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EXAM # 2 ANSWERS

**Question 1.** (27 points)

The universe of structure  $\mathcal{A}$  is  $\{3, 4, 5, 6\}$ . The  $\mathcal{A}$  interpretations of  $a$ ,  $x$ , and  $y$  are  $a^{\mathcal{A}} = 3$ ,  $x^{\mathcal{A}} = 5$ ,  $y^{\mathcal{A}} = 6$ . The tables for the functions  $f^{\mathcal{A}}$  and  $g^{\mathcal{A}}$  and the predicate  $P^{\mathcal{A}}$  are shown in Figure 1. Evaluate the terms and formulas below. We will show the computation, though it was not required.

$$1. \mathcal{A}[f(x)] = f^{\mathcal{A}}[x^{\mathcal{A}}] = f^{\mathcal{A}}[5] = 6$$

$$2. \mathcal{A}[g(x, y)] = g^{\mathcal{A}}[x^{\mathcal{A}}, y^{\mathcal{A}}] = g^{\mathcal{A}}[5, 6] = 6$$

$$3. \mathcal{A}[g(g(a, y), f(x))] = g^{\mathcal{A}}[g^{\mathcal{A}}[a^{\mathcal{A}}, y^{\mathcal{A}}], f^{\mathcal{A}}[x^{\mathcal{A}}]] \\ = g^{\mathcal{A}}[g^{\mathcal{A}}[3, 6], f^{\mathcal{A}}[5]] = g^{\mathcal{A}}[6, 6] = 4$$

$$4. \mathcal{A}[P(x, f(a))] = P^{\mathcal{A}}[x^{\mathcal{A}}, f^{\mathcal{A}}[a^{\mathcal{A}}]] = P^{\mathcal{A}}[5, f^{\mathcal{A}}[3]] \\ = P^{\mathcal{A}}[5, 4] = 0$$

5.  $\mathcal{A}[E(f(y), g(x, a))] = 1$  because the terms are mapped into the same element.

$$\mathcal{A}[f(y)] = f^{\mathcal{A}}[y^{\mathcal{A}}] = f^{\mathcal{A}}[6] = 3$$

$$\mathcal{A}[g(x, a)] = g^{\mathcal{A}}[x^{\mathcal{A}}, a^{\mathcal{A}}] = g^{\mathcal{A}}[5, 3] = 3$$

$$6. \mathcal{A}[\forall x P(x, f(x))] = P^{\mathcal{A}}[3, f^{\mathcal{A}}[3]] \wedge P^{\mathcal{A}}[4, f^{\mathcal{A}}[4]] \wedge P^{\mathcal{A}}[5, f^{\mathcal{A}}[5]] \wedge P^{\mathcal{A}}[6, f^{\mathcal{A}}[6]] \\ = P^{\mathcal{A}}[3, 4] \wedge P^{\mathcal{A}}[4, 5] \wedge P^{\mathcal{A}}[5, 6] \wedge P^{\mathcal{A}}[6, 3] = 1 \wedge 1 \wedge 1 \wedge 1 = 1$$

$$7. \mathcal{A}[\forall y P(f(y), y)] = P^{\mathcal{A}}[f^{\mathcal{A}}[3], 3] \wedge P^{\mathcal{A}}[f^{\mathcal{A}}[4], 4] \wedge P^{\mathcal{A}}[f^{\mathcal{A}}[5], 5] \wedge P^{\mathcal{A}}[f^{\mathcal{A}}[6], 6] \\ = P^{\mathcal{A}}[4, 3] \wedge P^{\mathcal{A}}[f^{\mathcal{A}}[4], 4] \wedge P^{\mathcal{A}}[f^{\mathcal{A}}[5], 5] \wedge P^{\mathcal{A}}[f^{\mathcal{A}}[6], 6] \\ = 0 \wedge P^{\mathcal{A}}[f^{\mathcal{A}}[4], 4] \wedge P^{\mathcal{A}}[f^{\mathcal{A}}[5], 5] \wedge P^{\mathcal{A}}[f^{\mathcal{A}}[6], 6] = 0$$

$$8. \mathcal{A}[\forall x \exists y P(y, x)] = [P^{\mathcal{A}}[3, 3] \vee P^{\mathcal{A}}[4, 3] \vee P^{\mathcal{A}}[5, 3] \vee P^{\mathcal{A}}[6, 3]] \wedge \\ [P^{\mathcal{A}}[3, 4] \vee P^{\mathcal{A}}[4, 4] \vee P^{\mathcal{A}}[5, 4] \vee P^{\mathcal{A}}[6, 4]] \wedge \\ [P^{\mathcal{A}}[3, 5] \vee P^{\mathcal{A}}[4, 5] \vee P^{\mathcal{A}}[5, 5] \vee P^{\mathcal{A}}[6, 5]] \wedge$$

