

# MAS AI Assignment 7

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## Task 1: Definitions

All answers use the book "Artificial Intelligence - A modern approach" from Russel and Norvig as basis.

**Enumeration** A way to **check** a sentence in against a **model** in propositional logic. This works by *enumerating* each possible row of a truth table for a given sentence.

**Validity** Also a property of propositional logic. A sentence is *valid* if it is true in **all** models.

**Satisfiability** A sentence is *satisfiable*, if it is true in a subset of all models.

### CNF and DNF

**Conjunctive normal form, CNF** Expressing a sentence as a conjunction of clauses. For every sentence exists as CNF. This way the sentence can be put into an resolution algorithm. The sentence  $B_{1,1} \Leftrightarrow (P_{1,2} \vee P_{2,1})$  can be converted in following CNF:  $(\neg B_{1,1} \vee P_{1,2} \vee P_{2,1}) \wedge (\neg P_{1,2} \vee B_{1,1}) \wedge (\neg P_{2,1} \vee B_{1,2})$

**Disjunctive normal form, DNF** This is a form were a disjunction of conjunctions of literals is used. Example from the book:  $(A \wedge B \wedge C) \vee (\neg A \wedge C) \vee (B \wedge \neg C)$

**Resolution** This is a specific inference rule which creates a complete inference algorithm when using any search algorithm. It uses factoring to eliminate multiple copies of literals.

## Task 2: Implications

Given sentence:  $[(F \Rightarrow P) \vee (D \Rightarrow P)] \Rightarrow [(F \wedge D) \Rightarrow P]$

### Proof by enumeration

The truth table shows that the sentence is valid because it holds true in all models:

F	P	D	$F \Rightarrow P$	$D \Rightarrow P$	$(F \Rightarrow P) \vee (D \Rightarrow P)$	$F \wedge D$	$(F \wedge D) \Rightarrow P$	Full sentence
0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	1
0	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	1
0	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	1
0	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	1
1	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1
1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1
1	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	1
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

## Convert to CNF

1. Given sentence:  

$$[(F \implies P) \vee (D \implies P)] \implies [(F \wedge D) \implies P]$$
2. Eliminate three times the inner *implications*:  

$$[(\neg F \vee P) \vee (\neg D \vee P)] \implies [\neg(F \wedge D) \vee P]$$
3. Use *De Morgan* on the right side:  

$$[(\neg F \vee P) \vee (\neg D \vee P)] \implies [(\neg F \vee \neg D) \vee P]$$
4. Eliminate remaining *implication*:  

$$\neg[(\neg F \vee P) \vee (\neg D \vee P)] \vee [(\neg F \vee \neg D) \vee P]$$
5. Use *De Morgan* on the left side:  

$$[\neg(\neg F \vee P) \wedge \neg(\neg D \vee P)] \vee [(\neg F \vee \neg D) \vee P]$$
6. Use two times *De Morgan* on the left side:  

$$[(F \wedge \neg P) \wedge (D \wedge \neg P)] \vee [(\neg F \vee \neg D) \vee P]$$
7. Remove inner brackets:  

$$[F \wedge \neg P \wedge D \wedge \neg P] \vee [\neg F \vee \neg D \vee P]$$
8. Remove double  $\neg P$  get CNF:  

$$[F \wedge D \wedge \neg P] \vee [\neg F \vee \neg D \vee P]$$

## Prove using resolution

F	D	P	!F	!D	!P	$F \wedge D \wedge \neg P$	$\neg F \vee \neg D \vee P$	$[F \wedge D \wedge \neg P] \vee [\neg F \vee \neg D \vee P]$
0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	1
0	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	1
0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	1
0	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1
1	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1
1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	1
1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	1
1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1

We see that the CNF  $[F \wedge D \wedge \neg P] \vee [\neg F \vee \neg D \vee P]$  is equal to *False*  $\vee$  *True* which is always *True*.

## Task 3: Entailment

Given formula  $(A \wedge B) \implies C$  prove that  $(A \implies C) \vee (B \implies C)$  is equivalent.

1. Given formula:  

$$(A \wedge B) \implies C$$
2. Eliminate *implication*:  

$$\neg(A \wedge B) \vee C$$
3. Use *De Morgan*:  

$$\neg A \vee \neg B \vee C$$
4. Which is equivalent to:  

$$\neg A \vee C \vee \neg B \vee C$$
5. Recreate *implications*:  

$$(A \implies C) \vee (B \implies C)$$

## Task 4: Proving

a)

1. Given formula:  
 $\neg P \wedge \neg Q \Leftrightarrow \neg(P \vee Q)$
2. Use *De Morgan* on the right side:  
 $\neg P \wedge \neg Q \Leftrightarrow \neg P \wedge \neg Q$

b)

1. Given formula:  
 $\neg P \vee \neg Q \Leftrightarrow \neg(P \wedge Q)$
2. Use *De Morgan* on the right side:  
 $\neg P \wedge \neg Q \Leftrightarrow \neg P \wedge \neg Q$

c)

1. Given formula:  
 $P \vee (P \wedge Q) \Leftrightarrow P$
2. Left side, distribute  $\vee$  over  $\wedge$ :  
 $(P \vee Q) \wedge (P \vee P) \Leftrightarrow P$
3. Which is equivalent to:  
 $P \wedge (P \vee Q) \Leftrightarrow P$
4. Because  $P$  overshadows all values of  $Q$  this is equivalent to:  
 $P \Leftrightarrow P$