MODEL THEORIES WITH TRUTH VALUES IN A UNIFORM SPACE

BY C. C. CHANG AND H. JEROME KEISLER Communicated by J. W. Green, November 25, 1961

In recent years the ultraproduct construction has been applied, e.g. in [4] and [2], to obtain a series of results in the theory of models for the ordinary two-valued first-order predicate logic. Most of the results in [4] and [2] have been generalized in [1] to predicate logic with truth values in the closed real unit interval. In this note we shall see that many of the methods and results of [4] and [2] and [1] can actually be extended to a very wide class of many-valued predicate logics, with truth values in any reasonably well-behaved compact Hausdorff uniform space.

We shall give a detailed statement of the definitions and two representative theorems. A complete account of the theory, including a number of generalizations of theorems from [2] and [1], as well as proofs, will appear in a future publication.

Let L be a formal system with the following symbols: a denumerable set V of individual variables, a set P of finitary predicates, a set C of finitary sentential connectives, a set C of quantifier symbols, and distinguished symbols $e \in P$, C, C, C, where C and C are binary. Let the set C of formulas be the least set C such that

- (i) $\{p(v_1, \dots, v_n) | p \in P, p \text{ is } n\text{-ary}, v_1, \dots, v_n \in V\} \subseteq H;$
- (ii) $\{c(\phi_1, \dots, \phi_k) | c \in C, c \text{ is } k\text{-ary}, \phi_1, \dots, \phi_k \in H\} \subseteq H;$
- (iii) $\{qv(\phi) | q \in Q, v \in V, \phi \in H\} \subseteq H$.

Free variables are defined as usual. ϕ is a sentence if $\phi \in F$ and ϕ has no free variables.

Given sets X, Y, and Z, S(X) shall denote the set of all subsets of X and $f: Y \rightarrow Z$ shall mean f is a function on Y into Z.

If X is a uniform space with uniformity $\mathfrak U$ (see [3]), a set function $g: S(X) \to X$ is uniformly continuous if for each $U \in \mathfrak U$, there exists $U' \in \mathfrak U$ such that whenever $Y \subseteq X \cap U'[Z]$ and $Z \subseteq X \cap U'[Y]$, then $(g(Y), g(Z)) \in U$. $\mathfrak X = (X, f, t, \hat{c}, \hat{q})_{c \in C, q \in Q}$ is a model theory if

- (i) X is a compact Hausdorff uniform space;
- (ii) $f, t \in X$ and $f \neq t$;
- (iii) for each k-ary $c \in C$, $\hat{c}: X^k \to X$ and \hat{c} is continuous;
- (iv) for each $q \in Q$, $\hat{q}: S(X) \to X$ and \hat{q} is uniformly continuous. $\mathfrak{A} = (A, p_{\mathfrak{A}})_{n \in P}$ is a structure over X if
 - (i) $A \neq 0$;
 - (ii) for each *n*-ary $p \in P$, $p_{\mathfrak{A}}: A^n \to X$;
 - (iii) for $a, b \in A$, $e_{\mathfrak{A}}(a, b) = t$ if a = b, and $e_{\mathfrak{A}}(a, b) = f$ if $a \neq b$.