

CS 441 Fall 2005 Exam 1 for the evening section (6:00pm - 7:15pm).

There are 8 parts (A to H) on 9 pages with a total score of 117 points. Do all problems.  
Calculators are not allowed.

### Part A: Propositional and Predicate logics

1. (15 points) Translate each English sentence (a-e) into logic and each logic proposition (f-j) into colloquial English. Let

$$H(x) : x \text{ is happy.} \quad W(x,y) : x \text{ works for } y.$$

(a) Joe doesn't work for Jack.

$$\neg W(\text{Joe}, \text{Jack})$$

(b) Someone works for Tom.

$$\exists x W(x, \text{Tom})$$

(c) Everyone works for somebody.

(b) (1 point)  $\forall x \exists y W(x, y)$  (solution: *contingency*)

(d) If Jill is happy, then she works for herself.

$$H(\text{Jill}) \rightarrow W(\text{Jill}, \text{Jill})$$

(e) Everyone who works for herself is happy.

$$\forall x [W(x, x) \rightarrow H(x)]$$

(f)  $H(\text{Ben}) \wedge H(\text{Cindy})$

Both Ben and Cindy are happy.

(g)  $\forall x H(x)$

Everybody is happy.

(h)  $\neg \exists x H(x)$

Nobody is happy.

(i)  $\exists x [\neg H(x) \wedge W(x, \text{Greg})]$

Some unhappy person works for Greg.

(j)  $\forall x [W(x, \text{Bill}) \rightarrow H(x)]$

Everyone who works for Bill is happy.

**Part A: (continue)**

2. (a) (5 points) Construct the truth table for  $(r \wedge \neg p) \vee (q \rightarrow p)$ .

$p$	$q$	$r$	$\neg p$	$r \wedge \neg p$	$q \rightarrow p$	$(r \wedge \neg p) \vee (q \rightarrow p)$
T	T	T	F	F	T	T
T	T	F	F	F	T	T
T	F	T	F	F	T	T
T	F	F	F	F	T	T
F	T	T	T	T	F	T
F	T	F	T	F	F	F
F	F	T	T	T	T	T
F	F	F	T	F	T	T

- (b) (1 point) Classify the above proposition. (circle one)

tautology contradiction **contingency**

**Part B: Methods of Proof**

1. (6 points) Prove that the following argument is valid.

$p \vee r$	premise 1
$\neg q$	premise 2
$p \rightarrow q$	premise 3
$r$	conclusion

Step	Propositions	Inference rule	Citation
1	$p \vee r$	premise 1	
2	$\neg q$	premise 2	
3	$p \rightarrow q$	premise 3	
4	$\neg p$	modus tollens	2, 3
5	$r$	disjunctive syllogism	1, 4

2. (10 points) Prove that if  $(n-2)(n+2)$  is an even number, then  $n$  is an even number.

Use indirect proof.

Thus, we will prove that if  $n$  is odd, then  $(n-2)(n+2)$  is odd.

Assume that  $n$  is an odd number.

Thus,  $n = 2k-1$  for some integer  $k$ .

Now consider  $(n-2)(n+2)$

$$\begin{aligned}(n-2)(n+2) &= (2k-3)(2k+1) \\ &= 4k^2 - 6k + 2k - 3 \\ &= 4k^2 - 4k - 3 \\ &= 2(2k^2 - 2k - 1) - 1\end{aligned}$$

Thus,  $(n-2)(n+2) = 2g$  where  $g$  is an integer.

In particular,  $g = 2k^2 - 2k - 1$ .

Thus,  $(n-2)(n+2)$  is an odd number.

Thus, if  $n$  is odd, then  $(n-2)(n+2)$  is odd.

Equivalently, if  $(n-2)(n+2)$  is even, then  $n$  is even.

### Part C: Sets

1. (8 points) Suppose the universal set is  $U = \{ x \mid x \text{ is a lower case letter in the English alphabet} \}$ .  
Let  $A = \{ i, p, r \}$ .

Let  $B = \{ x \mid x \text{ is a vowel } \wedge x \text{ follows 'g' in the alphabet} \}$ .

