Mathematical Logic Assignment 7

#### Note:

You are expected to write proofs for the exercises that ask you to compute or to find something. You may use any Latin letter (with or without index subscript) as a variable.

# **Exercise 1**

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Let  $\mathcal{L} = \{a, b, c, f, R\}$  where a, b, and c are constants symbols, f is a binary function symbol, and R is a binary relation. Consider the structure  $\mathcal{M} = \{\mathbb{Q}, 1, 2, 3, +, <\}$ . Consider the following formulas:

- 1.  $\forall x \exists y (f(x, y) = a)$
- **2.**  $\forall x \neg R(x, a)$
- **3.**  $\forall x (R(b,a) \rightarrow (R(f(x,b), f(x,a))))$
- 4.  $\forall x \,\forall y \, (f(x,y) = z)$

Which of these formulas are satisfied in M? (Show with proof)

## **Exercise 2**

Let  $\mathcal{L} = \{a, b, f, g, R\}$  such that a, b are constant symbols, f, g are binary function symbols, and R is a binary relations symbol. Consider the  $\mathcal{L}$ -structure  $(\mathbb{N}, 0, 1, +, \cdot, <)$ . Express each of the following properties about elements in  $\mathbb{N}$  with an  $\mathcal{L}$ -formula.

- 1. 0 is the smallest natural number.
- 2.  $\varphi(x, y)$  saying x divides y.
- 3.  $\psi(x, y, z)$  saying z is the greatest common divisor of x and y.
- 4.  $\theta(x)$  saying x is a prime number.

**Note:** For space reasons, you can use a formula from *n* to write a formula that answers n + m where m > 0.

### **Exercise 3**

Let  $\mathcal{L} = \{g\} \cup \{f_r \mid r \in \mathbb{R}\}$  where g is a binary function symbol and each  $f_r$  is a unary function symbol. A vector space  $\mathcal{V}$  can be viewed as an  $\mathcal{L}$ -structure by interpreting g as vector addition and  $f_r$  is interpreted it as scalar multiplication by r, that is,  $f_r^{\mathcal{V}} : V \to V$  given by  $f_r^{\mathcal{V}}(v) = rv$  for every vector  $v \in V$ . Write down axioms of real vector spaces in the first-order language  $\mathcal{L}$  (i.e. provide a set of  $\mathcal{L}$ -sentences  $\Gamma$  in which an  $\mathcal{L}$ -structure  $\mathcal{M} \models \Gamma$  if and only if M is a real vector space with the operations given by the interpretations in  $\mathcal{M}$ ).

### **Exercise 4**

If  $\Gamma \models \forall x \varphi(x)$  then  $\Gamma \models \varphi(\tau)$ , for any term  $\tau$ . Prove or disprove this statement. **Hint:** consider  $\varphi(x) = \exists y \neg (x = y)$  (40)

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