



CAB203: Discrete Structures Summary

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Axioms

Natural Numbers

If x, y and z are natural numbers:

1. 0 is a natural number
2. $x = x$
3. if $x = y$ then $y = x$
4. if $x = y$ and $y = z$ then $x = z$
5. if $x = w$ then w is a natural number
6. $S(y)$ is a natural number
7. $S(x) = S(y)$ then $x = y$

8. $S(x) = 0$ is always false

Other Axioms

WIP

Equivalence

- **Equals:** $=$
- **Greater than:** $>$
- **Greater than or equal to:** \geq
- **Less than:** $<$
- **Less than or equal to:** \leq
- **Not equal to:** \neq

Division

- $a \mid b$
- a divides b
- b is divisible by a
- there exists some integer c such that $ac = b$

Definitions

May either replace term with its definition, or replace definition with its term:

- the term $2 \cdot 3 = 6$ may be replaced by $2 \mid 6$, while 3 becomes c
- the definition $2 \mid$
6 may be replaced with "there is some integer c such that $2c = 6$ "

Parity

Integers have one of two *parities*:

- x is *even* means $2 \mid x$
- x is *odd* means $2 \mid (x - 1)$

Properties:

- $\text{even} \pm \text{even} = \text{even}$
- $\text{even} \pm \text{odd} = \text{odd}$
- $\text{odd} \pm \text{odd} = \text{even}$

Therefore, two numbers have same parity if difference is even.

Clock Arithmetic

- $10 \text{ o'clock} + 5h = 3 \text{ o'clock}$
- the *o'clock* remains unaffected by multiples of $12h$

Modular Arithmetic

Modular arithmetic is an abstraction of parity and clock arithmetic.

- parity is $\text{arithmetic} \bmod 2$
- clocks use $\text{arithmetic} \bmod 12$
- generally, can have $\text{arithmetic} \bmod n$ for any positive integer n

Modular arithmetic extends upon integers by adding a new relation (modular equivalence)

Modular Equivalence

Modular arithmetic works by replacing equality with *modular equivalence*, also called *modular congruence*:

if $n \mid (a - b)$, then a and b are *equivalent modulo n* , such that $a \equiv b \pmod{n}$

if $a \equiv b \pmod{n}$ and $c \equiv d \pmod{n}$, then:

- $a + c \equiv b + d$
- $a - c \equiv b - d \pmod{n}$
- $ac \equiv bd \pmod{n}$

Mod Operator

$a \bmod n$ is the smallest non-negative b such that $a \equiv b \pmod{n}$

- Equivalently, $a \bmod n$ is the remainder from $\frac{a}{n}$
- *example* : $17 \bmod 4 = 1$ because $17 = 4(4) + 1$

Python:

```
print(17 % 4) # Prints 1 to the console  
# 1
```

Modulo Lemma

A *lemma* is a short statement that is true in mathematical theory, derived from its axioms. We can show that it is true by using a *proof* that shows the steps from the axioms to the statement. Other axioms with existing proofs may be used in the proof.

Proof of Lemma

Let integers a and b be given such that $a \bmod b = 0$.

Then from the definition of the mod operator:

$$a \equiv 0 \pmod{b}$$

From the definition of modular equivalence:

$$b \mid (a - 0)$$

From a well known lemma observe that $a - 0 = a$ for any integer, so $b \mid a$.

This is frequently used to determine divisibility or test if a number is even when programming.

Exponents

- a^3 means $a \cdot a \cdot a$
- a^n means multiply a together n times
 - a is called the base
 - n is called the exponent

Laws of Exponents

- $(ab)^n = a^n \cdot b^n$
- $a^m \cdot a^n = a^{m+n}$
- $a^{m-n} = \frac{a^m}{a^n}$ (when $a \neq 0$)
- $a^{-n} = \frac{1}{a^n}$ (when $a \neq 0$)
- $a^0 = 1$
- $(a^m)^n = a^{m \cdot n}$

Exponents in Computer Science

- **kilo:** 2^{10}
- **mega:** $2^{20} = (2^{10})^2$
- **giga:** $2^{30} = (2^{10})^3$
- **tera:** $2^{40} = (2^{10})^4$
- **peta:** $2^{50} = (2^{10})^5$
- **exa:** $2^{60} = (2^{10})^6$

For example, one kilobit is $1024 = 2^{10}$ bits.

