

Sample Solution for Assignment 3

Problem 1

One translation is the set of the formulas:

1. $Mythical \supset \neg Mortal$
2. $\neg Mythical \supset (Mortal \wedge Mammal)$
3. $(\neg Mortal \vee Mammal) \supset Horned$
4. $Horned \supset Magical$

Mythical:

Can not be inferred from the clauses. The assignment that makes *Mythical* false and all others true will satisfy the above sentences.

Magical:

5.	$\neg Magical$	Negation of the goal
6.	$\neg Horned \vee Magical$	from 4
7.	$\neg Horned$	from 5 and 6
8.	$(Mortal \vee Horned) \wedge (\neg Mammal \vee Horned)$	from 3
9.	$Mortal \wedge \neg Mammal$	from 7 and 8
10.	$(Mythical \vee Mortal) \wedge (Mythical \vee Mammal)$	from 2
11.	$Mortal \wedge Mythical$	from 9 and 10
12.	$Mortal \wedge \neg Mortal \implies []$	from 1 and 11

Hence, the unicorn is Magical.

Horned:

Given the negation of the goal $\neg Horned$, repeat the step from 7 in the above question and then an empty set will be derived. Hence, the unicorn is Horned as well.

Problem 2

Vocabulary:

$Take(x, y)$: Student x take course y

$Fail(x, y)$: Student x fails in course y

$Like(x, y)$: Person x likes person y

$Vegetarian(x)$: Person x is a vegetarian

$Smart(x)$: Person x shave for person y in the town

$Student(x)$: Person x is a student

$DHF(x, y)$: Person x does homework for person y

a. Not all students take both History and Biology.

$\neg \forall x (Take(x, History) \wedge Take(x, Biology))$

b. Only one student failed History.

$\exists x (Fail(x, History) \wedge \forall y (Fail(y, History) \supset y = x))$

c. Every person who dislikes all vegetarians is smart.

$\forall x (\forall y (Vegetarian(y) \supset \neg Like(x, y)) \supset Smart(x))$

d. No person likes a smart vegetarian.

$\neg \exists x [\exists y (Like(x, y) \wedge Vegetarian(y) \wedge Smart(y))]$

e. There is a student who does homework for those and only those who do not do homework for themselves.

$$\exists x \{ \text{Student}(x) \wedge \forall y [DHF(x, y) \equiv \neg DHF(y, y)] \}$$

Problem 3

Initially, $\Sigma_{cur} = \{e_1, e_2, e_3, e_4, e_5, e_6, e_7, e_8, e_9, e_{10}, e_{11}, \}, \pi = \{ \}$

- Iteration 1:

$\Gamma = true$

$\tau = \Gamma \supset HIRE$ (Note: for $\gamma_\alpha = n_\alpha^+ / n_\alpha$, if both $n_\alpha = 0$ and $n_\alpha^+ = 0$, we will have $\gamma_\alpha = 0$)

α	GPA	UST	HKU	CU	REC	EXP	γ
γ_α	4/7	1/3	2/4	1/4	4/8	3/4	EXP
γ_α	3/3	0/1	2/2	1/1	3/3	—	EXP \wedge GPA

$\tau = EXP \wedge GPA \supset HIRE$

$\pi = \{EXP \wedge GPA \supset HIRE\}$

$\Sigma_{cur} = \{e_2, e_4, e_6, e_7, e_8, e_9, e_{10}, e_{11}, \}$

- Iteration 2:

$\Gamma = true$

$\tau = \Gamma \supset HIRE$

α	GPA	UST	HKU	CU	REC	EXP	γ
γ_α	1/4	1/3	0/2	0/3	1/5	0/1	UST
γ_α	1/2	—	0/0	0/0	1/1	0/1	UST \wedge REC

$\tau = UST \wedge REC \supset HIRE$

$\pi = \{EXP \wedge GPA \supset HIRE, UST \wedge REC \supset HIRE\}$

$\Sigma_{cur} = \{e_2, e_6, e_7, e_8, e_9, e_{10}, e_{11}, \}$

Since all the positive instances are covered by the rules in, so the set of rules about when to hire an applicant learnt using GSCA is:

$EXP \wedge GPA \supset HIRE$ and $UST \wedge REC \supset HIRE$

Problem 4

In the following, let A denotes *Alarm*, J for *JohnCalls*, etc. You'll get fullmark as long as the formulas are correct, regardless if you have done the calculation.

$$P(A) = \sum_{B,E} P(A, B, E) = \sum_{B,E} P(A|B, E)P(B)P(E) = 0.0025$$

$$P(\neg A) = 1 - P(A) = 0.9975$$

$$P(M) = P(M|A)P(A) + P(M|\neg A)P(\neg A) = 0.012$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(J, M) &= P(J, M, A) + P(J, M, \neg A) = P(J, M|A)P(A) + P(J, M|\neg A)P(\neg A) \\ &= P(J|A)P(M|A)P(A) + P(J|\neg A)P(M|\neg A)P(\neg A) = 0.002 \end{aligned}$$

$$P(J|M) = P(J, M)/P(M) = 0.17$$

Problem 5

1. $P(Sam)$
2. $G(Clyde)$
3. $L(Clyde, Oscar)$
4. $P(Oscar) \vee G(Oscar)$

5. $L(Oscar, Sam)$
 6. $\neg G(x) \vee \neg P(y) \vee \neg L(x, y)$
- The resolution refutation is:
7. $\neg G(Clyde) \vee \neg P(Oscar)$ **from 3 and 6**
 8. $\neg P(Oscar)$ **from 2 and 7**
 9. $\neg G(Oscar) \vee \neg P(Sam)$ **from 5 and 6**
 10. $\neg G(Oscar)$ **from 1 and 9**
 11. $P(Oscar)$ **from 10 and 4**
 12. Nil **from 11 and 8**

Problem 6

The unique Nash equilibrium of this game would be **(Pol:expand, Fed:contract)**, i.e.(3,3) in the payoff matrix.

Problem 7

Formulate this auction as a game in normal form:

- A set of agents $N = \{1, 2\}$;
- The same set of actions for each agent $A_1 = A_2 = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$;
- Utility functions

$$u_i(x_1, x_2) = \begin{cases} 6 - x_i & \text{if agent } i \text{ wins the auction} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Generate the payoff matrix as follows to find the Nash equilibria:

	1	2	3	4	5	6
1	2.5, 2.5	0, 4	0, 3	0, 2	0, 1	0, 0
2	4, 0	2, 2	0, 3	0, 2	0, 1	0, 0
3	3, 0	3, 0	1.5, 1.5	0, 2	0, 1	0, 0
4	2, 0	2, 0	2, 0	1, 1	0, 1	0, 0
5	1, 0	1, 0	1, 0	1, 0	0.5, 0.5	0, 0
6	0, 0	0, 0	0, 0	0, 0	0, 0	0, 0

From the matrix, we can see that the Nash equilibria are (4, 4), (5, 5) and (6, 6).