

Computer Science 260  
Assignment 3

Due Oct 5, 2016

1. Consider the following expression

$$\forall x P(x) \wedge Q(x) \leftrightarrow (\exists x R(x) \rightarrow \forall x ((S(x) \wedge Y(y)) \vee \exists y (U(y) \vee \sim T(x))))$$

- (a) For each occurrence of each variable, indicate whether the variable is free or bound.  
If the variable is bound, indicate whether it is bound to a  $\forall$  or to a  $\exists$ .
- (b) Rename the variables so that distinct names are used for each distinct variable.

2. Show formally that  $\sim \exists y (\forall x \exists z P(x, y, z) \vee \exists x \forall z Q(x, y, z))$  is logically equivalent to  $\forall y (\exists x \forall z \sim P(x, y, z) \wedge \forall x \exists z \sim Q(x, y, z))$ .

State the reason for each step.

3. Find an interpretation to show that the following argument form is not valid.

$$(\forall x (P(x) \rightarrow Q(x)) \wedge (\forall x (P(x) \rightarrow R(x)))) \rightarrow \forall x ((Q(x) \rightarrow R(x))).$$