

# HW 3

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## 1 Question 1

- (a) (i) This statement is true for real numbers but false for natural numbers and rational numbers because the only solutions to this statement is  $y = +\sqrt{2}$  or  $y = -\sqrt{2}$  which is an irrational number and does not exist in the set of natural numbers or rational numbers.
- (ii) this statement is true for real numbers and rational numbers but false for natural numbers because  $y = -x$  satisfies this constraint and thus  $y$  may be negative which is not a natural number. But reals and rational numbers can be negative.
- (iii) This statement is true for real numbers and rational numbers and also for natural numbers because  $x * y = x + z \implies z = (y - 1) * x$  This  $z$  exists in the set of real numbers and rational numbers and natural numbers if  $\neg(y = 0)$ .
- (iv) these equations are satisfied by  $x = -1 \wedge y = \sqrt{x}$  This is False for all of natural numbers (because  $x = -1$ ) and rational numbers (because  $\sqrt{x}$  is not rational) and real numbers (because  $\sqrt{-1}$  is not real).
- (b) (i)  $gt_N(x, y) := \exists z. (\neg(z = 0) \wedge (x = y + z))$
- (ii) We define  $positive(x)$  which is only true for reals when  $x$  is positive  
 $positive(x) := \exists z. (\neg(z = 0) \wedge (z * z = x))$   
 $gt_R(x, y) := \exists z. (\neg(z = 0) \wedge (x = y + z) \wedge positive(z))$
- (iii) we can define a similar formula for rational numbers as well:  
 $positive(x) := \exists z \exists c. x * z * z + c = 0 \wedge 4 * c + 1 = 0$   
 $gt_Q(x, y) := \exists z. (\neg(z = 0) \wedge (x = y + z) \wedge positive(z))$
- (c) one such formula  $F$  is  $F := \neg(\exists z. (z * z = 1 + 1))$

## 2 Question 2

- (a) We will first perform quantifier elimination on the formula

$$\exists w. l_1 < w \wedge w < u_1 \wedge l_2 < w \wedge w < u_2 \wedge w \neq z$$

$$\exists w. l_1 < w \wedge w < u_1 \wedge l_2 < w \wedge w < u_2 \wedge (w < z \vee z < w)$$

This formula is in form where  $w$  is grouped on one side and we can begin quantifier elimination

grouping elements such that expressions of the form  $t < w$  and  $w < t$  are grouped together we get:

$$\exists w. (l_1 < w \wedge l_2 < w \wedge w < u_1 \wedge w < u_2 \wedge w < z) \vee (l_1 < w \wedge z < w \wedge l_2 < w \wedge w < u_1 \wedge w < u_2)$$

**for the first disjunction:** clearly the solution only exists when  $\{l_1, l_2\} < \{u_1, u_2, z\}$

so we get the quantifier eliminated version as

$$\bigwedge_{t \in L, t' \in U} (t < t')$$

where  $L = \{l_1, l_2\}$  and  $U = \{u_1, u_2, z\}$

**for the second disjunction:** clearly the solution only exists when  $\{l_1, l_2, z\} < \{u_1, u_2\}$

so we get the quantifier eliminated version as

$$\bigwedge_{t \in L', t' \in U'} (t < t')$$

where  $L' = \{l_1, l_2, z\}$  and  $U' = \{u_1, u_2\}$

**Quantifier Free formula after eliminating  $w$ :**

$$F(z) := \bigwedge_{t \in L, t' \in U} (t < t') \vee \bigwedge_{t \in L', t' \in U'} (t < t')$$

where  $L' = \{l_1, l_2, z\}$ ,  $U' = \{u_1, u_2\}$ ,  $L = \{l_1, l_2\}$  and  $U = \{u_1, u_2, z\}$

We can simplify this further by seeing that both disjunctions contain  $\{l_1, l_2\} < \{u_1, u_2\}$

So we can simplify the formula to:

$$F(z) := \{l_1, l_2\} < \{u_1, u_2\} \wedge (\{z\} < \{u_1, u_2\} \vee \{l_1, l_2\} < \{z\})$$

For the rest of the proof we will assume  $\{l_1, l_2\} < \{u_1, u_2\} := a$  since it doesn't depend on  $z$

$$F(z) = a \wedge (\{z\} < \{u_1, u_2\} \vee \{l_1, l_2\} < \{z\})$$

Now we will perform quantifier elimination on the formula

$$\forall z((l_1 < z \wedge z < u_1 \wedge l_2 < z \wedge z < u_2) \implies F(z))$$

$$\neg(\exists z((l_1 < z \wedge z < u_1 \wedge l_2 < z \wedge z < u_2) \wedge \neg a \vee \neg(\{z\} < \{u_1, u_2\} \vee \{l_1, l_2\} < \{z\}))))$$

