

# LOGIC AND SET THEORY - HOMEWORK 1

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## 1. QUESTION 1

In the order ' $A \in B$ ', ' $A \subseteq B$ ', ' $A \cup B = \emptyset$ ',

- Yes, no, yes
- No, yes, no
- Yes, no, yes
- Same as 1
- Yes, no, yes
- No, yes, no

## 2. QUESTION 2

- $n$
- 0
- $n + 1$
- Unknown - either  $n$  or  $n - 1$ , depending on whether  $\{\emptyset\} \in A$
- 2
- 2
- $2^n + n$
- $2^n$

One set with two elements, for which each element is a subset of it, is  $\{\emptyset, \{\emptyset\}\}$ .

## 3. QUESTION 3

### 3.1. Part A.

*Proof.* We will show mutual containment, from left to right.

$$\begin{aligned} & a \in A \cap (B \cup C) \\ \iff & a \in A \text{ and } a \in B \cup C \\ \iff & a \in A \text{ and } (a \in B \text{ or } a \in C) \\ \iff & (a \in A \text{ and } a \in B) \text{ or } (a \in A \text{ and } a \in C) \\ \iff & a \in (A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C) \end{aligned}$$

□

### 3.2. Part B.

*Proof.* We will show mutual containment, from left to right.

$$\begin{aligned} & a \in A \cup (B \cap C) \\ \iff & a \in A \text{ or } a \in B \cap C \\ \iff & a \in A \text{ or } (a \in B \text{ and } a \in C) \\ \iff & (a \in A \text{ or } a \in B) \text{ and } (a \in A \text{ or } a \in C) \\ \iff & a \in (A \cup B) \cap (A \cup C) \end{aligned}$$

□

## 4. QUESTION 4

4.1. **Part A.** The claim is true.

*Proof.* We know that  $X \subseteq X', Y \subseteq Y'$ . This means that, for any  $x$ , if  $x \in X$  then  $x \in X'$ , and if  $x \in Y$  then  $x \in Y'$ . Now, if  $z \in X + Y$ , this means (by the definition of  $X + Y$  that  $z = x + y$  such that  $x \in X, y \in Y$ . However, as we've shown, that means  $x \in X'$  and  $y \in Y'$ , therefore  $z = x + y$  such that  $x \in X'$  and  $y \in Y'$ , which means that  $z \in X' + Y'$ .

□

4.2. **Part B.** The claim is false. Take  $X$  to be the real numbers and  $Y$  to be the imaginary. Take  $X'$  to be  $X \cup \{\sqrt{-1}\}$  and  $Y'$  to be  $Y \cup \{1\}$ . Obviously,  $X \subsetneq X', Y \subsetneq Y'$ . But  $X + Y = \mathbb{C}$ , and  $X' + Y' = \mathbb{C}$  as well, so  $X + Y = X' + Y'$ , and the claim is false<sup>1</sup>.

## 5. QUESTION 5

5.1. **Part A.** The claim is true.

*Proof.* We will show mutual containment.

$$\begin{aligned}
 & X \in \wp(A) \cap \wp(B) \\
 \iff & X \subseteq A \cap B \\
 \iff & x \in X \Rightarrow x \in A \text{ and } x \in B \\
 \iff & X \subseteq A \text{ and } X \subseteq B \\
 \iff & X \in \wp(A) \text{ and } X \in \wp(B) \\
 \iff & X \in \wp(A) \cap \wp(B)
 \end{aligned}$$

□

5.2. **Part B.** The claim is true.

*Proof.* First we'll show WLOG that if  $A \subseteq B$ , then  $\wp(A \cup B) = \wp(A) \cup \wp(B)$ .

If  $A \subseteq B$ , then if  $x \in A$  then  $x \in B$ . Therefore, if  $x \in A \cup B$ , then either  $x \in B$ , or  $x \in A$  - but as we've shown, this means  $x \in B$ . Therefore  $A \cup B \subseteq B$ , and since  $B \subseteq A \cup B$ , we've shown  $A \cup B = B$ . Thus what we have left to prove is  $\wp(B) = \wp(A) \cup \wp(B)$ . Again,  $\wp(B) \subseteq \wp(A) \cup \wp(B)$ , so we only have to show the reverse containment.

$X \in \wp(A) \Rightarrow X \subseteq A$ , which means that if  $x \in X$ , then  $x \in A$ . However, we know that  $A \subseteq B$ , so we have  $x \in B$ , so we have  $X \subseteq B$  and therefore  $X \in \wp(B)$ . We've shown that  $\wp(A) \subseteq \wp(B)$ , and as we've seen, this shows that  $\wp(A) \cup \wp(B) \subseteq \wp(B)$ . All in all, we've shown that  $\wp(A \cup B) = \wp(A) \cup \wp(B)$ .

Now we will show the other direction - if  $\wp(A \cup B) = \wp(A) \cup \wp(B)$ , then either  $A \subseteq B$  or  $B \subseteq A$ . Assume by negation that  $A \not\subseteq B$  and  $B \not\subseteq A$ . Therefore there exists  $a \in A \setminus B$  and  $b \in B \setminus A$ . Examine the set  $F = \{a, b\}$ .  $a \in A, b \in B$ , therefore  $F \subseteq A \cup B$ , meaning  $F \in \wp(A \cup B)$ . Therefore, either  $F \in \wp(A)$  or  $F \in \wp(B)$ , meaning either  $F \subseteq A$  or  $F \subseteq B$ .  $F \not\subseteq A$ , because  $b \in F$  and  $b \notin A$ , therefore  $F \subseteq B$ . But  $F \not\subseteq B$ , because  $a \in F$  and  $a \notin B$ . We have a contradiction to the assumption, and therefore it is false - either  $A \subseteq B$ , or  $B \subseteq A$ .

□

<sup>1</sup>If there's anything wrong with that example, replace "real" with "even", "imaginary" with "odd", "1" with 0, " $\sqrt{-1}$ " with "1", and " $\mathbb{C}$ " with " $\mathbb{Z}$ ".

5.3. **Part C.** The claim is not true. Take  $A$  to be the even numbers and  $B$  the odd. No even number is odd or vice versa, therefore  $A \setminus B = \emptyset$ . For any set  $G$ ,  $\emptyset \subseteq G$ , and therefore  $\emptyset \in \wp(G)$ . Therefore  $\emptyset \in \wp(A \setminus B)$ ,  $\emptyset \in \wp(A)$ , and  $\emptyset \in \wp(B)$ . However, this means that  $\emptyset \notin \wp(A) \setminus \wp(B)$ , and therefore  $\wp(A) \setminus \wp(B) \not\subseteq \wp(A \setminus B)$ , and the claim is false.

6. QUESTION 6

6.1. **Part A.** The claim is true.

*Proof.* We will prove that  $\bigcup_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \Pi_i \subseteq \bigcup_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \Sigma_i$ , and without loss of generality, this will show us the opposite containment as well - and thus we have set equality.

Let us take  $x$  such that  $x \in \bigcup_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \Pi_i$ . This means that there exists an  $i$  such that  $x \in \Pi_i$ . We know that  $\Pi_i \subsetneq \Delta_{i+1}$ , which tells us that for  $j = i + 1$ ,  $x \in \Delta_j$ . We also know that  $\Delta_i \subsetneq \Sigma_i$ , so since  $x \in \Delta_j$ , we now have  $x \in \Sigma_j$ . We have shown, therefore, that there exists a  $j$  such that  $x \in \Sigma_j$ , which means that  $x \in \bigcup_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \Sigma_i$ .  $\square$

6.2. **Part B.** Not true. As a counterexample, take  $X = \mathbb{R}$ . Now we'll define the sets  $\Pi, \Sigma, \Delta$ :  $\Sigma_i = \{0, 1, 2, \dots, 2i\}$ ,  $\Pi_i = \Sigma_i = \{0, 1, 2, \dots, 2i, 2i+1\}$ . The conditions of the question hold:  $\Pi_i = \Sigma_i = \{0, 1, 2, \dots, 2i, 2i+1\} = \{0, 1, 2, \dots, 2i\} \cup \{2i+1\} = \Delta_i \cup \{2i+1\}$ , so we have  $\Delta_i \subsetneq \Pi_i$  and  $\Delta_i \subsetneq \Sigma_i$ , and identically -  $\Pi_i \subsetneq \Delta_{i+1}$  and  $\Sigma_i \subsetneq \Delta_{i+1}$ . Now, assume by negation that  $\bigcup_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \Delta_i = X$ .  $\sqrt{2} \in X$  (for our choice  $X = \mathbb{R}$ ), therefore there exists some  $i$  for which  $\sqrt{2} \in \Delta_i$ , which is absurd since we've constructed  $\Delta_i$  out of natural numbers only. Therefore it cannot be that  $\bigcup_{i \in \mathbb{N}} \Delta_i = X$ .

## LOGIC AND SET THEORY - HW 2

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### 1. QUESTION 1

1.1. **Part A.**  $\langle a \rangle, b = \{\{a\}, \{a, b\}\}$

1.1.1. (i).  $\bigcup \langle a \rangle, b = \{a\} \cup \{a, b\} = \{a, b\}$

1.1.2. (ii).  $\bigcap \langle a \rangle, b = \{a\} \cap \{a, b\} = \{a\}$

1.2. **Part B.**

1.2.1. (i). This implementation meets the demand. First we'll prove that  $a = a'$  and then we'll prove that  $b = b'$ .

*Proof.*  $\{\{a\}, \{a, \{b\}\}\} = \{\{a'\}, \{a', \{b'\}\}\}$ . Therefore,  $\{a\} \in \{\{a'\}, \{a', \{b'\}\}\}$ , which means that either  $\{a\} = \{a'\}$  and we're done or that  $\{a\} = \{a', \{b'\}\}$ , which means either  $\{a\} = \{a'\}$  and we're done or  $a = \{b'\}$ . If  $a = \{b'\}$  then  $\{\{a\}, \{a, \{b\}\}\} = \{\{a'\}, \{a', a\}\}$  which means that either  $\{a\} = \{a'\}$  and we're done or that  $\{a\} = \{a', a\}$ , which by itself means  $\{a\} = \{a'\} \Rightarrow a = a'$ . Therefore  $a = a'$ . Now we'll prove the same for  $b$  and  $b'$ .  $\{\{a\}, \{a, \{b\}\}\} = \{\{a'\}, \{a', \{b'\}\}\}$ . Therefore,  $\{a, \{b\}\} \in \{\{a'\}, \{a', \{b'\}\}\}$ , which means that either  $\{a, \{b\}\} = \{a'\}$  or  $\{a, \{b\}\} = \{a', \{b'\}\}$ .

If  $\{a, \{b\}\} = \{a'\}$  then  $\{b\} = a' = a$ . Therefore,  $\{\{a\}, \{a, \{b\}\}\} = \{\{a\}, \{a, a'\}\} = \{\{a'\}, \{a', a'\}\} = \{\{a'\}\}$ . Therefore  $\{\{a\}, \{a, \{b\}\}\} = \{\{a'\}\} = \{\{a'\}, \{a', \{b'\}\}\} \Rightarrow \{a'\} = \{a', \{b'\}\} \Rightarrow \{b'\} = a' = \{b\} \Rightarrow b = b'$ .

If  $\{a, \{b\}\} = \{a', \{b'\}\}$  then  $\{b\} \in \{a', \{b'\}\}$ . Therefore, either  $\{b\} = \{b'\}$  and we're done or  $\{b\} = a' = a$  and as we have shown before  $\{b\} = a' = a \Rightarrow b = b'$ .  $\square$

1.2.2. (ii). This implementation meets the demand.

*Proof.* Let  $\langle a, b \rangle_o = \{\{a\}, \{a, b\}\}$  be the original model we used for order pairs. Therefore, with this model,  $\langle a, b \rangle = \{\langle a, b \rangle_o\}$ . Obviously, if  $a = a', b = b'$ , then  $\langle a, b \rangle = \langle a', b' \rangle$ , so we'll show the other direction.

Assume  $\langle a, b \rangle = \langle a', b' \rangle$ . Therefore,  $\{\langle a, b \rangle_o\} = \{\langle a', b' \rangle_o\}$ , which means that  $\langle a, b \rangle_o = \langle a', b' \rangle_o$ . As proved in class, this means that  $a = a', b = b'$ .  $\square$

1.2.3. (iii). This implementation does not meet the demand. For  $a = \{0\}, b = 1, a' = \{1\}, b' = 0$ , we have  $\langle a, b \rangle = \langle a', b' \rangle = \{\{0\}, \{1\}\}$ .

1.3. **Part C.**

1.3.1. (i).

*Proof.* Note that  $\{a, \{b\}\} \subseteq \wp(B) \cup A$ . This shows that  $\{\{a, \{b\}\} \subseteq \wp(\wp(B) \cup A)$ , which in turn shows that  $\{\{a\}, \{a, \{b\}\}\} \subseteq \wp(A \cup \wp(B)) \cup \wp(A)$ . Therefore,

$$A \times B = \left\{ \{\{a\}, \{a, \{b\}\}\} \in \wp(\wp(A) \cup \wp(A \cup \wp(B))) \mid a \in A, b \in B \right\}$$

$\square$

## 1.3.2. (ii).

*Proof.* If we define  $\times_o$  to be a cartesian product of two sets using  $\langle, \rangle_o$ , then we've shown in class that for any two sets  $A, B$ , there exists a set  $X = A \times_o B$ . By the base assumption of the existence of the powerset of each set, we know there exists  $\wp(X)$ . For our current ordered pair model,  $\langle a, b \rangle = \{\langle a, b \rangle_o\} \in \wp(X)$ , therefore the following set exists:

$$A \times B = \left\{ \left\{ \langle a, b \rangle_o \right\} \in \wp(X) \mid a \in A, b \in B \right\}$$

□

## 2. QUESTION 2

2.1. **Part A.** The set does not exist.

*Proof.* Let  $\mathcal{P}$  be the universal set of powersets,  $\mathcal{P} = \{\wp(A) : A \text{ is a set}\}$ . Let

$$P_0 = \{\wp(X) \in \mathcal{P} : \wp(X) \notin X\}$$

Assume  $\wp(P_0) \in P_0$ . Therefore, by definition of  $P_0$ ,  $\wp(P_0) \notin P_0$ . Therefore, again by definition of  $P_0$ ,  $\wp(P_0) \in P_0$ . We have a contradiction, therefore  $\mathcal{P}$  cannot exist.

□

2.2. **Part B.** This set does not exist.

*Proof.* Let  $\mathcal{R} = \{R \subseteq A \times B : A, B \text{ are sets}\}$  be the set of all relations. Therefore exists the set  $\bigcup \mathcal{R}$ , which - since  $A, B$  can be any sets, and we join all subsets, is  $U \times U$ ,  $U$  being the universal set. But then exists  $\text{dom}(U \times U) = U$ , which we have proven not to exist.

□

## 3. QUESTION 3

3.1. **Part A.** This part is true.

*Proof.*  $x \in R^{-1}(B_1 \cup B_2)$ . This is true iff exists  $y \in B_1 \cup B_2$  such that  $(x, y) \in R$ , which in turn is true iff exists such a  $y$  either in  $B_1$  or  $B_2$ . This is true iff  $x \in R^{-1}(B_1)$  or  $x \in R^{-1}(B_2)$ , or in other words,  $x \in R^{-1}(B_1) \cup R^{-1}(B_2)$ .

□

3.2. **Part B.** This part is false. Assume  $A = \{0\}, B = \{0, 1\}, R = \{\langle 0, 0 \rangle, \langle 0, 1 \rangle\}$ , and take  $B_1 = \{0\}, B_2 = \{1\}$ . Therefore,  $R^{-1}(B_1) = R^{-1}(B_2) = \{0\}$ , however  $R^{-1}(B_1 \cap B_2) = R^{-1}(\emptyset) = \emptyset$ .

## 4. QUESTION 4

4.1. **Part A.** This part is false. Take  $A = \{1, 2\}, R_1 = \{\langle 1, 1 \rangle, \langle 1, 2 \rangle, \langle 1, 3 \rangle\}$  and  $R_2 = \{\langle 2, 2 \rangle, \langle 2, 1 \rangle, \langle 1, 1 \rangle\}$ . It's easy to see that  $R_1 \cup R_2$  isn't antisymmetric.

4.2. **Part B.** This part is true.

*Proof.* Assuming  $R_1, R_2$  are partial orders over  $A$ , we will show that  $R_1 \cap R_2$  is a partial order.

**Reflexivity:**  $R_1$  is a P.O. over  $A^2$ , therefore it is reflexive, and  $a \in A \Rightarrow \langle a, a \rangle \in R_1$ . Similarly,  $R_2$  is a P.O. over  $A^2$ , thus  $a \in A \Rightarrow \langle a, a \rangle \in R_2$ . So we have  $a \in A \Rightarrow \langle a, a \rangle \in R_1 \cap R_2$ .

**Antisymmetry:** If  $\langle x, y \rangle, \langle y, x \rangle \in R_1 \cap R_2$ , then  $\langle x, y \rangle, \langle y, x \rangle \in R_1$ , therefore since  $R_1$  is antisymmetric,  $x = y$

**Transitivity:** If  $\langle x, y \rangle, \langle y, z \rangle \in R_1 \cap R_2$ , then  $\langle x, y \rangle, \langle y, z \rangle \in R_1$ , so by transitivity of  $R_1$ ,  $\langle x, z \rangle \in R_1$ , and  $\langle x, y \rangle, \langle y, z \rangle \in R_2$ , so similarly  $\langle x, z \rangle \in R_2$ , therefore  $\langle x, z \rangle \in R_1 \cap R_2$ .

□

4.3. **Part C.** This part is true.

*Proof.* Assume by negation  $R_1 \neq R_2$ .  $R_1 \subseteq R_2$ , therefore  $R_1 \subsetneq R_2$ . Therefore exists  $R_2 \ni \langle a, b \rangle \notin R_1$ .  $\langle a, b \rangle \in R_2$ , therefore  $a, b \in A$ .  $R_1$  is a F.O. over  $A$ , therefore either  $\langle a, b \rangle$  or  $\langle b, a \rangle \in R_1$ , and we've already ruled out  $\langle a, b \rangle$ , so  $\langle b, a \rangle \in R_1$ . However,  $R_1 \subseteq R_2$ , therefore  $\langle b, a \rangle \in R_2$ , and since also  $\langle a, b \rangle \in R_2$ , we have  $a = b$ , by antisymmetry of  $R_2$ . Therefore, by reflexivity of  $R_1$ ,  $\langle a, b \rangle \in R_1$ , in contradiction to the assumption. Therefore  $R_1 = R_2$ . □

## 5. QUESTION 5

5.1. **Part A.** This claim is true.

*Proof.* Assume by negation  $m, n \in A, m \neq n$  are both a minimum element in  $A$ . Because  $m$  is a minimum element, by definition  $(m, n) \in R$ . Similarly, because  $n$  is a minimum element, by definition  $(n, m) \in R \Rightarrow$  contradiction, because  $R$  is antisymmetric. Therefore  $m = n$ . □

5.2. **Part B.** This part is false. Take  $A = \mathbb{Z} \cup \{0.5\}$  and  $R = \{(a, b) \in \mathbb{Z}^2 : a \leq b\} \cup \{(0.5, 0.5)\}$ . 0.5 is uniquely minimal, but not a minimum -  $(0, 0.5) \notin R$ .

5.3. **Part C.**

*Proof.* We'll prove by induction on  $|A|$ . For  $|A| = 1$ ,  $a$  being the single element of the set, the only possible relation is  $\langle a, a \rangle$ , therefore  $a$  is minimal, and we're done.

Now, assuming the claim is true for  $|A| = n$ , we'll prove for  $|A| = n + 1$ . We know  $A$  is finite, therefore there is a 1-1 function from  $A$  on  $\{1, \dots, n\}$ ,  $n$  being  $|A|$ . Let  $a_i$  be the inverse of one such function (it is 1-1 and on, so it has an inverse function). Let  $A' = A \setminus a_1, R' = R \setminus \{\langle x, y \rangle \mid x = a_1 \text{ or } y = a_1\}$ .  $|A'|$  would be  $n$ , therefore there is a minimal element  $a_k$  of  $A'$  by  $R'$ , and  $k \neq 1$  (because  $a_1$  isn't in  $A'$ ). Now we will check minimality for  $a_1$  and  $a_k$  by looking at all possible options:

- If neither  $\langle a_1, a_k \rangle$  nor  $\langle a_k, a_1 \rangle$  are in  $R$ , then  $a_k$  is minimal (and so is  $a_1$ ), so we're done.
- If  $\langle a_k, a_1 \rangle \in R$ , then by antisymmetry  $\langle a_1, a_k \rangle \notin R$ , and thus  $a_k$  is minimal.
- If  $\langle a_1, a_k \rangle \in R$ , we'll show  $a_1$  is minimal: Assume by negation it is not, therefore there exists  $A \ni a_j \neq a_1, a_k$  such that  $\langle a_j, a_1 \rangle \in R$ . By transitivity of  $R$ ,  $\langle a_j, a_k \rangle \in R$ , and by definition of  $R'$ ,  $\langle a_j, a_k \rangle \in R'$ , in contradiction with  $a_k$  being minimal in  $A'$  by  $R'$ .

