

Propositional logic

Solution 1

(a)

false (as $(\text{true} \Rightarrow \text{false}) \Leftrightarrow \text{false}$)

(b)

true (as $(\text{false} \Rightarrow \text{false}) \Leftrightarrow \text{true}$)

(c)

true (as $(\text{false} \Rightarrow \text{true}) \Leftrightarrow \text{true}$)

(d)

true (as $(\text{false} \Rightarrow \text{false}) \Leftrightarrow \text{true}$)

(Assuming that pigs can't fly . . .)

Solution 2

(a)

p	q	$p \wedge q$	$(p \wedge q) \Rightarrow p$
t	t	t	t
t	f	f	t
f	t	f	t
f	f	f	t

(b)

p	q	$p \wedge q$	$\neg p$	$\neg p \Rightarrow (p \wedge q)$	$(\neg p \Rightarrow (p \wedge q)) \Leftrightarrow p$
t	t	t	f	t	t
t	f	f	f	t	t
f	t	f	t	f	t
f	f	f	t	f	t

(c)

p	q	$p \Rightarrow q$	$p \wedge (p \Rightarrow q)$	$(p \wedge (p \Rightarrow q)) \Rightarrow q$
t	t	t	t	t
t	f	f	f	t
f	t	t	f	t
f	f	t	f	t

Solution 3

(a)

$$\begin{aligned}
 p \Rightarrow \neg p & \\
 & \Leftrightarrow \neg p \vee \neg p & [\Rightarrow] \\
 & \Leftrightarrow \neg p & [\text{idempotence}]
 \end{aligned}$$

(b)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \neg p \Rightarrow p & \\
 & \Leftrightarrow \neg \neg p \vee p & [\Rightarrow] \\
 & \Leftrightarrow p \vee p & [\neg \neg] \\
 & \Leftrightarrow p & [\text{idempotence}]
 \end{aligned}$$

(c)

$$\begin{aligned}
 p \Rightarrow (q \Rightarrow r) & \\
 & \Leftrightarrow \neg p \vee (q \Rightarrow r) & [\Rightarrow] \\
 & \Leftrightarrow \neg p \vee \neg q \vee r & [\Rightarrow] \\
 & \Leftrightarrow \neg p \vee \neg q \vee r & [\text{associativity}] \\
 & \Leftrightarrow \neg (p \wedge q) \vee r & [\text{De Morgan}] \\
 & \Leftrightarrow p \wedge q \Rightarrow r & [\Rightarrow]
 \end{aligned}$$

(d)

$$\begin{aligned}
 q \Rightarrow (p \Rightarrow r) & \\
 & \Leftrightarrow \neg q \vee (p \Rightarrow r) & [\Rightarrow] \\
 & \Leftrightarrow \neg q \vee \neg p \vee r & [\Rightarrow] \\
 & \Leftrightarrow \neg p \vee \neg q \vee r & [\text{associativity} \wedge \text{commutativity}] \\
 & \Leftrightarrow \neg p \vee (q \Rightarrow r) & [\Rightarrow] \\
 & \Leftrightarrow p \Rightarrow (q \Rightarrow r) & [\Rightarrow]
 \end{aligned}$$

(e)

$$\begin{aligned}
p \wedge q &\Leftrightarrow p && [\Leftrightarrow] \\
&\Leftrightarrow (p \wedge q \Rightarrow p) \wedge (p \Rightarrow p \wedge q) && [\Rightarrow] \\
&\Leftrightarrow (\neg(p \wedge q) \vee p) \wedge (\neg p \vee p \wedge q) && [\text{De Morgan}] \\
&\Leftrightarrow (\neg p \vee \neg q \vee p) \wedge (\neg p \vee p \wedge q) && [\text{associativity } \wedge \text{ comm.}] \\
&\Leftrightarrow (\neg q \vee \neg p \vee p) \wedge (\neg p \vee p \wedge q) && [\text{excluded middle}] \\
&\Leftrightarrow (\neg q \vee \text{true}) \wedge (\neg p \vee p \wedge q) && [\vee \wedge \text{true}] \\
&\Leftrightarrow \text{true} \wedge (\neg p \vee p \wedge q) && [\wedge \wedge \text{true}] \\
&\Leftrightarrow \neg p \vee p \wedge q && [\text{distribution}] \\
&\Leftrightarrow (\neg p \vee p) \wedge (\neg p \vee q) && [\text{excluded middle}] \\
&\Leftrightarrow \text{true} \wedge (\neg p \vee q) && [\wedge \wedge \text{true}] \\
&\Leftrightarrow \neg p \vee q && [\Rightarrow] \\
&\Leftrightarrow p \Rightarrow q && [\Rightarrow]
\end{aligned}$$