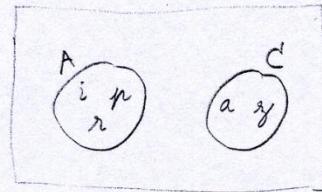
Let  $C = \{ a, z \}$ .

Represent each of the sets by listing their members.

(a)  $B = \{ i, e, u \}$

(b)  $A \cap C = \emptyset$

(c)  $\bar{C} - \bar{A} = \{ i, n, r \}$



(d)  $|\bar{C}| = 24$

2. (8 points) True/False

(c)  $c \subseteq \{ a, b, \{ c, \emptyset \} \}$

True  False  (circle one)

(a)  $\{ b, a \} \subseteq \{ b, \{ b, a \}, \{ a \} \}$

True  False  (circle one)

(b)  $\emptyset \in \{ c, \{ \emptyset \}, \{ c \} \}$

True  False  (circle one)

(d) Suppose  $A = \{ 3, 3, 4, 3, \{ 5, 2, \emptyset \} \}$ . Then  $|A| = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

= { 3, 4, { 5, 2, \emptyset } }

**Part D: Functions**

1. (6 points)

Let  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ Let  $B = \{u, v, w, x, y\}$ Let  $f: A \rightarrow B$  where  $f(1) = x, f(2) = y, f(3) = u, f(4) = v$ .

- (a) Determine
- $f(\{2, 3, 4\})$
- .

$$\{y, u, v\}$$

- (b)
- $f$
- is a one-to-one function.

 True  False (circle one)

- (c)
- $f$
- is an onto function.

 True  False (circle one)

2. (3 points)

Let  $g: R \rightarrow R$  where  $g(x) = 3x + 2$ Let  $h: R \rightarrow R$  where  $h(x) = 2x - 3$ Determine  $(g \circ h)(x)$ .

$$\begin{aligned}(g \circ h)(x) &= g(h(x)) \\&= g(2x - 3) \\&= 3(2x - 3) + 2 \\&= 6x - 9 + 2 \\&= 6x - 7\end{aligned}$$

3. (2 points) Let
- $f: R \rightarrow R$
- such that
- $f(x) = \lceil x \rceil - \lfloor x \rfloor$
- . What is the range of
- $f$
- ?

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x \text{ is an integer} \\ 1 & \text{if } x \text{ is not an integer} \end{cases} \quad \text{Thus, the range of } f \text{ is } \{0, 1\}.$$

4. (2 points) Suppose
- $f: A \rightarrow B$
- is a bijection and
- $g: B \rightarrow C$
- is an onto function. Then
- $g \circ f$
- is an onto function.

 True  False (circle one)

**Part E: Big-O notation**

1. Give the best big-O estimate for each of these functions.

(a) (2 points)  $7n^3 + 3n + 4 \quad O(n^3)$

(b) (2 points)  $(2n + 3\log n)(n^2 + 2n) \quad O(n^3)$

(c) (3 points)  $\frac{3n^2 \log n + 0.02n^3 + (2n^2 + 4)(n^2 + 12)}{\overbrace{O(n^2 \log n)}^d \quad \overbrace{O(n^3)}^e \quad \overbrace{O(n^2)}^f \quad \overbrace{O(n^2)}^g} \quad O(n^4)$

2. (2 points) If  $f(n) = \Omega(g(n))$  and  $h(n) = O(g(n))$ , then  $h(n) = O(f(n))$ .

True     False    (circle one)

3. (4 points) Show that  $3n^3 + 4n^2 + 5$  is  $O(n^3)$ . You should show systematically how to obtain a pair of witnesses ( $C$  and  $k$ ) for this relationship.

Note that  $4n^2 \leq 4n^2 \cdot n$  if  $n \geq 1$   
 and  $5 \leq 5 \cdot n^3$  if  $n \geq 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Thus, } 3n^3 + 4n^2 + 5 &\leq 3n^3 + 4n^3 + 5 \text{ if } n \geq 1 \\ &\leq 3n^3 + 4n^3 + 5n^3 \text{ if } n \geq 1 \\ &= 12n^3 \text{ if } n \geq 1 \end{aligned}$$

Thus,  $C = 12$  and  $n \geq 1$  is a pair of witnesses to the relationship  
 $3n^3 + 4n^2 + 5$  being  $O(n^3)$ .

