

Chapter 1: Propositional and first order logic

Exercise 01: Say whether the following expressions are well formed FOL formulas or terms?

1. $a \rightarrow p(b)$.
2. $r(x, b) \rightarrow \exists y. q(y, y)$.
3. $r(x, b) \vee \exists y. g(y, b)$.
4. $\neg y \vee p(y)$.
5. $\neg\neg p(a)$.
6. $\neg\forall x. \neg p(x)$.
7. $\forall x \exists y. (r(x, y) \rightarrow r(y, x))$.
8. $\forall x \exists y. (r(x, y) \rightarrow (r(y, x) \vee (f(a)=g(a, x))))$.

Exercise 02: Find free variables in the following formulas?

1. $P(x) \wedge \neg r(y, a)$.
2. $\exists x. r(x, y)$.
3. $\forall x. p(x) \rightarrow \exists y. \neg q(f(x), y, f(y))$.
4. $\forall x \exists y. r(x, f(y))$.

Exercise 03: What is the meaning of the following FOL formulas?

1. $\text{bought}(\text{Frank}, \text{dvd})$.
2. $\exists x. \text{bought}(\text{Frank}, x)$.
3. $\forall x. (\text{bought}(\text{Frank}, x) \rightarrow \text{bought}(\text{Susan}, x))$.
4. $\forall x. \text{bought}(\text{Frank}, x) \rightarrow \forall x. \text{bought}(\text{Susan}, x)$.
5. $\forall x. \exists y. \text{bought}(x, y)$.
6. $\exists x \forall y. \text{bought}(x, y)$.

Exercise 04: Which of the following formulas is a formalization of the sentence?

"There is a computer which is not used by any student"

- ☐ $\exists x. (\text{Computer}(x) \wedge \forall y. (\neg \text{Student}(y) \wedge \neg \text{Uses}(y, x)))$.
- ☐ $\exists x. (\text{Computer}(x) \rightarrow \forall y. (\text{Student}(y) \rightarrow \neg \text{Uses}(y, x)))$.
- ☐ $\exists x. (\text{Computer}(x) \wedge \forall y. (\neg \text{Student}(y) \rightarrow \neg \text{Uses}(y, x)))$.

Exercise 05: Evaluate the following formula ?

$$(\forall X) (P(g(X), a) \rightarrow Q(f(X), b))$$

Interpretation :

- ✓ $D(X) = \{1, 2, 3\}$.
- ✓ $g(x) = x+2$; $f(x) = x+3$;
- ✓ $a=2, b=3$.
- ✓ $P(a, b)$ = true if $a < b$, false otherwise.
- ✓ $Q(a, b)$ = true if $a > b$, false otherwise.

Exercise 06: Define an appropriate language and formalize the following sentences using FOL formulas?

1. All Students are smart.
2. There exists a student.
3. There exists a smart student.
4. Every student loves some student.
5. Every student loves some other student.
6. There is a student who is loved by every other student.
7. Bill is a student.
8. Bill takes either Analysis or Geometry (but not both).
9. Bill takes Analysis and Geometry.
10. Bill doesn't take Analysis.
11. No students love Bill