(f)

$$\begin{aligned}
p \vee q &\Leftrightarrow p && [\Leftrightarrow] \\
&\Leftrightarrow (p \vee q \Rightarrow p) \wedge (p \Rightarrow p \vee q) && [\Rightarrow] \\
&\Leftrightarrow (\neg(p \vee q) \vee p) \wedge (\neg p \vee p \vee q) && [\text{De Morgan}] \\
&\Leftrightarrow (\neg p \wedge \neg q \vee p) \wedge (\neg p \vee p \vee q) && [\text{distribution}] \\
&\Leftrightarrow (\neg p \vee p) \wedge (\neg q \vee p) \wedge (\neg p \vee p \vee q) && [\text{excluded middle}] \\
&\Leftrightarrow \text{true} \wedge (\neg q \vee p) \wedge (\neg p \vee p \vee q) && [\wedge \wedge \text{true}] \\
&\Leftrightarrow (\neg q \vee p) \wedge (\neg p \vee p \vee q) && [\text{associativity}] \\
&\Leftrightarrow (\neg q \vee p) \wedge (\neg p \vee p \vee q) && [\text{excluded middle}] \\
&\Leftrightarrow (\neg q \vee p) \wedge (\text{true} \vee q) && [\vee \wedge \text{true}] \\
&\Leftrightarrow (\neg q \vee p) \wedge \text{true} && [\wedge \wedge \text{true}] \\
&\Leftrightarrow \neg q \vee p && [\Rightarrow] \\
&\Leftrightarrow q \Rightarrow p && [\Rightarrow]
\end{aligned}$$

Solution 4

(a) $(p \text{ or } q) \Leftrightarrow ((\text{not } p \text{ or not } q) \text{ and } q)$ is not a tautology. You might illustrate this via a truth table or via a chain of equivalences, showing that the proposition is not equivalent to true. Alternatively, you might try and find a combination of values for which the proposition is false. (In this case, the proposition is false when p and q are both true.)

(b) $(p \text{ or } q) \Leftrightarrow ((\text{not } p \text{ and not } q) \text{ or } q)$ is not a tautology. In this case, the proposition is false when p is true and q is false.

Solution 5

(a)

$\exists d: Dog \bullet gentle(d) \wedge well_{trained}(d)$

(b)

$\forall d: Dog \bullet neat(d) \wedge well_{trained}(d) \Rightarrow attractive(d)$

(c)

(Requires nested quantifier in implication - parser limitation)

Solution 6

(a)

This is a true proposition: whatever the value of x, the expression $x^2 - x + 1$ denotes a natural number. If we choose y to be this natural number, we will find that p is true.

(b)

This is a false proposition. We cannot choose a large enough value for y such that p will hold for any value of x.

(c)

This is a false proposition. It is an implication whose antecedent part is true and whose consequent part is false.

(d)

This is a true proposition. It is an implication whose antecedent part is false and whose consequent part is true.

Solution 7

(a)

We must define a predicate p that is false for at least one value of x , and is true for at least one other value. A suitable solution would be $p \Leftrightarrow x \neq 1$.

(b)

With the above choice of p , we require only that q is sometimes false when p is true (for else the universal quantification would hold). A suitable solution would be $q \Leftrightarrow x \neq 3$.