- $2^3 = 8$ bits in a byte
- $2^{10} = 1024$ bytes in a kilobyte
- $2^{10} \cdot 2^3 = 2^{10+3}$ bits in a kilobyte
- $32 = 2^5$ or $64 = 2^6$ bit processors
- $256 = 2^8 = 2^{2^3}$ possible 8-bit characters

Logarithms

- logarithms are the *inverse* of exponents
- if $n = \log_a x$ then $a^n = x$
- so \log_a tells what exponent is needed to make x from a :

$$a^{\log_a x} = x$$

Laws of Logarithms

- $\log_a 1 = 0$
- $\log_a a = 1$
- $\log_a (x \cdot y) = \log_a x + \log_a y$
- $\log_a x^y = y \log_a x$
- $\log_a \frac{1}{y} = -\log_a y$
- $\log_a \frac{x}{y}$
- $\log_b x = (\log_b a) \cdot \log_a x$

Base Transformation Law

- $\log_a x = \frac{\log_b x}{\log_b a}$
- use base transformation to calculate \log_2 , etc...

Ceiling and Floor

- **Ceiling, round up:** $\lceil a \rceil$ is the next integer above a
- **Floor, round down:** $\lfloor a \rfloor$ is the next integer below a
- $\lceil \log_2 5000 \rceil = 13$ address lines

Exponent and Logs in Python

```
>>> import math          # Must import math library
>>> math.log2(8)          # log2 means log base 2 and returns a float (decimal)
# 3.0
>>> 2 ** 3               # ** is exponentiation
# 8
>>> math.log2(100) / math.log2(10) # base transformation
# 2.0
```

Operators

An operator is a mathematical object that transforms other objects:

- $+$ is a binary operator (transforms two objects, ie: $1 + 2$ into 3)
- $-$ combines two operators
 - As a binary operator: $1 - 2$
 - As a unary operator: -1 (negative number)

Bits

Bit String Notation

- **String:** \bar{x}
- The set of all strings of length n (aka n -bit strings) is: $\{0, 1\}^n$
- All bit strings of all length are members of: $\{0, 1\}^*$
- The j th bit in \bar{x} is: \bar{x}_j (j goes from 0 to $n - 1$)
- Bit strings are most often counted from the *right*, so the furthest right is: \bar{x}_0
- 2^n possible bit strings of length n

Bit Operations

Two types of bit operations:

- Operations on a single bit or pairs of bits
- operations on bit strings

NOT

NOT, aka *bit flip*: 0 becomes 1 and vice versa.

x	$\sim x$
0	1
1	0

AND

AND is similar to multiplication.

x	y	$x \& y$
0	0	0
0	1	0
1	0	0
1	1	1

OR

OR is similar to addition, yet 2 is condensed to 1.

x	y	$x \mid y$
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	1

XOR

XOR is also similar to addition, yet 2 is now condensed to 0, like parity.

x	y	$x \wedge y$
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	0

Bitwise Operations

Bit operations may be applied bitwise to strings of the same length.

if \bar{x} & \bar{y} then

$$\bar{z}_j = \bar{x}_j \& \bar{y}_j$$

Operations are performed on pairs of bits.

Concatenation

if \bar{x} is an n -bit string and \bar{y} is a m -bit string, then $\bar{z} = \overline{xy}$ is a $(n + m)$ -bit string

Lexicographic Ordering

- 0 before 1
- Compare strings one bit at a time, left to right
- At first bit where strings differ, 0 goes first
- Shorter strings are padded with empty spaces to the right

ASCII

- 7 bit strings
- 128 characters
- Upper, lower case Latin chars, numbers, punctuation, maths symbols, space, newline, etc
- Special characters BEL, ESC, NUL, etc
- Relational blocks
- Upper vs lower is just one bit
- Letters and numbers ordered lexicographically

USASCII Code Chart

$b_7 \rightarrow$	$b_6 \rightarrow$	$b_5 \rightarrow$	\Rightarrow	\Rightarrow	000	001	010	011	100	101	110	111
$b_4 \downarrow$	$b_3 \downarrow$	$b_2 \downarrow$	$b_1 \downarrow$	$r \downarrow c \rightarrow$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
0	0	0	0	0	NUL	DLE	SP	0	@	P	'	p
0	0	0	1	1	SOH	DC1	!	1	A	Q	a	q
0	0	1	0	2	STX	DC2	"	2	B	R	b	r
0	0	1	1	3	ETX	DC3	#	3	C	S	c	s
0	1	0	0	4	EOT	DC4	\$	4	E	T	d	t
0	1	0	1	5	ENQ	NAK	%	5	F	U	e	u
0	1	1	0	6	ACK	SYN	&	6	G	V	f	v
0	1	1	1	7	BEL	ETB	'	7	H	W	g	w
1	0	0	0	8	BS	CAN	(	8	I	X	h	x
1	0	0	1	9	HT	EM	)	9	J	Y	i	y
1	0	1	0	10	LF	SUB	*	:	K	Z	j	z
1	0	1	1	11	VT	ESC	+	;	L	[	k	{
1	1	0	0	12	FF	FS	,	<	M	\	l	|
1	1	0	1	13	CR	GS	-	=	N	]	m	}
1	1	1	0	14	SO	RS	.	>	O	^	n	~
1	1	1	1	15	SI	US	/	?	Q	_	o	END

