


Mini-project II

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Question 1

The truth table for the negation of Exercise 1.2.14 from Rosen's book, i.e. the formula $\neg((\neg p \wedge (p \rightarrow q)) \rightarrow \neg q)$, is shown below.

| p | q | $\neg p$ | $p \rightarrow q$ | $\neg p \wedge (p \rightarrow q)$ | $\neg q$ | $(\neg p \wedge (p \rightarrow q)) \rightarrow \neg q$ | $\neg((\neg p \wedge (p \rightarrow q)) \rightarrow \neg q)$ |
|-----|-----|----------|-------------------|-----------------------------------|----------|--|--|
| T | T | F | T | F | F | T | F |
| T | F | F | F | F | T | T | F |
| F | T | T | T | T | F | F | T |
| F | F | T | T | T | T | T | F |

The table shows that $\neg((\neg p \wedge (p \rightarrow q)) \rightarrow \neg q)$ is satisfiable. Specifically, The two leftmost columns and the rightmost column show that the formula is satisfied when p is true and q is false.

This can be expressed as the function v with domain $\{p, q, \neg, \wedge, \rightarrow\}$, codomain $\{0, 1\}$ and the following mapping:

$v(\neg x) = 1$ if $v(x) = 0$, and 0 otherwise.

$v(x \wedge y) = 1$ if $v(x) = 1$ and $v(y) = 1$, and 0 otherwise.

$v(x \rightarrow y) = 0$ if $v(x) = 1$ and $v(y) = 0$, and 1 otherwise.

Question 2

The function $v(x \vee y)$ can be expressed in set-theoretic notation as

$$\{B_1, \dots, B \cup \{\phi \vee \psi\}, \dots, B_i\} \rightsquigarrow \{\{B_1, \dots, B \cup \{\phi\}, \dots, B_i\}, \{B_1, \dots, B \cup \{\psi\}, \dots, B_i\}\}$$

i Correction #1

The above expression contains two errors (as pointed out in feedback):

Error #1: The syntax confused branches and formulas.

Error #2: Derived formulas should be negated.

Corrected expression:

$$\{B_1, \dots, B \cup \{\phi \vee \psi\}, \dots, B_i\} \rightsquigarrow \{B_1, \dots, B \cup \{\neg\phi\}, B \cup \{\neg\psi\}, \dots, B_i\}$$

and the function $v(x \rightarrow y)$ can be expressed as

$$\{B_1, \dots, B \cup \{\phi \rightarrow \psi\}, \dots, B_i\} \rightsquigarrow \{\{B_1, \dots, B \cup \{\neg\phi\}, \dots, B_i\}, \{B_1, \dots, B \cup \{\psi\}, \dots, B_i\}\}$$

i Correction #2

The above expression contains one error (as pointed out in feedback):

Error #1: The syntax confused branches and formulas.

Corrected expression:

$$\{B_1, \dots, B \cup \{\phi \rightarrow \psi\}, \dots, B_i\} \rightsquigarrow \{B_1, \dots, B \cup \{\neg\phi\}, B \cup \{\psi\}, \dots, B_i\}$$

Question 3

i Addition #1

Obtaining a complete tableau by applying tableau rules can be described in pseudocode like this:

Algorithm 1 TableauCompletion

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1: procedure TABLEAUCOMPLETION( $\tau$ )
2:   if  $\tau \in \emptyset$  then
3:     return  $\tau$  // tableau is closed
4:   repeat
5:      $\rho \leftarrow \tau$ 
6:      $\rho \leftarrow \text{DROPINCONSISTENCIES}(\rho)$ 
7:      $\rho \leftarrow \text{APPLYUNIBRANCHRULES}(\rho)$ 
8:   until  $\rho = \tau$  // deplete non-branching changes first
9:    $\rho \leftarrow \text{APPLYBRANCHINGRULES}(\rho)$ 
10:  if  $\rho = \tau$  then
11:    return  $\rho$  // tableau is open and complete
12:  TABLEAUCOMPLETION( $\rho$ )
13: procedure DROPINCONSISTENCIES( $\tau$ )
14:   $\rho \leftarrow \tau$ 
15:  for all  $n \in \{1, \dots, i \leftarrow |\rho|\}$  where  $\{B_1, \dots, B_i\} \in \rho$  do
16:    if BRANCHISINCONSISTENT( $B_n$ ) then
17:       $\rho \leftarrow \{B_1, \dots, B_{n-1}, B_{n+1}, \dots, B_i\}$ 
18:    return  $\rho$ 
19: procedure APPLYUNIBRANCHRULES( $\tau$ )
20:   $\rho \leftarrow \tau$ 
21:  for all  $n \in \{1, \dots, i \leftarrow |\rho|\}$  where  $\{B_1, \dots, B_i\} \in \rho$  do
22:    for all  $m \in \{1, \dots, j \leftarrow |B_n|\}$  where  $\{F_1, \dots, F_j\} \in B_n$  do
23:      if  $\{\phi\} \leftarrow \text{RULEDUNIBRANCHFORMULA}(F_m)$  then
24:         $B_n \leftarrow \{F_1, \dots, F_{m-1}, \phi, F_{m+1}, \dots, F_i\}$ 
25:    return  $\rho$ 
26: procedure APPLYBRANCHINGRULES( $\tau$ )
27:  for all  $n \in \{1, \dots, i \leftarrow |\tau|\}$  where  $\{B_1, \dots, B_i\} \in \tau$  do
28:    for all  $m \in \{1, \dots, j \leftarrow |B_n|\}$  where  $\{F_1, \dots, F_j\} \in B_n$  do
29:      if  $\{\phi, \psi\} \leftarrow \text{RULEDBRANCHINGFORMULAS}(F_m)$  then
30:         $B'_n \leftarrow \{F_1, \dots, F_{m-1}, \phi, F_{m+1}, \dots, F_i\}$ 
31:         $B''_n \leftarrow \{F_1, \dots, F_{m-1}, \psi, F_{m+1}, \dots, F_i\}$ 
32:      return  $\{B_1, \dots, B_{n-1}, B'_n, B''_n, B_{n+1}, \dots, B_i\}$ 
33:  return  $\tau$ 
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1: procedure BRANCHISINCONSISTENT( $B$ )
2:   for all  $n \in \{1, \dots, i \leftarrow |B|\}$  where  $\{F_1, \dots, F_i\} \in B$  do
3:     if  $|F_n| > 2$  and  $\text{SYMBOLS}(F_n, 1) = \neg$  and  $\text{SYMBOLS}(F_n, 2) \neq \neg$  then
4:        $\text{contradiction} \leftarrow \text{SYMBOLS}(F_n, 2 \dots |F_n|)$ 
5:       for all  $m \in \{1, \dots, j \leftarrow |B|\}$  where  $\{F_1, \dots, F_j\} \in B$  do
6:         if  $F_m = \text{contradiction}$  then
7:           return true
8:   return false
9: procedure RULEDUNIBRANCHFORMULA( $F$ )
10:  if  $|F_n| > 2$  and  $\text{SYMBOLS}(F_n, 1 \dots 2) = \neg\neg$  then //  $\neg\neg$ 
11:    return  $\{\text{SYMBOLS}(F_n, 3 \dots |F_n|)\}$ 
12:  else if ... then
13:    ...
14:  else
15:    ...
16:  return  $\emptyset$ 
17: procedure RULEDBRANCHINGFORMULAS( $B$ )
18:  if ... then
19:    ...
20:  else if ... then
21:    ...
22:  else
23:    ...
24:  return  $\emptyset$ 

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Each round of the while-loop beginning at line 2 either drops a branch, applies rules to a branch, or ends the function. Every rule reduces the length of involved formulas, which means it is certain to eventually stop with either a set of irreducible branches or the empty set of branches.

Question 4

i Addition #2

$$\begin{aligned}\{\neg p \wedge p \wedge \neg q\} &\rightsquigarrow \{\neg p, p \wedge \neg q\} \\ &\rightsquigarrow \{\neg p, p, \neg q\}\end{aligned}$$

Question 5

TODO