Solution 8

(a)

$$\forall x: N \bullet x \geq z$$

Equality**Solution 9**

(d)

$$\begin{aligned} \exists x: N \bullet x = 1 \wedge x > y \vee x = 2 \wedge x > z \\ \Leftrightarrow \exists x: N \bullet x = 1 \wedge x > y \vee \exists x: N \bullet x = 2 \wedge x > z \\ \Leftrightarrow 1 \in N \wedge 1 > y \vee \exists x: N \bullet x = 2 \wedge x > z \\ \Leftrightarrow 1 \in N \wedge 1 > y \vee 2 \in N \wedge 2 > z \\ \Leftrightarrow 1 > y \vee 2 > z \end{aligned}$$

Solution 10

As discussed, the quantifier $\exists!$ can help give rise to a 'test' or 'precondition' to ensure that an application of μ will work.

So, as a simple example, as the proposition

$$\exists_1 n: N \bullet \forall m: N \bullet n \leq m$$

is equivalent to true, we can be certain that the statement

$$\mu n: N \bullet \forall m: N \bullet n \leq m$$

will return a result (which happens to be 0).

Solution 11

(a)

$(\mu a: N \bullet a = a) = 0$ is a provable statement, since 0 is the only natural number with the specified property.

(b)

$(\mu b: N \bullet b = b) = 1$ is not provable. The specified property is true of both 0 and 1, and thus the value of the mu-expression is undefined.

(c)

$(\mu c: N \bullet c > c) = (\mu c: N \bullet c > c)$ is a provable statement. Neither expression is properly defined, but we may conclude that they are equal; there is little else that we can prove about them.

(d)

$(\mu d: N \bullet d = d) = 1$ is not a provable statement. We cannot confirm that 1 is the only natural number with the specified property; we do not know what value is taken by undefined operations.

Solution 12

(Requires mu-operator with expression part - not yet implemented)

(a)

$$(\mu m: \text{Mountain} \text{ --- } (\forall n: \text{Mountain} \bullet \text{height}(n) \leq \text{height}(m)) \text{ . } \text{height}(m))$$

(b)

(mu c : Chapter — (∃₁ d : Chapter • length(d) > length(c)) . length(c))

(c)

Assuming the existence of a suitable function, max: (μ n : N • n = max({m : N | 8 * m < 100 • 8 * m}) . 100 - n)

Deductive proofs

Solution 13

$$\frac{\frac{\frac{p \wedge (p \Rightarrow q)}{p} [\wedge\text{-elim}^{[1]}] \quad \frac{\frac{p \wedge (p \Rightarrow q)}{p \Rightarrow q} [\wedge\text{-elim}^{[1]}] \quad \frac{p \wedge (p \Rightarrow q)}{p} [\wedge\text{-elim}^{[1]}]}{q} [\wedge \text{ intro}]}{\frac{p \wedge (p \Rightarrow q) \Rightarrow p \wedge q}{p \wedge (p \Rightarrow q) \Rightarrow p \wedge q} [\Rightarrow\text{-intro}^{[1]}]} [\Rightarrow\text{-intro}^{[1]}]$$

Solution 14

In one direction:

$$\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{}{p \wedge q} [\text{derived}]}{p \wedge q} [\Rightarrow \text{elim from } 1 \wedge 2]}{p \wedge q} [\wedge\text{-elim}^{[3]}]}{p \wedge q} [\wedge\text{-elim}^{[3]}]}{\frac{p \wedge q \Leftrightarrow p \neg^{[1]}}{p \wedge q \Leftrightarrow p} [\Rightarrow\text{-intro}^{[1]}]} [\Rightarrow\text{-intro}^{[2]}]$$

and the other:

$$\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{p \wedge q \neg^{[2]} \quad p \neg^{[2]}}{p \wedge q \Rightarrow p} [\Rightarrow\text{-intro}^{[2]}] \quad \frac{p \neg^{[3]} \quad p \wedge q \neg^{[1]}}{p \Rightarrow p \wedge q} [\Rightarrow\text{-intro}^{[3]}]}{p \wedge q \Leftrightarrow p} [\Leftrightarrow \text{ intro}]}{\frac{p \Rightarrow q \neg^{[1]}}{(p \Rightarrow q) \Rightarrow (p \wedge q \Leftrightarrow p)} [\Rightarrow\text{-intro}^{[1]}]} [\Rightarrow\text{-intro}^{[1]}]$$

We can then combine these two proofs with \Leftrightarrow intro.

