

IAo85: Satisfiability and Automated Reasoning

Seminar 6

Exercise 1 For each of the following first-order entailments, decide whether it holds or not. If it does not hold, provide a counterexample. If it does, prove it by resolution.

1. $\forall x. P(x) \models \neg \exists x. \neg P(x)$
2. $\forall x \exists y. S(x, y) \models \exists y \forall x. S(x, y)$
3. $(\forall x \exists y. S(x, y)) \wedge (\forall x \forall y. P(x) \wedge S(x, y) \rightarrow P(y)) \wedge P(a) \models \forall x. P(x)$
4. $(\forall x \forall y. S(x, y)) \wedge (\forall x \forall y. P(x) \wedge S(x, y) \rightarrow P(y)) \wedge P(a) \models \forall x. P(x)$

Exercise 2 For each of the following first-order entailments with interpreted equality, decide whether it holds or not. If it does not hold, provide a counterexample. If it does, prove it by superposition calculus.

1. $\exists x \forall y. f(y) = x \models \forall x \forall y. g(f(x)) = g(f(y))$
2. $\forall x \forall y. R(x, y) \rightarrow f(x) = y \models \forall x \forall y \forall z. R(x, y) \wedge R(x, z) \rightarrow y = z$
3. $(\forall x. f(g(x)) = x) \wedge (\forall x. g(f(x)) = x) \models \forall x \exists y. x = f(y)$
4. $\forall x \forall y. (P(y) \wedge y = f(x)) \rightarrow P(x) \models \forall x. P(f(f(x))) \rightarrow P(x)$

Exercise 3 Download the automated theorem prover Vampire and try proving the following theorem, written in the TPTP language. What does the theorem say?

<https://tptp.org/UserDocs/TPTPLanguage/TPTPLanguage.shtml>

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fof(ass, axiom, ! [X,Y,Z] : mult(mult(X,Y),Z) = mult(X,mult(Y,Z))).  
fof(li, axiom, ! [X] : mult(e,X) = X).  
fof(ri, axiom, ! [X] : mult(X,e) = X).
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fof(unq, conjecture, ! [E2] : (! [X] : mult(X,E2) = X & mult(E2,X) = X) => e = E2).
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Exercise 4 Use the theorem prover Vampire to prove some of the entailments from Exercises 1 and 2.

Exercise 5 Use the theorem prover Vampire to prove the following theorem:

- Let R be a commutative ring. If R has characteristic three (i.e. $1 + 1 + 1 = 0$), R includes the field \mathbb{F}_3 with three elements.