

## MA 5219 - Logic and Foundations of Mathematics 1

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Hand in each homework which you want to be checked; 1 mark per each correct starred homework; up to 10 marks in total for homework - there will be more than 10 starred homeworks, so you have several chances to try.

**11.1\* Substructures.** Recall that for a logical language  $\mathcal{L}$  and an  $\mathcal{L}$ -structure  $\mathcal{A}$ , the language  $\mathcal{L}\mathcal{A}$  is the language of all formulas which use besides constants from  $\mathcal{L}$  also constants  $c_a$  for each  $a$  in the domain of  $\mathcal{A}$ . The diagramme  $\mathcal{D}\mathcal{A}$  is the set of all true  $\mathcal{L}\mathcal{A}$ -formulas in  $\mathcal{A}$  which do not contain any free or bound variable. The elementary diagramme  $\mathcal{D}_{el}\mathcal{A}$  is the set of all true  $\mathcal{L}\mathcal{A}$ -sentences in  $\mathcal{A}$ . Assume that the domain of  $\mathcal{A}$  is a subset of the domain of  $\mathcal{B}$ . Now  $\mathcal{A}$  is a substructure of  $\mathcal{B}$  iff  $\mathcal{B} \models \mathcal{D}\mathcal{A}$  and  $\mathcal{A}$  is an elementary substructure of  $\mathcal{B}$  iff  $\mathcal{B} \models \mathcal{D}_{el}\mathcal{A}$ .

So assume that  $\mathcal{A}$  is a 2-dimensional sub space of a given 3-dimensional vector space  $\mathcal{B}$  over the finite field  $\mathbb{F}_3$  with 3 elements. Is  $\mathcal{A}$  a substructure or an elementary substructure of  $\mathcal{B}$ ? Note that the scalar multiplication with 0 is the function mapping all vectors to the zero vector, the scalar multiplication with 1 is the identity mapping and the scalar multiplication with 2 is the mapping  $x \mapsto x + x$ .

**11.2\* Categoricity.** Assume that  $\mathcal{L}$  contains infinitely many constants  $c_0, c_1, \dots$  and that  $X = \{c_i \neq c_j : i, j \in \mathbb{N} \wedge i \neq j\}$ . Is  $T$  be the theory of all sentences logically implied by  $X$ . Is  $T$   $\aleph_0$ -categorical? Is  $T$   $\aleph_1$ -categorical? Justify both answers.

**11.3\* Decidability.** Let  $\mathcal{L}$  be the logical language with one unary function symbol  $f$ , let  $\beta$  be  $\forall x [f(f(x)) = x]$ , let  $\gamma$  be  $\forall x, y [x = f(x) \wedge y = f(y) \rightarrow x = y]$  and let  $T = \{\alpha : \alpha \text{ is a sentence and } \{\beta, \gamma\} \models \alpha\}$ . Show that  $T$  is decidable.

**11.4 Groups.** Make a finitely axiomatisable theory  $T$  such that (a) every model of  $T$  is a group, (b)  $T$  has both finite and infinite models and (c)  $T$  is decidable.

**11.5 Boolean Basis.** Let  $\mathcal{L}$  be a logical language with the extra symbols  $<$  and  $P$  and consider the theory  $T$  of all sentences implied by the set  $Y$  consisting of  $\forall x \forall y [x < y \vee x = y \vee y < x]$ ,  $\forall x [\neg x < x]$ ,  $\forall x \forall y \forall z [x < y \wedge y < z \rightarrow x < z]$ ,  $\forall x \exists y \exists z [y < x \wedge x < z]$ ,  $\forall x \forall y \exists z [x < y \rightarrow x < z \wedge z < y]$ ,  $\forall x \forall y [Py \wedge x < y \rightarrow Px]$ . Determine a finite set  $X$  of sentences which is a Boolean basis for  $T$ . That is,  $X$  has to satisfy that given any two structures  $\mathcal{A}$  and  $\mathcal{B}$  of  $T$ , either  $\mathcal{A}$  and  $\mathcal{B}$  are elementary equivalent or there is a sentence  $\alpha$  in  $X$  such that exactly one of  $\mathcal{A}$  and  $\mathcal{B}$  makes  $\alpha$  true.