Solution 15

[illegible]

Solution 16

In one direction:

[illegible]

In the other:

$$\begin{array}{c}
\frac{}{p} [\wedge \text{ elim}] \qquad \frac{}{q \vee r} [\vee \text{ intro}] \\
\frac{}{p} [\wedge \text{ elim}] \qquad \frac{}{p \wedge (q \vee r)} [\wedge \text{ intro}] \\
\frac{}{q \vee r} [\vee \text{ intro}] \\
\frac{}{p \wedge (q \vee r)} [\wedge \text{ intro}] \\
\frac{\frac{}{\ulcorner p \wedge q \vee p \wedge r \urcorner [3]} \quad \frac{}{\ulcorner case1 \vee case2 \urcorner [3]}}{p \wedge (q \vee r)} [\vee\text{-elim}^{[4]}] \\
\frac{\ulcorner p \wedge q \vee p \wedge r \urcorner [3] \quad p \wedge (q \vee r)}{p \wedge q \vee p \wedge r \Rightarrow p \wedge (q \vee r)} [\Rightarrow\text{-intro}^{[3]}]
\end{array}$$

Solution 17

In one direction:

$$\frac{\frac{\ulcorner p \vee q \wedge r \urcorner^{[3]} \quad \overline{(p \vee q) \wedge (p \vee r)}}{\quad} [\vee \text{ elim } \wedge \wedge \text{ intro}]}{p \vee q \wedge r \Rightarrow (p \vee q) \wedge (p \vee r)} [\Rightarrow\text{-intro}^{[3]}]$$

and the other:

$$\frac{\ulcorner (p \vee q) \wedge (p \vee r) \urcorner^{[1]} \quad \ulcorner p \vee q \wedge r \urcorner^{[2]}}{(p \vee q) \wedge (p \vee r) \Rightarrow p \vee q \wedge r} [\Rightarrow\text{-intro}^{[1]}]$$

Solution 18

In one direction:

$$\frac{\ulcorner p \Rightarrow q \urcorner^{[1]} \quad \neg p \vee q}{(p \Rightarrow q) \Rightarrow \neg p \vee q} [\Rightarrow\text{-intro}^{[1]}]$$

and the other:

[illegible]

Sets and types

Solution 19

(a)

1 in 4, 3, 2, 1 is true.

(b)

1 in 1, 2, 3, 4 is undefined.

(c)

1 in 1, 2, 3, 4 is true.

(d)

The empty set in 1, 2, 3, 4 is undefined.

Solution 20

(a)

$\{1\} \times \{2, 3\}$

is the set (1, 2), (1, 3)

(b)

The empty set cross 2, 3 is the empty set

(c)

$\mathbb{P} \text{ emptyset} \times \{1\}$

is the set (emptyset, 1)

(d)

$(1, 2)$ cross $3, 4$ is the set $((1, 2), 3), ((1, 2), 4)$

Solution 21

There are various ways of describing these sets via set comprehensions. Examples are given below.