UNICODE

- About 137 000 characters
- Most modern and some historic writing systems
- Mathematical symbols, punctuation, emoji, etc
- Multiple encodings for a common set of characters

UNICODE Encodings

Unicode assigns a code point (a hexadecimal string) for each character. There are several different encodings from code points to bit strings:

- UTF32 uses 32 bits for each character, encoding code points directly
- UTF16 uses one or two 16-bit strings per code point, making it a variable length encoding
- UTF8 uses between one and four 8-bit strings per code point, and is hence also a variable length encoding.
- It is backwards compatible with ASCII for the original 7-bit ASCII character set
 - UTF8 is the most common encoding. Python strings are UTF-8 encoded by default.

UTF-8 in Python

```
>>> ord('A')    # Convert character to UTF code point
# 65
>>> chr(65)     # Convert UTF code point to character
# 'A'
```

Numbers

Binary Representation

Binary numbers are analogous to base-10 notation:

- Starts at position 0, the right-most numeral
- Position j gets a multiplier of 2^j
- Add up all values

Example, 1010, starting from position 0:

- 0 has multiplier of $2^0 = 1$
- 1 has multiplier of $2^1 = 2$
- 0 has multiplier of $2^2 = 4$

- 1 has multiplier of $2^3 = 8$
- total is 10

4-Bit Binary

<i>base - 10</i>	<i>base - 2</i>	<i>base - 10</i>	<i>base - 2</i>
0	0000	8	1000
1	0001	9	1001
2	0010	10	1010
3	0011	11	1011
4	0100	12	1100
5	0101	13	1101
6	0110	14	1110
7	0111	15	1111

8-Bit Binary

Storing positive numbers (0...255), as 8-bit strings:

$$\sum_{j=0}^7 2^j \bar{x}_j$$

Adding Binary Numbers

Adding two 1-bit numbers:

$$0 + 0 = 0 \quad (1)$$

$$1 + 0 = 1 \quad (2)$$

$$0 + 1 = 1 \quad (3)$$

$$1 + 1 = 10 \quad (4)$$

Bit Operations

Given two 1-bit numbers, \bar{x} and \bar{y} , their binary sum is a 2-bit string \bar{z} where:

$$\bar{z}_0 = \bar{x}_0 \wedge \bar{y}_0 \quad (5)$$

$$\bar{z}_1 = \bar{x}_0 \& \bar{y}_0 \quad (6)$$

For n -bit binary numbers \bar{x} and \bar{y} , the sum in binary \bar{z} is a $n + 1$ -bit binary number where:

$$\bar{z}_j = \bar{x}_j \wedge \bar{y}_j \wedge \bar{c}_j \quad (7)$$

$$\bar{c}_{j+1} = (\bar{x}_j \& \bar{y}_j) \mid (\bar{x}_j \& \bar{c}_j) \mid (\bar{y}_j \& \bar{c}_j) \quad (8)$$

The string \bar{c} is the carry bits (take \bar{c}_0 to be 0). The equation for \bar{c}_{j+1} says it is 1 when $\bar{x}_j + \bar{y}_j + \bar{c}_j$ is 2 or 3.

Negative Numbers

Properties of 2's complement:

- For n bits, can represent -2^{n-1} through to $2^{n-1} - 1$
- Leftmost bit is 1 for negative numbers
- Addition is $\text{mod } 2^n$
- Positive numbers 0 to $2^{n-1} - 1$ are unchanged

3-Bit 2's Complement

bit string	2's comp interpretation	binary interpretation
000	0	0
001	1	1
010	2	2
011	3	3
100	-4	4
101	-3	5
110	-2	6
111	-1	7

Hexadecimal

- Base-64 number system - number in position j gets a multiplier of 16^j .
- Compact method for writing bit strings

4-Bit Hex

symbol	bit string	base-10	symbol	bit string	base-10
0	0000	0	8	1000	8
1	0001	1	9	1001	9
2	0010	2	A	1010	10
3	0011	3	B	1011	11
4	0100	4	C	1100	12
5	0101	5	D	1101	13
6	0110	6	E	1110	14
7	0111	7	F	1111	15

