

# Relevant Reasoning and Implicit Belief

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- Validity:  $\mathfrak{M} \models \varphi \Leftrightarrow L \subseteq \llbracket \varphi \rrbracket_{\mathfrak{M}}$ .

# Characterisation

## Theorem 1

$\vdash_L \varphi \Leftrightarrow$  for all L-models  $\mathfrak{M}$ ,  $\mathfrak{M} \models \varphi$ .

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