

GUIDED TUTORIALS N°4

Exercise 1

Formalize the given sentences using predicate logic:

1. Every even natural number greater than 2 is the sum of two prime numbers.
2. $\forall x [(nat(x) \wedge even(x) \wedge x > 2) \Rightarrow \exists y \exists z (prime(y) \wedge prime(z) \wedge x = sum(y, z))]$
3. A student is a football-player if and only if he is athletic and disciplined.
4. $\forall x [(Student(x) \Rightarrow footballPlayer(x)) \Leftrightarrow (athletic(x) \wedge disciplined(x))]$
5. There is a smallest positive real number.
6. $\exists x [(real(x) \wedge positive(x)) \wedge \forall y ((real(y) \wedge positive(y)) \Rightarrow x \leq y)]$
7. There is no smallest positive real number.
8. $\neg[\exists x [(real(x) \wedge positive(x)) \wedge \forall y ((real(y) \wedge positive(y)) \Rightarrow x \leq y)]]$
9. Any student's absence of any exam implies his exclusion.
10. $\forall x \forall y [(student(x) \wedge exam(y)) \wedge absence(x, y) \Rightarrow exclusion(x)]$
11. All non-athletic students are honest except one.
12. $\forall x [(\neg athletic(x) \wedge student(x) \wedge x \neq y) \Rightarrow honest(x)]$

Exercise 2

Find two interpretations I_1 and I_2 such that the formula below is true in I_1 and false in I_2 .

$$F \equiv \forall x \forall y Q(g(x, y), g(y, y), z)$$

1)

- $I_1 = (D = \{2, 3\}, IF1)$
- $IF1(Q) = \{(3, 3, 2), (3, 2, 2), (2, 3, 2), (2, 2, 2), (3, 3, 3), (3, 2, 3), (2, 3, 3), (2, 2, 3)\}$
- $IF1(g) = \{(3, 3, 2), (3, 2, 2), (2, 3, 2), (2, 2, 2)\}$
- $IF1(z) = 2$

Consequently, $IF1(F) = 1$

2)

- $I_2 = (D = \{2, 3\}, IF2)$
- $IF2(Q) = \{\}$
- $IF2(g) = \{(3, 3, 2), (3, 2, 2), (2, 3, 2), (2, 2, 2)\}$
- $IF2(z) = 2$

Consequently, $IF2(F) = 0$



Exercise 3

The following three formulas express that the binary predicate p is reflexive, symmetric, and transitive. Demonstrate that none of these formulas is a logical consequence of the two others.

1. $\forall x p(x, x)$
2. $\forall x \forall y (p(x, y) \Rightarrow p(y, x))$
3. $\forall x \forall y \forall z (p(x, y) \wedge p(y, z) \Rightarrow p(x, z))$

— **Solution :**

1. $F_1 \wedge F_2 \not\models F_3$

— $\mathcal{D} = \{1, 2, 3\}$

— $\mathcal{IF}(p) = \{(1, 1), (2, 2), (3, 3), (1, 2), (2, 1), (2, 3), (3, 2)\}$

En appliquant \mathcal{I} sur les ingrédients de F_1 , nous aurons :

x	$p(x, x)$	F_1
1	1	vrai
2	1	vrai
3	1	vrai

x	y	$p(x, y)$	$p(y, x)$	F_2
1	1	1	1	vrai
2	1	1	1	vrai
3	1	0	0	vrai
1	2	1	1	vrai
2	2	1	1	vrai
3	2	1	1	vrai
1	3	0	0	vrai
2	3	1	1	vrai
3	3	1	1	vrai

(c) $\mathcal{IF}(F_3) = 0$ car, si $x = 1, y = 2$ et $z = 3$ on a :

$\mathcal{IF}(p(1, 2)) = 1, \mathcal{IF}(p(2, 3)) = 1$ et $\mathcal{IF}(p(1, 3)) = 0$

l'implication est fausse $1 \wedge 1 \Rightarrow 0$

2. $F_1 \wedge F_3 \not\models F_2$

— $\mathcal{D} = \{1, 2\}$

— $\mathcal{IF}(p) = \{(1, 1), (2, 2), (1, 2)\}$

En appliquant \mathcal{I} sur les ingrédients de F_1 , nous aurons :

x	$p(x, x)$	F_1
1	1	vrai
2	1	vrai



x	y	z	$p(x, y)$	$p(y, z)$	$p(x, z)$	F_2
1	1	1	1	1	1	vrai
1	1	2	1	1	1	vrai
1	2	1	1	0	1	vrai
1	2	2	1	1	1	vrai
2	1	1	0	1	0	vrai
2	1	2	0	1	1	vrai
2	2	1	1	0	0	vrai
2	2	2	1	1	1	vrai

