## Outline for April 8, 2003

- General case: It is undecidable whether a given state of a given protection system is safe for a given generic right.
  a. Represent TM as ACM; reduce halting problem to it
- 2. Take-Grant
  - a. Introduce as counterpoint to HRU result
  - b. Show symmetry
  - c. Show islands (maximal subject-only tg-connected subgraphs)
  - d. Show bridges (as a combination of terminal and initial spans)
  - e. can•share(r, x, y, G<sub>0</sub>) iff there is an edge from x to y labelled r in G<sub>0</sub>, or all of the following hold:
    - i. there is a vertex  $\mathbf{y'}$  with an edge from  $\mathbf{y'}$  to  $\mathbf{y}$  labelled r;
    - ii. there is a subject y'' which terminally spans to y', or y'' = y';
    - iii. there is a subject  $\mathbf{x}'$  which initially spans to  $\mathbf{x}$ , or  $\mathbf{x}' = \mathbf{x}$ ; and
    - iv. there is a sequence of islands  $I_1, ..., I_n$  connected by bridges for which **x'** is in  $I_1$  and **y'** is in  $I_n$ .