Interpreting Hex

given:

$$4F = 4 \rightarrow 0100 \text{ and } F \rightarrow 1111 = 01001111$$

then:

$$4F = 01001111$$

- Shorter than bit strings
- One hex numeral is always exactly 4 bits
- Easy to work with individual bits

Python Hex

```
>>> hex(65532)                # Hex string from integer
# '0xffffc'
>>> "The number is {:x}".format(65532) # Alternative method
# 'The number is fffc'
>>> 0xffffc                    # Hex literal integer
# 65532
```

Scientific Notation

$$\pm a.bc \times 10^e \quad (9)$$

- **Sign:** \pm
- **Significant digits:** $a.bc$
- **Exponent:** e
- **Base:** 10

The base is always shared across the significant digits

Scientific Notation in Base 2

- Significant digits are bits
- Exponent is written in binary

$$1.1010 \times 2^{10} \quad (10)$$

Floting Point Numbers

Computers represent scientific notation as floating point numbers, encoding in binary:

- Significant digits
- Exponent
- Sign (positive or negative)
- With base 2

IEEE Half-Precision

IEEE 754 floating point standard for 16 bits:

$$\begin{array}{c} s \quad e \quad f \\ \underbrace{0} \quad \underbrace{10101} \quad \underbrace{1010101010} \end{array} \quad (11)$$

- **Sign:** s (1-bit)
- **Exponent:** e (5 bits)
- **Significant digits:** f (10 bits dropping leading 1)

Python Numers

Basic number types:

- `int`
 - Arbitrary length integers
 - Special base- 2^{30}
- `float`
 - IEEE 754 double precision
 - 64-bit floating point

```
>>> 9/2      # Regular division always returns float
# 4.5
>>> 9//2     # Floor division returns integer
# 4
```

Recursion

Recursive Definitions

Factorial function on \mathbb{N} defined as:

$$n! = \prod_{j=1}^n j = 1 \cdot 2 \cdots (n-1) \cdot n \quad (12)$$

Also $n!$ recursively:

$$n! = \begin{cases} 1 & : n = 1 \\ n(n-1)! & : n > 1 \end{cases} \quad (13)$$

Two main parts:

- **Base case:** evaluated without reference to object
 - Required, though potentially multiple
- **Recursive case:** refer back to object definition
 - More complex than base

Fibonacci Sequence

Fibonacci sequence is classic example of recursion:

$$f(n) = \begin{cases} 1 & : n = 1 \\ 1 & : n = 2 \\ f(n-1) + f(n-2) & : n > 2 \end{cases} \quad (14)$$

Fibonacci in Python

```
def F(n):  
    if n == 1: return 1  
    elif n == 2: return 1  
    else: return F(n-1) + F(n-2)
```

Arithmetic Expression

Programming languages often expressed as multiple types in recursion:

$$EXPR := \begin{cases} VALUE \\ EXPR \text{ “+” } VALUE \\ EXPR \text{ “-” } VALUE \end{cases} \quad (15)$$

$$VALUE := \begin{cases} CONSTANT \\ VARIABLE \end{cases} \quad (16)$$

Propositional Logic

- Propositions are true or false statements
- Logical connectives use propositions to build larger ones
- p and q often represent propositions

Atomic and Compound Propositions

- **Atomic:** "It is raining"
- **Compound:** "It is raining and cloudy"

Logical Operators

- **NOT, negates truth:** \neg
- **AND, requires both:** \wedge
- **OR, allows either:** \vee
- **XOR, requires either:** \oplus
- **IF..THEN:** \rightarrow
- **IF AND ONLY IF:** \leftrightarrow

IF..THEN

- $p \rightarrow q$ means q must be true whenever p is, regardless of p

- When p is false, $p \rightarrow q$ is always true
- $(p \rightarrow q) = (\text{if } p \text{ then } q) = (p \text{ implies } q)$

p	q	$p \rightarrow q$
T	T	T
T	F	F
F	T	T
F	F	T

IF AND ONLY IF

- $p \leftrightarrow q$ means both must have the same truth value
- $(p \leftrightarrow q) = ((p \rightarrow q) \wedge (q \rightarrow p)) = (p \text{ if and only if } q)$

p	q	$p \leftrightarrow q$
T	T	T
T	F	F
F	T	F
F	F	T

Formulas

Boolean formulas are strings of symbols to build compound propositions.

