

CS581 Theory of Computation: Homework #6

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Problem 6.1

Give an example in the spirit of the recursion theorem of a program in a real programming language (or a reasonable approximation thereof) that prints itself out.

Solution in python:

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x = r"%sprint ('x = r\"' + x) %% (x + '\"\\n')\"
print ('x = r\"' + x) % (x + '\"\\n')
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Problem 6.11

Let ϕ_{eq} be defined as in Problem 6.10. Give a model of the sentence

$$\phi_{lt} = \phi_{eq} \tag{1}$$

$$\wedge \forall x, y [R_1(x, y) \rightarrow \neg R_2(x, y)] \tag{2}$$

$$\wedge \forall x, y [\neg R_1(x, y) \rightarrow (R_2(x, y) \oplus R_2(x, z))] \tag{3}$$

$$\wedge \forall x, y, z [(R_2(x, y) \wedge R_2(y, z)) \rightarrow R_2(x, z)] \tag{4}$$

$$\wedge \forall x \exists y [_2(x, y)]. \tag{5}$$

Solution

One model is (N, R_1, R_2, \oplus) , where R_1 is equality, R_2 is $<$ and \oplus is \vee .

Problem 7.1

Answer each part TRUE or FALSE.

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|---------------------------|--------------|
| a. $2n = O(n)$ | TRUE |
| b. $n^2 = O(n)$ | FALSE |
| c. $n^2 = O(n \log^2 n)$ | FALSE |
| d. $n \log n = O(n^2)$ | TRUE |
| e. $3^n = 2^{O(n)}$ | TRUE |
| f. $2^{2^n} = O(2^{2^n})$ | TRUE |

Problem 7.4

Fill out the table described in the polynomial time algorithm for context-free language recognition from theorem 7.16 for string $w = baba$ and CFG G :

$$\begin{aligned} S &\rightarrow RT \\ R &\rightarrow TR|a \\ T &\rightarrow TR|b \end{aligned}$$

Solution

	1	2	3	4
1	T	T,R	S	S,R,T
2		R	S	S
3			T	T,R
4				R

Because table(1,4) contains S, the TM accepts w .

Problem 7.5

Is the following formula satisfiable?

$$(x \vee y) \wedge (x \vee \bar{y}) \wedge (\bar{x} \vee y) \wedge (\bar{x} \vee \bar{y})$$

Solution

x	y	$(x \vee y)$	$(x \vee \bar{y})$	$(\bar{x} \vee y)$	$(\bar{x} \vee \bar{y})$	Result (conjunction of all)
T	T	T	T	T	F	F
T	F	T	T	F	T	F
F	T	T	F	T	T	F
F	F	F	T	T	T	F

Hence the formula is not satisfiable.

Problem 7.12

Call graphs G and H **isomorphic** if the nodes of G may be reordered so that it is identical to H . Let $ISO = \{\langle G, H \rangle \mid G \text{ and } H \text{ are isomorphic graphs}\}$. Show that $ISO \in NP$

Solution

A nondeterministic polynomial time algorithm for ISO operates as follows:

“ On input $\langle G, H \rangle$ where G and H are undirected graphs:

1. Let m be the number of nodes of G and H . If they don't have the same number of nodes, *reject*.
2. Nondeterministically select a permutation π of m elements.
3. For each pair of nodes x and y of G check that (x, y) is an edge of G iff $(\pi(x), \pi(y))$ is an edge of H . If all agree, *accept*. If any differ, *reject*.”

Stage 2 can be implemented in polynomial time nondeterministically, Stage 3 takes polynomial time. Therefore $ISO \in NP$