$u$	$f^{\mathcal{A}}[u]$
3	4
4	5
5	6
6	3

$u \setminus v$	3	4	5	6
3	3	4	5	6
4	4	4	4	4
5	3	5	5	6
6	3	5	6	4

$u \setminus v$	3	4	5	6
3	0	1	0	0
4	0	0	1	0
5	0	0	0	1
6	1	0	0	0

$f^{\mathcal{A}}[u]$                        $g^{\mathcal{A}}[u, v]$                        $P^{\mathcal{A}}[u, v]$

Figure 1: Tables for Question 1

$$\begin{aligned}
& [P^{\mathcal{A}}[3, 6] \vee P^{\mathcal{A}}[4, 6] \vee P^{\mathcal{A}}[5, 6] \vee P^{\mathcal{A}}[6, 6]] \wedge \\
& = 0 \vee 0 \vee 0 \vee 1 \wedge \\
& [1 \vee P^{\mathcal{A}}[4, 4] \vee P^{\mathcal{A}}[5, 4] \vee P^{\mathcal{A}}[6, 4]] \wedge \\
& [0 \vee 1 \vee P^{\mathcal{A}}[5, 5] \vee P^{\mathcal{A}}[6, 5]] \wedge \\
& [0 \vee 0 \vee 1 \vee P^{\mathcal{A}}[6, 6]] \wedge \\
& = 1 \wedge 1 \wedge 1 \wedge 1 = 1
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
9. \mathcal{A}[\exists x \forall y \neg P(x, y)] &= [\neg P^{\mathcal{A}}[3, 3] \wedge \neg P^{\mathcal{A}}[3, 4] \wedge \neg P^{\mathcal{A}}[3, 5] \vee \neg P^{\mathcal{A}}[3, 6]] \vee \\
& [\neg P^{\mathcal{A}}[4, 3] \wedge \neg P^{\mathcal{A}}[4, 4] \wedge \neg P^{\mathcal{A}}[4, 5] \vee \neg P^{\mathcal{A}}[4, 6]] \vee \\
& [\neg P^{\mathcal{A}}[5, 3] \wedge \neg P^{\mathcal{A}}[5, 4] \wedge \neg P^{\mathcal{A}}[5, 5] \vee \neg P^{\mathcal{A}}[5, 6]] \vee \\
& [\neg P^{\mathcal{A}}[6, 3] \wedge \neg P^{\mathcal{A}}[6, 4] \wedge \neg P^{\mathcal{A}}[6, 5] \vee \neg P^{\mathcal{A}}[6, 6]] \\
& = [\neg 0 \wedge \neg 1 \wedge \neg P^{\mathcal{A}}[3, 5] \vee \neg P^{\mathcal{A}}[3, 6]] \vee \\
& [\neg 0 \wedge \neg 0 \wedge \neg 1 \vee \neg P^{\mathcal{A}}[4, 6]] \vee \\
& [\neg 0 \wedge \neg 0 \wedge \neg 0 \vee \neg 1] \vee \\
& [\neg 1 \wedge \neg P^{\mathcal{A}}[6, 4] \wedge \neg P^{\mathcal{A}}[6, 5] \vee \neg P^{\mathcal{A}}[6, 6]] \\
& = [1 \wedge 0 \wedge \neg P^{\mathcal{A}}[3, 5] \vee \neg P^{\mathcal{A}}[3, 6]] \vee \\
& [1 \wedge 1 \wedge 0 \vee \neg P^{\mathcal{A}}[4, 6]] \vee \\
& [1 \wedge 1 \wedge 1 \vee 0] \vee \\
& [0 \wedge \neg P^{\mathcal{A}}[6, 4] \wedge \neg P^{\mathcal{A}}[6, 5] \vee \neg P^{\mathcal{A}}[6, 6]] \\
& = 0 \vee 0 \vee 0 \vee 0 = 0
\end{aligned}$$

Grading Criteria: 3 points for each correct answer.