□

## 6. QUESTION 6

6.1. **Part A.** The claim is true.

*Proof.*  $R$  is an equivalence, we'll show that it is a sharing relation. Assume that  $\langle a, b \rangle, \langle a, c \rangle \in R$ . By symmetry,  $\langle b, a \rangle \in R$  as well, and by transitivity,  $\langle b, c \rangle \in R$ .  $\square$

6.2. **Part B.** The claim is true.

*Proof.* Reflexivity we already have, so we'll show symmetry and transitivity.

**Symmetry:** Assume  $a, b \in A, \langle a, b \rangle \in R$ . Because of reflexivity, we have that  $\langle a, a \rangle, \langle b, b \rangle \in R$ . Since  $\langle a, b \rangle, \langle a, a \rangle \in R$ , by sharing we have that  $\langle b, a \rangle \in R$ .

**Transitivity:** Assume  $a, b, c \in A, \langle a, b \rangle, \langle b, c \rangle \in R$ . By reflexivity we have that  $\langle a, a \rangle, \langle b, b \rangle, \langle c, c \rangle \in R$ , and by symmetry (we've proven), we have that  $\langle b, a \rangle \in R$ . Therefore, by sharing we have that  $\langle a, c \rangle \in R$ .  $\square$

6.3. **Part C.** The claim is false.  $\{ \langle 1, 3 \rangle, \langle 1, 2 \rangle, \langle 2, 3 \rangle \}$  is a sharing relation, but it is not symmetric.

## LOGIC AND SET THEORY HW 3

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### 1. QUESTION 2

1.1. **Part A.** We need to prove that  $L = \{(a, a) \in A^2 \mid a \in \text{range}(R)\} \subseteq R^{-1} \circ R$

*Proof.*  $(a, a) \in L$ , therefore  $a \in \text{range}(R)$ . Therefore exists  $b$  such that  $(b, a) \in R$ , which means  $(a, b) \in R^{-1}$ . We've shown that there exists a "shared"  $b$  such that  $(a, b) \in R^{-1}, (b, a) \in R$ , therefore  $(a, a) \in R^{-1} \circ R$ .  $\square$

1.2. **Part B.** We need to prove that  $L' = \{(a, a) \in A^2 \mid a \in \text{dom}(R)\} \subseteq R \circ R^{-1}$ .

*Proof.*  $(a, a) \in L'$ , therefore  $a \in \text{dom}(R)$ . Therefore exists  $b$  such that  $(a, b) \in R$ , which means  $(b, a) \in R^{-1}$ . Therefore, as before,  $(a, a) \in R \circ R^{-1}$ .  $\square$

1.3. **Part C.** The assumption that for each  $a \in A$  there is at most one  $b$  so  $(a, b) \in R$  can be expressed thus: If  $(a, b), (a, b') \in R$ , then  $b = b'$ . Now we want to show equality - we've shown one direction in (??), so we we'll show the other - that is, that  $R^{-1} \circ R \subseteq L$ .

*Proof.*  $(a, b) \in R^{-1} \circ R$ . Therefore there exists  $c$  such that  $(a, c) \in R^{-1}, (c, b) \in R$ . We then know that  $(c, a) \in R$ , and since also  $(c, b) \in R$ , then by the assumption,  $a = b$ . Furthermore,  $(c, a) \in R$ , which means that  $a \in \text{range}(R)$ , and thus  $(a, b) \in L$ .  $\square$

1.4. **Part D.** Assume that if  $(a, b), (a', b) \in R$  then  $a = a'$ . Then the claim is true. Again, we only have to show that  $R \circ R^{-1} \subseteq L'$ .

*Proof.*  $(a, b) \in R \circ R^{-1}$ , therefore exists  $c$  so  $(a, c) \in R, (c, b) \in R^{-1}$ . Then  $(b, c) \in R$ , and by our assumption, we have  $a = b$ . Furthermore,  $(a, c) \in R$ , which means that  $a \in \text{dom}(R)$ , and altogether we have  $(a, b) \in L'$ .  $\square$

### 2. QUESTION 3

2.1. **Part A.** No, take  $R = \{(1, 1), (1, 2), (2, 1), (2, 2)\}$  and  $S = \{(2, 2), (2, 3), (3, 2), (3, 3)\}$ .  $R$  and  $S$  are equivalences, but  $(1, 2), (2, 3) \in R \cup S \not\Rightarrow (1, 3) \notin A \cup B$ .

2.2. **Part B.** Yes,  $R \cap S$  is an equivalence.

*Proof.*

**Reflexivity:**  $a \in A$  and  $R, S$  are equivalences  $\Rightarrow (a, a) \in R, S \Rightarrow (a, a) \in R \cap S$ .

**Symmetry:**  $(a, b) \in R \cap S \Rightarrow (a, b) \in R, S \Rightarrow (b, a) \in R, S \Rightarrow (b, a) \in R \cap S$ .

**Transitivity:**  $(a, b), (b, c) \in R \cap S \Rightarrow (a, b), (b, c) \in R, S \Rightarrow (a, c) \in R, S \Rightarrow (a, c) \in R \cap S$ .

$\square$

2.3. **Part C.** Yes,  $R^{-1}$  is an equivalence.

*Proof.*

**Reflexivity:**  $a \in A \Rightarrow (a, a) \in R \Rightarrow (a, a) \in R^{-1}$ .

**Symmetry:**  $(a, b) \in R^{-1} \Rightarrow (b, a) \in R$  and by symmetry of  $R$ ,  $(a, b) \in R \Rightarrow (b, a) \in R^{-1}$ .

**Transitivity:**  $(a, b), (b, c) \in R^{-1} \Rightarrow (b, a), (c, b) \in R$  and by symmetry of  $R$ ,  $(a, b), (b, c) \in R$  and because of transitivity of  $R$ ,  $(a, c) \in R$  and by symmetry of  $R$ ,  $(c, a) \in R \Rightarrow (a, c) \in R^{-1}$ .

□

2.4. **Part D.** The claim is false. Take  $R = \{(1, 1), (2, 2), (3, 3), (1, 2), (2, 1)\}$ ,  $S^{-1} = \{(1, 1), (2, 2), (3, 3), (2, 3), (3, 2)\}$ , therefore

$$R \circ S^{-1} = \{(1, 1), (2, 2), (3, 3), (1, 2), (1, 3), (2, 1), (3, 2), (3, 3)\}$$

and  $(3, 1) \notin R \circ S^{-1}$

2.5. **Part E.** The claim is true.

*Proof.* First we'll prove that if  $R \neq S$ , then  $A/R \neq A/S$ .

We know that  $R \neq S$ , so we'll assume WLOG that there is a pair  $a, b \in A$  such that  $(a, b) \in R \setminus S$ . Therefore,  $b \in [a]_R$ ,  $b \notin [a]_S$ . By definition,  $[a]_R \in A/R$ , and we'll show that  $[a]_R \notin A/S$ .

Assume by negation that in fact  $[a]_R \in A/S$ . We know  $[a]_S \in A/S$ , and we know<sup>1</sup> that  $A/S$  is a division. Since  $a \in [a]_R, [a]_S$ , then  $[a]_R \cap [a]_S \neq \emptyset$ , and by definition of a division this is only possible if  $[a]_R = [a]_S$ . And since  $b \in [a]_R$ , we have that  $b \in [a]_S$ , and therefore  $(a, b) \in S$ , in contradiction to the assumption. Therefore,  $A/R \neq A/S$ .

Now we'll prove that if  $A/R \neq A/S$ , then  $R \neq S$ . We'll assume WLOG that there exists  $a \in A$  such that  $[a]_R \in A/R$  but  $[a]_R \notin A/S$ . By definition of  $A/S$ ,  $[a]_S \in A/S$ , and since  $[a]_R \notin A/S$  this means that  $[a]_R \neq [a]_S$ . Then, again WLOG, we'll assume that there exists  $b \in [a]_R \setminus [a]_S$ , and therefore  $(a, b) \in R \setminus S$ .

□

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3.1. **Part C.**

*Proof.* First we'll show that  $E_{A/R} \subseteq R$ : Assume  $(a, b) \in E_{A/R}$ . Therefore exists a set  $p \in A/R$  such that  $a, b \in p$ .  $p$  could be written as  $[a]_R$ , and we have that  $b \in [a]_R$ , therefore  $(a, b) \in R$ .

Now we'll show that  $R \subseteq E_{A/R}$ . Assume  $(a, b) \in R$ , therefore exists  $[a]_R \in A/R$ , and  $b \in [a]_R$ . Assign  $p = [a]_R$ , and you have that there exists  $p$  such that  $a, b \in p$  and  $p \in A/R$ , therefore  $(a, b) \in E_{A/R}$ .

□

3.2. **Part D.**

**Lemma 1.** Assume  $P$  is a division of  $A$ ,  $B \in P$ , and  $a \in B$ . Then  $B = [a]_{E_P}$ .

*Proof of Lemma ??.* Assume  $b \in B$ . Then by definition of  $E_P$ ,  $(a, b) \in E_P$ , and therefore  $b \in [a]_{E_P}$ . We've shown  $B \subseteq [a]_{E_P}$ .

Now assume  $c \in [a]_{E_P}$ . This means that  $(a, c) \in E_P$ , and since  $P$  is a division over  $A$ , then  $E_P \subseteq A \times A$ , and therefore  $c \in A$ . Now, by definition of  $E_P$ , this means that there is  $B' \in P$  such that  $a, c \in B'$ , and since  $a \in B$ , then  $B' \cap B \neq \emptyset$ .

<sup>1</sup>See question 4A

And by definition of a division, this means that  $B = B'$ . Therefore,  $c \in B$ . We've shown  $[a]_{E_P} \subseteq B$ .

We have thus shown that  $B = [a]_{E_P}$ . □

*Proof of ??.* Assume  $B \in P$ , and  $a \in B$ , then by Lemma ??,  $B = [a]_{E_P}$ . Therefore  $B \in A/E_P$ . We've shown  $P \subseteq A/E_P$ .

Assume  $a \in A$ , therefore  $[a]_{E_P} \in A/E_P$ . By definition of a division, we know that  $\bigcup P = A$ , therefore there exists  $B \in P$  such that  $a \in B$ . By Lemma ??,  $B = [a]_{E_P}$ , and thus  $[a]_{E_P} \in P$ . We've shown that  $A/E_P \subseteq P$ .

We have thus shown that  $P = A/E_P$ . □

#### 4. QUESTION 7

4.1. **Part A.** The claim is false. Take  $A = \{0\}, B = \{0, 1\}, F = \{f_1 : x \mapsto 0, f_2 : x \mapsto 1\}$ .  $f_1, f_2$  are not onto  $B$ , and yet  $F$  covers  $B$ .

4.2. **Part B.** The claim is true.

*Proof.* Let  $\tilde{f}$  be onto  $B$ . Therefore, for each  $b \in B$ , there is  $a \in A$  such that  $\tilde{f}(a) = b$ , therefore  $F$  covers  $B$ . □

4.3. **Part C.** The claim is false. Take  $A = \{0, 1\}, B = \{0\}, F = \{f_1 : x \mapsto 0\}$ .  $C_0 = \{f_1\}$ , but  $f_1(0) = f_1(1)$ , so  $f_1$  isn't 1-1.

4.4. **Part D.** The claim is false. Take  $A = B = \{0, 1\}, F = \{f_1 : x \mapsto x, f_2 : x \mapsto 1 - x\}$ .  $f_1, f_2$  are 1-1, but  $|C_0| = 2$ .

#### 5. QUESTION 8

5.1. **Part A.** The claim is false. Take  $i = 1, j = 3, f_2 : x \mapsto 2, f_3 : x \mapsto 3$ . Obviously,  $(f_2, f_3) \in R_3$ . Assume by negation that  $f(2, f_3) \in R_1 \circ R_3$ , then exists  $z$  such that  $(f_2, z) \in R_1$ , therefore  $f_2 \in N_1^{\mathbb{N}}$ , which it clearly isn't.

5.2. **Part B.** The claim is true.

*Proof.* We will begin by making a simplification of the definition of  $R_i$ . By definition,

$$N_i^{\mathbb{N}} = \{f \in \mathbb{N}^{\mathbb{N}} \mid \text{For all } k \in \mathbb{N}, f(k) \leq i\}$$

Therefore,

$$R_i = \{(f, g) \in \mathbb{N}^{\mathbb{N}} \times \mathbb{N}^{\mathbb{N}} \mid \text{For all } k \in \mathbb{N}, f(k) \leq g(k) \leq i\}$$

Now we will show that  $R_j \circ R_i \subseteq R_i$ . Assume  $(f, g) \in R_j \circ R_i$ , therefore there exists  $z$  such that  $(f, z) \in R_j, (z, g) \in R_i$ . This means that for any  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $f(k) \leq z(k) \leq j$  and  $z(k) \leq g(k) \leq i$ . By transitivity of the  $\leq$  relation, we have that  $f(k) \leq g(k) \leq i$ , therefore  $(f, g) \in R_i$ .

Now we will show that  $R_i \subseteq R_j \circ R_i$ . Assume  $(f, g) \in R_i$ , therefore for all  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $f(k) \leq g(k) \leq i$ . Especially,  $f(k) \leq f(k) \leq i$ , and since  $i \leq j$ ,  $f(k) \leq f(k) \leq j$ , and therefore  $(f, f) \in R_j$ . Since  $(f, g) \in R_i$  as well, we have that  $(f, g) \in R_j \circ R_i$ . □

## LOGIC AND SET THEORY - HW 4

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### 1. QUESTION 1

$$B = \{0\}, F = \{x \mapsto x + 2\}$$

### 2. QUESTION 3

2.1. **Part A.** This claim is true.

*Proof.* Mark  $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_{n+k} = \sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_n, \tau_1, \dots, \tau_k$ .  $\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_n$  is a creation sequence, therefore for any  $1 \leq i \leq n$ , either  $\sigma_i \in B$  or  $\sigma_i = f(\sigma_k, \sigma_l, \sigma_m, \dots)$  such that  $f \in F$  and  $k, l, m, \dots < i$ . Therefore, for any such  $i$ , either  $a_i \in B$  or  $a_i = f(a_k, a_l, a_m, \dots)$  such that  $f \in F$  and  $k, l, m, \dots < i$ . Similarly,  $\tau_1, \dots, \tau_k$  is a creation sequence, so for all  $n + 1 \leq i \leq n + k$ , either  $a_i \in B$  or  $a_i = f(a_k, a_l, a_m, \dots)$  such that  $n + 1 \leq k, l, m, \dots \leq i$ , and privately  $k, l, m, \dots < i$ . Therefore  $a_1, \dots, a_{n+k}$  is a creation sequence. □

2.2. **Part B.** This claim is true, and the previous proof holds with a slight change - replace all occurrences of  $n$  with 2.

2.3. **Part C.** This claim is true, and the previous proof holds with alterations. Despite the intertwining of the series, the claim that each  $a_i$  is still either an element of  $B$  or a function of previous elements holds.

2.4. **Part D.** This claim is false. Take  $B = \{0\}, F = \{x \mapsto x + 1\}, n = 1, \sigma_1 = 0, k = 3, \tau_1 = 0, \tau_2 = 1, \tau_3 = 2$ . Then the proposed sequence is 0, 2, 1, 0 and the second entry, 2, is not in the base and not a function of 0.

### 3. QUESTION 4

3.1. **Part A.** The claim is false. Let  $Y = \mathbb{N}, B = \{\{n\} \in \wp(\mathbb{N}) \mid n \in \mathbb{N}\}$ . We will show that  $\bigcup B = \mathbb{N}$  and  $\mathbb{N} \notin X_{B,F}$ .

*Proof.* First we will show that  $\bigcup B = \mathbb{N}$ .  $\bigcup B \subseteq \mathbb{N}$ : By definition of  $B$ , if  $n \in A$  and  $A \in B$ , then  $A = \{n\}$  and  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . So we will show that  $\mathbb{N} \subseteq \bigcup B$ . If  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , then  $\{n\} \in \wp(\mathbb{N})$ , and again by definition of  $B$ ,  $\{n\} \in B$ , therefore  $n \in \bigcup B$ . We have shown that  $\bigcup B = \mathbb{N}$ .

Now we will show that  $\mathbb{N} \notin X_{B,F}$ . We will do this by showing that for any  $A \in X_{B,F}$ ,  $A$  is finite. This is shown by definition, because each element  $b \in B = \{n\}$ , and is therefore finite. As for  $F$ , we have shown in class that for any two finite sets  $a, b$ ,  $a \cup b$  and  $a \cap b$  are finite. Therefore any  $A \in X_{B,F}$  is finite. Seeing as  $\mathbb{N}$  is not finite, then  $\mathbb{N} \notin X_{B,F}$ . □

**3.2. Part B.** The claim is false. Select  $Y = \mathbb{N}, B = \{\mathbb{N} \setminus \{n\} \in \wp(\mathbb{N}) | n \in \mathbb{N}\}$ . We will show that  $\bigcap B \notin X_{B,F}$ .

**Claim 1.**  $\bigcap B = \emptyset$

*Proof of Claim ??.* Assume by negation that there exists  $b \in \bigcap B$ . Therefore  $b \in \mathbb{N}$  and for any  $A \in B, b \in A$ . But by definition of  $B, \mathbb{N} \setminus \{b\} \in B$ , therefore  $b \notin \bigcap B$ .  $\square$

**Lemma 1.** Assume  $C \subseteq \mathbb{N}$  is a finite set, then  $\mathbb{N} \setminus C$  is infinite.

*Proof of Lemma ??.* We have shown in class that for any finite set  $C \subseteq \mathbb{N}$ , there is a maximal element  $\max C$ . Define  $f : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N} \setminus C$  such that  $f(i) = \max(C) + 1 + i$ . Obviously,  $\max(C) + 1 + i \in \mathbb{N} \setminus C$ .

We will now show  $f$  is 1-1. Assume there exist  $i_1, i_2 \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $f(i_1) = f(i_2)$ . Then  $\max(C) + 1 + i_1 = \max(C) + 1 + i_2$ , and we have that  $i_1 = i_2$ . We have shown a 1-1 function from  $\mathbb{N}$  to  $\mathbb{N} \setminus C$ , therefore  $\mathbb{N} \setminus C$  is infinite.  $\square$

**Claim 2.** Assume  $B = \{\mathbb{N} \setminus \{n\} \in \wp(\mathbb{N}) | n \in \mathbb{N}\}, F = \{f_\cap, f_\cup\}$  and let  $K = \{\mathbb{N} \setminus C \in \wp(\mathbb{N}) | C \subseteq \mathbb{N} \text{ is finite}\}$ , then  $X_{B,F} \subseteq K$ .

*Proof of Claim ??.*

**Base:** Each  $A \in B$  is explicitly defined as  $\mathbb{N} \setminus \{n\}$ ,  $\{n\}$  obviously being finite. Therefore  $B \subseteq K$ .

**Closure:** Assume  $A_1, A_2 \in K$ . Then by definition,  $A_1 = \mathbb{N} \setminus C_1, A_2 = \mathbb{N} \setminus C_2$ , and  $C_1, C_2$  are finite. Therefore:

$f_\cup$ : By De-Morgan's laws,  $f_\cup(A_1, A_2) = (\mathbb{N} \setminus C_1) \cup (\mathbb{N} \setminus C_2) = \mathbb{N} \setminus (C_1 \cap C_2)$ , and as we've shown in class that, seeing as  $C_1, C_2$  are finite, so is  $C_1 \cap C_2$ .