Formula rules (listed by precedence):

- T , F and lower case letters are all formulas
- If A and B are formulas then so are:
 - (A)
 - $\neg A$
 - $A \oplus B$
 - $A \wedge B$

- $A \vee B$
- $A \rightarrow B$
- $A \leftrightarrow B$
- No other strings are formulas

Formula Truth Value

- Fill in truth table
- Evaluate logical connectives from innermost parentheses outwards

When $p = T$ and $q = F$:

$$\begin{aligned}
 (p \vee q) \rightarrow (q \oplus p) &= (T \vee F) \rightarrow (F \oplus T) \\
 &= T \rightarrow T \\
 &= T
 \end{aligned} \tag{17}$$

Formula Classification

- **Tautologies:** always T
- **Contradictions:** always F
- **Contingent formulas:** T OR F depending on variables
- **Satisfiable formulas:** *tautologies* OR *contingent formulas*

Logical Equivalence

$$A \rightarrow B \equiv \neg A \vee B \tag{18}$$

$A \equiv B$ is the same as stating: “ $A \leftrightarrow B$ is a *tautology*”

$$\begin{aligned}
 A \rightarrow B &\equiv \neg A \wedge B \\
 &\equiv B \wedge \neg A \\
 &\equiv \neg(\neg B) \wedge \neg A \\
 &\equiv \neg B \rightarrow \neg A
 \end{aligned} \tag{19}$$

Set Theory

- **Set:** S
- **In set:** \in
- **Not in set:** \notin

Set listing:

$$SMALLPRIMES = \{ 1, 2, 3, 5, 7 \} \quad (20)$$

Implied pattern: (*bad practice*)

$$EVENS = \{ 2, 4, 6, 8, \dots \} \quad (21)$$

Setbuilder notation: “set comprehension”

Subset of elements, that match a condition

$$\{ x \in S : \phi(x) \} \quad (22)$$

$$SQUARES = \{ x \in \mathbb{Z} : x = y^2 \text{ for some } y \in \mathbb{Z} \} \quad (23)$$

Setbuilder notation: “replacement”

Apply a theory to each member and collect results

$$\{ f(x) : x \in S \} \quad (24)$$

$$SQUARES = \{ x^2 : x \in \mathbb{Z} \} \quad (25)$$

Set Equality

$S = T$ when:

- Every element $x \in S$ is in T
- Every element $x \in T$ is in S
- Regardless of order, repetition, and representation:

$$\{1, 2, 3\} = \{3, 2, 1\} \quad (26)$$

$$\{1, 1, 1\} = \{1\} \quad (27)$$

$$\{x \in \mathbb{Z} : x^2 = 4\} = \{2, -2\} \quad (28)$$

Set Size

$$|\{1, 2, 3\}| = 3 \quad (29)$$

$$|\{1, 1, 1\}| = 1 \quad (30)$$

Sub Sets

- **Subset:** every $x \in A$ is in B : $A \subseteq B$
- **Proper subset:** A is subset of, yet not equal to B : $A \subset B$
- **Equality through subsets:** $S \subseteq T$ & $T \subseteq S$

Subset equivalence:

$$A \subset B \equiv A \subseteq B \wedge A \neq B \quad (31)$$

The set of all subsets of a set S is called the *power set* of S :

$$P(\{1, 2\}) = \{\emptyset, \{1\}, \{2\}, \{1, 2\}\} \quad (32)$$

Set Operations

Union: everything in either

Must define $A \cup B$ to be the smallest set, such that $A \subseteq S$ & $B \subseteq S$

$$A \cup B = \{x : x \in A \vee x \in B\} \quad (33)$$

Intersection: everything in *both* sides

$$A \cap B = \{x \in A : x \in B\} \quad (34)$$

Difference: remove items in one set from the other

$$A \setminus B = \{x \in A : x \notin B\} \quad (35)$$

Universe Sets

- The universe U is the set containing all elements of concern
- Enables definition of complements:

$$\overline{S} = \{x \in U : x \notin S\} \quad (36)$$

Set comprehensions without specifying the set, as with $U = \mathbb{Z}^+$:

$$COMPOSITES = \overline{PRIMES} \quad (37)$$

$$EVENS = \{x : x = 2y\} \quad (38)$$

$$ODDS = \overline{EVENS} \quad (39)$$

Characteristic Vectors

Universes of manageable size may be represented as bit strings (characteristic vectors):

- Let $n = |U|$
- Number elements like so, $U = \{e_1, e_2, \dots, e_n\}$
- $XS = XS_1XS_2 \dots XS_n$ where:

$$XS_j = \begin{cases} 0 & e_j \notin S \\ 1 & e_j \in S \end{cases} \quad (40)$$