(a)

$$\{z : Z \mid 0 \leq z \wedge z \leq 100\}$$

(b)

$$\{z : Z \mid z = 10\}$$

(c)

$$\{z : Z \mid z \bmod 2 = 0 \vee z \bmod 3 = 0 \vee z \bmod 5 = 0\}$$

Solution 22

(a)

$$\{n : N \mid n \leq 4 \bullet n^2\}$$

(b)

$$\{n : N \mid n \leq 4 \bullet (n, n^2)\}$$

(c)

$n : P\ 0, 1$ (set comprehension notation requires clarification)

(d)

$n : P\ 0, 1 \rightarrow \text{true} . (n, n)$ (alternative: map over powerset)

Solution 23

(a)

$$\begin{aligned}
x \in a \cap a \\
&\Leftrightarrow x \in a \wedge x \in a \\
&\Leftrightarrow x \in a
\end{aligned}$$

(b)

$$\begin{aligned}
x \in a \cup a \\
&\Leftrightarrow x \in a \vee x \in a \\
&\Leftrightarrow x \in a
\end{aligned}$$

Solution 24

(a)

The set of all pairs of integers is \mathbb{Z} cross \mathbb{Z} . To give it a name, we could write:

$$\text{Pairs} == \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$$

(b)

The set of all integer pairs in which each element is strictly greater than zero could be defined by:

$$\text{StrictlyPositivePairs} == \{ m, n : \mathbb{Z} \mid m > 0 \wedge n > 0 \bullet (m, n) \}$$

(c)

It is intuitive to use a singular noun for the name of a basic type; we define the set of all people by writing:

$$[Person]$$

(d)

The set of all couples could be defined by:

$$\text{Couples} == \{ s : \mathbb{P} \text{ Person} \mid \#s = 2 \}$$

Solution 25

(Requires generic set notation and Cartesian product)

Solution 26

(Requires generic parameters and relation type notation)

Relations**Solution 27**

(a)

The power set of $(0,0)$, $(0,1)$, $(1,0)$, $(1,1)$ is:

emptyset , $(0, 0)$, $(0, 1)$, $(1, 0)$, $(1, 1)$, $(1, 0)$, $(1, 1)$, $(0, 0)$, $(0, 1)$, $(0, 1)$, $(1, 1)$, $(0, 1)$, $(1, 0)$, $(0, 0)$, $(1, 1)$, $(0, 0)$, $(1, 0)$, $(0, 0)$, $(1, 0)$, $(1, 1)$, $(0, 0)$, $(0, 1)$, $(1, 1)$, $(0, 0)$, $(0, 1)$, $(1, 0)$, $(0, 1)$, $(1, 0)$, $(1, 1)$, $(0, 0)$, $(0, 1)$, $(1, 0)$, $(1, 1)$

(b)

emptyset , $(0, 0)$, $(0, 1)$, $(0, 0)$, $(0, 1)$

(c)

emptyset

(d)

emptyset

Solution 28

(a)

$$\text{dom } R = 0, 1, 2$$

(b)

$$\text{ran } R = 1, 2, 3$$

(c)

$$1, 2 \vdash R = 1 \multimap 2, 1 \multimap 3, 2 \multimap 3$$

Solution 29

(a)

$$\{2 \mapsto 4, 3 \mapsto 3, 3 \mapsto 4, 4 \mapsto 2\}$$

(b)

$$\{1 \mapsto 3, 2 \mapsto 2, 2 \mapsto 3, 3 \mapsto 1\}$$

(c)

$$\{1 \mapsto 1, 2 \mapsto 2, 2 \mapsto 3, 3 \mapsto 2, 3 \mapsto 3, 4 \mapsto 4\}$$

(d)

$$\{1 \mapsto 4, 2 \mapsto 2, 2 \mapsto 3, 3 \mapsto 2, 3 \mapsto 3, 4 \mapsto 1\}$$

Solution 30

(a)

$$\text{parentOf} == \text{childOf}^{-1}$$

This is a good example of how there are many different ways of writing the same thing. An alternative abbreviation is:

$$\text{parentOf} == \{ x, y : \text{Person} \mid x \mapsto y \in \text{childOf} \bullet y \mapsto x \}$$

Or, via an axiomatic definition:

$$\frac{\text{parentOf} : \text{Person} \leftrightarrow \text{Person}}{\text{parentOf} = \text{childOf}^{-1}}$$

(b)

