# 5 Assignment 5 Solutions (100 points)

# 5.1 Soundness and Completeness of ND (20 points)

Solution 1: If  $\{\alpha, \beta\} \vdash_{ND} \gamma$  holds, then there is a natural deduction proof which starts with  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  as the premises and ends with  $\gamma$ .

- 1.  $\alpha$  Premise
- 2.  $\beta$  Premise
- 3. ... ...
- 4.  $\gamma$  ...

Hence, we can construct a ND proof sequence for  $\varnothing \vdash (\alpha \land \beta) \rightarrow \gamma$ :

1.	$\alpha \wedge \beta$	Assumption
2.	$\alpha$	$\wedge e, 1$
3.	β	$\wedge e, 1$
4.		
5.	$\gamma$	
6	$(\alpha \land \beta) \rightarrow \gamma$	$\rightarrow i$ 1-5

By the soundness of ND, the entailment  $\varnothing \vDash (\alpha \land \beta) \rightarrow \gamma$  holds.

Solution 2: Assume  $\{\alpha, \beta\} \vdash_{ND} \gamma$  holds. By the soundness of natural deduction, the entailment  $\{\alpha, \beta\} \vDash \gamma$  holds. By definition,  $\{\alpha, \beta\} \vDash \gamma$  means that for all truth valuation v under which  $\alpha^v = T$  and  $\beta^v = T$ ,  $\gamma^v = T$ . Hence, for all truth valuation v under which  $\alpha^v = T$  and  $\beta^v = T$ ,  $(\alpha \land \beta) \to \gamma$  is true.

If  $\alpha^v = F$  or  $\beta^v = F$ ,  $(\alpha \wedge \beta) \to \gamma$  is also true. Hence,  $\varnothing \vDash (\alpha \wedge \beta) \to \gamma$ , i.e., it is a tautology.

# 5.2 CNF and Resolution (20 points)

1. (10 points)

# Formalization (3 points)

Let: A = Meeting A is scheduled B = Meeting B is scheduled C = Meeting C is scheduled

Constraint 1:  $A \to (\neg B \land C)$ 

Constraint 2:  $\neg C \rightarrow ((A \land \neg B) \lor (\neg A \land B))$ 

Constraint 3 :  $\neg A \rightarrow \neg C$ 

Then, conjunct all three formulas.

#### Convert to CNF (3 points)

Constraint 1: 
$$A \to (\neg B \land C)$$
  
 $\equiv \neg A \lor (\neg B \land C)$   
 $\equiv (\neg A \lor \neg B) \land (\neg A \lor C)$ 

Constraint 2: 
$$\neg C \rightarrow ((A \land \neg B) \lor (\neg A \land B))$$
  
 $\equiv \dots \dots$   
 $\equiv C \lor ((A \lor B) \land (\neg A \lor \neg B))$   
 $\equiv (C \lor A \lor B) \land (C \lor \neg A \lor \neg B)$ 

Constraint 3 : 
$$\neg A \rightarrow \neg C$$
  
 $\equiv A \lor \neg C$ 

#### Final CNF Clauses (4 points):

$$(\neg A \lor \neg B) \land (\neg A \lor C) \land (C \lor A \lor B) \land (C \lor \neg A \lor \neg B) \land (A \lor \neg C)$$

2. (10 points) Yes. Schedule Meeting B only, or schedule Meeting A and C.

#### 5.3 Syntax (30 points)

2,3,6,8,10,13,14

# 5.4 Formalization (30 points)

1. All Students are smart.

$$\forall x(Student(x) \rightarrow Smart(x))$$

2. Every course has at least one prerequisite course.

$$\forall x \, (\mathrm{Course}(x) \to \exists y \, (\mathrm{Course}(y) \land \mathrm{Prerequisite}(y, x)))$$

3. Some students registered for all courses.

$$\exists x (\mathrm{Student}(x) \land \forall y (\mathrm{Course}(y) \to \mathrm{Registered}(x, y)))$$

4. No student is both a TA and a professor.

$$\forall x \, (\mathrm{Student}(x) \to \neg(\mathrm{TA}(x) \land \mathrm{Professor}(x)))$$

$$\neg \exists x \, (\mathrm{Student}(x) \land \mathrm{TA}(x) \land \mathrm{Professor}(x))$$

5. Only professors can access the restricted section of the library.

$$\forall x \, (\operatorname{CanAccess}(x, s) \land \operatorname{Restricted}(s) \to \operatorname{Professor}(x))$$

6. There is a professor who has never taught any course.

$$\exists x \, (\operatorname{Professor}(x) \wedge \forall y \, (\operatorname{Course}(y) \to \neg \operatorname{Teaches}(x,y)))$$

7. Every student loves some student.

$$\forall x(Student(x) \rightarrow \exists y(Student(y) \land Loves(x,y)))$$

8. Every student loves some other student.

$$\forall x(Student(x) \rightarrow \exists y(Student(y) \land \neg(x=y) \land Loves(x,y)))$$

9. There is a student who is loved by every other student.

$$\exists x (Student(x) \land \forall y (Student(y) \land \neg (x = y) \rightarrow Loves(y, x)))$$

10. Some students love only themselves.

$$\exists x \, (\mathrm{Student}(x) \land \mathrm{Loves}(x, x) \land \forall y \, (\mathrm{Loves}(x, y) \rightarrow x = y))$$

11. There is at least one student.

$$\exists x \; \text{Student}(x)$$

12. There is only one student.

$$\exists x (\mathrm{Student}(x) \land \forall y (\mathrm{Student}(y) \to y = x))$$

13. There are at least two students.

$$\exists x \exists y \ (\mathrm{Student}(x) \wedge \mathrm{Student}(y) \wedge \neg (x = y))$$

14. There are more than two students.

$$\exists x \exists y \exists z \, (\mathrm{Student}(x) \wedge \mathrm{Student}(y) \wedge \mathrm{Student}(z) \wedge \neg (x=y) \wedge \neg (y=z) \wedge \neg (x=z))$$

15. Exactly two students failed Geometry.

$$\exists x \,\exists y \, (\mathrm{Student}(x) \wedge \mathrm{Student}(y) \wedge \neg (x=y) \wedge$$
 
$$\mathrm{Failed}(x, \mathrm{geometry}) \wedge \mathrm{Failed}(y, \mathrm{geometry}) \wedge$$
 
$$\forall z \, (\mathrm{Student}(z) \wedge \mathrm{Failed}(z, \mathrm{geometry}) \rightarrow (z=x \vee z=y)))$$