

Problem 1:

Using propositional logic, prove (D) from (A,B,C):

- A. $P \Rightarrow (Q \Leftrightarrow R)$
- B. $\neg(Q \Leftrightarrow R)$
- C. $(S \wedge Q) \Rightarrow P$
- D. $\neg P \wedge (S \Rightarrow \neg Q)$

Answer: Transforming A,B,C and the negation of D to CNF gives the following clauses:

- A.1 $\neg P \vee \neg Q \vee R$.
- A.2 $\neg P \vee Q \vee \neg R$.
- B.1 $Q \vee R$
- B.2 $\neg Q \vee \neg R$
- C. $\neg S \vee \neg Q \vee P$.
- D.1 $P \vee S$.
- D.2 $P \vee Q$.

One resolution proof (there are many) then proceeds as follows:

- E. $Q \vee \neg R$ (D.2 + A.2, factored)
- F. Q . (E + B.1)
- G. $\neg R$ (F+B.2).
- H. $\neg Q \vee P$. (C+D.1, factored)
- I. P (H+D.2, factored)
- J. $\neg Q \vee R$ (I+A.1).
- K. R (J+F)
- L. \emptyset . (K+G).

Problem 2: Trace the workings of the Davis-Putnam algorithm in finding a valuation satisfying (A-E) below. Assume that at each choice point, the algorithm picks atoms in alphabetical order, and tries the assignment "true" before the assignment "false".

- A. $P \Rightarrow Q$
- B. $Q \Rightarrow \neg(R \wedge S)$.
- C. $(P \wedge W) \Rightarrow (R \wedge S)$.

$$D. \neg W \Rightarrow (R \wedge S)$$

$$E. R \Rightarrow P.$$

Answer: Converting these to CNF gives the following clauses.

$$A. \neg P \vee Q.$$

$$B. \neg Q \vee \neg R \vee \neg S.$$

$$C.1 \neg P \vee \neg W \vee R$$

$$C.2 \neg P \vee \neg W \vee S$$

$$D.1 W \vee R$$

$$D.2 W \vee S$$

$$E. \neg R \vee P.$$

Let STATE0 be the above set of clauses. Since there are no singleton clauses, we try the assignment $P=\text{TRUE}$. This gives us the new set of clauses, STATE1.

$$A. Q.$$

$$B. \neg Q \vee \neg R \vee \neg S.$$

$$C.1 \neg W \vee R$$

$$C.2 \neg W \vee S$$

$$D.1 W \vee R$$

$$D.2 W \vee S$$

Since A is a singleton clause, we assign $Q := \text{TRUE}$, giving the new set of clauses STATE2:

$$B. \neg R \vee \neg S.$$

$$C.1 \neg W \vee R$$

$$C.2 \neg W \vee S$$

$$D.1 W \vee R$$

$$D.2 W \vee S$$

Since there are no singleton clauses, we try the assignment $R=\text{TRUE}$, giving the new set STATE3:

$$B. \neg S.$$

$$C.2 \neg W \vee S$$

$$D.2 W \vee S$$

Since B is a singleton clause we assign $S=\text{FALSE}$, giving the new set STATE4

C.2 $\neg W$

D.2 W

Since C.2 is a singleton clause we assign $W=\text{FALSE}$, giving the new set STATE5

D.2 empty.

Thus, this branch of the search has failed. We return to the last choice point STATE2 and try the assignment $R=\text{FALSE}$, giving state STATE6

C.1 $\neg W$

C.2 $\neg W \vee S$

D.1 W

D.2 $W \vee S$

Since C.1 is a singleton clause, we assign $W=\text{FALSE}$, given state STATE7

D.1 empty

D.2 S

So this branch has also failed. So we return to state STATE0 and try the assignment $P=\text{FALSE}$, giving STATE8:

B. $\neg Q \vee \neg R \vee \neg S$.

D.1 $W \vee R$

D.2 $W \vee S$

E. $\neg R$

Since E is a singleton clause, we can assign $R=\text{FALSE}$, giving STATE9:

D.1 W

D.2 $W \vee S$

Since D.1 is a singleton clause, we can assign $W=\text{TRUE}$, given the state with no clauses. Thus, we have found a satisfying assignment: $P=\text{FALSE}$, $R=\text{FALSE}$, $W=\text{TRUE}$. The value of S does not matter.

Problem 3: Consider a universe whose entities are stores, product (e.g. "cabbage", "Can of Coke", etc.) and items (some particular head of cabbage or can of coke.) Let \mathcal{L} be the first-order language with the following non-logical symbols:

- $\text{at}(I, S)$ — Predicate: Item I is at store S .
- $\text{carry}(S, P)$ — Predicate: Store S carries product P .

- $\text{stock}(S, P)$ — Predicate: Product P is in stock at store S .
- $\text{inst}(I, P)$ — Predicate: Item I is an instance of product P . B
- superxxx , deli94 , cokecan101 , canofcoke , tomato — Constants.

State the following sentences in \mathcal{L} :

- A. Product P is in stock at store S if and only if some instance of P is at store S .
- B. If S does not carry product P , then P is not in stock at S .
- C. SuperXXX carries every product that Deli94 does.
- D. CokeCan101 is at Deli94.
- E. CokeCan101 is an instance of CanOfCoke.
- F. Tomatoes are out of stock at Deli94.
- G. SuperXXX carries CanOfCoke.
- H. CokeCan101 is not an instance of a tomato.

Answer:

- A. $\forall_{P,S} \text{stock}(S, P) \Leftrightarrow \exists_I \text{inst}(I, P) \wedge \text{at}(I, S)$
- B. $\forall_{S,P} \neg \text{carry}(S, P) \Rightarrow \neg \text{stock}(S, P)$.
- C. $\forall_P \text{carry}(\text{deli94}, P) \Rightarrow \text{carry}(\text{superxxx}, P)$.
- D. $\text{at}(\text{cokecan101}, \text{deli94})$.
- E. $\text{inst}(\text{cokecan101}, \text{canofcoke})$
- F. $\neg \text{stock}(\text{deli94}, \text{tomato})$
- G. $\text{carry}(\text{superxxx}, \text{canofcoke})$.
- H. $\neg \text{inst}(\text{cokecan101}, \text{tomato})$.

Problem 4: Skolemize sentences A,B, and C above.

Answer:

- A.1 $\neg \text{stock}(S, P) \vee \text{inst}(\text{sk0}(S, P), P)$.
- A.2 $\neg \text{stock}(S, P) \vee \text{at}(\text{sk0}(S, P), S)$.
- A.3 $\neg \text{inst}(I, P) \vee \neg \text{at}(I, S) \vee \text{stock}(S, P)$.
- B. $\neg \text{stock}(S, P) \vee \text{carry}(S, P)$.
- C. $\neg \text{carry}(\text{deli94}, P) \vee \text{carry}(\text{superxxx}, P)$.