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### Homework 5

1.

•  $P \Rightarrow Q, \neg Q \Rightarrow \neg P$

Say  $\Delta: P \Rightarrow Q$

$\alpha: \neg Q \Rightarrow \neg P$

Show  $\Delta \Leftrightarrow \alpha$

	P	Q	$\Delta$	$\alpha$
$\omega_1$	t	t	✓	✓
$\omega_2$	t	f	✗	✗
$\omega_3$	f	t	✓	✓
$\omega_4$	f	f	✓	✓

$$M(\Delta) = \{\omega_1, \omega_3, \omega_4\} \quad M(\alpha) = \{\omega_1, \omega_3, \omega_4\}$$

Since  $M(P \Rightarrow Q) = M(\neg Q \Rightarrow \neg P)$ , the two sentences are equivalent

- $P \Leftrightarrow TQ, ((P \wedge TQ) \vee (TP \wedge Q))$

Say  $\Delta: P \Leftrightarrow TQ$

$$\alpha: ((P \wedge TQ) \vee (TP \wedge Q))$$

- Show  $\Delta \Leftrightarrow \alpha$

	P	Q	$\Delta$	$\alpha$
$\omega_1$	t	t	x	x
$\omega_2$	t	f	v	v
$\omega_3$	f	t	v	v
$\omega_4$	f	f	x	x

$$M(\Delta) = \{\omega_2, \omega_3\} \quad M(\alpha) = \{\omega_2, \omega_3\}$$

Since  $M(P \Leftrightarrow TQ) = M(((P \wedge TQ) \vee (TP \wedge Q)))$ ,  
the two sentences are equivalent.

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- $(\text{Smoke} \Rightarrow \text{Fire}) \Rightarrow (\neg \text{Smoke} \Rightarrow \neg \text{Fire})$

Say  $\Delta: (\text{Smoke} \Rightarrow \text{Fire}) \Rightarrow (\neg \text{Smoke} \Rightarrow \neg \text{Fire})$

	Smoke	Fire	$\Delta$
$\omega_1$	t	t	✓
$\omega_2$	t	f	✓
$\omega_3$	f	t	✗
$\omega_4$	f	f	✓

$$M(\Delta) = \{\omega_1, \omega_2, \omega_4\}$$

- Since  $\omega_3 \not\models \Delta$ ,  $M(\Delta) \neq \text{all worlds}$ , so  $\Delta$  is not valid.
- Since  $M(\Delta) \neq \emptyset$ , there is at least one world where  $\Delta$  holds, so  $\Delta$  is satisfiable.

- $(\text{Smoke} \Rightarrow \text{Fire}) \Rightarrow ((\text{Smoke} \vee \text{Heat}) \Rightarrow \text{Fire})$

Say  $\Delta : (\text{Smoke} \Rightarrow \text{Fire}) \Rightarrow ((\text{Smoke} \vee \text{Heat}) \Rightarrow \text{Fire})$

	Smoke	Fire	Heat	$\Delta$
$\omega_1$	t	t	t	✓
$\omega_2$	t	t	f	✓
$\omega_3$	t	f	t	✓
$\omega_4$	t	f	f	✓
$\omega_5$	f	t	t	✓
$\omega_6$	f	t	f	✓
$\omega_7$	f	f	t	✗
$\omega_8$	f	f	f	✓

$$M(\Delta) = \{\omega_1, \omega_2, \omega_3, \omega_4, \omega_5, \omega_6, \omega_8\}$$

- Since  $\omega_7 \not\models \Delta$ ,  $M(\Delta) \neq \text{all worlds}$ , so  $\Delta$  is not valid.
- Since  $M(\Delta) \neq \emptyset$ , there is at least one world where  $\Delta$  holds, so  $\Delta$  is satisfiable.