**Question 2.** (20 points)

Show that the set of connectives  $S = \{\forall x(F \wedge \neg G) \wedge \forall yH\}$  is adequate for FOL.

Hint: Let  $\sigma[x, F, G, y, H] = \forall x(F \wedge \neg G) \wedge \forall yH$ . Find the  $S$  meta-formulas  $\phi_{\neg}[F]$ ,  $\phi_{\wedge}[F, G]$  and  $\phi_{\forall x}[F]$  such that

$$\phi_{\neg}[F] \equiv \neg F, \phi_{\wedge}[F, G] \equiv (F \wedge G) \text{ and } \phi_{\forall x}[F] \equiv \forall xF,$$

and use the fact that  $T = \{\neg F, F \wedge G, \forall xF\}$  is adequate.

**Proof:**1. We choose  $\phi_{\neg}[F] = \sigma[x, E(x, x), F, y, E(y, y)]$  where  $x$  is a variable that does not occur in  $F$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma[x, E(x, x), F, y, E(y, y)] &= \forall x(E(x, x) \wedge \neg F) \wedge \forall yE(y, y) && \text{definition of } \sigma \\ &\equiv \forall x(\mathbf{T} \wedge \neg F) \wedge \forall y\mathbf{T} && \text{tautology law} \\ &\equiv (\mathbf{T} \wedge \neg F) \wedge \mathbf{T} && \text{eliminate redundant quantifiers} \\ &\equiv \mathbf{T} \wedge \neg F && \text{tautology law} \\ &\equiv \neg F && \text{tautology law} \end{aligned}$$

2: We chose  $\phi_{\wedge}[F, G] = \sigma[x, F, \phi_{\neg}[G], y, E(y, y)]$ , where  $x$  is a variable that does not occur neither in  $F$  nor in  $G$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma[x, F, \phi_{\neg}[G], y, E(y, y)] &= \forall x(F \wedge \neg\phi_{\neg}[G]) \wedge \forall yE(y, y) && \text{definition of } \sigma \\ &\equiv \forall x(F \wedge \neg\phi_{\neg}[G]) \wedge \forall y\mathbf{T} && E(y, y) \equiv \mathbf{T} \\ &\equiv \forall x(F \wedge \neg\phi_{\neg}[G]) \wedge \mathbf{T} && \text{eliminate redundant quantifiers} \\ &\equiv \forall x(F \wedge \neg\phi_{\neg}[G]) && \text{tautology law} \\ &\equiv \forall x(F \wedge \neg\neg G) && \text{part 1} \\ &\equiv \forall x(F \wedge G) && \text{double negation elim} \\ &\equiv F \wedge G && \text{eliminate redundant quantifiers} \end{aligned}$$

Since  $\phi_{\neg}[G]$  is an  $S$  meta-formula, so is  $\sigma[x, F, \phi_{\neg}[G], y, E(y, y)]$ .

3: We choose  $\phi_{\forall x}[F] = \sigma[x, E(x, x), \phi_{\neg}[F], x, E(x, x)]$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma[x, E(x, x), \phi_{\neg}[F], x, E(x, x)] &= \forall x(E(x, x) \wedge \neg\phi_{\neg}[F]) \wedge \forall xE(x, x) && \text{definition of } \sigma \\ &\equiv \forall x(\mathbf{T} \wedge \neg\phi_{\neg}[F]) \wedge \forall x\mathbf{T} && E(x, x) \equiv \mathbf{T} \\ &\equiv \forall x\neg\phi_{\neg}[F] \wedge \forall x\mathbf{T} && \text{tautology law} \\ &\equiv \forall x\neg\phi_{\neg}[F] \wedge \mathbf{T} && \text{eliminate redundant quantifiers} \\ &\equiv \forall x\neg\phi_{\neg}[F] && \text{tautology law} \\ &\equiv \forall x\neg\neg F && \text{part 1} \\ &\equiv \forall xF && \text{double negation elim} \end{aligned}$$

Since  $\phi_{\neg}[F]$  is an  $S$  meta-formula, so is  $\sigma[x, E(x, x), \phi_{\neg}[F], x, E(x, x)]$ .