$\text{siblingOf} == (\text{childOf} \circ \text{parentOf}) \circ \text{id}$

(c)

$\text{cousinOf} == \text{childOf} \circ \text{siblingOf} \circ \text{parentOf}$

(d)

$\text{ancestorOf} == \text{parentOf}^+$

Solution 31

(Requires compound identifiers with operators - $R+$, R^*)

(a)

$R == \{ a, b : N \mid b = a \vee b = a \}$

(b)

$S == \{ a, b : N \mid b = a \vee b = a \}$

(c)

$R+ == \{ a, b : N \mid b > a \}$

(d)

$R^* == \{ a, b : N \mid b \geq a \}$

Solution 32

(a)

$$x \mapsto y \in A \triangleleft B \triangleleft R$$

$$\Leftrightarrow x \in A \wedge x \mapsto y \in (B \triangleleft R)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow x \in A \wedge x \in B \wedge x \mapsto y \in R$$

$$\Leftrightarrow x \in A \cap B \wedge x \mapsto y \in R$$

$$\Leftrightarrow x \mapsto y \in A \cap B \triangleleft R$$

(b)

$$\begin{aligned}x \mapsto y \in R \cup S \triangleright C \\&\Leftrightarrow x \mapsto y \in R \cup S \wedge y \in C \\&\Leftrightarrow (x \mapsto y \in R \vee x \mapsto y \in S) \wedge y \in C \\&\Leftrightarrow x \mapsto y \in R \wedge y \in C \vee x \mapsto y \in S \wedge y \in C \\&\Leftrightarrow x \mapsto y \in R \triangleright C \vee x \mapsto y \in S \triangleright C \\&\Leftrightarrow x \mapsto y \in (R \triangleright C) \cup (S \triangleright C)\end{aligned}$$

Functions

Solution 33

The set of 9 functions:

emptyset, (0, 0), (0, 1), (1, 1), (1, 0), (0, 0), (1, 1), (0, 1), (1, 1), (1, 0), (0, 0), (0, 1), (1, 0)

(a)

The set of total functions:

(0, 0), (1, 1), (0, 1), (1, 1), (1, 0), (0, 0), (0, 1), (1, 0)

(b)

The set of functions which are neither injective nor surjective:

(0, 1), (1, 1), (0, 0), (1, 0)

(c)

The set of functions which are injective but not surjective:

emptyset, (0, 0), (0, 1), (1, 0), (1, 1)

(d)

There are no functions (of this type) which are surjective but not injective.

(e)

The set of bijective functions:

(0, 0), (1, 1), (0, 1), (1, 0)

Solution 34

(a)

$\{1 \mapsto a, 2 \mapsto b, 3 \mapsto c, 4 \mapsto b\}$

(b)

$\{1 \mapsto c, 2 \mapsto b, 3 \mapsto c, 4 \mapsto d\}$

(c)

$\{1 \mapsto c, 2 \mapsto b, 3 \mapsto c, 4 \mapsto b\}$

(d)

$\{1 \mapsto c, 2 \mapsto b, 3 \mapsto c, 4 \mapsto b\}$

Solution 35

(Requires power set notation P and relational image)

(a)

axdef

children : Person \rightarrow P Person

where

children = $\{ p : \text{Person} \mid p \text{ is parentOf } (\text{some } p) \}$

end

(b)

axdef

$\text{number_of_randchildren} : \text{Person} \rightarrow N$

where

$\text{number_of_randchildren} = \lambda p : \text{Person}. p \mapsto (\text{parentOf} \circ \text{parentOf})(\{ p \})$

end

Solution 36

(Requires power set, function types, and ran keyword)

axdef

$\text{number_of_drivers} : (\text{Drivers} \times \text{Cars}) \rightarrow (\text{Cars} \rightarrow N)$

where

forall $r : \text{Drivers} \times \text{Cars}$ — $\text{number_of_drivers}(r) = \lambda c : \text{ran } r.c \mapsto \{ d : \text{Drivers} \mid d \mapsto c \in r \}$

end

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