- Example: $U = \{1, 2, 3\}$ then $X_{\{1,3\}} = 101$, $X_{\{2\}} = 010$

- Set operations such as \cup and \cap become bitwise operators

Python Sets

```

>>> S = {1,2,3}; T = {1,3,5}      # Braces define sets
>>> S.add(4); print(S)           # Sets are mutable
# {1, 2, 3, 4}
>>> S.remove(4); print(S)
# {1, 2, 3}

>>> 1 in S                       # Testing membership
# True
>>> 4 in S
# False

>>> S.issubset({1,2,3,4,5})      # Testing subset
# True
>>> S <= {1,2,3,4,5}            # Alternative subset test
# True

>>> S.union(T)                   # Using union
# {1, 2, 3, 5}
>>> S | T                        # Alternative union
# {1, 2, 3, 5}
>>> S.union(T, {8,9}, {10,11})  # Multiple union
# {1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11}
>>> someSets = [S, T, {8,9}, {10,11}]
>>> set.union(*someSets)        # Splat operator
# {1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11}

>>> S.intersection(T)           # Splat and multi-sets would also work
# {1, 3}
>>> S & T                         # Alternative intersection
# {1, 3}

>>> S - T                        # Testing difference
# {2}

>>> S.isdisjoint(T)             # is S & T empty?
# False

>>> len(S)                      # Size of S
# 3

# Setbuilder notation combines of comprehension and replacement:
>>> S = {0, 2, 4, 6, 8}
>>> def p(x): return x % 2 == 0
...
>>> def p(x): return x * 5
...

```

```
>>> { f(x) for x in S if p(x) }  
# {0, 40, 10, 20, 30}  
>>> { s * 5 for s in range(0, 10) if s % 2 == 0 }  
# {0, 40, 10, 20, 30}
```

Zermelo-Fraenkel Set Theory

ZF set theory, seven axioms to define set behaviour:

1. Two sets containing same elements are equal
2. Every set S other than \emptyset contains at least one element y , also S and y are disjoint
3. If S is a set and $\phi(x)$ is a formula, then there is a set that contains exactly the elements of S that satisfies $\phi(x)$
4. If S_1, S_2, \dots are sets, then there is a set that contains all of the elements of every S_j
 - *Allows unions*
5. If S is a set and $f(x)$ is a function, then there is a set that contains $f(x)$ for every $x \in S$
 - *Allows replacements such as: $\{ f(x) : x \in S \}$*
6. Given $S_0 = \emptyset$ and $S_j = S_{j-1}$, there is a set that contains every S_j
7. For a set S , there is a set containing every possible subset of S

- *Allows power sets*

Replacements From ZF Axioms

ZF replacements from axioms 1, 3, and 5:

- Start with set S and function $f(x)$
- Use axiom 5 to obtain set A containing $f(x)$ whenever $x \in S$
- Create formula $\phi(y)$ so $x \in S$, such that $f(x) = y$
- Use axiom 3 to obtain set A' containing every $y \in A$ such that $\phi(y)$ is true

A' is the resulting set.

$\mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$ From Set Theory

Peano's axioms to construct set of non-negative integers:

- What is 0
- A successor function $S(\cdot)$ that takes a number to the next one:
 $S(1) = 2, S(2) = 3 \dots$
 Define empty set, \emptyset , as 0 and define a successor function by $S(n) = n \cup \{n\}$:
- “0” := $\emptyset = \{\}$
- “1” := $S(\text{“0”}) = \text{“0”} \cup \{\emptyset\} = \{\{\}\}$
- “2” := $S(\text{“1”}) = \text{“1”} \cup \{\text{“1”}\} = \{\emptyset, \{\emptyset\}\} = \{\{\}, \{\{\}\}\}$
- \vdots
- $S(n) = n \cup \{n\}$

Syllogisms

Syllogisms are deductive reasoning upon sets:

- Start with *premises* (statements), taken to be true
- Apply valid form of argument
- Draw conclusion
- If *premises* are true, then impossible for conclusion to be false:

$$\begin{array}{c}
\text{All humans are mortal } (\textit{major premise}) \\
\text{Socrates is human } (\textit{minor premise}) \\
\hline
\text{Socrates is mortal } (\textit{conclusion})
\end{array}
\tag{41}$$

Set Theoric Syllogisms

$$\begin{array}{c}
HUMANS \subseteq MORTALS \\
s \in HUMANS \\
\hline
s \in MORTALS
\end{array}
\tag{42}$$

Syllogism Types

Abstracted to *syllogism type*:

$$\begin{array}{c}
A \subseteq B \\
x \in A \\
\hline
x \in B
\end{array}
\tag{43}$$

