

Reading:

1. Péter Gács's slides page 26 - 52.
2. Chapter 1 section 1 to 5 Discrete Mathematics and Its Applications (7th Edition).

Please write out the intermediate steps when you construct the truth tables. For example, to do  $((p \wedge q) \rightarrow (p \vee q))$ , you might want to have a column for  $p \wedge q$  and another for  $p \vee q$ , before you calculate results for  $((p \wedge q) \rightarrow (p \vee q))$ .

The enumeration of the truth assignment needs to be in an increasing order in binary encoding, e.g., 000, 001, ..., 111.

## 1 Truth Tables

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### 1: Construct Truth Tables (10 pts) \*\*

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Construct a truth table for each of these compound propositions. Note that in the following  $p \leftrightarrow q$  is defined as  $(p \leftarrow q) \wedge (q \leftarrow p)$ . Do you reading to find truth table for the operation.

1.  $((p \wedge q) \rightarrow (p \vee q))$ .
2.  $(p \vee q) \rightarrow (p \oplus q)$ .
3.  $(p \leftrightarrow q) \oplus (\neg p \leftrightarrow \neg r)$

Here is an example of a truth table by L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X.

$p$	$q$	$p \wedge q$
$T$	$T$	$T$
$T$	$F$	$F$
$F$	$T$	$F$
$F$	$F$	$F$

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### 2: Logical equivalences (10 pts) \*\*\*

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You can show the following logical equivalences by truth tables or by equivalence laws.

1. Show that  $(p \rightarrow q) \vee (p \rightarrow r)$  and  $p \rightarrow (q \vee r)$  are logically equivalent.
2. Show that  $\neg p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r)$  and  $q \rightarrow (p \vee r)$  are logically equivalent.

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### 3: First Order Logic On Finite Domain (10 pts) \*\*

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Suppose the domain of the propositional function  $P(x, y)$  consists of pairs  $x$  and  $y$ , where  $x \in \{1, 2\}$  and  $y \in \{1, 2, 3\}$ . Write out the following propositions using disjunctions ( $\vee$ ) and conjunctions ( $\wedge$ ). (This problem help you see that in finite domain you can express the same set of statement without quantifiers.)

- (a)  $\forall x \forall y P(x, y)$ ,
- (b)  $\exists x \exists y P(x, y)$ ,
- (c)  $\exists x \forall y P(x, y)$ ,
- (d)  $\forall y \exists x P(x, y)$ .

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#### 4: Nested Quantifiers On Finite Domain and Loops (10 pts) \*\*\*

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In Page 58 of Discrete Mathematics and Its Applications (7th Edition) there is a remark “THINKING OF QUANTIFICATION AS LOOPS”. Suppose now you need to write a code block to check if a first order logic statement with nested quantifier to be true or not. For example, let  $P(x, y)$  be the same as Question 1, and  $x, y$  now range over 0 to 100 (not including 100), to check if  $\forall x \forall y P(x, y)$ , you might want to do

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1 boolean AA_P_xy() // A for ``forall'',
2 {
3     for (i=0; i<100; i++)
4     {
5         for (j=0; j<100; j++)
6         {
7             if (P(x,y)==false)) return false; // one pair of such (x,y) is enough
8         }
9     }
10    return true;
11 }
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Listing 1: Java example

You tasks, write code block for checking

1.  $\exists x \exists y P(x, y)$ , name your function as “EE\_P\_xy”.
2.  $\exists x \forall y P(x, y)$ , name your function as “EA\_P\_xy”.
3.  $\forall x \exists y P(x, y)$ , name your function as “AE\_P\_xy”.

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#### 5: contrapositive proof (10 pts)

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Should that if  $a + b + c > 2022$ , then one of the following must hold:

- (a)  $a > 2000$ .
- (b)  $b > -10 + \sqrt{3}$ .
- (c)  $c > 32 - \sqrt{3}$ .