$f_\cap$ : By De-Morgan's laws,  $f_\cap(A_1, A_2) = (\mathbb{N} \setminus C_1) \cap (\mathbb{N} \setminus C_2) = \mathbb{N} \setminus (C_1 \cup C_2)$ , and as we've shown in class that, seeing as  $C_1, C_2$  are finite, so is  $C_1 \cup C_2$ .  $\square$

*Proof of Part ??.* We've shown that  $\bigcap B = \emptyset$ , therefore  $\bigcap B$  is finite. Therefore, by Lemma ??, cannot be written as  $\mathbb{N} \setminus C, C$  being finite, therefore  $\bigcap B \notin K$ . And by Claim ??,  $X_{B,F} \subseteq K$ , therefore  $\bigcap B \notin X_{B,F}$ .  $\square$

#### 4. QUESTION 6

*Proof.* Let  $B_v = \{v\}, F = \{f_{\sigma_i} \in \Sigma^* \times \Sigma^* | \sigma_i \in \Sigma, f_{\sigma_i}(w) = w\sigma_i\}$ . Then by definition,  $Cone(v) = X_{B_v,F}$ . We'll also mark  $K_v = \{w \in \Sigma^* | \text{Exists } u \in \Sigma^* \text{ such that } w = vu\}$ . We now need to show that  $Cone(v) = K_v$ .

We'll show that  $K_v \subseteq Cone(v)$ . Assume  $w \in K_v$ , then by definition there exists a word  $u \in \Sigma^*$  such that  $w = vu$ .  $u \in \Sigma^*$ , so it can be written  $u = \sigma_1\sigma_2 \dots \sigma_n, \sigma_i \in \Sigma$ . We will show a creation sequence for  $vu$  in  $X_{B_v,F}$ :

$$\begin{array}{ll} a_1 : v & \text{Base} \\ a_2 : v\sigma_1 & f_{\sigma_1}(a_1) \\ a_3 : v\sigma_1\sigma_2 & f_{\sigma_2}(a_2) \\ & \vdots \\ a_n : v\sigma_1\sigma_2 \dots \sigma_n & f_{\sigma_n}(a_{n-1}) \end{array}$$

Therefore  $vu \in X_{B_v, F}$ , which means  $w \in Cone(v)$ . We have shown that  $K_v \subseteq Cone(v)$ .

We will now show that  $Cone(v) \subseteq K_v$  by induction.

**Base:**  $v = v\epsilon, \epsilon \in \Sigma^{*1}$ , therefore  $v \in K_v$ .

**Closure:**  $w \in K_v$ , therefore  $w = vu$  for some  $u \in \Sigma^*$ . For any  $\sigma_i \in \Sigma$ ,  $f_{\sigma_i}(w) = vu\sigma_i$ . By definition of  $\Sigma^*$ ,  $u\sigma_i \in \Sigma^*$ , therefore  $vu\sigma_i = f_{\sigma_i}(w) \in K_v$ .

We have shown that  $Cone(v) = K_v$ . □

## 5. QUESTION 7

5.1. **Part A.** The claim is true. We will show a creation sequence for  $[-7, \infty)$  in  $I_{A, P}$ .

$$\begin{array}{ll} a_1 : [-7, 0] & \text{Base} \\ a_2 : [0, \infty) & \text{Base} \\ a_3 : [-7, \infty) & f(a_1, a_2) \end{array}$$

5.2. **Part B.** The claim is false.

*Proof.* Let  $Y = \{[a, b] \in \wp(\mathbb{R}) \mid a, b \in \mathbb{Q}, a \leq b\} \cup \{[a, \infty) \in \wp(\mathbb{R}) \mid a \in \mathbb{Q}, a \leq 0\}$ . We will show that  $I_{A, P} \subseteq Y$  by induction. Obviously,  $[7, \infty) \notin Y$ , therefore  $[7, \infty) \notin I_{A, P}$ .

**Base:** If  $Z = [a, b] \in A$ , therefore  $Z \in Y$  (we defined the compact segments identically). If  $Z = [0, \infty)$ , then since  $0 \leq 0$ ,  $Z \in Y$  again.

**Closure:** Assume  $Z_1, Z_2 \in Y$ . We will show that  $f(Z_1, Z_2) \in Y$ .

- If  $Z_1 = [a, \infty), Z_2 = [b, c]$  or  $Z_2 = [b, \infty)$ , then since  $b \in \mathbb{Q}, b \neq \infty$ , and thus  $f(Z_1, Z_2) = Z_1 \in Y$ .
- If  $Z_1 = [a, b]$ ,
  - If  $Z_2 = [c, d]$  or  $[c, \infty)$ , and  $c \neq b$ , then  $f(Z_1, Z_2) = Z_1 \in Y$ .
  - If  $Z_2 = [b, c]$  then  $f(Z_1, Z_2) = [a, c] \in Y$ .
  - If  $Z_2 = [b, \infty)$  then since  $Z_2 \in Y, b \leq 0$ , and since  $Z_1 \in Y, a \leq b$ , and therefore  $a \leq 0$ .  $f(Z_1, Z_2) = [a, \infty)$ , and since  $a \leq 0$ , we have  $f(Z_1, Z_2) \in Y$ .

□

5.3. **Part C.**

**Reflexivity:** True.

*Proof.* Take  $a \in A$ .  $a \subseteq a$  and  $\min(a) = \min(a)$ . Therefore,  $a$  is a prefix of  $a \Rightarrow (a, a) \in S$ . □

**Symmetry:** False. Take  $a = [4, 5], b = [1, 5]. a = [4, 5] \subseteq [1, 5] = b$  and  $\max(a) = 5 = \max(b)$ . Therefore,  $a$  is a suffix of  $b \Rightarrow (a, b) \in S$ . But,  $b = [1, 5] \not\subseteq [4, 5] = a \Rightarrow b$  is neither a prefix nor a suffix of  $a. \Rightarrow (b, a) \notin S$ .

**Anti-Symmetry:** True.

*Proof.* Assume  $(a, b), (b, a) \in S$ . We'll show  $a = b$ .  $(a, b) \in S \Rightarrow a \subseteq b$  and  $(b, a) \in S \Rightarrow b \subseteq a$ . Therefore,  $a = b$ . □

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<sup>1</sup>It was not explicitly specified that the empty work  $\epsilon \in \Sigma^*$ , but the claim is false otherwise

**Transitivity:** False. Take  $a = [2, 3], b = [1, 3], c = [1, 4] \in A$ .  $a = [2, 3] \subseteq [1, 3] = b$  and  $\max(a) = 3 = \max(b)$ . Therefore,  $a$  is a suffix of  $b \Rightarrow (a, b) \in S$ .

$b = [1, 3] \subseteq [1, 4] = c$  and  $\min(b) = 1 = \min(c)$ . Therefore  $b$  is a prefix of  $c \Rightarrow (b, c) \in S$ . But  $\min(a) = 2 \neq 1 = \min(c)$  and  $\max(a) = 3 \neq 4 = \max(c) \Rightarrow a$  is neither a prefix nor a suffix of  $c \Rightarrow (a, c) \notin S$ .

## LOGIC & SET THEORY HW 5

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### 1. QUESTION 1

#### 1.1. $\mathbf{B} \rightarrow \mathbf{A}$ .

*Proof.* Assume there exists a subset  $B \subseteq A$  such that  $B \sim \mathbb{N}$ . Therefore there exists a function  $f : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow B$  such that  $f$  is 1-1 and onto  $B$ . Since  $B \subseteq A$ , then  $f$  is privately also a 1-1 function  $f : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow A$ . □

#### 1.2. $\mathbf{A} \rightarrow \mathbf{C}$ .

*Proof.* Let  $f : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow A$  be a 1-1 function. Therefore, for any  $a \in \text{Range}(f)$ , we can uniquely define  $f^{-1}(a)$  (since  $f$  is 1-1, there exists only one pair  $(b, a)$ , therefore  $f^{-1}(a) = b$  is well-defined). We will therefore define a function  $g : A \rightarrow A$  that maps any  $a \in \text{Range}(f)$  to its “following” element, and any other  $a$  to itself. Formally,

$$(1) \quad g(a) = \begin{cases} f(f^{-1}(a) + 1), & a \in \text{Range}(f) \\ a, & a \notin \text{Range}(f) \end{cases}$$

It's easy to see from (??) that  $g$  is well-defined as a function - for every  $a \in A$  we define a unique  $g(a)$ . Furthermore,  $g$  is 1-1: Assume  $g(a) = g(b)$ . Therefore,

- If  $a \notin \text{Range}(f)$ , then trivially  $g(a) = g(b) = a = b$ .
- If  $a \in \text{Range}(f)$ , then  $g(a) = f(\dots)$ , therefore also  $g(a) \in \text{Range}(f)$ . In this case,  $g(b) \in \text{Range}(f)$  as well, and thus - by definition of  $g$ ,  $b \in \text{Range}(f)$  (because otherwise, if  $b \notin \text{Range}(f)$ , then neither is  $g(b)$ ). Therefore we have that  $f(f^{-1}(a) + 1) = f(f^{-1}(b) + 1)$ , and because  $f$  is 1-1, we have that  $f^{-1}(a) = f^{-1}(b)$ , and then since  $f$  is a function,  $f^{-1}$  is 1-1, and thus  $a = b$ .

All that remains is to show that  $g$  isn't onto  $A$ . We will show that there is no  $k \in A$  such that  $g(k) = f(0)$ . For any  $k \in A$ ,

- If  $k \notin \text{Range}(f)$ , then  $g(k) = k \notin \text{Range}(f)$ , and privately  $g(k) \neq f(0)$ .
- If  $k \in \text{Range}(f)$ , then  $g(k) = f(f^{-1}(k) + 1)$ . Seeing as  $\text{dom}(f) = \mathbb{N}$ , then  $f^{-1}(k) \geq 0$ , thus  $f^{-1}(k) + 1 > 0$ , therefore  $g(k) \neq f(0)$ .

All in all, we've shown a 1-1 function  $g : A \rightarrow A$  that is not onto  $A$ . □

#### 1.3. $\mathbf{C} \rightarrow \mathbf{B}$ .

*Proof.* Assume there exists a function  $g : A \rightarrow A$  which is 1-1 but not onto  $A$ . Therefore exists some  $\tilde{a} \in A \setminus \text{Range}(g)$ . Define therefore a function  $f : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow A$  as such:

$$(2) \quad f(i) = \begin{cases} \tilde{a}, & i = 0 \\ g(f(i-1)), & i \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

Now define  $B = \text{Range}(f)$ . Obviously  $f$  is onto  $B$ , and since  $g : A \rightarrow A$ , then  $B \subseteq A$ . All that remains is to show that  $f$  is 1-1. We'll prove by induction on  $i$ :

**Base:** ( $i = 0$ ) If  $f(0) = f(x)$ , then  $f(x) = \bar{a} \notin \text{Range}(g)$ , and therefore by (??),  $x = 0$ .

**Closure:** Assume that if for any  $x$ ,  $f(i) = f(x)$  then  $x = i$ . Therefore, if  $f(i+1) = f(y)$ , then  $g(f(y-1)) = g(f(i))$ , and since  $g$  is 1-1,  $f(y-1) = f(i)$ , and by the inductive assumption,  $i = y - 1$ , which means that  $y = i + 1$ .

We've shown a function  $f : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow B \subseteq A$  such that  $f$  is 1-1 and onto  $B$ , therefore  $B \sim \mathbb{N}$ . □

## 2. QUESTION 2

**2.1. Part A.** The set is countable. It's obvious that the given set  $A$  is of same cardinality as  $\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$ , because for each relation  $R$  we are given, since it has only one pair, it can be written  $\{(a, b)\}$ , so we can map using the function  $f : A \rightarrow \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N} : \{(a, b)\} \mapsto (a, b)$ . Obviously this function is 1-1 and onto  $\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$ , because each pair can be created and different pairs are created by different elements of  $A$ . All that remains is to show that  $\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$  is countable. We will write the elements of  $\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$ :

$$\begin{array}{cccc} (0, 0) & (0, 1) & (0, 2) & \dots \\ (1, 0) & (1, 1) & (1, 2) & \dots \\ (2, 0) & (2, 1) & (2, 2) & \dots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots \end{array}$$

We can count members of  $\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$  by following the top-right to bottom-left diagonals. That is, the enumeration is  $(0, 0), (0, 1), (1, 0), (0, 2), (1, 1), (2, 0), \dots$ . It's clear to see that we arrive at every single pair in  $\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$  in finite time: In level 0, we count  $(0, 0)$ , in level 1 we count  $(0, 1), (1, 0)$ , in level  $i$  we count  $(0, i), (1, i - 1), (2, i - 2), \dots, (i, 0)$  - that is, in level  $i$  we count all of the vectors  $(a, b)$  such that  $a + b = i$ . Therefore, we arrive at each  $(a, b)$  no later than at level  $a + b$ , and thus before each element  $(a, b)$  we count only a finite number of elements. Thus  $\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$  is countable.

$A$  is also infinite. This is because  $f : i \mapsto \{(i, 0)\}$  is clearly a 1-1 function from  $\mathbb{N}$  to  $A$ .

**2.2. Part B.** The set is countable. We will first count the empty set. Then we will count  $\{(0, 0)\}$ . Then we will count all of the relations  $R$  that, for each pair  $(a, b) \in R$ ,  $a + b \leq 1$ . At each stage  $i$  we will count all of the relations  $R$  such that for each pair  $(a, b) \in R$ ,  $a + b \leq i$ . As we can see from the table in the previous part, that all of the possible pairs in this set are from the triangle between  $(i, 0), (0, 0), (0, i)$ , and there are  $S = \sum_{k=1}^i k$  elements in this triangle, and thus  $2^S$  possible relations as such. Since  $i$  is finite, so are  $S$  and  $2^S$ , and thus at each stage we count only a finite number of elements. For each relation in the set, we are given that it contains a finite number of pairs, therefore, if sorted by sum  $((a, b) \mapsto a + b)$ , they have a maximum sum  $a' + b'$ , and thus we will reach them in the finite stage  $a' + b'$ . Therefore, we reach each relation in the set in a finite number of steps.

The set is also infinite, we can use the same function as in Part A.

**2.3. Part C.** The set is non-countable. This is because each element of it is any possible  $R \subseteq \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$ . Therefore this set is precisely  $\wp(\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N})$ . Seeing as  $\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$  is infinite (and countable), then  $\wp(\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N})$  is, as we've learnt in class, uncountable.

## 3. QUESTION 3

### 3.1. Part A.

**Lemma 1.** *If  $A$  is countable and  $F$  is finite, then  $F(A)$  is countable.*

*Proof of Lemma ??.*  $A$  is countable, therefore  $A = \{a_0, a_1, a_2, \dots\}$ .  $F$  is finite, therefore  $F = \{f_1, f_2, f_3, \dots, f_p\}$ . We will count the elements of  $F(A)$  by function: For each function we will iterate diagonally over possible values of indexes of  $a$ . That is, at step  $j$ , first we will count all  $f_1(a_{i_1}, a_{i_2}, \dots, a_{i_{n(f_1)}})$  such that  $\sum_{k=1}^{n(f_1)} i_k = j$ . We will then do the same for  $f_2, f_3$ , and so on until  $f_p$ , and then move on to step  $j + 1$ . It's clear that there are a finite number of such vectors for which the sum of the indexes is less than  $j$  for any finite  $j$ , and since we have a finite number of functions, then each step will count a finite number of elements in  $F(A)$ , and we've generated all possible values of  $F$  resulting from  $A$ , thus  $F(A)$  has been counted and is, as such, countable. □

*Proof of Part A.* We will prove by induction.

**Base:** For  $i = 0$ ,  $D^0 = B$ , and as we are given, is countable.

**Closure:** Assume that  $D^i$  is countable. By Lemma ??,  $F(D^i)$  is also countable, and as we've seen in class, a union of two countable sets is countable. □

### 3.2. Part B.

*Proof.* Assume  $x \in X_{B,F}$ . Therefore,  $x$  has a finite creation sequence  $\{x_i\}$  such that for each  $i$ , either  $x_i \in B$  or  $x_i = f(x_{j_1}, x_{j_2}, \dots, x_{j_{n(f)}})$  such that  $f \in F$  and for all  $k, j_k < i$ . There also exists a finite  $n$  such that  $x = x_n$ . Now, if  $x \in B$ , then trivially  $x \in \bigcup_{i \in \mathbb{N}} D^i$ . Otherwise, by the construction of  $F$ , for each  $x_i$  there exists  $j$  such that  $x_i \in D^j$ . Therefore, there exists such  $j$  that all  $x_i$  for  $i \in \mathbb{N}$  are in  $D^j$ , and therefore  $x_n = x \in D^{j+1}$ , and thus  $x_n \in \bigcup_{i \in \mathbb{N}} D^i$ .

Now assume  $x \in \bigcup_{i \in \mathbb{N}} D^i$ . Therefore there exists such  $j$  that  $x \in D^j$ . By the construction of  $F(D^i)$ , for every  $i$ ,  $D^i$  is comprised of elements  $x_i$  such that either  $x_i \in B$  or  $x_i = f(x_{j_1}, x_{j_2}, \dots, x_{j_{n(f)}})$  such that  $f \in F$  and for all  $k, j_k < i$ . Therefore this holds true for  $x_n$  as well, and the relevant  $x_i$  are a proper creation sequence for  $x_i$  in  $X_{B,F}$ . □

**3.3. Part C.** We have shown that under the given conditions,  $D^i$  is countable for any  $i$ . Therefore  $\bigcup_{i \in \mathbb{N}} D^i$  is a countable union of countable sets, and as we've shown in class - it is therefore itself countable. And as we've shown, it is equal to  $X_{B,F}$ , so it, in turn, is also countable.

## 4. QUESTION 4

**4.1. Part A.** The claim is false. Take  $A = \mathbb{Z}, C = \mathbb{N}, B = \mathbb{N}, D = \mathbb{Z}$ . We've already shown all of these sets to be infinite and countable, thus all of equal cardinality. As we know,  $\mathbb{N} \subseteq \mathbb{Z}$ , therefore  $C \setminus D = \emptyset$ , which is finite. However,  $A \setminus B = \mathbb{Z} \setminus \mathbb{N} = \mathbb{Z}^-$ . We will show that  $\mathbb{Z}^- \sim \mathbb{N}$  - take  $f : (-z) \mapsto z$ .  $f$  is trivially 1-1 and onto  $\mathbb{N}$ , therefore  $A \setminus B \sim \mathbb{N} \not\sim \emptyset$ , and the claim is false.

**4.2. Part B.** The claim is true.

*Proof.* We know that  $A \sim C, B \sim D$ . Therefore there exist functions  $f : A \rightarrow C, g : B \rightarrow D$  that are both 1-1 and onto  $C, D$  respectively. Consider the function  $h : B^A \rightarrow D^C$ . For every function  $x \in B^A$ ,  $h(x) = h_x$  such that  $h_x(c) = g(x(f^{-1}(c)))$ . It will now suffice to show that  $h$  is 1-1, because a function  $j : D^C \rightarrow B^A$  can be build, and WLOG it will also be 1-1, and by the Cantor-Bernstein theorem we will have cardinality equivalence.

Assume that  $h(x) = h(y)$ , therefore  $h_x = h_y$ , which means that for all  $c \in C$ ,  $h_x(c) = h_y(c)$ . Therefore  $g(x(f^{-1}(c))) = g(y(f^{-1}(c)))$ . We know that  $g$  is 1-1, therefore  $x(f^{-1}(c)) = y(f^{-1}(c))$ . Since  $f$  is 1-1 and onto  $C$ , then  $f^{-1}$  is onto  $A$ , therefore the equality holds for every  $a \in A$ , so for every  $a$ ,  $x(a) = y(a)$ , therefore  $x = y$ . We have therefore shown one 1-1 function in one direction, and by symmetry we have one in the other, and thus  $B^A \sim D^C$ .  $\square$

**4.3. Part C.** The claim is true.

*Proof.* Let us define  $f : (A^B)^C \rightarrow A^{(B \times C)}$ , such that for all  $x \in (A^B)^C$ ,  $f(x) = f_x : B \times C \rightarrow A$ , such that  $f_x(b, c) = (x(c))(b)$ .

$f$  is 1-1: Assume  $f(x) = f(y)$ , therefore  $f_x = f_y$ . Thus for all pairs  $b, c \in B \times C$ ,  $(x(c))(b) = (y(c))(b)$ . Since this holds for every  $b \in B$  (because for each such  $b$  there is a pair  $(b, c) \in B \times C$ ), then  $x(c) = y(c)$ . Since *this* holds for every  $c \in C$  (same reason), then  $x = y$ .

