

# AI homework 10

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## 9.6

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- a.  $Horse(x) \Rightarrow Mammal(x)$   
 $Cow(x) \Rightarrow Mammal(x)$   
 $Pig(x) \Rightarrow Mammal(x)$
- b.  $Offspring(x, y) \wedge Horse(y) \Rightarrow Horse(x)$
- c.  $Horse(Bluebeard)$
- d.  $Parent(Bluebeard, Charlie)$
- e.  $Offspring(x, y) \Rightarrow Parent(y, x)$   
 $Parent(x, y) \Rightarrow Offspring(y, x)$
- f.  $Mammal(x) \Rightarrow Parent(G(x), x)$

## 9.7

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- a. Let  $P(x, gy)$  be the relation "a is less than g" over the integers. Then  $\forall_x \exists_y P(x, y)$  is true but  $\exists_x p(x, x)$  is false.
- b. Converting the premise to clausal form gives  $P(x, SkO(x))$  and converting the negated goal to clausal form gives  $\neg P(q, q)$ . If the two formulas can be unified, then these resolve to the null clause.
- c. If the premise is represented as  $P(x, Sk0)$  and the negated goal has been correctly converted to the clause  $\neg P(q, q)$  then these can be resolved to the null clause under the substitution  $q/SkO, x/SkO$ .
- d. Suppose you are given the premise  $Cat(x)$  and you wish to prove  $Cat(Socrates)$ . Converting the premise to clausal form gives the clause  $Cat(Sk1)$ . If this unifies with  $Cat(Socrates)$  then you can resolve this with the negated goal  $\neg Cat(Socrates)$  to give the null clause.

## 9.9

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- a.
- Goal G0:  $7 \leq 3 + 9$   
Resolve with (8)  $\{x1/7, z1/3 + 9\}$ .  
Goal G1:  $7 \leq z1$   
Resolve with (4)  $\{x2/7, y1/7 + 0\}$ . Succeeds.  
Goal G2:  $7 + 0 < 3 + 9$ .  
Resolve with (8)  $\{x3/7 + 0, z3/3 + 9\}$   
Goal G3:  $7 + 0 \leq g3$   
Resolve with (6)  $\{x4/7, g4/0, g3/0 + 7\}$  Succeeds.

Goal G4:  $0+7 \leq 3+9$

Resolve with (7){w5/0, a5/7, g5/3, z5/9}.

Goal G5:  $0 < 3$ .

Resolve with (1).Succeeds.

Goal G6:  $7 \leq 9$ .

Resolve with (2).Succeeds.

G4 Succeeds. G2 Succeeds. G0 Succeeds.

b.

b. From (1),(2),(7){w/0, /7, y /3, z/9} infer

(9) $0+7 < 3+9$ .

From (9),(6),(8){1/0, y1/7, c2/0+7, y2/7+0, z2/3+9}infer

(10) $7+0 \leq 3+9$ .

(a1, g1 are renamed variables in(6).a;2, j2,z2 are renamed variables in (8).)

From (4),(10),(8){ x3/7,a4/7, y4/7+0, z4/3+9} infer

(11) $7 < 3+9$ .

(x3 is a renamed variable in (4).x4, g4,z4 are renamed variables in (8).)

## 9.23

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a.

$\forall_x \text{Horse}(x) \Rightarrow \text{Animal}(x)$

$\forall_{x,h} \text{Horse}(x) \wedge \text{HeadOf}(h, x) \Rightarrow \exists_y \text{Animal}(y) \wedge \text{HeadOf}(h, y)$

b.

A.  $\neg \text{Horse}(x) \vee \text{Animal}(x)$

B. $\text{Horse}(G)$

C. $\text{HeadOf}(H, G)$

D. $\neg \text{Animal}(y) \vee \neg \text{HeadOf}(H, y)$

(Here A. comes from the first sentence in a. while the others come from the second. H

and G are Skolem constants.)

c. Resolve D and C to yield  $\neg \text{Animal}(G)$ .Resolve this with A to give  $\neg \text{Horse}(G)$ .