

# Human Reasoning and Computational Logic

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## Problem 6.1

1. Consider the following definite programs  $\mathcal{P}_1$  and  $\mathcal{P}_2$ :

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{P}_1 &= \{ \begin{array}{l} \text{even}(0) \leftarrow \top, \\ \text{odd}(s(0)) \leftarrow \top, \\ \text{even}(s(X)) \leftarrow \text{odd}(X), \\ \text{odd}(s(X)) \leftarrow \text{even}(X) \end{array} \} \\ \mathcal{P}_2 &= \{ \begin{array}{l} \text{even}(0) \leftarrow \top, \\ \text{even}(s(s(0))) \leftarrow \text{even}(X), \\ \text{even}(X) \leftarrow \text{even}(s(s(X))) \end{array} \}\end{aligned}$$

Which interpretation is a two-valued model of  $\mathcal{P}_1$  and  $\mathcal{P}_2$ ?

2. Consider the following definition for definite programs:

**Acceptable Definite Program** Let  $\mathcal{P}$  be a definite program,  $\ell$  a level mapping for  $\mathcal{P}$  and  $\mathcal{M}$  a two-valued model of  $\mathcal{P}$ .  $\mathcal{P}$  is called *acceptable with respect to  $\ell$  and  $\mathcal{M}$*  if for every clause  $A \leftarrow B_1, \dots, B_m \in g\mathcal{P}$  the following implication holds for all  $i$  with  $1 \leq i \leq m$ :

$$M(B_1 \wedge \dots \wedge B_i - 1) = \top \text{ implies } \ell(A) > \ell(B_i).$$

$\mathcal{P}$  is called *acceptable* if it is acceptable with respect to some level mapping and some model of  $\mathcal{P}$ .

3. Are  $\mathcal{P}_1$  and  $\mathcal{P}_2$  acceptable programs? Motivate your answer.

## Problem 6.2

Show that the following proposition holds:

**Proposition 19** Let  $\mathcal{P}$  be a program,  $\ell$  a (total) level mapping for  $\mathcal{P}$ ,  $\mathcal{I}$  the set of (three-valued) interpretations for  $\mathcal{P}$ , and  $I, J \in \mathcal{I}$ . The function  $d_\ell : \mathcal{I} \times \mathcal{I} \mapsto \mathbb{R}$  defined as

$$d_\ell(I, J) = \begin{cases} (\frac{1}{2})^n & I \neq J \text{ and } I(A) = J(A) \neq \perp \text{ for all } A \text{ with } \ell(A) < n \text{ and} \\ & I(A) \neq J(A) \text{ or } I(A) = J(A) = \perp \text{ for some } A \text{ with } \ell(A) = n \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

is a metric.

## Problem 6.3

Show that the deduction theorem is not satisfied under Łukasiewicz and Kleene logic.

## Problem 6.4

Show that the following lemma holds:

**Lemma 22** Let  $I$  be the least fixed point of  $\Phi_{\mathcal{P}}$  and  $J$  be a model of  $\text{wc}\mathcal{P}$ . Then for every ground atom  $A$ , the following holds:

$$(1) \text{ If } I(A) = \top \text{ then } J(A) = \top \quad \text{and} \quad (2) \text{ If } I(A) = \perp \text{ then } J(A) = \perp.$$