Let us define  $g : A^{(B \times C)} \rightarrow (A^B)^C$ , such that for all  $x \in A^{(B \times C)}$ ,  $g(x) = g_x : C \rightarrow A^B$ ,  $g_x(c) = g_{x,c} : B \rightarrow A$ , and  $g_{x,c}(a) = (x(b, c))(a)$ . We will show that  $g$  is 1-1.

Assume  $g(x) = g(y)$ , therefore  $g_x = g_y$ . Thus for all  $c \in C$ ,  $g_x(c) = g_y(c)$ , so  $g_{x,c} = g_{y,c}$ . Therefore for all  $a \in A$ ,  $g_{x,c}(a) = g_{y,c}(a)$ . So we have that for all  $a, b, c \in A, B, C$ ,  $(x(b, c))(a) = (y(b, c))(a)$ , and this is only possible if for all  $(b, c) \in B \times C$ ,  $x(b, c) = y(b, c)$ , so  $x = y$ .

We've shown a 1-1 function in each direction, so by the Cantor-Bernstein theorem, the sets are of equal cardinality.  $\square$

**4.4. Part D.** The claim is false. Assume  $B = C = 0, A = 0, 1$ . Then  $A^B$  has exactly two functions - constant 0 and constant 1, that is,  $A^B = \{f_0, f_1\}$ . Since  $B = C$ , also  $A^C = \{f_0, f_1\}$ , and thus  $A^B \times A^C = \{(f_0, f_0), (f_0, f_1), (f_1, f_1), (f_1, f_0)\}$ , and  $|A^B \times A^C| = 4$ . However,  $B = C$ , therefore  $B \cup C = B$ , and thus  $A^{B \cup C} = A^B$ , so as we've shown,  $|A^{B \cup C}| = |A^B| = 2 \neq 4$ .

## 5. QUESTION 5

**5.1. A.**  $A$  is uncountable.

*Proof.* Assume by contrast that  $A$  is countable. Therefore there exists  $f : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow A$  which is 1-1 and onto  $A$ . Also, let  $B_{\heartsuit}$  the set of infinite binary vectors with an infinite number of 1s and an infinite number of 0s. We will show a 1-1 function from  $B_{\heartsuit}$  onto  $A$ :

$k : A \rightarrow B_{\heartsuit}$  will be defined as  $k(X) = b$  such that  $b_i = 1 \iff i \in X$ . Because  $X$  is infinite, and for each  $i \in X$ ,  $b_i = 1$ , then  $b$  has an infinite number of 1s. Because  $\mathbb{N} \setminus X$  is infinite, and for each  $i \in \mathbb{N} \setminus X, i \notin X$  then  $b_i = 0$ , then  $b$  has an infinite number of 0s. Therefore  $b \in B_{\heartsuit}$ . Clearly this function is 1-1, because if WLOG  $a \in X_1, a \notin X_2$ , then  $f(X_1)_a = 1 \neq 0 = f(X_2)_a$ . It is also onto  $B$  because any vector  $B \in B_{\heartsuit}$  can be represented by an appropriate set  $X$  for which every  $i$  that  $b_i = 1$  maintains  $i \in X$ . Again, by the same argument, since  $b$  has infinite 1s and 0s, both  $X$  and  $\mathbb{N} \setminus X$  will be infinite.

Now, we've assumed that  $f$  is 1-1 and onto  $A$ , and proven that  $k$  is 1-1 and onto  $B_{\heartsuit}$ . Therefore  $h = f \circ k$  is 1-1 and onto  $B_{\heartsuit}$ . Examine the values of  $h$ : (We don't know what they are, because  $f$  is unknown. We do know they're binary vectors though)

$$\begin{aligned} h(0) &= \mathbf{b}_{00}b_{01}b_{02}b_{03}b_{04}b_{05}b_{06}b_{07}\dots \\ h(1) &= b_{10}b_{11}b_{12}\mathbf{b}_{13}b_{14}b_{15}b_{16}b_{17}\dots \\ h(2) &= b_{20}b_{21}b_{22}b_{23}b_{24}b_{25}\mathbf{b}_{26}b_{27}\dots \\ &\vdots \end{aligned}$$

Consider the following vector  $h^*$ :

$$h^* = \overline{b_{00}}01\overline{b_{13}}01\overline{b_{26}}01\dots$$

As we've shown,  $h$  is onto  $B_{\heartsuit}$ .  $h^* \in B_{\heartsuit}$ , seeing as it clearly has an infinite number of 0s and 1s. Therefore there exists  $i$  such that  $h^* = h(i)$ . However,  $h(i)_{3i} = b_{i,3i}$ , whereas  $h^*_{3i} = \overline{b_{i,3i}}$ , therefore for any  $i \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $h^* \neq h(i)$ . This is in contradiction to  $h$  being onto  $B_{\heartsuit}$ , which is only possible if our original assumption that  $f$  is onto  $A$  was false. Therefore  $A$  cannot be countable. □

5.2.  $B$ .  $B$  is countable.

*Proof.* We will use the same function  $k$  we've defined before, only this time it will have the domain  $B$ , and the range  $B_{\spadesuit}$ , which will be the binary vectors with a finite number of 0s. Because of the same arguments as before,  $k$  will be 1-1 and onto  $B_{\spadesuit}$  - 0s are for  $i \in \mathbb{N} \setminus X$ , and there are a finite number of those.

Therefore,  $B \sim B_{\spadesuit}$ . All that remains is to show that  $B_{\spadesuit}$  is countable. We can do this by counting the negatives in ordinary binary order, "starting from the end", that is - 11111..., 01111..., 10111..., 00111..., 11011..., 01011..., .... Each vector with a finite number of 0s has a maximal index

$$i_M = \operatorname{argmax}_{i \in \mathbb{N}} (b_i = 0)$$

Therefore the vector  $\underbrace{1111\dots 1}_{\times i_M + 1}0111\dots$  will be counted after it, and will be counted at step  $2^{i_M + 1}$ , then all vectors with a finite number of 0s are reached in a finite number of steps. □

## LOGIC AND SET THEORY HW 6

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### 1. QUESTION 1

**Claim 1.** Let  $X_{B,F} \subseteq Z$  be an inductively defined group, and  $x \in Z$ . Then  $x \in X_{B,F}$  iff  $x$  has a creation sequence in  $X_{B,F}$ .

Because **WFF** was defined inductively as a subset of  $(Symb \cup Var)^*$ , then the claim immediately answers question 1.

*Proof of Claim ??.* First direction: By structure induction. Let

$$Y = \{z \in Z \mid z \text{ has a creation sequence in } X_{B,F}\}$$

Then we will show that  $X_{B,F} \subseteq Y$ .

**Basis:** All  $y \in B$  have a trivial finite creation sequence:

$$y \quad (\text{Base})$$

**Closure:** We will show that  $Y$  is closed under  $F$ . Assume  $f_i \in F$  is an  $m$ -valued function,  $y_1, \dots, y_m \in Y$ , then  $y_1, \dots, y_m$  each have some creation sequence  $s(y_j)$ . As we've shown in a previous homework exercise, concatenation of creation sequences yields a valid creation sequence. Therefore, we will take the concatenation  $s(y_1)|s(y_2)|\dots|s(y_m)|f_i(y_1, \dots, y_m)$ . This is a valid creation sequence — from the first entry in  $s(y_1)$  to the last entry of  $s(y_m)$  we have already shown validity, and the new entry  $f(\dots)$  is valid because it is a function of  $y_1, \dots, y_m$ , all of which are previous entries in the creation sequence.

This creation sequence is finite because  $s(y_j)$  are all, by the inductive assumption, finite, and we've only added 1 entry.

Second direction: By induction on the length of the creation series.

For the case where the length of the creation series is 1, we have already shown in a previous exercise that the creation series must be a single element of  $B$ , and is thus trivially a member of  $X_{B,F}$ .

Now, assume the claim is true for all creation series of length  $\leq k$ , and we will show for length  $k+1$ . Let  $s_1, s_2, \dots, s_k, s_{k+1}$  be a creation series. Then each prefix  $s_1, \dots, s_j$  such that  $j \leq k$  is a creation series (we've shown prefixes of creation sequences to be themselves valid creation sequences) of length  $j \leq k$ , therefore by the inductive assumption,  $s_1, \dots, s_k \in X_{B,F}$ . Now, seeing as  $s_1, \dots, s_k, s_{k+1}$  is also a valid creation sequence, then there are two options: If  $s_{k+1} \in B$ , then trivially  $s_{k+1} \in X_{B,F}$ . Therefore we only need to show for the case that  $s_{k+1} = f_i(s_{j_1}, s_{j_2}, \dots, s_{j_m})$  where  $f_i \in F$  is an  $m$ -valued function. But this is also trivial, seeing as by definition,  $X_{B,F}$  is closed under  $F$ .  $\square$

### 2. QUESTION 2

#### 2.1. Part A.

*Proof.* Let *validpar* be the property described — i.e., *validpar*( $\varphi$ ) means that between any pair of parentheses of the form  $)w($  in  $\varphi$ ,  $w$  contains at least one connector. Formally, if we enumerate all parentheses in  $\varphi$  like so —  $\varphi = ({}_0(1)_2)_3(4)_5$ , and let  $\#_{()}(\varphi)$  be their count (6 in this case), then for all  $i < \#_{()}(\varphi)$  such that  $)_i$  is in  $\varphi$  (that is, the  $i$ th bracket is a closing bracket), then between it and  $(_{i+1}$  there is a connector.

Let  $Y = \{\varphi \in (\text{Symb} \cup \text{Var})^* \mid \text{validpar}(\varphi)\}$ . We will show by structure induction on **WFF** that **WFF**  $\subseteq Y$ .

**Basis:** For each  $i \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $p_i$  has no parentheses, then the claim is trivially held for those. Identically, it holds for **T** and **F**.

**Closure:** Assume  $\varphi_1, \varphi_2 \in Y$ , and we will show that  $f_{\neg}(\varphi_1), f_{\circ}(\varphi_1, \varphi_2) \in Y$ . The claim is trivial for  $f_{\neg}(\varphi_1) = \neg\varphi_1$  — we haven't added any new parentheses, and the claim already holds (by assumption) for  $\varphi_1$ .

As for  $f_{\circ}(\varphi_1, \varphi_2) = (\varphi_1 \circ \varphi_2)$ , we must check for every closing bracket, that between it and the nearest following open bracket there is a connector.

Let  $)_i$  be a closing bracket in  $\varphi_1$  (if any exist). By the assumption, either there is a connector between  $)_i$  and  $(_{i+1}$ , or there is no  $(_{i+1}$  in  $\varphi_1$ . In this case, the first following opening bracket, if any, will be in  $\varphi_2$  — and this will follow the connector  $\circ$ .

For every closing bracket in  $\varphi_2$ , again, since  $\varphi_2$  maintains the inductive assumption, then each closing bracket in  $\varphi_2$  is either followed by no opening bracket at all (not in  $\varphi_2$ , and we haven't added any), or is followed by a connector first.

□

## 2.2. Part B.

*Proof.* Let *onemorevar* be the property described — i.e., *onemorevar*( $\varphi$ ) means that  $\#_{\text{var}}(\varphi) = \#_{\text{con2}}(\varphi)$ . Let  $Y = \{\varphi \in (\text{Symb} \cup \text{Var})^* \mid \text{onemorevar}(\varphi)\}$ , and we will show that **WFF**  $\subseteq Y$  by structure induction.

**Basis:** For all atomic formulae  $\varphi \in \text{WFF}$ ,  $\#_{\text{var}}(\varphi) = 1$  whereas  $\#_{\text{con2}}(\varphi) = 0$ , so the claim holds.

**Closure:** We need to show that  $Y$  is closed under the following functions:

- Assuming  $\varphi \in Y$ , we can see that  $\neg\varphi$  maintains  $\#_{\text{var}}(\varphi) = \#_{\text{var}}(\neg\varphi)$ ,  $\#_{\text{con2}}(\varphi) = \#_{\text{con2}}(\neg\varphi)$ , as we've only added one connector which is unary, therefore  $\neg\varphi \in Y$  as well.
- Assuming  $\varphi_1, \varphi_2 \in Y$ , we have by definition of  $Y$  that  $\#_{\text{var}}(\varphi_1) = \#_{\text{con2}}(\varphi_1) + 1$ , and  $\#_{\text{var}}(\varphi_2) = \#_{\text{con2}}(\varphi_2) + 1$ . Examine  $\varphi_1 \circ \varphi_2$ . It has all of the variables of  $\varphi_1$  and  $\varphi_2$ , with no added variables, therefore  $\#_{\text{var}}(\varphi_1 \circ \varphi_2) = \#_{\text{var}}(\varphi_1) + \#_{\text{var}}(\varphi_2)$ . But by the assumption, this is equal to  $\#_{\text{con2}}(\varphi_1) + 1 + \#_{\text{con2}}(\varphi_2) + 1$ . The number of binary connectors in  $\varphi_1 \circ \varphi_2$  is, plainly,  $\#_{\text{var}}(\varphi_1) + \#_{\text{var}}(\varphi_2) + 1$  (the  $\circ$  causing the  $+1$ ), so we have that  $\#_{\text{var}}(\varphi_1 \circ \varphi_2) = \#_{\text{con2}}(\varphi_1 \circ \varphi_2) + 1$ .

□

## 3. QUESTION 3

**3.1. Part A.** The claim is false. Take the example  $\varphi = \Rightarrow p_0 \rightarrow \rightarrow p_0 p_0 p_0$  - we must show that  $\varphi \in \text{POL}$ , and that the longest chain of binary connectors in  $\varphi$  is not a prefix of  $\varphi$ . The latter is trivial — the longest chain of connectors in  $\varphi$  is  $\rightarrow \rightarrow$ , which is clearly not a prefix of  $\varphi$ . All that remains is to show a creation sequence for  $\varphi$  over **POL**, and by claim ?? we will have  $vp \in \text{POL}$ , thus  $\varphi$  will be a less counter example to the claim.

The following creation sequence will be appropriate:

1.  $p_0$  (base)
2.  $p_0$  (base)
3.  $\rightarrow p_0 p_0$  ( $\rightarrow 1, 2$ )
4.  $\rightarrow\rightarrow p_0 p_0$  ( $\rightarrow 3, 1$ )
5.  $\rightarrow p_0 \rightarrow\rightarrow p_0 p_0 p_0$  ( $\rightarrow 1, 4$ )

### 3.2. Part B.

**Claim 2.** If  $\varphi \in POL$ , then  $\#_{var}(\varphi) = \#_{con2}(\varphi) + 1$ .

**Claim 3.** If  $\psi \in POL$ , and  $\varphi$  is a proper<sup>1</sup> prefix of  $\psi$ , then  $\#_{var}(\varphi) \neq \#_{con2}(\varphi) + 1$ .

*Proof.* Proof of Claim ?? Let  $Y = \{\psi \in (Symb \cup Var)^* \mid \#_{var}(\psi) = \#_{con2}(\psi) + 1\}$ . We will show by structural induction that  $POL \subseteq Y$ , and therefore for any  $\psi \in POL$ ,  $\#_{var}(\psi) = \#_{con2}(\psi) + 1$ .

**Basis:** For any atom  $p_i \in Var$ ,  $\#_{var}(p_i) = 1$ , and  $\#_{con2}(p_i) = 0$ , therefore the property is maintained. The same holds for **T, F**.

**Closure:** We have to prove for both the unary and binary operations:

- Assume  $\varphi \in Y$ , and examine  $\neg\varphi$ . Clearly we have added nothing but a unary connector, and removed nothing, thus

$$\#_{var}(\neg\varphi) = \#_{var}(\varphi), \#_{con2}(\neg\varphi) = \#_{var}(\varphi)$$

By the inductive assumption  $\#_{var}(\neg\varphi) = \#_{con2}(\neg\varphi) + 1$ , therefore  $\neg\varphi \in Y$ .

- Assume  $\varphi, \psi \in Y$ , and examine  $\alpha = \circ\varphi\psi$ . We have clearly retained all previous variables and binary connectors, and added one. Thus,  $\#_{con2}(\alpha) = 1 + \#_{con2}(\varphi) + \#_{con2}(\psi)$  and  $\#_{var}(\alpha) = \#_{var}(\varphi) + \#_{var}(\psi)$ . But by the inductive assumption,

$$\#_{var}(\varphi) + \#_{var}(\psi) = \#_{con2}(\varphi) + \#_{con2}(\psi) + 2 = \#_{con2}(\alpha) + 1$$

Therefore  $\alpha \in Y$ .

We have shown that  $POL \subseteq Y$ . □

*Proof.* Proof of Claim ?? Let *lackingprefix* be the described property — that is, *lackingprefix*( $\psi$ ) means that if  $\varphi$  is a proper prefix of  $\psi$ , then  $\#_{var}(\varphi) < \#_{con2}(\varphi) + 1$ . Let  $Y = \{\psi \in POL \mid \textit{lackingprefix}(\psi)\}$ , then we will show that  $Y \subseteq POL$  by structural induction. Note that we assume  $Y \subseteq POL$ , therefore we will have  $Y = POL$ .

**Basis:** All atoms  $p_i$ , as well as **T, F**, have no proper prefixes, therefore the property holds trivially.

**Closure:** We have to prove for both the unary and binary operations:

- Assume  $\psi \in Y$ , and examine  $\neg\psi$ . Then there are two options for a proper prefix:
  - If the proper prefix is simply  $\neg$ , then obviously  $\#_{var}(\neg) = 0 < 1 = \#_{con2}(\neg) + 1$ .
  - Any other proper prefix  $\varphi'$  of  $\neg\psi$  can clearly be written as  $\neg\varphi$ ,  $\varphi$  being a proper prefix of  $\psi$ . By the assumption,  $\psi \in Y$  and therefore  $\#_{var}(\varphi) < \#_{con2}(\varphi) + 1$ . But, once again,  $\#_{var}(\varphi) = \#_{var}(\neg\varphi)$ ,  $\#_{con2}(\varphi) = \#_{con2}(\neg\varphi)$ , and all in all *lackingprefix*( $\neg\psi$ ). Therefore  $\neg\psi \in Y$ .
- Assume  $\psi_1, \psi_2 \in Y$ , and examine  $\circ\psi_1\psi_2$ . Let  $\varphi$  be a proper prefix of  $\circ\psi_1\psi_2$ , then there are the following options:
  - If  $\varphi = \circ$ , then  $\#_{var}(\circ) = 0 < \#_{con2}(\circ) + 1 = 2$ . Then  $\varphi \in Y$ .

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<sup>1</sup>We will say that  $\varphi$  is a *proper prefix* of  $\psi$  if  $\varphi \neq \sigma$ ,  $\varphi \neq \psi$ , and  $\varphi$  is a prefix of  $\psi$ .

- If  $\varphi = \circ\varphi_1$ ,  $\varphi_1$  being a proper prefix of  $\psi_1$ , then obviously  $\#_{var}(\varphi) = \#_{var}(\varphi_1)$ , and  $\#_{con2}(\varphi) = \#_{con2}(\varphi_1) + 1$ . By the inductive assumption,  $lackingprefix(\psi_1)$ , therefore  $\#_{var}(\varphi_1) < \#_{con2}(\varphi_1) + 1$ . All in all, we have that

$$\#_{var}(\varphi) = \#_{var}(\varphi_1) < \#_{con2}(\varphi_1) + 1 = \#_{con2}(\varphi) < \#_{con2}(\varphi) + 1$$

- If  $\varphi = \circ\psi_1$ , then  $\#_{var}(\varphi) = \#_{var}(\psi_1)$ ,  $\#_{con2}(\varphi) = \#_{con2}(\psi_1) + 1$ . But  $\psi_1 \in Y$ , therefore  $\psi_1 \in POL$ , and by Claim ??,  $\#_{var}(\psi_1) = \#_{con2}(\psi_1) + 1$ . All in all, we have that

$$\#_{var}(\varphi) = \#_{var}(\psi_1) = \#_{con2}(\psi_1) + 1 = \#_{con2}(\varphi) < \#_{con2}(\varphi) + 1$$

- If  $\varphi = \circ\psi_1\varphi_2$ ,  $\varphi_2$  being a proper prefix of  $\psi_2$ , then  $\#_{var}(\varphi) = \#_{var}(\psi_1) + \#_{var}(\varphi_2)$ ,  $\#_{con2}(\varphi) = 1 + \#_{con2}(\psi_1) + \#_{con2}(\varphi_2)$ . Again,  $\psi_1 \in POL$ , therefore  $\#_{var}(\psi_1) = \#_{con2}(\psi_1) + 1$ , and  $lackingprefix(\psi_2)$ , thus  $\#_{var}(\varphi_2) < \#_{con2}(\varphi_2) + 1$ . All in all,

$$\begin{aligned} \#_{var}(\varphi) &= \\ &= \#_{var}(\psi_1) + \#_{var}(\varphi_2) \\ &= \#_{con2}(\psi_1) + 1 + \#_{var}(\varphi_2) \\ &< \#_{con2}(\psi_1) + \#_{con2}(\varphi_2) + 1 + 1 \\ &= \#_{con2}(\varphi) + 1 \end{aligned}$$

We have shown that  $Y = POL$ , therefore for every prefix  $\varphi$  of a prefix formula  $\psi \in POL$ ,  $\#_{var}(\varphi) < \#_{con2}(\psi) + 1$ .  $\square$

*Proof of ??.* Assume  $\varphi, \psi \in POL$ , and that  $\varphi$  is a prefix of  $\psi$ . We need to show that  $\varphi = \psi$ . Assume by contrast that  $\varphi \neq \psi$ , then by Claim ??,  $\#_{var}(\varphi) \neq \#_{con2}(\varphi) + 1$ , and then by reversal of Claim ??,  $\varphi \notin POL$ .  $\square$

### 3.3. Part C.

*Proof.* Let  $X$  be either  $POL$  or  $\mathbf{WFF}$ . In either case,  $X$  is infinite:  $Var \subseteq X$ , and  $Var$  is infinite. Furthermore,  $X$  is countable:  $X$  is, in both cases, an inductive set with a countable basis ( $Var$  is defined as an enumeration of the atomic formulae  $p_i$ , and the addition of  $\mathbf{T}, \mathbf{F}$ , by the infinite hotel theorem, keeps it countable), and a finite closure ( $|F| = 4$  in both cases), and thus by a theorem we've shown in HW 5,  $X$  is countable.