Taking the inner formula we get:

$$\begin{aligned} & \exists z.(l_1 < z \wedge l_2 < z \wedge z < u_1 \wedge z < u_2 \wedge (\neg a)) \\ & \vee \\ & \exists z.(l_1 < z \wedge l_2 < z \wedge z < u_1 \wedge z < u_2 \wedge \neg(\{z\} < \{u_1, u_2\} \vee \{l_1, l_2\} < \{z\})) \end{aligned}$$

**for the first disjunction:**

$$\neg a \wedge \exists z.(l_1 < z \wedge l_2 < z \wedge z < u_1 \wedge z < u_2)$$

which is a Fallacy because it evaluates to  $\neg a \wedge a = false$

**for the second disjunction:**

This expression will also evaluate to False since the last conjunct has to be false if the earleir conjuncts are true. and this we can see by looking at the quantifier eliminated version of the formula:

$$\neg(false \vee false) = true$$

The link to the Z3 is here:

[https://github.com/devg24/CS474/blob/main/HW3/prob2\\_parta.smt2](https://github.com/devg24/CS474/blob/main/HW3/prob2_parta.smt2)

(b) let  $L = \{l_1, l_2, l_3, l_4\}$  and  $R = \{r_1, r_2, r_3, r_4\}$

Semantically the subscript  $i$  represents the  $i$ 'th vertice with there being only 4 vertices.

An edge from  $i$  to  $j$  only exists when an interval exists with endpoints  $l_i, r_i$  and  $l_j, r_j$  repectively.

the formula  $\alpha_g$  basically defines the intervals that have to intersect.

For intersecting intervals we will employ the shorthand  $\{l_i, l_j\} < \{r_i, r_j\}$  to say that every element in the first set is smaller than every element in the second set or:

$$l_i < r_i \wedge l_i < r_j \wedge l_j < r_i \wedge l_j < r_j$$

The formula now becomes

$$\alpha_G = \{l_1, l_2\} < \{r_1, r_2\} \wedge \{l_2, l_4\} < \{r_2, r_4\} \wedge \{l_3, l_4\} < \{r_3, r_4\} \wedge \{l_1, l_3\} < \{r_1, r_3\}$$

$$\bigwedge_{s,t \in L} (s < t \vee t < s) \bigwedge_{s,t \in R} (s < t \vee t < s)$$

### 3 Question 3

1. let's take the inner formula first and perform quantifier elimination on it:

$$\exists y. ((2y > 3x) \wedge (4y < 8x + 10))$$

Grouping the equation se we have  $y$  with coefficient 1 on one side in every term we get:

$$\exists y. ((y > \frac{3}{2}x) \wedge (y < \frac{8x+10}{4}))$$

$F_{-\infty}$  formula evaluates to:

$$False \wedge True = False$$

similarly  $F_{\infty}$  evaluates to:

$$True \wedge False = False$$

The terms not involving  $y$  are  $S = \{\frac{3}{2}x, \frac{8x+10}{4}\}$  therefore we now get the quantifier free formula as the follwing disjunction:

$$\bigvee_{t,t' \in S} F[(t + t')/2 / y]$$

which has the following disjuncts:

$$\frac{3}{2}x > \frac{3}{2}x \wedge \frac{3}{2}x < \frac{8x+10}{4}$$

$$\frac{8x+10}{4} > \frac{3}{2}x \wedge \frac{8x+10}{4} < \frac{8x+10}{4}$$

$$\frac{\frac{3}{2}x + \frac{8x+10}{4}}{2} > \frac{3}{2}x \wedge \frac{\frac{3}{2}x + \frac{8x+10}{4}}{2} < \frac{8x+10}{4}$$

We can exclude the first two disjuncts since they are always false. So we get the original formula as

$$\forall x. (\frac{\frac{3}{2}x + \frac{8x+10}{4}}{2} > \frac{3}{2}x \wedge \frac{\frac{3}{2}x + \frac{8x+10}{4}}{2} < \frac{8x+10}{4})$$

$$\forall x. (\frac{8x+10}{4} > \frac{3}{2}x \wedge \frac{3}{2}x < \frac{8x+10}{4})$$

$$\forall x. (x > -5 \wedge x < -5)$$

$$\forall x. (x > -5)$$

$$\neg \exists \neg (x > -5)$$

$$\neg \exists x. (x < -5 \vee x = -5)$$

clearly  $x = -5$  satisfies this formula so we get the quantifier free formula as:

$$\neg(-5 < -5 \vee -5 = -5)$$

$$-5 > -5$$

this semantically evaluates to false which makes sense.

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We can see that the code outputs sat which means the original formula isn't valid which is the outcome we reached by our proof