

INSTRUCTION DIVISION FIRST SEMESTER 2015-2016 Course Handout Part II

In addition to part-I (General Handout for all courses appended to the time table) this portion gives further specific details regarding the course

Course No.: CS / IS F214

Course Title: Logic in Computer Science

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1. Scope & Objective:

The objective of this course is to introduce the formal study of Logic for Computer Science undergraduates. Within this context the course covers first order propositional and predicate logics as well as introduces program verification and temporal logics. Natural Deduction as a proof system for propositional and predicate logics is covered. Soundness and Correctness proofs are covered but only for propositional logic. The course also covers some applications in modeling of and reasoning about programs - in particular, model checking based on temporal logics and program verification using Floyd-Hoare logic. The relationship between formal logic and pragmatics of computing is highlighted via a few specialized topics: the **satisfiability** problem in propositional logic and Horn-clause problem solving.

At the end of this course the student shall be able to

- (i) write statements and proofs in first order predicate logic,
- (ii) state the limitations of first order predicate logic, and the need for higher-order logics and temporal logics
- (iii) state and argue soundness and completeness properties of logics
- (iv) write grammars for the syntax of logics and algorithms for verifying satisfiability / validity
- (v) relate problems in logic with problems in computation
- (vi) use logics to formally specify and verify computational properties.

2. Text Book:

T1: Michael Huth and Mark Ryan. Logic in Computer Science – Modelling and Reasoning about Systems. Cambridge University Press. 2nd Edition. 2004.

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3. Course Plan:

3.a. Modules

Module #	Topics
I	Introduction to Logics and Proofs. Overview of the interplay of Logic and Computing.
II	Propositional Logic: Natural Deduction, Syntax and Semantics, Soundness and
	Completeness, Satisfiability and Validity – Forms and Algorithms.
III	Predicate Logic: Syntax and Semantics, Logic Programming, Natural Deduction,
	Limitations of First Order Logic.
IV	Program Verification: Floyd-Hoare Logic – Pre-conditions, Post-conditions, and Loop
	Invariants; Verification of imperative programs – Partial and Total correctness.
V	Temporal Logic: LTL, CTL, and Model Checking

3. b. Lecture Schedule:

Lecture #	Module	Topic	Learning Outcome(s)		Reading
	#		[Th	ne student will be able to:]	
L1	I.a	Why study Logic?	•	state a few reasons to study logics and proofs	-
L1	I.b	A broad and selective History of Logic and Proofs (HLP) - Part I: Euclid's Formalization of Geometry. Hilbert's Program and the Formalization problem. Russell's efforts in formalization and Russel's paradox.	•	state typical issues and debates in formalizing proofs (and mathematical arguments in general) state the distinction between axioms, statements, and proofs	-
L2	I.c	HLP – Part II: Brouwer's intuitionism – Intuitionist's Critique on Proof by	•	distinguish between a constructive	

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		Contradiction and (the use of) Law of		proof and a non-constructive proof	
		Excluded Middle	•	state the intuitionist position /	
				critique on non-constructive proofs	
L2	I.d	HLP – Part III: Godel's Incompleteness	•	state soundness and completeness	-
		Result and its impact on the		requirements of proof systems and	
		formalization of mathematics	•	explain – at a high level – the	
				implications of Godel's	
				incompleteness result	
L2	I.e	Logic and Computing (L&C) – Part I:	•	Informally define the notion of	-
		Godel, Church, and Turing:		"computability"	
		Computability – Systems for defining	•	state the equivalence of schemes /	
		computability; Church-Turing Thesis.		mechanisms for computability	
L3	I.f	L&C – Part II: Logic and Computing:	•	State the Halting Problem and argue	
		Non-computable Problems – Example:		that it is not computable	
		Halting			
L3	I.g	L&C – Part III: Time Complexity,	•	define complexity classes P and NP	-
		Complexity Classes, Is P = NP?	•	state what it means to say that P=NP	
				or P!=NP	
L4	I.h	L&C – Part IV: Boolean Satisfiability	•	(by hand) verify satisfiability of	-
		(SAT) and Horn-Clause Satisfiability		Boolean expressions and Horn-style	
		problems; their relationship to the		expressions.	
		classes NP and P;			
L4	l.i	L&C – Part V: Logic and Programming:	•	state the relation between logic and	-
		Logic Programming and Prolog.		programming at a high level	
L5	II.a	Propositional Logic: Natural Deduction	•	state the notational conventions	T1 Sec.
		as a Proof System.		used in Natural Deduction	1.2.1
L5	II. b	Propositional Logic: Natural	•	apply proof rules involving	T1 Sec.
		Deduction: Conjunction Rules		conjunction	1.2.1
L5	II.c	Propositional Logic: Natural	•	apply proof rules involving	T1 Sec.
		Deduction: Implication Rules		implication	1.2.1
L6	II.d	Propositional Logic: Natural	•	apply proof rules involving	T1 Sec.
		Deduction: Disjunction Rules		disjunction	1.2.1
L6	II.e	Propositional Logic: Natural	•	apply proof rules involving negation	T1 Sec.
		Deduction: Negation Rules			1.2.1
L6	II.f	Propositional Logic: Natural	•	apply proof rules involving double	T1 Sec.