We've shown both  $POL$  and  $\mathbf{WFF}$  to be infinite and countable. Thus we have  $POL \sim \mathbb{N}$ ,  $\mathbf{WFF} \sim \mathbb{N}$ , and therefore  $POL \sim \mathbf{WFF}$ .  $\square$

## 4. QUESTION 4

### 4.1. Part A.

*Proof.* We need to show that  $\mathbf{WFF}$  is closed under the *subst* function. We will show this by structure induction:

**Basis:** If  $\varphi = p_i$ , then for any substitution  $s$ ,  $subst(\varphi, s) = s(p_i)$ . By definition,  $s(p_i) \in \mathbf{WFF}$ .

If  $\varphi \in \mathbf{T}, \mathbf{F}$ , then for any substitution  $s$ ,  $subst(\varphi, s) = \varphi$ , and by the assumption  $\varphi \in \mathbf{WFF}$ .

**Closure:** We need to show that  $\mathbf{WFF}$  is closed under *subst*, for both binary and unary functions on formulae in  $\mathbf{WFF}$ :

- Assume  $\varphi \in \mathbf{WFF}$ , and that for any substitution  $s$ ,  $subst(\varphi, s) \in \mathbf{WFF}$ . Then  $subst(\neg\varphi, s) = \neg subst(\varphi, s)$ , and since  $subst(\varphi, s) \in \mathbf{WFF}$ , by definition of  $\mathbf{WFF}$ ,  $\neg subst(\varphi, s) \in \mathbf{WFF}$ .

- Assume  $\varphi_1, \varphi_2 \in \mathbf{WFF}$ , and that for any  $s : Var \rightarrow \mathbf{WFF}$ , both  $subst(\varphi_1, s) \in \mathbf{WFF}$  and  $subst(\varphi_2, s) \in \mathbf{WFF}$ . Then

$$subst((\varphi_1 \circ \varphi_2), s) = (subst(\varphi_1, s) \circ subst(\varphi_2, s))$$

By definition of  $\mathbf{WFF}$ , since by the assumption both  $subst(\varphi_1, s)$  and  $subst(\varphi_2, s) \in \mathbf{WFF}$ , then so is  $(subst(\varphi_1, s) \circ subst(\varphi_2, s))$ . □

4.2. **Part B.** The claim is false. Take  $s = s_{\mathbf{T}}$ , that is,  $s(p_i) = \mathbf{T}$  for any natural  $i$ , and take  $t = I$ , that is,  $s(p_i) = p_i$  for any natural  $i$ . Then take  $\varphi = \mathbf{T}$ . By definition of  $subst$ ,  $subst(\varphi, s) = subst(\varphi, t) = \mathbf{T}$ , yet clearly  $s \neq t$ .

4.3. **Parts C,D.**

**Definition.** Let  $\mathcal{P}_{i=0}^n = \{p_0, p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n\}$ . Let  $\mathcal{P}_{i=0}^\infty = \{p_0, p_1, p_2, p_3, \dots\} = Var$ .

**Claim 4.** For any natural  $n$  or  $n = \infty$ ,  $subst_2(\mathcal{P}_{i=0}^n, s_{\mathbf{T}}) = \{\mathbf{T}\}$ .

*Proof of Claim ??.* Assume  $\varphi \in subst_2(\mathcal{P}_{i=0}^n, s)$ . Then there exists  $\psi \in \mathcal{P}_{i=0}^n$  such that  $\varphi = subst(\psi, s_{\mathbf{T}})$ . But by definition of  $\mathcal{P}_{i=0}^n$ , the only possible values for  $\psi$  are  $p_i$ , and  $subst(p_i, s_{\mathbf{T}}) = s_{\mathbf{T}}(p_i) = \mathbf{T}$  for any  $p_i$  of these. Then  $\varphi = \mathbf{T}$ , so  $subst_2(\mathcal{P}_{i=0}^n, s) \subseteq \{\mathbf{T}\}$ . As we've shown,  $\mathbf{T} \in subst_2(\mathcal{P}_{i=0}^n, s)$ , therefore  $\{\mathbf{T}\} \subseteq subst_2(\mathcal{P}_{i=0}^n, s)$ . □

Both claims C and D are false.

Counterexample for Part C: Take  $s = s_{\mathbf{T}}, \Sigma = \mathcal{P}_{i=0}^{42}$ . Clearly,  $\Sigma$  is finite, and furthermore  $|\Sigma| = 42$ . However, by Claim ??,  $|subst_2(\Sigma, s)| = 1$ , thus  $\Sigma \not\subseteq subst_2(\Sigma, s)$ .

Counterexample for Part D: Take  $s = s_{\mathbf{T}}, \Sigma = \mathcal{P}_{i=0}^\infty$ . As we've shown in class,  $\Sigma = Var$  is infinite. However, by Claim ??,  $|subst_2(\Sigma, s)| = 1$ , thus  $\Sigma \not\subseteq subst_2(\Sigma, s)$ .

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### 2. QUESTION 2

#### 2.1. Part A.

*Proof.* **Basis:** For  $k = 0$ ,  $\Sigma = \emptyset$ , then  $\bigvee \Sigma = \mathbf{F}$ . Take any assignment  $z$ , then it trivially does not satisfy  $\bigvee \Sigma$ . Also, trivially there does not exist  $\varphi \in \Sigma$  which  $z$  satisfies.

**Closure:** Assume the claim holds for  $|\Sigma| = k$ , we'll show it for  $|\Sigma| = k + 1$ .

First direction: Assume there exists  $\varphi \in \Sigma$  such that  $z \models \varphi$ . Seeing as  $\Sigma = \{\varphi_0, \dots, \varphi_{k-1}, \varphi_k\}$ , either  $\varphi = \varphi_k$  or  $\varphi = \varphi_i$  where  $i < k$ . Assume the former, then by  $TT_{\vee}$ ,  $z$  must satisfy  $\bigvee \Sigma = (\bigvee\{\varphi_0, \dots, \varphi_{k-1}\} \vee \varphi_k)$ . If we assume the latter, then by the inductive assumption, since there exists  $\varphi_i \in \{\varphi_0, \dots, \varphi_{k-1}\}$  which  $z$  satisfies, then  $z$  satisfies  $\bigvee\{\varphi_0, \dots, \varphi_{k-1}\}$ , and thus by  $TT_{\vee}$  it satisfies  $\bigvee \Sigma$ .

Second direction: Assume that  $z$  satisfies  $\bigvee \Sigma$ . Then by  $TT_{\vee}$ , it either satisfies  $\varphi_k$  or it satisfies  $\bigvee\{\varphi_0, \dots, \varphi_{k-1}\}$  (or both). If we assume the former, then we're done - we've found a formula in  $\Sigma$  which  $z$  satisfies. Assume then, that  $z$  does not satisfy  $\varphi_k$ . Then by  $TT_{\vee}$ , as we've said, it must satisfy  $\bigvee\{\varphi_0, \dots, \varphi_{k-1}\}$ . But by the inductive assumption, this means that there exists  $\varphi_i$  with  $i < k$  such that  $z$  satisfies  $\varphi_i$ . Obviously,  $\varphi_i \in \Sigma$ , and we're done. □

#### 2.2. Part B.

*Proof.* **Basis:** For  $k = 0$ ,  $\Sigma = \emptyset$ , then  $\bigwedge \Sigma = \mathbf{T}$ . Take any assignment  $z$ , then it trivially satisfies  $\bigwedge \Sigma$ . Also, trivially it satisfies every formula in  $\Sigma$ , so  $z \models \Sigma$ .

**Closure:** Assume the claim holds for  $|\Sigma| = k$ , we'll show it for  $|\Sigma| = k + 1$ .

First direction: Assume that  $z \models \Sigma$ . Then for every  $\varphi \in \Sigma$ ,  $z$  satisfies  $\varphi$ . Privately,  $z$  also satisfies  $\{\varphi_0, \dots, \varphi_{k-1}\}$ , and thus by the inductive assumption it satisfies  $\bigwedge\{\varphi_0, \dots, \varphi_{k-1}\}$ . Also, it privately satisfies  $\varphi_k$ . Thus, by  $TT_{\wedge}$ , it satisfies  $\bigwedge \Sigma$ .

Second direction: Assume that  $z$  satisfies  $\bigwedge \Sigma$ . Then by  $TT_{\wedge}$ , it both satisfies  $\varphi_k$  and  $\bigwedge\{\varphi_0, \dots, \varphi_{k-1}\}$ . By the inductive assumption, this means that it also satisfies  $\{\varphi_0, \dots, \varphi_{k-1}\}$ , and altogether we've shown that it satisfies every formula in  $\Sigma$ , that is,  $z \models \Sigma$ . □

#### 2.3. Part C.

*Proof.* Assume  $z$  satisfies  $\bigwedge_{i=0}^{k-1} (\neg \varphi_i)$ . Then by Part B, it satisfies  $\neg \varphi_i$  for all  $i < k$ . By  $TT_{\neg}$ , that means that it does not satisfy  $\varphi_i$  for all  $i < k$ , and then by Part A, that means that it does not satisfy  $\bigvee_{i=0}^{k-1} \varphi_i$ . But, again by  $TT_{\neg}$ , we have that  $z$  satisfies  $\neg \bigvee_{i=0}^{k-1} \varphi_i$ .

Reversal of the proverbial arrows will give us the other direction, and thus we have shown logical equivalence of the two formulae.  $\square$

#### 2.4. Part D.

*Proof.* Assume  $z$  satisfies  $\neg \bigwedge_{i=0}^{k-1} (\neg \varphi_i)$ . Then by  $TT_{\neg}$ , it does not satisfy  $\bigwedge_{i=0}^{k-1} (\neg \varphi_i)$ . By Part B, this means that there exists  $\varphi_i$  with  $i < k$  such that  $z$  does not satisfy  $\varphi_i$ . Therefore, by  $TT_{\neg}$ , there exists  $\varphi_i$  such that  $z$  does satisfy  $\neg \varphi_i$ , and then by Part A, this means that  $z$  satisfies  $\bigvee_{i=0}^{k-1} (\neg \varphi_i)$ .

Reversal of the proverbial arrows will give us the other direction, and thus we have shown logical equivalence of the two formulae.  $\square$

### 3. QUESTION 3

**3.1. Part A.** The claim is false.  $\emptyset$  is trivially, antisymmetric with respect to any assignment, but is also empty satisfiable by any assignment.

**3.2. Part B.** The claim is false. Take  $\Sigma_1 = \emptyset, \Sigma_2 = \{\varphi_0\}$ . As in part A,  $L(\Sigma_1) = ASS$ , but for any assignment  $z$ , there does not exist  $\alpha \in \Sigma_2$  such that  $\bar{z}(\alpha) \neq \bar{z}(\varphi_0)$ , since only  $\varphi_0 \in \Sigma_2$ , thus  $L(\Sigma_2) = \emptyset$ . In summary,  $L(\Sigma_1) = ASS, L(\Sigma_2) = \emptyset, \Sigma_1 \cup \Sigma_2 = \Sigma_2, L(\Sigma_2) = L(\Sigma_2) = \emptyset \neq L(\Sigma_1) \cup L(\Sigma_2) = ASS$ .

### 4. QUESTION 4

#### 4.1. Part A.

**Lemma 1** (The Chocolate Chip Cookie lemma). *If  $A, B \in \wp(\mathbf{WFF}), \alpha \in \mathbf{WFF}$ , and  $A \cap B \models \alpha$ , then  $A \models \alpha$  and  $B \models \alpha$ .*

*Proof of Lemma ??.* It suffices to show that  $A \models \alpha$ , and then symmetrically,  $B \models \alpha$ . We must therefore show that for each  $z \in ASS$ ,  $z \models A \Rightarrow z \models \alpha$ <sup>1</sup>. But  $z \models A$  means that for any  $\varphi \in A$ ,  $z \models \varphi$ . Privately, this holds for  $\varphi \in A \cap B \subseteq A$ , therefore  $z \models A \cap B$ . But by the assumption, this means that  $z \models \alpha$ . Thus  $A \models \alpha$ .  $\square$

*Proof of 4A.* Assume  $T, T'$  are theories. If  $T \cap T' \models \alpha$ , then by the Chocolate Chip Cookie Lemma (??), both  $T \models \alpha$  and  $T' \models \alpha$ . But  $T, T'$  are theories, thus  $\alpha \in T, \alpha \in T'$ , or in other words (symbols),  $\alpha \in T \cap T'$ . We have shown that if  $T \cap T' \models \alpha$ , then  $\alpha \in T \cap T'$ , so  $T \cap T'$  is a theory.  $\square$

#### 4.2. Part B.

*Proof.* Assume by contrast that neither  $T \subseteq T'$  nor  $T' \subseteq T$ . Therefore exist  $\alpha \in T \setminus T', \beta \in T' \setminus T$ , and thus  $\alpha, \beta \in T \cup T'$ . Then any assignment which satisfies  $T \cup T'$  would have to satisfy  $\alpha, \beta$ , and so by  $TT_{\wedge}$ , it satisfies  $\alpha \wedge \beta$ , or in other words  $T \cup T' \models \alpha \wedge \beta$ . But  $T \cup T'$  is a theory, so  $\alpha \wedge \beta \in T \cup T'$ , meaning  $\alpha \wedge \beta \in T$  or  $\alpha \wedge \beta \in T'$ . Assume the former, then any assignment which satisfies  $T$  must satisfy  $\alpha \wedge \beta$ , and by  $TT_{\wedge}$ , to do this it must satisfy  $\beta$ , meaning  $T \models \beta$ . Thus  $\beta \in T$ , in contrast to the assumption. If we assume the latter, that is,  $\alpha \wedge \beta \in T'$ , then we identically reach the conclusion that  $\alpha \in T'$ , again in contrast to the assumption. Thus either  $T \subseteq T'$ , or  $T' \subseteq T$ .  $\square$

<sup>1</sup>We denote  $z$  satisfies  $\varphi \in \mathbf{WFF}$  or  $z$  satisfies  $\Sigma \in \wp(\mathbf{WFF})$  by  $z \models \varphi, z \models \Sigma$  respectively.

5. QUESTION 5

5.1. **Part A.** The claim is true.

*Proof.* Let  $z$  be the said assignment.  $\varphi_z$  depends on  $k$ , so we will call it  $\varphi_{z,k}$  and define it inductively.

**Basis:**  $\varphi_{z,0} = \mathbf{T}$

**Closure:**  $\varphi_{z,i+1} = \begin{cases} (p_i \wedge \varphi_{z,i}), & z(p_i) = 1 \\ (\neg p_i \wedge \varphi_{z,i}), & z(p_i) = 0 \end{cases}$

We will now prove that such  $\varphi_z$  maintains the claim.

First direction: Clearly  $\varphi_{z,k}$  only holds the variables  $p_0, \dots, p_{k-1}$ , thus when evaluating the meaning - seeing as  $z, z'$  are equal with respect to their assignments on  $p_0, \dots, p_{k-1}$ , we will reach the same meaning. All that is left to show is that  $z$  satisfies  $\varphi_{z,k}$ , because then so does  $z'$ .

**Basis:** For  $k = 0$ , any  $z$  trivially satisfies  $\varphi_{z,0}$ .

**Closure:** Assume that  $z$  satisfies  $\varphi_{z,k}$ , and we'll show

again, inductively.

**Basis:** For  $k = 0$ , trivially, any two assignments  $z, z'$  are equal with respect to their assignments on  $p_0, \dots, p_{k-1}$ , thus any  $z'$  must satisfy the formula. But the formula is  $\mathbf{T}$ , so it does.

**Closure:** Assume that  $z$  satisfies  $\varphi_{z,k}$ , and we'll show that it satisfies  $\varphi_{z,k+1}$ .

If  $z(p_k) = 1$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} M(\varphi_{z,k+1}, z) &= M((p_k \wedge \varphi_{z,k}), z) \\ &= TT_{\wedge}(M(p_k, z), M(\varphi_{z,k}, z)) \end{aligned}$$

But by the inductive assumption,  $M(\varphi_{z,k}, z) = 1$ , so

$$= 1$$

Thus  $z$  satisfies  $\varphi_{z,k+1}$ . If  $z(p_k) = 0$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} M(\varphi_{z,k+1}, z) &= M((\neg p_k \wedge \varphi_{z,k}), z) \\ &= TT_{\wedge}(M(\neg p_k, z), M(\varphi_{z,k}, z)) \\ &= TT_{\wedge}(TT_{\neg}(p_k, z), M(\varphi_{z,k}, z)) \\ &= TT_{\wedge}(1, M(\varphi_{z,k}, z)) \end{aligned}$$

But by the inductive assumption,  $M(\varphi_{z,k}, z) = 1$ , so

$$= 1$$

Second direction: We have to show that if  $z'$  satisfies  $\varphi_{z,k}$ , then it identifies with  $z$  on variables  $p_0, \dots, p_{k-1}$ .

**Basis:** For  $k = 0$ , trivially, any assignment satisfies  $\varphi_{z,0} = \mathbf{T}$ . But also trivially, any two assignments  $z, z'$  are equal with respect to their assignments on  $p_0, \dots, p_{k-1}$ .

**Closure:** Assume that  $z'$  satisfies  $\varphi_{z,k+1}$ , and that it identifies with  $z$  on  $p_i$  for  $i < k$ , and we'll show that it identifies with  $z$  on  $p_k$ . Assume that  $z(p_k) = 1$ , we'll show that  $z'(p_k) = 1$ .

$$\begin{aligned} 1 &= M(\varphi_{z,k+1}, z') = M((p_k \wedge \varphi_{z,k}), z') \\ &= TT_{\wedge}(M(p_k, z'), M(\varphi_{z,k}, z')) \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, by  $TT_{\wedge}$ ,  $M(p_k, z') = 1$ . Now assume that  $z(p_k) = 0$ , and we'll show that  $z'(p_k) = 0$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
1 &= M(\varphi_{z,k+1}, z') = M((\neg p_k \wedge \varphi_{z,k}), z') \\
&= TT_\wedge(M(\neg p_k, z'), M(\varphi_{z,k}, z')) \\
&= TT_\wedge(TT_\neg(M(p_k, z')), M(\varphi_{z,k}, z'))
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore, by  $TT_\wedge$ , we have that  $TT_\neg(M(p_k, z')) = 1$ , so by  $TT_\neg$  we have that  $z'(p_k) = 0$ .

