

York University- Department of Computer Science and Engineering

SC/CSE 3401 3.00 – Functional and Logic Programming

Assignment 1

- 1) This assignment is due on **May 26, 2010**
- 2) Please provide your first name, last name and student number on the first page of your assignment.
- 3) Review policy on academic honesty. The submitted assignment must be each individual's own work.
- 4) **NO LATE ASSIGNMENTS!**

1) (5 marks) Consider the following formulae:

$$A: \quad p \rightarrow q \rightarrow r$$

$$B: \quad p \rightarrow r \rightarrow q$$

$$C: \quad p \wedge \neg(r \rightarrow q)$$

Using truth tables, show which of the following sets are satisfiable and why?

- a) {A, B}
- b) {B, C}
- c) {A, B, C}

2) (5 marks) Consider the following formula in the sets domain:

$$(\forall x)(\forall y)(\forall z)((\{a\} \cup x \subseteq y \cup x) \wedge (y \cup x \subseteq z \cup x) \rightarrow (\{a\} \cup x \subseteq z \cup x))$$

- (a) List all the terms in the above formula that are not object variables or object constants.
- (b) List all atomic formulas in the above formula.
- (c) Is the formula semantically true? If yes, say why and if no, provide a counter example.

3) (6 marks) Convert the following formula in propositional logic to logic programming clauses. Indicate which ones are Horn clauses. Clearly show ALL steps.

$$((p \rightarrow q) \vee r) \equiv (q \wedge s)$$

4) (8 marks) Convert the following formula in predicate logic to logic programming clauses. Indicate which ones are Horn clauses. Clearly show ALL steps (m and n are predicates):

$$((\exists x)(\forall y)m(x, y)) \rightarrow ((\forall x)(\exists y)n(y, x))$$

5) (5 marks) (a) Using what we covered about arithmetic in Prolog, write a simple predicate **convert(Pounds, Kilos)** that can convert weight in pounds to kilograms. (b) Write a query to get your weight in kilograms given your weight in pounds. (c) Write a query to get your weight in pounds given your weight in Kilos. This query will not return an answer to you, why?

6) (14 marks) Consider the following program:

C0: findS(X, s(L1, L2)):- findL(X, L1).

C1: findS(X,s(L1,L2)):- findL(X, L2).

C2: findL(X, [X|L]).

C3: findL(X, [_|L]):- findL(X,L).

Draw the complete search tree for this query (assuming the user keeps asking for more answers):

G0: :- findS(X, s([a,b], [1])).

Label all branches. Under each leaf node, mention outputs by Prolog and why backtracking occurs.

7) (12 marks) Write a Prolog program, by the following design specifications, which given a list of numbers returns a list of remainders of division by 8. For example:

:- rem8([8, 9, 16, 15], [0,1,0,7]). will return true and

:- rem8([1,20,10,11], L). will return L=[1,4,2,3].

(a) (3 marks) Write a recursive code.

(b) (4 marks) Write an iterative code with an accumulator. (It will return the list in the reverse order, for example the second example above will return L=[3,2,4,1])

(c) (5 marks) Write the above code with difference lists, similar to the parts example in class.