### Grading Criteria:

1. Part 1 : 8 points (5 for choosing  $\phi$  , 3 for the proof)
2. Part 2 : 6 points (4 for choosing  $\phi$  , 2 for the proof)
3. Part 3: 6 points (4 for choosing  $\phi$  , 2 for the proof)

**Question 3** (12 points)

Rectify the formula  $F$ .

$$F = \forall x[\forall x(P(x, y) \vee Q(z, x)) \wedge \forall z(\neg P(z, x) \vee Q(y, z))] \vee \forall y \exists x[\forall x(\neg P(a, x) \vee \neg Q(y, x)) \wedge \exists y(\neg P(y, x) \vee \neg Q(y, b))]$$

**Answer:**

$$F \equiv \forall x[\forall x_1(P(x_1, y) \vee Q(z, x_1)) \wedge \forall z_1(\neg P(z_1, x) \vee Q(y, z_1))] \vee \forall y_1 \exists x_2[\forall x_3(\neg P(a, x_3) \vee \neg Q(y_1, x_3)) \wedge \exists y_2(\neg P(y_2, x_2) \vee \neg Q(y_2, b))]$$

**Grading Criteria:** -1 point for each error

**Question 4** (8 points)

Skolemize the formula

$$F = \exists x \forall y \forall z \exists u \forall v \exists w[(P(x, y) \vee P(a, f(z))) \wedge (\neg P(h(v, x), b) \vee \neg P(u, w))].$$

Don't show your work, just write the Skolemized formula.

Write the substitutions as [variable/term]. Display the answer below.

**Answer:**

$$F \equiv_s \forall y \forall z \forall v[(P(x, y) \vee P(a, f(z))) \wedge (\neg P(h(v, x), b) \vee \neg P(u, w))][x/c][u/g(y, z)][w/i(y, z, v)] \\ = \forall y \forall z \forall v[(P(c, y) \vee P(a, f(z))) \wedge (\neg P(h(v, c), b) \vee \neg P(g(y, z), i(y, z, v)))].$$

**Grading Criteria:** 1. 2.67 points for each correct substitution.

2. -1.5 points for each overloading.

**Question 5** (10 points)

Find a prenex form for

$$F = [\exists x(\forall y P(x, y) \vee \forall z Q(x, z)) \wedge \forall u(\exists v \neg P(u, v) \vee \exists w \neg Q(w, u))].$$

Don't show your work, just write the prenex form. Display your answer below.

**Answer:**

$$\exists x \forall u \exists v \exists w \forall y \forall z [(P(x, y) \vee Q(x, z)) \wedge (\neg P(u, v) \vee \neg Q(w, u))].$$

or any quantifier permutation where  $\exists x$  precedes both  $\forall y$  and  $\forall z$  and  $\forall u$  precedes both  $\exists v$  and  $\exists w$ .

**Grading Criteria:** 1. -2.5 points for each precedence violation.

2. -1.5 for each redundant quantifier and quantifier dominated by an  $\vee$  or an  $\wedge$ .

**Question 6** (3 points)

Close the formula  $F = \exists y \forall v P(x, y, z, u, v)$ .

Write your answer below.

**Answer:**  $\exists x \exists z \exists u F$ .

**Question 7** (20 points)

Let  $\forall x \forall y F$  be a rectified formula. Prove that  $\forall x \forall y F \models \forall x \forall y F[x/f(x, y), y/g(x, y)]$ .

**Hint:** Apply the relabeling lemma and the translation lemma.

**Proof:** The key here is to see that the substitution  $[x/f(x, y), y/g(x, y)]$  cannot be written as a composition of 2 sequential substitutions. So,  $[x/f(x, y), y/g(x, y)] \neq [x/f(x, y)][y/g(x, y)]$  and  $[x/f(x, y), y/g(x, y)] \neq [y/g(x, y)][x/f(x, y)]$ . The reason is that after the first sequential substitution is performed, the second one modifies the term that replaced the first variable. So,  $[x/f(x, y)][y/g(x, y)] = [x/f(x, g(x, y)), y/g(x, y)]$  and  $[y/g(x, y)][x/f(x, y)] = [y/g(f(x, y), y), x/f(x, y)]$ . The Translation Lemma deals with 1 substitution only, so you cannot apply it. You have to relabel  $\forall x \forall y F[x/f(x, y), y/g(x, y)]$  and then apply the translation lemma.

So, let  $u$  and  $v$  be two variables that are not in  $F$ .