- $((\text{Smoke} \wedge \text{Heat}) \Rightarrow \text{Fire}) \Leftrightarrow ((\text{Smoke} \Rightarrow \text{Fire}) \vee (\text{Heat} \Rightarrow \text{Fire}))$

Say  $\Delta : ((\text{Smoke} \wedge \text{Heat}) \Rightarrow \text{Fire}) \Leftrightarrow ((\text{Smoke} \Rightarrow \text{Fire}) \vee (\text{Heat} \Rightarrow \text{Fire}))$

	Smoke	Fire	Heat	$\Delta$
$\omega_1$	t	t	t	✓
$\omega_2$	t	t	f	✓
$\omega_3$	t	f	t	✓
$\omega_4$	t	f	f	✓
$\omega_5$	f	t	t	✓
$\omega_6$	f	t	f	✓
$\omega_7$	f	f	t	✓
$\omega_8$	f	f	f	✓

$$M(\Delta) = \{\omega_1, \omega_2, \omega_3, \omega_4, \omega_5, \omega_6, \omega_7, \omega_8\}$$

- Since  $M(\Delta) = \text{all worlds}$ ,  $\Delta$  is valid.

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*If the unicorn is mythical, then it is immortal, but if it is not mythical, then it is a mortal mammal. If the unicorn is either immortal or a mammal, then it is horned. The unicorn is magical if it is horned.*

## Propositional Symbols

A = mythical

B = immortal

C = mammal

D = horned

$E = \text{magical}$

a. knowledge base:  $[A \Rightarrow B] \wedge [\neg A \Rightarrow (\neg B \wedge C)]$   
 $\wedge [(B \vee C) \Rightarrow D] \wedge [D \Rightarrow E]$

## b. convert to CNF

- Step 1: get rid of all connectives besides  $\wedge, \vee, \neg$

$$[\neg A \vee B] \wedge [A \vee (\neg B \wedge C)] \wedge [\neg (B \vee C) \vee D] \wedge [\neg D \vee E]$$

- Step 2: push negations inwards

$$[\neg A \vee B] \wedge [A \vee (\neg B \wedge C)] \wedge [(\neg B \wedge \neg C) \vee D] \wedge [\neg D \vee E]$$

- Step 3: distribute  $\vee$  over  $\wedge$ :

$$[\neg A \vee B] \wedge [(A \vee \neg B) \wedge (A \vee C)] \wedge [(\neg B \vee D) \wedge (\neg C \vee D)] \\ \wedge [\neg D \vee E]$$

CNF:

$$(\neg A \vee B) \wedge (A \vee \neg B) \wedge (A \vee C) \wedge (\neg B \vee D) \wedge \\ (\neg C \vee D) \wedge (\neg D \vee E)$$

C.

- Can we use the knowledge base to prove that the unicorn is mythical?

$$\Delta : (\neg A \vee B) \wedge (A \vee \neg B) \wedge (A \vee C) \wedge (\neg B \vee D) \wedge (\neg C \vee D) \wedge (\neg D \vee E)$$

$$\alpha : A$$

$$\Delta \models \alpha ?$$

Is  $\Delta \wedge \neg \alpha$  unsatisfiable?

• Use Resolution:

- write clauses of  $\Delta \wedge \neg \alpha$  in a numbered list:

0.  $\neg A \vee B$

1.  $A \vee \neg B$

2.  $A \vee C$

3.  $\neg B \vee D$

4.  $\neg C \vee D$

5.  $\neg D \vee E$

6.  $\neg A$

7.  $\neg B$       1,6       $A \vee \neg B, \neg A / \neg B$

8.  $C$       2,6       $A \vee C, \neg A / C$

9.  $D$       4,8       $\neg C \vee D, C / D$

10.  $E$       5,9       $\neg D \vee E, D / E$

We can no longer apply rules, and we have found no contradictions, so  $\Delta \wedge \neg \alpha$  is satisfiable. Therefore,  $\Delta \not\models \alpha$ , so we cannot use the knowledge base to prove that the unicorn is mythical.

- Can we use the knowledge base to prove that the unicorn is magical?

$\Delta: (\neg A \vee B) \wedge (A \vee \neg B) \wedge (A \vee C) \wedge (\neg B \vee D) \wedge (\neg C \vee D) \wedge (\neg D \vee E)$

$\alpha: E$

$\Delta \models \alpha ?$

Is  $\Delta \wedge \neg \alpha$  unsatisfiable?