This is *valid* type, so works for any A, B, x provided the *premises* are true

24 valid syllogism types in total, such as:

$$\begin{array}{c}
\text{All trees are plants } (A \subseteq B) \\
\text{Some trees are tall } (A \cap C \neq \emptyset) \\
\hline
\text{Some plants are tall } (B \cap C \neq \emptyset)
\end{array}
\tag{44}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
\text{All cats are mammals } (A \subseteq B \text{ and } A \neq \emptyset) \\
\text{All cats are carnivores } (A \subseteq C) \\
\hline
\text{Some mammals are carnivores } (B \cap C \neq \emptyset)
\end{array}
\tag{45}$$

Logical Implication

- From $A \wedge B$, can conclude A
- From $(A \rightarrow B) \wedge A$, can conclude B
- **Implication:** $A \models B$

If from A , can conclude B , then $A \models B$, then $A \rightarrow B$ is a tautology

Whenever A is true, so is $A \vee B$, thus $A \models A \vee B$:

A	B	$A \vee B$	
T	T	T	\leftarrow
T	F	T	\leftarrow
F	T	T	<i>(ignore)</i>
F	F	F	

Given $A \models A \wedge B$, then $A \rightarrow A \vee B$ is a tautology

A	B	$A \vee B$	$A \rightarrow A \vee B$
T	T	T	T
T	F	T	T
F	T	T	T
F	F	F	T

Implication Substitutions

- Given $A \wedge B \models A$, if just $A \wedge B$ is true, then may replace with A
- From “it is cloudy and raining”, can conclude “it is raining”

Proofs

Given:

- Socrates is mortal or Socrates is not human
- Socrates is human

...then conclude:

- Socrates is not human or Socrates is mortal
 - *equivalence*
- Socrates is mortal
 - *logical implication*

A proof is a list of formulas starting with premises and every formula must be:

- Logically equivalent to a formula above
- Logically implied by a formula above
- The *AND* of some formulas above
- Logically implied by the *AND*

A proof produces $P \models Q$, where:

- P is the *AND* of all premises
- Q is the last line of the proof

Proof says: assuming all premises are true, the conclusion is also true

Socrates proof: $(M \vee \neg H) \wedge H \models M$:

1	$M \vee \neg H$	premise	
2	H	premise	
3	$\neg H \vee M$	equivalent to line 1 using $A \vee B \equiv B \vee A$	
4	$\neg\neg H$	equivalent to line 1 using $A \equiv \neg\neg A$	
5	M	implication of line 3 <i>AND</i> 4 using	(46)
	$(A \vee B) \wedge \neg A \models B$, with $A \models \neg H$ <i>AND</i> $B = M$		

Predicate Logic

Parameters and Predicates

Generalise propositions by allowing *parameters*:

$$A(x) = x \text{ is a cat} \quad (47)$$

$$B(x, y) = x \text{ and } y \text{ have the same birthday} \quad (48)$$

$$C(x, y) = x = y + 1 \quad (49)$$

- Parameters allow generic references to propositions that share a common form and meaning
- Predicates are propositions with one or more variables

Form complex predicates from smaller ones:

- $A(x) \wedge B(x)$ understood that x is the same for both
- $A(x) \vee B(y)$ can have different parameters
- $A(x) \rightarrow B(x)$
- $A((x) \rightarrow B(y)) \wedge A(x)$

To evaluate truths, must fill parameters:

- Suppose $A(x)$ is $x^2 = 1$.
 - Then $A(1)$ is True, but $A(2)$ is False.
- Suppose $A(x)$ is x is a flower $\rightarrow x$ smells nice.
 - Then $A(\text{rose})$ is True, but $A(\text{rafflesia})$ is False.
- Suppose $A(x)$ is if x is human then x is mortal.
 - Then $A(\text{Socrates})$ is True

Predicates with all variables defined, become regular propositions with truth values

Quantifiers

Quantifiers are symbols that refer to parameters within predicates:

- **Existential quantification, *there exists*:** \exists
- **Universal quantification, *for all*:** \forall

Quantifiers allow propositions out of predicates without parameter values

Existential Quantification

$$\begin{aligned} & \exists x \in \mathbb{Z}(x^2 = 4) \\ & \text{there exists an } x \text{ from } \mathbb{Z} \text{ such that } x^2 = 4 \end{aligned} \tag{50}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \exists x \in S p(x) \\ & \text{there exists an } x \text{ in } S \text{ such that } p(x) \text{ is True} \end{aligned} \tag{51}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \exists x \in ANIMALS(x \text{ is a fish}) \\ & \text{there exists an } x \text{ in } ANIMALS \text{ such that } x \text{ is a fish} \end{aligned} \tag{52}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \exists x \in \mathbb{R}(x \in \mathbb{Z}) \\ & \text{there exists some real number } x \text{ such that } x \text{ is an integer} \end{aligned} \tag{53}$$

