

Rice's theorem Part II: No non-monotone property

of r.e. sets is semi-decidable (r.e.)

Proof: P is non-monotone & hence $\exists A = L(M_0)$,
 $B = L(M_1)$ s.t. $A \subseteq B$ & $P(A) = T$ & $P(B) = F$.

$$T_P = \{ M \mid P(L(M)) = T \}$$

$$\neg HP \leq_m T_P$$

$$(M, x) \mapsto N$$

$(M, x) \in \neg HP$ i.e., M does not halt on x

$$\Rightarrow L(N) = L(M_0) = A \quad P(L(N)) = T$$

$(M, x) \notin \neg HP$ i.e., M halts on x

$$\Rightarrow L(N) = L(M_0) \cup L(M_1) = A \cup B = B$$

$$P(L(N)) = F$$

$\neg HP$ is not r.e. $\Rightarrow T_P$ is not r.e., i.e., P is not semi-decidable.

N : on i/p y
- run M_0 on y , M_1 on y &
 M on x simultaneously

- accept if
 M_0 accepts y
OR
 M_1 accepts y & M halts
on x .