

# Final Exam

15-317: Constructive Logic

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## Instructions

- This exam is open-book.
- You have 3 hours to complete the exam.
- There are 8 problems.

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Max	60	40	45	45	40	40	20	10	300
Grader									

# 1 Quantifiers

Recall the proof terms for quantifiers:

$$\frac{\overline{x:\tau} \quad \vdots \quad M : A}{\lambda x. M : \forall x:\tau. A} \forall I^x \quad \frac{M : \forall x:\tau. A \quad t : \tau}{Mt : A[t/x]} \forall E \quad \frac{t : \tau \quad M : A[t/x]}{(t, M) : \exists x:\tau. A} \exists I \quad \frac{M : \exists x:\tau. A \quad \overline{x:\tau} \quad \overline{u:A} \quad \vdots \quad N : C}{\text{let } (x, u) = M \text{ in } N : C} \exists E^{x,u}$$

**Task 1** (15 pts). Give a **natural deduction proof tree** for the following entailment. Note that  $x$  does not occur in  $B$ . Be sure to label each inference rule.

$$\overline{\forall x:\tau. (A(x) \supset B)}^u$$

$$\overline{(\exists y:\tau. A(y)) \supset B}$$

**Task 2** (15 pts). Give a **proof term** for the following entailment. Note that  $x$  does not occur in  $B$ .

$$f : (\exists x:\tau. A(x)) \supset B \vdash ??? : \forall y:\tau. (A(y) \supset B)$$

**Task 3** (15 pts). Give a **natural deduction proof tree** for the following entailment. Note that  $x$  does not occur in  $B$ . Be sure to label each inference rule.

$$\frac{}{\exists x:\tau.(A(x) \vee B)} \text{ }^u$$

$$\frac{}{(\exists y:\tau.A(y)) \vee B}$$

**Task 4** (15 pts). Give a **proof term** for the following entailment. Note that  $x$  does not occur in  $B$ .

$$s : (\exists x:\tau.A(x)) \wedge B \vdash ??? : \exists y:\tau.(A(y) \wedge B)$$

## 2 Induction

Sometimes we have written recursive functions using a pattern-matching *recursion schema*. For `nat`, the recursion schema is the following:

```
f z = M0
f (s n) = M1(n, f(n))
```

Using the schema, we can write

```
double : nat -> nat
double z = z
double (s n) = s (s (double n))
```

for the proof term

```
fn x:nat => natrec(x, z, n.r. s(s(r)))
```

where the variable `r` stands for the recursive call.

Consider the following intro and elim rules for lists of natural numbers, annotated with proof-terms

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \overline{x : \text{nat}} \quad , \quad \overline{xs : \text{list}} \quad , \quad \overline{J(xs)}^u \\
 \\
 \frac{}{[] : \text{list}} \quad \frac{n : \text{nat} \quad l : \text{list}}{(n :: l) : \text{list}} \quad \frac{l : \text{list} \quad M_1 : J([]) \quad \begin{array}{c} \vdots \\ M_2 : J(x :: xs) \end{array}}{\text{listrec}(l, M_1, x.xs.u.M_2) : J(l)}
 \end{array}$$

**Task 1** (15 pts). Give a primitive recursion schema for list induction, analogous to the above schema for `nat`:

Consider the following proof-term  $s$  which has type  $\text{list} \rightarrow \text{nat} \rightarrow \text{list}$ :

$$\lambda x:\text{list}.\text{listrec}(x, \lambda a:\text{nat}.\[], x:\text{nat}.xs:\text{list}.r:\text{nat} \rightarrow \text{list}.\lambda a:\text{nat}.(x + a) :: (r(x + a)))$$

**Task 2** (10 pts). Translate this proof-term to a pattern-matching function definition using your recursion schema.

listrec has the following local reductions:

$$\begin{aligned}\text{listrec}([], M_1, x.xs.u.M_2) &\Rightarrow_R M_1 \\ \text{listrec}(n :: l, M_1, x.xs.u.M_2) &\Rightarrow_R [n/x][l/xs][\text{listrec}(l, M_1, x.xs.u.M_2)/u]M_2\end{aligned}$$

**Task 3** (15 pts). Compute the list that

$$s(1 :: (2 :: (3 :: []))) 0$$

reduces to (you need to show only the final result, not each intermediate step) and explain what this function does.

### 3 Prolog

In this problem, we will consider some Prolog code for matching a string  $S$  against a regular expression  $R$ . We consider the following regular expressions:

- The empty string  $[]$  matches the empty regular expression `epsilon`.
- The singleton string  $[c]$  matches the singleton regexp `single(c)`.
- The string  $S$  matches the regexp `concat(R1,R2)` (usually written  $R_1R_2$ ) if  $S$  splits as  $S1$  followed by  $S2$ , where  $S1$  matches  $R1$  and  $S2$  matches  $S2$ .
- The string  $S$  matches the regexp `star(R)` (usually written  $R^*$ ) if  $S = []$  or it splits as  $S1$  followed by  $S2$ , where  $S1$  matches  $R$  and  $S2$  matches `star(R)`.

