

MAU11602 second quiz, week 4, Wed 16/2/22 ANSWERS

Rules and procedures.

1. Attempt 3 questions. Only *your first three answers* will be marked. **2.** Each question carries 20 marks, so the maximum quiz mark is 60. **3.** If a particular method of solution is stipulated, you get no marks if you don't use it. **4. *Show all work.*** No marks will be given for answers which do not show the calculations. **5.** Your answers should be scanned and submitted to Blackboard.

Question 1. Give a CNF with the following truth-table.

W	X	Y	Z	
0	0	0	0	1
0	0	0	1	1
0	0	1	0	1
0	0	1	1	0
0	1	0	0	1
0	1	0	1	1
0	1	1	0	0
0	1	1	1	1

W	X	Y	Z	
1	0	0	0	1
1	0	0	1	0
1	0	1	0	1
1	0	1	1	1
1	1	0	0	1
1	1	0	1	1
1	1	1	0	0
1	1	1	1	0

Answer.

$$W \vee X \vee \bar{Y} \vee \bar{Z}, \quad W \vee \bar{X} \vee \bar{Y} \vee Z, \quad \bar{W} \vee X \vee Y \vee \bar{Z}, \quad \bar{W} \vee \bar{X} \vee \bar{Y} \vee Z, \quad \bar{W} \vee \bar{X} \vee \bar{Y} \vee \bar{Z}$$

Question 2. Show using resolution that the following CNF is inconsistent

$$\bar{U}VY, \quad UV\bar{Y}, \quad U\bar{V}Y, \quad \bar{U}\bar{V}\bar{Y}, \quad UX, \quad \bar{U}\bar{X}, \quad VWX, \quad \bar{V}W\bar{X}, \\ V\bar{W}\bar{X}, \quad \bar{V}\bar{W}X, \quad WY, \quad \bar{W}\bar{Y}$$

Answer.

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{U}VY, \bar{W}\bar{Y} &\mapsto \bar{U}V\bar{W} & UV\bar{Y}, WY &\mapsto UVW & U\bar{V}Y, \bar{W}\bar{Y} &\mapsto U\bar{V}\bar{W} & \bar{U}\bar{V}\bar{Y}, WY &\mapsto \bar{U}\bar{V}W \\ UX, \bar{V}W\bar{X} &\mapsto U\bar{V}W & UX, \bar{W}\bar{X} &\mapsto UV\bar{W} & \bar{U}\bar{X}, VWX &\mapsto \bar{U}VW & \bar{U}\bar{X}, \bar{V}\bar{W}X &\mapsto \bar{U}\bar{V}\bar{W} \\ UVW, UV\bar{W} &\mapsto UV & U\bar{V}\bar{W}, U\bar{V}W &\mapsto U\bar{V} & \bar{U}V\bar{W}, \bar{U}VW &\mapsto \bar{U}V & \bar{U}\bar{V}W, \bar{U}\bar{V}\bar{W} &\mapsto \bar{U}\bar{V} \\ U\bar{V}, U\bar{V} &\mapsto \bar{U} & \bar{U}V, \bar{U}\bar{V} &\mapsto \bar{U} & U, \bar{U} &\mapsto \square \end{aligned}$$

Question 3. Let A and B be formulae of SC with the property that every interpretation (truth assignment) which satisfies A also satisfies B . Prove

$$A \vdash_{\text{SC}} B$$

Answer.

$A \implies B$ is a tautology, so it is provable in SC: $\vdash_{\text{SC}} A \implies B$. Using MP, $A \vdash_{\text{SC}} B$. ■

Question 4. Prove

$$\vdash_{\text{SC}} A \wedge (B \wedge C) \implies (A \wedge B) \wedge C.$$

You may use the notes up to Lemma 10.17 (vi), but nothing after that. (Hint: you needn't look too far back.)

Answer. 1. $A \wedge (B \wedge C)$ (hyp).

2. A (1, Lemma 10.17, (iv)).

3. $B \wedge C$ (1, L, (v)).

4. B (3, L, (iv)).

5. C (3, L, (v)).

6. $(A \wedge B)$ (2,4, L, (vi)).

7. $(A \wedge B) \wedge C$ (6,5,L (vi))

so 7 can be derived from (1), therefore using the Deduction Theorem, $A \wedge (B \wedge C) \implies (A \wedge B) \wedge C$. ■

Question 5. Prove

$$\vdash_{\text{SC}} (A \vee (B \wedge C)) \implies ((A \vee B) \wedge (A \vee C)) \quad (*)$$

(This is part of (viii) in Lemma 10.17. Hint: $(\neg A) \implies (B \wedge C) \dots$)

Answer.

1. $(\neg A) \implies (B \wedge C)$ (Hypothesis)

2. $\neg A$ (Hypothesis)

3. $(B \wedge C)$ (1,2,MP)

4. B (3, Lemma 10.17, (iv))

5. C (3, Lemma, (v))

6. $(\neg A) \Rightarrow B$ (DT with (2) as hypothesis.)

7. $(\neg A) \Rightarrow C$ (same again)

8. $((\neg A) \Rightarrow B) \wedge ((\neg A) \Rightarrow C)$ (6,7, Lemma, (vi))

9. (1) \implies (8) by the deduction theorem, and that is the desired formula (*). ■