

# Lab06-Universal Programs

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1. Show that there is a decidable predicate  $Q(x, y, z)$  such that
  - (a)  $y \in E_x$  if and only if  $\exists z.Q(x, y, z)$
  - (b) if  $y \in E_x$  and  $Q(x, y, z)$ , then  $\phi_x((z)_1) = y$ .
2. Show that there is a total computable function  $k(x)$  such that for any  $x$ ,  $\phi_{k(x)} = c_{\neg M(x)}$ , where  $M$  is a decidable predicate and  $\phi_x = c_M$ .
3. Show that there is a total computable function  $s(x, y)$  such that for all  $x, y$ ,  $E_{s(x, y)} = E_x \cup E_y$ .
4. Prove the equivalent of example 5 in Chapter 5-3.1 for the operations of substitution and minimalisation, namely:
  - (a) Fix  $m, n \geq 1$ ; there is a total computable function  $s(e, e_1, \dots, e_m)$  such that (in the notation of theorem 2.2)  $\phi_{s(e, e_1, \dots, e_m)}^{(n)} = \text{Sub}(\phi_e^{(m)}; \phi_{e_1}^{(n)}, \phi_{e_2}^{(n)}, \dots, \phi_{e_m}^{(n)})$ .
  - (b) Fix  $n \geq 1$ ; there is a total computable function  $k(e)$  such that for all  $e$ ,  $\phi_{k(e)}^{(n)}(\mathbf{x}) \simeq \mu y(\phi_e^{(n+1)}(\mathbf{x}, y) = 0)$ . (We could extend the notation of theorem 2.2 in the obvious way and write  $\phi_{k(e)}^{(n)} = \text{Min}(\phi_e^{(n+1)})$ .)