\uparrow = \mathbb{I}_A$ .



## Fuzzy Categories

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A fuzzy category  $\mathcal{F}$  is an arrow category together with two operations  $*$  and  $\ddagger$ , so that the following holds:

- ①  $*$  maps two relations  $Q : A \rightarrow B$  and  $R : A \rightarrow B$  to a relation  $Q * R : A \rightarrow B$ .
- ②  $*$  is associative, commutative and continuous.
- ③  $Q * R^\downarrow = Q \sqcap R^\downarrow$  for all  $Q, R : A \rightarrow B$ .
- ④  $(Q * R)^\sim = Q^\sim * R^\sim$  for all  $Q, R : A \rightarrow B$ .
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- ⑧  $(Q \ddagger R)^\sim = R^\sim \ddagger Q^\sim$  for all  $Q : A \rightarrow B$  and  $R : B \rightarrow C$ .





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- ⑨ The exchange inclusion  $(Q * R) \sharp (S * T) \sqsubseteq Q \sharp S * R \sharp T$  is valid for all  $Q, R : A \rightarrow B$  and  $S, T : B \rightarrow C$ .
- ⑩ The following versions of the modular inclusion are valid:
  - ①  $Q; R * S \sqsubseteq Q; (R \sqcap Q^\sim \sharp S)$ ,
  - ②  $Q \sharp R * S \sqsubseteq Q; (R * Q^\sim \sharp S)$ ,
  - ③  $(P * Q) \sharp R * S \sqsubseteq P \sharp (R * Q^\sim \sharp S)$ ,

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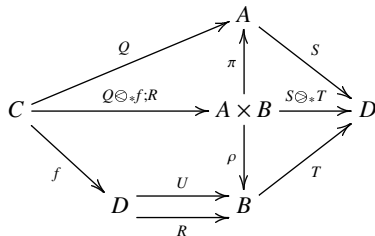
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*If  $Q : C \rightarrow A, R : C \rightarrow B, S : A \rightarrow D$  and  $T : B \rightarrow D$  are  $L$ -relations and  $\pi : A \times B \rightarrow A, \rho : A \times B \rightarrow B$  the standard (concrete) projection relations, then we have:*

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## Fuzzy Sharpness Theorem I



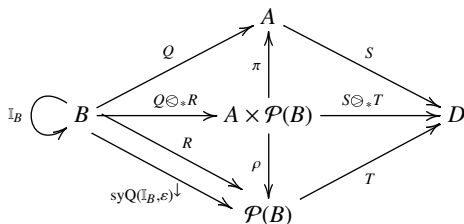
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$$(Q *_* f; R) *_* (S *_* T) = Q *_* S *_* f; (R *_* T).$$



## Fuzzy Sharpness Theorem II



### Corollary

Let  $\mathcal{F}$  be a fuzzy category,  $\mathcal{P}(B)$  the relational power of  $B$ ,  $A \times \mathcal{P}(B)$  the relational product of  $A$  and  $\mathcal{P}(B)$ , and  $Q : B \rightarrow A, R : B \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(B), S : A \rightarrow D, T : \mathcal{P}(B) \rightarrow D$  be relations. Then we have

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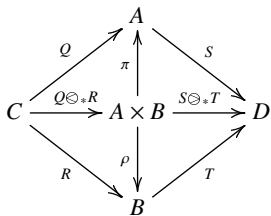
Please note that the previous corollary immediately implies

$$(\varepsilon \otimes_* \varepsilon) \sharp (S \otimes_* T) = \varepsilon \sharp S * \varepsilon \sharp T$$

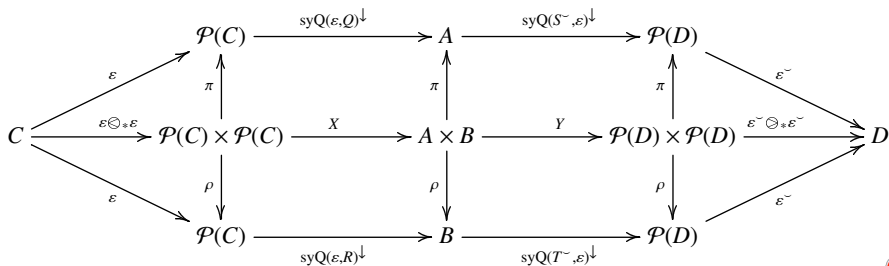
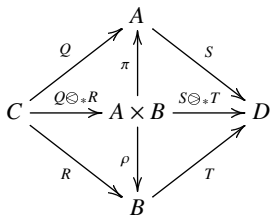
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$$(Q' \otimes R'); (S' \otimes T') = Q'; S' \sqcap R'; T',$$

then also the fuzzy version of sharpness holds, i.e., we have

$$(Q \otimes_* R) \sharp (S \otimes T) = Q \sharp S * R \sharp T.$$

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## Fuzzy Sharpness Theorem VI

### Corollary

*Let  $\mathcal{F}$  be a fuzzy category with relational products and powers. Then fuzzy sharpness holds.*



**Thank you  
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**Questions?**