• Use Resolution:

- write clauses of  $\Delta \wedge \Gamma_\alpha$  in a numbered list:

0.  $\neg A \vee B$

1.  $A \vee \neg B$

2.  $A \vee C$

3.  $\neg B \vee D$

4.  $\neg C \vee D$

5.  $\neg D \vee E$

6.  $\neg E$

7.  $\neg D$       5, 6       $\neg D \vee E, \neg E / \neg D$

8.  $\neg C$       4, 7       $\neg C \vee D, \neg D / \neg C$

9.  $A$       2, 8       $A \vee C, \neg C / A$

10.  $B$       0, 9       $\neg A \vee B, A / B$

11.  $D$       3, 10       $\neg B \vee D, B / D$

There is a contradiction between 7. ( $\neg D$ ) and 11. ( $D$ ),

so  $\Delta \wedge \Gamma_\alpha$  is unsatisfiable. Therefore,  $\Delta \models \alpha$ ,

and we can use the knowledge base to prove that the unicorn  
is magical.

- Can we use the knowledge base to prove that the unicorn is horned?

$\Delta: (\neg A \vee B) \wedge (A \vee \neg B) \wedge (A \vee C) \wedge (\neg B \vee D) \wedge (\neg C \vee D) \wedge (\neg D \vee E)$

$\alpha: D$

$\Delta \models \alpha ?$

Is  $\Delta \wedge \neg \alpha$  unsatisfiable?

• Use Resolution:

- write clauses of  $\Delta \wedge \Gamma_2$  in a numbered list:

0.  $\neg A \vee B$

1.  $A \vee \neg B$

2.  $A \vee C$

3.  $\neg B \vee D$

4.  $\neg C \vee D$

5.  $\neg D \vee E$

6.  $\neg D$

7.  $\neg C$       4, 6       $\neg C \vee D, \neg D / \neg C$

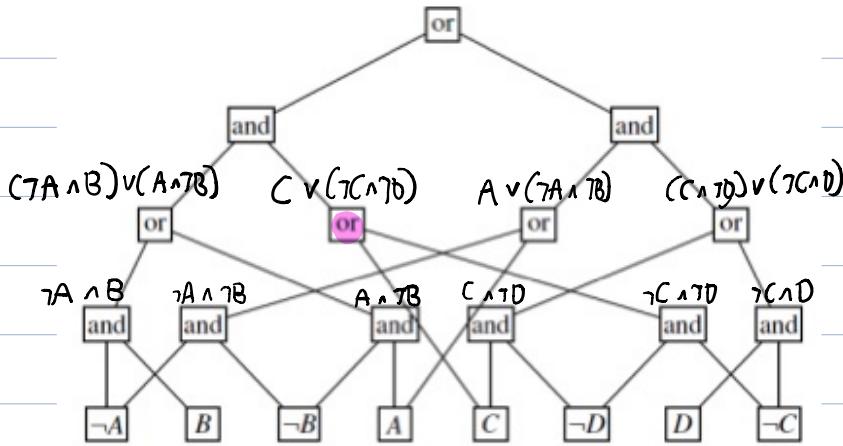
8.  $A$       2, 7       $A \vee C, \neg C / A$

9.  $B$       0, 8       $\neg A \vee B, A / B$

10.  $D$       3, 9       $\neg B \vee D, B / D$

There is a contradiction between 6. ( $\neg D$ ) and 10. ( $D$ ), so  $\Delta \wedge \Gamma_2$  is unsatisfiable. Therefore,  $\Delta \models \alpha$ , and we can use the knowledge base to prove that the unicorn is horned.

4.



- The circuit is decomposable since the subcircuits feeding into each and-gate don't share any variables.
- The circuit is not smooth. A counterexample is that for the or-gate highlighted pink, one of inputs contains only C, while its other input contains C and D. So for all  $\alpha \vee \beta$ ,  $\text{var}(\alpha) = \text{var}(\beta)$  is not always true in this circuit.
- The circuit is not deterministic because the top or-gate does not have at most 1 true input under any circuit input. For example, when A=true, B=false, C=true, and D=false, both inputs to the top or-gate will be true, so the circuit is not deterministic.