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		Deduction: Double Negation Rules		negation	1.2.1
L6	II.g	Propositional Logic: Natural	•	apply modus tollens, LEM, and PbC in	T1 Sec.
		Deduction: Derived Rules: Modus		proofs	1.2.2
		Tollens, Law of Excluded Middle (LEM),	•	derive modus tollens, LEM, and PbC	
		Proof by Contradictio (PbC).		from basic proof rules	
L7	II.h	Syntax: Context Free Grammars (CFG):	•	define CFGs for simple constructs	T1 Sec.
		Notation and Examples			1.3
L7	II.i	Context Free Grammars: Parse Trees:	•	illustrate and explain the internal	T1 Sec.
		Examples		structure of context-free constructs	1.3
L8	II.j	Propositional Logic: Syntax: Well-	•	state the formal syntax of	T1 Sec.
		formed-formulas and grammar.		propositional logic as a CFG	1.3
L8	II.k	Propositional Logic: Syntax: Different	•	write grammar rules to define the	T1 Sec.
		forms of grammar: Precedence and		syntax of propositional logic with a	1.3
		Order of evaluation: Rules to handle		specific order of evaluation	
		precedence and over-ride precedence			
L9	l.j	Proof Techniques: Mathematical	•	articulate the generic structure /	-
		Induction		template of proofs by mathematical	
				induction	
L9	l.k	Proof Techniques: Structural Induction	•	relate mathematical induction to	-
		and Examples		structural induction	
L9	1.1	Grammars, Parse Trees and Structural	•	illustrate the relation between	T1 Sec.
		Induction – Approach		languages and inductive proofs	1.4.2
			•	explain structural induction as a	
				proof technique	
L9	l.m	Structural Induction - Examples	•	write proofs using structural	T1 Sec.
				induction	1.4.2
L10	11.1	Propositional Logic: Semantics: Truth	•	interpret sentences in propositional	T1 Sec.
		Tables, Soundness and Completeness		logic	1.4.1
			•	state the soundness and	
				completeness results w.r.t.	
				propositional logic	
L10	II.m	Propositional Logic: Semantics:	•	argue or verify the equivalence (or	T1 Sec.
		Equivalence and Normal Forms		the lack of it) of given propositional	1.4.1
				formulas	
L10	II.n	Propositional Logic: Syntax: Grammars	•	define a grammar for a given normal	-
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		for Normal Forms	form	
L11	II.o	Propositional Logic : Soundness	 state soundness arguments in general and soundness arguments for logics in particular 	T1 Sec. 1.4.3
L11	II.p	Propositional Logic: Soundness Proof	argue that proofs in propositional logic are sound	T1 Sec. 1.4.3
L12	II.q	Propositional Logic: Completeness	 state completeness arguments in general and completeness arguments for logics in particular 	T1 Sec. 1.4.4
L12	II.r	Propositional Logic: Completeness Proof Overview	 state completeness arguments for propositional logic 	T1 Sec. 1.4.4
L12	II.s	Propositional Logic: Completeness Proof	argue that propositional logic is complete using structural induction	T1 Sec. 1.4.4
L13	II.t	Propositional Logic: Conjunctive Normal Form (CNF) and Disjunctive Normal Form (DNF)	 recognize propositional formulas in CNF / DNF rewrite propositional formulas in CNF / DNF 	T1 Sec. 1.5.2
L13	II.u	Propositional Logic: Validity	 verify whether a propositional formula is valid or not 	T1 Sec. 1.5.1
L13	II.v	Propositional Logic: Validity of specific forms (CNF), Algorithm(s) for validity	 verify validity of a formula in CNF write a program to verify validity of a formula in CNF 	T1 Sec. 1.5.1
L13	II.w	Propositional Logic: Validity and Satisifiability; Satisfiability of specific forms (DNF)	 verify whether a propositional formula is satisfiable or not state the relation between validity and satisifiability of propositional formulas 	T1 Sec. 1.5.1
L14	II.x	Propositional Logic: Horn Clauses and Horn Formulas	 distinguish Horn formulas from general formulas in propositional logic identify when a propositional formula can be rewritten in Horn form 	T1 Sec. 1.5.3
L14	II.y	Propositional Logic: Satisifiability of Horn Formulas. Algorithm for	 verify whether a Horn formula is satisfiable or not write a program to verify validity 	T1 Sec. 1.5.3