- (c) $\mathcal{IF}(F_2) = 0$ car, si $x = 1$ et $y = 2$ on a :
 $\mathcal{IF}(p(1, 2)) = 1$, $\mathcal{IF}(p(2, 1)) = 0$
l'implication est fausse $1 \Rightarrow 0$

3. $F_2 \wedge F_3 \not\models F_1$

— $\mathcal{D} = \{1, 2\}$

— $\mathcal{IF}(p) = \{(1, 1)\}$

En appliquant \mathcal{I} sur les ingrédients de F_2 , nous aurons :

x	y	$p(x, y)$	$p(y, x)$	F_2
1	1	1	1	vrai
2	1	0	0	vrai
1	2	0	0	vrai
2	2	0	0	vrai

x	y	z	$p(x, y)$	$p(y, z)$	$p(x, z)$	F_2
1	1	1	1	1	1	vrai
1	1	2	1	0	0	vrai
1	2	1	0	0	1	vrai
1	2	2	0	0	0	vrai
2	1	1	0	1	0	vrai
2	1	2	0	0	0	vrai
2	2	1	0	0	0	vrai
2	2	2	0	0	0	vrai

- (c) $\mathcal{IF}(F_1) = 0$ car, $\mathcal{IF}(p(2, 2)) = 0$

$\mathcal{IF}(F_1) = 0$, car $\mathcal{IF}(p(2, 2)) = 0$ (puisque $(2, 2)$ n'appartient pas à $\mathcal{IF}(p)$)

Exercise 4

Provide, when it exists, a unifier for each pair of atoms (A_1, A_2) .

- $A_1 = p(x, g(x), z)$ et $A_2 = p(f(y), g(f(b)), h(y))$
- $A_1 = p(x, h(b), h(x))$ et $A_2 = p(f(g(y)), y, h(f(g(h(a))))$

— **Solution :**



$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} A_1 = p(x, g(x), z) \\ A_2 = p(f(y), g(f(b)), h(y)) \end{array} \right. &\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} x = f(y) \\ g(x) = g(f(b)) \\ z = h(y) \end{array} \right. \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} x = f(y) \\ g(f(y)) = g(f(b)) \\ z = h(y) \end{array} \right. \\ \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} x = f(y) \\ f(y) = f(b) \\ z = h(y) \end{array} \right. &\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} x = f(y) \\ y = b \\ z = h(y) \end{array} \right. \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} y = b \\ x = f(b) \\ z = h(b) \end{array} \right. \Rightarrow \{x/f(b), y/b, z/h(y)\} \end{aligned}$$

— **Solution :**

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} A_1 = p(x, h(b), h(x)) \\ A_2 = p(f(g(y)), y, h(f(g(h(a)))) \end{array} \right. &\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} x = f(g(y)) \\ h(b) = y \\ h(x) = h(f(g(h(a)))) \end{array} \right. \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} x = f(g(y)) \\ y = h(b) \\ h(f(g(y))) = h(f(g(h(a)))) \end{array} \right. \\ \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} x = f(g(y)) \\ y = h(b) \\ h(f(g(h(b)))) = h(f(g(h(a)))) \end{array} \right. &\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} x = f(g(y)) \\ y = h(b) \\ b = a \end{array} \right. \quad \text{echec} \end{aligned}$$

Exercise 5

Convert the following formulas into prenex form :

1. $(\forall x \exists y R(x, z, y)) \Rightarrow (\exists x \forall y \exists t S(x, z, t))$
2. $((\exists x A(x) \Rightarrow \exists y B(y)) \Rightarrow \exists z C(z)) \Rightarrow \exists t D(t)$
3. $(\forall x \exists y \forall t R(x, z, t)) \Rightarrow (\exists x \forall y \exists t S(x, z, t))$
4. $\exists x \forall y (P(x) \wedge Q(y)) \Rightarrow \forall x \forall y \neg R(x, y)$

Convert the following formulas into Skolem normal form :

1. $\forall x \forall z \exists y \exists w (\forall t P(x, y, z, t) \Rightarrow \exists t Q(w, t))$
2. $\exists x \exists y P(x, y) \wedge \forall x \neg P(x, x)$
3. $\forall x P(x) \wedge \forall x (P(x) \Rightarrow \exists R(x, y))$

— **Solution :**

1. $(\forall x \exists y R(x, z, y)) \Rightarrow (\exists x \forall y \exists t S(x, z, t))$
 $\neg(\forall x \exists y R(x, z, y)) \vee (\exists x \exists t S(x, z, t))$
 $(\exists x \forall y \neg R(x, z, y)) \vee (\exists x \exists t S(x, z, t))$
 $(\exists x \forall y \neg R(x, z, y)) \vee (\exists x_1 \exists t S(x_1, z, t))$
 $\exists x \forall y \exists x_1 \exists t (\neg R(x, z, y) \vee S(x_1, z, t))$