We have shown, for every  $z \in ASS, k \in \mathbb{N}$ , a formula  $\varphi_{z,k} \in \mathbf{WFF}(k)$  for which  $z'$  satisfies  $\varphi_{z,k}$  iff  $z, z'$  are identical with respect to their assignments on  $p_0, \dots, p_{k-1}$ .  $\square$

## 5.2. Part B.

*Proof.* As we've shown previously,  $\mathbf{WFF} \sim \mathbb{N}$ . By definition,  $\mathbf{WFF}(k) \subseteq \mathbf{WFF}$ , and as we've shown in class, this means  $\mathbf{WFF}(k) \preceq \mathbf{WFF}$ . We will show that  $\mathbb{N} \preceq \mathbf{WFF}(k)$ , and thus by the Cantor-Bernstein theorem,  $\mathbf{WFF}(k) \sim \mathbf{WFF}$ . We need to show a 1-1 function from  $\mathbb{N}$  to  $\mathbf{WFF}(k)$ . This is simple enough: Take

$$f(i) = \underbrace{\neg \neg \neg \dots \neg}_{\times i} \mathbf{T}$$

This function is clearly 1-1. Also, the expression given is within  $\mathbf{WFF}(k)$  since it doesn't use any variables.  $\square$

## 5.3. Part C.

### 5.3.1. Part i.

**Definition 1.** Let  $ASS(k) = \{z \in ASS \mid z(p_i) = 0 \text{ for all } i \geq k\}$

**Definition 2.** For any  $Z \in \wp(ASS(k))$ , define  $\Phi_Z = \{\varphi_z \in \mathbf{WFF}(k) \mid z \in Z\}$ .

**Definition 3.**  $\Sigma_M = \{\bigvee \Phi_Z \in \mathbf{WFF}(k) \mid Z \in \wp(ASS(k))\}$

### 5.3.2. Part ii.

*Proof.* Let  $Z_1, Z_2 \in \wp(ASS(k)), Z_1 \neq Z_2$ . Then we will show that  $\bigvee \Phi_{Z_1} \not\sim \bigvee \Phi_{Z_2}$ . WLOG, there exists  $z \in Z_1 \setminus Z_2$ . Thus  $\varphi_z \in \Phi_{Z_1}$ , and as we've shown,  $z \models \varphi_z$ , and as shown in Question 2, this means that  $z \models \bigvee \Phi_{Z_1}$ . However, we have shown that if  $z \neq z'$  with respect to the first  $k$  variables, then  $z \not\models \varphi_{z'}$ . By construction, every  $\varphi \in \Phi_{Z_2}$  is of such form  $\varphi_{z'}$ , that is, with  $z' \neq z$ , thus there is no formula in  $\Phi_{Z_2}$  which  $z$  satisfies, and again, as shown in Question 2, this means that  $z \not\models \bigvee \Phi_{Z_2}$ . We have shown an assignment that satisfies  $\bigvee \Phi_{Z_1}$  and not  $\bigvee \Phi_{Z_2}$ , thus the two formulae are not logically equivalent.  $\square$

5.3.3. *Part iii.* As we have exactly one formula for each set of assignments in  $\wp(ASS(k))$ , and they are all distinct (we have shown that they are not logically equivalent, thus they are also privately not equal as strings), then  $|\Sigma_M| = |\wp(ASS(k))| = 2^{|ASS(k)|}$ . By combinatorial considerations,  $|ASS(k)|$  is the number of binary vectors of length  $k$ , that is,  $2^k$ . Thus  $|\Sigma_M| = 2^{2^k}$ .

### 5.3.4. part iv.

*Proof.* Let  $\Sigma$  be a set of pairwise inequivalent formulae. We will show a 1-1 function from it to  $\Sigma_M$ , thus  $|\Sigma| \leq |\Sigma_M|$ .

Let  $Ass_k(\varphi) = \{z \in ASS(k) \mid z \models \varphi\}$ . Then consider the following function:

$$f : \Sigma \rightarrow \Sigma_M, f(\varphi) = \bigvee \Phi_{Ass_k(\varphi)}$$

To show that it is 1-1, take  $\varphi_1 \neq \varphi_2 \in \Sigma$ . By the assumption,  $\Sigma$  formulae are pairwise inequivalent, thus  $Ass_k(\varphi_1) \neq Ass_k(\varphi_2)$ , thus, as we have shown,  $\bigvee \Phi_{Ass_k(\varphi_1)} \not\sim \bigvee \Phi_{Ass_k(\varphi_2)}$ , and privately, they are different as strings.  $\square$

6. QUESTION 6

6.1. **Part A.** The claim is false. Take  $\Sigma_1 = \{p_0\}, \Sigma_2 = \{p_1\}$ . Clearly,  $\Sigma \models p_0 \wedge p_1$ , because any assignment which satisfies  $\Sigma$  would have to satisfy  $p_0, p_1$ , and by  $TT_\wedge$ , this means it satisfies  $p_0 \wedge p_1$ . However, the assignment  $\chi_{\Sigma_1}$ <sup>2</sup> satisfies  $\Sigma_1$ , but does not satisfy  $p_0 \wedge p_1$  as it gives  $p_1$  0, and similarly,  $\chi_{\Sigma_2}$  satisfies  $\Sigma_2$  but not  $p_0 \wedge p_1$ . Thus  $\Sigma_1 \cup \Sigma_2$  is not partitioned into  $\Sigma_1, \Sigma_2$ .

6.2. **Part B.** The claim is false. Take  $\Sigma = \{p_i | i \in \mathbb{N}\}$ . Assume by contrast that  $\Sigma$  is partitioned into  $\Sigma_1, \Sigma_2$ . By definition, they are nonempty. WLOG, assume  $p_1 \in \Sigma_1, p_2 \in \Sigma_2$ . Again by definition, they are disjoint, thus  $p_1 \notin \Sigma_2, p_2 \notin \Sigma_1$ .  $\Sigma \models p_1 \wedge p_2$ , because as we have shown in class, only  $z_T$  satisfies  $\Sigma$ , thus  $p_1, p_2$  are assigned 1. However,  $\Sigma_1 \not\models p_1 \wedge p_2$ , because  $\chi_{\Sigma_1}$  assigns 0 to  $p_2$ , and thus, while satisfying  $\Sigma_1$ , does not satisfy  $p_1 \wedge p_2$ , and similarly,  $\chi_{\Sigma_2}$  satisfies  $\Sigma_2$  but not  $p_1 \wedge p_2$ . Thus  $\Sigma$  is not partitioned into  $\Sigma_1, \Sigma_2$ . Our only contrast-assumption was that such  $\Sigma_1, \Sigma_2$  exist that  $\Sigma$  is partitioned into them, therefore they do not.

6.3. **Part C.**

**Lemma 2** (The theoretic theory theory). *For any  $\Sigma \in \wp(\mathbf{WFF})$ ,  $Con(\Sigma)$  is a theory.*

*Proof of Lemma ??.* Assume  $Con(\Sigma) \models \alpha$ . We want to show that  $\Sigma \models \alpha$ , and then  $\alpha \in Con(\Sigma)$ , thus  $Con(\Sigma)$  is a theory. But if  $z$  satisfies  $\Sigma$ , then by definition of  $Con(\Sigma)$  (as the set of formulae which are satisfied by all assignments which satisfy  $\Sigma$ ),  $z$  satisfies  $Con(\Sigma)$ . As per the assumption, now we have that  $z$  satisfies  $\alpha$ , and we have shown that  $\Sigma \models \alpha$ .  $\square$

*Proof of 6C.* Assume  $\Sigma$  is partitioned into  $\Sigma_1, \Sigma_2$ . Then by definition of a partition,  $Con(\Sigma) = Con(\Sigma_1) \cup Con(\Sigma_2)$ . Thus by Lemma ??,  $Con(\Sigma), Con(\Sigma_1), Con(\Sigma_2)$  are theories, and from the equality, so is  $Con(\Sigma_1) \cup Con(\Sigma_2)$ . But by ??, this means that either  $Con(\Sigma_1) \subseteq Con(\Sigma_2)$  or vice versa. Assume the former, then if  $\Sigma_1 \models \alpha$ , then  $\Sigma_2 = \Sigma \setminus \Sigma_1 \models \alpha$ , and  $\Sigma_1$  is redundant. Identically, assuming the latter gives that  $\Sigma_2$  is redundant.  $\square$

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<sup>2</sup>As per usual,  $\chi_A(t) = \begin{cases} 1, & t \in A \\ 0, & t \notin A \end{cases}$

## LOGIC & SET THEORY - HW 8

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### 1. QUESTION 1

#### 1.1. Part A.

*Proof.* We wish to show that  $\{\rightarrow, \heartsuit\}$  is functionally complete. It will suffice to show that every formula  $\varphi \in \mathbf{WFF}_{\{\rightarrow, \mathbf{F}\}}$  can be converted to a logically equivalent formula  $\varphi' \in \mathbf{WFF}_{\{\rightarrow, \heartsuit\}}$ , as we have seen in class that  $\mathbf{WFF}_{\{\rightarrow, \mathbf{F}\}}$  is functionally complete. We will show this by induction on  $\mathbf{WFF}_{\{\rightarrow, \mathbf{F}\}}$ .

**Basis:** For  $\varphi = p_i$ ,  $\varphi$  is already in  $\mathbf{WFF}_{\{\rightarrow, \heartsuit\}}$  without conversion, and they are trivially logically equivalent.

For  $\varphi = \mathbf{F}$ , take  $\varphi' = \heartsuit p_0$ . By  $TT_{\heartsuit}$ ,  $M(\varphi', z)$  is 0 for any assignment  $z$ , as is  $M(\varphi, 0)$ , so the two are equivalent.

For  $\varphi = \mathbf{T}$ , take  $\varphi' = (\heartsuit p_0 \rightarrow \heartsuit p_0)$ .

$$\begin{aligned} M(\varphi', z) &= M((\heartsuit p_0 \rightarrow \heartsuit p_0), z) \\ &= TT_{\rightarrow}(M(\heartsuit p_0, z), M(\heartsuit p_0, z)) \\ &= TT_{\rightarrow}(0, 0) = 1 \end{aligned}$$

**Closure:** Assume the claim holds for  $\varphi_1, \varphi_2$ , that is, they are logically equivalent to  $\varphi'_1, \varphi'_2 \in \mathbf{WFF}_{\{\rightarrow, \heartsuit\}}$ . Consider  $\varphi = \varphi_1 \rightarrow \varphi_2$ , and  $\varphi' = \varphi'_1 \rightarrow \varphi'_2$ . Clearly  $\varphi' \in \mathbf{WFF}_{\{\rightarrow, \heartsuit\}}$ . As for logical equivalence,

$$\begin{aligned} M(\varphi', z) &= M(\varphi'_1 \rightarrow \varphi'_2, z) \\ &= TT_{\rightarrow}(M(\varphi'_1, z), M(\varphi'_2, z)) \end{aligned}$$

But by the inductive assumption,

$$\begin{aligned} &= TT_{\rightarrow}(M(\varphi_1, z), M(\varphi_2, z)) \\ &= M(\varphi, z) \end{aligned}$$

□

#### 1.2. Part B.

*Proof.* We wish to show that  $\{\rightarrow, \oplus\}$  is functionally complete. It will suffice to show that every formula  $\varphi \in \mathbf{WFF}_{\{\rightarrow, \mathbf{F}\}}$  can be converted to a logically equivalent formula  $\varphi' \in \mathbf{WFF}_{\{\rightarrow, \oplus\}}$ , as we have seen in class that  $\mathbf{WFF}_{\{\rightarrow, \mathbf{F}\}}$  is functionally complete. We will show this by induction on  $\mathbf{WFF}_{\{\rightarrow, \mathbf{F}\}}$ .

**Basis:** For  $\varphi = p_i$ ,  $\varphi$  is already in  $\mathbf{WFF}_{\{\rightarrow, \oplus\}}$  without conversion, and they are trivially logically equivalent.

For  $\varphi = \mathbf{F}$ , take  $\varphi' = (p_0 \oplus p_0)$ . By  $TT_{\oplus}$ ,  $M(\varphi', z)$  is 0 for any assignment  $z$ , as is  $M(\varphi, 0)$ , so the two are equivalent.

For  $\varphi = \mathbf{T}$ , take  $\varphi' = (p_0 \oplus p_0) \rightarrow (p_0 \oplus p_0)$ . Similarly to Part A, again we have that  $\varphi, \varphi'$  are logically equivalent.

**Closure:** Precisely identical to Part A. Save the trees!

□

## 3. QUESTION 3

3.1. **Part A.** The claim is true.

*Proof.* We are asked to show that  $\{\psi \rightarrow \alpha, \alpha \rightarrow \beta, \beta \rightarrow \varphi\} \vdash \psi \rightarrow \varphi$ . By deduction, it is enough to show that  $\{\psi, \psi \rightarrow \alpha, \alpha \rightarrow \beta, \beta \rightarrow \varphi\} \vdash \varphi$ . The following proof sequence will show that:

1.  $\psi$  Assumption
2.  $\psi \rightarrow \alpha$  Assumption
3.  $\alpha \rightarrow \beta$  Assumption
4.  $\beta \rightarrow \varphi$  Assumption
5.  $\alpha$  MP(1,2)
6.  $\beta$  MP(5,3)
7.  $\varphi$  MP(4,6)

Thus  $\{\psi, \psi \rightarrow \alpha, \alpha \rightarrow \beta, \beta \rightarrow \varphi\} \vdash \varphi$ . □

3.2. **Part B.** The claim is true.

We will prove a stronger property, that given the same conditions, for all  $\varphi \in \mathbf{WFF}_{\{\rightarrow, \mathbf{F}\}}$  it holds both that  $\varphi \vdash \text{subst}(\varphi, s)$  and  $\text{subst}(\varphi, s) \vdash \varphi$ .

*Proof.* We'll prove by induction on the structure of  $\text{subst}$ .

**Basis:** If  $\varphi = p_i$ , then  $\text{subst}(\varphi, s) = s(p_i)$ . We are given that  $p_i \vdash s(p_i)$ , thus  $\varphi \vdash \text{subst}(\varphi, s)$ . Similarly, we are given that  $s(p_i) \vdash p_i$ , thus  $\text{subst}(\varphi, s) \vdash \varphi$ .

If  $\varphi = \mathbf{F}$ , then  $\text{subst}(\varphi, s) = \mathbf{F}$ , then since clearly  $\mathbf{F} \vdash \mathbf{F}$  (a proof sequence of length 1), we have that  $\varphi \vdash \text{subst}(\varphi, s)$  and  $\text{subst}(\varphi, s) \vdash \varphi$ .

**Closure:** Assume that for  $\varphi_1, \varphi_2 \in \mathbf{WFF}_{\{\rightarrow, \mathbf{F}\}}$ , it holds that  $\text{subst}(\varphi_1, s) \vdash \varphi_1, \varphi_1 \vdash \text{subst}(\varphi_1, s), \text{subst}(\varphi_2, s) \vdash \varphi_2, \varphi_2 \vdash \text{subst}(\varphi_2, s)$ . We need to show that  $\text{subst}(\varphi_1 \rightarrow \varphi_2, s) \vdash \varphi_1 \rightarrow \varphi_2, \varphi_1 \rightarrow \varphi_2 \vdash \text{subst}(\varphi_1 \rightarrow \varphi_2, s)$ . Note that  $\text{subst}(\varphi_1 \rightarrow \varphi_2, s) = \text{subst}(\varphi_1, s) \rightarrow \text{subst}(\varphi_2, s)$ . By the deduction theorem, it suffices to show that  $\{\varphi_1 \rightarrow \varphi_2, \text{subst}(\varphi_1, s)\} \vdash \text{subst}(\varphi_2, s)$ , and  $\{\varphi_1, \text{subst}(\varphi_1, s) \rightarrow \text{subst}(\varphi_2, s)\} \rightarrow \varphi_2$ .

1.  $\text{subst}(\varphi_1, s)$  (Assumption)
- ...  $[\text{subst}(\varphi_1, s) \vdash \varphi_1]$
- $n.$   $\varphi_1$
- First claim:  $n + 1.$   $\varphi_1 \rightarrow \varphi_2$  (Assumption)<sup>1</sup>
- $n + 2.$   $\varphi_2$  (MP( $n, n + 1$ ))
- ...  $[\varphi_2 \vdash \text{subst}(\varphi_2, s)]$
- $m.$   $\text{subst}(\varphi_2, s)$
1.  $\varphi_1$  (Assumption)
- ...  $[\varphi_1 \vdash \text{subst}(\varphi_1, s)]$
- $n.$   $\text{subst}(\varphi_1, s)$
- Second claim:  $n + 1.$   $\text{subst}(\varphi_1, s) \rightarrow \text{subst}(\varphi_2, s)$  (Assumption)
- $n + 2.$   $\text{subst}(\varphi_2, s)$  (MP( $n, n + 1$ ))
- ...  $[\text{subst}(\varphi_2, s) \vdash \varphi_2]$
- $m.$   $\varphi_2$

□

<sup>1</sup>I denote by  $[\psi \vdash \varphi]$  or  $[\Sigma \vdash \varphi]$  that here one inserts the proof sequence that relies only on  $\psi$  or  $\Sigma$  respectively, and ends with  $\varphi$  (without the last step, which is inserted explicitly). Naturally, it is only valid if we have indeed listed  $\psi$  or all of  $\Sigma$  before this point in the proof, and the stated condition does indeed hold. If there is a more widely accepted form of notation for this, please let me know.

### 3.3. Part C.

*Proof.* We are given a substitution  $s$  such that for any  $i \in \mathbb{N}$ , both  $p_i \vdash s(p_i)$  and  $s(p_i) \vdash p_i$ . Therefore, by ??, we have that for any  $\psi \in \mathbf{WFF}_{\{\neg, \mathbf{F}\}}$ , both  $\psi \vdash \text{subst}(\psi, s)$  and  $\text{subst}(\psi, s) \vdash \psi$ . Privately, this also holds for any  $\psi \in \Sigma$ . Since  $\Sigma \vdash \varphi$ , and all proof sequences are finite, we know that only a finite number of formulae from  $\Sigma$  can be used in a proof. Therefore there exists a finite set  $\Sigma' \subseteq \Sigma$  such that  $\Sigma' = \{\sigma_0, \sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_n\} \vdash \varphi$ . We can therefore construct the following proof sequence to show  $\text{subst}(\Sigma', s) \vdash \text{subst}(\varphi, s)$ , and by monotonicity, we will have that  $\text{subst}(\Sigma, s) \vdash \text{subst}(\varphi, s)$ .

1.  $\text{subst}(\sigma_0, s)$  (Assumption)
- ...
- $n$ .  $\text{subst}(\sigma_n, s)$  (Assumption)
- ...  $[\text{subst}(\sigma_i, s) \vdash \sigma_i]$
- $m$ .  $\sigma_0$
- ...
- $m+n$ .  $\sigma_n$
- ...  $[\Sigma' \vdash \varphi]$
- $\xi$ .  $\varphi$
- ...  $[\varphi \vdash \text{subst}(\varphi, s)]$
- $\zeta$ .  $\text{subst}(\varphi, s)$

□

## 4. QUESTION 4

### 4.1. Part A.

*Proof.* We'll prove by induction on  $\text{Ded}_N(\emptyset)$ .

