

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.

5.1 Finite Structures. (a) Let X contain the following formulas:

- $\exists x [Px]$;
- $\forall x, y, v, w [(Px \wedge Py \wedge Pv \wedge Pw \wedge (x \neq v \vee y \neq w)) \rightarrow f(x, y) \neq f(v, w)]$;
- $\forall u, v, w [Pv \wedge Pw \rightarrow \neg P(f(v, w))]$;
- $\forall u \exists v, w [\neg Pu \rightarrow (Pv \wedge Pw \wedge f(v, w) = u)]$.

Assume that a structure $(A, f, P) \models X$ where A is finite set, f a function and P a predicate. Let n be the number of elements $a \in A$ satisfying Pa and m be the number of elements $a \in A$ satisfying $\neg Pa$. How do m and n relate to each other?

(b) Make a set Y of formulas using a function f and predicate P such that the m, n from above satisfy $m = 1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + n$.

5.2 Graphs. A graph G is a base set V with a relation E such that $E(x, y)$ stands for x and y being connected in the graph. A graph (V, E) is called a random graph iff V is infinite and for every two finite disjoint sets C, D of vertices there is a vertex z such that $E(x, z)$ for all $x \in C$ and $\neg E(y, z)$ for all $y \in D$. Make a set X of formulas such that a graph (V, E) satisfies X iff (V, E) is a random graph.

5.3 Matrix Rings. Construct a set X of formulas which enforces that a structure $(R_1, R_2, +, \cdot, 0, 1, det, e_0, e_1, e_2, e_3)$ has the following properties: $(R_1, +, \cdot, 0, 1)$ is a commutative ring with 1 and is a subring of a noncommutative ring $(R_2, +, \cdot, 0, 1)$ with $R_1 \subseteq R_2$ such that $(R_2, +, \cdot, 0, 1)$ is isomorphic to the ring of $2 * 2$ -matrices over R_1 and det assigns to every member of R_2 the value which the determinant over the corresponding matrix would have. 0 and 1 are the neutral elements for ring addition and ring multiplication in R_2 . Use constants e_0, e_1, e_2, e_3 to define the structure.

5.4 Dense Linear Orders. Assume that $(A, <, 0, 1)$ is a linearly ordered set satisfying the additional formulas $0 < 1$ and $\forall x, y \exists z [0 \leq x < z < y \leq 1 \vee 0 \leq y < z < x \leq 1 \vee 0 \leq x = z = y \leq 1]$. Recall that $x \leq y$ abbreviates $x < y \vee x = y$; furthermore, linear orders satisfy the axioms $\forall x, y, z [x < y \wedge y < z \rightarrow x < z]$ and $\forall x, y [x < y \vee y < x \vee x = y]$ and $\forall x [\neg x < x]$. Show that all countable structures satisfying these axioms are isomorphic.