

**Exercises.**

9.0 Study Chapter 5

9.1 Exercise 5.3.4

*Solution.* According to Definition 5.3.6 a formula is true in a model provided its interpretation evaluates to true for all assignments. So it has to be shown that  $(X \equiv Y)^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{A}} = \mathbf{t}$  iff  $(X^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{A}} = Y^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{A}})$ . But this follows from the fact that  $(X^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{A}} \equiv Y^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{A}}) = \mathbf{t}$  is equivalent as well to the first equation (by Definition 5.3.5) as to the second (by the definition of  $\equiv$ ).  $\square$

9.2 Exercise 5.3.5

*Solution.* First we consider the “if” part: Suppose  $S$  is satisfiable in a model for  $L'$ . Then all formulas in  $S$  are true in some model  $\mathbf{M} = (\mathbf{B}, \mathbf{I})$  with assignment  $\mathbf{A}$ . We define a model  $\mathbf{N}$  for  $L$  by setting  $\mathbf{N} = (\mathbf{D}, \mathbf{I}|_L)$ , where  $\mathbf{I}|_L$  denotes the restriction of the interpretation  $\mathbf{I}$  to the language  $L$ . Set  $\mathbf{J} = \mathbf{I}|_L$ . Now it is easy to show by induction that for each  $X \in S$ ,  $[X]^{\mathbf{J}, \mathbf{A}} = \mathbf{t}$ . Hence  $S$  is satisfiable in a model for  $L$ .

Secondly, consider the “only if” part: Suppose  $S$  is satisfiable in a model for  $L$ . Then all formulas in  $S$  are true in some model  $\mathbf{M} = (\mathbf{B}, \mathbf{I})$  with assignment  $\mathbf{A}$ . We define  $\mathbf{N}$  for  $L'$  by setting  $\mathbf{N} = (\mathbf{J}, \mathbf{D})$ , where  $\mathbf{J}$  is chosen such that  $\mathbf{J}|_L = \mathbf{I}$ . (The symbols in  $L' - L$  can be interpreted arbitrarily.) Then it is again easy to show by induction that for each  $X \in S$ ,  $[X]^{\mathbf{J}, \mathbf{A}} = \mathbf{t}$ . Thus  $S$  is satisfiable in a model for  $L'$ .  $\square$

9.3 Exercise 5.4.1

*Solution.* Let  $X$  be a formula of  $L$ , we have to show that  $[X]^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{A}} = [X\mathbf{A}]^{\mathbf{I}}$  for all assignments  $\mathbf{A}$ . To this avail, we exploit Prop. 5.3.7 in its simple form stating that the equality  $[X]^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{A}} = [X\{x \mapsto \mathbf{A}(x)\}]^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{A}}$  holds. As  $X$  is finite the number of

variables occurring free in  $X$  is finite, too. Suppose  $\text{fvar}(X) = \{x_1, \dots, x_n\}$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned}
[X]^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{A}} &= [X\{x_1 \mapsto \mathbf{A}(x_1)\}]^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{A}} && \text{Prop. 5.3.7} \\
&= [X\{x_1 \mapsto \mathbf{A}(x_1)\}\{x_2 \mapsto \mathbf{A}(x_2)\}]^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{A}} \\
&\quad \vdots \\
&= [X\{x_1 \mapsto \mathbf{A}(x_1)\} \cdots \{x_n \mapsto \mathbf{A}(x_n)\}]^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{A}} \\
&= [X\mathbf{A}]^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{A}} \\
&= [X\mathbf{A}]^{\mathbf{I}} && \text{as } X\mathbf{A} \text{ is closed}
\end{aligned}$$

Alternatively a direct proof of Proposition 5.4.3 would proceed by induction on  $X$  as follows:

- a) For the atomic cases this follows from Proposition 5.4.2.
- b) Case  $X = \neg X_1$ : By induction hypothesis (IH)  $X_1^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{A}} = [X_1\mathbf{A}]^{\mathbf{I}}$  which implies  $\neg[X_1^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{A}}] = \neg[[X_1\mathbf{A}]^{\mathbf{I}}]$ . The induction step follows as

$$[\neg X_1]^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{A}} = \neg[X_1^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{A}}] = \neg[[X_1\mathbf{A}]^{\mathbf{I}}] = [[\neg X_1]\mathbf{A}]^{\mathbf{I}}.$$