**Basis:** There are no assumptions, so it suffices to show that the axioms are tautologies.

If  $\varphi = \neg\alpha \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow \neg\alpha)$ , for some  $\alpha \in \mathbf{WFF}_{\{\neg, \rightarrow\}}$  then for any assignment  $z$ ,

$$M(\neg\alpha \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow \neg\alpha), z) = TT_{\rightarrow}(TT_{\neg}(M(\alpha, z)), TT_{\rightarrow}(M(\alpha, z), TT_{\neg}(M(\alpha, z))))$$

Now,  $M(\alpha, z)$  is some constant  $m \in \{0, 1\}$ . But for any such constant, clearly this expression evaluates to 1:

- For  $m = 0$ ,

$$\dots = TT_{\rightarrow}(TT_{\neg}(0), TT_{\rightarrow}(0, TT_{\neg}(0))) = TT_{\rightarrow}(1, 1) = 1$$

- For  $m = 1$ ,

$$\dots = TT_{\rightarrow}(TT_{\neg}(1), TT_{\rightarrow}(1, TT_{\neg}(1))) = TT_{\rightarrow}(0, TT_{\rightarrow}(1, 0)) = TT_{\rightarrow}(0, 0) = 1$$

If  $\varphi = (\alpha \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow \neg\alpha)) \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow \neg\alpha)$ , then for any assignment  $z$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} M(\alpha \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow \neg\alpha)) \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow \neg\alpha), z) &= \\ &= TT_{\rightarrow}(TT_{\rightarrow}(M(\alpha, z), TT_{\neg}(M(\alpha, z))), TT_{\rightarrow}(M(\alpha, z), TT_{\neg}(M(\alpha, z)))) \end{aligned}$$

Now,  $M(\alpha, z)$  is some constant  $m \in \{0, 1\}$ . But for any such constant, this expression evaluates to 1:

- For  $m = 0$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \dots &= TT_{\rightarrow}(TT_{\rightarrow}(0, TT_{\neg}(0)), TT_{\rightarrow}(0, TT_{\neg}(0))) \\ &= TT_{\rightarrow}(TT_{\rightarrow}(0, 1), TT_{\rightarrow}(0, 1)) \\ &= TT_{\rightarrow}(1, 1) = 1 \end{aligned}$$

- For  $m = 1$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \dots &= TT_{\rightarrow}(TT_{\rightarrow}(1, TT_{\rightarrow}(1)), TT_{\rightarrow}(1, TT_{\rightarrow}(1))) \\ &= TT_{\rightarrow}(TT_{\rightarrow}(1, 0), TT_{\rightarrow}(1, 0)) \\ &= TT_{\rightarrow}(0, 0) = 1 \end{aligned}$$

**Closure:** Assume that  $\varphi \rightarrow \psi, \varphi \in Ded_N(\emptyset)$  are tautologies, then  $M(\varphi \rightarrow \psi, z) = 1$ , for any assignment  $z$ . However,

$$\begin{aligned} 1 &= M(\varphi \rightarrow \psi, z) \\ &= TT_{\rightarrow}(M(\varphi, z), M(\psi, z)) \end{aligned}$$

But seeing as  $\varphi$  is a tautology as well,

$$= TT_{\rightarrow}(1, M(\psi, z))$$

And this can only hold if  $M(\psi, z) = 1$ . We made no assumptions on  $z$ , thus it must hold for any assignment  $z$ , and we have that  $\psi$  is a tautology.  $\square$

#### 4.2. Part B.

*Proof.* We'll prove by induction on  $Ded_N(\emptyset)$ .

**Basis:** If  $\varphi = \neg\alpha \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow \neg\alpha)$  for some  $\alpha \in \mathbf{WFF}_{\{\neg, \rightarrow\}}$ , then  $\varphi^* = \alpha \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow \alpha)$ . For any assignment  $z$ ,  $M(\alpha, z)$  can be either 0 or 1. If  $M(\alpha, z) = 1$ , then  $M(\varphi^*, z) = TT_{\rightarrow}(1, TT_{\rightarrow}(1, 1)) = 1$ , and if  $M(\alpha, z) = 0$ , then  $M(\varphi^*, z) = TT_{\rightarrow}(0, TT_{\rightarrow}(0, 0)) = 1$ , thus  $\models \varphi^*$ .

If  $\varphi = (\alpha \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow \neg\alpha)) \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow \neg\alpha)$ , then  $\varphi^* = (\alpha \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow \alpha)) \rightarrow (\alpha \rightarrow \alpha)$ . Therefore,

$$M(\varphi^*, z) = TT_{\rightarrow}(TT_{\rightarrow}(M(\alpha, z), TT_{\rightarrow}(M(\alpha, z), M(\alpha, z))), TT_{\rightarrow}(M(\alpha, z), M(\alpha, z)))$$

For any assignment  $z$ , either  $M(\alpha, z) = 1$ , in which case

$$\dots = TT_{\rightarrow}(TT_{\rightarrow}(1, TT_{\rightarrow}(1, 1)), TT_{\rightarrow}(1, 1)) = 1$$

... or  $M(\alpha, z) = 0$ , in which case

$$\begin{aligned} \dots &= TT_{\rightarrow}(TT_{\rightarrow}(0, TT_{\rightarrow}(0, 0)), TT_{\rightarrow}(0, 0)) \\ &= TT_{\rightarrow}(TT_{\rightarrow}(0, 1), 1) \\ &= TT_{\rightarrow}(1, 1) = 1 \end{aligned}$$

And again, we have that  $\models \varphi^*$ .

**Closure:** Assume  $\varphi, \varphi \rightarrow \psi \in Ded_N(\emptyset)$  and  $\models \varphi^*, (\varphi \rightarrow \psi)^*$ . By definition of  $*$ , this also means that  $\models \varphi^* \rightarrow \psi^*$ , so we have that for any assignment  $z$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} 1 &= M(\varphi^* \rightarrow \psi^*, z) = TT_{\rightarrow}(M(\varphi^*, z), M(\psi^*, z)) \\ &= TT_{\rightarrow}(1, M(\psi^*, z)) \end{aligned}$$

And again, this is only possible if  $\models \psi^*$ .  $\square$

4.3. Part C.

*Disproof.* Take  $\varphi = \neg(p_0 \rightarrow p_0) \rightarrow p_0$ . Only two assignments are relevant - one which gives  $p_0$  0, and one which gives it 1. In either case, the meaning function on  $\varphi$  will give 1, thus  $\varphi$  is a tautology. Assume by contrast that  $\vdash_N \varphi$ , then by ??, we have that  $\models \varphi^*$ . But  $\varphi^* = (p_0 \rightarrow p_0) \rightarrow p_0$ , which is not a tautology - for  $z_{\mathbf{T}}$ ,  $M(\varphi^*, z_{\mathbf{F}}) = TT_{\rightarrow}(TT_{\rightarrow}(0, 0), 0) = 0$ , and we have a contradiction. Thus the claim is false.  $\square$

5. QUESTION 5

*Proof.* We will prove by structure induction on  $Ded_{M_1}(\emptyset)$  that if  $\alpha \in Ded_{M_1}(\emptyset)$ , then  $\alpha$  is not a contradiction.

**Basis:** If  $\alpha = \neg p_i$ , then clearly  $\alpha$  is not a contradiction —  $M(\alpha, z_{\mathbf{F}}) = 1$ .

If  $\alpha = (p_i \rightarrow p_j)$ , then  $\alpha$  is not a contradiction —  $M(\alpha, z_{\mathbf{T}}) = 1$ .

If  $\alpha = (\beta \rightarrow \beta)$ , then as we've seen in class,  $\alpha$  is a tautology, and privately not a contradiction.

**Closure:** If  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2 \in Ded_{M_1}(\emptyset)$  are not contradictions, then there exists an assignment  $z$  for which  $M(\alpha_1, z) = 1$ . For this assignment,

$$\begin{aligned} M(\neg\alpha_1 \rightarrow \alpha_2, z) &= TT_{\rightarrow}(TT_{\neg}(M(\alpha_1, z)), M(\alpha_2, z)) \\ &= TT_{\rightarrow}(TT_{\neg}(1), M(\alpha_2, z)) \\ &= TT_{\rightarrow}(0, M(\alpha_2, z)) = 1 \end{aligned}$$

And thus  $\neg\alpha_1 \rightarrow \alpha_2$  is not a contradiction.

$\square$

## LOGIC & SET THEORY — HW 9

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### 1. PROBLEM 1

1.1. **Part A.** Take  $\delta_{(\gamma_1 \vee \gamma_2)} = ((\gamma_1 \rightarrow \mathbf{F}) \rightarrow \gamma_2)$ .

$\gamma_1$	$\gamma_2$	$\gamma_1 \vee \gamma_2$	$(\gamma_1 \rightarrow \mathbf{F})$	$((\gamma_1 \rightarrow \mathbf{F}) \rightarrow \gamma_2)$
0	0	0	1	0
0	1	1	1	1
1	0	1	0	1
1	1	1	1	1

We have that  $\delta_{(\gamma_1 \vee \gamma_2)}$  is logically equivalent to  $\gamma_1 \vee \gamma_2$ .

1.2. **Part B.** There are 3 claims here:

- A.  $X$  is maximally consistent
- B1. For all  $\gamma_1 \in \Gamma_1, \gamma_2 \in \Gamma_2, X \vdash \delta_{(\gamma_1 \vee \gamma_2)}$ .
- B2. For all  $\gamma_1 \in \Gamma_1$ , if  $X \not\vdash \gamma_1$ , then for all  $\gamma_2 \in \Gamma_2, X \vdash \gamma_2$ .

*Proof.* First direction — assume A,B1, and we'll show B2.

Let  $\gamma_1 \in \Gamma_1$  be a formula such that  $X \not\vdash \gamma_1$ , and select an arbitrary  $\gamma_2 \in \Gamma_2$ .  $X$  is maximally consistent, thus  $X \vdash \neg \gamma_1$ . By soundness, we have that  $X \models \neg \gamma_1$ , and by completeness and B1,  $X \models \delta_{(\gamma_1 \vee \gamma_2)}$ . By Part A, we have that  $TT_{\vee} = TT_{\delta_{\vee}}$ , and by  $TT_{\vee}$ , we have that  $X \models \gamma_2$ . By completeness,  $X \vdash \gamma_2$ .

Second direction — assume A,B2, and we'll show B1.

Let  $\gamma_1 \in \Gamma_1, \gamma_2 \in \Gamma_2$ .

- If  $X \vdash \gamma_1$ , then by soundness,  $X \models \gamma_1$ , and by  $TT_{\delta_{\vee}}$ ,  $X \models \delta_{(\gamma_1 \vee \gamma_2)}$ . By completeness,  $X \vdash \delta_{(\gamma_1 \vee \gamma_2)}$ .
- If  $X \not\vdash \gamma_1$ , then by B2,  $X \vdash \gamma_2$ , and by soundness,  $X \models \gamma_2$ . By  $TT_{\delta_{\vee}}$ ,  $X \models \delta_{(\gamma_1 \vee \gamma_2)}$ , and by completeness,  $X \vdash \delta_{(\gamma_1 \vee \gamma_2)}$ .

Third direction — assume B, and we'll show A.

Assume by contrast that A is false. We are given that  $X$  is consistent, so assuming that A is false means assuming that it is not maximal, and thus there are two different assignments  $z, z'$  which satisfy  $X$ . They are different, thus there is some  $p_i$  such that  $z(p_i) \neq z'(p_i)$ . B is supposed to hold for any  $\Gamma_1, \Gamma_2$ , so we'll take  $\Gamma_1 = \{p_i\}, \Gamma_2 = \{\neg p_i\}$ . The prefix of B holds: The only choice for  $\gamma_1, \gamma_2$  is  $p_i, \neg p_i$ , and then  $\delta_{(\gamma_1 \vee \gamma_2)}$  is a tautology. However, the suffix of B does not hold. Both  $z, z'$  satisfy  $X$ , but one of them does not satisfy  $\gamma_1 = p_0$ . Thus  $X \not\vdash \gamma_1$ . By B and completeness, this means that  $X \vdash \gamma_2$ , and by soundness  $X \models \gamma_2$ . But again, both  $z, z'$  satisfy  $X$ , and one of them does not satisfy  $\gamma_2 = \neg p_0$ , and thus  $X \not\vdash \gamma_2$  — a contradiction. □

### 2. PROBLEM 2

2.1. **Part A.** The claim is false. Take  $\Sigma = \{\mathbf{F}\}, \alpha = p_0, \beta = p_1$ . As we've shown in class, for any  $\varphi \in \mathbf{WFF}, \{\mathbf{F}\} \vdash \varphi$ , therefore  $\Sigma \vdash \alpha, \beta$ . However,  $\alpha \not\vdash \beta$ , and by soundness  $\alpha \not\models \beta$ , and this is true the other way around WLOG.

**Claim 1** (Tautologies for tots). *All formulae  $\varphi \in Ded_N(\Sigma)$  are tautologies, regardless of  $\Sigma$ .*

*Proof of Claim ??.* We'll prove by structural induction.

**Basis:** In the basis of  $Ded_N$  we have axioms and assumptions. For axioms, we have already shown in class that our chosen axioms are tautologies. For assumptions, all assumptions are of the form  $\alpha \rightarrow (p_0 \rightarrow p_0)$ . By  $TT_{\rightarrow}$ ,  $p_0 \rightarrow p_0$  is a tautology, and again by  $TT_{\rightarrow}$ ,  $\alpha \rightarrow (p_0 \rightarrow p_0)$  is a tautology, regardless of  $\alpha$ .

**Closure:** • *MP:* Assume  $\psi, \psi \rightarrow \varphi$  are tautologies. Then by  $TT_{\rightarrow}$ , since  $M(\psi, z)$  is 1 for any  $z$ , and  $M(\psi \rightarrow \varphi, z)$  is 1 for any  $z$ , it must hold that  $M(\varphi, z)$  is 1 for all  $z$ , thus  $\varphi$  is a tautology.

- As we've shown in the basis,  $f_i$  is always a tautology.
- Assume  $\alpha$  is a tautology. If  $\alpha$  is not of the required form, then  $g(\alpha) = \alpha$  is a tautology. Otherwise, Changing the index  $p_i$  to  $p_{i+1}$  still leaves  $\alpha$  a tautology.

□

**2.2. Part B.** The claim is true, since we've shown that for any  $\varphi \in Ded_N(\sigma)$ , by Claim ??,  $\models \varphi$ , and by monotonicity,  $\Sigma \models \varphi$ .

**2.3. Part C.** The claim is true, because given that for some  $\Sigma$ ,  $\Sigma \vdash_N \varphi$ , we have shown that  $\varphi$  is a tautology, that is,  $\models \varphi$ . So by monotonicity we have that  $\{\alpha\} \models \beta, \{\beta\} \models \alpha$ .

**2.4. Part D.** The claim is false. Take  $\Sigma = p_0$ . Clearly,  $\Sigma \models p_0$ . However,  $p_0$  is not a tautology ( $z_{\mathbf{F}}$  does not satisfy it), and therefore  $\Sigma \not\vdash_N p_0$ .

### 3. PROBLEM 3

**3.1. Part A.** The claim is false. Take  $A_1 = \{z \in ASS \mid z(p_0) = 0\}$ ,  $A_2 = ASS \setminus A_1$ . Clearly  $ASS = A_1 \cup A_2$ . However,  $ASS$  is not informative — if  $\varphi \in \Gamma_{ASS}$ , then any assignment satisfies it, and it is a tautology. All that remains is to show that  $A_1, A_0$  are informative.  $A_1$  is informative because  $\neg p_0 \in \Gamma_{A_1}$  — any assignment which assigns 0 to  $p_0$  satisfies  $\neg p_0$ . Similarly,  $p_0 \in \Gamma_{A_2}$ , because no assignment in  $A_2$  assigns 0 to  $p_0$ .

**3.2. Part B.** The claim is false. Take  $A$  to be the set of all assignments which assign 1 to a finite number of variables. Take any finite subset  $D \subseteq A$ , then since any assignment  $z \in D$  only assigns 1 to a finite number of variables, each one of them has a first variable to which it assigns 0, and from that point on only 0s are assigned. Therefore there is a variable  $p_i$  for which any  $z \in D$  assigns  $z(p_i) = 0$ , and we have that  $\neg p_i \in \Gamma_D$ , and seeing as  $\neg p_i$  is not a tautology,  $D$  is informative.

All that remains is to show that  $A$  is not informative. Assume  $\varphi \in \Gamma_A$ .  $\varphi$  is satisfied by any assignment which assigns 1 to a finite number of variables. Assume by negation that  $\varphi$  is, nevertheless, not a tautology. Then there exists some assignment  $z$  which does not satisfy it. Thus there is an assignment  $z' \in A$  which identifies with  $z$  on any variable which appears in  $\varphi$  — this is possible because  $\varphi$  can only have a finite number of variables in it. And then we have that  $z'$  does not satisfy  $\varphi$  either, a contradiction. Then  $z$  is a tautology, and  $\Gamma_A \subseteq TAUT$ , and  $A$  is not informative.

3.3. **Part C.** The claim is true.

*Proof.* First direction:

$|A| = 1$ , that is,  $A = \{z\}$ . Therefore  $z \models \Gamma_A$ , and it is satisfiable. Assume that  $\Gamma_A \subsetneq X$ , and  $X$  is satisfiable. Then  $X$  is satisfied by some assignment  $z' \neq z$ . Since those assignments are different, then there exists  $p_i$  such that  $z(p_i) \neq z'(p_i)$ .

- If  $z(p_i) = 0$ , then  $z \models \neg p_i$ , and  $\neg p_i \in \Gamma_A$ . However,  $z' \not\models \neg p_i$ , and since  $z' \models X$ ,  $\neg p_i \notin X$ , in contradiction to  $\Gamma_A \subseteq X$ .
- If  $z(p_i) = 1$ , then  $z \models p_i$ , and  $p_i \in \Gamma_A$ . However,  $z' \not\models p_i$ , and since  $z' \models X$ ,  $p_i \notin X$ , in contradiction to  $\Gamma_A \subseteq X$ .

Either way, we have a contradiction. Thus such a set  $X$  does not exist.

Second direction:

Assume by negation that  $|A| \neq 1$ . If  $|A| = 0$  then  $\Gamma_A = \mathbf{WFF}$ , and since  $\mathbf{F} \in \mathbf{WFF}$ ,  $\Gamma_A$  is not satisfiable, a contradiction. Then  $|A| \geq 2$ . Then there are  $z_1, z_2 \in A$ . Take  $X = \Gamma_{\{z_1\}}$ , then since  $\{z_1\} \subseteq A$ , then by definition of  $\Gamma_\circ$ ,  $\Gamma_A \subseteq \Gamma_{\{z_1\}} = X$ . However,  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  disagree on some variable  $p_i$ . Assume WLOG that  $z_1(p_i) = 1 \neq z_2(p_i)$ , then  $p_i \in X \setminus \Gamma_A$ . Then  $\Gamma_A \subsetneq X$ , yet  $X$  is satisfiable —  $z_1 \models X$ , a contradiction. □

#### 4. PROBLEM 4

4.1. **Part A.**

$$((\alpha \rightarrow \beta) \rightarrow ((\beta \rightarrow \alpha) \rightarrow \mathbf{F})) \rightarrow \mathbf{F}$$

4.2. **Part B.**

*Proof.* Assume  $(\alpha, \beta) \in R_\Sigma$ . Then  $\Sigma \vdash \varphi_{\alpha, \beta}$ . By soundness,  $\Sigma \models \varphi_{\alpha, \beta}$ . As we were asked not to prove,  $TT_{\varphi_{\circ, \circ}} = TT_{\leftrightarrow}$ , thus any assignment which satisfies  $\varphi_{\alpha, \beta}$ , by  $TT_{\varphi_{\circ, \circ}}$ , satisfies  $\varphi_{\beta, \alpha}$ . Then  $\Sigma \models \varphi_{\beta, \alpha}$ , and by completeness,  $\Sigma \vdash \varphi_{\beta, \alpha}$ , and  $(\beta, \alpha) \in R_\Sigma$ . □

4.3. **Part C.**  $|\mathbf{WFF}_{\{\rightarrow, \mathbf{F}\}}/R_\Sigma| = 1$

*Proof.* Let  $\Sigma$  be an inconsistent set. Thus any formula  $\varphi \in \mathbf{WFF}$  can be proven by it — that is,  $\Sigma \vdash \varphi$ . In particular, this also holds true for any  $\varphi_{\alpha, \beta}$ , for any two formulae  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbf{WFF}$ . Thus all formulae are equivalent under  $R_\Sigma$ , and there is only one equivalence class. □

4.4. **Part D.**  $|\mathbf{WFF}_{\{\rightarrow, \mathbf{F}\}}/R_\Sigma| = 2$

*Proof.* Let  $\Sigma$  be a maximally consistent set. As we've shown in class, this means that there is precisely one assignment  $z$  such that  $z \models \Sigma$ . Take two formulae  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbf{WFF}$ . Iff  $M(\alpha, z) = M(\beta, z)$ , then by  $TT_{\leftrightarrow}$ ,  $M(\varphi_{\alpha, \beta}, z) = 1$ , and since  $z$  is the only assignment which satisfies  $\Sigma$ ,  $\Sigma \vdash \varphi_{\alpha, \beta}$ , and by completeness,  $(\alpha, \beta) \in R_\Sigma$ . Therefore any formula  $\varphi$  is equivalent under  $R_\Sigma$  precisely to any formula  $\psi$  which receives  $M(\psi, z) = M(\varphi, z)$ , and seeing as there are two options for this value (1 or 0), then there are two equivalence classes. □

#### 5. PROBLEM 5

5.1. **Part A.**

*Proof.* First direction:

Assume  $K \neq \emptyset$ . Let  $\Sigma$  be a set of formulae such that  $\Sigma$  is sound for  $K$ . Assume by contrast that  $\Sigma$  is inconsistent, then  $\Sigma \vdash \mathbf{F}$ .  $\Sigma$  is sound for  $K$ , thus  $\mathbf{F} \in Th(K)$ . Therefore, for any assignment  $z \in K$ ,  $z \models \mathbf{F}$ . But there do not exist any assignments which satisfy  $\mathbf{F}$ , thus  $K = \emptyset$  — a contradiction.