Disjunctive regular expressions ( $R_1 \mid R_2$ ) can be explained similarly, but we elide them for brevity.

Consider the following Prolog code for regular expression matching:

```
1  append([],Ys,Ys).
2  append([X|Xs],Ys,[X|Zs]) :-
3      append(Xs,Ys,Zs).
4
5
6  match([],epsilon).
7
8  match([C],single(C)).
9
10 match(S,concat(R1,R2)) :-
11     append(S1,S2,S),
12     match(S1,R1),
13     match(S2,R2).
14
15 match([],star(R)).
16 match(S,star(R)) :-
17     append(S1,S2,S),
18     match(S1,R),
19     match(S2,star(R)).
```

**Task 1** (10 pts). We will consider `match(S, R)` with mode `++`: both the string and the regular expression are inputs.

What mode does `append` need to have for `match` to have this mode?

**Task 2** (20 pts). There are some ground  $S$  and  $R$  such that `match(S, R)` fails to terminate.

For each of the following termination metrics, identify a rule that violates that termination order and explain which subgoal violates it:

1. The regular expression  $R$  gets smaller.

The subgoal on line \_\_\_\_\_ violates this termination order because

2. The string  $S$  gets smaller.

The subgoal on line \_\_\_\_\_ violates this termination order because



3. The string  $S$  gets smaller, or it stays the same and the regexp  $R$  gets smaller.

The subgoal on line \_\_\_\_\_ violates this termination order because

4. The regular expression  $R$  gets smaller, or it stays the same and the string  $S$  gets smaller.

The subgoal on line \_\_\_\_\_ violates this termination order because

**Task 3** (5 pts). Give a specific string  $S$  and regexp  $R$  for which  $\text{match}(S, R)$  fails to terminate. (Hint: your non-terminating input may be a query on which  $\text{match}$  should fail, but instead loops.)

**Task 4** (10 pts). It is possible to make the above code terminate on well-moded calls by adding one extra subgoal to one rule. Viewed as inference rules, this revised code should define the same relation as the original code; but the revised code will terminate under Prolog's depth-first proof strategy.

Show the revised rule, and explain why it satisfies one of the above termination orders. Hint: you may use term equality  $M = N$  or disequality  $M \neq N$ .

## 4 IRIS

In this problem, we will consider a different implementation of regular expression matching, using the saturating logic programming language IRIS.

We represent the characters in the string using relation `at` identifying the character at each position (recall the edit distance problem in Homework 9, and the CKY parsing example presented in lecture). For example, the string `atcg` is represented by

```
at(0,a).  
at(1,t).  
at(2,c).  
at(3,g).
```

We will represent regular expression matching with a relation

```
match(?s,?e,?r)
```

meaning that the portion of the input string from `?s` (inclusive!) to `?e` (**exclusive!**) matches the regular expression `?r`. In the above example, we will have

```
match(0,1,single(a))  
match(0,0,epsilon)
```

because the `?s` character is included in the match but `?e` character is not.

**Task 1** (25 pts). Give IRIS rules for regular expression matching. Do not yet worry about saturation (see the next question).

```
// match(?s,?e,?r)

// EXAMPLE: rules for epsilon:
// There is an epsilon at the beginning of the string and after each character.
match(0,0,epsilon).
match(?s1,?s1,epsilon) :- at(?s,?c), ?s + 1 = ?s1.

// TODO rule for single(?c)

// TODO rule for concat(?r1,?r2)

// TODO three rules for star(?r)
```

Unless you already thought of this, your IRIS code will not saturate, because it will attempt to saturate the database with **all** regular expressions matching a string (and there may be infinitely many).

We need to restrict attention to those regular expressions that are subexpressions of the input (recall the model checking problem in Homework 9).

**Task 2** (10 pts). Assume the database is seeded with the fact `subexp(r0)` for the input regular expression *r0* that we are interested in. Give rules for `subexp` so that `subexp(R)` holds iff *R* is a subexpression of the initial expression *r0*.

**Task 3** (10 pts). Add `subexp` subgoals to your rules on the previous page so that the matching algorithm only considers subformulas of the input. The revised code should satisfy the following invariant: if `match(?s,?e,?r)` then `subexp(?r)`. Avoid redundant `subexp` subgoals—check it only where it is necessary.

## 5 Linear Logic

For each of the following linear logic entailments, circle **Derivable** or **Not Derivable** and:

- If the entailment is **Derivable**: give a sequent calculus derivation
- If the entailment is **Not Derivable**: explain why no derivation exists (i.e., attempt a derivation and explain why you must get stuck)

Clearly label each inference rule.