- c) Case  $X = (X_1 \circ X_2)$ : Analogous to b).
- d) Case  $X = (\forall x)X_1$ : By IH we know that  $[X_1]^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{B}} = [X_1\mathbf{B}]^{\mathbf{I}}$ . Note that we can conceive the assignment  $\mathbf{B}$  as a substitution (of closed terms) and thus obtain the equality:  $\mathbf{B} = (\mathbf{B}_x)\{x \mapsto B(x)\}$ .

Furthermore IH is applicable to the formula  $X\mathbf{B}_x$ , hence we obtain  $[X\mathbf{B}_x]^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{C}} = [(X\mathbf{B}_x)\mathbf{C}]^{\mathbf{I}}$  for any assignment  $\mathbf{C}$ . If we assume further that  $\mathbf{C}$  is defined such that  $\mathbf{C}(x) = \mathbf{B}(x)$ , and  $\mathbf{C}(y)$  is arbitrary for  $x \neq y$ , then we obtain  $[X\mathbf{B}_x]^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{C}} = [(X\mathbf{B})^{\mathbf{I}}]$ , as  $(X\mathbf{B}_x)\mathbf{C} = X\mathbf{B}$ .

Now we show that  $[(\forall x)X]^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{A}} = \mathbf{t}$  iff  $[(\forall x)X\mathbf{A}]^{\mathbf{I}} = \mathbf{t}$ :

$$\begin{aligned}
[(\forall x)X]^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{A}} = \mathbf{t} &\text{ iff } [X]^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{B}} = \mathbf{t} \text{ for all } x\text{-variants } \mathbf{B} \text{ of } \mathbf{A} \\
&\text{ iff } [X\mathbf{B}]^{\mathbf{I}} = \mathbf{t} \text{ for all } x\text{-variants } \mathbf{B} \text{ of } \mathbf{A} \text{ (by IH)} \\
&\text{ iff } [X\mathbf{B}_x]^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{C}} = \mathbf{t} \text{ for all assignments } \mathbf{C}, \\
&\quad \text{s.t. } \mathbf{C}(x) = \mathbf{B}(x) \text{ and } \mathbf{C} \text{ arbitrary otherwise} \\
&\quad \text{and all } x\text{-variants } \mathbf{B} \text{ of } \mathbf{A} \\
&\text{ iff } [(\forall x)X\mathbf{B}_x]^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{D}} = \mathbf{t} \text{ for all assignments } \mathbf{D} \\
&\text{ iff } [(\forall x)X\mathbf{B}_x]^{\mathbf{I}} = \mathbf{t} \text{ ((}\forall x)X\mathbf{B}_x \text{ is closed)} \\
&\text{ iff } [(\forall x)X\mathbf{A}]^{\mathbf{I}} = \mathbf{t} \text{ as } \mathbf{B} \text{ is an } x\text{-variant of } \mathbf{A}.
\end{aligned}$$

- e) Analogous to d).

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#### 9.4 Exercise 5.4.2

*Solution.* We only consider the first case. Suppose  $\mathbf{M} = (\mathbf{D}, \mathbf{I})$ .

$(\forall x)X$  is true in  $\mathbf{M}$     iff     $[(\forall x)X]^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{A}} = \mathbf{t}$  for all assignments  $\mathbf{A}$   
iff     $[X]^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{B}} = \mathbf{t}$  for all  $x$ -variants  $\mathbf{B}$  of  $\mathbf{A}$   
iff     $[(X\{x \mapsto \mathbf{B}(x)\})]^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{A}} = \mathbf{t}$  for all  $x$ -variants  $\mathbf{B}$  of  $\mathbf{A}$   
         as  $\mathbf{B}$  is an  $x$ -variant of  $\mathbf{A}$  by the general statement of Prop. 5.3.7  
iff     $[(X\{x \mapsto d\})]^{\mathbf{I}, \mathbf{A}} = \mathbf{t}$  for all  $d \in \mathbf{D}$ .

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