Second direction:

Assume by contrast that  $K = \emptyset$ . Then by definition, trivially,  $Th(K) = \mathbf{WFF}$ . Take  $\Sigma = \mathbf{WFF}$ . For any formula  $\varphi$ ,  $\mathbf{WFF} \vdash \varphi$  because  $\mathbf{WFF}$  is inconsistent. Thus  $\mathbf{WFF}$  is sound for  $K$ . But  $\mathbf{F} \in \mathbf{WFF}$ , thus  $\Sigma = \mathbf{WFF}$  is not consistent — a contradiction.  $\square$

### 5.2. Part B.

*Proof.* First direction:

Assume  $|K| \leq 1$ , and let  $\Sigma$  be complete for  $K$ .

- If  $K = \emptyset$ , by Part A,  $Th(K) = \mathbf{WFF}$ . We now need to show that  $\Sigma$  is maximal. Take a formula  $\varphi$ . Then since  $Th(K) = \mathbf{WFF}$ ,  $\varphi \in Th(K)$ .  $\Sigma$  is complete for  $K$ , thus  $\Sigma \vdash \varphi$ . We have shown that  $\Sigma$  is maximal.
- If  $|K| = 1, K = \{z\}$ . Let  $\Sigma$  be complete for  $K$ , and  $\varphi$  be an arbitrary formula.
  - If  $z \models \varphi$ , then  $z \in Th(K)$ . Since  $\Sigma$  is complete for  $K$ ,  $\Sigma \vdash \varphi$ .
  - If  $z \not\models \varphi$ , then by  $TT_{\neg}$ ,  $z \models \neg\varphi$ . Thus  $\neg\varphi \in Th(K)$ .  $\Sigma$  is complete for  $K$ , therefore  $\Sigma \vdash \neg\varphi$ .

We have shown that either  $\Sigma \vdash \varphi$  or  $\Sigma \vdash \neg\varphi$  for an arbitrary formula  $\varphi$ , thus  $\Sigma$  is maximal.

Second direction:

Assume by contrast  $|K| > 1$ . Choose  $\Sigma = Th(K)$ .  $\Sigma$  is complete for  $K$  - if  $\varphi \in Th(K)$ , then  $\varphi \in \Sigma$ , thus  $\Sigma \vdash \varphi$  with a trivial proof sequence. For a contradiction, we will show that  $\Sigma$  is not maximal.

$|K| \geq 2$ , thus  $z_1, z_2 \in K, z_1 \neq z_2$ .  $z_1, z_2$  disagree on some variable  $p_i$  - either  $z_1 \not\models p_i$  or  $z_2 \not\models p_i$ . Thus  $\Sigma \not\models p_i$ , and by soundness,  $\Sigma \not\models p_i$ . However, the same argument also shows that  $\Sigma \not\models \neg p_i$ , and by soundness,  $\Sigma \not\models \neg p_i$ . Thus  $\Sigma$  is not maximal, and we have our contradiction.  $\square$

### 5.3. Part C.

*Proof.* First direction:

Assume  $|K| \geq 2$ .  $z_1, z_2 \in K$  disagree on some variable  $p_i$ . Thus,  $p_i, \neg p_i \notin Th(K)$ .  $\Sigma$  is sound for  $K$ , thus  $\Sigma \not\models p_i, \neg p_i$ , and  $\Sigma$  is not maximal.

Second direction:

Assume  $|K| \leq 1$ , and choose  $\Sigma = Th(K)$  - we will show it to be both sound for  $K$  and maximal. Let  $\varphi$  be a formula such that  $\Sigma \vdash \varphi$ . By soundness we have that  $\Sigma \models \varphi, Th(K) \models \varphi$ , and by definition of  $Th$ ,  $\varphi \in Th(K)$ .

Now we will show that  $\Sigma$  is maximal.

- If  $K = \emptyset$ , then similarly to part A,  $Th(K) = \mathbf{WFF}$ , thus  $Th(K) \vdash \varphi$  for any  $\varphi \in \mathbf{WFF}$ . Therefore  $Th(K)$  is maximal.
- If  $K = \{z\}$ , then let  $\varphi$  be some formula.
  - If  $z(\varphi) = 1$ , then  $\varphi \in Th(K)$ , and  $Th(K) \vdash \varphi$  trivially.
  - If  $z(\varphi) = 0$ , then  $\neg\varphi \in Th(K)$ , and  $Th(K) \vdash \neg\varphi$  trivially.

We have shown that either  $Th(K) \vdash \varphi$  or  $Th(K) \vdash \neg\varphi$ , thus  $Th(K)$  is maximal.  $\square$

## LOGIC & SET THEORY — HW 11

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### 2. QUESTION 2

2.1. **Part A.** The statement is a tautology.

*Proof.* Let  $\mathfrak{A} = \langle A, R^M, P^M, F^M \rangle$  be a  $\tau$ -structure and  $z$  be an assignment. We will evaluate the meaning function  $M(\varphi_1, \mathfrak{A}, z)$ :

$$\begin{aligned} M(\varphi_1, \mathfrak{A}, z) &= M(\forall v_1 P(v_1) \rightarrow \forall v_2 P(F(v_2)), \mathfrak{A}, z) \\ &= TT_{\rightarrow}(M(\forall v_1 P(v_1), \mathfrak{A}, z), M(\forall v_2 P(F(v_2)), \mathfrak{A}, z)) \end{aligned}$$

To show that  $TT_{\rightarrow}$  always receives 1, we will show that if  $\mathfrak{A} \models_z \forall v_1 P(v_1)$ , then  $\mathfrak{A} \models_z \forall v_2 P(F(v_2))$ . Assuming that indeed the prefix is satisfied, we see that for any  $d \in A$ ,  $\mathfrak{A} \models_{z[v_2 \leftarrow d]} P(v_2)$ , which in turn means that for any  $d \in A$ ,  $d \in P^{\mathfrak{A}}$ .

Note that  $F^{\mathfrak{A}}$  is a function  $A \rightarrow A$ , thus for any  $d \in D$ ,  $F^{\mathfrak{A}}(d) \in P^{\mathfrak{A}}$ . This means that for any assignment  $z'$ ,  $\mathfrak{A} \models_{z'} P(F(v_2))$ . In particular, this also holds for corrected assignments, hence  $\mathfrak{A} \models_z \forall v_2 P(F(v_2))$ . □

2.2. **Part B.** The statement is not a tautology. Consider

$$\mathfrak{A} = \langle A = \{0, 1\}, R^{\mathfrak{A}} = \emptyset, P^{\mathfrak{A}} = \{0\}, F^{\mathfrak{A}} = d \mapsto 0, z(v_i) = 1 \rangle$$

Under any assignment, particularly a corrected one, the prefix is satisfied — as  $F^{\mathfrak{A}}(v_1) = 0$  for any value of  $v_1$ ,  $F^{\mathfrak{A}}(v_1) \in P^{\mathfrak{A}}$  for any assignment, and we have that  $\mathfrak{A} \models_z \forall v_1 P(F(v_1))$ . As for the suffix, however — its meaning evaluates to 0: There exists a value  $d = 1 \in A$  for which  $d \notin P^{\mathfrak{A}}$ , thus it is not true that “for every  $d \in A$ ,  $\mathfrak{A} \models_{z[v_2 \leftarrow d]} P(v_2)$ ”, and thus  $\mathfrak{A} \not\models_z \forall v_2 P(v_2)$ . Due to the properties of  $TT_{\rightarrow}$ , this means that  $\mathfrak{A} \not\models_z \varphi_2$ .

2.3. **Part C.** The statement is not a tautology. Take

$$\mathfrak{A} = \langle \mathbb{Z}, <, \emptyset, +, z(v_i) = 0 \rangle$$

Under any assignment, the meaning of the prefix is true: For any integer  $a$  there exists an integer  $b$  such that  $a < b$ . Therefore, for any assignment  $z$  which assigns  $z(v_1) = a$ , there exists  $b \in \mathbb{Z}$  such that  $M(R(v_1, v_2), \mathfrak{A}, z[v_2 \leftarrow b]) = 1$ . Hence for any such assignment  $z$ ,  $M(\exists v_2 R(v_1, v_2), \mathfrak{A}, z) = 1$ . Equivalently, for any assignment  $z$  at all, for any  $a \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $M(\exists v_2 R(v_1, v_2), \mathfrak{A}, z[v_1 \leftarrow a]) = 1$ , which means that  $M(\forall v_1 \exists v_2 R(v_1, v_2), \mathfrak{A}, z) = 1$ .

### 3. QUESTION 3

3.1. **Part A.**

*Proof.* We will notate  $M = \langle A, P^M, F^M, c^M \rangle$ . Assume by contrast that there exists a term  $t$  over  $\tau$  and an assignment  $z$  for which  $M \not\models_z P(t)$ . Hence it does not hold that  $\bar{z}(t) \in P^M$ . Since by definition,  $\bar{z}(t) \in A$ , then we have found an assignment  $z$  and an element  $d \in A$  for which  $M \not\models_{z[v_1 \leftarrow d]} P(v_1)$ . Consequently,  $M \not\models \forall v_1 P(v_1)$ . □

**3.2. Part B.** The requested set is defined as an inductive set  $X_{\tilde{B}, \tilde{F}}$  with  $B = \{c\}$ ,  $\tilde{F} = \{t \mapsto F(t)\}$

**3.3. Part C.** We will show by structural induction over  $X_{\tilde{B}, \tilde{F}}$  as defined.

**Basis:** There is only one case in the basis,  $c$ . Let  $M, z$  be a  $\tau$ -structure and an assignment respectively. If  $M \models_z \Sigma$ , then by definition  $M \models_z P(c)$ .

**Closure:** We will assume by induction that  $\Sigma \models P(t)$ , and show that  $\Sigma \models P(F(t))$ . Let  $M$  be a  $\tau$ -structure and  $z$  be an assignment. We will denote  $t^M = \bar{z}(t)$ . If  $M \models_z \Sigma$ , then  $M \models_z \forall v_1 [P(v_1) \rightarrow P(F(v_1))]$ . This holds only if for any  $d \in A$  ( $A$  being the domain of the structure  $M$ ),  $M \models_{z[v_1 \leftarrow d]} P(v_1) \rightarrow P(F(v_1))$ . In particular, it must hold for  $d = t^M$ . Note that for this choice of  $d$ , the prefix is satisfied: By the inductive assumption,  $\Sigma \models P(t)$ , thus  $M \models_z P(t)$ . This shows that

$$t^M = \bar{z}[v_1 \leftarrow t^M](v_1) \in P^M$$

Thus,  $M \models_{z[v_1 \leftarrow t^M]} P(v_1)$ . Due to the properties of  $TT_{\rightarrow}$ , we have that  $M \models_{z[v_1 \leftarrow t^M]} P(F(v_1))$ . Therefore,  $\bar{z}[v_1 \leftarrow t^M](F(v_1)) \in P^M$ . We note that

$$\bar{z}[v_1 \leftarrow t^M](F(v_1)) = \bar{z}(F(t))$$

Therefore,  $\bar{z}(F(t)) \in P^M$  — and we have shown that  $M \models_z P(F(t))$ .

**3.4. Part D.** The claim is false. Take  $\mathfrak{A} = \langle \{0, 1\}, \{0\}, a \mapsto \{0\}, 0 \rangle$ . Under any assignment, both statements are satisfied - in the latter obviously  $0 \in \{0\}$ , and for any assignment to  $v_1$ , the suffix of the former is satisfied as  $F^{\mathfrak{A}}(\dots) = 0 \in \{0\}$ , and thus the entire statement is satisfied. However, the statement  $\forall v_1 P(v_1)$  is not satisfied, as for  $d = 1$ ,  $\bar{z}[v_1 \leftarrow d](v_1) = 1 \notin \{0\}$ , thus  $\Sigma \not\models \forall v_1 P(v_1)$ .

#### 4. QUESTION 4

**4.1. Part A.** The claim is false. Consider  $M = \langle \mathbb{Z}, \leq, + \rangle$ ,  $M' = \langle \{0\}, \{0, 0\}, + \rangle$ . Clearly,  $\{0\} \subseteq Z$ ,  $\{0, 0\} = “\leq” \cap \{0\}^2$ , if  $a, b \in \{0\}$  then  $a + b = 0 \in \{0\}$ , and  $0 + 0 = 0$  in  $M$  as well. However, consider the term  $F(v_1, v_1)$  specifies 0 in  $M'$  (for any assignment of  $v_1$  within  $\{0\}$ ,  $\bar{z}_{M'}(F(v_1, v_1)) = 0 + 0 = 0$ ). However, in  $M$ ,  $F(v_1, v_1)$  does not specify 0. For example, with the assignment  $z = v_i \mapsto 1$ ,  $\bar{z}_M(F(v_i, v_i)) = 2$ .

**4.2. Part B.** The claim is true.

**Lemma 1.** *If  $v_1, \dots, v_n$  are the free variables of  $\varphi$ ,  $d_1, \dots, d_n \in B$ , and  $z(v_1) = d_1, \dots, z(v_n) = d_n$ , then  $M(\varphi, M', z) = M(\varphi, M, z)$ .*

*Proof of Lemma ??.* We will prove inductively that for any such  $z$ , and a term  $t$  with only the variables in  $v_1, \dots, v_n$ ,  $\bar{z}_M(t) = \bar{z}_{M'}(t)$ , and as a result,  $\bar{z}_M(t) \in B$ .

**Basis:** If  $t = v_i$  with  $1 \leq i \leq n$ , then  $z_M(t) = z_{M'}(t)$  trivially.

**Closure:** If the claim holds for terms  $t_1, t_2$ , then by definition of  $F^{M'}$ ,  $z_M(t_i) = z_{M'}(t_i) \in B$ . Then by definition of a substructure,

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{z}_{M'}(F(t_1, t_2)) &= F^{M'}(\bar{z}_{M'}(t_1), \bar{z}_{M'}(t_2)) \\ &= F^{M'}(\bar{z}_M(t_1), \bar{z}_M(t_2)) \\ &= F^M(\bar{z}_M(t_1), \bar{z}_M(t_2)) \\ &= z_M(F(t_1, t_2)) \end{aligned}$$

Now we will prove that for any such  $z$  and an atomic formula  $\varphi$  with only the variables in  $v_1, \dots, v_n$ ,  $M(\varphi, M', z) = M(\varphi, M, z)$ . For formulas of the form  $t_1 \approx t_2$ , this clearly holds because we've shown that  $\bar{z}_M(t) = \bar{z}_{M'}(t)$ . It remains to show for formulas of the form  $R(t_1, t_2)$ .  $M(R(t_1, t_2), M, z) = 1$  iff  $(\bar{z}_M(t_1), \bar{z}_M(t_2)) \in R^M$ . But as we've shown, for this kind of  $z$ ,  $\bar{z}_M(t_i) \in B$ , thus this holds iff  $(\bar{z}_M(t_1), \bar{z}_M(t_2)) \in R^M \cap B^2$ . By definition of a substructure,  $R^M \cap B^2 = R^{M'}$ , so this holds iff  $(\bar{z}_M(t_1), \bar{z}_M(t_2)) \in R^{M'}$ , and by the equality we've shown, all of this holds iff  $(\bar{z}_{M'}(t_1), \bar{z}_{M'}(t_2)) \in R^{M'}$ , which is true iff  $M(\varphi, M', z) = 1$ .

We have shown that atomic formulae get the same meaning in both  $M$  and  $M'$  under our specified kind of assignment, and due to the properties of the inductive definition of *FOL*, all formulae get the same meaning in both  $M$  and  $M'$  under these assignments.  $\square$

*Proof of Part B. First direction:*

Consider  $(d_1, \dots, d_n) \in [\varphi]_{M'}$ . By definition of a substructure,  $D^{M'} \subseteq D^M$ , thus  $(d_1, \dots, d_n) \in B^n$ , and all that remains is to show  $(d_1, \dots, d_n) \in [\varphi]_M$ . By definition of  $[\varphi]_{M'}$ , for any assignment  $z$  such that  $z(v_1) = d_1, \dots, z(v_n) = d_n$ ,  $M' \models_z \varphi$ . Then by Lemma ??,  $M \models_z \varphi$ , thus  $(d_1, \dots, d_n) \in [\varphi]_M$ .

Second direction:

Consider  $(d_1, \dots, d_n) \in [\varphi]_M \cap B^n$ . By definition of  $[\varphi]_M$ , for any assignment  $z$  such that  $z(v_1) = d_1, \dots, z(v_n) = d_n$ ,  $M \models_z \varphi$ . Also,  $(d_1, \dots, d_n) \in B^n$ . Then by Lemma ??,  $M' \models_z \varphi$ , thus  $(d_1, \dots, d_n) \in [\varphi]_{M'}$ .  $\square$

**4.3. Part C.** The claim is false. Consider  $M, M'$  as defined previously, and  $\varphi = \forall v_2 R(v_1, v_2)$ . Clearly,  $[\varphi]_{M'} = \{0\}$ , as the formula is satisfied by any assignment in  $M'$ . However,  $[\varphi]_M = \emptyset$ :  $M \models_z \varphi$  iff  $\bar{z}[v_2 \leftarrow d](v_1) < \bar{z}[v_2 \leftarrow d](v_2)$ , or equivalently  $z(v_1) < d$ , for any  $d$ . We know that there is no such assignment on  $v_1$ , thus there is no  $d_1 \in [\varphi]_M$ .

## 5. QUESTION 5

### 5.1. Part A.

*Proof.* Consider the atomic formula  $(\varphi \rightarrow \varphi^f)$ . Due to the properties of  $TT_{\rightarrow}$ , it will suffice to show that if  $M \models \varphi$ , then  $M \models \varphi^f$ . Since we are disregarding the equality symbol, then  $\varphi$  is of the form  $P(t)$  for some term  $t$ . We know that  $\varphi$  is satisfied, therefore for any assignment  $z$ ,  $\bar{z}(t) \in P^M$ . It remains to show that  $\bar{z}(t^f) \in P^M$ ,  $t^f$  being the replacement of any  $x$  by  $f(x)$  in  $t$ . We will prove this by structural induction over the terms:

**Basis:** Take  $t = c$ , and assume  $z(c) \in P^M$ . As  $c^f = c$ , (it has no variables), we have that  $z(c^f) \in P^M$ .

Take  $t = v_i$ , and let  $z$  be an assignment. Assume  $z(v_i) \in P^M$ .  $t^f = f(v_i)$ . By monotonicity, we have that  $M \models \forall v_i ((P(v_i) \rightarrow P(f(v_i))))$ , meaning that for any  $d \in D$ ,  $D$  being the domain of  $M$ ,  $M \models_{z[v_i \leftarrow d]} P(v_i) \rightarrow P(f(v_i))$ . This must also hold for the uncorrected  $z$ , that is,  $M \models_z P(v_i) \rightarrow P(f(v_i))$ . Observing  $TT_{\rightarrow}$ , and noting that by our assumption  $M \models_z P(v_i)$ , we see that  $M \models_z P(f(v_i))$ . This is satisfied only if  $\bar{z}(f(v_i)) \in P^M$ .

**Closure:** Assume that for the term  $t$ ,  $\bar{z}(t) \in P^M$ . By the exact same argument as in the basis, we have that  $\bar{z}(f(t)) \in P^M$ .  $\square$

### 5.2. Part B.

*Proof.* We will show by structural induction over *FOL*.

**Basis:** We've shown in Part A that for atomic formulae, if  $M \models \varphi$  then  $M \models \varphi^f$ , which suffices.

**Closure:** Assume that for  $\psi_1, \psi_2$ , if  $M \models \psi_i$  then  $M \models \psi_i^f$ .

For the case of  $\vee$ , it suffices to show that if either  $M \models \psi_1$  or  $M \models \psi_2$ , then either  $M \models \psi_1^f$  or  $M \models \psi_2^f$ . Assume WLOG that  $M \models \psi_1$ . Then by the inductive assumption,  $M \models \psi_1^f$ .

For the case of  $\wedge$ , it suffices to show that if both  $M \models \psi_1$  and  $M \models \psi_2$ , then  $M \models \psi_1^f$  and  $M \models \psi_2^f$  — but again, this is a direct consequence of our inductive assumption.

For the cases of the  $\forall, \exists$  quantifiers — they have no effect. Our inductive assumption holds for all assignments, corrected or otherwise.

□