# **Re-exam** Advanced Logic

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#### Instructions:

- Put your student number on the first page and subsequent pages (not your name, in order to allow for anonymous grading).
- Do not use pencil (or an erasable pen) or a red pen to make your exam.
- Motivate all your answers.
- Your exam grade is computed as min(10, (the sum of all your points + 10) divided by 10). For example, someone who would only fill in a student number would get a 1, while someone who would make questions 1-9 perfectly but would skip the bonus question would get min(10, (90+10)/10) = 10.
- If you want to inspect your exam after it has been graded, you can do so by making an appointment with Rineke Verbrugge.

### Good luck!

- 1. Induction (10 pt) Consider the sublanguage  $\mathscr{L}_{\neg\vee}$  of the language of propositional logic with  $\neg$  and  $\lor$  as its only logical operators. (So without  $\land, \rightarrow$  and  $\leftrightarrow$ ).
  - (a) Consider also the inductively defined operator n on well-formed formulas A of this language, which is defined as follows:
    - n(A) = 1 if A is a propositional parameter
    - $n(\neg A) = -1 * n(A)$
    - $n(A \lor B) = n(A) * n(B)$

If n(P) = 1 for some well-formed formula of  $\mathscr{L}_{\neg\vee}$ , what does this tell us about P? Illustrate this using the formulas  $\neg \neg \neg a \lor \neg b$  and  $a \lor \neg (b \lor c)$ .

- (b) Consider also the sublanguage  $\mathscr{L}_{\to\wedge}$  of the language of propositional logic with  $\to$  and  $\wedge$  as its only logical operators.
  - i. Inductively define an operator ' on well-formed formulas of  $\mathscr{L}_{\to\wedge}$  such that for each well-formed formula A of  $\mathscr{L}_{\to\wedge}$ , the formula A' is a well-formed formula of  $\mathscr{L}_{\neg\vee}$  which is logically equivalent to A. (In this part (b) i you do not have to prove this, just to define the right operator '; the proof of logical equivalence will be (b) ii.)
  - ii. For the operation ' that you defined in (b) i, prove by induction that for each well-formed formula A of  $\mathscr{L}_{\to\wedge}$  and for all valuations v, we have v(A) = v(A'). (So that indeed, for each well-formed formula A of  $\mathscr{L}_{\to\wedge}$ , the formula A' in  $\mathscr{L}_{\neg\vee}$  is logically equivalent to A.)
- 2. Three-valued logics (10 pt) Using a truth table, determine whether the following inference holds in  $K_3$ :

$$p \supset (p \land q) \models_{K_3} (\neg p \lor q) \land p$$

Do not forget to draw a conclusion.

## 3. Tableaus for FDE and related many-valued logics (10 pt)

(a) By constructing a suitable tableau, determine whether the following inference is valid in **LP**. If the inference is invalid, provide a counter-model.

$$((p \land q) \supset r) \land ((q \land r) \supset s) \vdash_{LP} (p \land q) \supset s$$

NB: Do not forget to draw a conclusion from the tableau.

(b) Is the inference valid in  $K_3$ ? If so, explain why. If not, provide a counter-model.

4. Fuzzy logic (10 pt) Determine whether the following holds in the fuzzy logic with  $D = \{x : x \ge 0.7\}$ . If so, explain why. If not, provide a counter-model and explain why not.

$$p \to (q \land r) \models_{0.7} (p \to q) \land (p \to r)$$

5. Basic modal tableau (10 pt) By constructing a suitable tableau, determine whether the following is valid in K. If the inference is invalid, provide a counter-model.

$$\Diamond p \vdash (\Box \neg p \supset \Box(p \supset q)) \land (\Box p \supset \Diamond(q \supset p))$$

NB: Do not forget to draw a conclusion from the tableau.

6. Normal modal tableau (10 pt) By constructing a suitable tableau, determine whether the following tense-logical inference is valid in  $K^t_{\rho}$ . If the inference is invalid, provide a counter-model.

$$\langle P \rangle (r \vee [P]q) \vdash_{K_{\circ}^{t}} \langle P \rangle (\neg r \supset q)$$

NB: Do not forget to draw a conclusion from the tableau.

7. Soundness and completeness (10pt) Consider the following tableau in  $K_{\eta}$ , which contains only one branch which we call b:

$$\neg \neg (\Box \Diamond A \land \Diamond \Box B), 0$$
$$\Box \Diamond A \land \Diamond \Box B, 0$$
$$\Box \Diamond A, 0$$
$$\Diamond \Box B, 0$$
$$0r1$$
$$\Box B, 1$$
$$\Diamond A, 1$$
$$1r2$$
$$A, 2$$
$$B, 2$$

Also consider the following interpretation I:

$$W = \{w_0, w_1, w_2\}$$

$$R = \{\langle w_0, w_1 \rangle, \langle w_2, w_0 \rangle\}$$

$$v_{w_0}(A) = v_{w_0}(B) = 0$$

$$v_{w_1}(A) = v_{w_1}(B) = 1$$

$$v_{w_2}(A) = v_{w_2}(B) = 0$$

- (a) Is I faithful to b? If so, provide a function  $f : \mathbb{N} \to W$  that shows it is. Else, explain why not.
- (b) Applying more rules to b leads to an infinite open branch b'. Is I the interpretation induced by b'? Explain your answer by discussing W, R, and v.
- 8. First-order modal tableau, variable domain (10 pt) By constructing a suitable tableau, determine whether the following is valid in VK. If the inference is invalid, provide a countermodel.

$$\Box \forall x A x \supset \Box \forall x B x \vdash_{VK} \Box \forall x (A x \supset B x)$$

NB: Do not forget to draw a conclusion from the tableau.

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9. Default logic (10 pt) Consider the following set of default rules:

$$D = \left\{ \delta_1 = \frac{p:q}{q}, \qquad \delta_2 = \frac{p:\neg q}{r}, \qquad \delta_3 = \frac{q \lor r:\neg q}{\neg q} \right\},$$

and initial set of facts:

 $W = \{p\}.$ 

This exercise is about the default theory T = (W, D).

- (a) Draw the process tree of the default theory (W, D).
- (b) Is p a skeptical consequence of this theory? Explain your answer.
- (c) Is q a credulous consequence of this theory? Explain your answer.
- (d) When does a theory have more skeptical than credulous consequences?

Bonus; 10 pt For propositional logic, show without using soundness and completeness that

$$\Sigma, A \vdash B \iff \Sigma \vdash A \supset B$$

where  $\Sigma$  is a finite set of premises.

*Hint.* Use the fact that the result of a tableau test is indifferent to the order in which one lists the premises of the argument and applies the tableau rules.