

Homework 3

(due - 23:59 April 14, 2022)

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Questions:

[1] For each pair of atomic sentences, give the most general unifier if it exists: (20 points)

- a. $P(A, B, B), P(x, y, z)$. (5 points)
 - A. $MGU\{x/A, y/B, z/B\}$
- b. $Q(y, G(A, B)), Q(G(x, x), y)$. (5 points)
 - A. No unification
 - i. After $y/G(x, x)$, x/A , can't unify A with B .
- c. $Older(Father(y), y), Older(Father(x), John)$. (5 points)
 - A. $MGU\{y/John, x/John\}$
- d. $Knows(Father(y), y), Knows(x, x)$. (5 points)
 - A. No unification
 - i. After $x/Father(y)$, can't unify y with $Father(y)$

[2] Suppose you are given the following axioms: (20 points)

1. $0 \leq 3$.
 2. $7 \leq 9$.
 3. $\forall x \ x \leq x$.
 4. $\forall x \ x \leq x + 0$.
 5. $\forall x \ x + 0 \leq x$.
 6. $\forall x, y \ x + y \leq y + x$.
 7. $\forall w, x, y, z \ w \leq y \wedge x \leq z \Rightarrow w + x \leq y + z$.
 8. $\forall x, y, z \ x \leq y \wedge y \leq z \Rightarrow x \leq z$
- a. Give a backward-chaining proof of the sentence $7 \leq 3+9$. (Be sure, of course, to use only the axioms given here, not anything else you may know about arithmetic.) Show only the steps that leads to success, not the irrelevant steps. (10 points)
 - A. $8. 7 + 0 \leq 7 \wedge 7 \leq (3 + 9) \Rightarrow (7+0) \leq 3 + 9$
 - B. $6. 3+9 \leq 9+3$
 - C. $8. 7+0 \leq 3+9 \wedge 3+9 \leq 9+3 \Rightarrow 7+0 \leq 9+3$
 - D. $7. 7 \leq 9 \wedge 0 \leq 3 \Rightarrow 7+0 \leq 9+3$

- E. 1., 2. $7 \leq 9, 0 \leq 3$
- b. Give a forward-chaining proof of the sentence $7 \leq 3+9$. Again, show only the steps that lead to success. (10 points)
- A. 7. $7 < 9 \wedge 0 < 3 \Rightarrow 7+0 \leq 9+3$
- B. 4. $7 \leq 7+0$
- C. 6. $9+3 \leq 3+9$
- D. 8. $7+0 \leq 9+3 \wedge 9+3 \leq 3+9 \Rightarrow 7+0 \leq 3+9$
- E. 8. $7 \leq 7+0 \wedge 7+0 \leq 3+9 \Rightarrow 7 \leq 3+9$

[3] Consider a vocabulary with the following symbols: (20 points)

Occupation(p, o): Predicate. Person p has occupation o.

Customer(p1, p2): Predicate. Person p1 is a customer of person p2.

Boss(p1, p2): Predicate. Person p1 is a boss of person p2.

Doctor, Surgeon, Lawyer, Actor: Constants denoting occupations.

Emily, Joe: Constants denoting people.

By using these symbols, write the following assertions in first-order logic:

- a. Emily is either a surgeon or a lawyer. (2 points)
- A. $\text{Occupation}(\text{Emily}, \text{Surgeon}) \vee \text{Occupation}(\text{Emily}, \text{Lawyer})$
- b. Joe is an actor, but he also holds another job. (3 points)
- A. $\text{Occupation}(\text{Joe}, \text{Actor}) \wedge (\text{Occupation}(\text{Joe}, \text{Doctor}) \vee \text{Occupation}(\text{Joe}, \text{Surgeon}) \vee \text{Occupation}(\text{Joe}, \text{Lawyer}))$
- c. All surgeons are doctors. (3 points)
- A. $\forall p \text{Occupation}(p, \text{Surgeon}) \Rightarrow \text{Occupation}(p, \text{Doctor})$
- d. Joe does not have a lawyer (i.e., is not a customer of any lawyer). (3 points)
- A. $\sim \text{Customer}(\text{Joe}, \text{Lawyer})$
- e. Emily has a boss who is a lawyer. (3 points)
- A. $\text{Boss}(\text{Emily}, \text{Lawyer})$
- f. There exists a lawyer all of whose customers are doctors. (3 points)
- A. $\exists p1 \forall p2 \text{Occupation}(p1, \text{Lawyer}) \Rightarrow \text{Customer}(p2, p1) \wedge \text{Occupation}(p2, \text{Doctor})$

g. Every surgeon has a lawyer. (3 points)

A. $\forall p1 \exists p2 \text{Occupation}(p1, \text{Surgeon}) \Rightarrow \text{Customer}(p1, p2) \wedge \text{Occupation}(p2, \text{Lawyer})$

[4] Let's assume that "Person a loves person b" can be expressed as "Love(a,b)". Give predicate logic expression of the following sentences. (20 points)

a. Sarah loves anyone whom Lia loves. (5 points)

A. $\forall x (\text{Love}(\text{Sarah}, \text{Love}(\text{Lia}, x)))$

b. If someone loves Sarah, then David loves Sarah. (5 points)

A. $\forall x (\text{Love}(x, \text{Sarah}) \Rightarrow \text{Love}(\text{David}, \text{Sarah}))$

c. Anyone who loves Sarah loves Lia. (5 points)

A. $\forall x (\text{Loves}(x, \text{Sarah}) \wedge \text{Loves}(x, \text{Lia}))$

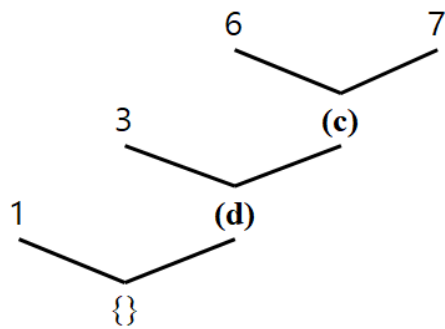
d. Everyone loves someone who doesn't love Sarah. (5 points)

A. $\forall x \exists y (\text{Loves}(x, y) \wedge \neg \text{Loves}(y, \text{Sarah}))$

[5] From the following sentence in KB, we want to prove W using resolution.

$$P \wedge \neg Q \wedge (P \Rightarrow R) \wedge (\neg Q \vee W) \wedge (W \Rightarrow P) \wedge (\neg R \vee W)$$

The following table shows the proof process. Write the appropriate sentence for each blank (a), (b), (c), and (d). (20 points)



Converted to clause form

1. P
2. $\neg Q$
3. **(a)**
4. $(\neg Q \vee W)$
5. $(\neg W \vee P)$
6. $(\neg R \vee W)$

To prove W

7. **(b)**

- a. $\neg P \vee R$
- b. $\neg W$
- c. $\neg R$
- d. $\neg P$

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