

Math 430: Formal Logic I
In-class worksheet for November 3rd, 5th, and 7th.

Some of these problems are on the problem set 9, due Monday, November 10th.

This worksheet is about the first-order structure \mathcal{R} for the first-order language $L := \{P, M, O\}$ where P and M are binary function symbols, and O is a binary relation symbol. The universe of this structure is \mathbb{R} , $P^{\mathcal{R}}$ is the usual addition, $M^{\mathcal{R}}$ is the usual multiplication, and $O^{\mathcal{R}} := \{(a, b) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid a < b\}$ as the usual strict ordering.

1. For each of the following L -terms, write down the corresponding term function on \mathcal{R} in a way that your 10th grade math teacher would like:
 $t_1(x, y) := P(P(x, y), y)$, $t_2(x) := M(x, x)$,
 $t_3(x, y, w) := P(P(M(x, M(y, y))), M(x, M(y, y))), M(x, z)$
2. For each of the following L -formulae, describe the corresponding relation on \mathcal{R} in a way that your 10th grade math teacher would understand:
 $\phi_1(x) := \exists y M(y, y) \approx x$,
 $\phi_2(w) := ((M(w, w) \approx w) \wedge (\neg P(w, w) \approx w))$
 $\phi_3(x, y) := \exists w (\phi_2(w) \wedge O(P(P(x, w), w), Y))$
 $\phi_4(x, z) := \exists w (\phi_2(w) \wedge ((O(w, x) \wedge z \approx P(x, w)) \vee (O(x, w) \wedge z \approx P(x, x))))$
3. Which of the following L -sentences are satisfied by \mathcal{R} ?
 $\forall x \forall y \forall z P(P(x, y), z) \approx P(x, P(y, z))$
 $\exists x \exists y \neg M(x, y) \approx M(y, x)$
 $\exists x \exists y (O(x, y) \wedge \exists z P(y, M(z, z)) \approx x)$
4. Describe all term functions on \mathcal{R} in a way that your 10th grade math teacher would like.
5. Give several examples of definable functions that are not term functions.
6. List as many definable elements of \mathbb{R} as you can.
7. Show that is a finite subset $S \subset \mathbb{R}$ is definable in \mathcal{R} , then for every element $a \in S$, $\{a\}$ is definable in \mathcal{R} . Now add some more elements to your list of definable elements.
8. Write down some L -sentences that express some familiar properties of the reals. What properties are you having trouble expressing?
9. Given an L -term $t(x)$, can you write down a formula asserting that $t^{\mathcal{R}}$ is continuous at zero? that $t^{\mathcal{R}}$ is differentiable at zero?
10. What are the automorphisms of \mathcal{R} ?
11. What are the endomorphisms of \mathcal{R} ?
12. Is any symbol of L definable from the others?