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**COLLABORATOR(S):** *Please write down the names of your collaborators. If none, please write so. Otherwise, you'll be deducted 10 points. You need to write your own solutions.*

**CS480 – HOMEWORK 3**

**Assigned on: Saturday, 10/11/2014**

**Due: Sunday, 10/26/2014, 11:59pm**

There are 4 questions. Please submit your solutions through blackboard assignment page.

1. **[10 points]** Convert the following PL sentences into CNF form.
  - a.  $(P \wedge Q) \Rightarrow (R \wedge S)$
  - b.  $(P \wedge Q) \Rightarrow (R \vee S)$
  - c.  $(P \vee Q) \Rightarrow (R \wedge S)$
  - d.  $(P \vee Q) \Rightarrow (R \vee S)$
  - e.  $(\neg P \wedge Q) \Leftrightarrow (R \vee \neg S)$
2. **[30 points]** We are given the following KB, which is already in CNF form. Answer the following questions using proof by contradiction and resolution.

R1:  $\neg A \vee B \vee E$

R2:  $\neg B \vee A$

R3:  $\neg E \vee A$

R4:  $\neg E \vee D$

R5:  $\neg C \vee \neg F \vee \neg B$

R6:  $\neg E \vee B$

R7:  $\neg B \vee F$

R8:  $\neg B \vee C$

- a. Does the KB entail  $(\neg A \wedge \neg B)$ ? Normally, resolution stops only when either a contradiction is found or when resolution no longer can be applied. However, for this homework only, if you cannot reach a contradiction, you can stop after 30 steps of resolution.
- b. Does the KB entail E? Normally, resolution stops only when either a contradiction is found or when resolution no longer can be applied. However, for this homework only, if you cannot reach a contradiction, you can stop after 30 steps of resolution.

3. [20 points] Write the following English sentences using FOL. Use the following predicates and constants only.

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

*Customer* ( $p_1, p_2$ ): Predicate. Person  $p_1$  is a customer of person  $p_2$ .

*Boss* ( $p_1, p_2$ ): Predicate. Person  $p_1$  is a boss of person  $p_2$ .

*Doctor, Surgeon, Lawyer, Actor*: Constants denoting some occupations. This list is not comprehensive. There are also other occupations not mentioned in this list.

*Emily, Joe*: Constants denoting some people. This list is not comprehensive. There are also other people not mentioned in this list.

- a. Emily is either a surgeon or a lawyer.
  - b. Joe is an actor but he also holds another job.
  - c. All surgeons are doctors.
  - d. Joe does not have a lawyer (i.e., Joe is not a customer of any lawyer.)
  - e. Every surgeon has a lawyer (i.e., “has a lawyer” is the same thing as “is a customer of a lawyer.”)
4. [20 points] Convert the following FOL sentences into CNF form.
- a.  $\forall x P(x) \Rightarrow Q(x)$
  - b.  $\forall x \forall y P(x,y) \Rightarrow Q(x)$
  - c.  $\exists x P(x) \wedge Q(x)$
  - d.  $\exists x \exists y P(x,y) \wedge Q(y,x)$
  - e.  $\exists x \forall y P(x,y)$
  - f.  $\forall x \exists y P(x,y)$
  - g.  $\forall x \forall y \exists z P(x,y,z)$
  - h.  $\exists x \forall y \forall z P(x,y,z)$
  - i.  $\forall x (\exists y P(x,y) \wedge Q(y)) \Rightarrow R(x)$
  - j.  $\forall x (\forall y P(x,y) \Rightarrow Q(y)) \Rightarrow R(x)$

5. [20 points] We are given the following pairs of FOL sentences. For each sentence, provide a substitution to unify the sentences. If no such substitution exists, please write so.

a.  $P(x)$

b.  $P(A)$

c.  $P(x) \vee Q(x, A)$

d.  $P(B) \vee Q(x, A)$

e.  $P(x) \vee Q(A, x)$

f.  $P(x) \vee Q(A, B)$

g.  $P(x, A) \vee Q(A, x)$

h.  $P(B, y) \vee Q(y, B)$

i.  $P(x) \vee Q(F(x))$

j.  $P(A) \vee Q(F(A))$

k.  $P(x, A) \vee Q(F(x), x)$

l.  $P(B, y) \vee Q(F(B), B)$

m.  $P(x, A) \vee Q(F(x), x)$

n.  $P(B, y) \vee Q(F(A), A)$

o.  $P(x, y) \vee Q(F(A), B)$

p.  $P(x, y) \vee Q(x, y)$

q.  $P(x, y) \vee Q(F(A), A)$

r.  $P(x, y) \vee Q(x, y)$

s.  $P(x, y) \vee Q(F(x), y)$

t.  $P(z, y) \vee Q(z, y)$