

Contrast  $S \rightarrow x$  to  $\forall x S \rightarrow x$  or  $\exists x S \rightarrow x$   
 $x$  is free  $x$  is bound  
occurs outside  
any quantifier over  $x$

A formula with no free variables is called a sentence.

Our models will make each sentence true or false, but  
do not interpret formulas with free variables.

Q2] What's one model of predicate logic?

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A model specifies a domain  $D$  and a relational database over  $D$  interpreting each relation symbol.

The model also provides a mapping from constant symbols to  $D$ .

Also,  $=$ , if present, must be the identity relation over  $D$  :  $\{ (x, x) \mid x \in D \}$

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example model

$$D = \{0, 1, 2\}$$

$$\text{penguin}(x) \equiv \{1, 2\}$$

$$\text{human}(x) \equiv \{0\}$$

$$\text{teacher}(x, y) \equiv \{(0, 1), (0, 2)\}$$

$$\text{Bob} \rightarrow 0$$

example model

$$D = \mathbb{N}$$

$$\text{penguin}(x) = \mathbb{N}$$

$$\text{human}(x) \equiv \text{odd numbers}$$

$$\text{teacher}(x, y) \equiv \{\}$$

$$\text{Bob} \mapsto 1$$

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$$\exists x \exists y \exists z \ x \neq y \wedge y \neq z \wedge z \neq x \wedge \text{penguin}(x) \wedge \text{penguin}(y) \wedge \text{penguin}(z)$$

$$\forall x \exists y \text{teacher}(x, y)$$

Q3] Which formulas (sentences) are true in which models?

$\Rightarrow$  translate to English, ask if the English is true in the model.

There are three distinct plug-ins.

Everyone teaches someone.

Translate Bob ~~John~~ loves every beagle.

use constant John Bob, binary relation  $\text{loves}(x, y)$  and <sup>monadic/</sup> ~~or~~ <sup>unary</sup> relation ~~or~~ <sup>(symbol)</sup>  $\text{Beagle}(x)$

$\forall x \text{ Beagle}(x) \wedge \text{Loves}(\text{Bob}, x)$  X

$\forall x \text{ Beagle}(x) \rightarrow \text{Loves}(\text{Bob}, x)$

$\forall x \text{ Loves}(\text{Bob}, x)$  X

essentially  $\forall$  limited to beagles.

Bob loves some beagle.

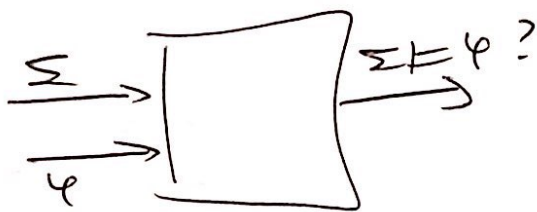
$\exists x \text{ Loves}(\text{Bob}, x)$  X

$\exists x \text{ Beagle}(x) \rightarrow \text{Loves}(\text{Bob}, x)$  X

$\exists x (\text{Beagle}(x) \wedge \text{Loves}(\text{Bob}, x))$   
 $\exists$  limited to beagles

When can we conclude  $\varphi$  from premises  $\Sigma$ ?  
(in p.c.)

$\Sigma \models \varphi$  when every model of  $\Sigma$  (makes  $\Sigma$  all true)  
is also a model of  $\varphi$ . (makes  $\varphi$  true)



(for Boolean logic this box can be implemented w/ exponential worst case runtime. Better may be possible  $\Rightarrow$  open?)

Thus Predicate logic entailment  
is undecidable.

$\hookrightarrow$  no computer program can guarantee termination with a correct answer.