Then,

$$\begin{aligned} \forall x \forall y F[x/f(x, y), y/g(x, y)] &\equiv \forall u \forall y F[x/f(x, y), y/g(x, y)][x/u] && \text{by the} \\ \text{Relabeling Lemma} & \\ &= \forall u \forall y F[x/f(u, y), y/g(u, y)] && [x/f(x, y), y/g(x, y)][x/u] = [x/f(u, y), y/g(u, y)] \\ &\equiv \forall y \forall u F[x/f(u, y), y/g(u, y)] && \text{swapping universal quantifiers} \\ &\equiv \forall v \forall u F[x/f(u, y), y/g(u, y)][y/v] && \text{by the Relabeling Lemma} \\ &= \forall v \forall u F[x/f(u, v), y/g(u, v)] && [x/f(u, y), y/g(u, y)][y/v] = [x/f(u, v), y/g(u, v)] \\ &\equiv \forall u \forall v F[x/f(u, v), y/g(u, v)] && \text{swapping universal quantifiers} \end{aligned}$$

Now the consequence  $\forall x \forall y F \models \forall x \forall y F[x/f(x, y), y/g(x, y)]$  becomes

$$\forall x \forall y F \models \forall u \forall v F[x/f(u, v), y/g(u, v)]$$

and we can apply the Translation Lemma, just like we did in the practice test.

Assume (1).

$$(1) \mathcal{A}[\forall x \forall y F]$$

Let  $U$  be the universe of  $\mathcal{A}$ . We remove the quantifiers from  $\forall x \forall y F$  and get that (2) holds for all  $d, e \in U$ .

$$(2) \mathcal{A}_{[x \leftarrow d][y \leftarrow e]}[F] = 1$$

Now we will prove that  $\mathcal{A}[\forall u \forall v F[x/f(u, v), y/g(u, v)]] = 1$ .

$$\mathcal{A}[\forall u \forall v F[x/f(u, v), y/g(u, v)]] = 1$$

iff for all  $a \in U$ ,  $\mathcal{A}_{[u \leftarrow a]}[\forall v F[x/f(u, v), y/g(u, v)]] = 1$  interpretation of  $\forall u$

iff for all  $a \in U$ , forall  $b \in U$ ,  $\mathcal{A}_{[u \leftarrow a][v \leftarrow b]}[F[x/f(u, v), y/g(u, v)]] = 1$   
 interpretation of  $\forall v$   
 iff for all  $a \in U$ , forall  $b \in U$ ,  $\mathcal{A}_{[u \leftarrow a][v \leftarrow b]}[F[y/g(u, v)][x/f(u, v)]] = 1$   
 now  $[x/f(u, v), y/g(u, v)] = [y/g(u, v)][x/f(u, v)]$   
 iff for all  $a \in U$ , forall  $b \in U$ ,  $\mathcal{A}_{[u \leftarrow a][v \leftarrow b][x \leftarrow \mathcal{A}_{[u \leftarrow a][v \leftarrow b]}[f(u, v)]]}[F[y/g(u, v)]] = 1$   
 1 by the Translation Lemma  
 iff  $\mathcal{A}_{[u \leftarrow a][v \leftarrow b][x \leftarrow f^{\mathcal{A}}[a, b]]}[F[y/g(u, v)]] = 1$      $\mathcal{A}_{[u \leftarrow a][v \leftarrow b]}[f(u, v)] = f^{\mathcal{A}}[a, b]$   
 iff  $\mathcal{A}_{[u \leftarrow a][v \leftarrow b][x \leftarrow f^{\mathcal{A}}[a, b]][y \leftarrow \mathcal{A}_{[u \leftarrow a][v \leftarrow b][x \leftarrow f^{\mathcal{A}}[a, b]]}[g(u, v)]]}[F] = 1$     by the Translation Lemma  
 iff  $\mathcal{A}_{[u \leftarrow a][v \leftarrow b][x \leftarrow f^{\mathcal{A}}[a, b]][y \leftarrow g^{\mathcal{A}}[a, b]]}[F] = 1$      $\mathcal{A}_{[u \leftarrow a][v \leftarrow b][x \leftarrow f^{\mathcal{A}}[a, b]]}[g(u, v)] = g^{\mathcal{A}}[a, b]$   
 iff  $\mathcal{A}_{[x \leftarrow f^{\mathcal{A}}[a, b]][y \leftarrow g^{\mathcal{A}}[a, b]]}[F] = 1$      $u$  and  $v$  are not free in  $F$   
 The last condition is true because of (2).

**Grading Criteria:** 1. If you did not relate before you applied The translation lemma you cannot get more than 5 points.