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		Satisfiability of Horn Formulas	of a Horn formula	
L14	II.z	Propositional Logic: Algorithm for Satisfiability of Horn Formulas	write a program to verify validity of a Horn formula	T1 Sec. 1.5.3
L15	III.a	Expressiveness of Propositional Logic – Limitations: Need for predicates	 illustrate statements and arguments that cannot be expressed in propositional logic explain why predicates are more expressive than propositions 	T1 Sec. 2.1
L15	III.b	Expressiveness of Propositional Logic – Limitations: Need for variables and quantification	 illustrate statements that cannot be expressed in propositional logic explain how variables and quantification add expressive power 	T1 Sec. 2.1
L16	III.c	Introduction to Predicate Logic: Predicates vs. Functions and Need for Function Terms	 distinguish between predicates and functions explain when function terms are more expressive than predicates 	T1 Sec. 2.1
L16	III.d	Predicate Logic: Features and Examples	write formulas in predicate logic	T1 Sec. 2.2
L17	III.e	Predicate Logic: Formal Syntax: Grammars and Parse Trees	 write grammar rules for defining terms write grammar rules for defining formulas in Predicate Logic use the grammar rules to parse formulas in Predicate Logic 	T1 Sec. 2.2.1 to 2.2.2
L17	III.f	Predicate Logic: Theorem Proving: Proof Steps; Automating the proof steps.	 explain how proofs in predicate logic can be approached. state issues in automating proofs steps 	-
L17	III.g	Horn Clause Programming: Theorem Proving and Logic Programming, Programming with Horn Clauses	 explain the relation between Theorem Proving and Logic Programming state how Horn Clauses can be used for programming 	-
L18	III.g	Logic Programming and Prolog : Proof	perform unification of terms	-

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		Steps and Term Unification.		
L18	III.h	Logic Programming and Prolog: Proof Search, Backtracking	apply search and backtracking to execute a Prolog program	
L18	III.i	Programming in Prolog: Examples	write simple programs in Prolog	-
L19	III.j	Programming in Prolog: Inductive / Recursive definitions	write programs using recursion in Prolog	-
L19	III.k	Programming in Prolog: Problem Solving in Prolog	 write reasonably large programs to solve complex problems using Prolog 	-
L20	III.I	Predicate Logic: Proofs and Proof Rules: Introduction: Need for a Substitution Operation	explain / illustrate the need for a substitution operation in applying proof rules of Predicate Logic	T1 Sec. 2.2
L20	III.m	Predicate Logic: Syntax: Free and Bound Variables	 identify and distinguish between free and bound variables in Predicate Logic formulas 	T1 Sec. 2.2.3
L20	III.n	Predicate Logic: Substitution: Definition and Examples	apply substitution on Predicate Logic formulas	T1 Sec. 2.2.4
L21	III.o	Predicate Logic: Proof Rules: Equality	explain the need for rules for equalityuse the rules for equality	T1 2.3.1
L21	III.p	Predicate Logic: Natural Deduction: Rules for Universal Quantification	apply rules for universal quantification in proofs of predicate logic formulas	T1 Sec. 2.3.1
L21	III.q	Predicate Logic: Natural Deduction: Rules for Existential Quantification	apply rules for existential quantification in proofs of predicate logic formulas	T1 Sec. 2.3.1
Self Study	III.s	Predicate Logic: Syntactic Equivalence	deduce equivalences of formulas in predicate logic	T1 Sec. 2.3.2
L22	III.r	Predicate Logic: Introduction to Semantics: Models and Interpretation	 formally define models for different theories interpret formulas in predicate 	T1 Sec. 2.4.1