Universal Quantification

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{Z} (x^2)$$

for every x in \mathbb{Z} , x^2 is non-negative (54)

$$\forall x \in S p(x)$$

for all x from S , $p(x)$ is True (55)

$$\forall x \in ANIMALS (x \text{ is a fish})$$

for all x in $ANIMALS$, x is a fish (56)

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{Z} (x \in \mathbb{R})$$

all integers are real numbers (57)

Quantify Over Sets

Explicit set specification, to quantify over S :

$$\forall x \in S p(x)$$

(58)

Implicit set specification, to quantify over a set, *out of context*:

$$\forall x p(x)$$

(59)

Parameters in Predicates

Given $\exists x p(x)$

- The x is filled in by the $\exists x$, so no values allowed
- Either:
 - there exists an x that makes $p(x)$ True (making $\exists x p(x)$ True)
 - or there does not (making it False)

Free Parameters

Given $A(y) = \exists x p(x, y)$:

- The parameter x is quantified over, so no values allowed

- The parameter y is *not* quantified over, so values *are* allowed
- Truth value of $A(y)$ depends on value of y
- Here y is a free parameter
- When no free parameters, predicate is *fully quantified*

Fully Quantified Truth Values

Checking all values of fully quantified finite set:

$$\frac{\forall x \in \{0, 1\}(x^2 = x)}{0^2 = 0}$$

$$1^2 = 1$$

thus, True (60)

Existential Truth Values

Ensuring only one value works for existential quantifiers to be True:

$$\frac{\exists x \in \{0, 1\}(x^2 = 1)}{1^2 = 1}$$

thus, True (61)

Yet requiring all values to be tested to prove False:

$$\frac{\exists x \in \{0, 1\}(x^2 = 2)}{0^2 \neq 2}$$

$$1^2 \neq 2$$

thus, True (62)

Both of these cases are the opposite when dealing with universal quantifiers

Existential Quantifiers Over Infinite Sets

$$\exists x \in \mathbb{Z}(x^2 = -1) \quad (63)$$

...is False, as for every $x \in \mathbb{Z}$, $x^2 \geq 0$, and hence $x^2 \neq -1$

Order of Quantifiers

Order impacts multiple quantifiers as with universe \mathbb{Z} :

$$\forall y \exists x (x + y = 0) \quad (64)$$

True, as can use $x = -y$

$$\exists x \forall y (x + y = 0) \quad (65)$$

False, as for any x , can use $y = x + 1$,

so $x + y = 1 \neq 0$

IF.. THEN Quantified

Let $h(x)$ be x is human and $m(x)$ be x is mortal, then:

$$\forall x \in BEINGS (h(x) \rightarrow m(x)) \quad (66)$$

Necessary and Sufficient Conditions

$$\text{Given } \forall x (p(x \rightarrow q(x))) : \quad (67)$$

$p(x)$ is a *sufficient* condition for $q(x)$

$q(x)$ is a *necessary* condition for $p(x)$

$$\text{Given } \forall x (p(x \leftrightarrow q(x))) : \quad (68)$$

$p(x)$ is *necessary* and *sufficient* for $q(x)$

$q(x)$ is *necessary* and *sufficient* for $p(x)$

Boolean Formulas Quantified

given $A(x, y)$ is a Boolean formula with x and y some propositions, then:

A is a tautology means $\forall x, y A(x, y)$ (69)

A is a contradiction means $\forall x, y \neg A(x, y)$ (70)

A is a contradiction means $\exists x, y A(x, y)$ (71)

here, the universe is $\{T, F\}$

Logic with Predicates

All *equivalences* and *implications* work for predicates

Python Predicates and Quantifiers

```
>>> def p(x,y):          # Any function that returns T/F to be used as predicate
    return x >= y
>>> p(2,1)
# True

>>> def p(x): return x >= 0
>>> S = { -1, 0, 1 }; T = { 0, 1, 2 }
>>> Sp = [ p(x) for x in S ] # List of booleans
>>> Tp = [ p(x) for x in T ] # List of booleans
>>> all(Tp)                  # Check for all: ALL True
# True
>>> all(Sp)                  # Check there exists: at least ONE True
# True
>>> any(p(x) for x in S)     # Generator expression
# True
```