### Part F: Sequences and summation

1. (2 points) Write a formula using the summation symbol for "the sum of the first  $n$  even positive integers".

$$\sum_{i=1}^n 2i$$

2. (8 points) Suppose  $\{a_n\}$  is an arithmetic sequence with  $n \geq 1$  and the first five terms are

5, 11, 17, 23, 29.

$$a_n = bn + c \text{ where } b, c \text{ are constants}$$

(a) Compute the 200<sup>th</sup> term.

(b) Compute the sum of the first 200 terms.

$n$	1	2	3	4	5
$a_n$	5	11	17	23	29
\	\	\	\	\	\
6	6	6	6	6	6

The difference between adjacent terms is 6.

$$\therefore a_n = 6n + c$$

$$5 = a_1 = 6 \cdot 1 + c \Rightarrow c = -1$$

$$\therefore a_n = 6n - 1$$

$$(a) a_{200} = 6 \cdot 200 - 1 = 1199$$

$$(b) \sum_{i=1}^{200} a_i = \sum_{i=1}^{200} (6i - 1) = \left( \sum_{i=1}^{200} 6i \right) - \left( \sum_{i=1}^{200} 1 \right)$$

$$= 6 \left( \sum_{i=1}^{200} i \right) - 200$$

$$= 6 \cdot \frac{200 \cdot 201}{2} - 200 \quad \text{because } \sum_{i=1}^n i = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$$

$$= 120400$$

**Part G: Recursive Definition**

1. (4 points) Let  $f$  be a function defined below. Compute  $f(6)$ .

$$f(1) = 2$$

$$f(2) = 4$$

$$f(n) = 2 f(n-1) - f(n-2) \quad \text{for } n \geq 3$$

$n$	1	2	3	4	5	6
$f(n)$	2	4	6	8	10	12

$$f(6) = 12$$

2. (4 points) Let  $S$  be a set defined below. Describe the set  $S$  in simple English.

$$2 \in S$$

$$3 \in S$$

If  $x \in S$  and  $y \in S$ , then  $x+y \in S$ .

Nothing else is in  $S$ .

$S$  is the set of all integers greater than 1.

$$S = \{x \in \mathbb{Z} \mid x \geq 2\}$$

$$S = \mathbb{Z}^+ - \{1\}$$

3. (4 points) Let  $\{a_n\}$  be a sequence where  $a_n = 4n+5$  and  $n \geq 1$ . Give a recursive definition for  $a_n$ .

$$a_1 = 9$$

$$a_n = a_{n-1} + 4 \quad \text{for } n \geq 2$$

### Part H: Mathematical Induction

1. (3 points) To prove  $\forall n P(n)$  using mathematical induction, what two statements do we need to prove?

$$P(1) \quad \text{and} \quad \forall k [P(k) \rightarrow P(k+1)]$$

2. Prove that the sum of the first  $n$  even positive integers is  $n(n+1)$  using mathematical induction.

Give a predicate  $P(n)$  for the statement to be proved.

$$(2 \text{ points}) P(n) \text{ means } \sum_{i=1}^n 2i = n(n+1)$$

Basis step:

- (2 points) What is the statement that we need to prove in the basis step?

$$P(1) \quad \sum_{i=1}^1 2i = 1(1+1)$$

- (2 points) Prove this statement.

$$\sum_{i=1}^1 2i = 2 \cdot 1 = 2 \quad 1(1+1) = 2$$

Thus  $\sum_{i=1}^1 2i = 1(1+1)$

Inductive step:

- (2 points) What is the inductive hypothesis? (what do we assume in the inductive step?)

$$P(k) \quad \sum_{i=1}^k 2i = k(k+1)$$

- (2 points) What is the statement that we need to prove using the inductive hypothesis?

$$P(k+1) \quad \sum_{i=1}^{k+1} 2i = (k+1)(k+2)$$

- (3 points) Prove this statement.

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=1}^{k+1} 2i &= \left( \sum_{i=1}^k 2i \right) + 2(k+1) \\ &= k(k+1) + 2(k+1) \quad \text{from the inductive hypothesis} \\ &= (k+1)(k+2) \end{aligned}$$