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		– Examples	logic according to given models	
L23	III.s	Predicate Logic: Semantics: The Model-Checks Relation	apply the model-checks relation on predicate logic formulas	T1 Sec. 2.4.1
L24	III.t	Predicate Logic: Semantics: Semantic Entailment	illustrate and explain semantic entailment in predicate logic	T1 Sec. 2.4.2
L24	III.u	Predicate Logic: Semantics: Validity and Satisifiability	 state and explain validity and satisfiability in Predicate Logic explain and illustrate issues in verifying satisfiability and validity of formulas in Predicate Logic 	T1 Sec. 2.4.3
L24	III.v	Predicate Logic: Soundness and Completeness	 state and explain claims regarding Soundness and Completeness of Predicate Logic 	-
L25	l.n	Proof Techniques: Cantor's Diagonalization	 articulate Cantor's diagonalization technique and apply the same on simple examples 	-
L25	l.o	Review: Undecidability and the Halting Problem	 state and explain the notion of undecidability state and explain the Halting problem. 	-
L25	III.w	Predicate Logic: Validity is Undecidable: Proof approach using Reduction	provide an explanation for why Validity in Predicate Logic is undecidable using the idea of a reduction to a known undecidable problem	T1 Sec. 2.5
L26	III.x	Predicate Logic: <i>Validity is Undecidable</i> : Proof sketch using Diagonalization	provide an proof argument for why Validity in Predicate Logic is undecidable using diagonalization	-
L27	III.y	Predicate Logic: Expressiveness: Inexpressible Properties: Example and Proof.	 provide examples of statements that cannot be expressed in First Order Predicate Logic provide an intuitive argument as 	T1 Sec. 2.6

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			to why such statements are inexpressible in First Order Predicate Logic • provide a rigorous argument as to why reachability in graphs is inexpressible in First Order Predicate Logic	
L27	III.z	Existential Second Order Logic: Expressiveness: Examples(s)	provide examples of statements	T1 Sec. 2.6.1
L27	III.aa	Universal Second Order Logic: Expressiveness: Example(s)	provide examples of statements	T1 Sec. 2.6.2
L28	IV.a	Program Verification: Floyd-Hoare Logic: Pre-conditions and Post- Conditions	accommod trivial production and	T1 Sec. 4.2.2
L28	IV.b	Program Verification: Floyd-Hoare Logic: Assignment Statements and Sequencing	conditions for assignment	T1 Sec. 4.2.2 & 4.3.1
L29	IV.b	Program Verification: Floyd-Hoare Logic: Conditional Statements	conditions over conditional	T1 Sec. 4.2.2 & 4.3.1
L29	IV.c	Program Verification: Floyd-Hoare Logic: Meta-Rules		T1 Sec. 4.2.2 & 4.3.1
L29	IV.d	Program Verification: Verification of Straight-Line programs - Examples	app., . a. co o o, a ca. o 200.0	T1 Sec. 4.3.1
L30	IV.e	Program Verification: Floyd-Hoare Logic: Program Variables and Logical	incinity and distinguish sections	T1 Sec. 4.3.1