**Task 1** (14 pts).

**Derivable**     /     **Not Derivable**

$$\frac{}{(A \otimes B) \multimap C \vdash A \multimap (B \multimap C)}$$

**Task 3** (13 pts).

**Derivable**      /      **Not Derivable**

$$\frac{}{(A \multimap B) \& (A \multimap C) \Vdash A \multimap (B \& C)}$$

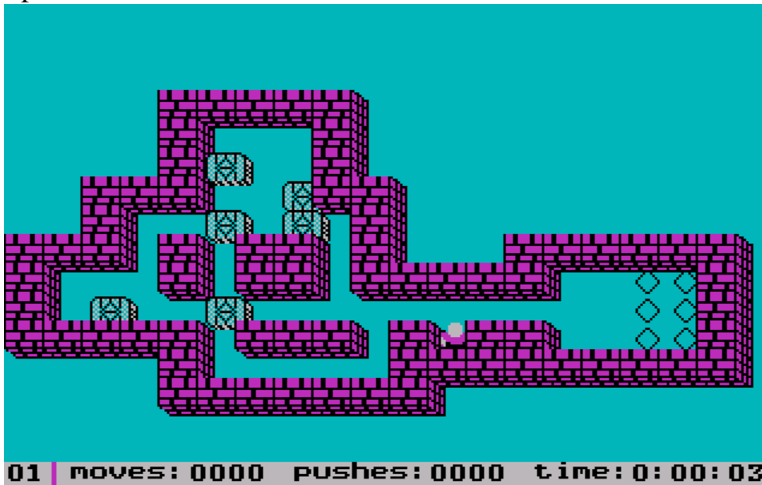
**Task 3** (13 pts).

**Derivable**      /      **Not Derivable**

$$\frac{}{(A \multimap B) \otimes (A \multimap C) \Vdash A \multimap (B \otimes C)}$$

## 6 Linear logic programming

In the game Sokoban, a player must move a collection of boxes to certain specified goal positions. An example level looks like this:



The player can move in four directions (north, south, east, west) on a grid. Aside from the player's current location, each space on the grid is either unoccupied, or it contains a box, or it contains a wall. The player can freely move to any unoccupied space. The player can move boxes only by pushing them to an open square; he cannot pull them. (For example: A block with walls to the north and to the east cannot be moved.)

We will write a linear logic program to solve Sokoban puzzles.

We'll represent the board as a collection of cells with the following predicates:

- `!east(C1,C2)`    The cell to the east of cell `C1` is the cell `C2`. Similarly for `!south(C1,C2)`.  
The board layout does not change over time.
- `player(C)`    The player is at cell `C`.
- `box(C)`    There is a box at cell `C`.
- `clear(C)`    Cell `C` is clear.

Walls are not specified explicitly—they are just the cells that are neither player nor box nor clear.

In this problem, you will give rules for two actions; the remaining rules are analogous. You can write your answer using either the rule notation we used in lecture, with inference rules that consume their premises (except the `!` premises):

```
premise1,  
!premise2,  
...  
-----  
conclusion1,  
conclusion2,  
...
```

or in linear logic notation, as you did in Homework 10.



**Task 1** (15 pts). Give a rule for the following action:

Move East: If the player is at a cell, and the cell to the east is clear, then the player can move to that cell.

**Task 2** (15 pts). Give a rule for the following action:

Push East: If the player is at a cell, and the cell to the east has a box, and the cell to the east of that is clear,  
then the player and the block can each move one cell to the east.

**Task 3** (10 pts). Give a linear logic proposition whose proofs are solutions to the following Sokoban problem. You may assume that the layout of the board (`east`, `south`) is already in the database.

- Initial state: The player is at cell `C1`, a box is at cell `C2`, and the cells `C3`, `C4`, `C5` are clear.
- Final state: The box is at cell `C4`, and the player can be anywhere.

## 7 Lax Logic

Recall the proof terms for lax logic, which correspond to effectful computation:

$$\frac{E \div A \text{ lax}}{\{E\} : \{A\} \text{ true}} \{\}^I \quad \frac{M : A \text{ true}}{M \div A \text{ lax}} \quad \frac{\overline{x : A \text{ true}} \quad \vdots \quad M : \{A\} \text{ true} \quad E \div C \text{ lax}}{(\text{let } \{x\} = M \text{ in } E) \div C \text{ lax}} \{\}^E$$

We'll add a term

$$\overline{\text{flip} \div (\top \vee \top) \text{ lax}}$$

which non-deterministically returns true (represented as  $\text{inl}(\langle \rangle)$ ) with some probability and otherwise returns false (represented as  $\text{inr}(\langle \rangle)$ ).

**Task 1** (20 pts). Write a proof-term

$$\text{counttrues} : (\text{nat} \supset \{\text{nat}\}) \text{ true}$$

where  $(\text{counttrues } n)$  flips the coin  $n$  times and returns the number of heads.

`counttrues zero =`

`counttrues (succ n) =`

## 8 Classical Logic

In English usage, it is common to use a double-negative to express *weak affirmation*. For example, the statement

“It’s **not unlikely** that I will be at your party tonight.”

is weaker than the statement

“It’s **likely** that I will be at your party tonight.”

I.e., the first expresses a lower probability that I will come to the party than the second.

**Task 1** (10 pts). Does this usage make more sense in constructive logic or in classical logic? Explain why.