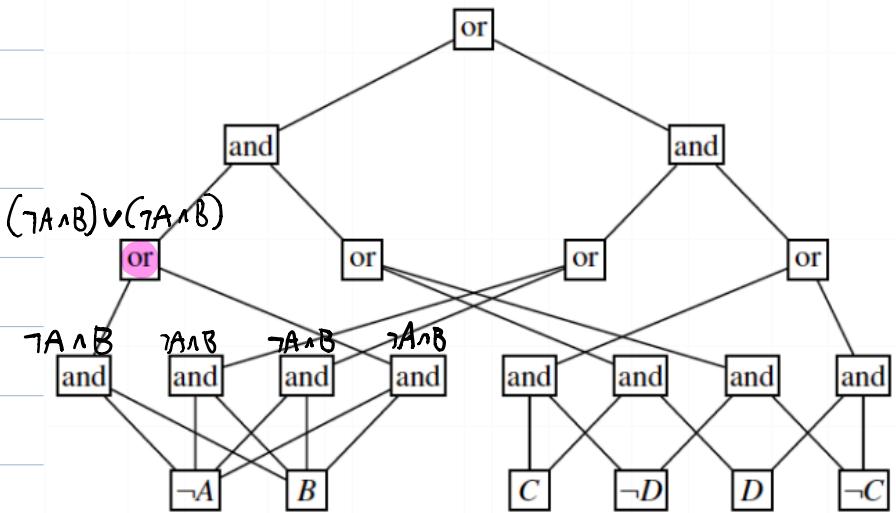


Figure 2

- The circuit is decomposable since the subcircuits feeding into each and-gate don't share any variables.
- The circuit is smooth since for every or-gate  $\alpha \vee \beta$ ,  $\text{var}(\alpha) = \text{var}(\beta)$ .
- The circuit is not deterministic because every or-gate does not have at most 1 true input under any circuit input. For example, for the or-gate highlighted in pink, when  $A = \text{false}$  and  $B = \text{true}$ , both inputs to that or-gate will be true, so the circuit is not deterministic.

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- Note: a model is a complete variable assignment that satisfies the propositional formula

a.

	A	B	$(\neg A \wedge B) \vee (\neg B \wedge A)$
$\omega_1$	t	t	f
$\omega_2$	t	f	t
$\omega_3$	f	t	t
$\omega_4$	f	f	f

- models:  $\{\omega_2, \omega_3\}$

$$\begin{aligned}WMC &= \omega(A, \neg B) + \omega(\neg A, B) \\&= \omega(A)\omega(\neg B) + \omega(\neg A)\omega(B) \\&= (.2)(.6) + (.8)(.4) \\&= .12 + .32\end{aligned}$$

$$WMC = .44$$

b.

- first, find the count on the root:

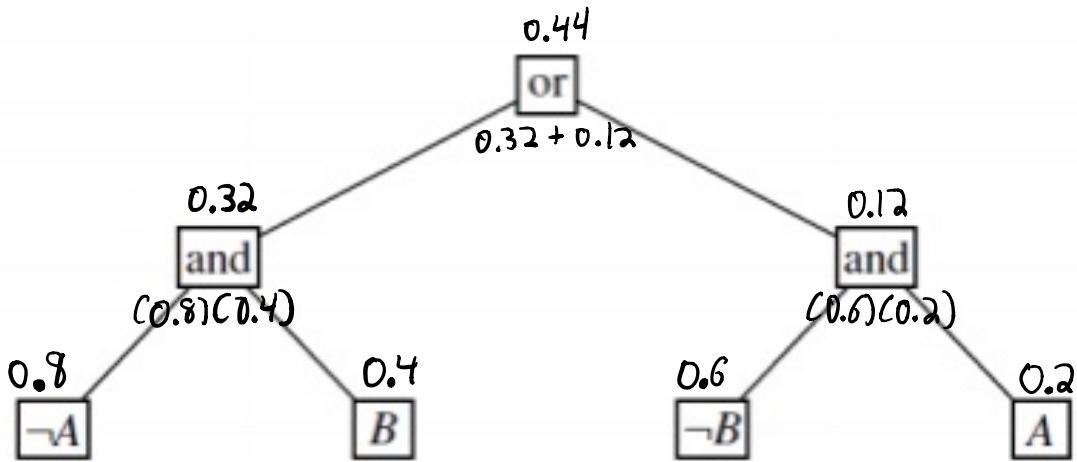


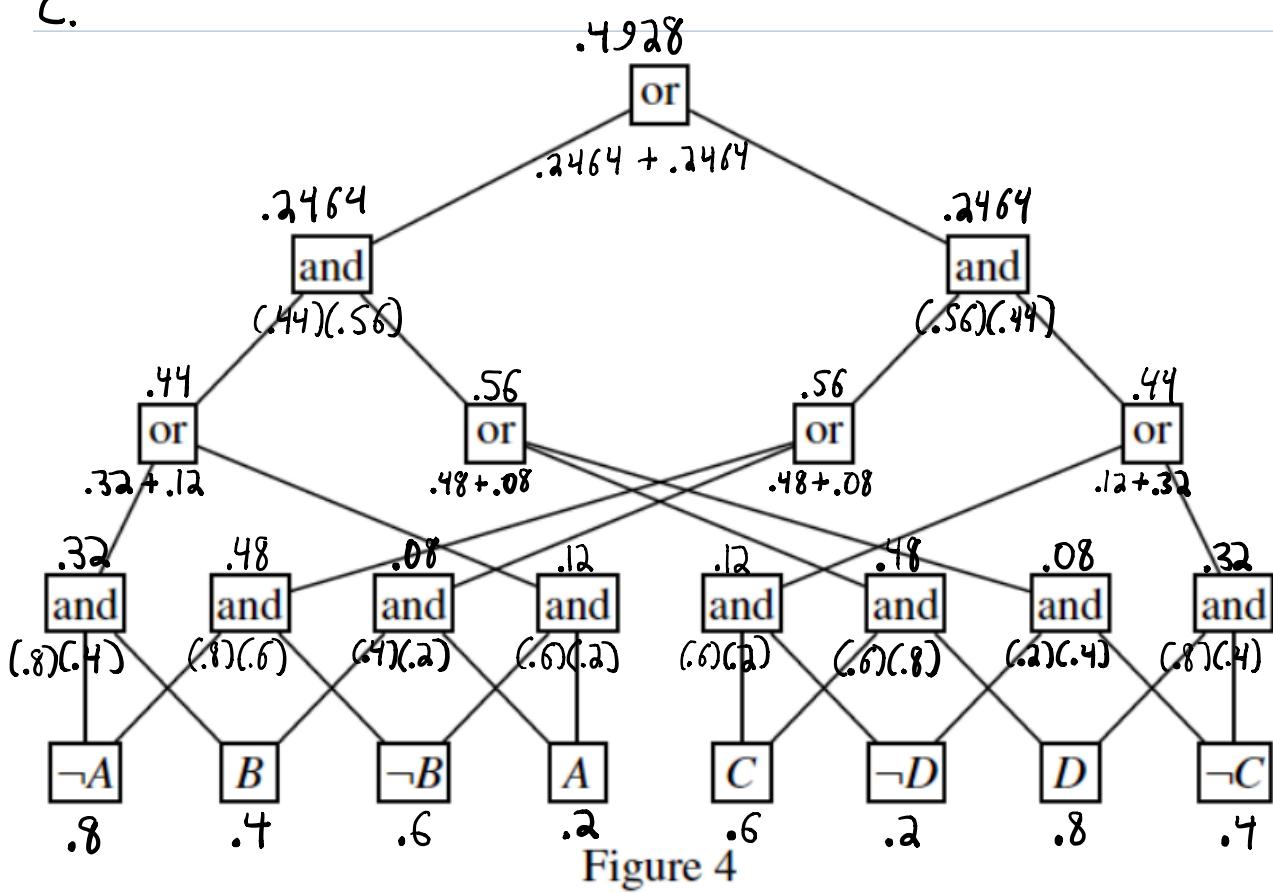
Figure 3

- the count on the root is .44.

- The formula is  $(\neg A \wedge B) \vee (\neg B \wedge A)$ . We found the WMC for this formula in part a, and its value is .44.

- The count on the root (.44) and the WMC for the formula (.44) are the same.

C.



$$\text{WMC} = 0.4928$$