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		Variables	Floyd-Hoare Logicillustrate the need for Logical Variables with examples	
L30	IV.f	Program Verification: Partial Correctness and Total Correctness	 distinguish between partial correctness arguments and total correctness arguments write termination proofs 	T1 Sec. 4.3.1
L30	IV.g	Program Verification: Floyd-Hoare Logic: Loop Invariants	illustrate and explain what loop invariants are	T1 Sec. 4.2.2 & 4.3.1
L30	IV.h	Program Verification: Floyd-Hoare Logic: Verifying correctness of Loops: Partial Correctness using Invariants – Examples	 write loop invariants given simple loops provide correctness arguments using loop invariants 	T1 Sec. 4.2.2 & 4.3.1
L31	IV.i	Program Verification: Floyd-Hoare Logic: Proof Rules and Verification Examples	provide partial correctness proofs for small programs	T1 Sec. 4.3.1 & 4.3.2
L32	IV.j	Program Verification: Case Study	apply Floyd-Hoare logic to verify properties of reasonably large programs	-
L33	IV.k	Program Verification: Approaches and Limitations	describe issues and limitations in proving correctness of programs	T1 Sec. 3.1
L33	V.a	Dynamic Logics	 provide examples where "time" needs to be specified explicitly in logical formulas and the form in which it needs to be specified 	T1 Sec. 3.1
L33	V.b	Software Modeling: State Machines	illustrate and explain specification using state machines	T1 Sec. 2.7.1
L34	V.c	Software Modeling: State Machines as Models and Model Checking	 describe model checking write state machines for simple problems / computations 	T1 Sec. 2.7.1
L34	V.d	Linear-time Temporal Logic (LTL) –	describe LTL	T1 Sec.

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		Introduction		3.2
L35	V.e	LTL: Syntax and Formulas	 provide examples of formulas in LTL illustrate internal structure of formulas in LTL 	T1 Sec. 3.2.1
L35	V.f	LTL: Semantics: Transitions and Paths	interpret LTL formulas	T1 Sec. 3.2.2
L36	V.g	LTL: Specifications: Examples	write LTL specifications for complex scenarios	T1 Sec. 3.2.3
L37	V.h	Properties expressible in Temporal Logics – Examples	define the problem of model checking for a particular case	T1 Sec. 3.3.1
L37	V.i	Limitations of Linear Time and LTL:	state and illustrate the limitations of LTL	T1 Sec. 3.4
L38	V.j	Branching Time and Branching Time Temporal Logic (CTL) - Introduction	read, write, and explain CTL formulas	T1 Sec. 3.4
L38	V.k	CTL – Semantics of Temporal Operators, Examples.	 interpret CTL formulas differentiate between interpretation in LTL and that in CTL 	T1 Sec. 3.4
L39	V.I	CTL – Model Checking	perform model checking of properties stated in CTL	T1 Sec. 3.6.1
L40	-	Course Summary	-	-

4. Evaluation

4. a. Evaluation Scheme:

Component	Weight	Date	Remarks
Quizzes (3)	3x18M=54M	In Tutorial / Lecture Sessions	1 session notice (Open Book)

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Assignments (2)	46M (tentative split	2 to 3 weeks each.	Take Home
	15+31)		(Teams of 2)
Mid-Term Test (90	43M	9/10 2:00 - 3:30	(scheduled centrally)
minutes)		PM	Open Book
Comprehensive Exam	57M	11/12 FN	(scheduled centrally)
(120 minutes)			Open Book
TOTAL	200M	-	-

4. b. Make-up Policy:

- No Make-up will be available for Assignments under any condition.
- Late submission of assignment will incur a penalty of 25% up to 24 hours and a penalty of 50% up to 48 hours from the deadline.
- There will be one make-up (for all three quizzes put together) i.e. a student can take a make-up for at most one quiz out of the three quizzes. The make-up quiz will be conducted after all the regular quizzes are done and the coverage for that will be announced later.
- Prior Permission of the Instructor is usually required to get a make-up for the mid-term test.
- Prior Permission of (Associate) Dean, Instruction is usually required to get a make-up for the comprehensive exam.
- A make-up shall be granted only in genuine cases where in the Instructor's / Dean's judgment the student would be physically unable to appear for the test/exam. Instructor's / Dean's decision in this matter would be final.

4.c. Fairness Policy:

- Student teams are expected to work on their own on assignments.
- All students are expected to contribute equally within a team. The instructor's assessment regarding the contributions of team members would be final.
- Any use of unfair means in quizzes, assignment, or test/exam will be reported to the Unfair means committee and will be subject to the severest penalty possible:
 - Unfair means would include copying from other students or from the Web or from other sources of information including electronic devices.
 - All parties involved would be treated equally responsible: allowing others to copy one's work is enabling unfair means and is equally un-acceptable.
- **5. Consultation Hours:** *To be announced.*
- 6. Notices: All notices concerning this course will be displayed online only. If there is a need email would be used on short notice (12 hours) – only BITS Pilani mail would be used.

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